

# OUTBACK



**SUBARU**

*Confidence in Motion*





# TRUST

TAKES YOU BEYOND.

It's ready for the next adventure. To discover new destinations, emboldened by confidence that comes from surprising flexibility, rugged capability and sound security. Its styling makes an even bolder statement with sporty headlights and a striking grille. And inside every Subaru Outback is Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive and the SUBARU BOXER engine, providing the exceptional balance and control to forge a lasting connection between you and whatever road you find. The Subaru Outback opens up the whole world for you, because it's built around engineering you can trust.



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Expect versatility to expand your world.

Where others see limits, you see opportunity. The Subaru Outback keeps up with your imagination with innovative design that lets you put more in and do more with your space. It provides you the freedom and flexibility to think big, and matches it with the comfort and convenience that makes getting further out there more inviting.



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Doing more from the inside out.



**iPod. MP3.**  
Your music, pure and simple.  
Plug your iPod<sup>\*1</sup> or other mobile music device into the standard AUX and USB input jack, and your digital music plays through Outback's audio system.



**Audio System with Colour Display**  
A vivid 4.3-inch colour display and refined controls highlight an audio system that integrates CD/WMA<sup>\*2</sup>/MP3 playback, AUX and USB inputs, iPod<sup>\*1</sup> control, Bluetooth<sup>®\*3</sup> hands-free functionality, SRS CS Auto<sup>\*4</sup> sound, and voice tag recognition.



**High-Resolution Navigation<sup>\*5</sup>**  
Outback's navigation system provides faster and more efficient guidance along with greater multimedia functionality. The 7-inch VGA touchscreen features a dual screen mode to simultaneously control audio and navigation. The system also supports the viewing of videos and photos through USB storage and SD cards. And its advanced voice recognition lets you speak naturally to give commands, whether in English, Dutch, French, German, Russian, or Spanish.

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<sup>\*5</sup> Optional.



Full of features that inspire you to move.



#### Control in your hands. Or hands-free.

Standard satellite switches on the steering wheel place audio controls conveniently at the driver's fingertips. An available Bluetooth®\*1 hands-free system automatically links with your registered mobile phone.



#### Cruise Control

Standard electronic cruise control allows the driver to maintain a preset speed on the open road. Located on the steering wheel, the controls are finished in a modern dark-metallic sheen.



#### High-grade Multi-function Display\*<sup>2</sup>

Stay fully aware for confident and efficient driving. Located conveniently in the instrument panel, it shows you time, temperature, self-check maintenance alerts, and safety information such as Vehicle Dynamics Control (VDC) monitoring. Also, it features an advanced environmental performance and efficiency display that keeps you apprised, and allows you to totally track your fuel efficiency—even allowing you to compare the efficiency of different trips.



#### Enhanced rear vision. Easier parking.

A Rear Vision Camera System is standard on all models. When the driver shifts into reverse, the camera displays a live colour image on Outback's in-dash display, along with guidelines to assist in parking manoeuvres.



## Good ideas from every seat.

### What's inside:

Ingenious flexibility, large cargo capacity and convenient ways to store, hold and secure combine to make the Outback ready for every outing.

### What it does:

Whatever you are bringing, and however much you need, Outback offers the capability and space to make it all fit.

Outback is ready for your life, right now. The clever multi-purpose design of its roomy cabin offers more than enough space for family, friends and free thinking. And its compact double wishbone rear suspension allows for an expansive trunk, so Outback handles bulky loads and curvy roads with equal skill.

### Space to be spontaneous.

Inside the Outback, space is intelligently distributed so that you can change the seating and storage configuration in an instant. 60/40 folding rear seats allow you to haul large items and various passengers as you need, so you can adjust to a different arrangement as the situation requires.

### Versatility with security.

Outback's retractable cargo cover helps to keep luggage out of view and away from sunlight. With lightweight yet sturdy aluminum construction, the cover is easily removed to make way for larger cargo when the rear seats are folded down.

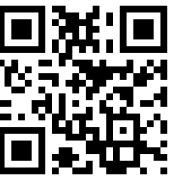
### ◀ Storage with flexibility.

