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# Over the limit? Ask a do-it-yourself breath-test machine in the car park!

By Rhodri Phillips

Do-it-yourself breath-test machines have been installed at car parks so drivers can check whether they **1)** ..... over the drink limit before they sit behind the wheel. Each user is given a clean pipe to blow through until they are told to stop and a reading flashes on a screen a few seconds later saying whether they can legally drive. The **Alcolizer** machines use the same technology as police breath testers.



But a spokesman for the Association of Chief Police Officers told motorists not to rely on the machines and issued a general warning not to drink and drive. He said: “We see a lot of these gadgets. It is difficult to know how precise they are. Our message is: ‘Do not drink and sit behind the wheel. It’s as simple **2)** ..... that.’ A spokesman for Risk Shifters, the company distributing the breath-testers, said: “The whole point of having a breath-tester in a car park is not to encourage drinkdriving. It is to give users information. It does not give them a guarantee. It does not give them a defence if they are then stopped by the police and fail a test. The body absorbs alcohol

at a regular rate and your alcohol level can rise for **3)** ..... time after you have had a drink. If you are close to the legal limit when you use the Alcolizer, you should wait a few minutes and test yourself again.”

Four **Alcolizers**, which cost £5,000 each, have been installed in car parks run by Q-Park. One in Leeds is free of charge and three in Glasgow cost £1 a time. Q-Park has bought three more machines, **4)** ..... it plans to install in Nottingham, Sheffield and Cardiff and Risk Shifters is also in talks with other car park operators.

Australian maker, **Alcolizer Technology**, also produces breath testers for police in Australia and China. Frank Soodeen, of the charity **Alcohol Concern**, supports the machines. He says: “This sounds like a good idea. We would welcome any device which allows drivers to accurately check the amount they **5)** ..... drunk. It encourages motorists to act responsibly. We support that.”

Road safety charity **Brake** welcomed the Alcolizer but warned drivers not to depend on it too much. Spokeswoman Dianne Ferreira said: “In principle, it is good. It makes people think about how much they have drunk. But there is a danger that motorists will try to drink to the limit and then use the machine to check they are OK. They must be careful.”

**Task A1** (10 points)

Read the article about DIY breath-test machines.

Choose the best word to fill each gap – A, B or C – and write the letter in the box.

**Put the letter here**



1	A are	B were	C was	
2	A than	B as	C how	
3	A some	B any	C no	
4	A who	B where	C which	
5	A are	B did	C have	

**Task A2** (10 points)

Read the article about DIY breath-test machines again.

Answer the questions below.

1 How long do drivers have to wait to get the result of the test?	
2 What do police recommend drivers to do?	
3 In which cities are Alcolizers already in use?	a) b)
4 How many Alcolizers are already in use in the UK now?	
5 Who manufactures the machine?	

**Bitte wenden!**

**Task B** (5 points)

Look at the catering establishments below.

Decide which catering establishment (A-H) would be suitable for each person/group of persons. You may not use any letter more than once.

WHERE TO EAT OUT IN BRIGHTON	
<b>A</b>	Gino's Pizza Take-Away – for the best pizzas on the South Coast!
<b>B</b>	Jan & Mary's Fresh Ices
<b>C</b>	The Old Town Bakery (now in its 40 <sup>th</sup> year)
<b>D</b>	Bristol Hotel and Restaurant (closed evenings)
<b>E</b>	Pierre's Restaurant (Fine French Cuisine)
<b>F</b>	Olive's Sherry Bar
<b>G</b>	Sushi Stop – London's best sushi!
<b>H</b>	Harry Ramsden's Fish and Chips Restaurant

**Put the letter here**



- 1 Sheila has returned to England after 10 years working in North Africa. Now she wants to try some traditional hot English food again one evening. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 After studying all afternoon, Joey, Bill, Jessica, Hugh and Courtney need some cheap, simple and tasty finger food to eat at the beach. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 It's been a hot day at the office, so Sandy and Julie need to cool off before going home to their families. Something sweet and fresh tasting with no alcohol. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Bob is going to surprise his wife with a dinner on her birthday. She would love a fine meal to remind her of her holiday in Paris last May. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Jack and Maureen have decided that supermarket bread cannot get any worse than it is. They are going to pay extra for that real bread taste. \_\_\_\_\_