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**SORENTO**



The Power to Surprise

# GLOBAL PLAYER

Kia Motors Corporation is one of the top 5 automotive groups in the world. If you are not already aware, we are the brand to watch. Kia is a major global player, having exported over 5 million cars to more than 155 countries around the world. Our vehicles are continually surpassing our customers' expectations and our steadfast commitment to quality is increasing our popularity. Furthermore, with our ground-breaking worldwide growth and state-of-the-art dedicated European factory, Kia has a bright future.

Kia is actively involved with major sporting events around the world, sponsoring the renowned Australian Open as well as individuals such as tennis sensation Rafael Nadal. The driving force behind this success is our commitment to quality. With contemporary styling, access to the latest technologies and an excellent build quality, Kia cars are turning heads the world over. From the Picanto to the new Sorento, Kia offers a full line-up of passenger cars, MPV's, Crossovers and SUV's that suit any lifestyle and are always exhilarating to drive.

Thanks to high production standards you may never need to use our warranty service.



THE NEW KIA SORENTO

# Confidence now comes as standard



The Kia Sorento is covered by our pioneering 7 year vehicle warranty consisting of 3 year/unlimited mileage and 4-7 year/100,000 mile full manufacturer's warranty including a 12 year/unlimited mileage anti-perforation warranty.



For warranty coverage including terms and exclusions please contact your Kia dealer.



## Sophistication has a new look

The new Kia Sorento is a ground-breaking SUV combining 7-seat space, agility and comfort in one stylish package. There are 4 models in the range comprising the 'KX-1', 'KX-2', 'KX-2 Sat Nav' and the range-topping 'KX-3'. The exterior of the new Sorento has been re-designed giving it a sleeker, more elegant profile whilst the body-coloured front and rear bumpers emphasise its striking looks and modern design. The new Sorento range builds on the heritage of its popular predecessor whilst benefitting from being 10 mm lower in ground clearance which helps the loading of items into the car. The new lightweight platform also allows the range to benefit from class-leading efficiency and driving dynamics. Add in engaging SUV performance, low CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from just 155 g/km, superb levels of technology and the new Sorento is the perfect companion for all of life's adventures.





A white SUV is shown from the side, driving on a multi-lane highway at night. The car is in motion, with a blurred background of city lights and buildings. The scene is illuminated by streetlights and the city's glow, creating a dynamic and modern atmosphere. The SUV is positioned on the left side of the frame, moving towards the right.

## Ready for any adventure

The Sorento range features a maximum towing capacity of 2,500kg (model dependent), beating the majority of its large SUV competitors and makes light work of pulling anything from trailers to caravans, or even a horsebox. The 'KX-2' models upwards feature Self-levelling suspension amongst their standard specification. This feature means that the vehicle height automatically adjusts depending on how many people or how much luggage has been loaded in order to improve driving stability. This is also used to assist when towing trailers, keeping the vehicle level despite the additional weight of the trailer/caravan.







## Eye-catching style

Our engineers and technicians have put immense effort into the new Sorento to ensure you enjoy it for many years to come. Just take a look at the distinctive Kia 'tiger-nose' chrome grille, flanked by stylish LED daytime running lights, which significantly improve your visibility to oncoming traffic. Electrically folding, adjustable and heated door mirrors with LED indicators and stunning new design alloy wheels create a sophisticated yet contemporary look. Stylish mouldings connect the front and rear to promote stability and utility.





## Inner beauty

Featuring the highest quality materials and ergonomically designed to ensure the ultimate in driver comfort – key ingredients for an exhilarating yet relaxed driving experience. Soft-touch materials are used throughout the cabin to create a contemporary feel. Chrome accents further add to the stylishness of the cabin and are featured on the instrument dials while certain grades have ambient lighting on the front centre console and door trims to guide you at night. To help keep your new car in pristine condition, aluminium door scuff plates are standard from the 'KX-2' upwards also featuring the benefit of front illumination on the 'KX-3'.



# State-of-the art Technology

Wherever you are heading the new Sorento will get you there in style. There's a CD player with USB/AUX ports enabling you to play your favourite music from virtually any source with the media access ports, which feature an auxiliary connector (for analogue devices) and a USB port for flash drive. The quality six speaker set-up increases to a 10-speaker system including centre speaker, external amp and sub-woofer on the 'KX-2 Sat Nav' upwards. Audio information is displayed on the high tech 4.3" LCD Colour Touchscreen and can be conveniently and safely operated via the steering wheel mounted controls.



