Safety Belts
Safety belts are the single most effective safety devices in your vehicle. DO NOT let anybody, including rear seat passengers, ride in the vehicle without buckling their safety belts, or child safety seats.

To wear the safety belt properly (for adults only):
1. Close and lock the door.
2. Adjust the seat so you can sit up straight.
3. Pick up the latch plate and pull the belt across you.
4. Push the latch plate into the buckle until it clicks.
5. Check that the belt fits snugly. The lap part of the belt should be worn low and snug on the hips, just touching the thighs. The shoulder belt should go over the shoulder and across the chest. To make the lap part tight, pull up on the shoulder belt.

Note: The following is an overview of your vehicle safety features and is not intended to replace the specific instructions found in your vehicle Owner Manual. Please read your Owner Manual for complete details about your vehicle safety features.

In-car safety

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Adjust the safety belt so that it is as high as possible (Convertible: fixed position). The belt should be well in on the shoulder.

Adjust the head restraint so that it provides support for your head.
Do not use mobile phone while driving.

Correct seat positioning is vital for your safety. Sit in an upright position and not too close to the instrument panel.

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Children from 0-3 years (0-18 kg/0-40 lbs) must ALWAYS ride in an appropriate child seat. Make sure that the child seat is securely mounted, according to the manufacturer’s instructions. Saab recommends rearward facing child restraints.

National and/or regional laws regarding use of child restraints and their attachments may apply. Always follow the child restraint manufacturer’s instructions.

If you have to put a load on a seat, secure it properly with the safety belt. NEVER use the parcel shelf for storage and NEVER place unsecured luggage on the rear seat.

If trapped within the trunk, you may pull the trunk release handle to open the trunk lid from inside.

(SportCombi shown)
ALWAYS secure heavy, bulky loads to the lashing eyes in the luggage compartment. Place the load as low and as far forward as possible against the rear seat backrest.
The purpose of this Quick Reference Guide is to give you a quick overview of some important features in the car.

More detailed information can be found in the Owner's Manual and Infotainment Manual for usage instructions.

* Asterisk means: equipment not fitted in all cars (can depend on model variant, engine variant, market specification, options or accessories).

1 Light switches
2 High/Low beam/Direction indicators/Cruise Control
3 Wipers/Washers
4 Trip computer SID
5 Infotainment
6 Passenger side airbag
7 Climate control (ACC shown)
8 Electrically heated seats *
9 Hazard warning lights
10 Ignition lock.
   To remove the key, automatic transmission must be in park.
   If the remote control is turned from ON to OFF before the car is stationary then turning to LOCK may not be possible. In which case turn the remote control to the ON position until the ABS lamp goes out, approx. 2 s. Following which, turn it back to OFF.
11 Sport Mode button
12 Steering wheel adjustment
13 Hood release handle
Warning and indicator lights

**ABS warning***
This warning light illuminates when a fault arises in the antilock braking-system.

**Oil pressure warning***
This light will come on if the engine oil pressure is too low.

**Engine malfunction***
This light indicates a malfunction in the fuel or ignition system.

**Airbag***
This light comes on if a potentially serious fault has occurred in the airbag system.

**Remaining fuel***
This light comes on when there is less than about 2.5 gallons (10 litre) of fuel in the tank.

**Lights indicator***
This light indicates that the headlights or parking lights are on.

**Cruise control***
This light comes on when the system is engaged.

**Automatic tire pressure monitoring***
The tire pressure has decreased by 5,8 psi (40 kPa) or more below the recommended pressure or a fault has occurred.

**High beam***
This light shows when the high beam is on.

**Front fog light***
This light indicates when the front fog lights are on.

**Rear fog light***
This light indicates when the rear fog light is on.

**Brake warning***
This light indicates when the brake fluid level is too low.

**Safety belts***
This light reminds the driver to buckle up.

**Handbrake***
This light comes on when the parking brake is applied.

**Selector lever indication, automatic transmission***
The current gear position is displayed.

**Electronic Stability Program, ESP***
This symbol lights up when the system is operative.

**Electronic Stability Program, ESP, off***
This symbol lights up when the system is disengaged or a fault is detected.

* Contact a dealer as soon as possible. We recommend that you contact your Saab dealer.
Light switches

Daytime running lights
Parking lights
Headlights
Front fog lights
Rear fog lights

(See your Owner's Manual, section Instruments and controls).

