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## FEEL PLAYFUL

**CATCH THE WAVE. IT'S WHERE THE FUN IS.** Remember when you were a kid? How you had so much energy you could play all day long? And how you were so light on your feet, you could run circles around the grownups?

Get ready to feel that way all over again. Wave is here, and it's got a playful spirit like nothing else out there.

Wave is fun on wheels, with an easy-driving feel that will put a smile on your face and keep you coming back for more. There's lots of power from the standard 1.6 litre DOHC engine. Nimble handling, too, thanks to power rack-and-pinion steering. And since it's always more fun to have your friends around, Wave has room for you and four of your favourite people.

Wave. Come out and play.

For more information about Wave, visit our Web site at [wave.gmcanada.com](http://wave.gmcanada.com)







## WAVE 5-DOOR

**THIS IS GONNA BE GOOD.** If Wave 5-door had a tail, it would be wagging. This is a car that's up for a good time whenever you are, with a lively look and trim exterior proportions that are ideal for slicing through the urban jungle. Wave 5-door lets you bring your favourite toys along too, with up to 1190 L (42 cu. ft.) of cargo space inside.





## WAVE SEDAN

**GROWNUP STYLE. SAME PLAYFUL ATTITUDE.** Sure, Wave Sedan has a stylish 4-door profile and a generously-sized trunk. But don't let the polished good looks fool you.

Fire up the lively 103-horsepower DOHC engine and you'll quickly discover that Wave Sedan is about as lighthearted as a car can get. The standard 5-speed manual transmission has a light, precise feel that will have you changing gears for the sheer pleasure of it. Or if you prefer, there's an available 4-speed automatic that can handle the shifting while you focus on enjoying the trip.

Wave Sedan. Its style is all grown up. Its spirit is anything but.

Fog lights are available on Wave 4-door and standard on 5-door models.



Uplevel models include the convenience and superior visibility of heated power exterior mirrors.



Accentuate Wave's sporty good looks with available 15-in. aluminum alloy wheels.





## INTERIOR



**BRING THE GANG.** How did they do it, you'll wonder. How did the designers pack such a roomy interior into such a trim and tidy exterior? The answer is, smart design. A taller than average roofline helps. So do raised seats that offer everyone an excellent view. Those clever design touches – along with a host of others like them – pay off in the most spacious interior in Wave's class.\*

And the Wave team didn't just concentrate on maximizing space. They also worked on delivering a higher level of comfort for you and your friends. Wave's seats are accommodating and supportive and the ride is quiet and controlled. Uplevel Wave models go a step further, with standard amenities like power windows, power door locks and a CD stereo.

\*Based on competitive 2005 Model Year data and the latest competitive information at time of printing. Excludes other GM vehicles.



**INTERIOR FEATURES:**

- Reclining front bucket seats with shopping bag hooks and front passenger seatback pocket
- 60/40 split-folding rear seatbacks
- Floor console with storage and cupholders
- Rear-seat heat ducts
- Tilt adjustable steering column
- 12-volt auxiliary power outlet
- Dual frontal air bags with Passenger Sensing System
- Range of standard and available audio and speaker systems.

## CONTROLS

**CONNECT TO THE FUN.** Why is it that Wave drivers always seem to be smiling? The well-designed instruments and controls are definitely part of the reason.

The clear analogue gauges are easy to read and provide all the driving information you need to know. They're also framed with bright metallic accents that bring a little bling to Wave's instrument panel. The steering wheel is as handsome as it is functional, too, and it includes a standard tilt mechanism that helps you find just the right position.

It all adds up to a driving environment that connects you directly to the drive. And that's something worth smiling about.



Select an Uplevel Wave model and you'll enjoy the added convenience of remote keyless entry.



The available 4-speed automatic transmission includes a gated shifter and a "Hold" button that adds a measure of manual-style control.



All Wave models include an AM/FM sound system. A CD player with MP3 playback capability is also standard on Uplevel models and available on Base.









## VERSATILITY

**WHAT'S ON THE AGENDA TODAY?** Why repeat yourself? Life is full of exciting new opportunities, and we designed Wave to help you make the most of all of them.

