



Why is it that some cars

make you instantly feel at home?

As if it has been designed especially

for you? The answer is quite simple –

superb ergonomics. And the Passat

is a fine example.

The first things you'll notice are the shape and firmness of the seats. Their contoured and moulded design provides greater support to the spine for comfort, even on the longest journeys.

Once in the driver's seat,
you'll realise the second important
contribution of ergonomic design –
positioning. All the instruments
are clearly visible to provide fast
information and, likewise, all the
switches are where you intuitively
expect them, close at hand.

Ergonomic design is

complemented by aesthetic beauty.

Here you'll observe the illumination

of the instrument dials, where blue

lighting is complemented by red needles. The final visual touches to the Passat emphasise its high quality. Such as chrome-plated instrument surrounds and stylish, durable seat fabrics. The 'V' range features Alcantara/leather upholstery with aluminium or wood trim, while the new Passat W8 is upholstered in fine nappa leather with wood and interior chrome line trim.

Interior shown is V6 4MOTION with optional wooden steering wheel and gear knob, and navigation/radio system.



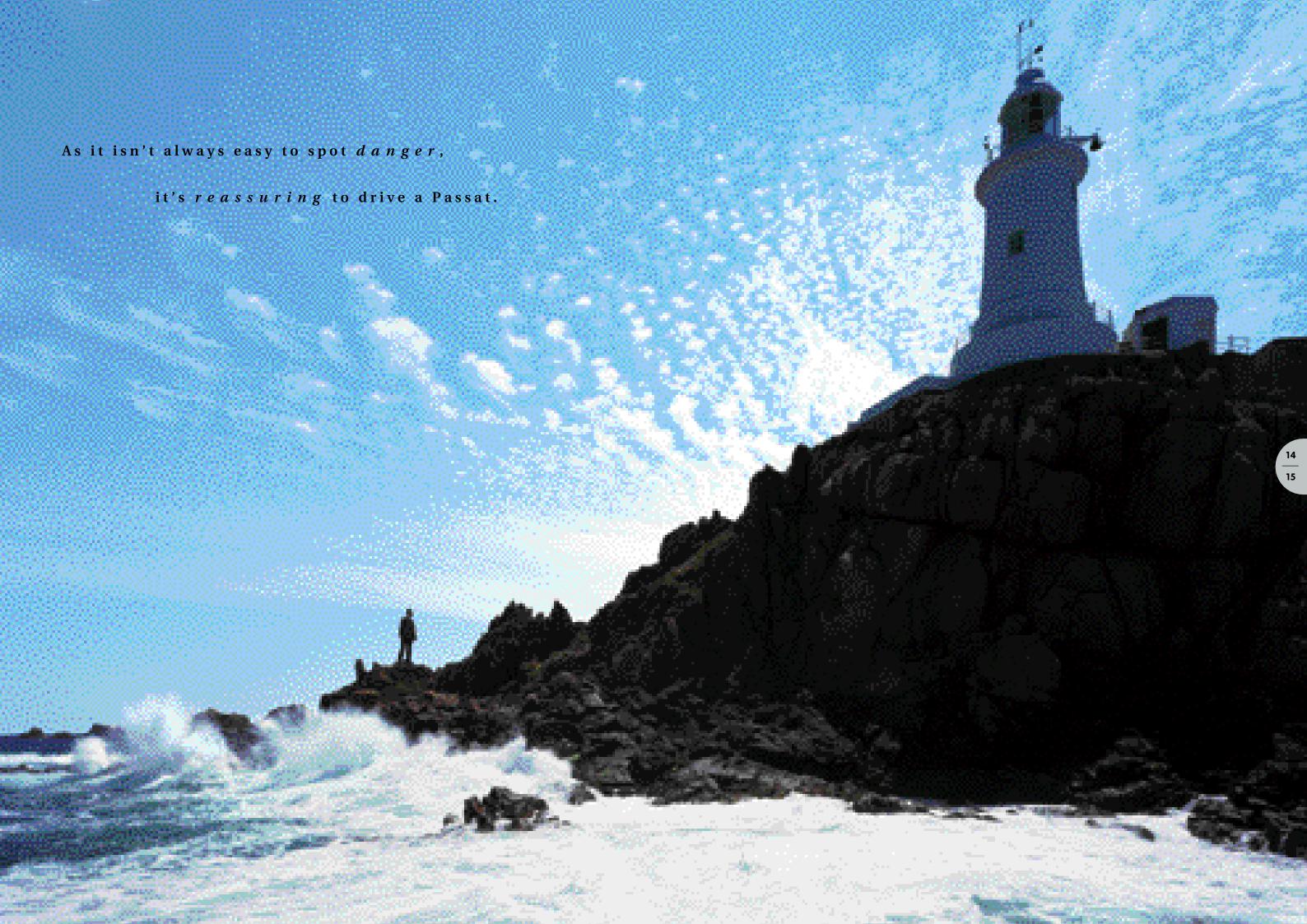
Ample space and contoured seats provide great comfort for rear seat passengers.



By adjusting the height of the driver's seat and length of the steering column, you can achieve the ideal driving position.



For SE models and above, lumbar support in the front seats is standard.





For someone who is daily
on the road, the one thing that
counts above all, besides comfort
and performance, is safety.
On the Passat a wealth of
notable safety features combine
to provide added protection.

To start with, there's a four link front axle, an integrated rear axle and additional stabilisers front and rear. The result is not just a smooth and comfortable drive, but also precise steering in and out of curves. With disc brakes all round, an Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) including Brake Assist System (BAS) and Electronic Brake-pressure Distribution (EBD), we've made sure that your Passat remains steerable when braking in most hazardous conditions.

Across the Passat model
range, an Electronic Stabilisation
Programme (ESP) is standard.
This intelligent system compares
the actual vehicle movement
with predetermined values.
If the system recognises a major
variation, it reacts by applying
the brakes to individual wheels
and automatically adjusting the
engine's power output helping to
correct oversteer, understeer and
loss of stability of the vehicle.

The ESP package includes

Electronic Differential Lock (EDL)

and Anti-Slip Regulation (ASR).

However, this additional safety feature is no excuse to drive recklessly because, despite its proven quality, ESP cannot dispense with the laws of physics.



The Electronic Stabilisation Programme

– ESP – helps to prevent losing control
in unstable driving conditions.

Driving a car is a great

responsibility – not just to the

environment and other road

users, but to yourself and your

passengers. Thankfully the Passat

provides valuable assistance.

In the unfortunate event
of an accident, the bodywork
is constructed with crumple
zones that are designed to
absorb impact energy. These
crumple zones help to protect
the inner survival cell and
reduce occupant injury.

The second most common accident involves side impact.

The Passat is, therefore, equipped with reinforced chassis columns, energy absorbing protection padding and side impact bars fitted in every door.

In addition to these safety
features, you and your passengers
are protected by six airbags.
Standard on every Passat are
two front and two side airbags
to protect the driver and front
seat passenger. Two additional
curtain airbags are fitted to
cushion both front and rear
seat occupants. These airbags
are situated overhead and cover
the front and rear side windows
to provide added protection
around the head.

For added comfort and safety, the front seat belts are height-adjustable. And the front and the three rear seat belts are three-point belts, fitted with pre-tensioners.



Two curtain airbags are fitted to provide added protection for both front and rear occupants.



ABS sensors constantly monitor all wheel movements.



The airbag safety system reacts in milliseconds.





The engine of today needs

to be highly accomplished to

provide a blend of smooth

acceleration, relaxed motorway

cruising, quietness of operation

and low fuel consumption\*.

All these virtues have been

taken into account when

developing the range of petrol

engines available for the Passat.

You can choose from
five petrol engines to suit
your performance and budget
requirements, starting with a
2.0 litre 130 PS\* or a 1.8 litre
20V Turbo 150 PS\* available for
the Passat S, SE and Sport models.

The Passat V5 is equipped with a powerful five cylinder
2.3 litre engine. Thanks to four valve per cylinder technology, it produces an inspiring 170 PS\* to deliver impressive all-round performance.

If it's performance you're seeking, consider the powerful 2.8 litre V6 producing 193 PS\* and capable of 148 mph (where law permits).



The smooth and powerful
V6 with 2.8 litre capacity.

