



Real driving comfort is within the reach of every American family with the 1986 Plymouth Reliant K. The Reliant K's front-wheel drive design, contemporary styling and six-passenger comfort deliver midsize driving benefits at a compact price.

The Reliant K LE, in two-door, four-door and wagon models, is the flagship of the Reliant K line, with features unmatched in its price class.

The Reliant K LE's many standard luxury features include an AM stereo*/FM stereo radio with integral digital clock, deluxe intermittent windshield wipers, cloth with vinyl trim front bench seat with center armrest, a map/reading light, and special sound insulation.

And every 1986 Plymouth Reliant K is protected by the excellent Five-Year/50,000-Mile Protection Plant

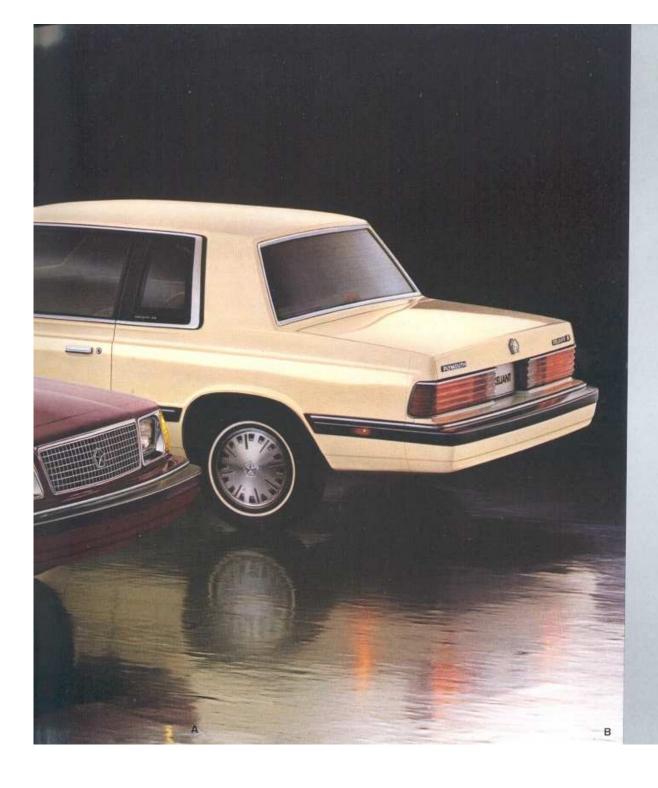
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- A. Reliant K LE four-door with standard 14-inch sport wheel covers and black sidewall tires, shown in Radiant Silver.
- B. Reliant K LE two-door with standard 14-inch sport wheel covers and black sidewall tires, shown in White
- C. Reliant K LE four-door with standard 14-inch sport wheel covers and optional white sidewall tires; shown in Ice Blue.









Sharp looks and smart value go hand-in-hand in the 1986 Plymouth Reliant K SE. The midpriced Reliant K SE comes in two-door, four-door and wagon models with the standard 2.2-liter single-point electronically fuel injected engine and five-speed closeratio manual overdrive transaxle. A new, higher torque 2.5-liter EFI engine with dual balance shafts is available on Reliant K SE and LE models.

The Reliant K SE has crisp styling, a sizable 15-cubic-foot trunk, and interior seating for six adults. All this plus Chrysler Corporation's 5/50 Protection Plan,* the industry's standard. You'll also want to check out the added value and convenience of the Reliant K Optional Equipment Discount Packages for real savings on the most popular options. See page 52 for details.

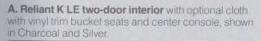
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A. Left: Reliant K SE four-door with standard 13-inch deluxe wheel covers and optional white sidewall tires, shown in Garnet Red Pearl Coat.

B. Right: Reliant K SE two-door with standard 13-inch deluxe wheel covers and optional white sidewall tires, shown in Light Cream.



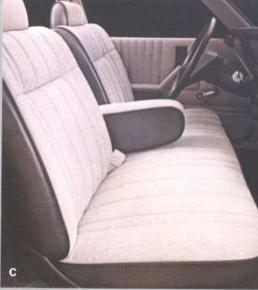
Only Chrysler human engineering could make a car as spacious, comfortable and wonderfully functional as the 1986 Plymouth Reliant K. The Reliant K LE interior gives you cloth with vinyl trim upholstery, the added quiet of special sound insulation, and a locking glove box. When you consider the hours you spend driving, Plymouth Reliant K offers the comfort you deserve.



