



## ASTRA CONVERTIBLE

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**This is the life.** The new Astra Convertible and Astra Convertible Turbo have it all. They couple elegance with power. Match performance with practicality. These are the convertibles that will meet your desires. You can expect true sports performance with the Lotus-tuned sports suspension combined with your choice of either a 2.2 litre DOHC ECOTEC engine or an enthusiastic 2.0 litre turbo charged engine. And that's just the beginning. Don't be surprised if these new Astra Convertibles steal your heart.



## ASTRA CONVERTIBLE



**First impressions.** With the help of Bertone, every inch of the Astra Convertible has been designed to charm. The renowned Italian design house lent their expertise to give the convertible its unique combination of sports and elegance. Even Astra Convertible's soft-top roof functions with a distinctive flair, its remote control key enables opening and closing from outside with the touch of a button. While 16 inch alloys and sleek flowing lines ensure a striking appearance – roof up or down. So you will enjoy driving your Astra Convertible every day, rain or shine.





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**The place to be.** This is where you'll be spending your time – and you won't want to leave. Astra Convertible's interior was designed to delight, so all of its luxuries come as standard. Generously appointed, it boasts all leather trim and heated leather sports seats in the front, so that endless hours of driving pass in complete comfort. Classic sports car touches, such as black instrument dials with chrome rings, make the Astra Convertible elegant to the last. The CD player comes to life through its premium 6-speaker Blaupunkt sound system. And audio controls are conveniently mounted on the steering wheel, so you can adjust and change music without taking your hands off the wheel, or your mind off the road.





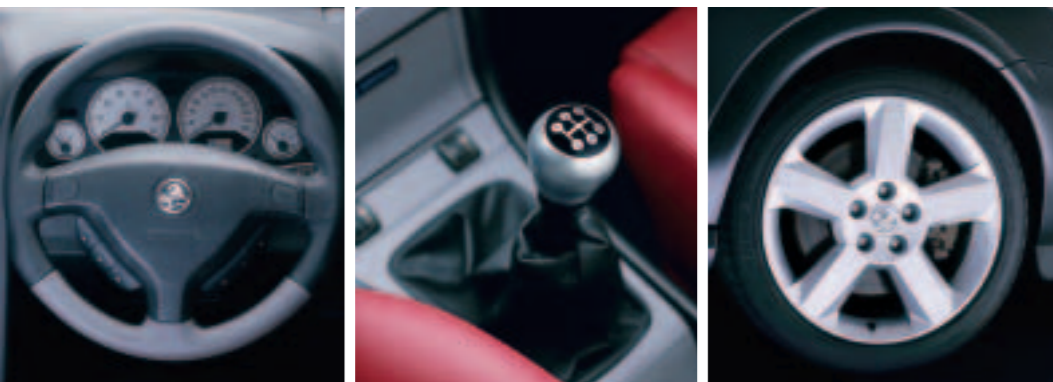
**Little details that make all the difference.** In the Astra the attention to detail is exquisite. Handbrake button and interior door handles are all chrome detailed. Complemented perfectly by a gunmetal grey centre console and tinted glass windows all round. The standard Astra Convertible offers 5-speed manual transmission or, if you prefer, a 4-speed automatic is optional. Electronic climate control, power windows, remote central locking and cruise control all come as standard. And a high-resolution multi-function display will keep you fully informed with functions including trip computer for driving range, fuel consumption and the average fuel economy.