**1. Bluetooth®** with voice recognition and music streaming is a sophisticated communication and safety feature. Use it to make telephone calls conveniently with the hands-free voice activated function. You can even play music wirelessly via your mobile 'phone or Bluetooth® enabled device.

**2. 7" Touchscreen satellite navigation system with European mapping & Traffic Messaging Chanel ('KX-2 Sat Nav' upwards)** Integrated into the centre fascia the system has full UK postcode recognition and includes other useful features such as a Traffic Management Chanel and Points of Interest.

**3. Dual automatic air conditioning with ioniser** Both the driver and front passenger can control the automatic air conditioning system to suit their preferred temperature preference. For added passenger comfort, rear air ventilation provides greater air temperature control creating a more comfortable environment.

**4. Advanced reversing camera system ('KX-2' upwards)** As soon as you put your car into reverse gear, the 4.3" LCD colour Touchscreen (on the 'KX-2') or the 7" Touchscreen (on the 'KX-2 Sat Nav' upwards) changes to give you a clear view of what's behind – making parking safer and easier. The display screen features superimposed graphic lines which help to guide you smoothly into a parking space. The reversing camera is also a useful feature when you're hitching up a trailer.

**5. Engine Start/Stop Button with Smart Entry System ('KX-3')** The convenience of this feature makes searching for keys a thing of the past. Simply carry the smart key in your pocket or bag and it will be recognised by the car on your approach. To unlock the door, simply push the button on the door handle - far more convenient when carrying bulky items.



**Speed and multifunction LCD full colour display ('KX-3')** The stylish LCD digital colour instrument cluster displays key vehicle information including vehicle speed, engine speed, temperature and fuel level in crystal clear clarity.







## Panoramic sunroof ('KX-3')

Flooding the cabin with light, the panoramic sunroof extends to cover both front and rear passengers but can be screened in both areas via the one-touch electric roll blind which blocks the sun if required. Alternatively, slide the sunroof open (electrically of course) to fill the cabin with fresh air. The front glass panel features an electric tilt-and-slide section incorporating an anti-pinch safety function for added flexibility, ventilation and comfort - all at the touch of a button.



# The epitome of comfort

The generously sized front cabin boasts front legroom of 1,048 mm, 985 mm second row legroom and 804 mm of third row legroom. The Sorento's luggage capacity - when all seats are folded - is 1,530 litres, making it one of the most capacious cars in its class. Even with all seven seats occupied, you'll find a host of creative ideas including front and rear door storage and a centre console storage box. The second row seating for example features reclining backrests and a centre armrest making even long journeys more comfortable.

**1a. Heated front seats ('KX-2')** The new Sorento comes with premium features including the luxury of heated front seats designed to provide optimum driver and front passenger comfort even on cold winter days. On the 'KX-3' the outer rear seats are heated too.

**1b. Ventilated and power adjustable front seats ('KX-3')** Air blown through the cushion and the back of the driver and front passenger seats help to keep the occupants cool in warmer weather conditions. The 8-way electrically adjustable driver's seat makes finding the optimum driving position a breeze as the driver can adjust their seating position (via the slide, recline, height or lumbar support functions). Set and memorise up to two drivers' seating positions. The passenger seat has the benefit of a 4-way power adjustable seat which slides electrically.

**2. Heated steering wheel ('KX-3')** For maximum driver comfort in cold weather, the 'KX-3' model provides a heated steering wheel which is operated via a switch mounted on the steering wheel. To prevent overheating there is an auto-off function after 30 minutes of operation.



# Uncompromised safety credentials

Your safety is our top priority. The new Sorento boasts an all-new lightweight platform featuring a high-rigidity bodyshell for enhanced crash safety. A host of active safety features include a new active bonnet system which reduces pedestrian head injury rates. In the event of a collision, the bonnet rises up to provide a second layer of protection helping to prevent impact with engine parts and reducing risk of injury in the event of an accident.

**1. Hill-start Assist Control (HAC)** When starting on a steep hill, HAC prevents you rolling backwards. Brake grip is maintained for two seconds until the accelerator is activated.

**2. Electronic Stability Control (ESC)** If you have to brake suddenly, ESC applies the correct amount of brake pressure to each individual wheel, helping you maintain control and stability.

