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THE PHAETON.



The Phaeton. In Greek mythology, Phaeton was the son of Helios, the sun god. Helios had a magnificent sun carriage pulled by wild horses and, legend has it, Phaeton insisted on taking control of the carriage. Unfortunately, he was unable to either handle the carriage or tame its lively horses. Disaster was averted only by the intervention of Zeus, his godfather, who managed to bring the carriage to a stop. Since then, the legend of Phaeton has been a symbol for the human desire to tread new paths. In the 19th century, the Phaeton was the name for a noble coach that was driven not by coachmen but by the master himself. Today the name stands for luxurious travel, precision craftsmanship and state of the art engineering in the form of the Volkswagen Phaeton.

Model shown is 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION.

SIT BACK, RELAX AND ENJOY CONSUMMATE POWER.



Model shown is 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB with optional 19" 'Helios' alloy wheels.

ACHIEVING THE ULTIMATE CONTROL THROUGH ELECTRONIC CHASSIS SYSTEMS.

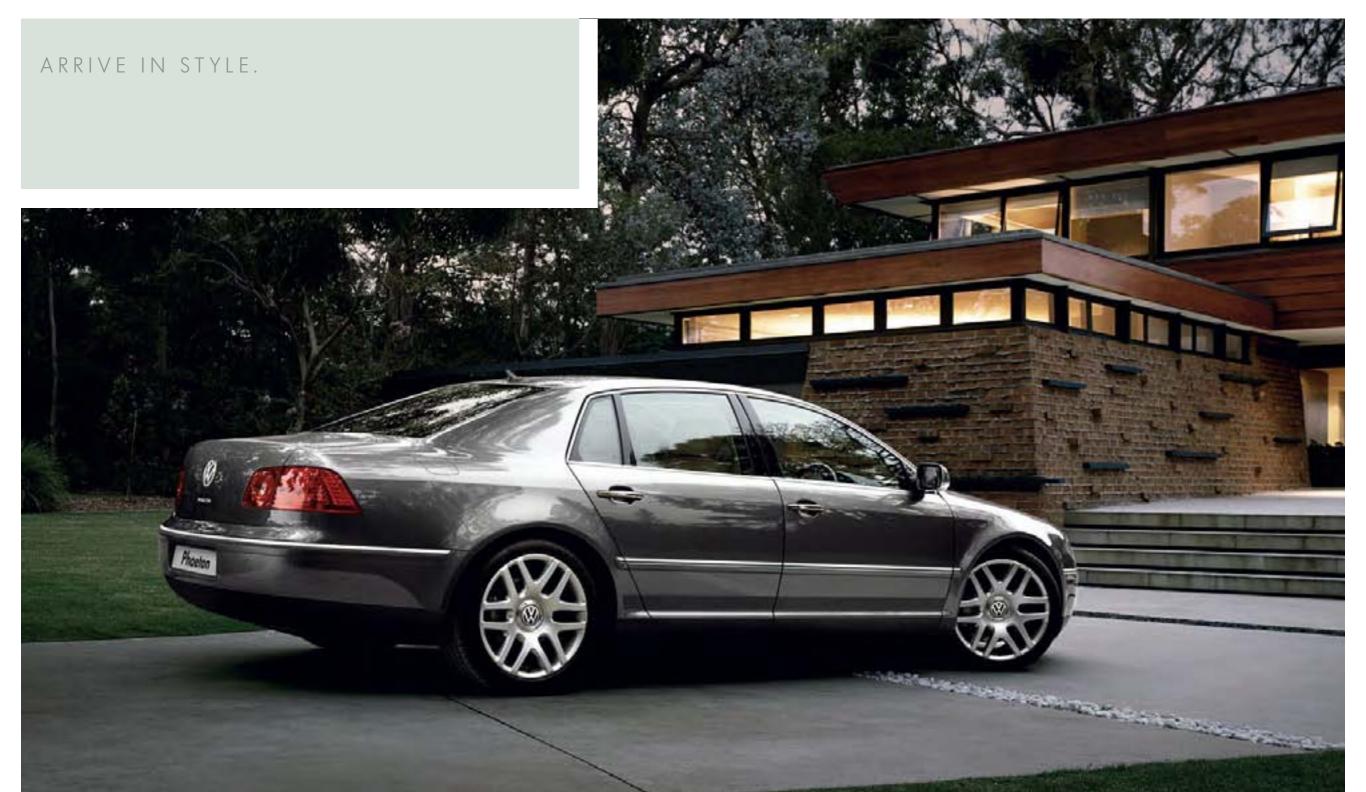


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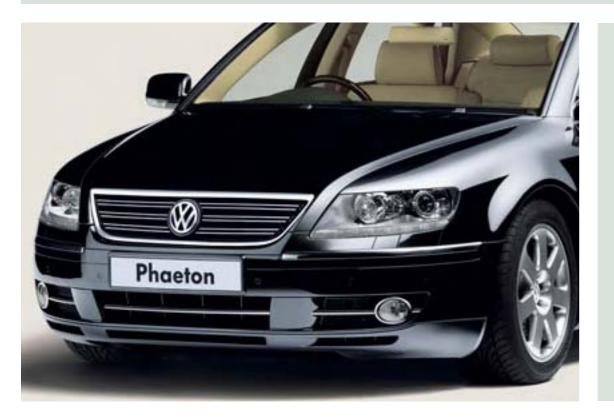
AN INTELLIGENT DRIVE SYSTEM THAT DOES THE THINKING FOR YOU. LEAVING YOU FREE TO ENJOY THE RIDE.

Blue skies or grey, congested roads or clear, bumpy surface or smooth, whatever the driving conditions, your total comfort should never be in question. Hence, Volkswagen's introduction of ground-breaking technologies, concealed beneath every millimetre of the Phaeton, ensuring your maximum comfort, safety and pleasure. Such as the Continuous Damping Control (CDC) electronic air suspension system, designed to adapt automatically to road conditions and deliver the ultimate in smoothness of ride. So you arrive at your destination, happy and relaxed, with a smile on your face.



Model shown is 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION LWB with optional 19" 'Helios' alloy wheels.

EXTERIOR DESIGN.



You never get a second chance to make a first impression, which is why exterior styling is so important. In fact, your first

If the design of a car is an expression of its personality, the Phaeton is characterised by uncompromising attention to

performance is inherent from every angle. Just one glance at the chrome-trimmed radiator grille, streamlined bumpers and expressive Xenon dipped beam headlights gives you a sense of what is to come. Understated and sleek, every aspect of the Phaeton's exterior design exudes elegance, power and purity of form – giving you a glimpse into its inner qualities as well as

detail, high quality materials and immaculate workmanship. From the sleek, contoured bonnet and the distinctive C-pillar to the 'Cherry red' rear light clusters, from the discreet chrome trim and body-coloured door mirrors to the close fit of the panels, each small detail complements the harmony of the overall design. And like a true thoroughbred, agility and

impression is formed within just three seconds – thankfully, that's all the time you'll need to get the measure of the Phaeton.

