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2009 Tiguan



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Driver, meet Tiguan. Tiguan, meet driver.

Did you know that the name Tiguan comes from “tiger” and “iguana”? Or that Tiguan is our first compact SUV? Or that it comes equipped with an Electronic Parking Brake? Or that its towing capacity is a massive 998 kg? There may be a lot you don’t know about Tiguan. And that’s okay. In the pages to come, you’ll get formally introduced.



European models shown.

At a glance

Distinctive German design

The new Tiguan is instantly recognizable as the Touareg's little brother. A superb European compact SUV for every day, on-road or off. And with three trim levels, it can be configured to the driver's individual preference.

Intelligent storage and space

The interior's well-designed storage options — including various clips, cardholders and bins — give you space for everything, so you can retrieve important items quickly and safely at any time. When you really need lots of room, the front passenger seat folds down completely flat, and the rear seats fold forward and can be divided 60/40 for those awkward items.

Powerful and economical engine

The Tiguan comes with the 2.0L TSI engine found in the GTI, which delivers 200 hp and 207 lb-ft of torque. Depending on trim level, you can choose from a standard 6-speed manual transmission or options such as a 6-speed automatic Tiptronic® transmission, with or without 4MOTION®. For you, this means maximum performance with outstanding fuel economy made possible by Volkswagen's TSI – direct injection technology.

Massive towing capacity

Tiguan's towing capacity clocks in at 998 kg. That's more than a full-grown moose. Not that you'd want to tow such a thing, naturally. But it gives you an idea of what the Tiguan is capable of. And if it doesn't, we invite you to find out for yourself.



MOTION + MOTION + MOTION + MOTION = 4MOTION

The Tiguan has optional (on automatic models) 4MOTION to help tame the toughest driving conditions. It's ready to spring into action and adjust during hazardous road conditions. That's because it constantly monitors the individual traction of each wheel, and makes the necessary adjustments. If a tire slips, 4MOTION reduces power to the wheel. If a tire can accept more torque, 4MOTION sends over a little extra muscle. For example, when the Tiguan is driving straight ahead and there's no difference in grip between the wheels, 90% of the power is sent to the front axle and 10% to the rear. The only thing you'll notice is the consistent all-wheel drive technology that always has your back.

In order to know where you're going, you have to know where you are.

The Tiguan features a state-of-the-art navigation system*, your new best friend on the road. You can now get to the playground of your choice without having to stop for directions. The system combines a sophisticated radio with precise touch screen navigation and easy-to-use map views on its 6.5-inch high-resolution wide screen display. A 30 GB hard drive can store map data (10 GB) and audio (20 GB) files entered via the optical drive or SD card slot. The optical drive can read CD, DVD and DVD Audio formats. And thanks to the Media Device Interface (MDI), the system can work with any MP3 player or USB stick.

Just so you know where you are in relation to hard-to-see objects behind you, a rear view camera* makes parking easier and safer.

*Optional with Technology Package on Comfortline and Highline.



SIRIUS
SATELLITE RADIO



Dynaudio and SIRIUS

The available Dynaudio*** sound system produces the best sound quality of any compact SUV. Featuring 8 speakers, Digital Signal Processing (DSP) and 300 watts of digital amplification, the system is tailored specifically to the acoustics of the Tiguan's interior, and delivers powerful sound for every passenger, no matter where they're seated.

SIRIUS® Satellite Radio is the perfect way to enhance your driving experience. With 110 channels to choose from, including sports, news, talk, entertainment, and 100% commercial-free music, you'll always be tuned in to what's new and happening.

***Optional with Technology Package on Comfortline and Highline.



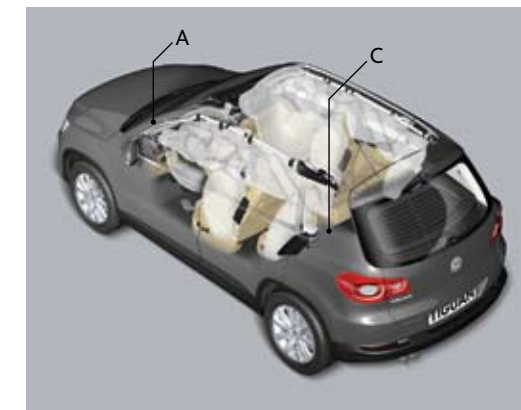
The soul of an SUV. The heart of a GTI.

