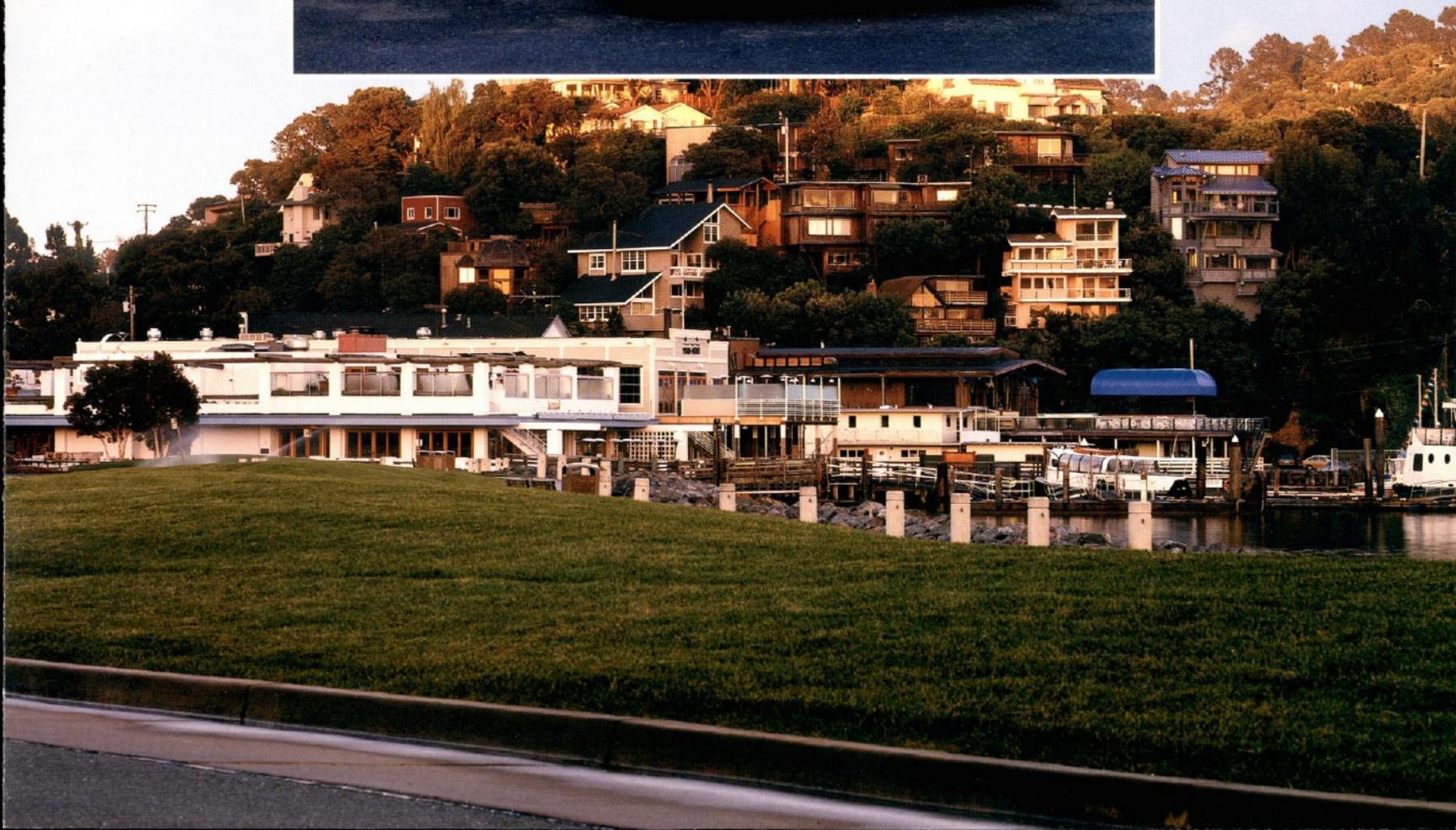


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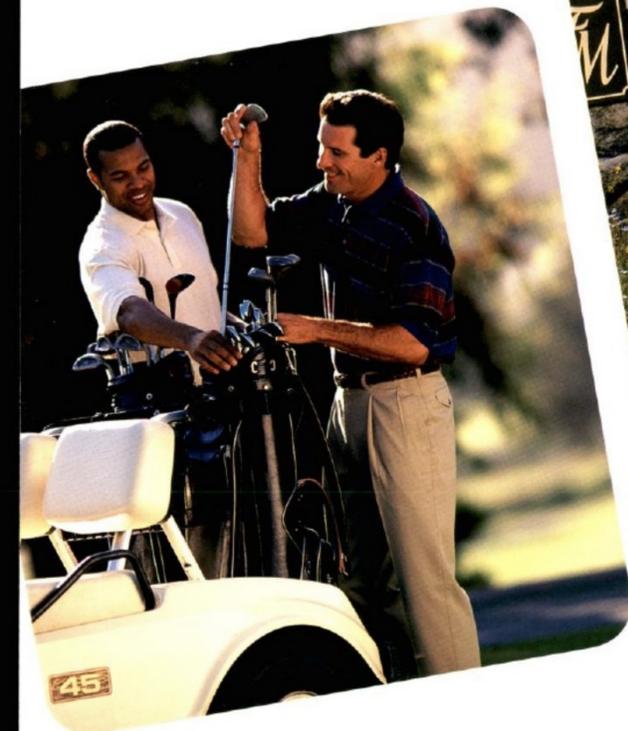


# EXPLORER



## Explorer. America's top-selling compact sport utility.

Ford Explorer has been the best-selling compact sport utility in America for 4 years running. And there are some pretty good reasons why. It's the roomiest best-selling compact sport utility. It has a smooth ride and V-6 power. It offers the choice of 4x2 or 4x4, 2- or 4-door in 5 different series. And it has *great style*.



▲ Explorer Eddie Bauer 4x4 with Medium Willow Green/Light Saddle Clearcoat Metallic unique two-tone paint treatment. Explorer 4x4s feature "on demand" Control Trac 4-Wheel Drive. It offers the latest in 4-wheel-drive technology. Its three drive settings are controlled with the rotary dial on the instrument panel: 2-wheel drive, automatic 4-wheel drive and 4-wheel-drive low.

## The unique style of Explorer Eddie Bauer

There seems to be a natural association between the maker of the best-selling compact sport utility and the well-known maker of quality outdoor apparel. It's such a natural combination. The popular 4-Door Explorer Eddie Bauer exemplifies product integrity and an all-encompassing love of the out of doors.



◀ Reclining rear seats are included with Eddie Bauer Preferred Equipment Packages. 4-way adjustable head restraints can be stowed away without removal.



◀ The Eddie Bauer interior shown in Willow Green with optional leather seating surfaces.