Elegant: the clear flowing lines of the bonnet, chrometrimmed radiator grille and optional Bi-Xenon headlights with dynamic curve lighting, LED daytime running lights and headlight washers (standard on 6.0 W12) all combine to produce the distinctive, charismatic face of the Phaeton.



Innovative: 'Cherry red' rear light clusters, technology, give an unmistakable visual appearance, enhancing the purity of the rear design.



Stylish: twin exhaust tailpipes, discreetly positioned in the rear bumper, emphasise the



Intelligent: 'Keyless entry and keyless start', the optional lock and start system recognises your Phaeton's key, even when it's in your pocket.



its more obvious charms.

INTERIOR DESIGN.

Interior design is absolutely key in ensuring that function and safety go hand in hand, especially when you have a car offering so many technologically advanced features as the Phaeton.

When driving a Phaeton for the first time, you may be surprised to learn just how quickly each hand movement finds the appropriate control as a matter of course. Located behind the steering wheel, are a number of classically designed, round instrument panels, arranged in a clear, logical manner. They are controlled by a well structured, five inch multifunction computer with colour display, providing the driver with important navigation and journey details, such as average speed, ambient temperature and current or average fuel consumption. Likewise, the centre console, with its gearshift gate and Infotainment system, is well designed and user-friendly, every control and every switch located where you would intuitively expect it to be, enabling you to assimilate information with minimal effort.

Of course, this well ordered, logical approach not only makes sense from a functional and ergonomic perspective. level of elegance, the spacious design allowing plenty of space for an abundance of highly polished wood, gleaming chrome and fine leather upholstery. It is these interior luxuries that really provide the feel-good factor, although it may still surprise you to learn that the most admired detail of the Phaeton's interior is the unostentatious, timelessly beautiful, analogue clock. Technology may be essential, but there is always a place for classic design.

Perfectly crafted, harmoniously arranged and fundamentally well designed, each piece of equipment displays a wealth of attributes, all helping to ensure the well-being of passengers and driver alike. Standard features include 4Zone electronic climate control, allowing four separate climate zones; front seats with 12-way electric upholstery; and exclusive 'Eucalyptus' wood inlays in the doors, centre console and dashboard.



Interior shown is 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB with optional 'Chestnut' interior wood trim, 'Sensitive' leather upholstery and Keyless entry and keyless start.

Only a perfectly tuned transmission can transform the virtues of a first-class engine into driving comfort and pleasure. Which is why the Phaeton is equipped with not one but several sophisticated drive systems, ensuring that optimum engine performance is delivered consistently on the road. For example, Continuous Damping Control (CDC), an electronically regulated air suspension is fitted as standard, adapting to road conditions automatically and delivering the ultimate in smoothness of ride. At higher speeds the chassis is lowered, and raised when bumpy surfaces are encountered. In Comfort mode, soft damping ensures a more comfortable ride, while the suspension is automatically stiffened to improve stability during high speed cornering. The chassis is also equipped with automatic ride-height control, which recognises and levels out differences in weight distribution, resulting in a more even ride.

As important as these independent assistance systems are, however, a car will only provide you with driving pleasure if it can take your individual driving style into account. This is where the Dynamic Shift Programme comes in, recognising your preferred driving behaviour and synchronising the gear changes accordingly. For this, a five-speed (6.0 W12) or a sixspeed tiptronic automatic gearbox (4.2 V8/3.0 V6 TDI DPF) is deployed.

Smooth: Continuous electronically regulated raises the chassis by up to 25 mm over bumpy surfaces, ensuring the highest levels

Aerodynamic: at higher speeds, the Continuous automatically lowers the chassis by up to 15 mm, reducing drag.











A further technical highlight is the intelligent 4MOTION all-wheel drive system, also part of the Phaeton's standard specification. It redistributes drive power to the individual wheel/wheels that needs it most, reacting within fractions of a second, depending on the road conditions, giving greater traction especially in bad weather. For the driver this ensures improved safety, greater drive and better road holding on all surfaces not to mention the pleasure of driving rather than simply travelling to your destination.

SEATING.

Front seats in the Phaeton V6 TDI DPF and V8 models feature 12-way electric adjustment, enabling you to alter the seat height, seat and backrest angle, and distance to the dashboard. This allows you to find the ideal seating position for your body measurements and spine, ensuring you have optimum side and lumbar support. Carefully designed to provide ease of use, the operating mechanism is located on the outer edge of the seat.

Seats in the Phaeton are more than just places to sit in the front or rear cabin. Take the optional Memory pack (standard on 6.0 W12), for example, designed to make getting into the Phaeton as easy and pleasant an experience as possible. It not only stores individual seat settings and the desired positions of the seat belt, interior rear-view mirror and door mirrors, but also automatically moves the steering column forward to create more space.

The innovative 18-way electrically adjusted front seats provide an even greater opportunity for maximising comfort and are fitted as standard in the Phaeton 6.0 W12. Offering the perfect opportunity to totally relax, features include an electronic massage function with active lumbar support, which can be set to gently massage your back muscles as you drive, and an electronic climate function that gently controls the temperature of the seat, using a separate fan mechanism to circulate warm or cool air as appropriate. Additional settings enabling you to adjust the upper part of the backrest, seat depth and head restraints, providing you with the finest degree of control you could ask for. Never has seating comfort been so perfectly attuned to your individual requirements.



4ZONE ELECTRONIC CLIMATE CONTROL.





Finding the right temperature is a very subjective matter. What is good for one person isn't necessarily suitable for another. As everyone reacts differently, so it makes sense that each passenger in the Phaeton is able to choose the conditions best suited to their individual requirements. With 4Zone electronic climate control, this is entirely possible, enabling each passenger to control the climate and temperature of their immediate surroundings, totally independently from one another.

Beyond compare in terms of comfort and functionality, the system uses advanced electronics to measure all relevant factors that can influence climate, such as the position, angle and strength of the sun's rays and the ambient temperature, making an allowance for temperature variations on each side of the car. It then diffuses more or less cool air, depending on individual need, ensuring that the controlled environment is completely draught free. A sensor also measures humidity continuously and will, if required, make the necessary adjustments. Operated via the Infotainment system, 4Zone electronic climate control is extremely easy to use, enabling you to create four different climate zones within your Phaeton literally at the touch of a few buttons.













TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT.

A multitude of clearly thought out, intelligent solutions ensures your Phaeton is more than a vehicle that simply drives. This is a car that can think, help and support you, using advanced computer controlled electronics to ensure every aspect of your journey, down to the very smallest detail, runs as smoothly as possible. Nowhere is this more immediately apparent than the Coming/leaving home lighting function, which activates as soon as you open or lock your car using the remote control. At night time, the surrounding area is illuminated, making it easy and safe to get in and out. No need to worry about leaving your Phaeton in the sun, either – solar cells located in the optional tilt and slide sunroof will automatically activate the ventilation fans and regulate the interior temperature to a comfortable level.