- B. Reliant K LE instrument panel with standard AM stereo*/FM stereo radio with integral digital clock, intermittent wipers; fuel level, engine coolant temperature and voltage gauges; trip odometer, low oil pressure warning light, fuel economy shift indicator light (with manual transaxle), and parking brake warning light. Shown in Medium/Dark Blue 1.
- C. Reliant K SE wagon interior with standard cloth with vinyl trim bench seat with center armrest, shown in Silver and Charcoal.
- D. Rellant K LE two-door interior with standard cloth with vinyl trim split-back bench seat with center armrest, shown in Medium/Dark Blue.†

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Medium/Dark Blue not available on wagon models.



The enduring popularity of Plymouth Reliant K results from a tradition of giving car owners more for their money. More interior room, more comfort, more performance and more standard features. Compare Reliant K with any car in its class. You'll discover more value in the 1986 Plymouth Reliant K.

In addition to its big six-passenger interior and 15-cubic-foot trunk, Reliant K comes standard with front-wheel drive, rack-and-pinion steering, single-point electronically fuel injected 2.2-liter engine, five-speed close-ratio manual overdrive transaxle, dual-path Iso-Strut front suspension, and more.

It's a real comfort to know your new Reliant K is protected by Chrysler Corporation's 5/50 Protection Plan* You can count on Chrysler protection and the 1986 Reliant K.

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- A. Reliant K two-door with standard 13-inch wheels with hubcaps and optional white sidewall tires, shown in Dark Cordovan Pearl Coat.
- B. Reliant K two-door interior with optional cloth with vinyl trim bench seats, shown in Cordovan.
- C. Reliant K four-door with optional 13-inch deluxe wheel covers and optional white sidewall tires, shown in Gold Dust.







Here's the family room you need, the 1986 Plymouth Reliant K LE and SE wagons. Both have six-passenger seating and 34.9 cubic feet of cargo space (67.7 cubic feet with the rear seat folded down).

Reliant K LE and SE wagons offer standard deluxe intermittent windshield wipers and a liftgate-ajar warning light.

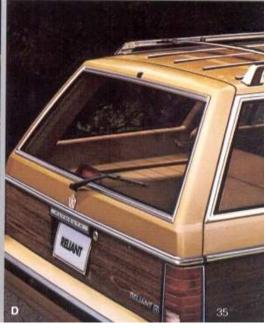
The highline Reliant K LE wagon adds an electronically tuned AM stereo*/FM stereo radio with integral digital clock, power-assisted rack-and-pinion steering, dual remote control outside mirrors (black), cargo area tonneau cover, and bodyside/liftgate woodtone applique (may be deleted for credit). There's also the extra performance of the new optional 2.5-liter EFI balance shaft engine.

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- A. Reliant K SE wagon with optional 14-inch sport wheel covers and optional white sidewall tires, shown in White
- B. Reliant K LE wagon with standard 14-inch sport wheel covers, optional white sidewall tires, and a wide liftgate for easy loading, shown in Gold Dust.
- C. Reliant K SE wagon interior with standard cloth with vinyl trim center armrest bench seats, adjustable head restraints, and attractive vinyl door trim panels with carpeted lower trim, shown in Almond.
- D. Reliant K LE wagon with optional rear window wiper/ washer and defroster, and roof luggage rack, shown in Gold Dust.







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Reliant K Features

The continuing refinement of Chrysler Corporation technology has made the Plymouth Reliant K one of the industry's most enduring success stories. Today's Reliant K has clean, attractive, and aerodynamically efficient styling that glides through the wind, thanks to extensive wind tunnel testing.

Like every Chrysler-built car, the Reliant K is rust-protected with extensive use of galvanized steel and a seven-step dip-and-spray process, followed by a coating of urethane plastic to the lower body panels to protect against chipping. Gleaming acrylic paint and a final crowning touch of clear finish coat provide protection and a gleaming shine.

Built with today's most advanced computer-aided design and manufacturing technology, Reliant K just keeps getting better and better every year. And that means outstanding automotive value for you.

- A. Wind tunnel testing was used in designing Reliant Ks attractive shape which slips through oncoming wind.
- B. Computer-aided design (CAD) technology helped create Reliant K's trim exterior, with room inside the two-door and four-door models for six passengers and 15 cubic feet of trunk space.

