

1980 DODGE ASPEN



Aspen Wagon.

WORKING CLASS.

Comfortable, roomy, easy to own and operate . . . there's no better way to describe Aspen. That's why it continues to be an uncompromised value in today's market. Take our 1980 Aspen wagon, for instance. It offers 73.1 cubic feet of cargo space with the rear seat down or room for six passengers with the rear seat up. Passengers who will be treated to comfortable sedan-like seating, a smooth ride and every luxury you care to add from Aspen's long options list.

Aspen's a "class act" outside, too. It boasts new front-end styling. With rectangular headlamps, wraparound side marker lights and an elegant new horizontal bar grille. Set off by rich looking wood-tone trim at the side and rear when you order the Special Edition Package.

Even Aspen wagon's chassis is special. With a transverse torsion bar front suspension. A proven six-cylinder engine. Standard power brakes. And a just-right

wheelbase that's long enough to provide a stable ride, yet short enough to keep Aspen trim and maneuverable.

Put it all together and you've got a wagon that's handsome, practical and a pleasure to drive. What more could you ask for in any wagon?

About this catalog.

We have tried to make this catalog as complete as possible. And we hope you find it useful. However, since the time of printing, some of the information you'll find here may have been updated.

Also, some of the equipment shown or described throughout this catalog is available at extra cost. Your dealer has details and you should ask him for current information before ordering.

BELOW: These all-cloth 60/40 individually adjustable seats with folding center armrest and passenger-side seatback recliner are offered in red or cashmere in Aspen wagons with the optional Special Edition Package.



Aspen wagon with Special Edition Woodgrain Package in Baron Red.



Aspen wagon with Custom Exterior Package.

Aspen Sedan.

SENSATIONALLY SENSIBLE.

What could be more sensible than a trim, easy-to-handle six-passenger sedan? Like our sensational Aspen four-door. Its surprisingly affordable price includes standard features like a proven six-cylinder engine, front disc brakes, transverse torsion bar front suspension and radial-ply tires.

Outside, there's a new front-end treatment for a fresh, contem-

porary look. Inside you'll find handsome cloth-and-vinyl upholstered seats. A three-spoke steering wheel. Color-keyed carpeting. And conveniently arranged instrumentation and controls.

If you like your sedans on the dressy side, consider what you can do with our already handsome Aspen. You can add a smart looking Custom Package or a rich look-

ing Special Edition Package. Or two-tone paint treatments and wire wheel covers for extra elegance.

Aspen's already good looking interior gets dressed up, too, when you order either Package. With rich bench seating for the Custom and plush 60/40 seating with passenger-side recliner for the Special Edition.

Like to keep your options open? Turn up the AM/FM stereo. Settle back and enjoy the full "power range" . . . steering, brakes, windows, door locks. The convenience of an electric rear window defroster, electronic digital clock, or automatic speed control. They're all Aspen options . . . all designed to make our 1980 Aspen sedan the most thoroughly enjoyable car of its type. Drive one today and see if you don't agree.

BELOW: This handsome cloth-and-vinyl bench seat is offered in blue, green, red or cashmere in Aspen sedans with the optional Custom Package.



Aspen sedan with Custom Package.



Aspen sedan with Special Edition Package.



Aspen Coupe.

LIKABLE, CAPABLE, AFFORDABLE.

People who want personality in a car are naturally attracted to our Aspen coupe. It just seems to fit the fun-loving nature of most two-door buyers. Even more so this year, thanks to fresh new front-end styling. New exterior and interior trims. Plus new options.

But Aspen coupe has a serious side, too. Standard features for folks who think practicality is as important as personality. The

practicality of a six-cylinder engine, front disc brakes, a transverse torsion bar front suspension, electronic ignition and extensive corrosion protection, to name just a few of Aspen coupe's standard attributes.

Aspen coupe's personality grows each time you move up a notch by ordering either the Custom or Special Edition Package. Each offers its own brand of dis-

tinctive trim features to enhance Aspen's appearance inside and out.