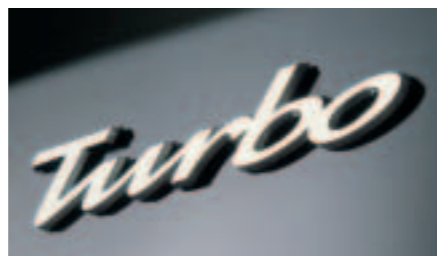
**At the heart of comfort.** Even wind disturbance is powerless to interrupt the pure exhilaration of driving your Astra Convertible. Its steeply raked windscreen cleverly directs airflow over and away from passengers, and an innovative wind-break can be easily fitted when the rear seats are unoccupied. Even with the roof down you can face cold winter mornings with confidence. Astra Convertible's front sports seats quickly heat to the temperature of your choice, while rear foglamps and twin halogen front foglamps provide superb visibility. For your utmost convenience, the exterior mirrors are fitted with electric heaters. And if the roof is up there's even a demister on the rear window. Astra Convertible also features sophisticated electronic climate control air conditioning ensuring that the cabin environment is always inviting. One drive in an Astra Convertible and you'll know comfort is a priority.



## ASTRA CONVERTIBLE TURBO



**The Astra Convertible Turbo redefines the sports convertible category.** The thrill of a turbo and the sheer enjoyment of a convertible. The Astra Convertible Turbo offers a spectacular turbo charged 2.0 litre, DOHC 4 cylinder engine that delivers 147kW of power and 250Nm of torque between 1950 and 5600 rpm. In addition to the features found in the standard Convertible you will also find 17" alloy wheels, a sports steering wheel with perforated leather-wrap rim, white instrument dials with chrome rings and grey surround, a stylish aluminium gearshift knob, Turbo badging and Turbo lettering on the door sill plate that all perfect the distinctive Bertone profile. With electronic climate control air conditioning and sumptuous leather interior in your choice of black or red, passenger comfort is never in doubt. And what better way to enjoy the thrill of the Turbo than with the electrically operated remote control roof down.





**Spacious and smart.** Astra Convertible's soft-top exemplifies innovation and function. Set in motion with its remote control key, or by a touch of a button on the console, it opens and closes in around thirty seconds. Watch from a distance as windows retract and the soft top folds away, your Astra Convertible will always be ready to go when you are. The soft-top's triple layer construction provides enhanced protection from the Australian elements. And its rear window is fitted with scratch-resistant heated glass as an added measure. The Astra Convertible seats four in comfort while its 330 litre boot provides ample room for luggage.



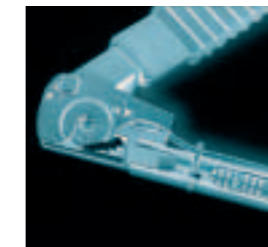




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**Your safe haven.** An unwavering dedication to quality and function is obvious in each and every one of Astra Convertible's standard safety features. The latest generation **Anti-lock Braking System (ABS)** and **Traction Control** combined with a state-of-the-art **Electronic Stability Program (ESP)** provide improved driving control. ESP instantly recognises critical situations, then helps to keep you in control by adjusting and regulating engine torque, and applying braking to individual wheels. Astra Convertible also boasts a ground-hugging stance and self-stabilising chassis to further promote agile handling and a superior hold on the road. In the event of an accident, rollover protection is provided by reinforced A-pillars in the front, and specially designed steel head restraint frames in the rear. In case of a serious frontal

collision, front **driver and passenger airbags** are at the ready. As are front **side impact airbags** that help reduce the risk of injury in a serious side collision. A **pedal release system** is also standard which lessens the risk of injuries to the driver's lower legs and feet. **Pyrotechnic seat belt pre-tensioners** take up seat belt slack early in a moderate collision thereby minimising forward motion.



The Astra Convertible gives you the confidence to drive. Holden adds to that a sense of security with Holden SmartChoices.