Driver's door

1 Electrical windows
2 Central locking
3 Door mirrors

Windows functions, Convertible
Soft top raised:
Operate the windows with the corresponding buttons.
Soft top lowered:
The buttons for the front windows open both front and rear windows.
How do I turn Cruise Control on?
To turn the system ON, slide the switch to the right - ON (Cruise indicator will illuminate in the main instrument panel).

How do I set the speed I want?
Accelerate to and maintain the desired speed with the gas pedal. Then, move the thumbwheel up or down (3 or 4) to the SET/+ or SET/- position when you have reached the desired speed (must be above 15 mph/25 km/h).

How do I disengage Cruise Control?
There are several ways to disengage Cruise Control:
• Depress the brake or clutch pedal
• Move switch to the left - OFF position

Can I temporarily disengage Cruise Control?
Yes. Slide the switch towards OFF (when you release the switch it will move back to the right). To re-engage the system, slide the switch to the right - RESUME position.

Can I temporarily increase my speed with Cruise Control set?
Yes. Accelerate, without shifting down, to exceed the set speed (such as when trying to pass a vehicle). When you release the accelerator, the car returns to the set speed.

When I have Cruise Control set, can I increase my pre-set speed without starting over?
Yes. You can do this in several different ways:
• Accelerate to the desired speed and roll the thumbwheel up (3) to the SET/+ position.
• Move the thumbwheel up to SET/+ position to increase the speed in 1 mph increments.
  Turn the thumbwheel up to the SET/+ position until the desired speed is reached.

How do I reduce my pre-set speed while Cruise Control is on?
You can reduce your pre-set speed three ways:
• Brake to the desired speed. Move the thumbwheel up or down (3 or 4) to the SET/+ or SET/- position.
• Move the thumbwheel down (4) to the SET/- position to reduce the speed in 1 mph increments.
• Turn the thumbwheel down to the SET/- position until the desired speed is reached.
  (See your Owner’s Manual, section Starting and driving).

1 ON: engaged
2 OFF: disengaged
3 SET/+: sets the speed and increases the set speed
4 SET/-: sets the speed and decreases the set speed
5 RESUME: re-engages the system at the set speed
Wipers/Washers

Non-Rain sensing wipers
0 OFF
1 Single sweep (spring-loaded position)
2 Intermittent wiping, thumbwheel sets wiper frequency
3 Low speed
4 High speed
5 Windshield and headlight washing (pull the lever to the steering wheel)

Rain sensing wipers
0 OFF
1 Single sweep (spring-loaded position)
2 AUTO - rain sensor engaged
3 Low speed
4 High speed
5 Windshield and headlight washing (pull the lever to the steering wheel)

When the engine has been switched off, the control stalk must be moved to position 0 and back to AUTO to re-engage the rain sensor. Sensitivity can be customized through your Saab Information Display. (See your Owner’s Manual, section Instruments and controls).

Rear window wiper
1 OFF
2 Intermittent wiping
3 Washing and wiping

Note: If the windshield wipers are activated then the rear window wiper will changeover to intermittent wiping when reverse gear is engaged and the engine is running. (See Owner’s Manual, Instruments and controls).

Steering wheels controls

Left-hand side
- SID operation
- SET SID operation
- CLR SID operation

Right-hand side
- Radio mode: Change preset station
- CD mode: Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
- Volume control
Saab Infotainment

1. Information on MP3 disc or radio text
2. Tone and speaker settings/manual tuning/change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
3. Settings menu
4. Scroll among preset pages
5. Menu buttons
6. No function on U.S/CA cars
7. Select XM™ program type when the radio is in XM™ mode
8. (Cars without CD changer). Set time and date.
   (Cars with CD changer). Load CD or MP3 disc.
9. Eject CD or MP3 disc
10. Activate radio
    Change frequency band
11. Automatic tuning
    Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
12. Automatic tuning
    Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
13. (Press) On/Off
    (Turn) Volume
14. Manual tuning
    Rapid play of track/file on CD or MP3 disc
15. Manual tuning
    Rapid play of track/file on CD or MP3 disc
16. Activate CD media or portable player (AUX input)

Switching on the system
• Press the ON/OFF button (13).