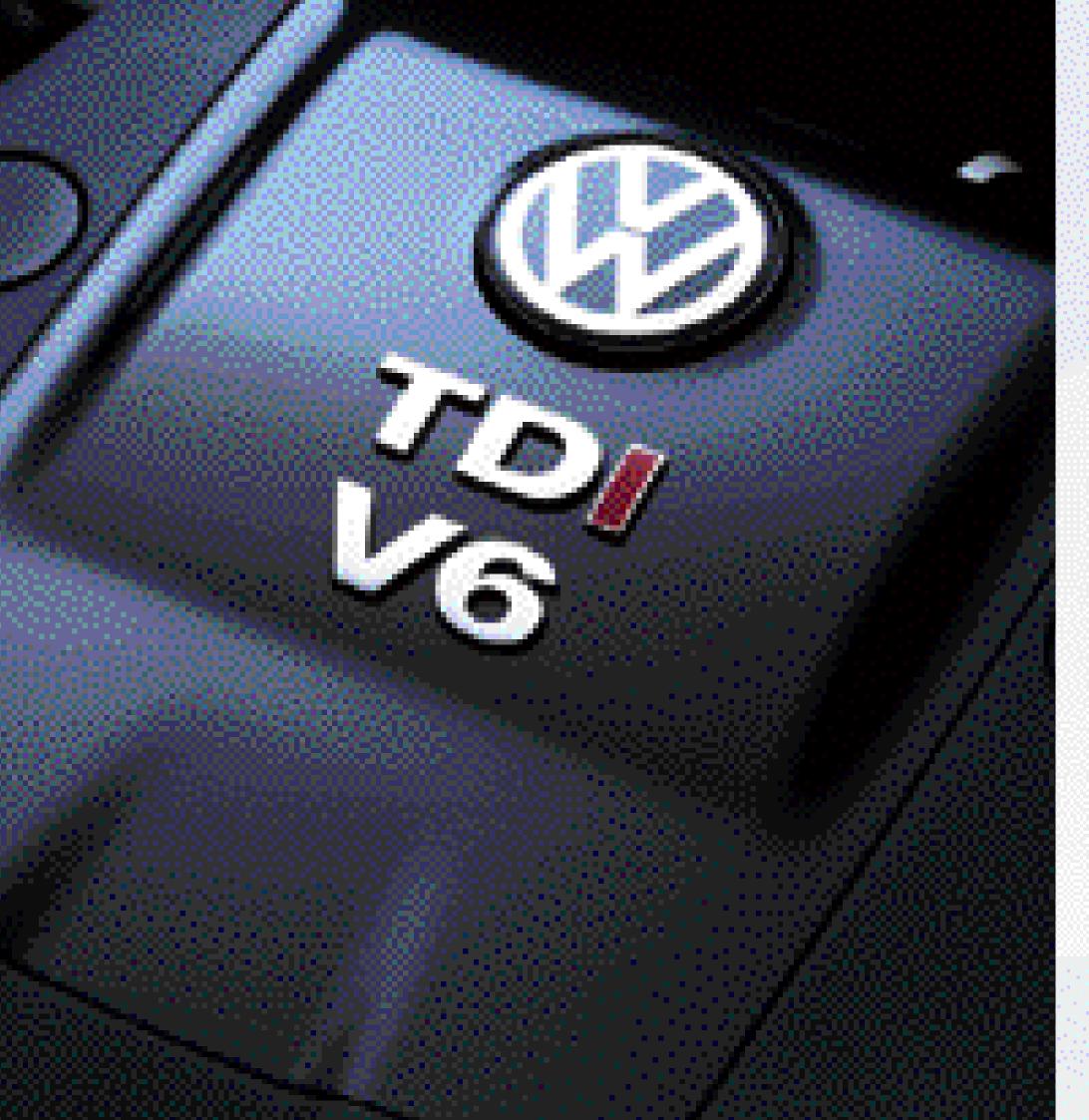
At the top of the petrol range sits the outstanding W8 with a mighty 275 PS\* output.

This 4.0 litre engine not only accelerates the Passat from 0 - 62 mph in 6.5 seconds, it cruises effortlessly and can reach 155 mph where the law permits. Equally impressive is the torque of the W8 – 370 Nm at just 2,750 rpm. This means plenty of pulling power, even at low engine revs.

The 2.8 litre V6 and
4.0 litre W8 are also equipped
with 4MOTION – a permanent
four wheel drive system. This
system allows the infinitely
variable distribution of the drive,
providing optimum traction
for most driving situations.

All petrol engines are
fitted with a five speed manual
gearbox (six speed on W8) and,
with the exception of the 2.0 litre
130 PS\*, the option of a five speed
automatic tiptronic.

\* Please see pages 62 and 63 for PS explanation and fuel consumption figures.



Few areas of automobile

technology have advanced as

much as Volkswagen's diesel

engines in the last few years. The

Volkswagen range is a perfect

example of how a modern diesel

can provide good performance,

smooth running and exceptional

fuel economy\*.

One of the reasons for

Volkswagen's fine range of diesels
is the introduction of the 'Pumpe
Düse' pump injection system. It
injects the fuel at extremely high
pressure, up to 2,020 bar, direct
into the combustion chamber.
In this way the energy can be
generated more efficiently,
boosting performance and
lowering fuel consumption.

Turbocharging has also been a key development in the increasing popularity of diesels, providing better performance and added torque, even at lower engine revolutions.

With the Passat, you have a choice of three TDI engines.

The S and SE models have two
1.9 litre diesels available,

generating 100 PS\* and 130 PS\*.

The 1.9 litre TDI PD 130 PS\* is

also available in the Passat Sport,
but with the added advantage

of a six speed manual gearbox

and increased torque.

On SE and Sport models, the 130 PS\* engine can be specified with 4MOTION technology, also taking advantage of the six speed manual gearbox.

The flagship Passat TDI

is powered by a lively 2.5 litre

V6 diesel that generates 150 PS\*.

Linked to a six speed manual

gearbox, it is capable of 0 - 62 mph

in 9.6 seconds and a top speed

of 137 mph, where the law permits.

Its fuel consumption is equally

impressive, as it can return

40.4 mpg over the Combined

fuel cycle\*.

Should you prefer an automatic transmission, you can choose a four speed version for the TDI PD 100 PS\* or a five speed tiptronic for the TDI PD 130 PS\* and V6 TDI.

\* Please see pages 66 and 67
for PS explanation and fuel
consumption figures.





The underlying philosophy of the Passat is quality. And this is clearly evident by its design, build and roadholding. It also ensures that your Passat will continue to provide you with

comfort and performance for

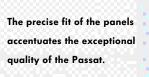
many years to come.

Such quality is partly
achieved through the design and
construction methods employed.
For example, large parts of the
body are manufactured in one
piece for extra strength. And
where parts are added, they
are attached using computer
controlled laser welding wherever
possible. Consider the addition
of cross and length supports and

it's easy to understand how the

Passat achieves its immense rigidity. Such strength has many benefits – it feels taut through corners, it has greater longevity and it helps protect the occupants in the event of an accident.

To help prevent corrosion,
the Passat is fully galvanised.
It's part of the reason why every
Passat is covered by a 12-year
body protection warranty for
added peace of mind.





Fulfil your expectations.





Interior shown is S.

# The Passat S.

Take a seat behind the
wheel of the Passat and you'll
soon appreciate its quality in
depth. The steering wheel is
adjustable for height and reach
which combines with the heightadjustable front seats to help

achieve an ideal driving position.

Sitting comfortably? Then look

around and savour the extensive

equipment, all fitted as standard.

Like electronic climate control,

electrically heated and adjustable

door mirrors, electric front

and rear windows, front head
restraints, three rear head
restraints with rear seat
centre three-point seat belt,
heat insulating tinted glass,
a multifunction computer and
a 'Gamma' radio/cassette player

with RDS, eight speakers and
a roof aerial. The list goes on
with a single CD player, power
steering, an alarm with interior
protection, remote control central
locking, an electronic engine

immobiliser, rear seat armrest, a remote interior fuel flap and boot opener, a lockable split folding rear seat backrest, an Electronic Stabilisation Programme (ESP) and a curtain airbag system.



Roof-mounted airbags help protect the head from injury during a side impact.

# The Passat SE.

With the Passat SE, you
gain a few more features for
your comfort and convenience.
Such as a dash-mounted six CD
autochanger, lumbar support for
the driver and front seat passenger
and a driver's centre armrest with
storage compartment.

The stylish interior of the

SE is furnished with sumptuous

'Leon' velour upholstery available

in either Black, Flannel Grey or

Beige, with leather covered steering

wheel, gear knob, gaiter (not auto)

and handbrake grip. Externally the

SE can be distinguished by 15 inch

'Wellington' alloy wheels and bodycoloured bumper strips and side

bump strips with chrome inserts.