The Tiguan is outfitted with a torque-endowed engine — a newer version of our award-winning GTI engine, which was named one of *Ward's* 10 Best Engines three years in a row. It's no wonder the Tiguan is the first-ever compact SUV that feels like a sports car. Now you know why we had to give it such a weird name. A 2.0L TSI engine makes the Tiguan ultra-efficient and powerful — that's 200 hp and 207 lb-ft of torque, to be more precise. The advanced TSI direct injection technology amazingly improves fuel economy, reduces emissions, and enhances responsiveness all at the same time. The straight injection system pumps fuel directly into the combustion chamber. Less waste. Less lag time. The "T" stands for Turbo. And we all know what that means.



GTI shown with accessories.

Engine shown for illustration purposes only.



Optional rear side airbags shown.

Safety standards come standard.

Every Volkswagen comes standard with lots of features that work in harmony to both help you avoid an accident and help protect you if an accident is unavoidable. And we are constantly updating it, because when it comes to safety, there's always room for improvement.

Dual Front and Dual Front Side Airbags*

Can deploy within milliseconds.

Side Curtain Protection®*

Deploy down the roofline from the A-pillar to the C-pillar to help reduce head and upper torso injury in the event of side impact.

Anti-Slip Regulation (ASR) and Engine Braking Assist (EBA)

Help improve handling and prevent skidding in slippery conditions.

Electromechanical Power Steering System

Your Tiguan's steering has variable power steering, which means you'll get a consistent response no matter how fast (or slow) you're driving. Also, since it doesn't use steering fluid, it's a completely sustainable solution. We're big fans of win-wins.

Electronic Stabilization Programme (ESP)

Our most advanced traction control system ever helps the driver stay the course by kicking in corrective forces when tires start slipping. ESP is most effective when the driver is taking evasive action during sudden maneuvers, like when avoiding an accident. Incidentally, ESP also stands for Extra Sensory Perception. Hardly a coincidence.

Auto Hold

Whether you're going up or downhill, Auto Hold controls the hydraulic pressure to help prevent the vehicle from rolling forward or backward once you come to a complete stop. Even if you take your foot off the brake.

Electronic Parking Brake

No need to pull levers and push pedals to set your parking brake. Just simply press the electronic brake button, and it will set itself. To get going press the button again while your foot is on the brake and it will release.

Fog Lights

Fog lights come standard. We thought it would be nice for you to see through the haze.

*Airbags are supplemental restraints only and will not deploy under all accident scenarios. Always use safety belts and seat children only in the rear, using restraint systems appropriate for their size and age.



Cargo area

Sliding rear seats

60/40 split-folding rear seats

Above and beyond the above and beyond.

The Tiguan comes loaded with lots of features you know you want, and a few you'll want once you find out they exist. Like rear seats that not only fold down, but also slide forward or back to allow more rear cargo room and rear passenger leg room. The Tiguan even has an adjustable cooling glove box to keep your favourite items chilled.



Tiguan shown with Savanna wheels (optional). Your vehicle is sold equipped with all-season tires. However, please remember that the use of winter tires may be mandatory in your province or territory. Make sure your vehicle has the proper tires at all times.

Accessories and options

Panoramic Sunroof

This sliding sunroof is three times larger than a conventional sunroof. It's almost 1360 mm long and 870 mm wide — an area of almost 1.2 square metres, which extends over a large part of the interior. Obviously, that can let a lot of sun in, so we threw in a power sunshade for whenever you feel like blocking the rays a bit.

Barracuda™ Bike Holder

Durable and rugged, the easy-to-use arm secures a bicycle, securely. Base carrier bars can handle up to 3 Barracuda racks.

Ski/Snowboard Deluxe Rack

This easy-to-install rack holds 2 snowboards or 4 pairs of skis.

Accessory Wheels



Davenport
18" alloy wheels



Savanna
19" alloy wheels

A look that makes you look.

Tiguan's exterior will turn heads. It helps that alloy wheels and fog lights come standard, and that there are available Bi-Xenon® headlights with Adaptive Front-lighting System (AFS). A sleek design and slightly off-setting size makes you look twice, and then it transfixes your gaze. It's like a reverse Medusa story — you won't turn to stone, but you'll most likely get inside the Tiguan and go climb some or head for a distant shore.