Wave's interior is flexible enough to rise to just about any occasion. In its normal configuration, it has room for you and up to four of your friends, along with 200 L (7.1 cu. ft.) of gear in Wave 5-door – 330 L (11.7 cu. ft.) in Wave 4-door. Want to carry fewer passengers and more stuff? Fold down one side or the other of the standard 60/40 divided rear seatbacks. Need even more capacity? With both seatbacks folded, Wave 5-door's cargo hold measures a whopping 1190 L (42.0 cu. ft.).

Bottom line: whatever you've got planned, Wave is up for it.

With its standard 60/40 divided rear seat fully stowed, Wave 5-door can handle more cargo than the trunk of a full-size sedan.



Available on Uplevel 5-door and 4-door models, the power glass sunroof adds an extra touch of driving pleasure.



In rain, sleet and snow, Wave 5-door's standard liftgate-mounted wiper/washer helps you see more clearly where you're coming from.



Wave features 60/40 split-folding rear seatbacks that increase the interior's flexibility for handling both passengers and cargo.



## TECHNOLOGY

**THE FOUNDATION OF THE FUN.** Because Wave is a Pontiac, it should come as no surprise that its playful personality is the product of some of today's best automotive ideas. From bumper to bumper and roof to road, the Wave engineering team applied advanced technology to enhance Wave's performance, road manners, comfort, safety – and attitude. How cool is that?



### 1. 1.6L DOHC I-4 ENGINE

With outputs of 103 horsepower and 107 lb.-ft. of torque, the Wave engine delivers great performance. A variable-geometry intake system helps boost torque at low speeds, for improved acceleration.

### 2. 2-SIDED GALVANIZED STEEL BODY PANELS

To help maintain Wave's good looks over the long haul, every body panel except the roof is made of 2-sided galvanized steel.

### 3. AVAILABLE 4-WHEEL ABS

The available anti-lock braking system (ABS) helps you maintain steering control, even during emergency braking. It includes electronic brake force distribution, which increases the overall efficiency of the braking system for shorter stops.

### 4. FRONT-WHEEL DRIVE

Wave's front-wheel-drive powertrain contributes to safe, predictable handling characteristics and superior traction in slippery conditions. Its compact design even results in more room in the interior.

### 5. FRONT SAFETY BELT PRE-TENSIONERS

Special devices, called pre-tensioners, are integrated into Wave's front-seat shoulder belts. In the event of a collision, they immediately pull the belts tight so they can protect you better.

