



# MOUNTAIN BIKE GRAVITY ENDURO

## General Communiqué

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**Subject : Acceptable helmets for Gravity Enduro events.**

From January 1 2016 **all events** classified as or implying themselves to be gravity enduro events must adhere to the following standards. These rules mirror those used the 2015 Enduro National Series.

All riders must wear a full-faced helmet during all special stages. Helmets with a detachable mouthpiece are permitted subject to the below conditions. XC/Road style helmets which do not offer full face protection are prohibited in all special stages.

The race director may choose from helmet requirements from the below options. Unless specified by the event organisers, Standard A will be used. All National level events will use Standard B. Events which utilize courses commonly used for Downhill competition should use Standard B.

	Standard A	Standard B
Special stages	Full faced helmet meeting AS2063 or equivalent standard. or Helmets meeting AS2063 with detachable mouthpieces will be permitted.	Full faced helmet meeting AS2063 or equivalent standard.
Liaison stages	Full faced helmet meeting AS2063 or equivalent standard. or Helmets meeting AS2063 with detachable mouthpieces will be permitted. or Any open face helmet meeting AS2063 will be permitted.	Full faced helmet meeting AS2063 or equivalent standard. or Helmets meeting AS2063 with detachable mouthpieces will be permitted. or Any open face helmet meeting AS2063 will be permitted.  Any helmet not complying with AS2063 must be full faced

In all cases, a full-faced helmet of AS2063 standard is acceptable for all stages.

The list of standards that MTBA will accept as an international equivalent to the Australian/New Zealand Standard 2063 are as follows:.

1. AS1698 or any other Australian Standard for road use helmet.
2. NSI Z90.4;
3. Snell "B" or "N" series;
4. ASTM F-1447.
5. Canadian CAN/CSA-D113.2-M;
6. U.S. CPSC standard for bicycle helmets;
7. European CEN standard for bicycle helmets (EN1078)

Other international standards may be added however if not explicitly listed above or in any supplementary regulations are not permitted for use.