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A NEW ASTRA CONVERTIBLE



## FEATURES

	CONV.	CONV. TURBO
<b>POWERTRAIN</b>		
2.2 litre, DOHC 16 valve ECOTEC 4 cylinder engine.	S	
Turbo charged 2.0 litre, DOHC 16 valve ECOTEC 4 cylinder engine.		S
5-speed manual transmission.	S	S
4-speed automatic electronic control transmission. Selects neutral at idle when brake pedal applied to save fuel. Economy, Sport & Winter mode.		O
<b>MECHANICAL</b>		
Electro-hydraulic rack & pinion power steering.	S	S
4-wheel power disc brakes, front ventilated.	S	S
Anti-lock Braking System (ABS). Four sensor/four channel.	S	S
Traction Control (TC).	S	S
Electronic Stability Program (ESP).	S	S
Sports suspension.	S	S
Double-isolated front suspension, using subframe. Tuned by Lotus.	S	S
Compound torsion beam & trailing arm rear suspension. Tuned by Lotus.	S	S
<b>WHEELS</b>		
16" x 6.0" alloy wheels. 205/50 R16 87V tyres. (Alloy spare wheel.)	S	
17" x 7.5" alloy wheels. 215/40 ZR17 87Y tyres. (16"Steel spare wheel.)		S
16" x 6.0" alloy wheels. 205/50 R16 89V tyres. (Four wheels only.)		H
Tyre valve cap tool located behind fuel filler flap.	S	S
<b>EXTERIOR</b>		
Glass rear window	S	S
Body colour bumpers.	S	S
Headlamps & tail lamps tinted dark.	S	S
Foglamps, front.	S	S
Headlamp guards.	A	A
Bonnet protector.	A	A
Moulded mudflaps front & rear.	A	A
Bertone badge on body side & lettering on door sill plate.	S	
Bertone badge on body side.Turbo lettering on door sill plate.		S
Body colour mirrors.	S	S
Body colour door handles.	S	S
Body colour bodyside mouldings.	S	S
Body colour side skirts.	S	S
Foglamps, rear.	S	S
Polished stainless steel exhaust extension.	S	S
Licence plate frames, standard height or slimline.	A	A
Anti-corrosion: Fully zinc galvanised body & panels. Bodyside dip-primed electrostatically.	S	S
<b>DRIVER</b>		
Steering wheel height & reach adjust.	S	S
Leather wrap steering wheel rim.	S	
Sports steering wheel with perforated leather wrap rim.		S
Electric remote control mirrors. Heated glass with auto off.	S	S
Intermittent wipers.	S	S
Electric rear window demister. Auto off.	S	S
Cruise control.	S	S
Headlamp level adjust, electric.	S	S

	CONV.	CONV. TURBO
Variable instrument dimming.	S	S
Tachometer.	S	S
Multi function display: Time. Date. Audio settings. Outside temperature. Ice warning - visual.	S	S
Warning lamps include: Alternator. Oil pressure. Check engine. Low fuel. Handbrake on or low brake fluid. Fasten seat belt reminder at engine start.	S	S
Trip computer, including: Trip distance. Average speed. Fuel used on trip. Instant economy. Average economy. Distance to empty. Stopwatch.	S	S
Warning messages include: Engine coolant level. Windscreen washer fluid level. Front brake pad wear. Brake lamp fail. Head/tail lamp fail.	S	S
Audible warning if headlamps left on. Service reminder.	S	S
<b>SOUND SYSTEM</b>		
Blaupunkt AM/FM stereo electronic tune radio. Seek. Preset station scan.	S	S
Compact disc player (single disc).	S	S
Multi function display includes: Radio band/Presat station number. Frequency. CD function.	S	S
Speed dependent volume control.	S	S
Sound system remote controls on steering wheel.	S	S
Six premium quality speakers. Total 80 watts.	S	S
<b>SEATING</b>		
Seat trim in black leather.	S	S
Seat trim in red leather. (No extra cost. Exterior colour dependent.)	O	O
Heated front seats.	S	S
Sports front seats.	S	S
Driver & front passenger seat height adjust.	S	S
Driver & front passenger seat adjustable lumbar support.	S	S
Padded front seat head restraints. Height adjust.	S	S
Driver & front passenger airbag (full size).	S	S
Driver & front passenger side impact airbags.	S	S
Pyrotechnic front seat belt pre-tensioners. Lower belt mounts on seat frame for consistent fit when seat moved forward or back.	S	S
Front seat belt force limiter, controls maximum force on chest.	S	S
Brake & clutch pedals release in serious frontal collision.	S	S
Anti-submarining ramps in all seats reduce risk of sliding under seat belt in a collision.	S	S
All seat belts retracting lap/sash.	S	S
Easy entry to rear seat. When front seat back is folded forward, seat cushion also slides forward. Memory for return to previous cushion slide position.	S	S
Rear seat centre armrest.	S	S
Windscreen pillars reinforced by high-strength steel tubes. Additional roll-over protection with steel rear head-restraint frames.	S	S
Child restraint anchor fitting for rear seats.	S	S
Power window auto reverse safety function.	S	S
<b>CABIN COMFORT</b>		
Wind-break.	S	S