Interior shown is SE.

Please note: The SE features a leather covered steering wheel, gear knob, gaiter and handbrake grip as standard.



The front centre armrest includes a convenient storage compartment.



'Wellington' 15" alloy wheels with 205/60 R15 tyres are standard on the SE.



The dash-mounted six CD autochanger provides hours of uninterrupted listening pleasure.



The body-coloured bumper strips and side bump strips with chrome inserts give a distinctive look.





Interior shown is Sport with optional perforated leather sports seats and navigation/radio system.

# The Passat Sport.

Sport, its exuberant character shows through. Its interior is trimmed with chic 'Primero' flock upholstery and includes supportive front sports seats complete with height adjustment and lumbar support.

There's a leather rimmed three-spoke steering wheel, plus an aluminium finish to the dash trim, ashtray lid and interior door handles.

Head out on the open road and you'll also notice a few other additions that add to

the appeal of the Passat Sport.

Like sports suspension, 16 inch
'Road America' alloy wheels,
rain sensitive windscreen wipers
and an automatic dimming
interior rear-view mirror.



A rain sensor regulates the speed of the wipers depending on the weather



'Road America' 16" alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 tyres are standard on the Sport.



The body-coloured bumper strips and side bump strips with chrome inserts add to the Sport's appeal.



# The Passat 'V' range.

The Passat 'V' range epitomises Volkswagen's fine engineering with a choice of three performance orientated engines. There's the V6 TDI which develops a healthy 150 PS to combine power with the exceptional fuel economy\* associated with diesels.

Or you could choose one of two superb petrol engines the V5 2.3 litre 170 PS or the V6 4MOTION 2.8 litre 193 PS. Whichever you choose, you won't be disappointed.

To complement these engines, the 'V' range provides a high level of specification. With Metallic or Pearl Effect paint and 17 inch 'Phoenix' alloy wheels as standard, the 'V' range is visually distinctive. Its exclusive appeal continues inside with Alcantara/leather seats, front and rear textile carpet mats, plus aluminium or wood trim across the dash, ashtray lid and interior door handles.

The V6 4MOTION benefits from a permanent four wheel drive system that allows the engine power to be transferred to the wheels with the best traction.

\* Please see pages 62, 63, 66 and 67 for fuel consumption figures.



Heated front seats and windscreen washer jets provide greater comfort over the winter months.



'Phoenix' 17" alloy wheels with 225/45 ZR17Y tyres are standard on the 'V' range.

Interior shown is 'V' range with optional navigation/radio system.

Power through harmony.

The new Passat W8.





# The Passat W8.

The Passat W8 is an all-round athlete – swift in acceleration, built for speed and designed for endurance. The heart of its capability is the eight cylinder 4.0 litre capacity engine that generates 275 PS and powers the car from standstill to 62 mph in just 6.5 seconds. Control and safety are paramount, hence the Passat

W8 is equipped with 4MOTION four wheel drive for the ultimate roadholding experience.

The Passat W8 possesses

that classic appeal – a style and
quality that avoids the fashion

cycle and distinguishes itself from

the competition. Such timeless
quality is evident throughout the

Passat W8 with the use of fine

nappa leather, wood inserts
and interior chrome line trim.

The sumptuous interior
reflects the quality that is inherent
throughout the Passat W8. It is
designed for both performance
and comfort right down to the
smallest detail with such features
as an electric memory pack and
cruise control as standard.

Interior shown is W8 with optional navigation/radio system and wooden steering wheel and gear knob.

Please note that the image shown does not include cruise control which is now fitted as standard to all W8 models.



Exclusive 'Madras' 17" alloy wheels are designed for both performance and aesthetic appeal.



Small, compact and light – results in tremendous performance with compact dimensions.



Twin exhaust tailpipes, both left and right, provide more than aesthetic enhancement.



your personal tastes - from Rock to Classical.

flexible settings, it can cater for

Digital Sound Processor (DSP)

a new dimension to your music

collection. Its pre-programmed

settings allow you to recreate

environments from a concert hall

to an intimate jazz club. And with

With DSP you will experience

The factory-fitted 'Delta' radio with DSP and

a single CD player is available as an option.

The system features an external

four channel 70 watt amplifier and

eight high performance speakers.

DSP is fitted in line with the radio

unit and processes all signals from

the radio, cassette or CD.

Please note the separate 'Delta' radio, DSP, navigation systems, dash-mounted six CD autochanger and single CD player are not available in conjunction with each other.

## In-car hi-fi

The sound systems in the Passat have been tailored specifically for Volkswagen. Typical of Volkswagen, we have chosen high specification units that deliver perfect sound.

The 'Delta' system allows you to combine the benefits of digital room simulations available on DSP with a single CD player in one unit. Please note that with this option a boot-mounted six CD autochanger replaces the dash-mounted six CD autochanger on models where fitted as standard.

The loudspeakers in a car are set at different distances from the listener. DSP smoothes out the subsequent imbalance, giving the impression of being 'in the heart of the music'.



The Digital Sound Processor creates the ideal listening environment, whatever your choice of music.

## Navigation systems

The combined satellite navigation and radio unit, with colour screen, offers route guidance via the display of road maps, route information, spoken instructions and visual arrow symbols in the centre of the instrument panel. Radio

functions and, if fitted, control of the six CD boot-mounted autochanger are also provided. The navigation CD reader is mounted in the top of the unit. Please note that the unit will only accept the navigation CDs and NOT audio CDs.



The navigation/radio system shows full colour maps to confirm your route.



Navigation, radio and CD player in one unit with monochrome screen.

Alternatively, you can choose the monochrome navigation system, radio and CD player in one unit. Route guidance is supplied via arrow symbols in both the unit and a display in the centre of the instrument panel, together with audible recommendations. The CD slot can be used for music CDs when the navigation system is not

in use. In addition, this system will also operate the Volkswagen six CD boot-mounted autochanger.

'Delta' radio, DSP, navigation systems, dash-mounted six CD autochanger and single CD player are not available in conjunction with each other.

## Winter pack

the most difficult to drive in, so the Winter pack provides some welcome relief. The heated front seats have five temperature settings and can be individually

The coldest months are

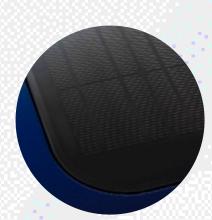
controlled. The Winter pack also provides added safety with heated windscreen washer jets to help prevent them freezing. Available for S, SE and Sport models.



The comfort of heated seats forms part of the Winter pack.



Preparing your car to carry children needn't be a lengthy operation.



Solar energy can help cool your car when it's left in direct sunlight.

# Solar roof

Have you ever returned to your car during the summer and been faced with an almost unbearable interior heat? Well, why don't you consider this ingenious solar roof?

Whilst it operates as a normal electrically operated sliding sunroof, it also helps cool your car when it's left in direct sunlight. Solar cells power the interior fans so that your interior is cooled without running down your battery.

### Integrated child seats

By simply folding back and raising the normal seat, a child can use the normal three-point seat belts. It provides effective protection and is positioned in seconds.

The integrated child seat is suitable for children classified by ECE-R1 44/03 standard in Group One (nine to 18 kg), Group Two (15-25 kg) and Group Three (22-36 kg).

We recommend, however, that the child seat only be used for children as of the age of two years.

Please note that children in Group One require a special restraining table which has been approved for use with the integrated child seat and which is available from your Volkswagen retailer. Optional on all models except the W8.

<sup>1</sup>Economic Commission of Europe - Regulation.



Bi-Xenon headlights improve road illumination for added safety.

## Bi-Xenon headlights

Bi-Xenon headlights use gas discharge technology to produce a much clearer and brighter light which illuminates the road ahead more evenly.

This option also includes a headlight cleaning device and a dynamic reflector control to reduce the dazzle for oncoming drivers. Standard on the W8 and optional on all other models.



Four alternative designs are available to create a distinctive and individual finish to your Passat.

All wheels are designed and constructed to the highest standards and are fitted with anti-theft wheel bolts.



Elegant 'Road America' 16" alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 tyres. Available for S and SE models.



Dynamic 'Wellington' 15" alloy wheels with 205/60 R15 tyres. Available for S models.



Stylish 'Donington' 17" alloy wheels with 225/45 R17 tyres. Available for Sport\* and 'V' range models.



Sporty 'Phoenix' 17" alloy wheels with 225/45 ZR17Y tyres. Available for Sport\* models.