Possibly the most class in its class.

We believe firmly that it's what's on the inside that counts. And that conviction extends beyond what's under the hood. Inside the cabin of the Tiguan, you'll find high-quality materials, with premium trims like baseball stitching and chrome finishing. In addition, the Tiguan is the first compact SUV to offer an optional 1.2 square metre panoramic sunroof, the largest ever offered in its class.



Colour combinations



Deep Black Pearl



Reflex Silver Metallic



Candy White



Wild Cherry Metallic



White Gold Metallic



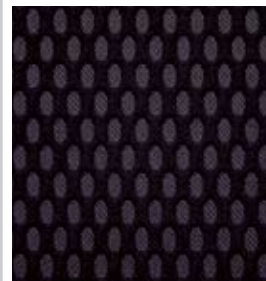
Alpine Grey Metallic



Sapphire Blue Pearl

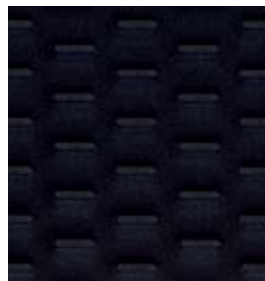
Trendline

Metropolis Cloth
Black



Comfortline

Energy Cloth
Black



Energy Cloth
Cornsilk Beige



Highline

Vienna Leather
Black



Vienna Leather
Cornsilk Beige



Black Vienna leather shown.

Trendline

San Francisco
16" alloy wheels



Comfortline

Los Angeles
17" alloy wheels



Highline

New York
18" alloy wheels



Trendline	Deep Black Pearl	Reflex Silver Metallic	Candy White	Wild Cherry Metallic	White Gold Metallic	Alpine Grey Metallic	Sapphire Blue Pearl
Metropolis Cloth Black	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

Comfortline	Deep Black Pearl	Reflex Silver Metallic	Candy White	Wild Cherry Metallic	White Gold Metallic	Alpine Grey Metallic	Sapphire Blue Pearl
Energy Cloth Black	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Energy Cloth Cornsilk Beige	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

Highline	Deep Black Pearl	Reflex Silver Metallic	Candy White	Wild Cherry Metallic	White Gold Metallic	Alpine Grey Metallic	Sapphire Blue Pearl
Vienna Leather Black	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Vienna Leather Cornsilk Beige	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

Play. But play nice.

The Tiguan is the first compact SUV from Volkswagen. It zips around corners like a dream, and once you get inside the cabin, you'll never forget the tingling feeling you get. Kind of like your first love. Wait, perhaps Tiguan *is* your first love? Conscientiously designed, the Tiguan is made with the belief that you only need as much SUV as you need. Just enough to get you and your stuff to the playground. Whether that playground is the neighbourhood park, or Banff National Park. Everything you need, nothing you don't. Everyone on the playground will thank you. And if the playground itself could talk, it would thank you too.



Specs



EXTERIOR		Trendline	Comfortline	Highline
Bumpers	Body-colour bumpers with black lower section	S	S	S
	Trailer hitch preparation	S	S	S
	Class I trailer hitch receiver, including a 7-pin wiring harness connector	O	O	O
Doors	Dual steel exhaust pipes	S	S	S
	Body-colour door handles	S	S	S
	Side door sills in plastic	S	S	S
Glass	Tinted glass, green	S	S	S
	Tinted privacy glass for rear side and rear hatch windows	-	S	S
Grille	Chrome grille with chrome grille slats and logo	S	S	S
Lights, Front/Rear	Halogen headlamps with clear, lightweight, chip-resistant polycarbonate lenses	S	S	-
	Bi-Xenon®, high-intensity gas-discharge headlamps with clear lightweight, chip-resistant polycarbonate lenses	-	-	S
	Adaptive Front-lighting System (AFS); headlight-range adjustment, automatic-dynamic; curve and turn signal lights	-	-	S
	Daytime Running Lights (DRL)	S	S	S
	Automatic headlights with coming-home and leaving-home feature	-	-	S
Mirrors, Exterior	Halogen projector lens foglights, integrated into front bumper	S	S	S
	Side turn signal lights, integrated into side exterior mirrors	S	S	S
	Driver and passenger power exterior mirrors, heatable	S	S	-
Roof	Driver and passenger power exterior mirrors, heatable with memory function	-	-	S
	Power glass panoramic sunroof with tilt, slide, preselect, tinted glass, power sunshade, and pinch protection	-	S	S
	Roof rails (black)	-	S	-
Special Features	Roof rails (silver)	-	-	S
	18° front end off-road angle	S	S	S
	Tires/Wheels	215/65 R16 H, all-season* tires / 7.5J x 16" alloy wheels, "San Francisco"	S	-
235/55 R17 H, all-season* tires / 8J x 17" alloy wheels, "Los Angeles"		-	S	-
235/50 R18 H, all-season* tires / 9J x 18" alloy wheels, "New York"		-	-	S
145/80 R18, inflatable spare tire		S	S	S