### 6. HEAVY-DUTY EXHAUST

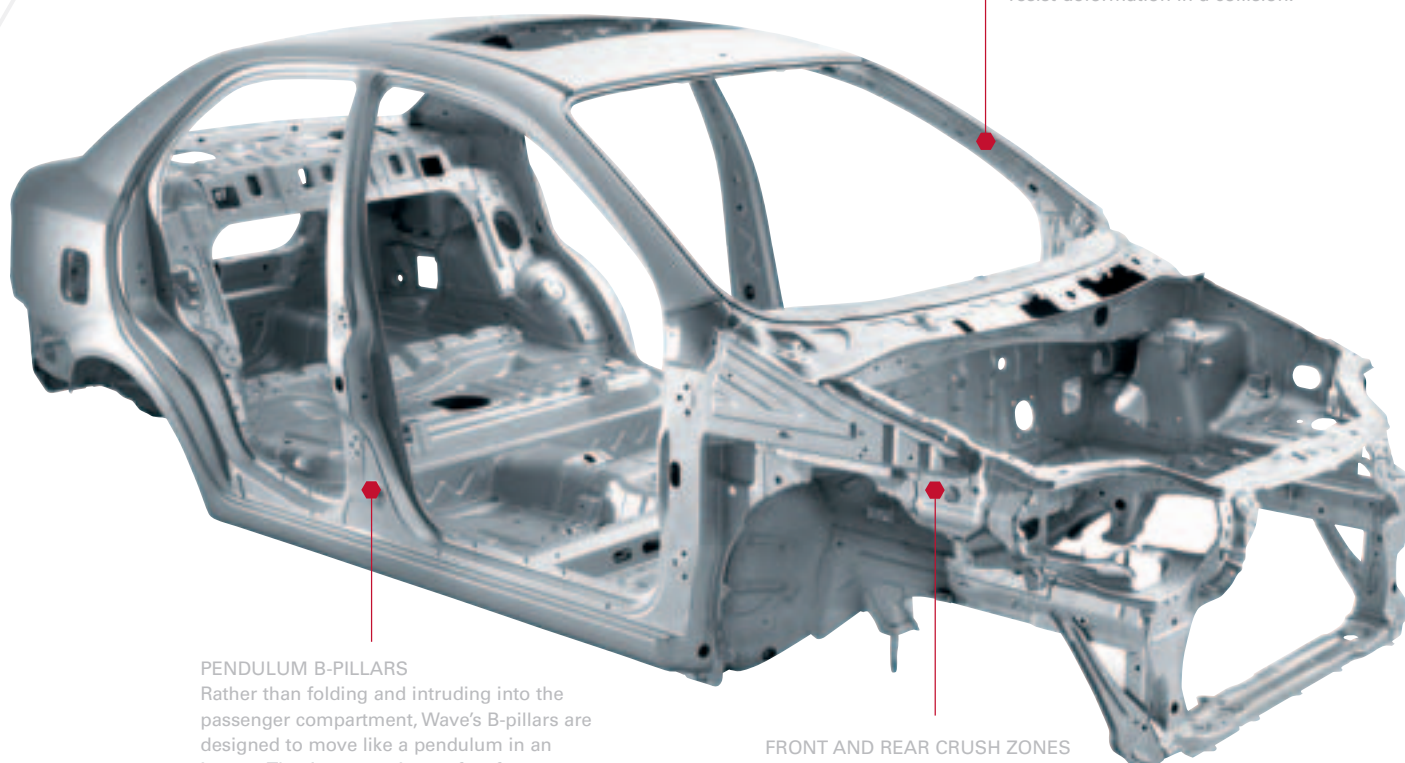
Wave's exhaust system is fabricated from heavy-duty steel, for a long life.

### 7. HIGH-STRENGTH STEEL

Almost 50% of the structural components in the Wave body are made of high-strength steel, for excellent quality, durability and impact protection.

### 8. QUALITY FIT AND FINISH

For an indication of Wave's quality, check the gaps between body panels. They measure a mere 3 mm across, a figure comparable with some luxury cars.



**SAFETY CAGE CONSTRUCTION**  
Wave surrounds you and your passengers with a sturdy steel safety cage engineered to help resist deformation in a collision.

**PENDULUM B-PILLARS**  
Rather than folding and intruding into the passenger compartment, Wave's B-pillars are designed to move like a pendulum in an impact. They're a premium safety feature usually found only on larger, more expensive vehicles.

**FRONT AND REAR CRUSH ZONES**  
In a crash, specially designed structures at the front and rear crumple in a controlled manner, absorbing energy before it can reach the passenger compartment.

## PROTECTION

**TIME TO GET SERIOUS.** Fun may be what Wave is all about, but you can rest assured there's no playing around when it comes to safety.

At the front and the rear of Wave's body structure, you'll find crush zones that are specially designed to crumple in a controlled fashion in a crash, absorbing energy before it can reach the interior. Around the passenger compartment, there's a sturdy steel safety cage engineered to resist

deformation. Steel side-guard beams in every door help to keep objects outside the car, where they belong. Then there's Wave's interior, which is equipped with dual frontal air bags and a host of other features designed to help protect you in a collision.

Serious stuff? Absolutely. At Pontiac, we wouldn't have it any other way.