Thoughtful engineering is evident throughout Outback's spacious cabin. A roomy console includes a 12-volt power port and padded armrest lid. There are also pockets in the front seatbacks, four cup holders, generous front and rear door pockets, each with its own bottle holder.

# It corners the market on confidence. And cornering.

## Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive

Symmetry gives you balance. Balance gives you control and capability. This is why Subaru has been continually developing the Symmetrical AWD system since 1972, pairing it with the SUBARU BOXER engine to give you amazing stability and control. This almost perfect symmetrical layout, maximises power delivery and pairs it with exceptional traction for total control in almost any condition.



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## Constant Contact

The more your tyres are engaged with the road, the more control you have. Power is routed to all four tyres all the time in order to maintain the strongest connection to the road as possible, maximising handling and control.

## Agility In An Emergency

In bad weather, or in the precious seconds it takes to react to a sudden situation, the symmetrical drivetrain with almost total side-to-side balance provides the stability, agility and traction that help you step around danger.

## Dynamic Performance

Exceptional traction makes acceleration immediate and exhilarating. And the symmetry helps the Outback deliver responsive handling because it's more stable during cornering, for a unique feeling of control at all times.



# Keep your profile low and your expectations high.

## SUBARU BOXER Engine

Few other cars drive with the self-assured confidence of Outback, so you won't be surprised by how uniquely it is accomplished. The horizontally-opposed configuration of the SUBARU BOXER engine places the pistons 180 degrees apart, for a lower, flatter profile than other engine types. This gives the engine, and therefore the overall vehicle, a lower centre of gravity and better sense of balance. Further, the pistons' opposing movements inherently counteract each other, naturally helping to reduce vibration.

### Increased Stability

Because the engine block has a flatter profile and sits lower in the chassis, the overall vehicle is more stably balanced and resistant to side-to-side motion than other designs.

### Smooth Power

At any rpm the engine delivers immediate, responsive power that comes on smooth. The pistons lay flat and work against each other to reduce vibrations, making the ride as comfortable as it is exciting.

### Long-lasting Performance

The engine's flat design is inherently rigid and self-balancing, generating less vibration than "V-type" or "in-line" engines for more durability and more reliable performance.



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## Centred around stability. Control around every corner.

### What's inside:

A wealth of components harmoniously interacting with each other, whilst instantly changing the way they respond based on your input. And all with one goal in mind: perfect handling.

### What it does:

With each part, big and small, working in concert with the rest, the Outback achieves a unique balance between taut response and a smooth ride. Giving you responsiveness with security, no matter the conditions.

### Greater stability and comfort

Outback elevates the inherent advantages of its signature Subaru layout—balance, composure and response—with Subaru DC<sup>3</sup>. The body uses more high-tensile steel in critical areas to achieve high strength with flexibility. Handling is made even more surefooted and stable, whilst the ride is made more comfortable. The steering system in diesel models has also been specially fine-tuned for a more direct linear feel to further improve driving enjoyment.

### Smooth and Quiet Ride

A highly rigid Cradle Mount front-end structure delivers an accurate, natural steering feel whilst allowing the engine and suspension to be effectively isolated from the cabin for a smoother, quieter ride. The result is everything that makes driving a pleasure: confidence with comfort, sportiness with safety, and elegance with efficiency—all in impeccable balance.

### Front Suspension

Working in harmony with Subaru DC<sup>3</sup>, Outback's strut type front suspension features the highly rigid Cradle Mount System, a wide tread and long wheel travel. Together they deliver flatter cornering as well as a quieter, more comfortable ride over a variety of road surfaces. In addition, thicker front sway bars provide sharper handling. For diesel models, improved damping force has been fine-tuned to reduce body-roll while enhancing handling characteristics.

### Rear Suspension

Expertly balancing sporty handling with refinement, Outback's double wishbone rear suspension is the perfect complement to Subaru DC<sup>3</sup>, handling rough roads and sharp corners with poise and precision. To enhance stability, safety and provide increased responsiveness, the damping, bushings and spring rates have been revised. Shock absorbers include a self-leveler to help maintain ride height when carrying a heavy load aboard. The rear self-stabilizer damping force is specially tuned for diesel models to deliver a high level of stability and comfort.