Then there's the handsome Aspen Sunrise Package that includes special exterior accent striping. Bold plaid cloth-and-vinyl bucket seats. And deluxe wheel covers. For more than just a touch of sportiness.

If you like your "sports personalities" larger than life, there's only one Aspen for you. The Aspen R/T. The optional R/T Package includes a rear spoiler, painted spoke road wheels, heavy-duty suspension, and special exterior accents. To make it one of the sportiest looking sport coupes on the road.

1980 Aspen coupe. It's bound to be the most likable, capable... yet affordable car of its kind around.



BELOW: These bucket seats upholstered in plaid cloth-and-vinyl are offered in red, blue or cashmere in the Aspen coupe with the optional Sunrise Package.



Aspen coupe with Special Edition Package.

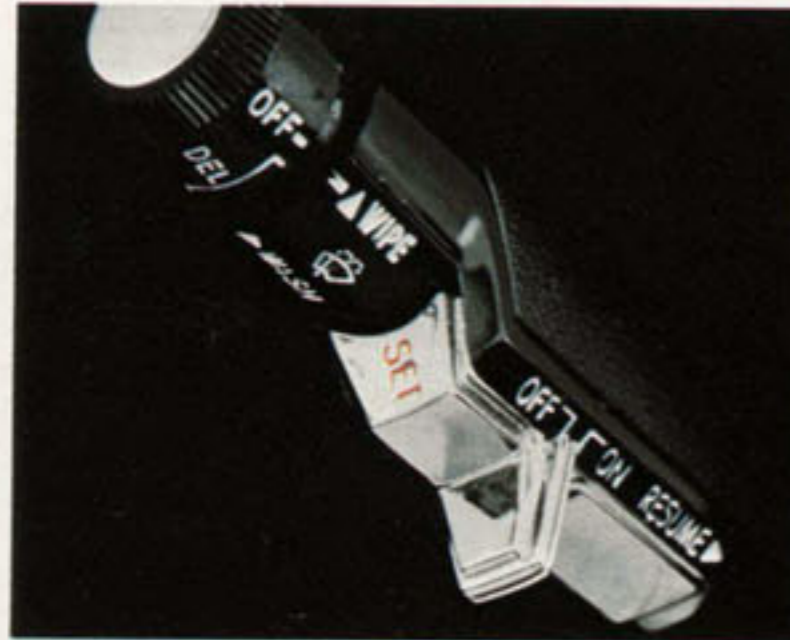


Aspen coupe with Sunrise Package.

Aspen Standard Features and Options

Optional automatic speed control and intermittent wipers

This Dodge duo will keep your speed steady and your windshield clear in light rain, fog or mist. Both are located on one easy-to-reach, easy-to-use column-mounted control lever. Both options are available separately.



Optional tailgate washer/wiper

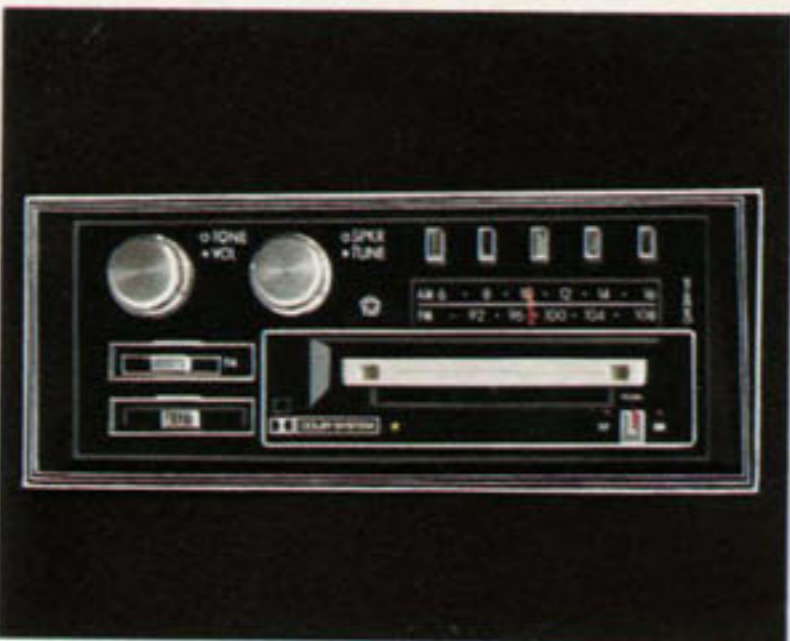
A flick of the switch on the instrument panel makes it easy to improve your view to the rear. This new-for-'80 option is available on any Aspen wagon.