▼ The high-series console can be equipped with a message center which monitors some 30 vehicle activities. It even tells you when an oil change is due.



◀ The high-series floor console, included in Eddie Bauer Preferred Equipment Package 946A, features rear controls for the fan and radio, headphone jacks and cupholders.



◀ Six-way power front seats are included in Eddie Bauer Preferred Equipment Packages. They adjust forward/back, up/down and tilt forward/back.

## Explorer Limited. Unparalleled luxury.

There may be no finer expression of a luxurious compact sport utility vehicle than the elegantly appointed 4-Door Explorer Limited. With top-of-the-line features inside and out, the Limited is for those who want nothing less than the ultimate in Explorer comfort.

▼ Explorer Limited shown in Ivory Pearlescent Clearcoat Metallic.



◀ The inviting Explorer Limited interior, shown here in Saddle, with its leather seating surfaces and full array of comfort and convenience items. Limited's Automatic Ride Control suspension maintains the optimum ride depending on road (or off-road) conditions.

## XLT puts your comfort first

The 4-Door XLT is a very popular choice within the Explorer lineup, which is hardly surprising. It's loaded with popular comfort and convenience features. And XLT Preferred Equipment Packages let you add desirable options and enjoy an attractive package discount.

*No other best-selling compact sport utility vehicle has more total interior room than Explorer. It's versatile as well as comfortable.*



▲ The Explorer XLT interior shown in Medium Graphite.

◀ The Explorer XLT shown in Black Clearcoat.