### Subaru Dynamic Chassis Control Concept

Innovative Subaru engineering balances handling precision, occupant protection and driving passion. The Subaru Dynamic Chassis Control Concept (DC<sup>3</sup>) extends the benefits of its lower centre of gravity and AWD stability to virtually every measure of Outback's performance.



# Within opposition lies strength.

## What's inside:

The horizontally-opposed pistons of the SUBARU BOXER engine fire with a powerful punch-counterpunch action.

## What it does:

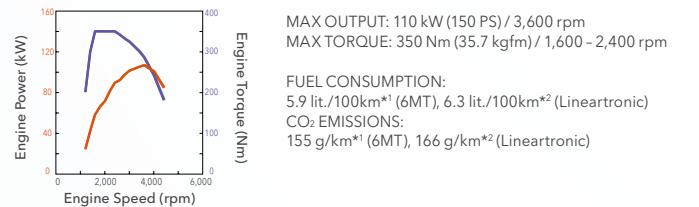
It's naturally balanced for exceptional smoothness, inherently rigid for high strength, and lower-profile to out-handle ordinary SUVs.

### Redesigned Engine

The SUBARU BOXER engine has always offered exceptional balance and smooth response, but we've figured out a way to make driving a Subaru even more inspiring. Subaru engineers painstakingly reviewed the effectiveness of every valve, port and piston to create an engine that is lighter and uses fuel more efficiently. Not only does this new engine achieve new heights of efficiency, but it offers better low-end torque response - meaning you'll feel immediate, satisfying response every time the accelerator is pressed.

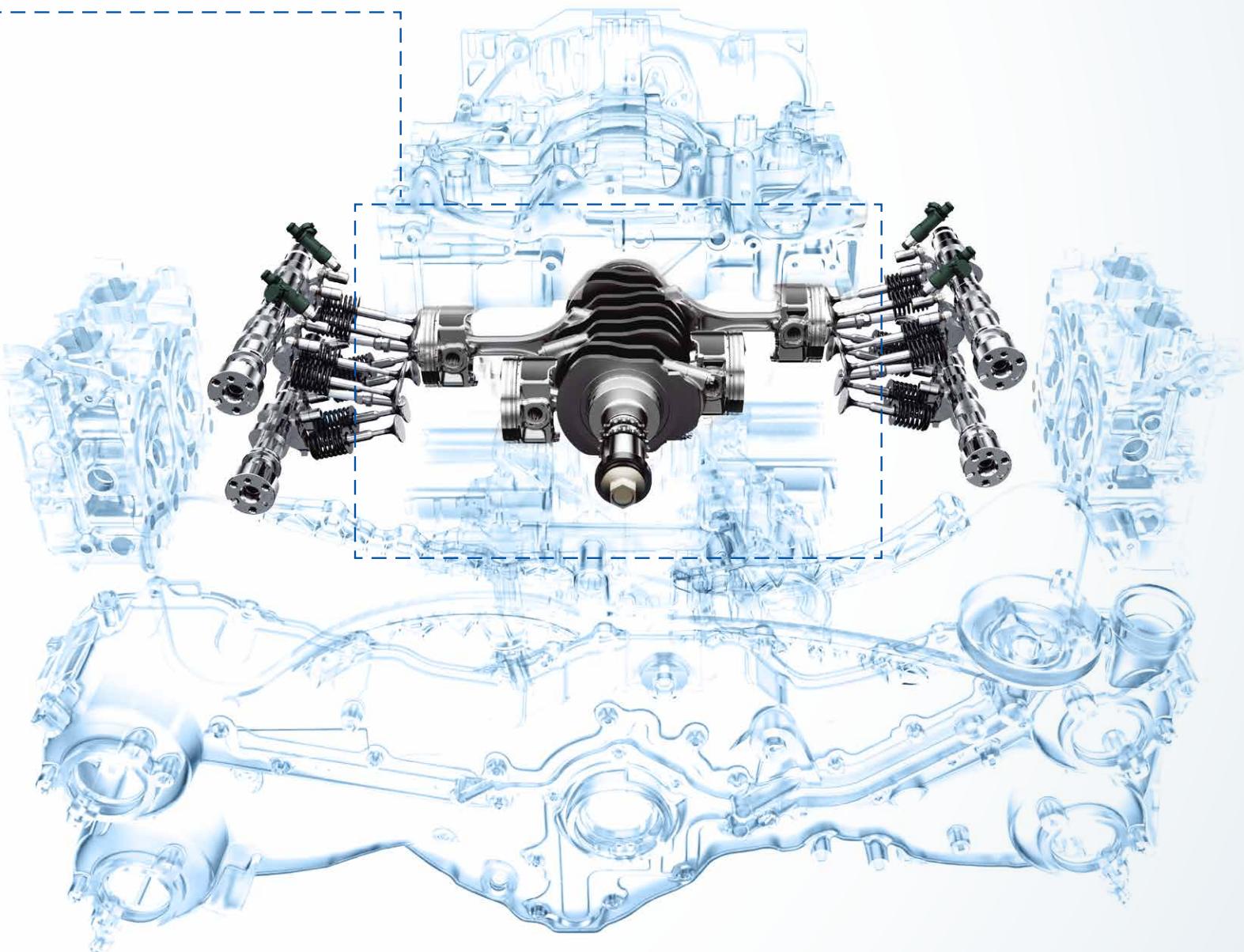
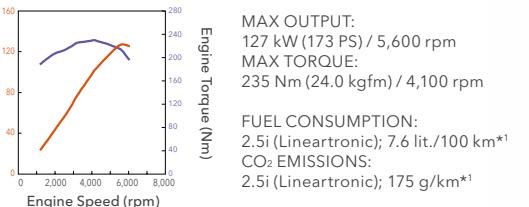
### 2.0-LITRE DOHC TURBO SUBARU BOXER DIESEL