Optional AM/FM stereo radio with cassette tape player and Dolby* system

Fill your Aspen with the sound of music by selecting the AM or FM station of your choice or your favorite albums on cassette.

*Dolby is a trademark of Dolby Laboratories.



Aspen's Uncompromised Value

Electric rear window defroster improves rearview visibility by removing fog or frost (opt).

Six-passenger room in sedans and wagons (std).

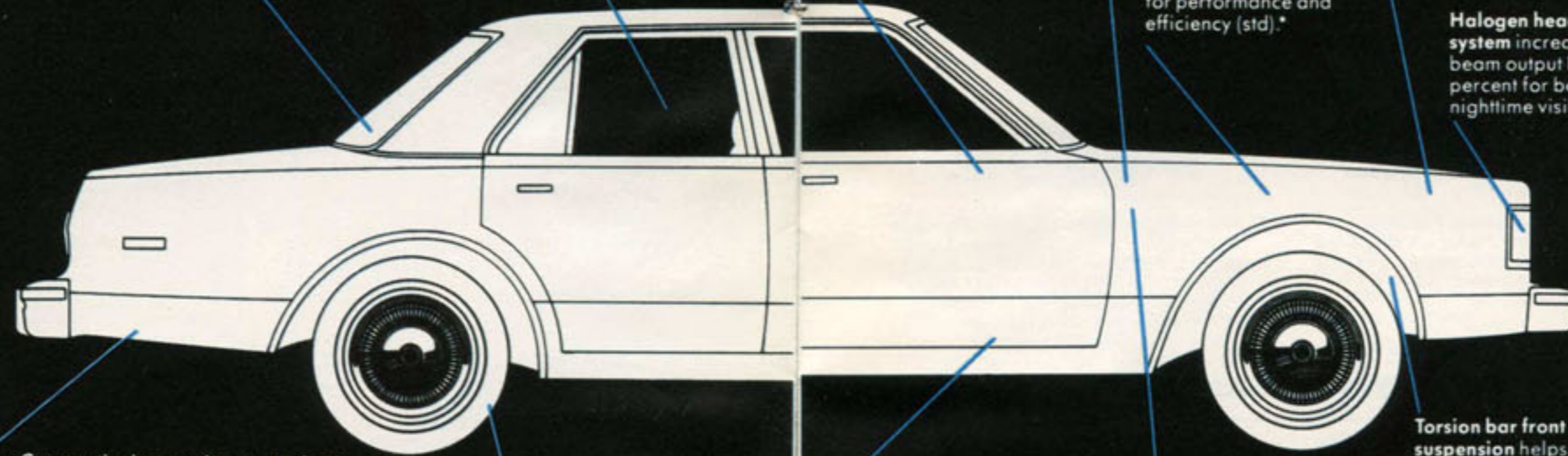
Column-mounted multifunction control lever combines washer/wipers, optional automatic speed control (if ordered), turn signals and headlight dimmer for convenient operation (std).

Diagnostic plug-in connector helps identify engine electrical problems and reduces service time (std).

Long-Life 500-ampere battery is the only original equipment battery that offers a five-year/50,000-mile limited warranty (opt).

Halogen headlamp system increases high beam output by 25 percent for better nighttime visibility (opt).

Proven Slant Six engine for performance and efficiency (std).*



Chrysler Corporation's corrosion protection is unsurpassed in the industry. It includes the use of galvanized sheet metal panels, one of the best known methods of corrosion protection, as well as the seven-step dip-and-spray process. Both are standard to keep your Aspen looking new for years to come.