<sup>\*</sup> Please note that sports suspension will be removed with 17" alloy wheels.



The elegant finish of the leather pack.



A wood/leather trimmed steering wheel and gear knob provide a traditional finish.

Alternatively, you can

steering wheel with a matching

gear knob. Available for Sport,

'V' range and W8 models.

specify a three-spoke wood/leather



A multifunction steering wheel is a stylish and practical addition with its conveniently located controls.



A glass electric sunroof provides a refreshing atmosphere.



Cruise control provides a more relaxed drive on longer journeys.



Heat insulated tinted glass can be fitted in the side windows and rear windscreen.

### Steering wheels

A choice of steering wheels is available to add a touch of individuality and comfort to your driving. The leather pack is the affordable way to create a classic finish. It includes hand-stitched leather across the four-spoke steering wheel, handbrake lever grip, gear lever and gaiter. This option is available on S models.

## Multifunction steering wheel

The multifunction steering wheel with cruise control allows you to operate the cruise control and radio controls without taking your hands off the wheel. For a comfortable grip, it is trimmed in leather.

# Weather pack

This pack includes two innovative features.

Rain sensitive windscreen wipers receive feedback from a screen sensor which adjusts the speed of the wipers accordingly.

The automatic dimming interior rear-view mirror darkens if a following car's lights are too high.



The rain sensor automatically switches on the wipers when it rains. Available for S and SE models.

## Electric glass sunroof

This sunroof is easy to operate thanks to automatic pre-selection. Just turn the dial and let the sunroof open to your desired setting.

When the sunroof is open,
a wind deflector automatically
extends to reduce buffeting and
a blind prevents dazzling from
the sun.

For added safety, an
anti-trapping device immediately
stops the roof if it meets resistance.

### Cruise control

Ideal for long motorway
journeys, cruise control allows a
speed to be programmed that will
be automatically maintained.
Activating the brake or clutch will
deactivate the cruise control, but
the last stored speed will be held
in the memory, allowing you
to resume cruising speed at the
touch of a button. Standard
on the W8 and optional on all
other models.

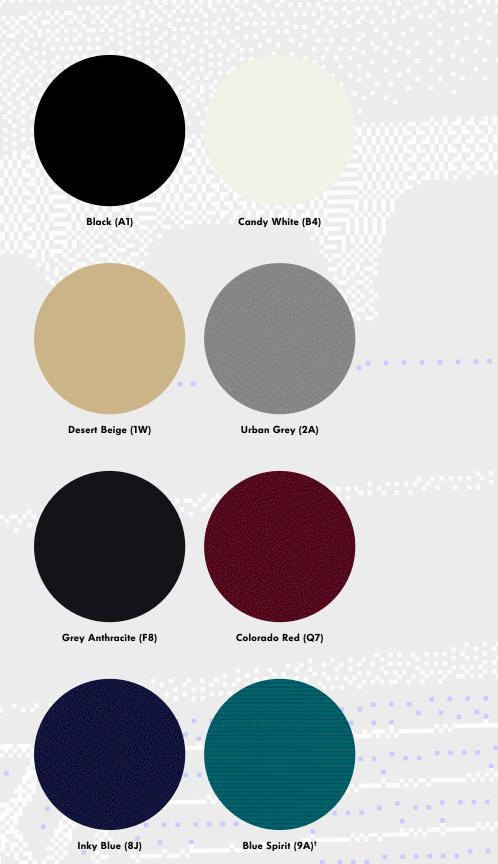
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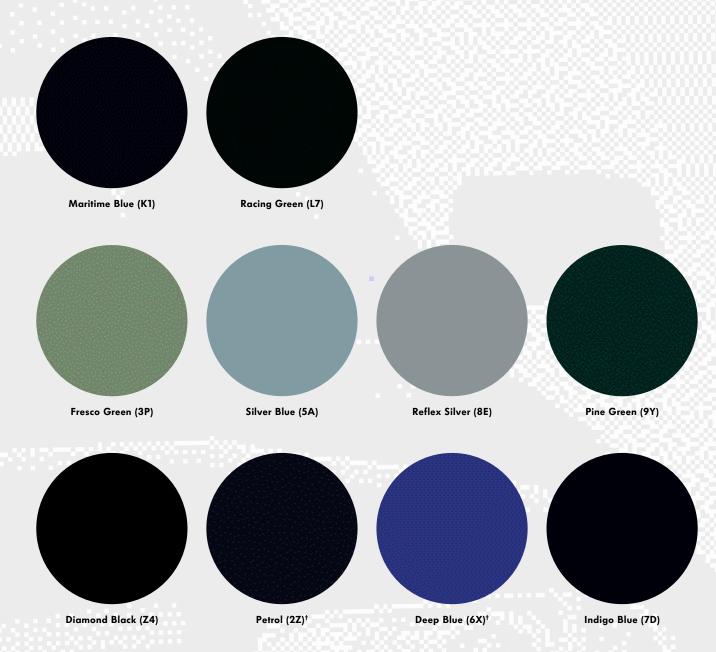
For greater privacy and protection from strong sun rays, the rear windscreen and side windows, from the B pillar backwards, can be fitted with a stronger tinted glass.



Metallic paint\*

Pearl Effect paint\*



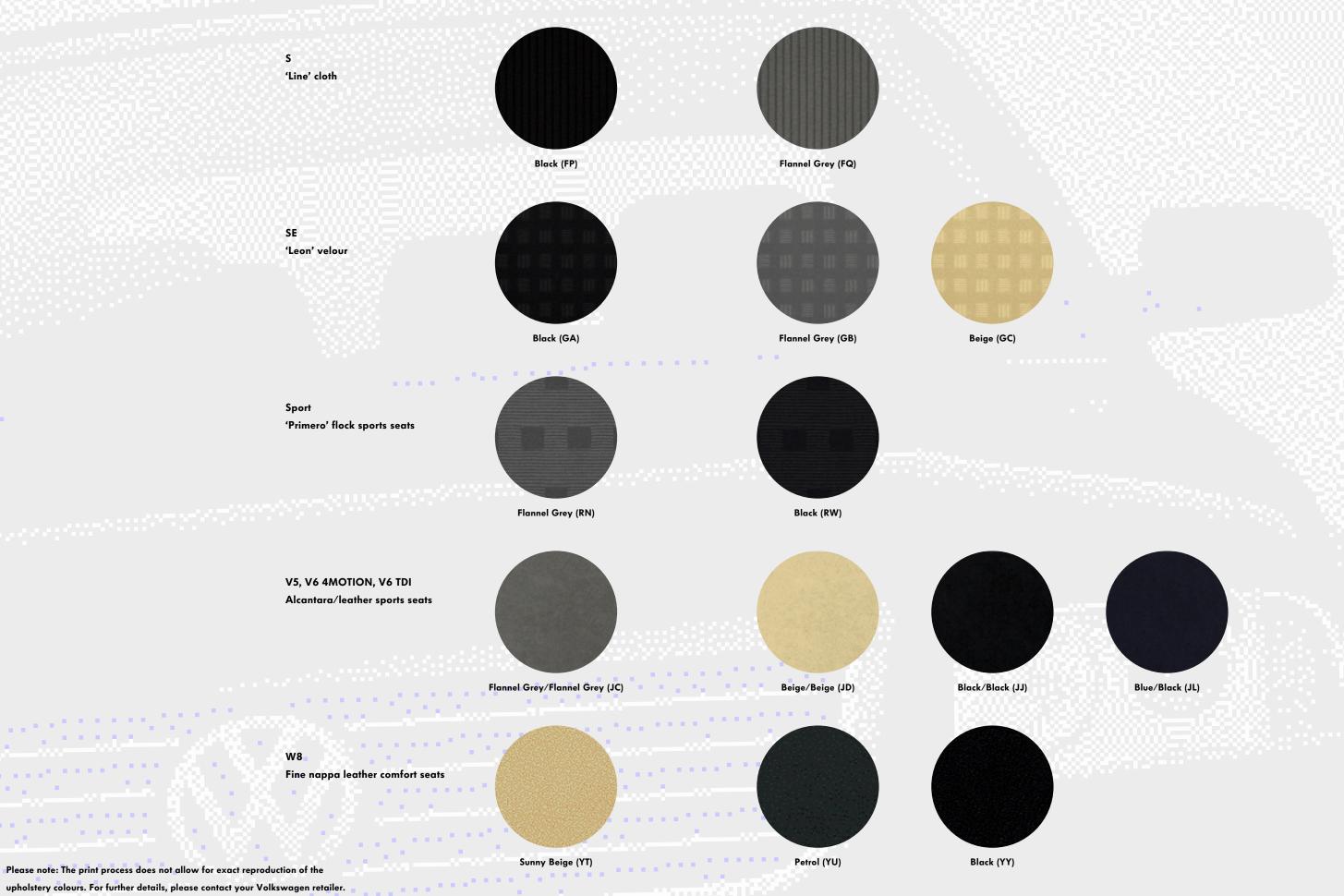


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<sup>\*</sup> Metallic and Pearl Effect paint are optional at extra cost. Standard on 'V' range and W8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Petrol (2Z), Deep Blue (6X) and Blue Spirit (9A) are only available on the W8.