Audio settings

Audio settings Bose® Centerpoint® SurroundSound System

Manual tone and speaker settings
• Press the tone control (2) to open the menu for tone and speaker settings.
• Press the menu button (5) directly underneath the desired tone/speaker setting.
• Adjust the selected setting by turning the tone control. The selected settings can also be adjusted by pressing the SEEK, FWD or REV buttons.

Automatic tone setting
• Press the tone control (2) to open the menu for tone settings.
• Press the menu button (5) directly underneath the menu option Auto EQ.
• Press the menu button (5) directly underneath the desired tone setting.
• The tone settings menu automatically returns to the previous menu within 5 seconds.

Centerpoint® signal processing circuitry
With the Bose Centerpoint® Surround Sound System Centerpoint® signal processing circuitry creates a surround sound listening experience from stereo CDs, MP3 CDs, satellite radio and
auxiliary audio sources. FM/AM is not supported by the surround function. Other tone and speaker settings, with the exception of the Fader function, can be adjusted even when the surround function is active. The surround function settings are saved for each individual audio source (CD, MP3 and AUX).

- Press the tone control (2) to open the menu for tone settings.
- Press the menu button (5) directly underneath the menu option Centerpoint® to activate the surround function for the selected audio source.

Switching on the radio
- Press the RADIO BAND button (10).
- Select any favourites page with the FAV button (4). Select station with one of the menu buttons (5).

Switching on the CD player
- Load a disc or press the CD AUX button (16).

Start the CD changer
- Press the CD AUX button (16) if one or more discs are loaded or load with disc(s).

Start the MP3 player
- Load a disc or press the CD AUX button (16)

Radio

Automatic tuning
- Press one of the SEEK buttons (11 or 12). The radio searches the frequency band and stops at the closest strong station.

Manual tuning
- Turn the tone control knob (2) or press the REV button (14) or the FWD button (15). Release the knob/button to stop at the required frequency.

Manually storing a station
- Press the FAV button (4) to select the required favourites page where the station shall be stored.
- Press and hold the menu button (5) which corresponds to the storage location. A chime sounds when the storing is complete.

Presets
- Select station by first pressing the FAV button (4) and then one of the menu buttons (5) or with the steering wheel button or .

Finding a XMTM-station
- Press the RADIO BAND button (10) until the XM™ frequency is displayed.
- Press the PTY button (7) to display the category labels. Continue pressing the PTY button until the desired category name is displayed.
- Press either of the two pushbuttons (5) below the desired category label to immediately tune to the first XMTM™ station associated with that category.
- Turn the tone control (2) or press the buttons (5) below the right or left arrows displayed, or press the SEEK button (11) or (12) to go to the next or previous XMTM™ station within the selected category.
- To exit the category search mode, press the FAV button (4) to display your favorites again.
CD player

Changing tracks
- Turn the tone control (2) or press the SEEK buttons (11 or 12), or press steering wheel buttons, or.
  The track number is shown on the display.

Rapid play
- Press and hold the REV or FWD button (14 or 15) for rapid play. Release the button to end rapid play and continue playing the current track.

CD changer

Loading a disc
- Press the LOAD button (8). The following appears on the display: Please wait....
- Wait until the following appears on the display: Insert CD.
- Load the disc in the slot. The following appears on the display: Loading....

Loading several discs
- Press and hold the LOAD button (8) for 2 seconds. A chime sounds and the following appears on the display: Please wait....
- Follow the instructions on the display to load the discs.
- To stop loading, press the LOAD button (8).

Removing a disc
- Press the EJECT button (9). A chime sounds and the following appears on the display: Ejecting.
- Remove the disc when the following appears on the display: Remove CD.

Removing several discs
- Press and hold the EJECT button (9) for 2 seconds. A chime sounds and the following appears on the display: Remove CD.

Changing discs
- Press the left or right-hand menu button (5) under the menu option CD.

Change MP3 file/folder
See the MP3 player section.
MP3 player
Selecting/changing MP3 file
- Turn the tone control (2) or press the SEEK buttons (11 or 12), or press steering wheel buttons, or .
  The MP3 file number is shown in the display.

Selecting/changing MP3 folder
- Press the folder symbol's left-hand menu button (5) to play the first file in the previous folder.
- Press the folder symbol's right-hand menu button (5) to play the first file in the next folder.

Rapid play
- Press and hold the REV or FWD button (14 or 15) for rapid play. Release the button to end rapid play and continue playing the current MP3 file.