**3. Cornering Lights** When driving at night and when the steering wheel is turned to the left or right, the cornering lights automatically turn on to illuminate potentially hazardous

blind spots, allowing the driver better visibility of either pedestrians or roadside obstructions. In addition, the range topping 'KX-3' benefits from a Xenon adaptive front lighting system with auto levelling. Controlled by the steering wheel and vehicle speed, this system actively lights the way around curves in the road to improve vision at night.

**4. Flex Steer ('KX-3')** Flex steer allows you to choose between 3 modes of steering – select either 'comfort' to make light work of city driving, 'normal' or 'sport' mode for even more responsive steering.



### Six airbags

The Sorento range is fitted with six airbags as standard: twin front, twin side and curtain airbags (with roll-over sensor) which inflate when necessary and have finely tuned sensors providing enhanced protection against chest, pelvic and head injuries in the event of a collision or rollover.

The front seats feature active headrests too, so in the event of an impact, the headrests move forwards and upwards to help prevent whiplash neck and head injuries. All 7 seats are fitted with 3-point seatbelts, whilst ISOFIX child seat top tethers and anchor fixings are fitted as standard in the rear to protect younger passengers.

### Super-strong structure

The new Sorento chassis features 25% ultra-high-tensile steel plates to enhance the structural strength of the vehicle whilst keeping the overall weight to a minimum. The result is high torsional stiffness, which not only increases front, side and rear impact protection if a collision occurs but also benefits handling, ride quality and overall refinement. In addition, the new Sorento has one of the largest front brake discs in its class – the increased brake disc sizes at the front and rear provide optimal braking performance and reduced braking distances in any road condition.





## Exhilarating drive

The new Sorento leaves conventional SUVs by the wayside. In every day, urban driving conditions its impressive ride and handling is smooth, responsive and agile. But take it off the beaten track and you can really experience its Intelligent All-Wheel-Drive (AWD) capabilities and power. The new lightweight platform has a positive effect on increasing fuel consumption and lowering CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. Active ECO Driving mode is available on the automatic transmission models, which helps to achieve up to 9% better fuel economy.

The suspension structure has been improved – the MacPherson struts and multi-link set up at the rear of the car remain the same but the sub-frames supporting the suspension are new, stronger designs which dampen vibrations. The addition of high performance dampers as a standard feature provides a greatly enhanced ride in terms of comfort and stability.



# DRIVING DYNAMICS

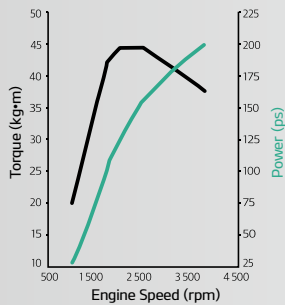
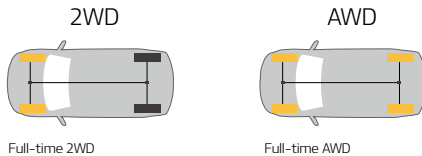
All new Sorento models incorporate Intelligent All-Wheel-Drive (AWD) technology. This means in normal driving conditions, the vehicle remains in standard 2WD mode to boost fuel economy but faced with more adverse driving conditions the Intelligent AWD system anticipates the need for greater traction and automatically engages.

The AWD system intervenes seamlessly, transferring power between the front and rear wheels to adapt to challenging driving conditions at high speeds or on difficult surfaces. Whether you're changing lanes on wet motorways or tackling rough winter terrain, the sophisticated AWD system provides the necessary control to help you manoeuvre safely.



# Superior power, performance and efficiency

Whether you're touring country roads, heading off-road or cruising city streets, the Sorento's state-of-the-art 2.2 litre diesel, fuel-efficient engine will get you there effortlessly by providing a responsive and smooth driving experience. All models are available in a choice of 6-speed manual or automatic (except the range topping 'KX-3' which is available as an automatic only) and all feature 7 seats, offering the ultimate in flexibility.



## 155 g/km CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS

The new Sorento introduces significant improvements in the efficiency of its 2.2 litre CRDi (diesel) engine via a new exhaust gas re-circulation system which delivers class-leading fuel-efficiency and low CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from just 155 g/km (6-speed manual models).

**1. 6-speed automatic transmission** This automatic transmission provides smooth, seamless gear changes and improved fuel efficiency. Its Sportmatic® design allows you to choose between automatic and clutch-free manual gear change for a sportier driving experience.

**2. 6-speed manual transmission** This manual gearbox provides hands-on control, excellent acceleration and smooth, fuel-efficient gear changes.