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*Your vehicle is sold equipped with all-season tires. However, please remember that the use of winter tires may be mandatory in your province or territory. Make sure your vehicle has the proper tires at all times.

EXTERIOR (cont'd)

		Trendline	Comfortline	Highline
Tires/Wheels (cont'd)	New generation Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)	S	S	S
	Anti-theft wheel locks	S	S	S
	Steel space- & weight-saving spare wheel	S	S	S
Windows	Black window surrounds	S	S	-
	Chrome window surrounds	-	-	S
Wipers/Washer	Rain sensor, automatic wiper speed control	-	-	S
	Heated windshield washer nozzles, front	-	S	S
	Rear wiper with intermittent wipe feature	S	S	S

INTERIOR

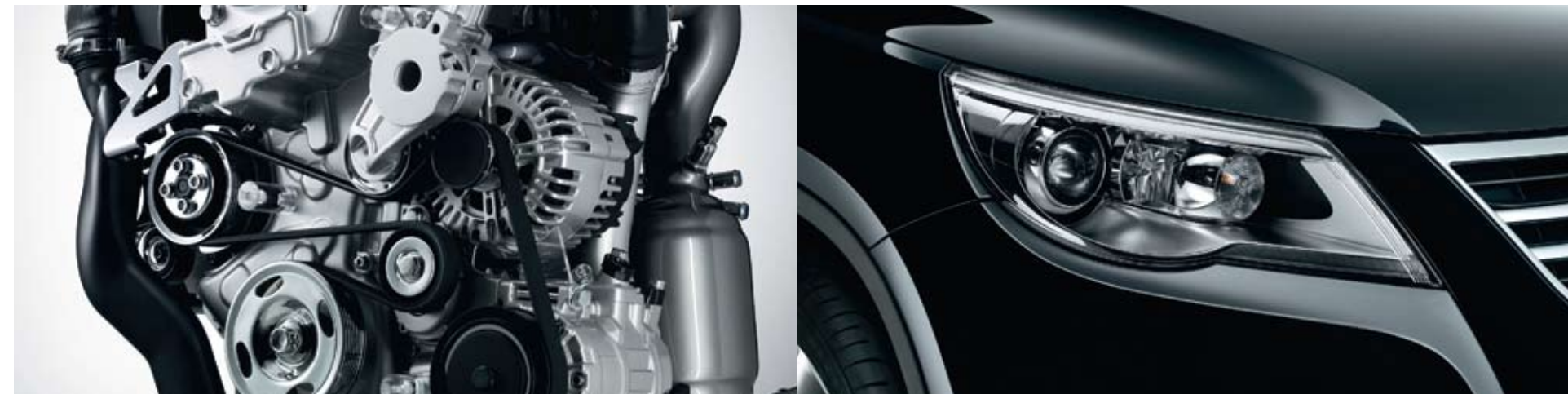
Air Conditioning	Manual air conditioning system	S	S	-
	Climatronic® dual-zone electronic climate control	-	-	S
Alarm/Anti-theft	Anti-theft vehicle alarm system	S	S	S
	Immobilizer IV theft deterrent system	S	S	S
Armrest	Front centre armrest with storage compartment	S	S	S
	Rear centre armrest with load-through, foldable with storage compartment	S	S	S
Cruise Control	Cruise control with active display	S	S	S
Compass	Digital compass	-	-	S
Floor Mats	Front and rear floor mats	S	S	S
Instrument Cluster	Speedometer, tachometer, odometer, trip odometer, coolant temperature gauge, fuel gauge, gear indicator**, exterior temperature, warning lights, digital clock	S	S	S
	Multifunction trip computer with trip time, trip distance, average trip speed, average trip fuel consumption, current fuel consumption, and kilometres to empty	-	S	S
	Illumination for controls and gauges	S	S	S
Outlets	Four 12V auxiliary power outlets	S	S	S
Locks	Central power locking system with key operated closing feature for panoramic sunroof (when equipped), opening & closing feature for power windows and selective unlocking at driver door	S	S	S
	Automatic locking feature	S	S	S
	Radio-frequency remote locking system with lock, unlock, rear tailgate release and panic button on transmitter	S	S	S
	Front and rear door-mounted lock/unlock switches for central locking system	S	S	S
Mirrors, Interior	Child safety locks on rear doors	S	S	S
	Dual driver and front passenger visor vanity mirrors, illuminated with cover	S	S	S
	Interior rearview mirror	S	S	-
	Interior rearview mirror, auto dimming with switch	-	-	S
	Mirror control pad with joystick control	S	S	S