# Standard upholstery.



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# Optional upholstery.

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Flannel Grey	_ ZH	Flannel Grey	Dark Platinum/Flannel Grey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 (	C	0	0	0	0	-	_	0	0	_
Beige	ZJ	Beige	Dark Platinum/Beige	0	_	0	0	0	0	0	0 -	-	0	0	0	0	_	_	0	0	_
W8 – Optional fine nappa leather 'Recaro' sports seats		100																			
Black	ZR	Black	Black/Black	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 (	С	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Віаск																					
Sunny Beige	ZS	Sunny Beige	Dark Platinum/Sunny Beige	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0 -	_	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

	S, SE, Sport	S, SE, Sport		V5		V6 4MOTIOI	N	W8	
	2.0 litre 130 PS	1.8 litre 20V	Turbo 150 PS	2.3 litre 170 l	PS .	2.8 litre 193	PS	4.0 litre 275	PS
ingine:									
Installation	Front longitudinal mounted	Front longitu	udinal mounted	Front longitu	ıdinal mounted	Front longit	udinal mounted	Front longi	udinal mounted
Туре	Four cylinder in-line – petrol,	Four cylinde	r in-line – petrol,	Five cylinder	· 15° 'V' – petrol,	Six cylinder	90° 'V' – petrol,	Eight cylina	ler 'W' – petrol,
	cast iron cylinder block, alloy	cast iron cyli	inder block, alloy	cast iron cyli	inder block, alloy	cast iron cyl	inder block, alloy	aluminium	cylinder block
	cylinder head with double	cylinder head	d with double	cylinder hea	d with single	cylinder hea	d with double	and cylinde	r head with double
	overhead camshafts	overhead car	nshafts	overhead car	nshaft per bank	overhead ca	mshafts per bank	overhead ca	mshafts per bank
Number of valves	Five per cylinder	Five per cylin	nder	Four per cyli	nder	Five per cyli	nder	Four per cyl	inder
Cubic capacity, ltrs/cc	2.0/1984	1.8/1781		2.3/2324		2.8/2771		4.0/3999	
Bore/stroke, mm	82.5/92.8	81.0/86.4		81.0/90.2		82.5/86.4		84.0/90.2	
Max. output, PS*/kW	130/96	150/110		170/125		193/142		275/202	
at rpm	5700	5700		6200		6000		6000	
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	144/195	155/210		162/220		207/280		273/370	
at rpm	3300	1750		3200		3200		2750	
Compression ratio	10.3:1	9.5 : 1		10.8 : 1		10.6 : 1		10.8 : 1	
Induction	Electronic multipoint injection	Electronic m	ultipoint injection	Electronic m	ultipoint injection	Electronic m	ultipoint injection	Electronic n	nultipoint injection
	system (cylinder single injection)	system (cylin	der single injection)	system (cylin	der single injection)		nder single injection)		nder single injection
Exhaust emission control	Catalytic converter,	Catalytic cor	iverter,	Catalytic cor	iverter,	Catalytic co	nverter,	3-way catal	ytic converter,
	lambda control	lambda cont	rol	lambda cont	rol	lambda con	trol	lambda con	trol
Fuel grade, minimum	Premium 95 RON unleaded	Premium 95	RON unleaded	Premium 95	RON unleaded	Premium 95	RON unleaded	Premium 95	RON unleaded
Battery, A (Ah)	280 (60)	220 (44)	280 (60)	280 (60)	340 (70)	340 (70)	340 (70)	380 (82)	380 (82)
Alternator, amps	90	90	90	90	120	90	90	150	150
Transmission:	Front wheel drive	Front wheel	drivo	Front wheel	drino	Four wheel	drino	Four wheel	drina
Gearbox	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Six speed	Five speed
Gentbox	manual	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic
	munuui	manuai		тапиан	αιιο πριτοπις	munuai		manuai	
Performance:									
Top speed, mph (km/h)	130 (209)	137 (221)	134 (215)	142 (228)	140 (224)	148 (238)	145 (233)	155 (250)	155 (250)
(where law permits)									
Acceleration, secs 0 - 62 mph	9.9	9.2	10.5	8.9	TBA	7.8	9.8	6.5	7.8
ABI insurance group	12	14	14	16	16	17	17	18	18
Environmental information:			_		3554				
Official fuel consumption acco	ording to FII Directive 99/94								
mpg/ltr per 100 km	many to Do Directive 35/51,								
Urban	24.4/11.6	24.6/11.5	20.8/13.6	21.7/13.0	18.8/15.0	18.3/15.4	17.2/16.4	14.5/19.5	14.5/19.5
Extra-urban	46.3/6.1	43.5/6.5	39.2/7.2	39.2/7.2	39.8/7.1	34.9/8.1	35.3/8.0	29.4/9.6	30.4/9.3
Combined	34.9/8.1	34.0/8.3	29.4/9.6	30.4/9.3	28.5/9.9	26.2/10.8	25.4/11.1	21.4/13.2	21.7/13.0
Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltrs	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62
Official CO <sub>2</sub> emission, g/km <sup>†</sup>	194	199	233	223	238	259	266	317	312
Noise, $dB$	74	72	71	71	71	72	73	74	72
1.000, 0.2									

<sup>\*</sup> Please note: The maximum power output figures are quoted in PS (or Pferdestärke, which is the metric equivalent of horsepower). To convert from metric to imperial horsepower, divide the PS figure by 1.0139.

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m CO_2}$  emissions.

	S, SE, Sport	S, SE, Sport		V5		V6 4MOTION		W8	
	2.0 litre 130 PS	1.8 litre 20V T	urbo 150 PS	2.3 litre 170 l	PS	2.8 litre 193 l		4.0 litre 275	PS
Running gear:									
Front axle	Four link with combined spring and		h combined spring and		th combined spring and		th combined spring and		vith combined spring a
	shock absorber units. Anti-roll bar.		er units. Anti-roll bar.		ber units. Anti-roll bar.		per units. Anti-roll bar.		ber units. Anti-roll bar
	Track stabilising steering geometry		ing steering geometry		ising steering geometry	Track stabili	sing steering geometry	Track stabil	ising steering geometry
Rear axle, two wheel drive	Torsion beam trailing arm with		trailing arm with		m trailing arm with	-			
	track-correcting bearings	track-correct	ing bearings	track-correct	ting bearings				
Rear axle, four wheel drive		*******		-			bone with anti-roll bar	Double wish	ibone with anti-roll ba
Steering	Power-assisted maintenance-free rack and pin	tion. Safety stee	ering column	Power-assist	ted maintenance-free rack	and pinion. Sa	fety steering column		
Brakes system	ABS (Anti-lock Braking System). Diagonally sp	lit circuits. Ser	vo assisted.	ABS (Anti-lo	ck Braking System). Diago	nally split circi	ıits. Servo assisted. EBD (E	lectronic Brak	e-pressure Distribution
	EBD (Electronic Brake-pressure Distribution)								
Front	Ventilated discs	Ventilated di	scs	Ventilated d	iscs	Ventilated d	iscs	Ventilated a	liscs
Rear	Discs	Discs		Discs		Ventilated d	iscs	Ventilated a	liscs
Turning circle, ft/m	37/11.4	37/11.4	10000	37/11.4		37/11.4		37.7/11.5	- 22
Wheels and tyres:							100		
Wheel size	6J x 15 <sup>1, 2</sup>	6J x 15 <sup>1, 2</sup>		7J x 17		7J x 17	•	7½J x 17³	
Wheel type	Steel <sup>1, 2</sup>	Steel 1, 2		Alloy 'Phoen	ix'	Alloy 'Phoen	ix'	Alloy 'Madr	as' <sup>3</sup>
Tyre size	195/65 R15 <sup>1, 2</sup>	195/65 R15 <sup>1, 2</sup>		225/45 ZR17Y		225/45 ZR17Y		225/45 R17Y	
Spare wheel	Full size steel	Full size steel	and the second second	Full size stee	el	Full size stee		Temporary :	
Weights, lbs/kgs:	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Five speed	Six speed	Five speed
- National Research	manual	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic	manual	auto tiptronic
Unladen weight <sup>†</sup>	3374/1530	3393/1539	3517/1595	<i>manuai</i> 3524/1598	3629/1646	3749/1700	3890/1764	3949/1791	4062/1842
Gross vehicle weight	4256/1930	4278/1940	4410/2000	4410/2000	4520/2050	4653/2110	4785/2170	4895/2220	5005/2270
									944/428
Payload <sup>†</sup> Axle load limit: Front	882/400	884/401	893/405 2381/1080	886/402	891/404	904/410	895/406	946/429	
	2227/1010	2249/1020		2381/1080	2492/1130	2404/1090	2536/1150	2602/1180	2712/1230
Rear	2205/1000	2205/1000	2205/1000	2205/1000	2205/1000	2381/1080	2381/1080	2404/1090	2404/1090
Trailer load limits, lbs/kgs:									
Braked 12% incline	3087/1400	2867/1300	3308/1500	3308/1500	TBA	3969/1800	3969/1800	4631/2100	4631/2100
Unbraked	1433/650	1433/650	1433/650	1544/700	1544/700	1654/750	1654/750	1654/750	1654/750
Towbar load limit	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	187/85	187/85
Max. roof load	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100
Max. luggage capacity, cu.ft (litres):	VDA measuring method using 200 x 100 x 50 m	ım blocks		VDA measur	ing method using 200 x 10	0 x 50 mm block	ks		
With rear seat upright	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	14.1 (400)	14.1 (400)	14.1 (400)	14.1 (400)
With rear seat folded	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)		- 111 (100)	-	