Reliant K Options

Add the extra value and convenience of these attractive options* to your Reliant K. You'll also want to see page 52 for a look at the extra savings of Plymouth's Optional Equipment Discount Packages. The most popular Reliant K options have been combined to bring you substantial extra value for your option dollar.

- A. Air Conditioning! keeps your car's climate cool and comes with adjustable bi-level ventilation.
- B. Black Outside Left and Right Remote Control Mirrors offer the driver optimum rear and side visibility (standard on Reliant K LE wagon).
- C. Tilt Steering Column adjusts to your most comfortable driving angle. (Automatic speed control required Not available on base Reliant K.)
- D. AM Stereo+/FM Stereo Radio: Electronic tuning; volume control; treble control; bass control; left/right balance control; two- or four-speaker sound; front/rear balance control; ten-station preset (five AM and five FM); integral digital clock.
- E. Automatic Speed Control, an accurate microprocessor-driven device that maintains a set speed to aid long-range driver comfort and mileage, is conveniently mounted on the standard steering column multifunction control lever. (Not available on base Reliant K.)
- F. Three-Speed TorqueFlite Automatic Transaxle comes with floor-mounted shifter and console when ordered with bucket seats: column-mounted shifter with standard bench seats. Full-Length Console includes storage bins, cup holder and coin holder (or cassette storage if ordered with optional cassette player-oquipped sound system).

Wheel Covers and Treatments include: G1. Deluxe 13-inch wheel covers (standard on SE models). G2. Sport 14-inch wheel covers (standard on LE models). G3. Cast aluminum 14-inch road wheels (not available on base models). For specific availability on each Ballant K model, see page 60.

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RELIANT K STANDARD AND OPTIONAL FEATURES

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|---|------------|------------------------|----------|------|-----|
| Air Conditioning1-Manual bi-level (tinted glass required; bower steering required at extra cost with 2.5-liter EFI engine) | Ε | E | E | E | E |
| Alternator—90-ampere | S | S | S | S | S |
| armrest-Door: with integral pull handles | S | S | S | S | S |
| sh Receivers—One front; two rear | S | S | S | S | S |
| lattery-335-ampere: maintenance-free | S | S | S | S | S |
| Battery Test Indicator—Integral with all batteries | S | S | S | S | S |
| Brake-Parking: foot-pedal | S | S | S | S | S |
| Brakes—Dual diagonal: vented disc front, self-adjusting frum rear: power-assisted | s | S | s | S | S |
| Bumpers-Energy-absorbing; with color-keyed soft ascia; integral bumper protective rub strips | s | s | s | s | S |
| Carpeting-Cargo compartment | NA | NA | NA | S | S |
| Carpeting—Passenger compartment | S | S | S | S | S |
| | S | S | S | NA | NA |
| Carpeting—Trunk, well floor Cigar Lighter | S | S | S | S | S |
| | P | S | S | S | S |
| Clock-Electronic digital: integral with all radios Clutch-With automatic free-play adjuster: self-adjusting | S | s | s | s | S |
| inkage | S | S | S | S | S |
| Coat Hooks-Rear | | - S | | - S | S |
| Coolant Overflow Reservoir | S | _ 0 | _ 0 | | - 0 |
| Corrosion Protection—Urethane protective coating on lower body panels; extensive use of galvanized steel | S | | | | S |
| Defroster—Rear window: electric (required on all sedans registered in New York state) | E | E | E | E | E |
| Door Locks—Power (Popular or Premium Equipment Discount Package required) | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Door Release Handle—Interior: easy-open, with integral rocker-type lock/unlock system | S | <u>S</u> | S | S | S |
| Electronic Ignition, Voltage Regulation and Fuel Injection | S | 2 | - 0 | | - 0 |
| Emissions Control and Testing—California (required on all vehicles registered in California; not available otherwise) | E | E | E | E | E |
| Engines and Systems—See Power Train Chart | S | S | S | S | S |
| Front-Wheel Drive | 2 | _ 2 | _ 5 | _ 0 | _ 0 |
| Fuel Tank-14-gallon; with curbside fuel filler door and fuel cap tether | S | | S | | S |
| Glass-Tinted: all windows (air conditioning or Popular Equipment Discount Package or Premium Equipment Discount Package required) | E | E | E | E | E |
| Grille-With center Pentastar: bright and argent | S | S | S | S | S |
| Head Restraints-Right and left: adjustable | S | S | S | S | S |
| Headlight Bezels-Bright | S | S | S | S | S |
| Headlights-Halogen | S | S | S | S | S |
| Headliner-Cloth-covered: color-keyed | S | S | S | S | S |
| Heater and Defroster-With bi-level ventilation | S | S | S | S | S |
| Hood-Counterbalanced | S | S | S | S | S |
| Hood Release-Inside | S | S | S | S | S |
| Horn-Single note | S | S | NA | S | NA |
| Horns-Dual note | NA | NA | S | NA | S |
| Instrumentation—Electrical system voltage, engine coolant temperature, fuel level gauges; low oil pressure warning | | | Harr | | S |
| light; trip odometer | S | S | S | S | - S |
| Insulation—Hood pad | S | SP | S | S | S |
| Insulation-Special sound | NA_ | management outstanding | <u>S</u> | | S |
| Latches—Door: shielded to minimize freezing | S | S | - 0 | | |
| License Plate Bracket—Front; standard in states where required | NC | NC | NC | NC | NC |
| Light-Cargo space: liftgate ajar warning | NA | NA | NA | S | S |
| Light-Trunk | NA | S | S | - NA | NA |