## Explorer 2-doors put the accent on adventure

Explorer 2-door models exude an unmistakably adventurous spirit, whether you're cruising the highway or taking the off-road trails. Whether you choose the well-equipped XL, the convenience-oriented Sport or the top-of-the-line Premium Sport Package, your destination may have to take a back seat to pure driving fun.

*Explorer Sport with Premium Sport Package shown in Medium Willow Green Clearcoat Metallic. ▶*



◀ *Explorer Sport with Premium Sport Package has sport cloth bucket seats that include a 6-way power adjustment and power lumbar support for the driver.*

*Explorer Sport shown in Bright Red Clearcoat. ▶*



## Safety and security on the road and off

When it comes to the vehicle you drive, there is perhaps no issue more important than the safety of you and your passengers. Explorer was engineered with safety as a high priority. Some safety features, like standard dual air bags and anti-lock brakes, are obvious. There are less obvious features, too, like the available speed-sensitive windshield wipers. They have an intermittent setting that automatically adjusts the wipers' rate as the vehicle's speed changes. They're a good example of how safety figures into the way Explorer was designed and equipped.

The available remote keyless entry system lets you unlock your vehicle from a distance using a hand-held key fob transmitter. ▶



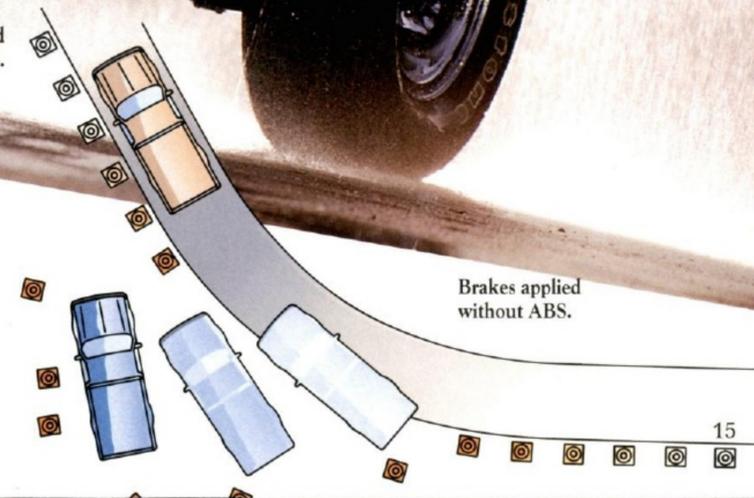
◀ Driver and front passenger air bags to supplement the safety belts are standard, and, to make wearing belts more comfortable, the front shoulder harnesses adjust to five heights for individual fit.

▶ Explorer features side door intrusion beams. 4-door models also include childproof rear door locks.

▼ Features that contribute to good handling are naturally important for maneuvering out of harm's way. Explorer's precise rack-and-pinion steering and capable independent front suspension are examples. Explorer Eddie Bauer in Electric Red Clearcoat Metallic over Light Saddle Clearcoat Metallic is shown.



Brakes applied with ABS.



Brakes applied without ABS.

▶ 4-wheel anti-lock brakes help the driver maintain steering control on most wet, dry or icy surfaces.



# Explorer specs, features, options and packages

## EXPLORER 4-DOOR DIMENSIONS

	4x2	4x4
Wheelbase	111.5"	111.5"
Overall length	188.5"	188.5"
Overhang (front/rear)	33.8"/42.8"	33.8"/42.8"
Tread (front/rear)	58.8"/58.5"	58.8"/58.5"
Overall width	70.2"	70.2"
Width between wheelhouses	41.9"	41.9"
Overall height (empty — max.)	67.5"	67.5"
Step-in height (unloaded)	19.7"	20.1"
Load floor height (loaded)	28.4"	28.4"
Liftgate opening height	33.7"	33.7"
Axle clearance — loaded (rear)	6.7"	6.7"
Angle of approach — loaded	28°	28°
Angle of departure — loaded	21°	21°
Ramp breakover angle — loaded	16°	18°
Cargo length with rear seat up @ belt	38.1"	38.1"
with rear seat down @ belt	73.3"	73.3"
Cargo volume with rear seat up (cu. ft.)	42.6	42.6
with rear seat down	81.6	81.6
Front/Rear head room	39.9"/39.3"	39.9"/39.3"
shoulder room	57.1"/57.0"	57.1"/57.0"
hip room	51.9"/51.7"	51.9"/51.7"
leg room	42.4"/37.7"	42.4"/37.7"
Seating capacity	5 or 6*	5 or 6*