## ACCESSORIES

**DRESS IT TO THE NINES.** Have even more fun in your Wave with a few carefully selected GM Accessories. GM Accessories are the only accessories that are integrated into the process of designing your vehicle, ensuring excellent fit, finish and functionality. And only GM Accessories are backed by GM's 3-year/60,000 km New Vehicle Limited Warranty.\* They can also be included in your new-vehicle lease or finance agreement through GMAC. Ask your dealer for a complete list of the GM Accessories available for your Wave. Or visit [gmcanada.com](http://gmcanada.com)

Genuine GM Accessories for Wave include:

- Splash guards
- Moulded hood protector
- Front end cover
- Roof-mounted ski and bicycle carriers
- Side-window weather deflectors
- Sunroof wind deflector.

\*Whichever comes first, when permanently installed by the dealer at the time you purchase or lease your new vehicle.



## A STORY ONLY GENERAL MOTORS CAN TELL.

General Motors' commitment to setting the highest standards in quality, safety, innovation, and fuel efficiency are matched by an equally strong commitment to the community.

### DID YOU KNOW?

**QUALITY:** GM plants swept the J.D. Power Initial Quality Study<sup>SM</sup> rankings for North and South America: Gold and Silver Plant Quality Awards for the Canadian Oshawa #2 and #1 car plants, in addition to the Bronze Plant Quality Award for the Hamtramck, Michigan plant.

**SAFETY:** General Motors is the only automotive manufacturer committed to offering a full range of cars, trucks, and SUVs that provide safety protection before, during and after a collision. GM vehicles are equipped with a range of features and technologies that help drivers avoid collisions, reduce the risk of injury should a collision prove unavoidable, and help you get the assistance you need after a collision.

**INNOVATION:** GM is at the forefront of automotive technology with breakthrough features such as OnStar and XM Satellite Radio.

**FUEL EFFICIENCY:** GM offers more cars than any other automaker in Canada that get better than 7.0 L/100 km in highway driving. GM has also won more EnerGuide fuel-efficiency awards than any other car company.

### GM IS COMMITTED TO CANADA.

**INVESTMENT:** GM invests more in Canada than any other car company: The \$2.5 billion Beacon Project represents the largest automotive investment in Canadian history.

**EMPLOYMENT:** GM directly employs over 20,000 people in Canada – more than any other car company.

**DESIGN:** GM is the only car company that designs, engineers and builds cars in Canada.

### GM IS BEHIND YOU AND YOUR VEHICLE

GM is equally comprehensive in the way it backs its Pontiac vehicles. All Pontiac models include:

- 3-year/60,000 km\*\* complete vehicle repair coverage
- 6-year/160,000 km\*\* corrosion perforation coverage
- 8-year/130,000 km\*\* coverage on catalytic converters and powertrain control modules (PCMs)
- 3-year/60,000 km\*\* 24-hour Roadside Assistance.

\*General Motors Corporation – Oshawa #2 (Ontario – Car) was the highest ranked plant, Oshawa #1 (Ontario) was the second ranked plant and Hamtramck, MI was the third ranked plant in North/South America among plants producing vehicles for the U.S. market in J.D. Power and Associates 2005 U.S. Initial Quality Study<sup>SM</sup>. Study based on a total of 62,251 U.S. consumer responses indicating owner reported problems during the first 90 days of ownership. [www.jdpower.com](http://www.jdpower.com)

\*\*Whichever comes first.



CHEVROLET PONTIAC BUICK GMC CADILLAC SATURN SAAB HUMMER

PONTIAC WAVE SPECIFICATIONS

SAFETY AND SECURITY	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
Air bags – driver and front-passenger, frontal with Passenger Sensing System	S	S
Air bags – driver and front-passenger, seat-mounted side-impact	0	0
Brake/transmission shift interlock (automatic transmission only)	S	S
Door locks – rear door, child-security	S	S
Headlights – Daytime Running Lights, warning-on-system	S	S
Keyless entry system – remote with alarm	–	S
Safety belts – front shoulder, height-adjustable with pre-tensioners	S	S
Safety restraints – LATCH (Lower Anchors and top Tethers for Children), rear seats	S	S