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  SE models have 7J x 15 'Wellington' alloy wheels with 205/60 R15 tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Sport models have 7J x 16 'Road America' alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> W8 models can also have 7½J x 17 'Atlanta' alloy wheels with 225/45 ZR17Y tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts as a no cost option.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Figures are calculated in accordance with manufacturer's criteria.

	S, SE		S, SE, Sport	1		SE, Sport	V6 TDI	
	1.9 TDI PD 100	) PS	1.9 TDI PD 1	30 PS		1.9 TDI PD 130 PS 4MOTION	2.5 litre 150 PS	
gine:								
Installation	Front longitu	dinal mounted	Front longi	itudinal mour	nted	Front longitudinal mounted	Front longitudi	inal mounted
Туре	Four cylinder	· in-line – diesel, cast iron	Four cylina	ler in-line – d	liesel, cast iron	Four cylinder in-line – diesel, cast iron	Six cylinder 90	° 'V' – diesel, cast iron
	cylinder bloc	k, alloy cylinder head	cylinder blo	ock, alloy cyli	nder head	cylinder block, alloy cylinder head	cylinder block,	alloy cylinder head with
	with single o	verhead camshaft	with single	overhead car	nshaft	with single overhead camshaft	double overhea	d camshafts per bank
Number of valves	Two per cylin	der	Two per cyl	linder		Two per cylinder	Four per cylind	er
Cubic capacity, ltrs/cc	1.9/1896		1.9/1896			1.9/1896	2.5/2496	
Bore/stroke, mm	79.5/95.5		79.5/95.5			79.5/95.5	78.3/86.4	
Max. output, PS*/kW	100/74		130/96			130/96	150/110	
at rpm	4000		4000			4000	4000	
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	184/250		210/285	228/310	228/310	228/310	228/310	
at rpm	1900		1750	1900	1900	1900	1500	
Compression ratio	19.0 : 1		19.0 : 1			19.0 : 1	19.5 : 1	
Induction	Direct injecti	on – with unit injectors,	Direct injec	ction – with u	nit injectors,	Direct injection – with unit injectors,	Direct injection	ı – distributor pump,
	turbocharged	with intercooler	turbocharg	ed with inter	cooler	turbocharged with intercooler	turbocharged u	vith intercooler
Exhaust emission control	Unregulated	catalyst	Unregulate	ed catalyst		Unregulated catalyst	Unregulated ca	talyst
Fuel grade, minimum	Diesel		Diesel			Diesel	Diesel	
Battery, A (Ah)	380 (80)	380 (80)	380 (80)	380 (80)	380 (80)	<b>380</b> (80)	420 (82)	420 (82)
Alternator, amps	120	70	120	120	70	120	90	90
nsmission:	Front wheel d	lrive	Front whee	el drive		Four wheel drive	Front wheel dr	ive
Gearbox	Five speed	Four speed	Five speed	Six speed	Five speed	Six speed	Six speed	Five speed
	manual	auto	manual	$manual^{ \scriptscriptstyle 1}$	auto tiptronic	manual	manual	auto tiptronic
							-t	
formance:								
Top speed, mph (km/h)	119 (191)	115 (185)	129 (208)	129 (208)	126 (203)	127 (204)	137 (220)	133 (214)
(where law permits)								
Acceleration, secs 0 - 62 mph	12.4	14.3	9.9	9.9	11.5	10.4	9.6	10.7
ABI insurance group	12	12	12	12	12	TBA	15	15
vironmental information:  Official fuel consumption acco	ording to EII Di	ractina 99/94						
mpg/ltr per 100 km	maing io EO Di	1601106 33134,						
, , ,	20 2/7 2	20 4/0 6	26 2/7 0	27 2/7 6	29 0/10 1	22 2/0 5	20 2/10 0	24 4/11 6
Urban	39.2/7.2	29.4/9.6	36.2/7.8	37.2/7.6	28.0/10.1	33.2/8.5	28.2/10.0	24.4/11.6
Extra-urban	60.1/4.7	52.3/5.4	60.1/4.7	58.9/4.8	50.4/5.6	53.3/5.3	52.3/5.4	45.6/6.2
Combined	50.4/5.6	40.9/6.9	48.7/5.8	48.7/5.8	39.2/7.2	43.5/6.5	40.4/7.0	34.9/8.1
Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltrs	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62	13.6/62
Official CO <sub>2</sub> emission, g/km <sup>†</sup>	151	186	154	157	194	176	189	219
Noise, dB	72	72	72	74	70	TBA	72	74

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Six speed manual gearbox only available on the Sport model.

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 $<sup>^\</sup>dagger$  Please see page 75 for further information on  $\mathrm{CO_2}$  emissions.