# Open up a world of new possibilities

The 'KX-2' models upwards come with an additional feature of a luggage net amongst their standard specification which is a neat and simple way to keep loose items secure in the boot. When it is not needed, the net can be folded away and stored in the underfloor storage compartment.







Partial 3<sup>rd</sup> row folding



3<sup>rd</sup> row folding



Partial 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> row folding



2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> row folding

## 7 seats for maximum flexibility

The spacious and flexible interior of the new Sorento is a rare blend of functionality, luxury and style made possible by partial or full-row seat folding including 60:40 split-folding second row seats and 50:50 split folding third row seats to provide comfort for all passengers but also the convenience and practicality of transporting bulky items.



**Steering wheel remote controls** Conveniently located to ensure you keep your eyes on the road, the audio system remote controls let you adjust the volume, skip tracks, switch between modes and mute sound.



**Ambient lighting ('KX-2' upwards)** LED lighting in the front console and around the door trims emits a subtle red glow to create a warm ambience inside the cabin, adding to the overall luxurious feel of the interior.



**Smart key ('KX-3')** The smart key unlocks the door the moment you touch the handle so that you never have to worry about searching for keys.



**Luggage area load cover** With retractable spring-loaded operation, the luggage area load cover is a sensible way to keep your personal belongings under cover. It is a practical way to shield stored items from direct sunlight and deter prying eyes.



**Centre console** A re-designed centre console features more flexible cup holder spaces with a retractable lid, a large armrest storage compartment and an additional tray for small items including keys or coins.



**Rear cup holder** Passengers in the rear will appreciate the twin cup holders conveniently located in the rear centre armrest.



**Door map pocket** Maps and documents can be stored within easy reach of the driver and front passenger. The pocket also has a recess to keep bottles upright when you're on the move.



**Glovebox with illumination** The spacious glove compartment can be locked for keeping personal items and is illuminated for convenience especially at night.



# Sorento accessories

If you want to make your new Sorento more tailored to your needs, here's a selection of extra options you can add.

For a full listing of all new Sorento accessories available please contact your local Kia dealer or log onto [www.kia.co.uk](http://www.kia.co.uk) for details



**Xtender 739 ski & snowboard carrier** To ease loading and unloading, the carrier can be extended sideways so that clothes and car need not come into contact. Capable of carrying up to 6 pairs of skis or 4 snowboards.



**FreeRide 532 bike carrier** Fast and simple loading and unloading, with quick-lock frame holder, smart wheel holders and adjustable quick-release straps. T-Bolt adaptor kit is required for genuine aluminium cross bars.



**Aluminium cross bars** Sturdy, lightweight aluminium cross bars are purpose-made for the Sorento's roof rails. Easy installation and removal. They protect the roof from damage, and meet City Crash test standards.



**Mirror covers** Eyecatching chrome-look mirror caps complement other chrome styling elements.



**Tailgate trim line** A stylish enhancement in chrome-look stainless steel.



**Cargo separator, upper frame and vertical split** Secure separation of passengers, pets and cargo items. Fitting the interior contours perfectly, it is easy to install or remove and can be used with the trunk mat and trunk liner. Grid spacing ensures good visibility for the driver.

# The final touches

All Sorento models are available in a choice of at least four elegant colours – Clear White (solid), Midnight Black (Metallic), Bright Silver (Metallic) and Glittering Metal (Metallic). The 'KX-2' upwards adds a choice of a further colour option called Golden Beat (Metallic) whilst the range topping 'KX-3' is also available in White Pearl (Metallic). There's a paint colour to suit every taste.

To create a luxurious feel, premium materials are used throughout the new Sorento range with a total of three interior trim upholsteries each designed to complement the exterior design. Sorento 'KX-1' comes with a stylish black cloth upholstery, 'KX-2' and 'KX-2 Sat Nav' come with the luxury of black leather\* upholstery whilst the range-topping 'KX-3' in Midnight Black or Glittering Metal exterior colours offers the choice of either black or cream leather\* upholstery. The Sorento range boasts stylish alloy wheels amongst its standard specification – 17" alloy wheels are standard on the 'KX-1', 'KX-2' and 'KX-2 Sat Nav' models whilst the range topping 'KX-3' boasts 18" alloy wheels.

## Exterior Body Colours



Clear White



Midnight Black



Bright Silver



Glittering Metal



Golden Beat



Snow Pearl White

## Wheels



17" alloy wheel



18" alloy wheel

For detailed information about tyre labelling on the new Sorento range log onto [www.kia.co.uk](http://www.kia.co.uk)

## Interior Trims



Black Cloth ('KX-1')



Black Leather (from 'KX-2')



Cream leather ('KX-3') exterior colour dependent

Some parts of the leather upholstery contain faux leather.