While driving, you are supported by a whole range of advanced features such as dynamic headlight range control for greater visibility; speed-sensitive power steering for ease of use; and cruise control for more relaxed motorway driving. 4Zone electronic climate control takes care of the interior climate, enabling the driver and three passengers to each select their preferred temperature, using air vents that open and close independently of one another.

When parking, it's good to know you do not have to rely purely on your own instincts. As a standard feature on all models, the door mirror on the passenger side tilts downwards automatically when reversing, enabling you to see the distance to the kerb. Ultrasonic front and rear parking sensors provide additional information on the distance between your own vehicle and other parked cars or obstacles using visual and audible warning signals. And if you need to open the boot, the optional powerassisted boot opening and closing (standard on 6.0 W12) means it can be done from the comfort of the interior. Finally, a single press of the button is all that is needed to unlock and start your Phaeton, with the optional 'Keyless entry and keyless start' system. No wonder the Phaeton has been described as a technological icon – it offers a solution for everything.



Keyless entry and keyless start: no key required in the ignition function. Simply start your Phaeton by pressing

located within the door panel, controls many functions, from the electric windows to the

4Zone electronic climate mode, air vents will open and close independently,

Cruise control: a pre-set speed of 19 mph and above, enabling you to sit back and relax on longer journeys, without having to worry about watching your speed.







At the touch of a button: opening of the fuel flap.

Coming/leaving home lighting function: headlights, rear light clusters and LED lights in the door mirrors illuminate the area making it safer and more comfortable to get in not only helps you home, it also shows you to your doorstep.



THE LONG WHEELBASE PHAETON.

Interior space is not always a luxury. Sometimes it is a necessity. And in this respect, the long wheelbase Phaeton exceeds all your expectations. With an extra 120 mm of rear cabin space and legroom, the needs of those who travel primarily in the rear will be more than fulfiled, while a wealth of exceptional standard features ensure the long wheelbase Phaeton meets all the requirements of a limousine. Specially equipped to ensure the comfort of rear passengers, features include electrically operated sunblind for the rear window and manual rear side window sunblinds, an electrically controlled tilt and slide panel, located in the rear cabin area, to operate the climate control system - all designed to protect against glare and heat.



In fact, you can quite easily create your own private space in the rear, forgetting everyday life amidst its ambience and comfort. As difficult as it may be to leave the driving of a car such as this to someone else, you'll find it surprisingly easy to sit back, relax and enjoy every step of your journey in the luxurious Phaeton.



Spacious: the interior of the long wheelbase Phaeton has an extra 120 mm of space, providing considerably more legroom for passengers in the rear cabin.

Optional on all Phaeton models, the Premium rear seat system includes electrically adjustable head restraints, lumbar support and massage functions for both the outer rear seats, which are designed to the same high specification as the front seats and feature both heating and ventilation. All of which makes one thing quite clear – when comfort is the issue, compromise is the only thing you should forego.





Fresh air: the tilt and slide glass sunroof opens to the selected position at the touch of a button. Sun protection: integral sun blinds in the rear cabin area protect passengers from direct sunlight.

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SAFETY.

Driver and passengers alike can only be completely at ease when feeling totally safe. Thankfully, the Phaeton is equipped with the most efficient, perfectly harmonised safety technologies available today. For starters, all occupants are protected by no less than eight airbags: two front, four side impact and two curtain airbags, all controlled by innovative 'early crash sensors'. In the event of an accident, these sensors, which are located in various parts of the bodyshell, deliver exact information regarding severity, angle and object of impact. This enables each individual airbag to react appropriately, independently of one another, within a thousandth of a second. In addition, active head restraints also interact, moving forward swiftly to minimise the distance between head and restraint, to help reduce the risk of whiplash injury.

Many other features also contribute to make the Phaeton particularly safe. Such as the optional Bi-Xenon headlights with dynamic curve lighting technology, LED daytime running lights and headlight washers (standard on 6.0 W12), helping you identify other road users and obstacles in good time, even in poor weather conditions. Or the chassis fitted with Continuous Damping Control (CDC) electronically controlled air suspension and 4MOTION four wheel drive, helping to optimise traction and roadholding. Designed to provide optimum safety at all times, Volkswagen's safety systems have one important aim in common – to ensure that you not only drive but also arrive feeling more relaxed. And that can only be achieved when you feel totally safe.

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Safety when raining: the rain sensor adjusts the frequency of the windscreen wipers automatically to the intensity of rainfall.





Safety for your head: 'early crash sensors' activate the airbags rapidly and precisely.

Safety for pedestrians: in the event of an accident, windscreen wipers retract automatically beneath the bonnet, further reducing the risk of injury.



Safety for the spine: active head restraints help to reduce the risk of whiplash injury.

Equally as important is an elaborate 'pre-crash concept', designed to support the driver in critical situations. This involves a whole range of electronic aids, bringing to reality the concept of a car able to anticipate and think for itself. Along with an optimised Tyre pressure monitoring system, available as an optional extra, this includes a number of proven technologies all fitted as standard, including ABS (Anti-lock Braking System), ESP (Electronic Stabilisation Programme), ASR (Traction Control) and a dusk sensor that automatically engages the dipped beam headlight when it detects diminishing light or when travelling at higher speeds. The latest hazard warning light technology is also fitted as standard, engaging automatically under full braking, thereby warning following vehicles and enabling other traffic users to benefit from the Phaeton's comprehensive safety package. When viewed overall, you can see why so many simple yet logical safety systems are specified in the Phaeton – in dangerous situations each could prove decisive.