	S, SE		S, SE, Sport			SE, Sport	V6 TDI
	1.9 TDI PD 100 PS		1.9 TDI PD 1	30 PS		1.9 TDI PD 130 PS 4MOTION	2.5 litre 150 PS
ning gear:							
Front axle		ombined spring and		ith combined		Four link with combined spring and	Four link with combined spring and
		nits. Anti-roll bar.		ber units. An		shock absorber units. Anti-roll bar.	shock absorber units. Anti-roll bar.
		steering geometry		lising steering		Track stabilising steering geometry	Track stabilising steering geometry
Rear axle, two wheel drive	Torsion beam tra			m trailing ar			Torsion beam trailing arm with
	track-correcting	bearings	track-correc	cting bearings			track-correcting bearings
Rear axle, four wheel drive			7			Double wishbone with anti-roll bar	
Steering	Power-assisted m	iaintenance-free rack a	and pinion. Saj	fety steering c	olumn	Power-assisted maintenance-free rac	k and pinion. Safety steering column
Brakes system	ABS (Anti-lock B	raking System). Diagon	ally split circu	iits. Servo ass	isted.	ABS (Anti-lock Braking System). Diag	gonally split circuits. Servo assisted.
	EBD (Electronic l	Brake-pressure Distribi	ition)			EBD (Electronic Brake-pressure Distr	ibution)
Front	Ventilated discs		Ventilated d	liscs		Ventilated discs	Ventilated discs
Rear	Discs		Discs			Ventilated discs	Discs
Turning circle, ft/m	37/11.4		37/11.4		333	37/11.4	37/11.4
eels and tyres:							the second second second
Wheel size	6J x 15 <sup>2</sup>		6J x 15 <sup>2,3</sup>			7J x 15 <sup>3</sup>	7J x 17
Wheel type	$Steel^2$		$Steel^{2,3}$			Alloy 'Wellington' <sup>3</sup>	Alloy 'Phoenix'
Tyre size	195/65 R15 <sup>2</sup>		195/65 R15 <sup>2,</sup>	3	11-15-5	205/60 R15 <sup>3</sup>	225/45 ZR17Y
Spare wheel	Full size steel		Full size ste			Full size steel	Full size steel
ghts, lbs/kgs:	Five speed	Four speed auto	Five speed	Six speed	Five speed	Six speed	Six speed Five speed
- -	manual	·	manual	manual <sup>1</sup>	auto tiptronic	manual	manual auto tiptronic
Unladen weight <sup>†</sup>	3453/1566	3473/1575	3451/1565	3497/1586	3577/1622	3738/1695	3647/1654 3735/1694
Gross vehicle weight	4344/1970	4366/1980	4344/1970	4388/1990	4476/2030	4631/2100	4586/2080 4675/2120
$Payload^{\dagger}$	891/404	893/405	893/405	891/404	900/408	893/405	939/426 939/426
Axle load limit: Front	2337/1060	2359/1070	2315/1050	2359/1070	2426/1100	2381/1080	2536/1150 2624/1190
Rear	2183/990	2183/990	2183/990	2205/1000	2205/1000	2381/1080	2161/980 2161/980
ler load limits, lbs/kgs:							
Braked 12% incline	3087/1400	3087/1400	3308/1500	3308/1500	3528/1600	3749/1700	3528/1600 3528/1600
Unbraked	1433/650	1433/650	1433/650	1433/650	1433/650	1654/750	1654/750 1654/750
Towbar load limit	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	165/75	187/85	165/75 165/75
Max. roof load	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100	221/100 221/100
						and the second	
x. luggage capacity, cu.ft (litres):		method using 200 x 100			Action to the second	VDA measuring method using 200 x 1	
With rear seat upright	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	16.8 (475)	14.1 (400)	16.8 (475) 16.8 (475)
With rear seat folded	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)	28.2 (800)		28.2 (800) 28.2 (800)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Six speed manual gearbox only available on the Sport model.

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 $<sup>^2</sup>$  SE models have 7J x 15 'Wellington' alloy wheels with 205/60 R15 tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Sport models have 7J x 16 'Road America' alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts.

<sup>†</sup> Figures are calculated in accordance with manufacturer's criteria.

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Aluminium inse	rts in centre console, ashtray lid and interior door handles	17-1		•	-		
Aluminium <sup>2</sup> or	wood inserts in centre console, ashtray lid and interior door handles		-	-	•	-	
Carpet mats, fro	nt and rear	0	0	0	•	•	
Chrome-plated	instrument surrounds	•	•	•	•	•	
Cup holders:	Front, two	•	•	•	•	•	
	Rear, two	-	87.			•	
Driver, centre ai	nd passenger sun visors	•	•	•	•	•	
Entry/warning a	and puddle lights in front doors	•	•	•	•	•	
Fuel filler flap:	Electrically operated via switch on driver's door	•	•	•	•	•	
Heating:	Air conditioning, electronic climate control	•	•	•	•	•	
Instruments:	Speedo and rev counter, electronic odometer and trip, service interval	•	•	•	•	•	
Τ.	display, digital clock, fuel and temperature gauge, low fuel warning						
	light, blue adjustable panel illumination						
Interior chrome	line trim	-	-	-		•	
Interior lighting	r: With time delay, front and rear passenger reading lights	•	•	•	•	•	
Load sill protect	tion – stainless steel	•	•	•	•	•	
Luggage compai	rtment light and load restraining hooks	•	•	•	•	•	
Seating:	Front, with height adjustment	•	•	•	•	•	
	Front, with lumbar adjustment	0	•	•	•	•	
	Front, sports seats		148	•	•	380	
	Front, comfort seats in fine nappa leather	-54	380		350	•	
	Front, centre adjustable armrest with storage compartment		•	•	•	•	
	Rear, backrest asymmetrically split with individual fold down facility	•	•	•	• 3		
	Rear seat centre armrest	•	•	•	•	•	
Steering wheel:	Four-spoke	•	H				
	Four-spoke, leather rimmed	0	•	-			
	Three-spoke, leather rimmed	-	-	•	•	•	
Storage:	Glovebox with air conditioning and illumination, lockable	•	•	•	•	•	
	Front seat backrest storage pockets	-	•	•		•	

oholstery:	'Line' cloth	
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Interior Equipment and Styling:

'Leon' velour 'Primero' flock

Alcantara/leather

Front door pockets

Fine nappa leather

Vanity mirrors, illuminated on driver's and passenger's side Wood inserts in centre console, ashtray lid and interior door handles

12V socket in luggage compartment

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Sc	ifety and Security:						
_	ABS:	Anti-lock brakes – includes BAS (Brake Assist System)	•	•	•	•	•
	Airbags:	Driver and front passenger airbags	•	•	•	•	•
		Front seat side impact airbags	•	•	•	•	•
		Curtain airbag system	•	•	•	•	•
	Alarm:	With interior protection and remote central locking	•	•	•	•	•
	Body:	Fully galvanised with 12-year anti-corrosion warranty	•	•	•	•	•
		Door side impact protection	•	•	•	•	•
		Rigid safety cell with front and rear crumple zones		•	•	•	•
	Electronic engin	e immobiliser, coded transponder		•	•	•	•
	ESP:	Electronic Stabilisation Programme – includes EDL	•	•	•	•	•
		(Electronic Differential Lock) and ASR (Traction Control)					
	Head restraints:	Front adjustable	•	•	•	•	•

High level third brake light Isofix child seat preparation for rear seat, outer positions Lockable rear seat backrests

Three rear adjustable and removable

Standard equipment.

Seat belts: Front three-point height-adjustable seat belts with tensioners

Three rear three-point seat belts

Warning triangle, mounted in boot lid

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## Functional Equipment:

Bi-Xenon gas dis	charge headlights, including headlight washers	0	0	0	0	
Boot opener:	Electrically operated via switch on driver's door	•	•	•	•	•
Computer:	Multifunction, single and total journey memories. Information	•	•	•	•	•
	given on: Driving time, average fuel consumption, distance driven,					
	range, average speed and external temperature					
Cruise control		0	0	$\circ$	0	•
Door mirrors:	Electrically heated and adjustable, housing painted in body colour	•	•	•	•	•
Electric memory	Electrically-adjustable front seats, electrically heated, adjustable and	-	_	-	-	•
pack:	foldable door mirrors (driver's seat and door mirrors with memory system)					
Front fog lights		0	$\circ$	$\circ$	0	•
Headlights:	Electric height adjustment and warning buzzer for lights if left on	•	•	•	•	•
	Combined headlight and fog light switch	•	•	•	•	•
Heated rear wind	dow	•	•	•	•	•
In-car	'Gamma' radio/cassette	•	•	•	•	•
entertainment:	Four digit security code with flashing LED					
	Four x 20 watt output with FM/MW manual/seek tuning, RDS/EON					
	Logic tape deck with 'Dolby' and MSS Music Search System	٠.				-
	GALA adjustable vehicle speed-responsive volume control					
	Eight speakers, four front, four rear and detachable roof aerial					
	Six disc, dash-mounted	0	•	•	•	•
CD player:	Single	•			-	-
Lowered sports s		0	0	•	- 1	0
Power-assisted s		•	•	•	•	•
	Height and reach adjustable	•	•	•	•	•
= = -	or open boot lid and doors	•	•	•	•	•
	Automatic dimming rear-view mirror and rain sensor	0	0	•	•	•
Windows:	Electric front and rear					

Two speed with wash/wipe and intermittent wipe with four position delay

<sup>•</sup> Standard O Optional - Not available

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Sports suspension will be removed with 17 inch alloy wheels.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Aluminium inserts are not available with beige interior.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Not V6 4MOTION.

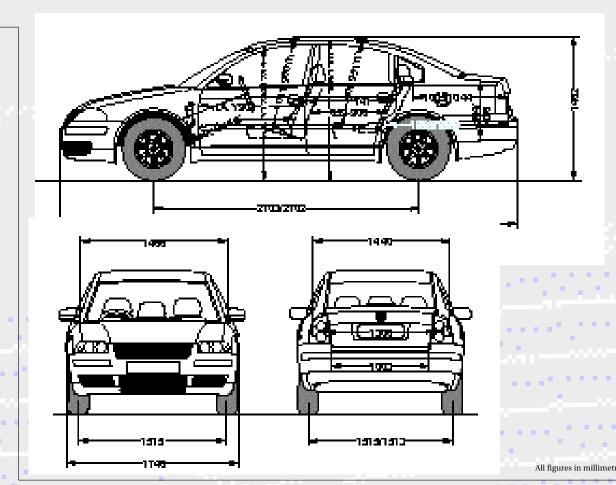
# Standard equipment.