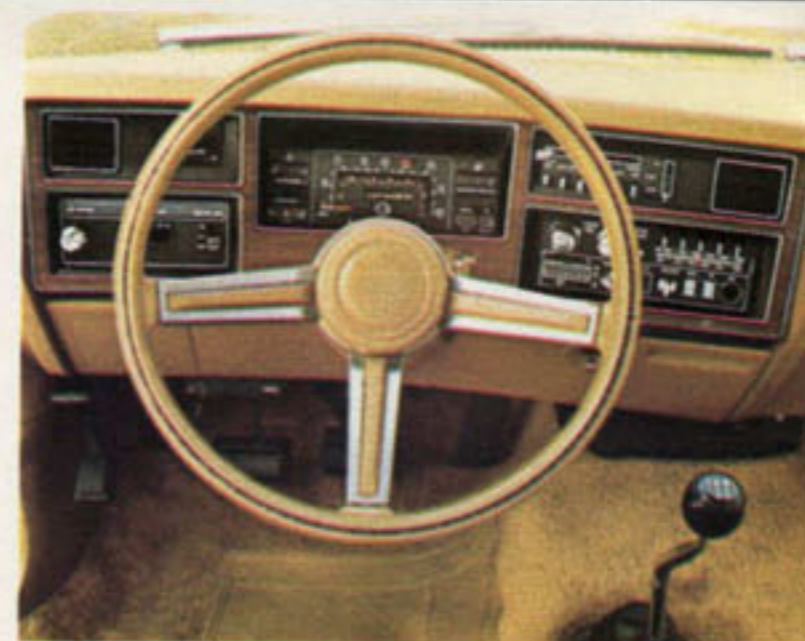
Glass-belted radial-ply tires provide excellent handling and long tread life and help improve fuel economy (std).

TorqueFlite automatic transmission with lockup torque converter helps improve fuel economy (opt).*

Electronic ignition and electronic voltage regulator are highly reliable solid state electrical system components (std).

Torsion bar front suspension helps provide a smooth ride (std).

Optional luxury steering wheel Beyond it is Aspen's easy-to-read standard instrumentation, including gauges for alternator, engine temperature and fuel with warning lights for oil pressure and parking brake.



Optional wagon cargo security cover

Now you can keep your valuables out of view with this handy vinyl cover that pulls out from behind the rear seat and rolls up when not in use.



* Since 1980 EPA estimates were unavailable at the time catalog was printed, ask your dealer about current information regarding mpg ratings.

Optional T-Bar roof

The next best thing to a convertible. Tinted glass panels lift out and store in the trunk to give that fresh air feeling to any Aspen coupe.



Optional 5/50 Protection Plan

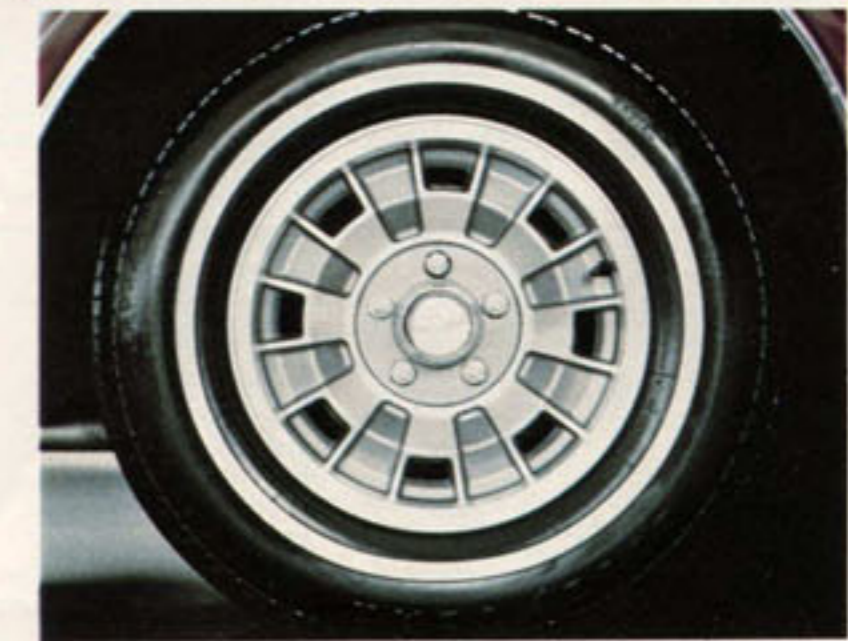
This optional service contract, the longest protection plan* of any domestic manufacturer, covers major power train components for five years or 50,000 miles (whichever comes first) from the time you take delivery of your new Aspen. The plan, which has a \$50 deductible per repair visit, also has an allowance for alternate transportation and towing. Ask your dealer for full details.