**If equipped with optional automatic transmission.

INTERIOR (cont'd)		Trendline	Comfortline	Highline
Radio/Audio/Navigation	AM/FM radio sound system with 8 speakers and single CD player, MP3 format readable	S	–	–
	Premium VII AM/FM radio sound system with in-dash 6-disc CD changer, MP3 format readable, 8 speakers, theft-deterrent warning light and coding	–	S	S
	Auxiliary input jack	S	S	S
	SIRIUS® Satellite Radio with limited complimentary subscription	–	O/P	S
	Satellite Navigation System – DVD based, 6.5-inch touch screen with SD card input, 30 GB hard drive (10 GB map data, 20 GB music data), MDI (Media Device Interface), SIRIUS Satellite Radio integrated, rearview camera and Dynaudio 300-watt digital sound upgrade with 8 speakers	–	P	P
Restraint / Safety Systems	Driver and front passenger airbags, supplemental restraint system*	S	S	S
	Driver and front passenger side airbags, supplemental restraint system*	S	S	S
	Side Curtain Protection® head airbags*, front & rear	S	S	S
	Rear passenger side thorax airbags, supplemental restraint system*	O	O	O
	Rear-impact optimized front head restraints	S	S	S
	3-point safety belts, all five seating positions (height adjustable for outboard seating positions)	S	S	S
	Emergency locking retractors for all seating positions	S	S	S
	Front seat safety belt pre-tensioners with load limiters	S	S	S
	Rear outboard seating safety belt pre-tensioners with load limiters	O	O	O
	Interlock feature – centre rear safety belt cannot be extended unless seat back is in fully locked position	S	S	S
	LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children. Formerly known as ISOFIX) – child seat lower attachment points and top tethers, rear outboard seating positions	S	S	S
	Child seat tether anchorage points with markings in rear seating positions	S	S	S
Buckle switch (sensor that deploys airbag* depending on safety belt use)	S	S	S	
Seating, Front	8-way manually adjustable height and reach front seats, manual recline with adjustable lumbar support, and lockable head restraints	S	–	–
	8-way manually adjustable height and reach front seats, power recline (driver seat) with adjustable lumbar support, and lockable head restraints	–	S	–
	12-way power adjustable driver seat with 3-position memory function (seat and exterior mirrors), power lumbar support, and lockable head restraint	–	–	S
	Front passenger seat, with fold-flat feature	S	S	S
	Heatable front seats	–	S	S
Seating, Rear	60/40 split-folding rear seats with fold-flat feature and armrest	S	S	S
	Rear seat head restraints, height adjustable, all seating positions	S	S	S
	Sliding rear seats with recline function	S	S	S