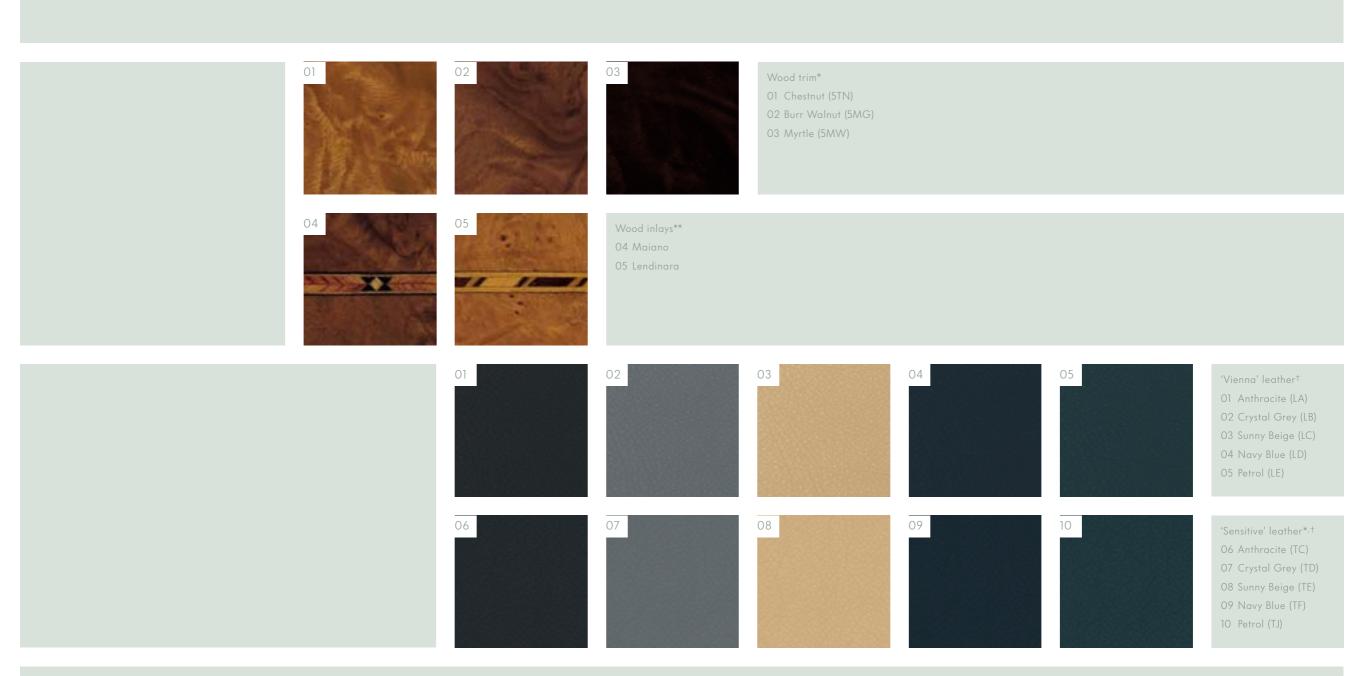
PAINT, DECORATIVE TRIMS AND UPHOLSTERY.







Each Phaeton comprises approximately 8,100 individual parts, each and every one precision manufactured to meet your expectations of comfort. It is the complex paint finishes which provide these component parts with their unmistakable final appearance. For those requiring an even greater intensity of colour and durability, metallic and pearl effect paint finishes are available as standard. This involves the application of paint in two coats, which radiates a remarkably deep shine and is especially scratch-resistant, making your Phaeton a joy to behold for a long time to come.

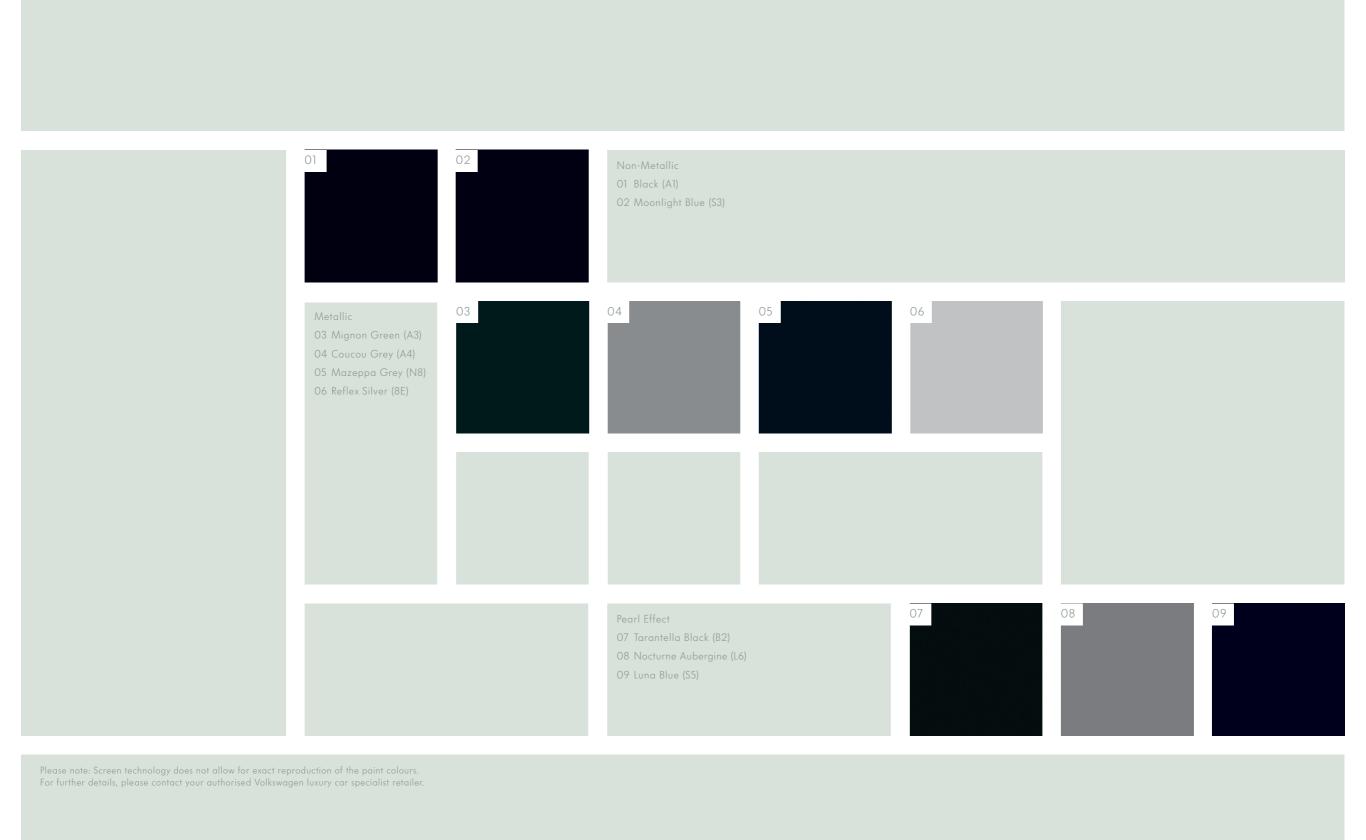


Please note: Screen technology does not allow for exact reproduction of the decorative inserts and upholstery.

* Optional at extra cost.

^{**}Optional at extra cost; only in conjunction with the Extended wood pack.

[†] Leather upholstery consists of upper surface of seat base and backrest, door pull and door armrest.