Saab Infotainment Plus
1 Settings menu
2 Repeat the last voice guidance prompt
3 Plan a destination
4 Return to map for vehicle's current position.
5 Change map view (Full map or Split screen)
6 (Press) On/Off
7 Tone and speaker settings/manual tuning/change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
8 Eject CD or MP3 disc. Long press to open screen to access the map DVD slot
9 Access the full Audio screen
10 Adjust features for sound, radio, navigation, the display and adjusting the time
11 Automatic tuning
12 Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
13 Automatic tuning
14 Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
15 Automatic tuning
16 Change track/file on CD or MP3 disc
Switching on the system

- Press the ON/OFF button (5).

Navigation

New route

Specify an address by searching for it in an address index.

- Press the DEST button (3), select Address Entry.
- Select the state/province screen button, if needed, to change the current state/province. Enter the name or two-letter abbreviation. A list will display or select List:**** and select the state/province.
- Select City and enter the city name or select Last 5 Cities and select one of the last five city names entered.
- Once a city has been selected, enter the street name in the corresponding text field by pressing the letters.
- Select House # to enter the house number. The system will display the house number range available for the street.
- Select Go. The map screen with the destination marked will display.
- Select the route preferences (Fastest, Shortest or Other). The system will calculate and highlight the route.
- Select Start Guidance to start guidance.

Route Preference

Change route options when the system calculates a route.

- Press the MENU button (9) repeatedly until Nav is selected.
- Select Route Preference.
- Select Allow major roads to switch between allowing or avoiding major roads when calculating a planned route.

Audio settings

Manual tone settings

- Press the tone control knob (7) to access the Sound screen to adjust treble, midrange, bass and equalization.
- TREBLE/MID/BASS: Select and hold + (plus) or - (minus) to increase or decrease the value. If a station is weak or noisy, decrease the treble.

Speaker settings

- L/R (Left/Right) (Balance): Select and hold L or R.
- Front/Rear (Fade): Select and hold Front or Rear.

Automatic Equalization

- Press the tone control knob (7) to open the menu for tone settings.
- Select the screen button for the desired tone setting. The system will save the setting for each preset and source.

Audio settings Bose® Centerpoint® SurroundSound System

Manual tone and speaker settings

- Press the tone control (7) to access the Sound screen to adjust treble, midrange, bass and equalization.
- Set treble, midrange and bass using the + (plus) or - (minus) buttons. Also set the left/right/front/rear balance for the loudspeakers using the associated buttons.

Centerpoint® signal processing circuitry

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- Press Centerpoint® to activate the surround function. Other tone and speaker settings, with the exception of the Fader function, can be adjusted even when the surround function is active.

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**Switching on the radio**
- Press the AUDIO button (8).
- Scroll to the desired preset page by pressing the FAV button (1).
- Press the desired preset screen button (1-5).

**Switching on the CD player**
- Load a disc, or press the AUDIO button (8) and select the CD tab if a disc is already loaded.

**Start the MP3 player**
- Load a disc (or several discs), or press the AUDIO button (8) and select the CD tab if a disc is already loaded.

**Automatic tuning**
- Press one of the SEEK buttons (10 or 11). The radio searches the frequency band and stops at the closest strong station.

**Manual tuning**
- Turn the tone control knob (7). Release the knob to stop at the required frequency.

**Manually storing a station**
- Press the FAV button (1) until you come to the preset page (1-3) at which the station is to be stored.
- Press and hold the preset screen button (1-5) at which the station is to be stored depressed for more than 2 seconds. A chime sounds when the storing is complete.

**Presets**
- Scroll to the desired preset page by pressing the FAV button (1).
- Press the desired preset screen button (1-5). You can also press the steering wheel buttons, or , to select another preset station.
### CD player

**Changing tracks**
- Turn the tone control (7) or press the SEEK buttons (10 or 11), or press steering wheel buttons, or .
  The track number is shown on the display.

**Rapid play**
- Press and hold the rewind or forward screen button for rapid play. Release the button to end rapid play and continue playing the current track.

### MP3 player

**Selecting/changing MP3 folder, artist or album**
- Select the left or right arrow to go to the previous or next folder, artist or album.

**Selecting/changing MP3 file**
- Turn the tone control (7) or press the buttons (10 or 11), or press steering wheel buttons, or .
  The MP3 file number is shown in the display.