The inherent rigidity, smoothness and quiet operation of the SUBARU BOXER engine make it the ideal configuration for the world's first BOXER DIESEL to power a passenger vehicle. Higher pressure common-rail fuel injection, an improved oxidizing catalyst with closed Diesel Particulate Filter (DPF), a variable nozzle turbo and electric power steering all combine to greatly reduce fuel consumption while emitting less CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. Ceramic glow plugs quicken starting in cold weather. A prodigious 350-Nm of peak torque is delivered at a lower 1,600 rpm - providing smooth, free-breathing performance at any speed. And both the interior and exterior have been outfitted throughout with noise insulation to improve the levels of silence.



### 2.5-LITRE DOHC SUBARU BOXER

Naturally smooth and strong, Outback's 2.5-litre DOHC engine delivers higher torque with high fuel efficiency. Refinements throughout help it deliver a prodigious 235-Nm of torque at a lower 4,100 rpm to make it more responsive around town and more satisfying on the highway. Combined with the improved Lineartronic CVT, it's more efficient and clean-running to reward on every drive.



\*1 Fuel consumption and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions: According to EC715/2007-EC566/2011F.  
\*2 Fuel consumption and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions: According to EC715/2007-EC630/2012J.



# Confidence in every gear.

## What's inside:

Outback offers a choice in transmissions—including the highly efficient Lineartronic (Continuously Variable Transmission)—each one mated to its own variation of Symmetrical AWD.