COMBINATIONS.	SEAT UPHOLSTERY	DASHBOARD	CARPETS	Black (A1)	Moonlight Blue (S3)	Mignon Green Metallic (A3)	Coucou Grey Metallic (A4)	Mazeppa Grey Metallic (N8)	Reflex Silver Metallic (8E)	Tarantella Black Pearl Effect (B2)	Nocturne Aubergine Pearl Effect (L6)	Luna Blue Pearl Effect (S5)
'VIENNA' LEATHER* UPHOLSTERY Standard on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION, 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION LWB, 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB	Anthracite (LA) Crystal Grey (LB) Sunny Beige (LC) Navy Blue (LD) Petrol (LE)	Anthracite Anthracite Brown Navy Blue Petrol	Anthracite Crystal Grey Sunny Beige Navy Blue Petrol	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
'SENSITIVE' LEATHER* UPHOLSTERY Standard on 6.0 W12 4MOTION LWB Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION, 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION LWB, 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB	Anthracite (TC) Crystal Grey (TD) Sunny Beige (TE) Navy Blue (TF) Petrol (TJ)	Anthracite Anthracite Brown Navy Blue Petrol	Anthracite Crystal Grey Sunny Beige Navy Blue Petrol	•	0 0 0	•	•	•	•	•	•	•



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 $^{^{}st}$ Leather upholstery consists of upper surface of seat base and backrest, door pull and door armrest.

INFOTAINMENT AND AUDIO SYSTEMS.





INFOTAINMENT SYSTEM.

The Phaeton's infotainment system is as easy to operate as it is to describe. The single, intelligent turn/press control button has been improved to provide direct access to a whole range of functions and information. By amalgamating multiple features into just one control panel, complex technologies are easily operated as part of an intuitive process.

AUDIO SYSTEM.

Whether you are sitting in the front or rear, the remarkable balance of the Phaeton's audio technology ensures you enjoy the same sound quality and experience from every seat. Both audio systems offered have been tailored specifically to the interior geometry of the Phaeton. The standard 8/10 audio system features an 8-channel amplifier, delivering 190 watts through ten loudspeakers, with a standard 6 CD autochanger located in the glovebox.

The optional 12/12 audio system is well worth the investment if you are a true music lover, providing a 12-channel amplifier delivering 270 watts through 12 high performance speakers, and offering a Digital Sound Processor (DSP) with variable room simulations.



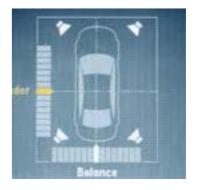
Using the DVD navigation/radio system: with dynamic route guidance and traffic information storage, you are able to reach your destination easily and quickly, avoiding unnecessary delays. Route guidance can be shown on either a two- or three-dimensional map, which also provides navigation status, including the direction of travel, compass orientation and predicted travel time remaining.

Control your tyre pressure: the optional electronic tyre pressure monitoring system monitors the pressure of each individual tyre and potential changes.

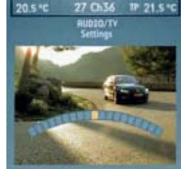
Dialling the right number: with optional telephone preparation the Infotainment system display can also serve as a telephone book, showing, among other things, the name of the caller and up to 1,000 saved telephone contacts.



Clearly illuminated: the duration of the Coming/ leaving home lighting function can be easily adjusted to illuminate the surrounding area as you enter or exit your Phaeton.



Brilliant sounds: the illustrates the position of the loudspeakers and their performance in relation to each of the five seats.



Brilliant colours: when stationary, with the optional TV reception with teletext, you can adjust the brightness, contrast and colour of the high definition TV display screen.



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OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT.





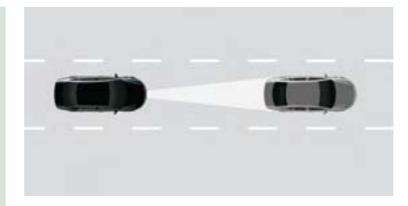
Only one person understands your requirements better than anyone else, and that person is you. For this reason, we offer a whole range of special equipment items, encompassing comfort, technology and safety, enabling you to design your Phaeton to your own personal taste. From intelligent memory packages to a TV receiver, from full leather specification to a wide range of alloys, the choice is yours. All can be fitted to your exact specification, creating tailor-made functionality and style.

Sunblinds: an electric sunblind for the rear window can be ordered individually or as part of a pack with manual sunblinds for the rear side windows (standard on long wheelbase). The special structure of the blinds transforms sunlight glare into soft light, without compromising visibility. Tilt and slide glass sunroof: the electrically operated sunroof provides fresh air and additional light (standard on long wheelbase). An integral wind deflector automatically adjusts depending on roof opening and vehicle speed, thereby reducing wind noise and draught.



Extended wood pack: give your Phaeton a refined ambience by wood trim in the grab door armrest. Available in 'Myrtle', 'Chestnut'

Ultimate in luxury: 'Sensitive' leather upholstery, upper and lower dashboard, the well as the door upholstery (standard on 6.0 W12).



Automatic Distance Control (ADC): You have the option of equipping your Phaeton with Automatic Distance Control (ADC) and the Front Assist monitoring system, helping to reduce the risk of collision. ADC adjusts your vehicle speed to that of the vehicle ahead, while Front Assist detects if the gap is closing too quickly and reacts firstly with a visual and acoustic warning, then a short braking movement.



Bi-Xenon headlights: for dipped and main beam, with dynamic curve lighting, headlight washers and LED daytime running lights (standard on 6.0 W12). Built-in motors swivel the powerful headlights in the direction of travel, improving illumination ahead and to the edge of the road, helping you drive more safely, especially when cornering or turning. Separate LED daytime running lights switch on automatically with the ignition.

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED).









TV reception with teletext: enables you to watch television in excellent picture and sound quality, when your Phaeton is stationary. A port enables you to use other external devices, for example an MP3 player.

AVAILABLE BUT NOT SHOWN.

Keyless entry and keyless start: simply touch the door handle and the vehicle unlocks the doors and activates the optional memory pack (if specified) – even if the key

Memory pack: memorises personalised settings for the 12-way electrically adjustable seats as well as the position of the steering column, interior rear-view and door mirrors and seat belt height. All settings are automatically engaged as you unlock the vehicle using remote control.

Parking heater with remote control and timer function: activate the heater remotely without the need to leave your home. This results in warm seats, clear visibility and no misting up of the windscreen, providing the highest levels of comfort and safety.

Power operated boot lid: aluminium hinges look elegant and integral electric motor technology enables you to open the boot lid from the comfort of the interior (standard on 6.0 W12).

Telephone preparation with Bluetooth: a state of the art communications unit with Bluetooth wireless technology rSAP (remote SIM Access Profile). Each element is activated by voice recognition or via the

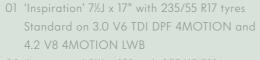
DESIGNED TO INSPIRE.

The range of standard alloy wheels has been carefully chosen to complement the exterior styling of all Phaetons. However, you may wish to add a touch of individuality and personalise your Phaeton with a choice of 17, 18 or 19 inch alloy wheels. Whichever alloy wheel you choose, you can be certain of Volkswagen's superb design and engineering.