**Rapid play**
- Press and hold the rewind or forward button for rapid play. Release the button to end rapid play and continue playing the current MP3 file.
SID (Saab Information Display)

Trip computer functions in SID
The following functions can be selected:
• Ambient temperature, Temp
• Estimated range with remaining fuel, D.T.E
• Average fuel consumption, Fuel Ø
• Distance to estimations, Dist
• Average speed, Speed Ø
• Speed warning, SPD W
• Settings such as alarm time, language, rain sensor Settings
• Operation of e.g. number lists, Phone Settings
Select the functions with the steering wheel buttons, or .

To set
Functions
• Distance to destinations, Dist
• Average speed, Speed Ø
• Speed warning, SPD W
These are set as follows:
1Select the function using the steering wheel buttons, or .
2Hold the steering wheel button SET depressed until a chime sounds.
3Press or to set the required value.
4Finish the setting by pressing the SET button.

Resetting
1Select the function to be reset using the steering wheel buttons, or .
• Fuel Ø
• Speed Ø
• Trip (When Dist is used as trip meter)
2Hold the steering wheel button CLR depressed for about 1 second.
The selected function is reset.

Warnings
Acknowledge text messages by pressing steering wheel button CLR.

Settings
You can customise the settings of several of the car’s systems, such as the alarm or language. This is called “Settings”.
1Select Settings using the steering wheel buttons, or .
2Press the steering wheel button SET.
3Select the required heading with or .
4Press the steering wheel button SET and make the required adjustments with or .
5End by pressing the SET button.
(See Owner’s Manual, Instruments and controls).

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**To disengage the system**
Disengage the SPD W and Alarm functions with the steering wheel button CLR. Re-engage them with the steering wheel button SET.
Automatic climate control system (ACC)

1. Temperature setting: left-hand side
2. AUTO (automatic regulation of the climate system)
3. Manual setting of air distribution
4. Manual setting of fan speed
5. Defroster
6. Manual setting of air distribution
7. Temperature setting: right-hand side
8. Recirculation
9. Seat heating, front right seat
10. Rear window heating
11. Hazard warning lights
12. A/C OFF (switches A/C compressor off when pressed)
13. Seat heating, front left seat

Interior lighting

1. OFF
2. ON/OFF, controlled by the doors
3. ON
(See your Owner’s Manual, section Interior equipment).

Interior lighting (Convertible)

1. Left-hand reading light
2. Cabin lighting
3. Right-hand reading light
(See your Owner’s Manual, section 9-3 Convertible).
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<th>Cup holders</th>
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<td><em>Cup holder in fascia. Only covered cups should be used to avoid possible costly electronic damage.</em></td>
<td><em>Lowering</em></td>
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| *Cup holder in center console compartment between front seats* | 1. Start the engine and let it idle.
2. Press down and hold the switch until the soft top is fully lowered, the soft top cover closes and a chime sounds. If you continue to hold the switch, the side windows will be lowered automatically.
3. Check that no error messages are shown on the SID.

*Remote opening of the soft top (option)*
You can lower the soft top when outside the car by pressing and holding the (unlock) button on the remote control.

| *Cup holder in rear seat cushion (not covertible)* | *Raising* |
| Cup holders are provided in the fascia, in the center console compartment between the front seats and in rear seat cushion. | 1. Start the engine and let it idle.
2. Lift up and hold the switch until the soft top is fully raised, the soft top cover closes and a chime sounds to indicate completion of the operation. Note that all the side windows are partially opened to protect the seals when raising the soft top. If you continue to hold the switch, the side windows will fully close.
3. Check that the soft top hooks have engaged and have locked the soft top.
4. Check that no error messages are shown on the SID.
(See Owner’s Manual, section 9-3 Convertible). |
### Seats

**Manual adjustable**

1. Head restraint, height adjustment
2. Lumbar support
3. Backrest rake angle
4. Height adjustment
5. Legroom adjustment

(See your Owner’s Manual, section Safety).

**Electrical adjustable**

1. Seat tilt angle
2. Head restraint, height adjustment
3. Lumbar support
4. Backrest rake angle
5. Height adjustment
6. Legroom adjustment

(See your Owner’s Manual, section Safety).