## What it does:

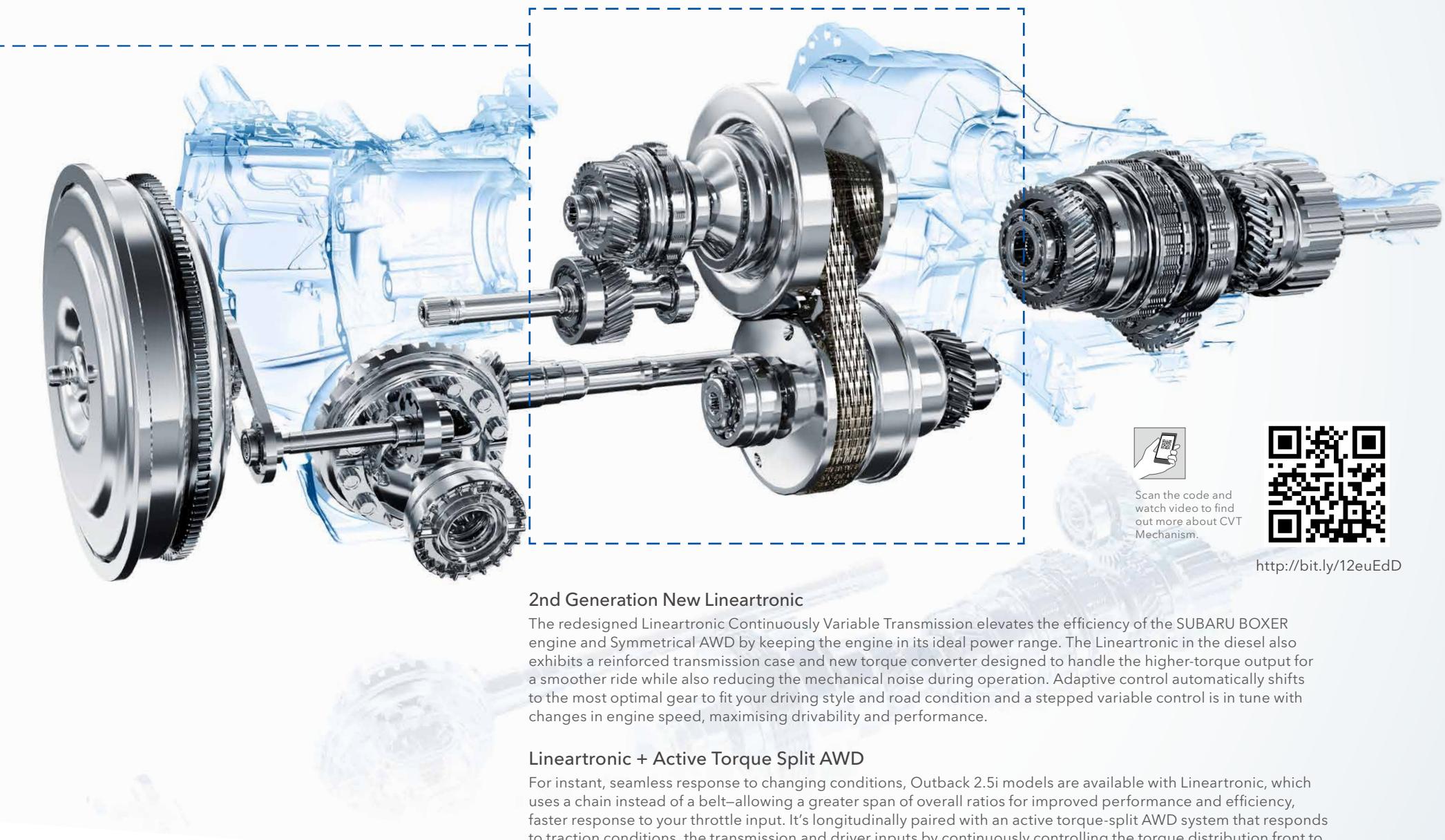
No matter how you choose to control the engine's performance, you'll always enjoy the solid balance and control of Symmetrical AWD.

### 6-Speed Manual Transmission + Viscous Centre Differential AWD

For maximum control and sporty satisfaction, a slick-shifting 6-speed manual transmission is standard on Outback 2.0D. It's paired with an AWD system utilising a centre differential with viscous LSD (Limited Slip Differential). If wheel speed differs between the front and rear axles, the system helps distribute power to the wheels with the most traction. The 6-speed offers smoother, more precise shifting, along with the compact size and light weight that add to Outback's sporty feel.

### Paddle Shifters

The innovative and efficient Lineartronic on the Outback includes a sporty manual mode with paddle shifters mounted on the steering wheel for faster gear changes. The diesel's manual mode increases to 7 speeds, covering a greater ratio for a more comfortable ride.



