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The name's the same as before but that's where the similarities end.

From a long line of famous Civics comes a new model with a distinctive European style – a low, wide, sporting stance that speaks volumes



for performance and wind-cheating economy.

Never before has Civic Hatchback looked so good, offered so much performance or promised so much sheer driving pleasure.

It's a total car designed to out-perform the competition, out-handle the best and built to standards of excellence and attention to detail that could only be Honda.

It's a sports car, it's a small



family sedan, it's a station wagon... It's anything and everything you want it to be and more.



A Car For Drivers

Slip behind the wheel, adjust the steering column, set your seat to exactly the position that suits your style and you'll feel an immediate sense of control, of oneness with the car that will increase as you drive it.

Power Plus

The 1.5 litre engine delivers amazing power through its compact, 12 valve cross-flow design and a level of flexibility rarely if ever equalled before.

Sporty 5 Speed Or Hondamatic

The five speed standard gear box is smooth and provides ideally spaced ratios for any driving style. The optional Hondamatic transmission features a petrol saving overdrive ratio that includes a torque convertor lock-up system to give you the added economy of a manual gear-box at highway cruising speeds.

Road Taming Suspension

Suspension is all new with torsion bars at the front and a trailing link type beam system at the rear. Negative offset, anti-dive front geometry and anti-lift rear geometry produce remarkable stability under brakes.

Aerodynamics With Real Purpose

The built-in air-scoop above the rear window does much more than add a touch of style. It channels air down over the window to keep it



cleaner. Wind noise is kept to a minimum and aerodynamic efficiency maximised by the use of bonded glass,



recessed door handles and much more.

Comfort, Quality, Convenience

Inside Civic Hatchback the level of appointment and quality is quite remarkable.

Driver controls and information systems are placed perfectly and all round vision is excellent. The rear seat, split at its centre, folds down to provide greatly increased

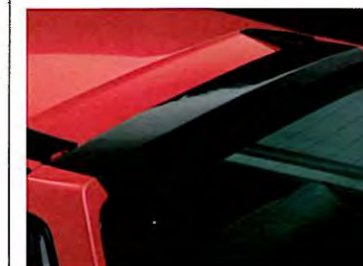
luggage space and direct access to the hatchback. At first sight, new Civic Hatchback promises driving pleasure beyond compare. The promise comes true the minute you drive Civic and increases with time.

Airconditioning For Safety And Comfort

Although most of the features that you pay extra for in other cars are standard appointments in Civic Hatchback, you should consider Honda's fully integrated optional air-conditioning system.

It provides dry, cooled or warmed air at the touch of a button to make driving in almost any conditions more comfortable and safer too.

You'll find the demisting system, already highly efficient, is vastly improved with Honda Airconditioning.



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Optional Honda alloy wheels fitted to this model.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

ENGINE	Liquid-cooled, OHC, four-stroke, in-line four cylinder, transverse mounted. Front wheel drive.
DISPLACEMENT	1488 cc
BORE & STROKE	74 x 86.5mm
COMPRESSION RATIO	8.7:1
HORSEPOWER	85 ps/6,000rpm
TORQUE	12.8 kg-m/3500rpm
TRANSMISSION	5-speed manual or 3-speed Hondamatic with lock-up.
STEERING	Rack and pinion with steering column height adjustment.
SUSPENSION	Front: Independent with torsion bar and strut. Rear: Trailing arm beam axle with Panhard rod and coil springs.
BRAKES	Hydraulic, power-assisted, discs front. Hydraulic, power-assisted drums, rear.
TYRES	165/70 SR-13 steel belted radials.
L x W x H	3810 x 1635 x 1340mm.
WHEELBASE	2380mm
TRACK	Front - 1400mm Rear - 1415mm
GROUND CLEARANCE	165mm
FUEL CAPACITY	45 litres
CURB WEIGHT	825kg (Man.) 840kg (Hondamatic)
TURNING RADIUS	Body 4.9m

MAJOR FEATURES

- ▲ Instrumentation: Speedometer, odometer, trip meter, fuel gauge, water temperature gauge, warning lights for high beam, alternator, hazard lights, oil pressure, choke, brake fluid, parking.
- ▲ Full flow ventilation with side window demisting. ▲ Electric wiper/washer system on front and rear. ▲ Electric rear window demisting. ▲ Direct control driver's door mirror. ▲ AM/FM radio.
- ▲ Fully reclining front seats with head restraint. ▲ Split folding rear seat.
- ▲ Hatchback release from driver's seat.
- ▲ Cigarette lighter. ▲ Sunvisors.
- ▲ Coin tray. ▲ Quartz halogen headlamps.
- ▲ Laminated windscreen. ▲ Steel belted radial ply tyres. ▲ Rear parcel shelf.
- ▲ Tilt adjustable steering.
- ▲ "Headlight on" reminder.

OPTIONS

- ▲ Hondamatic transmission with lock-up.
- ▲ Year-round, fully integrated air-conditioning.

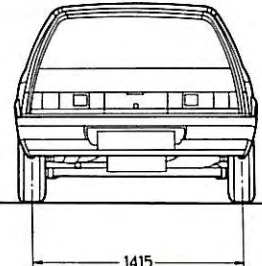
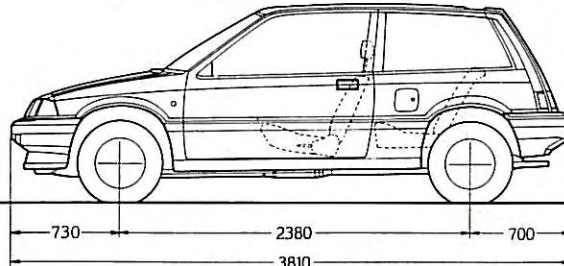
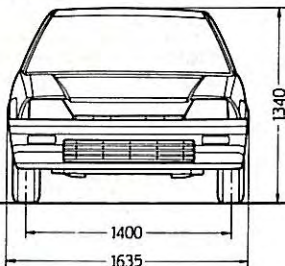
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COLOURS
Select your Civic from the range of colours available. Due to shipping and freight uncertainties, both colour and model availabilities may vary from time to time. Check with your Dealer for current information.

ACCESSORIES & OPTIONS

There is a large range of factory-approved options available for your Civic. They provide you with extra comfort, convenience and safety.

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