### Locks

1. Lock/setting the alarm
2. Unlock/disarm the alarm
3. Window operation (optional)
4. Opening/unlocking the trunk lid/tailgate (SportCombi)
5. Turn on exterior and cabin lighting/panic alarm

1. Locking/setting the alarm: press once to lock and set the alarm.
2. Unlocking/deactivating the alarm: press once to unlock the driver’s door and deactivate the alarm. Pressing a second time will unlock all remaining doors.
3. Remote window operation (optional):
   - Pressing and holding this button when outside the car will open all closed windows and sunroof.
4. To open the trunk: press once, the lid unlocks and slightly opens. (Your dealer can program your car so one press only unlocks the trunk lid).
5. To unlock the tailgate (SportCombi)
   - Pressing this button will activate/deactivate the interior lights and exterior front parking lights and rear brake lights. (Called “Courtesy Headlamp” function.) Pressing and holding this button will activate/deactivate “panic alarm”. Alarm siren will sound. (You can also press and hold one of the lock/unlock buttons on the front doors to activate the alarm when seated in the vehicle.)

(See your Owner’s Manual, section Security).

### Lumbar support, Convertible

The lumbar support on electrically adjustable driver’s seat is operated with a control on the outside of the seat.

(Refer to Owner’s Manual, Safety).
Locking/unlocking with the traditional key

1. Lock
2. Unlock

- Remove the key from the remote control by pressing the emblem.
- Unlock the door with the key.

The car alarm (if fitted) will be tripped. To silence the alarm, insert the remote control into the ignition switch and turning this to ON.

Convertible has a lockable glove compartment. Use the traditional key.

Central locking (operated from inside the car, driver side)

Child safety locks

When the child safety lock is in the locked position, the door can only be opened from the outside. Insert a screwdriver or the key contained inside the remote control into the child safety lock. Turn it 45° in the direction shown on the label on the door.

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<td><strong>Sport Sedan</strong></td>
<td>Fold down the armrest and open the hatch by lifting the handle. There is a lock on the rear side of the hatch. Use this to unlock the hatch. (See your Owner’s Manual, section Interior equipment).</td>
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<td><strong>SportCombi</strong></td>
<td>Unlock the backrest required by pulling in the corresponding handle trunk (Sport Sedan)/top of backrest (SportCombi). Fold the backrest forward. (See your Owner's Manual, Interior equipment).</td>
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ABS-brakes

Press the pedal down hard and steer to avoid an obstacle if required. Do not release the brake pedal before the car has come to a halt or the danger is past! (See your Owner’s Manual, section Starting and driving).

Automatic transmission ✺
Depress the brake pedal and the selector lever detent when changing from the P or N position (See your Owner’s Manual, section Starting and driving).

Sentronic (Automatic Transmission) ✺

Your automatic transmission can also be shifted manually using a feature called “Sentronic”. This system allows you to change gears manually, using the controls on the steering wheel (Aero models only) or the gear selector lever. You may wish to engage this feature, for example, when you’re passing as this allows you to remain in a lower gear for an extended period of time.

To operate:
1. Move the gear selector lever to the M position.
2. Select a higher gear by pushing the right-hand paddle on the steering wheel (above the steering wheel radio controls) (Aero models only) or pushing the selector lever forward.
3. Select a lower gear by pushing the left-hand paddle on the steering wheel (above the steering wheel radio controls) (Aero models only) or pulling the selector lever back.

Changes from 3rd to 4th gear and from 4th to 5th gear can be made when the engine speed is above roughly 2,000 rpm.

If the road surface is slippery, you may wish to start off in 2nd or 3rd gear to reduce the risk of wheel spin. When descending hills, select a low gear to increase the braking effort of the engine, thus sparing your brakes.

Manual gear selections will be shown on the main instrument panel. The selector position and the current gear are displayed.

When the M position has been selected, the engine is much more responsive to changes in the accelerator position – it will also feel differently.

Note than when in the manual model, kick-down operates for 4th and 5th gears (below 2,000 rpm). Kick-down cannot be activated in 1st, 2nd, or 3rd gears.

(See your Owner’s Manual, section Starting and driving).
Electronic Stability Program (ESP)
This system uses both the Anti-Lock Braking System (ABS) and Traction Control System (TCS) to help stabilize the car by braking one or several wheels independently of the driver. Engine output is also reduced to prevent the front wheels from spinning. ESP improves the driver's chances of remaining in control of the vehicle in critical situations (severe evasive action needed to avoid hitting an animal, driver starts to lose control – ESP kicks in and helps the driver steer to safety).