	CONV.	CONV. TURBO
Electric soft top. Includes remote operation from radio frequency remote control key or via button on centre console.	S	S
Heating/ventilation system includes pollen filter.	S	S
Rear outlet vents.	S	S
Electronic climate control air conditioning.	S	S
Power windows, front & rear. Express down. Additional central button to operate all windows at once.	S	S
Centre console in gunmetal grey. Aluminium look manual gearshift knob. Chrome handbrake button.		S
Centre console in gunmetal grey. Aluminium gearshift knob. Chrome handbrake button.		S
Black instrument dials. Chrome rings. Black surround. White instrument dials. Chrome rings. Grey surround.	S	S
Chrome interior door handles.	S	S
Cigarette lighter, illuminated. Ashtrays front & rear.	S	S
Interior lighting auto off when ignition switched on. Auto off timer if engine remains off, to protect battery.	S	S
Colour-keyed carpet.	S	S
Carpeted floor mats, tailored.	A	
Carpeted floor mats with Turbo lettering.		S
Tinted windows.	S	S
<b>STORAGE, CARGO</b>		
Cup holders. Total 4. Two in glovebox door, one in each front door.	S	S
Split level glovebox for smaller items. Pen holder. Lamp.	S	S
Centre console storage tray.	S	S
Compartment in centre console.	S	S
Driver's side storage compartment.	S	S
Storage bin in each front door.	S	S
Fold-down rear seat centre 'ski' hatch for long loads.	S	S
Carpeted boot.	S	S
Lamp in boot.	S	S
Lockable glovebox.	S	S
<b>SECURITY</b>		
Radio frequency remote control key operates: Interior lighting. Central locking for keyless entry. Door deadlocks. Boot or tailgate. Fuel filler door. Key opens/closes soft top when button kept pressed.	S	S
Key has rolling security code.	S	S
Driver can close all power windows by holding key in 'lock' position in door.	S	S
Engine immobilised automatically when key removed from ignition. Ignition lock cylinder 'freewheels' if anything other than correct key is inserted.	S	S
Audible warning if key left in ignition.	S	S
Door lock in driver's door only. Lock cylinder 'freewheels' if anything other than correct key is inserted.	S	S
Audio display in multi function display separate from sound system unit to deter theft. Security PIN coding.	S	S
<b>ROAD SAFETY</b>		
Warning triangle for roadway.	A	A
First aid kit.	A	A