*Provisions of plans vary with manufacturer.



Optional cast aluminum road wheels

Add that sporty road car image to any Aspen with the addition of these great looking optional wheels.



1980 READY-TO-ORDER FORM**EXTERIOR TRIM***Certain models, packages and options are subject to specific restrictions, requirements and late availability. Consult your dealer for current ordering information.***Aspen Value Coupe and Sedan**

Here are two great ways to get value-plus in a new 1980 Dodge Aspen. These specially equipped two-door and four-door models offer all of Aspen's great standard features, plus a lot more... at a price that'll put a smile on your face. Included are: an automatic transmission, power steering, cloth-and-vinyl bench seat, white sidewall radial-ply tires, deluxe wheel covers, body-side tape stripes and wheel-opening moldings.

**Aspen Coupe**

Aspen coupe includes bright windshield, rear window, quarter window and roof drip rail moldings; front and rear bumper guards; bright finish left outside mirror and hubcaps.

**Aspen Coupe Custom Package**

Includes all the standard Aspen coupe trim plus rear lower deck applique, bright belt and center pillar moldings; wheel-opening and sill moldings and body-side accent stripes.

**Aspen Coupe Special Edition Package**

Includes all Custom coupe features plus: a bright hood ornament, body and hood accent stripes, left remote control rearview mirror and deluxe wheel covers.

**Aspen Coupe R/T Package**

Features on R/T include black grille, black windshield and quarter window surround; backlight and drip moldings, bright sill moldings with black surround and eight-spoke painted road wheels.

**Aspen Sedan**

Exterior features include bright windshield, rear window and roof drip rail moldings; bright finish left outside mirror, hubcaps and front and rear bumper guards.

**Aspen Sedan Custom Package**

All the standard Aspen sedan trim plus: wheel-opening and sill moldings, rear lower deck applique and bright belt moldings.

**Aspen Sedan Special Edition Package**

Includes all Custom sedan features plus: a bright hood ornament, body-side and hood accent stripes, left remote rearview mirror, deluxe wheel covers and bright upper door frame moldings.

**Aspen Wagon**

Exterior features include bright windshield, rear quarter window, rear liftgate and roof drip rail moldings; bright finish left outside mirror; front and rear bumper guards and hubcaps.

**Aspen Wagon Custom Package**

Includes all standard Aspen wagon features plus: wheel-opening, sill, belt and upper door frame moldings.

**Aspen Wagon Special Edition Package**

Includes Custom wagon features except wheel-opening and sill moldings, plus: a bright hood ornament, left remote rearview mirror, deluxe wheel covers, wood-tone appliques on body sides and liftgate with woodtone surround moldings.

INTERIOR TRIM

Standard on Aspen coupes and sedans is this cloth-and-vinyl bench seat, offered in blue, red or cashmere.



This all-vinyl bench seat is standard on wagons and optional on sedans. Offered in cashmere, blue or red.



Optional on Aspen coupes and wagons are vinyl bucket seats in blue,* red or cashmere.



Sporty plaid cloth bucket seats are standard with the Sunrise Coupe Package. Offered in blue, red or cashmere.