MECHANICAL	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
Brakes – power, front disc/rear drum	S	S
Brakes – 4-wheel anti-lock braking system (ABS)	0	0
Drive – front wheel	S	S
Engine – 1.6L DOHC L4 with MFI Horsepower – 103 @ 6000 rpm, Torque – 107 lb.-ft. @ 3600 rpm	S	S
Engine block heater	S	S
Exhaust system – heavy-duty	S	S
Steering – power, rack-and-pinion	S	S
Suspension – front MacPherson strut/rear torsion beam	S	S
Transmission – 5-speed manual	S	S
Transmission – 4-speed automatic with overdrive and Hold Control	0¹	0

EXTERIOR	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
Fog lights	0²/S	0²/S
Glass – tinted windshield top band	S	S
Liftgate – rear liftgate	–/S	–/S
Lights – Euro-style side marker repeater lights	S	S
Mirrors – left and right manual remote	S	–
Mirrors – left manual remote/right power remote, heated	–	S
Spoiler – rear liftgate	–/0	–/0
Sunroof – power, sliding glass panel	–	0
Tires – P185/60R14 all-season	S	S
Wheels – 14" x 5.5" steel with bolt-on wheel covers (A)³	S	S
Wheels – 15" x 6" aluminum wheels (B)³, includes P185/55R15 all-season tires	–	0
Windshield wipers – 2-speed with fixed delay	S	S
Wiper/washer – rear-window	–/S	–/S
Sport Appearance Package – includes 15" x 6" aluminum wheels (B)³ with P185/55R15 all-season tires, mudguards, fog lights (4-door), rear liftgate spoiler (5-door) and 6-speaker premium sound system	0⁴	0

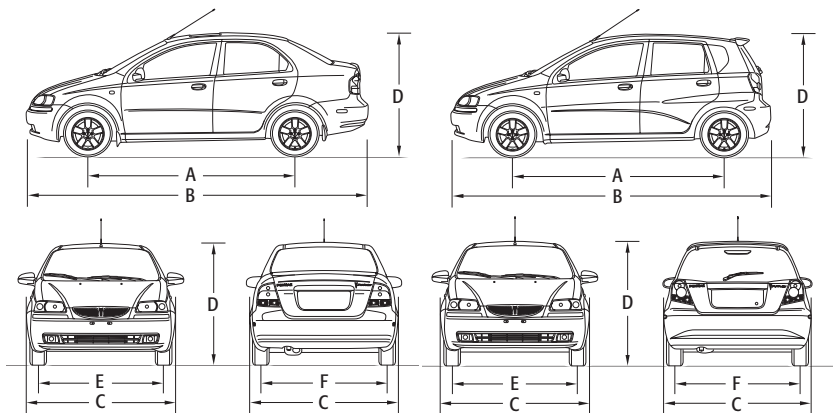
INTERIOR	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
Accents – metallic interior door handles, air vents and power window switch bezels with fabric door trim	–	S
Air conditioning – manual	0	0
Assist grips – front-passenger and rear outboard	S	S
Auxiliary power outlet – 12-volt, centre console	S	S
Clock – digital	S	S
Console – front floor with storage and cupholders	S	S
Cruise control – electronic with resume, coast and decelerate/accelerate features	–	S
Defogger – electric rear-window	S	S
Door locks – power	–	S
Driver foot rest	S	S
Floor mats – front and rear, carpeted	S	S
Fuel door – release, manual remote	S	S
Heat ducts – rear seat, floor	S	S
Instrumentation – analogue cluster with metallic accents (includes speedometer, tachometer, coolant temperature and fuel gauge)	S	S
Light – dome	S	S
Steering column – tilt adjustable	S	S
Sunshades – LH and RH: vanity mirrors	S	S
Trunk – release, manual remote	S/–	S/–
Windows – power	–	S
Smoker's Package – includes ashtray and lighter	S	S

SEATS	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
Cloth reclining front bucket seats with height-adjustable head restraints, shopping bag hooks and passenger seatback pocket	S	S
Seatback – rear, 60/40 split-folding	S	S

SOUND SYSTEMS	4-DR/5-DR BASE	4-DR/5-DR UPLEVEL
All Wave sound systems include an electronically tuned AM/FM stereo with seek, scan and 4-speaker sound system		
AM/FM stereo	S	–
AM/FM stereo with CD player and MP3 playback	0	S

S – Standard. 0 – Optional individually or in combination with other optional equipment.  
1 Includes brake/transmission shift interlock.  
2 Included with Sport Appearance Package.  
3 Wheels shown on page 18.  
4 Requires up-level radio.