**Note!** Drive responsibly. Do not rely on the systems above to keep you safe. Use precautions when driving on slippery roads.
(See your Owner's Manual, section Starting and driving).

Traction Control System (TCS)
This system monitors the Anti-Lock Braking System (ABS) sensors to detect when the front (driving) wheels are rotating faster than the rear. If so, the engine torque is reduced to eliminate the difference. It also monitors whether one front wheel is rotating faster than the other and will slow the faster wheel down until both are rotating at the same speed.
(See your Owner's Manual, section Starting and driving).

Rear view mirror

Autodimming mirror (option): By pressing the button (5) on the interior rearview mirror, you can turn the automatic autodimming mirror function on for this mirror. Mirror senses bright lights from the rear and automatically darkens to prevent the strong light from dazzling you.
(See your Owner’s Manual, Interior equipment).

Garage Door Opener and Compass (option): see your Owner’s Manual, section Interior equipment for setting and calibration.

Door mirrors
1. Selection of mirror
2. Touch pad for adjustment
3. Electrical retraction
4. Reversing position for passenger-side door mirror

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<td>On certain models, the passenger side mirror glass can be angled down to help you when reversing. After selecting Reverse gear, press the button located under the touch pad for mirror adjustment. The passenger side door mirror will angle down to provide a better rear view. Pressing the button again will return the mirror to its normal position, or will automatically return once you drive forward about 65 feet.</td>
<td>Lead-me-to-car feature activate/deactivate the interior lights and exterior front parking lights and rear brake lights by the press of a button on your remote control.</td>
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<td>Four sensors in the rear bumper help you in parking. Signals bounce back from objects behind the car. When reverse gear is selected, the system activates automatically and when an object is detected within the monitored area, pulses of sound are heard. The frequency of these pulses increase as the car comes closer to the object. When approximately 1 ft (30 cm) from the object, a continuous tone will be heard. NOTE: the system cannot always detect small or narrow objects (like a mailbox post) since the surface area presented to the sensors is too small. Always take care when reversing. (See your Owner's Manual, section Starting and driving).</td>
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<td>In this mode, the amount of information displayed on the dashboard is reduced to avoid driver distraction. When NIGHT PANEL has been selected, only the speedometer will be illuminated. All other instrument lighting will be switched off and the needles in the main instrument panel drop to zero. All indicator, warning lights and messages will appear if required. (See your Owner's Manual, section Instruments and controls).</td>
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| Courtesy headlamp feature allows headlights and reversing lights to remain on for 30 seconds after you exit the vehicle. To activate:  
  1 Remove the ignition key.  
  2 Open the driver’s door.  
  3 Pull the turn signal indicator switch towards you and release (as if you were flashing your lights).  
  4 Exit the car and close the driver’s door. (Your dealer can adjust the time the lights stay on.) |
Engine compartment

Engine bay, 4-cyl engine
1 Filler cap, engine oil
2 Coolant reservoir
3 Brake/clutch fluid reservoir
4 Battery
5 Fuse box, see your Owner’s Manual, section Car care
6 Washer fluid reservoir
7 Power steering fluid reservoir
8 Dipstick, engine oil

Engine bay, V6 engine
1 Power steering fluid reservoir
2 Coolant reservoir
3 Brake/clutch fluid reservoir
4 Battery
5 Fuse box, see your Owner’s Manual, section Car care
6 Washer fluid reservoir
7 Filler cap, engine oil
8 Dipstick, engine oil
Refueling

Open the cap by turning it slowly to the left (counterclockwise). The filler cap has a spring in it. If you let go of the cap too soon it will spring back to the right.

Closing: Turn the filler cap clockwise until you hear three clicks.

For optimum performance Saab recommends:

All engines: Unleaded AON 90

Fuel tank capacity: 16.05 gallons

Gasoline with a lower octane rating can be used, although not lower than AON 87. However, engine performance will fall slightly and heavy loading and laboring should be avoided. For optimum performance, use the recommended grade of fuel.

Tire pressure

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<td>Max 50 (80)</td>
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Note! Table of pressures for most common loads. For other loads, refer to Owner’s Manual, section Technical data.

For tire changes, refer to Owner’s Manual which lists approved tire/engine combinations.