Offered with the Custom Package on coupes and sedans is a cloth-and-vinyl bench seat in blue, green, red or cashmere.



Available seating on all Aspens is a vinyl bench in blue†, red or cashmere (plus green on the sedans).



These optional vinyl bucket seats with center cushion and folding armrest are offered in blue* red or cashmere with the Custom Package on coupes and wagons.



Also optional on wagons with the Custom Package are 60/40 vinyl seats with passenger-side recliner in red or cashmere.



60/40 vinyl seats with passenger-side recliner and easy-entry system (2-door) are available on Aspens with the Special Edition Package. Colors are blue,* red or cashmere.



60/40 split bench seat in all-cloth with passenger-side recliner and easy-entry system (2-door) are offered in blue* red and cashmere on all Aspens with the Special Edition Package.

ENGINES & TRANSMISSIONS**Federal**

- 3.7-liter (225 CID) 1V, Slant Six (std)
- 5.2-liter (318 CID) 2V, V-8 (opt)

High Altitude

- 5.2-liter (318 CID) 4V, V-8 (opt)

California

- 3.7-liter (225 CID) 1V, Slant Six (std)

- 5.2-liter (318 CID) 4V, V-8 (opt)
- Three-speed manual (std) (N/A Calif. or V-8)
- Four-speed manual (opt) (N/A Calif. or V-8)
- TorqueFlite automatic (opt)

TIRES & WHEELS

- P195/75R14—glass-belted radial black sidewall (std)
- P195/75R14—glass-belted radial white sidewall (opt)
- P205/75R14—steel-belted radial wide white sidewall (opt)

- FR70X14—Aramid-belted radial outline white letter (opt)
- Cast aluminum road wheels (opt) (four)

OPTIONAL PACKAGES**Custom Package**

- Custom interior • Rear armrests with ashtrays • Hood silencer pad • Woodtone instrument cluster applique • Cigarette lighter • Day/night inside rearview mirror • Glove box lock • Dual horns • Inside hood release • "Custom" exterior nameplates • Wheel-opening moldings • Body-side tape stripe (coupe only) • Sill moldings • Molded cloth-covered headliner (not offered in wagon) • Rear deck lower applique (not offered on wagon) • Upper door frame moldings (wagons only) • Belt moldings

(coupe and sedan) • Dual horns • Inside hood release • Glove box lock • Wagon cargo compartment carpet • Wagon storage bins with covers and locks

Deluxe Insulation Package

- Noise Reduction Package • Special sound insulation • Hood silencer pad

Aspen R/T (coupe only)**Exterior**

- Black grille, headlamp doors, windshield, back-lite and drip moldings • Black quarter window surround molding • Black windshield wiper arms/blades • Dual color-keyed remote sport mirrors • Bright sill moldings with black surround • Accent stripes on hood, cowl, mirrors, wheel openings, side window perimeters and rear spoiler (with T-Bar roof option, transverse roof stripe replaces stripe above roof drip molding) • Unique gas filler cap • Rear spoiler • R/T decal on front fenders and rear spoiler

Interior

- Vinyl bucket seats without center cushion and armrest—center cushion and armrest optional • "Tuff" color-keyed steering wheel

Chassis/Power Train

- Eight-spoke painted road wheels with stainless steel ornamentation and trim rings • P195/75R14 black sidewall radials • Heavy-duty suspension

Special Edition Package

- Premium interior • Special Edition exterior nameplates • Wheel-opening moldings (coupe and sedan) • Sill moldings (coupe and sedan) • Wood-tone body-side and rear applique (wagon) • Belt moldings • Upper door frame moldings (sedan and wagon) • Hood accent stripe (coupe and sedan) • Body-side accent stripes (coupe and sedan) • Stand-up hood ornament • Rear lower deck applique (coupe and sedan) • Left remote control rearview mirror • Deep-pile carpeting • Rear armrests with ashtrays • Woodtone instrument cluster and glove box door applique • Deluxe wheel covers • Cigarette lighter • Day/night rearview mirror—inside • Molded cloth-covered headliner (coupe and sedan) • Deluxe Insulation Package • Trunk dress-up