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rior Equipment o	ınd Styling:					
Body-coloure	ed bumper strips and side bump strips with chrome inserts	-	•	•	•	•
Chrome trim	med side windows and radiator grille	•	•	•	•	
Heat insulat	ing tinted glass	•	•	•	•	•
Metallic or P	earl Effect paint	0	0	0	•	•
Temporary s	teel space-saver spare wheel	_	-	-	-	•
Two twin ch	rome exhausts			-	-	•
Wheels:	6J x 15 steel with full size wheel trims and 195/65 R15 tyres	•	-			-
	7J x 15 'Wellington' alloy wheels with 205/60 R15 tyres and					
	anti-theft wheel bolts	0	•	- 1	-	
	7J x 16 'Road America' alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 tyres and					
	anti-theft wheel bolts	0	0	•	- 1	-
	7J x 17 'Phoenix' alloy wheels with 225/45 ZR17Y tyres and					
	anti-theft wheel bolts <sup>1</sup>	-	-	0	•	-
	7½J x 17 'Madras' alloy wheels with 225/45 R17Y tyres and					
	anti-theft wheel bolts4	-	-		_	•
	Full size steel spare wheel	•	•	•	•	-
Winter pack:	Heated front seats and heated windscreen washer jets	0	0	0	•	•

## lacktriangledown Standard $\odot$ Optional - Not available

## Exterior dimensions.



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# Glossary.

### ABS (Anti-lock Braking System)

The ABS system prevents the wheels from locking during heavy or emergency braking, enabling the vehicle to remain steerable.

When braking, wheel speed sensors measure the road wheel speed and, should one or more wheels start to lock, the system reduces brake pressure to that wheel.

#### ASR (Anti-Slip Regulation)

ASR is a switchable traction control system that prevents the driven wheels from spinning under acceleration by reducing engine torque. It is active at all speeds.

## BAS (Brake Assist System)

In some emergency braking situations, a driver might not press the brake pedal as hard as it is possible to do so. Therefore BAS was developed to support the driver by applying additional pressure to the brakes in critical braking situations.

# EBD (Electronic Brake-pressure Distribution)

means of regulating the ratio of front/rear brake pressure. Works in conjunction with ABS.

### EDL (Electronic Differential Lock)

EDL improves driving and steering characteristics when accelerating on road surfaces where each wheel has a different degree of traction. The system operates automatically and is combined with the ABS system. Using the ABS wheel sensors, EDL monitors the speed of the individual driving wheels. When a difference in driving wheel speed is detected (i.e. when one wheel starts to spin due to differences in road surfaces, e.g. due to water or ice), the system brakes the spinning wheel, transferring engine power to the wheel with the best traction. EDL is active in forward and reverse.

#### Electronic Engine Immobiliser

Each car has a unique 'code

transponder' fitted within the ignition key. When an attempt is made to start the engine, the engine management system interrogates the transponder and if the incorrect code is received (i.e. the wrong key is used), the engine will not run.

# ESP (Electronic Stabilisation Programme)

the dynamic handling response
of the vehicle by counteracting
any tendency towards oversteer
or understeer. The ESP constantly
compares the actual movement
of the vehicle with predetermined
values and, according to the
situation, ESP reacts by braking
the outer front or inner rear wheel
(according to direction of slip)
and automatically adjusting
the engine's output.

# PD - 'Pumpe Düse' (Pump Injectors)

Very high pressure

(max. = 2,020 bar) injection

system for new generation diesel

engines. Significantly improves

performance and economy due

to better fuel atomisation.

#### 4MOTION

Permanent four wheel drive,
torsen (torque sensing) centre
differential which allows infinitely
variable distribution of the drive,
providing optimum traction for
most driving situations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sports suspension will be removed with 17 inch alloy wheels.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> W8 models can also have 7½J x 17 'Atlanta' alloy wheels with 225/45 ZR17Y tyres and anti-theft wheel bolts as a no cost option.

# Volkswagen service

# for your peace of mind.

# The Volkswagen Warranty.

## Three-year Warranty.

All Volkswagen Passats now come with a three-year/60,000 miles warranty, which protects your car against the failure of most mechanical and electrical components due to manufacturing defects. This comprises a two-year manufacturer's warranty with unlimited mileage plus a further one-year/60,000 miles (whichever is soonest) Retailer Warranty. Should the mileage exceed 60,000 miles within the first two years, the manufacturer's two-year warranty will still be valid. If an additional warranty for subsequent years or higher mileage is desired, it may be purchased from any authorised Volkswagen retailer; however, this additional warranty must be purchased before the mileage reaches 59,999. Cover is subject to the car being serviced and maintained at an authorised Volkswagen retailer according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Full details of the three-year warranty are available from your Volkswagen retailer. This three-year warranty is only available on vehicles purchased in the UK through an authorised Volkswagen retailer.

#### Three-year Paint Warranty.

The paintwork of the Passat is covered against manufacturing defects for a period of three years. Naturally, the Passat must be cared for in compliance with the operating instructions which will be found in your vehicle handbook. Please consult your Volkswagen retailer for full warranty details.

### 12-year Body Protection Warranty.

The internal body sections and panels of the Passats are covered against rusting through from the inside for a period of 12 years. Naturally, the Passat must be cared for in compliance with the operating instructions. Please consult your Volkswagen retailer for full warranty details.

# Service Intervals for Petrol and Diesel Engines.

Volkswagen has always been dedicated to protecting the environment. That's why all Passats now come with a Variable (LongLife) Service regime.

As a result of more flexible service intervals the engine oil requirement can be significantly reduced over the vehicle's total life, which results in less waste oil to dispose of and reduces the burden on the environment.

With the Variable Service regime there is no predetermined time or mileage for a service. Technology fitted to the Passat will determine when a service is required, depending on your driving style, via the Service Interval Display in the instrument panel. This could be between 9,000\* and 19,000\* miles on petrol engines and even up to 30,000\* on some diesel engines or between 12 and 24 months. Please ask your Volkswagen retailer for full details.

If you would like a more traditional service regime, the Passat can be adapted by your Volkswagen retailer, to an Extended (time/distance) Service regime. This can be done at the point of sale or at the time of a service.

Please ask your Volkswagen retailer for full details.

\* All mileages are approximate.

#### Approved Accessories.

A comprehensive range of accessories from alloy wheels to carpet mats is available to complement the factory-fitted option list. Volkswagen Approved accessories purchased from and fitted by your Volkswagen retailer at the point of vehicle sale will also benefit from the three-year vehicle warranty.

#### Volkswagen Insurance.

Competitive insurance premiums are available to Volkswagen owners through Volkswagen Insurance Service (Great Britain) Limited. Volkswagen Insurance guarantee that all repair work is undertaken by an authorised Volkswagen retailer using only genuine parts, thus ensuring that the manufacturer's warranties remain in force. For a quotation, telephone Linkline on 0845 600 8006.

#### Extended Warranty.

You may purchase additional protection from your retailer or contact 0870 9000 115.

#### Volkswagen Finance.

Volkswagen Finance offers a dedicated service to meet the needs of both the business user and the private motorist. We can help you choose the right type of finance and will tailor the package to meet your specific requirements. Please consult your Volkswagen retailer for details.

#### Volkswagen Assistance.

Every new car is registered for Volkswagen Assistance for one year. This provides vehicle recovery in the unlikely event of a breakdown (subject to conditions). Volkswagen Assistance can also be purchased for subsequent years. For full details, please contact your Volkswagen retailer.

#### Tax Free Sales.

For full details, please contact your Volkswagen retailer.

#### CO<sub>2</sub> Emission.

The weight of a vehicle will influence the level of  $\mathrm{CO}_2$  emission it produces; as a result, vehicles with higher levels of specification and factory-fitted options may emit higher levels of  $\mathrm{CO}_2$ .

The CO<sub>2</sub> figure quoted for each vehicle

is the maximum possible. The unladen weight of the vehicle is calculated by range at the time of manufacture and the maximum possible CO<sub>2</sub> emission for that weight range is applied according to the Council Directive 80/1268EEC as amended by Commission Directive 1999/100/EC on the approximation of the laws of the member states relating to the carbon dioxide emissions and the fuel consumption of motor vehicles.

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