### 2nd Generation New Lineartronic

The redesigned Lineartronic Continuously Variable Transmission elevates the efficiency of the SUBARU BOXER engine and Symmetrical AWD by keeping the engine in its ideal power range. The Lineartronic in the diesel also exhibits a reinforced transmission case and new torque converter designed to handle the higher-torque output for a smoother ride while also reducing the mechanical noise during operation. Adaptive control automatically shifts to the most optimal gear to fit your driving style and road condition and a stepped variable control is in tune with changes in engine speed, maximising drivability and performance.

### Lineartronic + Active Torque Split AWD

For instant, seamless response to changing conditions, Outback 2.5i models are available with Lineartronic, which uses a chain instead of a belt—allowing a greater span of overall ratios for improved performance and efficiency, faster response to your throttle input. It's longitudinally paired with an active torque-split AWD system that responds to traction conditions, the transmission and driver inputs by continuously controlling the torque distribution front to rear. Paddle shifters also provide a six-step manual mode for quick response on demand.



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out more about CVT  
Mechanism.



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The assurance to get you there and back.

Ensure every journey. Whether embarking on a rugged excursion or simply a routine commute, you can drive with the peace of mind knowing that your Outback is built around Subaru's proven safety engineering - vigilantly anticipating what's next so that you're protected every step of the way.



#### What's inside:

Outback's superb handling, all-wheel drive stability and advanced active safety systems for control in those moments that can't be predicted.

#### What it does:

Swift and predictable reaction helps you steer out of harm's way. Because surviving an accident is best done by avoiding it altogether.

#### Active Safety, to avoid a collision.

At Subaru, our goal is to inspire confidence through peace of mind on the road. This means bringing safe mobility to everyone's lives, for a stress-free driving experience so that you can focus on your rewarding adventure in the Outback. Many of the same features which make Outback so satisfying to drive also contribute to its serious dedication to keeping its occupants out of harm's way. The stable, responsive handling of its Symmetrical AWD assures control in virtually any weather conditions. And the SUBARU BOXER engine enhances this security thanks to its lower centre of gravity, creating an even closer connection to the road. Its standard Vehicle Dynamics Control and generously sized brakes endow it with athletic reflexes, whilst the added precision of a Cradle Mount System for its suspension and steering equip the driver for excellent evasive abilities. All because Subaru believes the best way to survive a collision is not to have one in the first place.

#### Braking System

The standard 4-wheel disc brakes feature lightweight aluminium rear calipers and a strong, reassuring brake feel. The Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) includes Electronic Brake-force Distribution, to reportion front/rear braking pressure when the vehicle is loaded. To ensure maximum braking during an emergency, the Outback features both Brake Assist and Brake Override. There's also Subaru Hill Holder that helps prevent rollback when starting off on a 5% or steeper grade, by applying the electronic parking brake and automatically releasing it once you're underway.

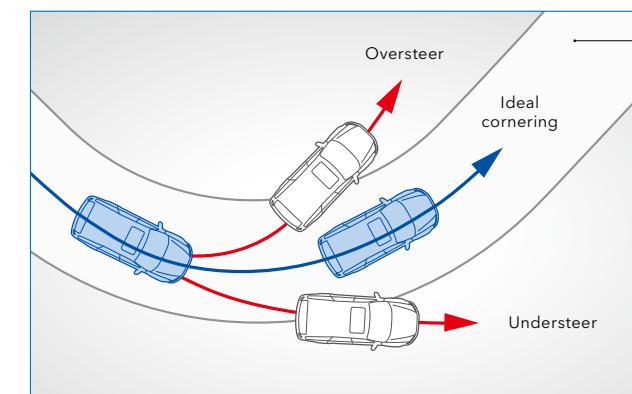


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In control. Out of danger.



#### Vehicle Dynamics Control System

Standard in every Outback, Vehicle Dynamics Control (VDC) monitors and analyses if the vehicle is following the driver's intended course via an array of sensors. If the vehicle approaches the limits of stability, the AWD torque distribution, engine output and brakes at each wheel are adjusted to assist in keeping the vehicle on course.



#### What's inside:

Advanced safety features, restraint systems and the surrounding body structure, all work together to provide maximum protection.

