Technology meets design The new Audi A3 3-door

From first glance, the new Audi A3 3-door portrays a sense of sportiness and emotion. Audi's dynamic single frame grille, combined with the clear-glass headlights and distinct V-line on the bonnet give the A3 a very contemporary face. The high shoulder line, short overhangs at the front and rear and a silhouette reminiscent of a classic sports coupe clearly emphasise the dynamism and forward urge of the stunning new Audi A3 3-door. The interior design concept emerges as the perfect partner to the sporty exterior yet also offers increased comfort, luxury and style.

As always with Audi, our engineers have ensured that this model is at the head of the field with the latest technology. A powerful 2.0-litre FSI engine incorporates direct fuel injection technology to create agile performance with minimal fuel consumption. Developed for Audi's Le Mans motorsport program, FSI® direct injection technology produces more power from every drop of fuel. The refined and efficient 1.6litre petrol engine offers optimum driving flexibility. Two transmissions perfectly match these dynamic engines with a five-speed manual for the 1.6-litre model and a state-of-the-art six-speed tiptronic for the 2.0 FSI, the latter incorporating shift paddles on the sports multifunction steering wheel. The latest in chassis technology is also a highlight of the new Audi A3 3-door. With electromechanical speed-sensitive steering, in combination with an independent four-link rear suspension and aluminium front suspension technology, the new Audi A3 3-door offers precise steering with a perfectly balanced, dynamic and comfortable ride.

The new A3 3-door boasts numerous safety features to ensure that its occupants are always protected. The driver and front passenger frontal and side airbags, SIDEGUARD head airbag curtain for front and rear passengers and active front head restraints for the driver and front passenger all offer the highest level of passive safety. The comprehensive list of standard active safety features includes Audi's Electronic Stabilisation Program (ESP), incorporating Anti-lock Braking System (ABS), Electronic Differential Lock (EDL), Anti-Slip Regulation (ASR) and Brake Assist.

Technical Data	1.6	2.0 FSI
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Cylinders	4	4
Capacity (cc)	1,595	1,984
Power (kW/rpm)	75/5,600	110/6,000
Torque (Nm/rpm)	148/3,800	200/3,500
Transmission	5 speed manual	6 speed tiptronic with DSP and Sport Program
Acceleration 0-100km/h (sec)	11.9	9.5
Wheels	17″ alloy	17" alloy
Turoo	5 spoke star design 225/45	5 arm design 225/45
Tyres	223/43	223/43
Safety		
Active front head restraints	•	•
Anti-lock Braking System(ABS) with Brake Assist	•	•
Airbags for driver and front passenger	•	•
Side airbags for driver and front passenger	•	•
SIDEGUARD head airbag curtain for front and rear passengers	•	•
DataDot technology	•	•
Electronic Stabilisation Program (ESP) incorporating ABS, Electronic Differential Lock (EDL), Anti Slip Regulation (ASR), Driver Steering Recommendation (DSR) and Brake Assist	•	•
Electro-mechanical speed sensitive steering	•	•
Head restraints and three point seat belts for all 5 seats	•	•
Safety steering column with tilt and telescopic adjustment	•	•
Sports suspension	-	•
Exterior Features	_	
Acoustic parking system rear	0	0
Anti-theft alarm system	0	0
Exterior mirrors electrically adjustable, heated and body coloured	0	
Front fog lights Metallic paint	0	0
Remote central locking	•	•
Security engine immobilizer	•	•
Sunroof, tinted glass electrically adjustable	0	0
Xenon headlights with automatic beam angle adjustment combined with headlight cleaning system	0	0
Interior Features		
Automatic air conditioning with dual climate control	•	•
Cruise control	•	•
Driver Information System(DIS) with in-car computer	0	•
Easy entry function for rear passengers	•	•
Electric front windows	•	•
Electric lumbar support	0	0
Front centre armrest	0	0
Leather steering wheel in four-spoke design	•	-
Leather multifunction steering wheel in four-spoke design	0	-
Sports multifunction steering wheel leather bound with paddle shift	-	•
Matt finish interior décor	•	-
High polish interior decor	-	•
Walnut brown interior wood décor	0	0
Mobile phone preparation	0	0
Module cloth upholstery	•	-
Matrix cloth upholstery Leather upholstery, Vienna	-	0
Split fold rear seats	•	•
Sports front seats	-	•
Navigation Plus, DVD based with MMI operating logic, integrated		•
TV and Driver Information System (DIS)	0	0
Rear sunblind	0	•
Rear view mirror with automatic dimming function, exterior light and rain sensor and coming home lights	0	0
Concert sound system with 8 loudspeakers and in-dash CD player, total output of 140 watts	•	•
Symphony sound system double DIN with integral six disc CD changer, 8 loud speakers and total output of 140 watts.	0	0
CD Changer	0	0
BOSE sound system with 8 loudspeakers, total output of 195 watts*	0	0
• = Standard - = Not available	O = Optional extra	

* Only in conjunction with Symphony sound system or Navigation plus. " Phone cradle availability and retail price must be checked with your local Audi dealer. Specifications are subject to change without notice. Please check with your Audi dealer. Cars pictured may not be to exact Australian specifications. Audi A3 2.0 FSI Ambition pictured with optional metallic paint and xenon headlights.