DIMENSIONS



EXTERIOR, MM (IN.)

	4-DR	5-DR
Wheelbase (A)	2480 (97.6)	2480 (97.6)
Length (B)	4235 (166.7)	3880 (152.8)
Width (C)	1670 (65.7)	1670 (65.7)
Height (D)	1495 (58.9)	1495 (58.9)
Front tread (E)	1450 (57.1)	1450 (57.1)
Rear tread (F)	1410 (55.5)	1410 (55.5)

INTERIOR, MM (IN.) FRONT/REAR

Headroom	998/955 (39.3/37.6)	998/955 (39.3/37.6)
Legroom	1048/898 (41.3/35.4)	1048/898 (41.3/35.4)
Shoulder room	1362/1340 (53.6/52.8)	1362/1340 (53.6/52.8)
Hip room	1310/1340 (51.6/52.8)	1310/1340 (51.6/52.8)

CAPACITIES/WEIGHT

Cargo, L (cu. ft.)		
– rear seats up	330 (11.7)	200 (7.1)
– rear seats down	–	1190 (42.0)
Fuel tank, L (imp. gal.)	45 (9.9)	45 (9.9)
Curb weight (est.), kg (lb.)	1075 (2370)	1065 (2348)

COMMITMENT:



Expect nothing less than a 100% commitment. You can feel confident that you're choosing a real driver's car – if it bears the Pontiac name. You can also count on your Wave to exceed your expectations, not just in the way it handles on the road, but also through a comprehensive series of support programs. Some make it easier to purchase or lease a Pontiac Wave. Others help protect you and your vehicle down the road. A powerful example of the level of protection you can expect is the GM TOTAL™ Warranty. It's so thorough it covers your vehicle – from the roof right down to the tires. So when you drive off the lot of your Pontiac dealership, you can do so with total confidence. Peace of mind is knowing that your vehicle is built for the long haul, and is backed by a comprehensive warranty.

THE GM TOTAL™ WARRANTY:†

The GM TOTAL™ Warranty is your promise of total warranty protection. It covers every new Pontiac Wave for 3 years or 60,000 km.\* Complete vehicle repairs are covered,\*\* including parts and labour, with no deductible. The warranty includes:

- 3-year/60,000 km\* complete vehicle repair coverage
- 6-year/160,000 km\* corrosion perforation coverage
- 8-year/130,000 km\* coverage on catalytic converters and powertrain control modules (PCMs).

\*Whichever comes first.  
\*\*To correct any defects in material or workmanship occurring during the warranty period. Regular maintenance is not included, nor is excessive wear and tear caused by reckless or negligent driving.

EXTENDED POWERTRAIN LIMITED WARRANTY:†

Every Pontiac Wave is also covered by a special Powertrain Component Warranty with no deductible for 5 years or 100,000 km.\* So you can count on your Pontiac Wave for much more than its styling and engineering – today, and down the road.

\*Whichever comes first.

OTHER OWNERSHIP PRIVILEGES AND PROGRAMS:†

- **Roadside Assistance** – 24/7 service via toll-free number during your warranty period, anywhere in Canada or the United States
- **Courtesy Transportation** – may be offered during the warranty period
- **GM Protection Plan (GMPP)** – the only extended services contract backed by the resources and commitment of General Motors, GMPP may be purchased at the time of your sale or lease, or subsequently
- **GM Mobility Program** – you may be eligible for reimbursement of up to \$1000 (taxes included) for adaptive equipment for your GM vehicle
- **GM Accessories** – personalize your vehicle with GM Accessories, specifically engineered for your new GM vehicle
- **GM Goodwrench Service** – with GM-certified technicians and GM-approved parts, nobody knows your GM vehicle better.