\*Six-passenger seating with optional split bench front seat in XL and XLT models.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Drivetrain:	4x2 or 4x4
Engine type:	4.0 liter V-6; 5.0 liter V-8 optional
Induction system:	Multi-port electronic fuel injection with EEC-IV computer
Compression ratio:	9.0:1
Transmissions:	Std. 5-speed manual OD; Opt. 4-speed automatic OD (standard with Premium Sport Package, Eddie Bauer and Limited)
Horsepower, SAE net (4.0L V-6):	160 @ 4,200 rpm
Torque, SAE net (4.0L V-6):	225 lbs.-ft. @ 2,800 rpm
Battery:	72 AH; 650 CCA maintenance-free with battery saver
Alternator:	95 amps
Frame:	Ladder-type, single channel with six crossmembers
Front suspension (4x2):	Independent SLA, torsion bar (computer-selected), gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Front suspension (4x4):	Independent SLA, torsion bar (computer-selected), gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Rear suspension (4x2/4x4):	Semi floating-type rear axle (limited-slip differential optional), 2-stage variable-rate leaf springs (computer-selected), gas-pressurized shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Automatic Ride Control (Limited 4x4):	4-corner automatic adjustable air shock absorber leveling system
Steering:	Power-assisted rack-and-pinion, 17:1 ratio
Brakes:	4-wheel power disc with 4-wheel anti-lock system
Fuel tank:	17.5 gallons (2-door); 21 gallons (4-door)
Wheels (type/size):	5-hole disc/15"x7.0 J (16" chrome with Eddie Bauer and Premium Sport Package)
Tires:	P225/70R15SL all-season (XL, Sport, XLT) P235/75R15SL OWL all-terrain (Limited) P255/70R16 OWL all-terrain (Eddie Bauer, Premium Sport Package)

## EXPLORER 2-DOOR DIMENSIONS

	4x2	4x4
Wheelbase	101.7"	101.7"
Overall length	178.6"	178.6"
Overhang (front/rear)	33.8"/42.8"	33.8"/42.8"
Tread (front/rear)	58.8"/58.5"	58.8"/58.5"
Overall width	70.2"	70.2"
Width between wheelhouses	41.9"	41.9"
Overall height (empty — max.)	67.8"	67.8"
Step-in height (unloaded)	19.7"	20.1"
Load floor height (loaded)	29.2"	29.2"
Liftgate opening height	33.7"	33.7"
Axle clearance — loaded (rear)	6.7"	6.7"
Angle of approach — loaded	32°	32°
Angle of departure — loaded	21°	21°
Ramp breakover angle — loaded	17°	16°
Cargo length with rear seat up @ belt	29.2"	29.2"
with rear seat down @ belt	61.8"	61.8"
Cargo volume with rear seat up (cu. ft.)	32.6	32.6
with rear seat down	69.4	69.4
Front/Rear head room	39.9"/39.1"	39.9"/39.1"
shoulder room	57.1"/57.9"	57.1"/57.9"
hip room	52.4"/43.6"	52.4"/43.6"
leg room	42.4"/36.5"	42.4"/36.5"
Seating capacity	4	4

## MAXIMUM TRAILER TOWING WEIGHTS

	Axle Ratio	Maximum GCWR	2-Door		4-Door	
			4x2	4x4	4x2	4x4
5.0L V-8/4-Speed Automatic	3.73	11,000	—	—	6,700	—
4.0L V-6/4-Speed Automatic	3.27	7,000	3,100	2,800	—	—
	3.27	7,500	—	—	3,300	—
	3.55	8,000	4,100	3,800	—	—
	3.55	8,500	—	—	4,300	4,100
	3.73	9,000	5,100	4,800	—	—
	3.73	9,500	—	—	5,300	5,100
4.0L V-6/5-Speed Manual	3.27	6,000	2,000	1,900	1,900	—
	3.55	6,500	—	2,400	—	2,100
	3.73	7,000	3,100	2,900	2,900	2,600