#### What it does:

When the unthinkable happens, Outback's engineering provides an inside-out approach to protecting its occupants with celebrated Subaru safety.

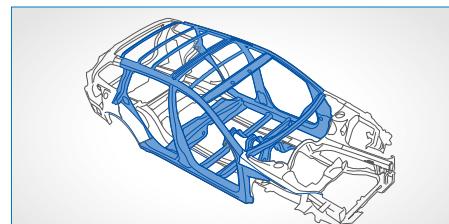
#### Passive Safety, to better survive a collision.

At Subaru, there is never an end to the pursuit of safety. We set high standards, constantly enhancing features whilst earning acclaim along the way. But even with the most advanced active safety systems, sometimes an accident is simply inevitable. That is why Outback is designed to protect its occupants with a series of advanced systems and features, balancing rigid strength with controlled deformation in key areas to better manage impact forces. The Cradle Mount System for its engine effectively lengthens the front crumple zone. Each side door includes two side-impact protection beams. A comprehensive suite of air bags, whiplash-reducing front seats, retracting pedals and 3-point seatbelts help protect occupants directly. It's a core value of the Subaru philosophy that peace of mind is the first step in providing driving enjoyment.

#### Pedestrian Protection

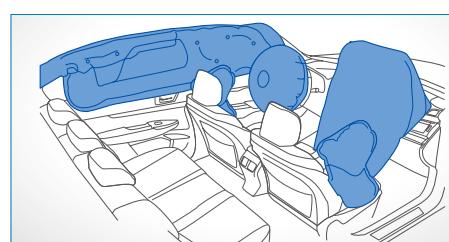
Outback was designed with the objective of providing a high level of pedestrian protection. Shock-absorbing space between the bonnet and engine helps to reduce pedestrian injury in an accident, as do an energy-absorbing front bumper and a specially designed area around the windshield wipers.

## Comprehensive protection is at its heart.



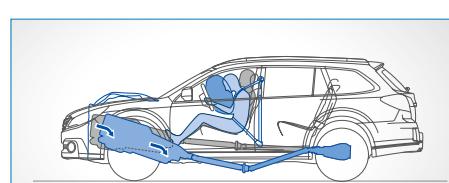
#### Ring-shaped Reinforcement Frames

The Ring-shaped Reinforcement Frames strengthen the passenger cabin from the roof to the doors, pillars and floor. This design helps to divert and dissipate impact energy away from the occupants in a collision. The front crumple zone is integral to the frame, whilst the cradle mounting for the engine is designed to help keep these components farther from the passenger compartment in a front impact.



#### Seats, Seatbelts and SRS\* Airbags

Standard on Outback are front SRS\* airbags, plus front-side SRS\* airbags and curtain SRS\* airbags. Height-adjustable front seatbelts feature pretensioners to hold passengers firmly in place, and load limiters that ease peak forces to the chest. In a rear collision, front seats utilise rigid frames, firm headrests and such details as energy-absorbing mounting of the inner seat springs, all to help reduce the chance of whiplash.

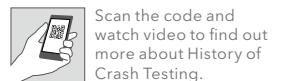


#### Break Away Engine

Every Subaru goes above and beyond common practice when it comes to your safety. In the event of a head-on collision, your Outback's SUBARU BOXER engine and gearbox are designed to absorb the impact and break away from the cabin for your protection.



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## Lineup



### OUTBACK 2.0D

DIMENSIONS: L x W x H: 4,790 x 1,820 x 1,605 mm

ENGINE: Horizontally-opposed, 4-cylinder, Turbocharged, DOHC 16-valve diesel

CAPACITY: 1,998 cc

MAX OUTPUT: 110 kW (150 PS) / 3,600 rpm

MAX TORQUE: 350 Nm (35.7 kgfm) / 1,600-2,400 rpm

TRANSMISSION: 6-speed manual transmission or Lineartronic, AWD



Dark Grey Metallic



Crystal Black Silica



## Lineup

### OUTBACK 2.5i

DIMENSIONS: L x W x H: 4,790 x 1,820 x 1,605 mm

ENGINE: Horizontally-opposed, 4-cylinder, DOHC 16-valve petrol

CAPACITY: 2,498 cc

MAX OUTPUT: 127 kW (173 PS) / 5,600 rpm

MAX TORQUE: 235 Nm (24.0 kgf m) / 4,100 rpm

TRANSMISSION: Lineartronic, AWD



Satin White Pearl



Burnished Bronze Metallic



## Thoughtfully equipped inside and out.



### Auto On/Off Headlamps

A light sensor turns on the headlamps automatically at dusk, and shuts them off when you remove the key from the ignition.