TO HELP YOU PURCHASE OR LEASE A NEW VEHICLE:

- **GMAC Financing** – on the spot financing at your GM dealership††
- **GMAC SMARTLEASE** – a smart alternative to traditional financing††
- **GM Student Bonus Program** – GM will cover the first two purchase finance or lease payments and the lease security deposit on eligible new GM vehicles for students and recent graduates of high school, college or university.†
- **The GM Card** – eligible cardholders may be able to redeem up to \$3500 on GM Card® Earnings toward the total purchase price or lease down payment on selected vehicles. For more information on The GM Card please call 1-800-461-3279.†

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- The GM Web site at [gmcanada.com](http://gmcanada.com)
- The GM Customer Communication Marketing Centre at 1-800-GM-DRIVE (1-800-463-7483 or 1-800-263-3830 for TDD users) – for information about any GM product or service, including The GM Card and the GM Mobility Program
- For information about GMAC visit [gmcanada.com](http://gmcanada.com) or call 1-800-616-4622.

† Conditions and limitations apply.  
†† Subject to eligibility.



# WHEELS



A – 14" steel  
with bolt-on  
wheel covers



B – 15"  
aluminum wheel

## A WORD ABOUT THIS BROCHURE

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# FABRICS

## EXTERIOR/INTERIOR COLOUR COMPATIBILITY

▼ Exterior	Interior ►	81 – Graphite
04 – Urban Gray		•
05 – Misty Blue		•
06 – Flame Red		•
11 – Galaxy White		•
33 – Sports Blue		•
54 – Sunset Orange*		•
73 – Super Red		•
87 – Pearl Black		•
92 – Poly Silver		•

\*Not available on 4-door Sedan.



Wave Cloth  
81C – Graphite

# EXTERIOR COLOURS

Colours may not be exactly as illustrated due to restrictions of the printing process. Please see your Sales Consultant for specific colour and model availability.



04 – Urban Gray



05 – Misty Blue



06 – Flame Red



11 – Galaxy White



33 – Sports Blue



54 – Sunset Orange\*



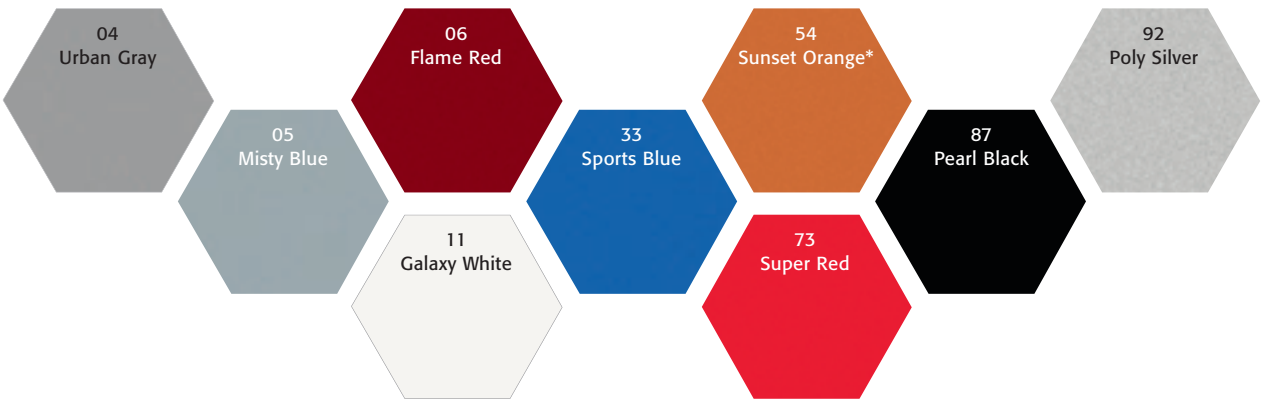
73 – Super Red



87 – Pearl Black



92– Poly Silver





**GRAND PRIX**



**SOLSTICE**



**PURSUIT**



**G6**



**MONTANA SV6**



**VIBE**



**TORRENT**



**WAVE**