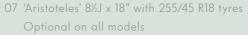








- 02 'Innovation' 8½J x 18" with 255/45 R18 tyres Standard on 6.0 W12 4MOTION LWB Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION LWB and 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB
- 03 'Imagine' 7½J x 17" with 235/55 R17 tyres Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION/LWB and 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB
- 04 'Spirit' 8½J x 18" with 235/50 R18 tyres Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION
- 05 'Challenge' 8½J x 18" with 255/45 R18 tyres Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION/LWB and 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB
- 06 'Performance' 8½J x 18" with 255/45 R18 tyres



- 08 'Helios' 8½J x 19" with 255/40 R19 tyres Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION/LWB and 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB
- 09 'Omanyt' 9J x 19" with 255/40 R19 tyres Optional on 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION/LWB and 4.2 V8 4MOTION LWB





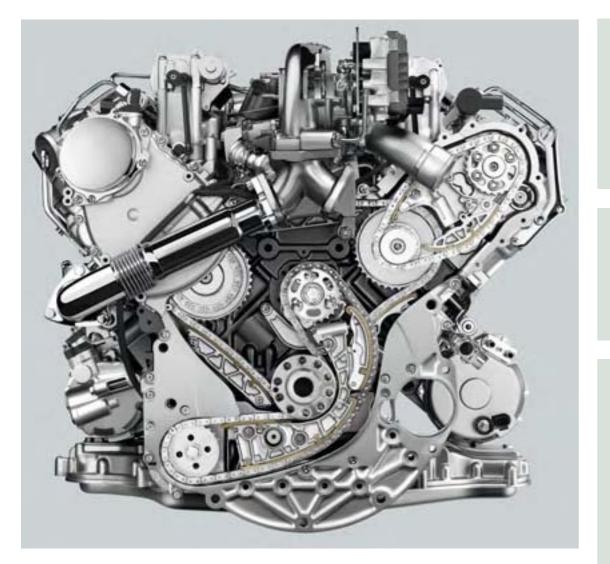






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ENGINES.

A passion for perfection, a desire for excellence and the expertise to innovate. These are the driving forces that push our engineers forward, enabling them to develop superior, leading edge power plants – allowing you to reach your destination as quickly, efficiently and comfortably as possible. Representing the very best of our technologically advanced engines are three options: two powerful petrol engines and a highly innovative diesel engine.

PETROL ENGINES.

4.2 V8.

The V8 petrol engine offers impressive levels of efficiency and economy, its eight cylinders achieving a powerful 335 PS and a maximum torque of 430 Nm. Accelerating from 0-62 mph in just 6.9 seconds, with a top speed of 155 mph, where legal, it packs a hefty punch, offering exceptional driving pleasure with the greatest of ease.

6.0 W12.

While engine class is generally defined by cylinder count and configuration, the Phaeton W12 boasts the most compact 12-cylinder power plant in the world and is therefore in a class of its own. The 6.0 litre capacity generates an exceptional 450 PS, accelerating the Phaeton from 0-62 mph in just 6.1 seconds, making it one of the most powerful production cars ever made. safety reasons, your driving pleasure will know no limits with this truly awesome unit.

3.0 V6 TDI DPF.

The V6 TDI DPF engine is Volkswagen's optimum answer to the demands of tomorrow. This technological masterpiece delivers a compelling story not only in terms of power and economy, but also reduces emissions so significantly as to meet the stringent new Euro 5 exhaust regulations. Fitted as standard with a DPF (Diesel Particulate Filter), the system filters out soot quickly and efficiently from exhaust emissions, producing less pollutants in the atmosphere. This six cylinder 233 PS engine spares nothing in terms of power and dynamic performance either, delivering an unprecedented 450 Nm of torque, enabling you to enjoy sheer driving pleasure.

3.0 LITRE V6 TDI 4MOTION 233 PS. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION - STANDARD WHEELBASE.

NOTES.

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ENGINE	Z In In In In	ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION	D. 153 CN (04)
Engine type	6 cylinder diesel	Fuel grade, minimum	Diesel 51 CN ⁽⁰⁴⁾
Cubic capacity, ltrs/cc	3.0/2967	Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltr	19.7/90
Max. output, PS ⁽⁰¹⁾ /kW	233/171	Official fuel consumption, mpg/ltr per 100 km (06)	
at rpm	4000	Urban	22.1/128
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	332/450	Extra-urban	37.7/7.5
at rpm	1500-3500	Combined	30.1/9.4
Gearbox	6 speed auto tiptronic	Official CO ₂ emission, g/km ⁽⁰⁷⁾	248
		Emission class	EURO 5
		Noise, dB	73
WEIGHTS, KGS			
Unladen weight ⁽⁰²⁾	2158		
Gross vehicle weight	2760	MAXIMUM LUGGAGE CAPACITY, LITRES (08)	500
Payload ⁽⁰²⁾	602		
Axle load limit: Front	1480		
Rear	1310	EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
		Width – excluding door mirrors, mm	1903
		Width – opened front/rear doors, mm	3906/3747
TRAILER LOAD LIMITS, KGS (03)		Height – opened bonnet/floor, mm	1888
Braked 12% incline	2500	Height – opened tailgate/floor, mm	1749
Unbraked	750	Front/rear track width, mm	1628/1612
Towbar load limit	100	Length, mm	5055
Maximum roof load	100	Height, mm	1450
		Wheelbase, mm	2881
PERFORMANCE			
Top speed, mph (km/h) (where law permits)	146 (236)	INTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Acceleration, seconds 0 - 62 mph	8.4	Front elbow width, mm	1562
ABI insurance group	16	Effective front head room (with optional sunroof), mm	974 (945)
0 1		Effective rear head room (with optional sunroof), mm	970 (960)
		Rear elbow width, mm	1528

- criteria. Vehicle unladen weight ranges with 90% tank capacity without driver. The individual unladen weight depends on the specification of the vehicle, this then
- 03 With increasing altitude the engine performance 1,000 m thereafter 10% of the vehicle/trailer weight (trailer weight + gross vehicle weight) must be deducted.
- 04 The use of RME and FAME (bio diesel) is not possible.
- RON) can be used instead of unleaded Super plus petrol - with a small reduction in torque.
- 06 Official fuel consumption according to EU Directive 99/94. The consumption calculation according to weight class and hence to consumption figures of this conditions, environmental influences and vehicle which may differ from those calculated with this standard.
- emission it produces; as a result, vehicles with higher
- 08 Maximum luggage capacity in litres is measured using

3.0 LITRE V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION 233 PS. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION - LONG WHEELBASE.

NOTES.