| Lights—Backup; dome; front door dome light switches; seadlight/dome switch; parking brake warning; shift ndigator light (manual transaxle only); side marker with reflectors | S | s | s | | s |
|--|-------|-----|--|-------|-------------|
| Lights-Cigar lighter; ignition switch; illumination with ime delay; under hood | NA | NA_ | S . | NA_ | S |
| Lights—Glove box; map/reading, with swivel feature; rear door light switches (four-door and wagon models) | NA | S | S | _ s | S |
| Lock-Glove box | S | S | S | S | S |
| Luggage Rack—Roof-mounted: includes crossbars and tie-down loops | NA | NA_ | NA | E | E |
| Mirror-Exterior, left manual: black | S | NA_ | NA | NA | NA |
| Mirror-Exterior, left remote control: black | Р | _ S | S | S | NA |
| Mirror-Interior, passenger side visor vanity | S | NA_ | NA | NA NA | NA |
| Mirror-Interior, passenger side visor vanity with map/reading light: swivel feature | NA | S | S | S | S |
| Mirror-Interior, rearview: day/night | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mirrors-Exterior, dual remote control: black | NA | P | P | P | S |
| Molding-Bodyside, narrow: black | S | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Molding-Bodyside, wide: black with argent stripe and bright insert | NA | s | S | S | S |
| Moldings—Bodyside bumper rub strip extensions front and rear; black with black insert and argent stripe (rear bright insert not available on wagons) | NA | - s | s | s | s |
| Multifunction Steering Column Control Lever-Includes controls for headily at dimmer, windshield wipers/washers, turn signals with lane-change feature and daytime | s | S | S | S | S |
| flash/pass feature | | | | | |
| Paint-Upper door frames: black (included with woodtone applique delete option on LE wagon) | NA | S | S | S | CO |
| Quarter Window Trim-Modular: black with bright and black moldings; vehicle name display (two-door only) | NA | S | S | . NA | NA |
| Radio-AM: electronic tuning; integral digital clock | P | S | NA | S | NA |
| Radio—AM stereo?/FM stereo: electronic tuning; four- speaker sound; integral digital clock | E | E | S | E | s |
| speaker sourio, integral vegina toeck Radio—AM stereo?/FM stereo, premium: electronic tuning; seek-and-scan; Dynamic Noise Reduction (ONR) ³ ; cassette player with automatic reverse; four-speaker sound; integral digital clock | NA NA | E | E | E | E |
| Seat-Bench: cloth with vinyl trim | E | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Seat-Bench: vinyl | S | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Seat-Bench: with center armrest; cloth with vinyl trim | NA | S | S | S | S |
| Seat-Bench: with center armrest; vinyl | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Seats—Bucket, low-back; with reclining seatbacks: cloth with vinyl trim (console included) | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Seat Belts—Unibelt, with tension reliever and automatic release: color-keyed | S | S | S | S | S |
| Speed Control—Automatic | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Steering-Rack-and-pinion: manual | S | S | S | S | NA |
| Steering—Rack-and-pinion: power-assisted (required with air conditioning when 2.5-liter engine is ordered) | E | E | E | E | S |
| Steering Column-Tilt (automatic speed control required) | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Steering Wheel-Deluxe: two-spoke | S | S | NA | S | NA NA |
| Steering Wheel-Luxury: two-spoke, color-keyed | NA | NA | S | NA NA | S |
| Suspension—Heavy-duty: heavy-duty springs front and rear; gas-charged front struts and rear shock absorbers | E | E | E | E | E |
| Suspension—Iso-Strut with coil springs, linkless antisway bar; rear beam axle with trailing arms, coil springs and | s | S | S | S | S |
| Shock absorbers | S | - S | S | S | S |
| Tire-Spare, compact: high pressure, limited service Tire-Spare, conventional (not available on SE wagon with | | | The state of the s | | Charles and |
| 2.2-liter engine and five-speed transaxle) | E | E | E | E | S |
| Tire Tread Life Wear Indicator | S | S | S | S | - 9 |
| Tires-P175/80R13 steel-belted radial black sidewall (set of four) | S | s | NA | S | NA |
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| RELIANT K FEATURES | | | | | Reliant K LE Wagon |
|---|----|----|-----|-----|-----------------------|
| Tires-P175/80R13 steel-belted radial narrow white sidewall (set of four) | E | E | NA | E | NA |
| Tires—P185/70R14 steel-belted radial black sidewall (set of four; optional 14-inch cast aluminum road wheels or 14-inch sport wheel covers required on SE models) | NA | E | _ S | E | |
| Tires—P185/70R14 steel-belted radial narrow white side- wall (set of four; 14-inch cast aluminum road wheels or 14-inch sport wheel covers required) | NA | E | E | _ E | E |
| Tonneau Cover-Rear | NA | NA | NA | P | S |
| TransaxleSee Power Train Chart | | | | | |
| Trunk Dress-Up | NA | Р | S | NA | NA |
| Wheel Covers-Deluxe, 13-inch (set of four) | Р | S | NA | S | NA |
| Wheel Covers-Sport, 14-inch (set of four) | NA | E | S | E | S |
| Wheel Trim-Hubcaps (13-inch wheels only; set of four) | S | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Wheels—Road, 14-inch: cast aluminum (set of four; 14-inch tires required) | NA | E | E | E | E |
| Windshield Wipers-Deluxe: with intermittent wipe | Р | S | S | S | S |