## SPECIFICATIONS

	2.2 ECOTEC ENGINE		2.0 TURBO ENGINE	
<b>ENGINE</b>	Four cylinders. Double overhead camshafts operate four valves per cylinder. Sequential multipoint fuel injection. Distributorless direct ignition system. Electric cooling fan. Variable intake manifold. Coil-at-plug ignition. Cylinder selective knock control. Electronic throttle control.		Aluminium cylinder head.	
	Aluminium cylinder head & block. Twin balance shafts.		Turbocharger with intercooler.	
BORE x STROKE (mm)	86.0 x 94.6		86.0 x 86.0	
CAPACITY (cc)	2198		1998	
COMPRESSION RATIO (:1)	10.0		8.8	
POWER (ECE, kW)	108 @ 5800rpm (PULP)		147 @ 5600rpm (PULP)	
TORQUE (ECE, Nm)	203 @ 4000rpm (PULP)		250 @ 1950 – 5600rpm (PULP)	
<b>GEAR RATIOS (:1)</b>	Manual	Auto	Manual	
1st	3.58	3.67	3.58	
2nd	2.02	2.10	2.02	
3rd	1.35	1.39	1.35	
4th	0.98	1.00	0.98	
5th	0.81		0.79	
Axle	3.95	2.81	3.63	
<b>RECOMMENDED PETROL OCTANE</b>	91 RON (ULP). Alternative 95 RON (PULP) for slightly higher performance.		95 RON (PULP)	
<b>FUEL ECONOMY (L/100km*)[mpg]</b> (Roof up)	Manual	Auto	Manual	
City	9.0 [31.3] (PULP)	9.5 [29.7] (PULP)	8.5 [33.2] (PULP)	
Highway	5.8 [48.7] (PULP)	6.2 [45.5] (PULP)	6.4 [44.1] (PULP)	
<b>PETROL TANK (L)</b>	52			
<b>BRAKES</b>	4 wheel disc brakes. Front ventilated.			
			Larger front disc.	
<b>ANTI-LOCK BRAKING SYSTEM (ABS)</b>	4-channel.			
<b>TRACTION CONTROL</b>	When sensors detect imminent driving wheel spin, engine torque is reduced. If one wheel is about to spin, braking is applied to transfer torque to wheel with better traction.			
<b>ELECTRONIC STABILITY PROGRAM (ESP)</b>	Via several sensors, ESP recognises critical driving situations and helps the driver retain control over the vehicle by regulating engine torque and applying the brakes of individual wheels.			
<b>SUSPENSION</b>	Front	Independent.MacPherson strut. Gas pressure dampers. Coil springs. Stabiliser bar.		
	Rear	Compound torsion beam & twin trailing arms. Progressive rate miniblock double conical coil springs. Gas pressure dampers.		
<b>STEERING</b>	Electro-hydraulic power rack & pinion steering.			
<b>TRACK (mm)</b>	Front	1464	1467	
	Rear	1452	1456	
<b>TURN CIRCLE (m)</b>	10.3 kerb to kerb.		10.9 kerb to kerb.	
<b>WHEELBASE (mm)</b>	2606			
<b>DIMENSIONS (mm)</b>	Length	Width	Height	
	4266	1709	1390	
	(Mirrors) 1967			
<b>INTERIOR DIMENSIONS (mm)</b>	Front	Leg	Shoulder	Head
	Rear	1085	1338	960
		856	1092	940
<b>CARGO VOLUME (L)</b>	Rear seat up (to top of seat back) 330			
<b>KERB WEIGHT (Est. kg)</b>	1393		1429	
<b>SERVICE</b>	1500km (at no cost) inspection, then every 15,000km or 12 months, whichever comes first. Holden Retailer 'Tech 2' computerised analysis available for engine management system. Spark plug replacement every 60,000km. Cartridgeless paper oil filter. Audible disc pad replacement warning.			

S: Standard feature.

O: Option.

H: Option from Holden By Design.

A: Accessory.

\*Fuel consumption figures based on AS2877 tests. These figures are provided to assist you in comparing the fuel consumption of Astra Convertible with other vehicles. The actual fuel consumption will depend, however, on many factors, including your driving habits, the prevailing conditions and your vehicle's equipment, condition and use.



Star Silver



Breeze Blue



Chianti Red



Europe Blue



Carbon Black

**Make it yours.** Give Astra Convertible the perfect finishing touch with a colour scheme you love. Select the stunning exterior finish that best suits your personality. Then (depending on which colour you choose) match it with Astra Convertible's superb leather interior trim. You'll never look back.



BLACK



RED

Convertible Exterior colours	Leather trim	
	BLACK	RED
Star Silver	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Breeze Blue	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Chianti Red	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Europe Blue	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Carbon Black	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Turbo</b> Exterior colours		
Star Silver	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Carbon Black	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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