	Automatic tiptronic		Automatic tiptronic
ENGINE		ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION	
Engine type	6 cylinder diesel	Fuel grade, minimum	Diesel 51 CN (04)
Cubic capacity, Itrs/cc	3.0/2967	Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltr	19.7/90
Max. output, PS (01)/kW	233/171	Official fuel consumption, mpg/ltr per 100 km (06)	
at rpm	4000	Urban	22.1/12.8
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	332/450	Extra-urban	37.7/7.5
at rpm	1500-3500	Combined	30.1/9.4
Gearbox	6 speed auto tiptronic	Official CO ₂ emission, g/km ⁽⁰⁷⁾	248
		Emission class	EURO 5
		Noise, dB	73
WEIGHTS, KGS			
Unladen weight ⁽⁰²⁾	2240		
Gross vehicle weight	2830 MAXIMUM LUGGAGE CAPACITY, LITRES (08)		500
Payload ⁽⁰²⁾	590		
Axle load limit: Front	1490		
Rear	1370	EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
		Width - excluding door mirrors, mm	1903
		Width – opened front/rear doors, mm	3906/3969
TRAILER LOAD LIMITS, KGS (03)		Height – opened bonnet/floor, mm	1888
Braked 12% incline	2500	Height – opened tailgate/floor, mm	1749
Unbraked	750	Front/rear track width, mm	1628/1612
Towbar load limit	100	Length, mm	5175
Maximum roof load	100	Height, mm	1450
		Wheelbase, mm	3001
PERFORMANCE			
Top speed, mph (km/h) (where law permits)	146 (236)	INTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Acceleration, seconds 0 - 62 mph	8.4	Front elbow width, mm	1562
ABI insurance group	16	Effective front head room, mm	945
		Effective rear head room, mm	969
		Rear elbow width, mm	1524

- criteria. Vehicle unladen weight ranges with 90% tank capacity without driver. The individual unladen weight depends on the specification of the vehicle, this then
- 03 With increasing altitude the engine performance 1,000 m thereafter 10% of the vehicle/trailer weight (trailer weight + gross vehicle weight) must be deducted.
- 04 The use of RME and FAME (bio diesel) is not possible.
- RON) can be used instead of unleaded Super plus petrol - with a small reduction in torque.
- 06 Official fuel consumption according to EU Directive 99/94. The consumption calculation according to weight class and hence to consumption figures of this conditions, environmental influences and vehicle which may differ from those calculated with this standard.
- emission it produces; as a result, vehicles with higher
- 08 Maximum luggage capacity in litres is measured using

4.2 LITRE V8 4MOTION 335 PS. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION - LONG WHEELBASE.

NOTES.

	Automatic tiptronic		Automatic tiptronic
ENGINE		ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION	
Engine type	8 cylinder petrol	Fuel grade, minimum	Unleaded 95 RON (05)
Cubic capacity, ltrs/cc	4.2/4172	Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltr	19.7/90
Max. output, PS ⁽⁰¹⁾ /kW	335/246	Official fuel consumption, mpg/ltr per 100 km (06)	
at rpm	6500	Urban	14.9/18.9
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	317/430	Extra-urban	29.4/9.6
at rpm	3500	Combined	21.7/13.0
Gearbox	6 speed auto tiptronic	Official CO ₂ emission, g/km ⁽⁰⁷⁾	310
		Emission class	EURO 4
		Noise, dB	72
WEIGHTS, KGS			
Unladen weight ⁽⁰²⁾	2198		
Gross vehicle weight	2780	MAXIMUM LUGGAGE CAPACITY, LITRES (08)	500
Payload ⁽⁰²⁾	582		
Axle load limit: Front	1420		
Rear	1390	EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
		Width – excluding door mirrors, mm	1903
		Width – opened front/rear doors, mm	3906/3969
TRAILER LOAD LIMITS, KGS (03)		Height – opened bonnet/floor, mm	1888
Braked 12% incline	2400	Height – opened tailgate/floor, mm	1749
Unbraked	750	Front/rear track width, mm	1628/1612
Towbar load limit	100	Length, mm	5175
Maximum roof load	100	Height, mm	1450
		Wheelbase, mm	3001
PERFORMANCE			
Top speed, mph (km/h) (where law permits)	155 (250)	INTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Acceleration, seconds 0 - 62 mph	6.9	Front elbow width, mm	1562
ABI insurance group	20	Effective front head room, mm	945
		Effective rear head room, mm	969
		Rear elbow width, mm	1524

- criteria. Vehicle unladen weight ranges with 90% tank capacity without driver. The individual unladen weight depends on the specification of the vehicle, this then
- 03 With increasing altitude the engine performance 1,000 m thereafter 10% of the vehicle/trailer weight (trailer weight + gross vehicle weight) must be deducted.
- 04 The use of RME and FAME (bio diesel) is not possible.
- RON) can be used instead of unleaded Super plus petrol - with a small reduction in torque.
- 06 Official fuel consumption according to EU Directive 99/94. The consumption calculation according to weight class and hence to consumption figures of this conditions, environmental influences and vehicle which may differ from those calculated with this standard.
- emission it produces; as a result, vehicles with higher
- 08 Maximum luggage capacity in litres is measured using

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6.0 LITRE W12 4MOTION 450 PS. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION - LONG WHEELBASE.

NOTES.

	Automatic tiptronic		Automatic tiptronic
ENGINE		ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION	
Engine type	12 cylinder petrol	Fuel grade, minimum	Unleaded 95 RON (0)
Cubic capacity, Itrs/cc	6.0/5998	Fuel tank capacity, galls/ltr	19.7/90
Max. output, PS ⁽⁰¹⁾ /kW	450/331	Official fuel consumption, mpg/ltr per 100 km (06)	
at rpm	6050	Urban	13.3/21.2
Max. torque, lbs.ft/Nm	413/560	Extra-urban	26.9/10.5
at rpm	2750-5200	Combined	19.5/14.5
Gearbox	5 speed auto tiptronic	Official CO ₂ emission, g/km ⁽⁰⁷⁾	348
		Emission class	EURO 4
		Noise, dB	70
WEIGHTS, KGS			
Jnladen weight ⁽⁰²⁾	2358		
Gross vehicle weight	2910	MAXIMUM LUGGAGE CAPACITY, LITRES (08)	500
Payload ⁽⁰²⁾	552		
Axle load limit: Front	1550		
Rear	1390	EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
		Width - excluding door mirrors, mm	1903
		Width – opened front/rear doors, mm	3906/3969
FRAILER LOAD LIMITS, KGS (03)		Height – opened bonnet/floor, mm	1888
Braked 12% incline	2400	Height – opened tailgate/floor, mm	1749
Jnbraked	750	Front/rear track width, mm	1628/1612
Towbar load limit	100	Length, mm	5175
Maximum roof load	100	Height, mm	1450
		Wheelbase, mm	3001
PERFORMANCE			
Top speed, mph (km/h) (where law permits)	155 (250)	INTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Acceleration, seconds 0 - 62 mph	6.1	Front elbow width, mm	1562
ABI insurance group	20	Effective front head room, mm	945
		Effective rear head room, mm	969
		Rear elbow width, mm	1524

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- 03 With increasing altitude the engine performance 1,000 m thereafter 10% of the vehicle/trailer weight (trailer weight + gross vehicle weight) must be deducted.
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THE TECHNOLOGY.