 Anti-theft trunk lock - Backup lights - Brake fluid pressure loss warning light (also serves as indicator when parking brake is applied) - Combination lap-shoulder belts for the driver and right front passenger; lap belts for all other passengers - Dual braking system with separate brake fluid reservoirs in the master cylinder - Energy-absorbing front seatbacks - Energyabsorbing instrument panel and sun visors • Energy-absorbing steering column or steering wheel • Fade-resistant front vented disc brakes . Front seat head restraints . Hazard-warning flasher system . Ignition and steering column lock . Impact-actuated

POPULAR EQUIPMENT DISCOUNT PACKAGE (Not available on base model or with manual transaxie) - AM stereo */FM stereo radio, electronically tuned; integral digital clock** - Automatic transaxie - Bodyside tape stripe (woodfone delete option required on LE wagon)* - Dual outside remote control mirrors: black** - Liftgate wiper/washer (LE wagon only) - Power-assisted steering* - Rear fonneau cover (SE wagons only)** - Special sound insulation** - Tinted glass, all windows* - Trunk dress-up (SE sedans only)** BASIC EQUIPMENT PACKAGE (Available on base model only)* - AM radio, electronically tuned; with integral digital clock** - Deluxe intermittent windshield wipers* - Deluxe 13-inch wheel covers

| RELIANT K FEATURES | Reliant K | | | Reliant K SE Wagon | Reliant K |
|---|-----------|----|----|-----------------------|-----------|
| Windshield Wipers-Two-speed: with electric washers | S | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Wiper/Washer System-Liftgate | NA | NA | NA | E | E |
| Woodtone Applique Delete—Delete woodtone applique on bodyside and liftgate upper perimeter moldings, bodyside molding tape extensions, door handle tape inserts and full wheel opening moldings; wide bodyside moldings and front and rear bodyside/bumper rub strip extensions remain (black door handle tape inserts, bodyside tape stripes and upper door frame blackout treatment included) | NA | NA | NA | NA | |
| Woodtone Appliques-Bodyside, liftgate | NA | NA | NA | NA | S |

S-Standard. E-Extra cost. NA-Not available. P-Package only. NC-No extra charge. CO-Credit option.