OPTIONS

- Air Conditioning*
- Armrests—Rear, with ashtray
- Automatic Speed Control
- Axle—Sure-Grip differential
- Battery—500 amperes, Long-Life
- Bumper Protective Rub Strips—Front and rear
- Cigarette Lighter
- Clock—Electronic digital
- Console
- Defogger, Rear Window Blower (required on all sedan and coupe vehicles registered in New York state)
- Defroster, Electrically Heated Rear Window
- Emissions Control System and Testing (required on all vehicles registered in California)
- Emissions System—High altitude
- Gas Cap—Locking
- Glass
 - Clear—All windows
 - Tinted—All windows
 - Tinted—Windshield only
- Hood Release—Inside
- Horns—Dual
- Lock, Glove Box
- Mats—Color-keyed carpet, front and rear
- Maximum Cooling System
- Mirrors
 - Day/Night—Inside
 - Remote Control—Outside, left: chrome
 - Remote Control—Outside, left and right: chrome
 - Remote Control—Outside, dual sport-styled: chrome
 - Remote Control—Outside, dual sport-styled: painted
- Molding
 - Belt
 - Body Side—Protective black vinyl
 - Door-Edge Protectors
 - Upper Door Frame
 - Wheel Opening
 - Pedal Dress-Up
- Power
 - Bucket Seat—Left
 - 60/40 Bench Seat—Left
 - Disc Brakes—Front
- Door Locks
- Steering
- Windows
- Radios
 - AM—Value models only
 - AM/FM Monaural
 - AM/FM Stereo with Cassette Tape—Includes Dolby* System
 - AM Monaural with Eight-Track Stereo Tape—Includes four speakers: two front and two rear
 - AM/FM Stereo—Includes four speakers: two front and two rear
 - AM/FM Stereo w/CB Transceiver with Tri-Band Antenna—Includes four speakers: two front and two rear
 - AM/FM with Eight-Track Stereo Tape—Includes four speakers: two front and two rear
 - Rear-Seat Speaker, Single—Available with AM or AM/FM monaural radios only
- Seat Belts—Deluxe color-keyed
- Spare Tire—Conventional (std wagon)

Protection Group

- Door-edge protectors • Accessory carpet floor mats, front and rear

Sport Appearance Package

- Dual remote control sport mirrors, painted—offered in six colors or chrome
- Luxury three-spoke steering wheel with woodtone inlay in rim • Eight-spoke painted road wheels with trim ring—offered in four body colors, plus argent

Two-Tone Paint Package

- Upper and lower body two-tone paint with paint-break accent stripes and wheel-opening moldings (Not available wagons)

Sunrise Package (coupe only)**Exterior**

- Body-side and deck/lid accent stripes • Belt moldings

Interior

- Plaid cloth-and-vinyl high-back buckets

Chassis

- Deluxe wheel covers
- White sidewall tires

Six-Cylinder Engine Package

- Larger 14-inch air cleaner • Larger exhaust system with tailpipe resonator
- Larger starter motor • Larger battery
- 18½-inch five-blade fan (with A/C)
- Under hood silencer pad

Station Wagon Options

- Air Deflector
- Cargo Compartment Carpets and Lockable Storage Bin Covers
- Cargo Security Cover
- Luggage Rack
- Power Liftgate Release
- Tailgate Wash/Wipe System

Steering Wheels

- Three-Spoke Luxury—Woodtone in rim
- "Tuff" Color-Keyed
- Two-Spoke Tilt Wheel—With tilt column

- Suspension—Heavy-duty
- Tape Stripes—Body-side
- T-Bar Roof—Coupe only
- Trunk Dress-Up
- Undercoating—Includes hood silencer pad

Wheel Covers

- Deluxe
- Premium
- Wire

- Wipers—Deluxe intermittent

*Ask your dealer for details regarding restrictions applicable to the later installation of air conditioning