FNGINES

- 3.0 litre/233 PS⁽⁰¹⁾ (171 kW) V6 diesel engine. 6 cylinder 'V' engine, two overhead camshafts per cylinder bank, four valves per cylinder, turbocharger with variable turbine geometry, valve drive through roller valve levers, injection system of the third generation with Piezo inline injectors and 1,600 bar injection pressure, diesel particle filter
- 4.2 litre/335 PS⁽⁰¹⁾ (246 kW) V8 petrol engine. 8 cylinder 'V' engine, double overhead camshaft per cylinder head, five valves per cylinder, aluminium cylinder crankcase, cylinder angle 90° in V configuration, bore 84.5 mm, stroke 93.0 mm, connecting rod length 154 mm, cylinder distance 90 mm, valve drive via roller rocker arms, continuous inlet and exhaust camshaft adjustment, single spark ignition, electronic accelerator engine control
- 6.0 litre/450 PS⁽⁰¹⁾ (331 kW) W12 petrol engine. 12 cylinder aluminium 'W' engine with dual-duct magnesium intake manifold, two overhead camshafts per cylinder head, four valves per cylinder, aluminium cylinder crankcase, two V6 engines each with a cylinder bank angle of 15° are combined at 72° on a common crankshaft to form a W12 engine

- 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION, 4.2 V8 4MOTION: Front axle brakes, two-piston floating caliper brakes
- 6.0 W12 4MOTION: Front axle brakes, eight-piston fixed caliper brakes, four brake pads
- Rear axle brakes: one-piston floating caliper brakes with integral parking brake
- Foot-operated parking brake acts on rear wheels
- Hydraulic dual circuit brakes with brake servo
- ABS (Anti-lock Braking System) with EBD (Electronic Brake-pressure Distribution)

RUNNING GFAR

- Front and rear independent suspension
- Front and rear anti-roll bar
- CDC air suspension with automatic self-levelling system and height adjustment as well as continuous, speed-related electronic damper control
- Turning circle: 12 metres

TRANSMISSION

- 3.0 V6 TDI DPF 4MOTION, 4.2 V8 4MOTION: Six speed automatic tiptronic gearbox. Permanent four-wheel drive, using
- 6.0 W12 4MOTION: Five speed automatic tiptronic gearbox. Permanent four-wheel drive, using

EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS

NOTES.

Pferdestärke, which is the metric equivalent of horsepower). To convert from metric to imperial horsepower, divide the

STEERING

- Smooth steering: high-quality control and electronics
- Rack and pinion steering with power assistance
- Speed-dependent Servotronic steering

THE OWNERSHIP EXPERIENCE.

Owning and driving a Phaeton is an extremely rewarding experience. It's not just the performance, build quality, comfort and practicality that satisfies, the level of after-sales support is also exemplary. To deliver such high levels of service, we've introduced a network of specialist service outlets, all having the necessary specialist equipment and high levels of skills required to look after your car.

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All Volkswagen Phaetons come with a threeyear/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 an authorised Volkswagen luxury car warranty must be purchased before the mileage reaches 60,000*. Full details of the three-year warranty are available from your authorised Volkswagen retailer or repairer.

* All warranty work must be completed by an authorised

Three-year Paint Warranty. The paintwork of the Phaeton is covered against manufacturing defects for a period of three years. Naturally, the Phaeton must be cared for in compliance with the operating instructions which will be found in your vehicle handbook. Please consult your authorised Volkswagen warranty details.

12-year Body Protection Warranty. The internal body sections and panels of the Phaeton are covered against rusting through from the inside for 12 years. Naturally, the Phaeton must be cared for in compliance with the operating instructions. Please consult your authorised Volkswagen luxury car specialist retailer or repairer for full warranty details.

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 specialist retailer at the point of vehicle sale will also benefit from the three-year vehicle warranty.

Extended Warranty. You may purchase

Volkswagen Insurance[‡]. Competitive and comprehensive motor insurance designed especially for Volkswagen drivers. All new and Approved Used Volkswagens come with complimentary seven-day cover upon request – we'll e-mail a cover note straight to your retailer, enabling them to tax your car easily. This way, you can drive straight out of the showroom. Taking out annual cover is easy and it can start when the seven-day cover expires. For more information contact your authorised Volkswagen luxury car specialist retailer or repairer or call

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Tax Free Sales. For full details, please contact your authorised Volkswagen luxury car

Service Intervals. Volkswagen are pleased to offer you a choice on how your Phaeton is serviced. The appropriate selection is entirely dependent on how the car is likely to be driven and its general use. To help you identify which type of service would be most suitable, please refer to the following guide.

The Time and Distance Service is recommended for vehicles that will cover less than 10.000 miles in 12 months and if the vehicle is likely to be used in the following way:

- Predominantly urban driving, short journeys with
- Activities regularly producing high engine loading, e.g. frequent hill climbs, driving with vehicle fully loaded and towing.
- Uneconomical driving style using high rpms with heavy acceleration and heavy braking. The service intervals for the Time and Distance
- Oil change service Every 10,000 miles/1 year (whichever is soonest).
- Interval service Every 20,000 miles/2 years (whichever is soonest).
- Inspection service Every 40,000 miles/3 years

The LongLife Service is recommended for vehicles with a daily mileage of more than 25 miles where the vehicle is driven regularly mainly on longer distance journeys. The vehicle is driven mainly at a constant speed with minimum vehicle and engine loading, minimal towing and driven in an economical manner.

With the LongLife Service the vehicle can cover anywhere between 10,000[†] and a maximum of 18,000[†] miles or 24 months (whichever is soonest) between oil changes. Inspection service is typically in the third year of ownership and thereafter every second year, for vehicles with an approximate annual

† Please note that mileages are approximate as the service indicator system uses kilometres as the distance measurement. Please consult your authorised Volkswagen

CO₂ Emission. The weight of a vehicle will influence the level of CO₂ emission it produces; as a result, vehicles with higher levels of specification and factory-fitted options may emit higher levels of CO₂.

The CO₂ 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 CO₂ 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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The specifications contained in this book are for information purposes only and are subject to change. If you require any specific feature, you must consult your authorised Volkswagen luxury car specialist retailer who is regularly updated with any change in specification. Please check model availability and full specification details with your authorised Volkswagen luxury car specialist retailer prior to ordering.

Note: We would like to advise you that telephone calls to the Luxury car support centre may be monitored and recorded as part of our training and quality assurance processes. All our monitoring and recording processes meet Oftel regulations.



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Volkswagen Roadside Assistance provides many benefits and complete peace of mind. For example, should you be in the unfortunate situation of a breakdown, we'll arrange overnight accommodation In addition, there's an Accident and Legal Helpline.

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