NOTE: Engine/axle ratio combinations shown may not be available in all areas. Your Ford Dealer can supply availability information. All maximum trailer weights shown must be reduced by passenger and cargo weight in the towing vehicle. The following equipment may be required: super engine cooling; load-carrying hitch for towing trailers under 3,500 pounds with the standard rear step bumper; load-equalizing hitch for towing trailers over 3,500 pounds; and optional trailer towing package for when the Gross Combination Weight Rating (GCWR) exceeds 5,000 pounds. For specific information on recommended or required equipment, see your dealer.

## PRODUCT CHANGES AND OPTIONS AVAILABILITY

Following publication of the catalog, certain changes in standard equipment, options, prices and the like, or product delays, may have occurred which would not be included in these pages. Your Ford Dealer is your best source for up-to-date information. Ford Division reserves the right to change product specifications at any time without incurring obligations. Options shown or described are available at extra cost and may be offered only in combination with other options or subject to additional ordering requirements or limitations.

## FEATURES, PREFERRED EQUIPMENT PACKAGES AND OPTIONS

	2-Door Model			4-Door Model					
	XL 930A	Sport 931A	Sport 934A*	XL 940A	XLT 941A	XLT 945A*	Eddie Bauer 942A	Eddie Bauer 946A*	Limited 943A
Note: Package content is subject to change. P = In package S = Standard O = Optional									
<b>APPEARANCE/COMFORT/CONVENIENCE/SEATING</b>									
Luxury Group (includes high-series floor console, front overhead console, electronics group (1) and fog lamps)	—	—	P	—	—	P	—	P	S
Premium Sport Package (4x4 with automatic transmission only): wheelcap molding system, front and rear bumpers, side step bar (all in Medium Graphite); P255/70R16 OWL all-terrain tires; 16" chrome steel wheels; rear tow hook	—	—	O	—	—	—	—	—	—
High-series floor console	—	—	P	—	—	P	O	P	S
Electronics group (1)	—	—	P	—	—	P	O	P	S
Manual air conditioning	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	—
Premium group (electronic automatic temperature control, message center and JBL Audio System/cassette)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	P	S
Power equipment group (2)	O	S	S	O	S	S	S	S	S
Decor group (privacy glass and bodyside moldings)	O	S	S	O	S	S	S	S	S
Speed control/leather-wrapped tilt wheel	O	S	S	O	S	S	S	S	S
Automatic day/night mirror and automatic headlamps	—	—	O	—	—	O	—	O	S
Power moonroof with shade	—	—	O	—	—	O	—	O	O
Voice-activated cellular phone	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	O	O
Intermittent rear window wiper/washer/defroster (includes speed-sensitive front wipers)	O	S	S	O	S	S	S	S	S
Floor mats	—	O	P	—	—	—	—	—	—
Floor mats and cargo cover (cargo cover standard with Sport; unique mats for Limited)	—	—	—	—	O	P	S	S	S
Two-tone rocker paint	—	—	—	—	O	O	—	—	—
Side step bar (2-door); running boards (4-door)	—	O	O	—	O	O	O	O	S
Full-face steel wheels	S	—	—	S	—	—	—	—	—
Deep-dish cast aluminum wheels	—	S	S	—	O	O	—	—	—
16" chrome steel wheels	—	—	—	—	—	—	S	S	—
Luxury aluminum wheels	—	—	—	—	S	S	—	—	—
Unique Limited luxury aluminum wheels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	S
License plate bracket	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Knitted vinyl buckets	S	S	S	S	—	—	—	—	—
Cloth captain's chairs/floor console	O	P	—	O	S	S	—	—	—
Power 6-way cloth sport buckets/power lumbar support (includes floor console with 4-door) (3)	—	—	P	—	O	P	S	S	—
Power 6-way sport bucket seats with leather seating surfaces/power lumbar (includes rear seat recliner and floor console with 4-door) (3)	—	—	O	—	—	O	P	P	—
Power 6-way luxury buckets with leather seating surfaces, 3-position driver's memory/power lumbar/rear recliner	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	S
60/40 split bench seats with floor console/stowage bin	—	—	—	O	O	—	—	—	—
Integrated rear child seat	—	—	—	O	O	O	O	O	O
<b>FUNCTIONAL</b>									
5.0L V-8/4-speed automatic overdrive transmission (4x2 only)	—	—	—	—	O	O	—	—	—
4.0L V-6/4-speed automatic overdrive transmission	O	O	P	O	O	P	S	S	S
P235/75R15 OWL all-terrain tires	—	P	P	—	O	O	—	—	S
3.73 limited-slip performance axle/trailer towing package	O	O	O	O	O	O	—	—	O
4.10 limited-slip performance axle/trailer towing package	—	—	O(4)	—	—	—	O	O	—
Luggage rack (100-lb. capacity)	O	O	O	O	P	P	S	S	S
Engine block heater	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
<b>SOUND SYSTEMS</b>									
Electronic AM/FM stereo radio/clock	S	S	S	S	S	S	—	—	—
Premium audio system with electronic AM/FM stereo radio, cassette player and digital clock	O	P	P	O	P	P	S	S	—
Ford Electronics JBL Audio System/cassette with DSP	—	—	O	—	—	O	O	P	S
Six-disc CD changer	—	—	O	—	—	O	O	O	O