* Not offered in wagons
† Not offered in coupes.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS

ENGINE:	3.7-liter (225 CID) 1V Slant Six
TRANSMISSION:	Three-speed manual (TorqueFlite automatic required in California)
AXLE RATIO:	3.2:1 (2.9:1, California)
SUSPENSION:	Front—Isolated transverse with antisway bar; Rear—Leaf spring
TIRES:	P195/75R14 glass-belted radial black sidewall
BRAKES:	Front—Disc; Rear—Drum (power assist on wagons)
ELECTRICAL:	Battery—325 ampere; Alternator—60 ampere

DIMENSIONS, WEIGHT AND CAPACITY

	2-Door	4-Door	Wagon
LENGTH:	200.3"	204.3"	204.3"
WIDTH:	72.4"	72.4"	72.4"
HEIGHT:	53.6"	55.3"	55.5"
WHEELBASE:	108.7"	112.7"	112.7"
TURNING DIAMETER:	39.5'	40.7'	40.7'
CURB WEIGHT: (LBS)	3,200	3,258	3,432
TREAD: (FRONT/REAR)	60.0"/59.5"	60.0"/59.5"	60.0"/59.5"
TRUNK CAPACITY:	16.4 cu ft	16.4 cu ft	—
CARGO CAPACITY:			73.1 cu ft
Cargo length (to back of front seat)			83.9"
Cargo width (between wheelhousings)	—	—	43.3"
Rear opening height			27.3"
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	5	6	6
FUEL CAPACITY:	18 gal	18 gal	18 gal

STANDARD EQUIPMENT

Anti-Corrosion Protection
 Ash Receivers—Front
 Battery Condition Indicator
 Bumper Guards—Front and rear
 Cleaner Air System
 Coat Hooks
 Diagnostic Plug-In Connector
 Electronic Ignition and Voltage Regulator
 Floor Covering—Color-keyed carpet in passenger compartment; floor mat in trunk
 Heater and Defroster
 Horn—Single
 Hubcaps
 Liftgate-Ajar Warning Light—Wagons only
 Lights—Headlight switch light, brake warning, backup, dome, parking brake warn-

ing, selector lever quadrant (with optional automatic transmission), side marker lights and reflectors, front door switches for interior lights
 Lockup Torque Converter—With automatic transmission only
 Pop-Open Wagon Liftgate Feature—Spring-loaded
 Radio—AM* (optional on Value models)
 Spare Tire—Compact high-pressure
 Spare Tire—Conventional (on wagon)
 Steering Wheels—Three-spoke with horn button on models with manual steering; two padded spokes on models with optional power steering
 *Standard radio may be deleted for credit on factory orders

STANDARD SAFETY FEATURES

- Back-up lights • Brake-system warning light (also serves as indicator when parking brake is applied) • Combination lap-shoulder belts for the driver and right-front passenger; and lap belts for all other passengers • Double ball joint rearview mirror mount • Dual braking system with separate brake fluid reservoirs in master cylinder • Dual throttle return springs • Electric windshield washers and wipers • Energy-absorbing bumper systems • Energy-absorbing front seatbacks • Energy-absorbing steering column • Fade-resistant front disc brakes • Front-seat head restraints • Glare-reduction measures for windshield wipers, instrument panel and steering wheel • Hazard warning flasher system • Headlamp and wiper circuit breakers with automatic reset • Ignition and steering column lock • Inside and left outside rearview mirrors • Interlocking door latches • "Key-left-ignition" buzzer • Liftgate/door-ajar warning light • Non-override door locks (except driver's door) • Padded instrument panel and sun visors • Recessed inside door release handles • Reinforced windshield header and roof • Resilient window crank knobs • Rotary glove-box latch • Safety-Rim wheels • Seatback and station wagon interior panel safety latches • Inertia seatback latch with 60/40 seats (on two-door) • Seatback latches on folding front seats • Seat belt reminder system • Side door beams • Side marker lights and reflectors • Turn signals with lane-change feature

COLORS



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