



The perfect car for:

VIP pick-up and delivery, municipal and local government officials, livery, corporations, resorts and hotels, schools, funeral directors, religious institutions—whenever and wherever superbly comfortable transportation without ostentation is required.



New from Checker

A luxurious 9-passenger limousine
at a standard sedan price!

The Checker A-12E Deluxe Marathon Sedan, originally engineered and built for world markets, found immediate acceptance with many foreign governments as an official car. No other car can match the tremendous interiors of the Checker A-12E. Big, square, forward-facing auxiliary seats mean more adults can relax in limousine comfort. And no other car can match the performance and handling ease of a Checker, its regal 129" wheelbase—without useless protrusion in front and rear—means easiest handling with maximum performance.

Car buyers from Europe, Asia and the Far East have recognized Checker as a vehicle of amazing sturdiness and economy. Using low octane fuel on the most demanding city and country roads in varied and unusual climate conditions, Checkers have performed with outstanding fleet dependability and have chalked up notable safety records. The classical-style Checker Marathon Deluxe A-12E, made to meet exacting export requirements, is now available in limited quantities through Checker dealers all over the United States.

Checker Motors Corporation

Kalamazoo, Michigan 49007

Over 44 years of automotive know-how has helped create the Checker line of built-to-last vehicles.

MODEL A-12E STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS

140 H.P., 230 CU. IN. OVERHEAD VALVE SIX.

Type: 6 Cylinder Overhead Valve • Horsepower: 140 BHP @ 4000 rpm
• Compression Ratio: 8.25 to 1 • Piston Displacement: 230 cu. in.
• Carburetor: Downdraft, with automatic choke • Recommended Fuel:
Regular • Cooling System: 17 qts. with heater

SUPER SAFE BRAKES.

OIL FILTER.

FLEET-PROVEN in billions of miles.

Re-circulating Ball-type STEERING.
DOUBLE CHANNEL X-BRACE FRAME.

INDEPENDENT COIL FRONT SUSPENSION SYSTEM.

Long-life, HEAVY-DUTY 11" CLUTCH.

HEATER-DEFROSTER, part of Checker's all-season heating and
ventilating system.

SYNCHRO-MESH TRANSMISSION with three forward gears.

Wide, easy riding heavy-duty REAR SPRINGS.

PRACTICAL TWO-PIECE FENDERS—allow for fast and inex-
pensive removal and replacement.

8.15 x 15 2-PLY (4-PLY RATING) TIRES.

23 GALLON FUEL TANK,
UNDERCOATING.

BODY

(in inches unless otherwise indicated)

Wheelbase	129
Over-all Length	208.33
Over-all Width	76
Over-all Height	82.4
Shipping Weight	3640 lbs.
Front Headroom	34.75
Bottom of Doors to Ground (Loaded)	11.75
Ramp Breakover Angle	15°
Angle of Approach	23°
Angle of Departure	15°
Minimum Road Clearance at Rear Axle	7.50 at diff.
Legroom, Front	42
Legroom, Rear	57
Front Seat Height	14
Rear Seat Height	13
Auxiliary Seat Height	13
Auxiliary Seats Over-all Width	52
Overhang, Front	32.75
Overhang, Rear	46.75
Front Hiproom	62.25
Rear Hiproom	52.50
Windshield Width	58
Back Window Width	58.87

Optional power and convenience accessories
(available at extra cost)

Optional Engine—327

Optional Engine—283

Type: 6 Cylinder Overhead Valve (V-6)	8 Cylinder Overhead Valve (V-8)
Horsepower: 250 BHP @ 4000 rpm	195 BHP @ 4000 rpm
Compression Ratio: (13.05 to 1)	9.25 to 1
Piston Displacement: 327 cu. in.	283 cu. in.
Carburetor: Downdraft, 4 barrel, with automatic choke	Downdraft, 2 barrel, with automatic choke
Recommended Fuel: Premium	Regular
Cooling System: 17 qts. with heater	17 qts. with heater

AUXILIARY SEATS enable three additional people to ride in
complete comfort. Newly designed, wide seats (52" over-all width)
face forward, yet provide adequate legroom for all passengers.

DUAL RANGE AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION. Provides max-
imum power, efficiency and response.

AIR CONDITIONING comfortably cools and filters all the air.
Quickly cools, ventilates, dehumidifies and removes dust, dirt
and pollen.

SEPARATE UNDER SEAT HEATER • POWER STEERING • POWER
BRAKES • RADIO AND ANTENNA • TINTED GLASS • BACK-UP
LIGHTS • PARKING BRAKE SIGNAL • OUTSIDE MIRROR
• WINDSHIELD WASHER • DELUXE CHROME WHEEL COVERS
• OIL FILTER • 6-PLY TIRES • WHITE SIDEWALL TIRES.



Checker Model A-12E Sedan



Checker Model A-12E Station Wagon



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