¹There are special engine cooling requirements for field-installed air conditioning. Failure to follow these requirements may invalidate warranty. See your dealer for details.

²Limited AM stereo reception may be experienced in some areas because some AM stereo broadcasting is not compatible with this radio's reception capabilities.

³ONR (Dynamic Noise Reduction) is a trademark of National Semiconductor Corporation.

Certain models, packages and options are subject to specific restrictions, requirements, or late availability. See your dealer for the latest ordering

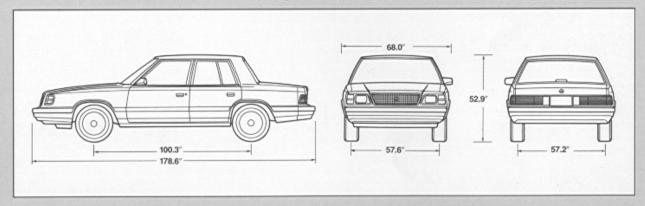
fuel supply shutdown relay • Inside and outside rearview mirrors • Key left in ignition warning • Liftgate-ajar warning light • Safety glass • Safety-Rim wheels • Seat belt reminder system • Seatback and station wapon interior panel safety latches • Seatback latches on folding front seats • Side door beams • Side marker lights and reflectors • Supplemental center highmounted stoplight • Turn signals with lane-change feature and daytime flash/pass feature

(set of four)§ • Mirror, left outside remote control: black§ PREMIUM EQUIPMENT DISCOUNT PACKAGE (LE models only; not available with manual transaxle) • All items in the Popular Equipment Discount Package plus: • Automatic speed control • Electric rear window defroster • Power door locks • Tilt steering column PROTECTION PACKAGE (Not available on base models) • Bumper guards, front and rear • Carpeted floor mats, front and rear: color-keyed5 • Undercoating5 NOTE: Radio and tires may be upgraded

* Limited AM stereo reception may be experienced in some areas because some AM stereo broadcasting is not compatible with this radio's reception capabilities.

1Standard on LE wagon.
\$1Standard on LE two-door and four-door sedans.
\$Available in package only.
\$1May be upgraded.

| | Two-Door | Four-Door | Wagon |
|---|-----------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Length | 178.6* | 178.6" | 179.0" |
| Width | 68.0° | 68.0" | 68.0" |
| Height | 52.5" | 52.9" | 53.2" |
| Wheelbase | 100.3" | 100.3* | 100.4" |
| Turning Diameter | 35.2' | 35.2' | 35.2' |
| Curb Weight (estimated) Base SE LE | 2,429 lbs | 2,415 lbs 2,445 lbs 2,486 lbs | 2,497 lbs 2,590 lbs |
| Trunk Capacity/Cargo Capacity with rear seatback up with rear seatback down | 15 cu ft | 15 cu ft | 34.9 cu ft 67.7 cu ft |
| Passenger Capacity | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Fuel Capacity | 14 gal | 14 gal | 14 gal |



| | 0 | Daniel Ottoba | Communica Datio | Horsepower | Torque | Transaxle Availability |
|--|--|---------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|--|
| Engine | Displacement | Bore & Stroke | Compression Ratio | SAE Net @ RPM | | iransaxie Availability |
| 4-cylinder OHC: standard all models | 2.2-liter EFI (135 CID) ² | 3.44" x 3.62" | 9.5:1 | 97 hp @ 5,200 | 122 lb-ft @ 3,200 | 5-speed close-ratio manual overdrive (2.20 OTGR): standard all models ³ 3-speed automatic (2.78 OTGR; 3.02 wagons): optional on all models |
| 4-cylinder OHC; not available base; optional on all other models | 2.5-liter EFI (153 CID) ^{2,4} | 3.44" x 4.09" | 9.0:1 | 100 hp @ 4,800 | 136 lb-ft @ 2,800 | 3-speed automatic (3.02 OTGR): not available on base; optional all other models |

OTGR—Overall top gear ratio. 1California Emissions Controls required on all vehicles registered in California, not available otherwise. 2Single-point electronic fuel injection. 3Includes shift indicator light. 4Includes 400-amp battery.

To be the best...what else is there? Lee h. Jacour