\*Content may not be deleted from P.E.P. (1) Includes 2 keyless remote transmitters, keypad and anti-theft system. (2) Includes power windows with "one touch down" feature on driver's side, power door locks, dual electric outside mirrors, high-series door trim, accessory delay and two-step unlocking system with lock/unlock button in cargo area. (3) 6-way power with 2-door models for driver's side only. (4) Available with Premium Sport Package only.

## Explorer dealer-installed accessories



▲ **Rear Air Deflector.** This aerodynamically styled deflector adds a stylish accent as it helps keep the rear window free of dust and dirt.



▲ **The Aero Hood Deflector** helps protect the hood from insects, dirt and other debris. Available in clear or smoke.



▲ **The Front End Cover** helps guard against damage from airborne road debris. Construction is durable black vinyl with a soft, non-woven white flannel backing. "Explorer" is embossed.



▲ **Molded splash guards** are a low-cost way to protect your vehicle's finish from mud, salt and other debris.



▲ **Class II trailer hitch** is rated at 3,500 lbs. towing capacity and 300 lbs. tongue weight. Ball mount included.



▲ **The heavy-duty polyester cargo liner** helps protect the rear cargo area. It attaches with Velcro-like fasteners.

**Explorer XLT in Black Clearcoat over Charcoal Grey Clearcoat Metallic.** Available Explorer accessories include vehicle security and keyless entry systems. ▼



Bright Red Clearcoat  
XL 2-Door, Sport



Brilliant Blue Clearcoat Metallic  
XL, Sport, XLT



Deep Emerald Green Clearcoat  
Metallic — XL, XLT, Eddie Bauer



Medium Willow Green Clearcoat  
Metallic — all except Limited



Charcoal Grey Clearcoat Metallic  
XL, XLT



Deep Iris Clearcoat Metallic  
Sport



Mocha Frost Clearcoat Metallic  
XL 4-Door, XLT



Electric Red Clearcoat Metallic  
XL 4-Door, XLT, Eddie Bauer



Dark Blue Clearcoat Metallic  
XL 4-Door, XLT, Eddie Bauer



Light Willow Green Clearcoat  
Metallic — XL 4-Door, XLT



Iris Frost Clearcoat Metallic  
Eddie Bauer, Limited



Evergreen Frost Clearcoat  
Metallic — Limited



Black Clearcoat — all



Oxford White Clearcoat —  
all except Limited



Ivory Pearlescent Clearcoat  
Metallic — Limited

### Interior Trim Colors

(See your dealer for interior/exterior compatibility.)

Royal Blue Willow Green  
Medium Graphite Saddle

Note: Illustrations are for color presentation only and do not indicate series differentiation. See your dealer for correct appearance of trim series.

## The ownership experience

### ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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