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INTERIOR (cont'd)		Trendline	Comfortline	Highline
Special Features	Side turn signal control stalk with lane change feature (one touch, signals three times)	S	S	S
	Electronic parking brake with button, mounted in centre console	S	S	S
	Parking brake, AUTO HOLD start-off assistance	S	S	S
	Intelligent crash response system. In a severe crash, all doors are unlocked, the battery terminal is disconnected from alternator cable, fuel supply is shut off, warning hazards are switched on, and high consumption electrical components are shut off, all automatically	S	S	S
Steering Wheel	3-spoke steering wheel	S	–	–
	3-spoke leather-wrapped multifunction steering wheel	–	S	S
	Electromechanical speed sensitive power steering	S	S	S
	Steering wheel, deformable upon impact	S	S	S
	Height-adjustable and telescoping steering column	S	S	S
	Theft-deterrent steering column	S	S	S
Storage	Front- and rear-door storage pockets	S	S	S
	Front seatback magazine storage pockets	–	S	S
	Rear centre armrest, foldable with storage compartment	S	S	S
	Glove box, lockable and illuminated upon opening, with adjustable cooling feature	S	S	S
	Overhead console trays	S	S	S
	Storage unit located on top of centre console	S	S	S
	Storage bin located under left side of steering column	S	S	S
Windows	Power windows with pinch protection. Window lockout feature available on driver side door	S	S	S
	Power windows, automatic up/down (one touch, all windows)	S	S	S
	Key opening & closing feature for power windows	S	S	S



TECHNICAL		Trendline	Comfortline	Highline
All-Wheel Drive	4MOTION® all-wheel drive system with adaptive torque distribution	O	S	S
Battery	Hard shell battery box protection	S	S	S
Brakes	Anti-lock Braking System (ABS)	S	S	S
	Power-assisted front vented disc brakes, rear solid disc brakes	S	S	S
	Electronic Brake-pressure Distribution (EBD)	S	S	S
	Hydraulic Brake Assist (HBA)	S	S	S
Suspension	Independent front McPherson struts with stabilizer bar	S	S	S
	Rear fully independent four-link suspension with coil springs, telescopic shock absorbers and stabilizer bar	S	S	S
Traction Control	Anti-Slip Regulation (ASR)	S	S	S
	Electronic Differential Lock (EDL)	S	S	S
	Engine Braking Assist (EBA)	S	S	S
	Electronic Stabilization Programme (ESP)	S	S	S
Transmission	6-speed manual transmission	S	-	-
	6-speed automatic transmission with Tiptronic® and Sport mode	O	-	-
	6-speed automatic transmission with Tiptronic, Sport mode and 4MOTION	O	S	S

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TECHNICAL (cont'd)

Engine	Type	2.0 L, 4-cylinder, in-line, turbocharged with intercooler and direct injection		
	Bore	82.5 mm		
	Stroke	92.8 mm		
	Displacement	1,984 cm ³		
	Compression ratio	9.6:1		
	Horsepower (SAE), hp @ rpm	200 @ 5,100 – 6,000 (147 kW @ 5,100 – 6,000)		
	Maximum torque, lb-ft @ rpm	207 @ 1,700 – 5,000 (280 Nm @ 1,700 – 5,000)		
	Fuel requirement	Premium fuel recommended for maximum performance		
Interior Volume – SAE	Seating capacity	5		
	Passenger volume	2.7 m ³		
	Cargo volume	0.7 m ³		
	Cargo volume with rear seats folded	1.6 m ³		
		Front	Rear	
Volume	1.4 m ³	1.3 m ³		
Head room	992 mm	991 mm		
Shoulder room	1,428 mm	1,391 mm		
Leg room	1,019 mm	910 mm		
Dimensions	Wheelbase	2,604 mm		
	Front track	1,570 mm		
	Rear track	1,571 mm		
	Length	4,427 mm		
	Width	1,809 mm		
	Height	1,686 mm		
	Ground clearance	175 mm		
	Weights		Manual	Automatic
Curb weight		1,541 kg	1,557 kg	1,647 kg
Fuel Consumption*		City (L/100 km)	11.2	10.4
	Highway (L/100 km)	7.6	8.1	8.3
Towing Capacity		998 kg	998 kg	998 kg

*Transport Canada fuel consumption figures are estimates only. Your fuel consumption may vary.

Warranty and Roadside assistance

- 4-year/80,000 km (whichever occurs first) new vehicle limited warranty
- 5-year/100,000 km (whichever occurs first) powertrain limited warranty
- 12-year/unlimited distance limited warranty against corrosion perforation
- 4-year/unlimited distance, 24-hour roadside assistance, provided by Professional Dispatch Group

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