### Front Fog Lamps

Multi-reflector fog lamps emit a wide, flat beam that reflects less glare in fog, for added safety.



### Automatic Rain-sensing Windshield Wipers

Available automatic windshield wipers detect rainfall on the glass and adjust their wiping intervals and speed accordingly.



### Heated Door Mirrors

The large side mirrors include power adjustment and folding, electric heating, and integrated LED turn signals.



### Dual-zone Air Conditioning

All models feature dual-zone automatic climate control with a digital display and one-touch defrost mode for the windshield.



### Multi-information Display

A dash-top digital readout displays outside temperature, current or average fuel consumption, distance to empty and time of day.



### Electronic Parking Brake

Push button parking brake is easier to operate and takes up less space than a pedal or lever, and right in reach with its convenience center console location.



### Heated Front Seats<sup>2</sup>

Available heated front seats offer two settings, for rapid heating or soothing warmth.



### Power Glass Sunroof<sup>1</sup>

The optional internally sliding sunroof with manual sunshade delivers a wide panoramic view and fresh breezes for front and rear passengers.



### 17-inch Aluminium-alloy Wheels

All Outback models feature 17-inch alloy wheels with all-season tyres for year-round traction.



### 4-way Steering Column

To help set your optimum driving position, the adjustable steering wheel tilts up-down and telescopes in-out.



### Keyless Access with Push Button Start<sup>1</sup>

Available Keyless Access with Push Button Start lets you unlock, start and drive your Outback without taking a key from your pocket.



### Illuminated Vanity Mirrors

Lighted and covered vanity mirrors are provided for both the driver and front passenger.



### Overhead Storage Console

Among Outback's many storage areas is this ceiling-mounted console with room to keep small items within easy reach.



### Power Driver's Seat<sup>2</sup>

10-way power driver's seat includes power-adjustable lumbar support. On models with leather interior, 2-seat position memory function and a key linked memory function<sup>1</sup> is included.



### Rear-cabin Vents

Outback 2.5i model with leather interior include adjustable rear-cabin air vents in the console between the front seats.

<sup>1</sup> Optional.

<sup>2</sup> Optional on 2.0D, standard on 2.5i.

## Accessories



### Personalise your ride.

Whilst every Outback comes generously equipped, Subaru accessories are the perfect way to tailor your Subaru to your life and your style. Whether you want to add convenience, enhance functionality, or personalise your Outback's appearance, Subaru accessories are designed to provide the same fit and quality as your Subaru vehicle. For more details, ask for the accessory brochure or visit your nearest Subaru dealer.



Front Resin Underguard



Splash Guard



Side Resin Underguard



Rear Resin Underguard



Cargo Step Panel (stainless)



Cargo Step Panel (resin)



Luggage Utility Rail & Hook



Luggage Partition



Aluminium Carrier Base



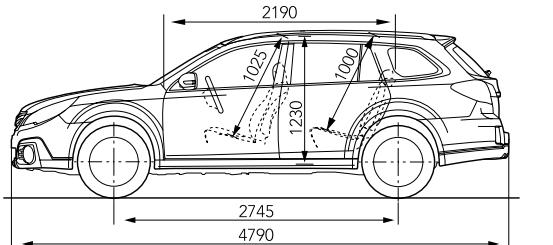
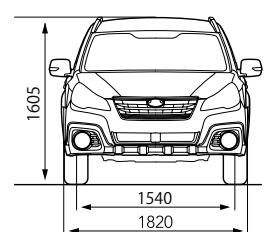
Trailer Hitch



Put confidence in motion  
with engineering you trust.

### Dimensions

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