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## ENVIRONMENTALLY YOURS

Kia Motors takes great pride in rising to meet the expectations and challenges of the 21st century while making tangible contributions to the preservation of the environment and sustainable development of society. Kia Motors has set up an environmental research centre to spearhead the company's drive in the production of less polluting hybrid and fuel-cell vehicles, investing in eco-friendly cars for a greener tomorrow.



Kia Motors Corporation is committed to surpassing customer expectations through continuous automotive innovation. By offering our customers products and services that exceed expectations, we enable them to lead energetic lives. Kia's line-up of dynamically designed, high quality cars and world-class service offerings ensure that our customers are enthusiastic about coming back to Kia - again and again.

The concept of eco-friendly cars is followed through all cycles of a vehicle's life. From design through to recycling, Kia Motors creates innovative products, ensuring state-of-the-art Design for Recycling (DfR) guidelines. Wherever possible, recycled and recyclable materials are used in the production of Kia cars, all major plastic parts being chosen for ease of disassembly and stamped with a composition code.

Even at the end of a vehicle's life, one of Kia Motors' environmental targets is the eco-friendly take-back and treatment of End-of-Life Vehicles. Operating a rigid process, Kia Motors has selected partners across Europe that guarantee environmental protection in the treatment of harmful waste substances. These are then recycled or recovered, ensuring the highest level of environmental protection. Kia Motors (UK) Ltd has appointed autogreen as our partner to manage the take-back, treatment and recycling of End-of-Life Vehicles in accordance with Directive 2000/53/EC. They can provide advice on whether or not your vehicle qualifies for free take-back and the location of your nearest take-back facility.

## DYNAMIC EVOLUTION

Driven by innovation: A solar-powered car, a water-fuelled car, a self-navigating "smart" car. No longer are these figments of the imagination but one day could be parked in your garage. Kia researchers are working around the clock to create the ultimate driving solutions with the safest, easy-to-drive and environmentally friendly features.

Kia's Namyang R&D Centre in Korea and our overseas research and design facilities in the USA, Japan and Germany are combining efforts to develop new vehicles that satisfy the diversified needs of each region of the world. By ushering in a new generation of cars that feature high impact-durability frames, on board "datainfotainment" systems and fuel efficient, lightweight and high-powered engines with reduced emissions and noise, Kia will spearhead automobile innovation in the 21st century.

## COMPLETE PEACE-OF-MIND

At Kia, our quality promise extends beyond the factory floor. We want to ensure you always get the best service possible. Our pioneering 7 year warranty reflects this commitment. This warranty is also transferable so that if in the future you decide to sell your Kia Sorento, the new owner will benefit from the remainder of the warranty provided the car is regularly maintained in accordance with the servicing schedule\*.

### 7 year vehicle warranty

Every Kia Sorento benefits from our pioneering 7 year/100,000 mile vehicle warranty\*.

### 5 year paint warranty

High quality body paint ensures long-lasting protection and shine for your new Kia Sorento which is covered by our 5 year/100,000 mile paint warranty\*.

### 12 year anti perforation warranty

Your new Kia Sorento comes with superior corrosion protection and a 12 year/unlimited mileage warranty against rust from the inside out\*\*.

### Financing

Your local Kia dealer is your partner in establishing a financing plan that's best suited to your needs. Ask for details.

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\*\*Annual bodywork inspection required for which a charge may apply.

The official fuel consumption figures in mpg (l/100 km) for the Kia Sorento range are between Urban: 31.7 (8.9)-38.2 (7.4), Extra-Urban: 51.4 (5.5)-56.5 (5.0), Combined: 41.5 (6.8)-47.9 (5.9). The official CO<sub>2</sub> emissions for the Kia Sorento range are between 155 - 178 g/km.

The official fuel consumption figures in mpg (l/100 km) for the Kia range of vehicles are between Urban: 26.6 (10.6) - 80.7 (3.5), Extra-Urban: 41.5 (6.8) - 94.2 (3.0) and Combined: 34.4 (8.2) - 88.3 (3.2). The official CO<sub>2</sub> emissions for the Kia range of vehicles are between 195-85g/km.

CO<sub>2</sub> emissions based on data available at time of going to print (December 2012).



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