



FORESTER





Drive into adventure.

Face new challenges. Explore the great outdoors. Do all the things you always wanted to do. It's easy to imagine the possibilities with the Forester's sporty design that sparks your excitement for adventure. The Sport model exudes confidence with an eye-catching orange trim and supports all your outdoor adventures while keeping everyone happy, comfortable, and safe.





Performance you can trust. Capability you can feel.

The Forester gives you total driving confidence with its fun-to-drive nature, responsive handling, and outstanding ride comfort. Balanced and stable around turns even with its SUV height, the Forester was carefully engineered to reduce fatigue on extended adventures for an enjoyable driving experience for all. And with Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive and the improved X-MODE standard on all models, you can reach your destination with comfort and peace of mind.

X-MODE and Hill Descent Control

Enjoy the Forester’s true driving potential with the newly evolved X-MODE. Select [SNOW/DIRT] mode for slippery surfaces covered with snow, dirt, or gravel, or [D.SNOW/MUD] mode for especially treacherous roads on which tyres can become stuck, such as deep snow, mud, or dry dirt.*1 X-MODE utilises the high torque and quick response of the drive motor*2 for improved ability to get out if stuck, further enhancing driving performance and sense of security. Plus, Hill Descent Control helps maintain a controlled and constant speed even on slippery downhill, adding even more peace of mind to your drive.*3

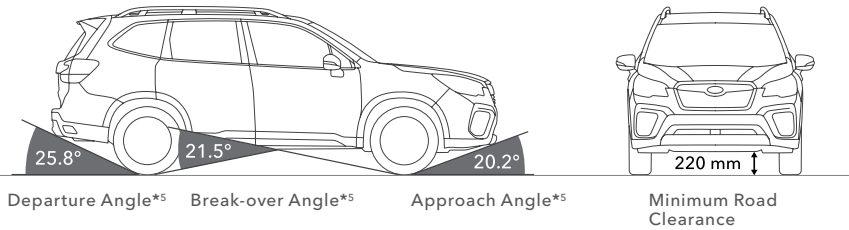
SI-DRIVE*4

Select Intelligent Mode for balanced, smooth, and environmentally friendly performance, or Sport Mode for an immediate and linear torque-rich throttle response for sporty and smooth driving at any speed. Motor assist*2 further improves overall acceleration response for an even more powerful and sporty driving experience.



High Ground Clearance

The Forester was designed for not only high SUV ground clearance, but also with careful consideration for approach, departure, and break-over angles. All have been optimised to help you conquer obstacles without sustaining damage or getting stuck.



*1 2-mode X-MODE only available on Sport and premium models.
*2 Available only on SUBARU e-BOXER vehicles.
*3 Driver is always responsible for safe and attentive driving. Effectiveness of Hill Descent Control depends on many factors such as vehicle maintenance, weather, tyre, and road conditions.
*4 Optional.
*5 When equipped with 18-inch wheels. Measurements may vary according to region and/or wheel size. Please contact your local authorised Subaru retailer for more details.



Plenty of space for all your memories.

An expanded cargo area, easier-to-use power rear gate*, and cargo light are just some of the things that make the Forester the most versatile and convenient yet. Supportive of even the most active lifestyle, Forester is ready to help you do all the things you love doing, and make each adventure more meaningful.



Cargo Area

The wider opening and square design make it easier to organise, load, and unload even large objects without needing to tilt them. The backs of the 60/40-split folding rear seats have been optimised for a flatter cargo floor, making it easier to store longer items with them folded down. Plus, the sides of the cargo area are made of easily wiped-clean, durable material on which dirt and scratches are hardly noticeable, so you can fully enjoy your rugged outings with peace of mind.



Power Rear Gate*

The power rear gate allows access to the cargo space with a single switch, even when your hands are full. The inner lock switch lets you conveniently close the rear gate and lock all doors at the same time.



Cargo Features

The 12V power supply, rear seat folding switch, and bag hooks are consolidated in the same area for ease of use. The cargo net hooks are installed in the four corners of the cargo area for convenient luggage net use.

* Optional.



Comfort for everyone.

The Forester provides comfort to every passenger, in every seat. Its convenience begins even before you enter the vehicle, as the door openings have been specially designed to make getting in and out easy for everyone. The orange highlights exclusive to Sport model adds excitement to each drive, while the seats and doors are lined with soft-touch material that's easy to clean. The spacious interior provides conveniences like the seatback pockets and rear ventilation system to keep everyone comfortable, while the quiet cabin reduces unwanted road noise and vibrations so everyone can enjoy quality time on the road.



Centre Console Box

The centre console box compartment is large enough to store your electronic devices like small tablets. There's also a 12V power socket inside for your convenience.



Power Sunroof*

The available inner-sliding sunroof's large opening provides a sense of spaciousness while leaving plenty of headroom for all passengers.



Convenient Seat Access

Seat height, side sill placement, and door pillar design allow smooth seat access for rear passengers.



Side Sill Steps

The rear side sill steps are wider, flatter, and have a slip-resistant surface for convenient roof rail use.

* Optional.

Feel connected, wherever you go.

Safely enjoy the conveniences of smartphone connectivity while on the go, with services such as Apple CarPlay*¹ and Android Auto*². Designed with both advanced functionality and ease of use in mind, the Forester provides you with the latest infotainment functions and intuitive controls. Combined with comfortable front seats that encourage a natural driving position, you'll feel right at home, no matter how far you go.



Apple CarPlay*^{1,3} and Android Auto*^{2,3}

Use today's most popular apps with Apple CarPlay*¹ and Android Auto*². Voice recognition capabilities allow hands-free use, keeping everybody safe while reducing distractions when you're on the road.



Multifunction Display*³

The 6.3-inch LCD multifunction display at the top of the instrument panel provides you and your passengers with useful information in an easy-to-understand view. When the navigation system is in use, it connects to the multifunction display and shows turn-by-turn information when approaching intersections or turns.



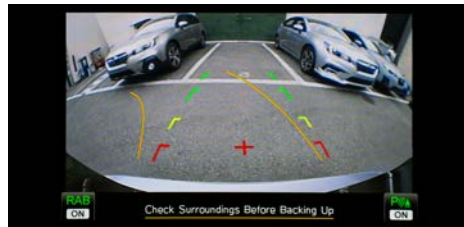
Meter Display

The 4.2-inch full-colour LCD meter display helps you understand useful driving information with a quick glance so you can keep your eyes on the road.



Front and Side View Monitors*³

The front grille camera can project the vehicle's front view via the multifunction display, increasing front visibility at intersections and when parking facing a wall. The Side View Monitor displays blind spots diagonally in front of the passenger side to make navigating narrow roads easier and street parking more convenient.



Rear View Camera

When you shift into Reverse, the camera displays a live colour image on the head unit display along with guidelines to making parking easy. Plus, a rear view camera washer washes dirt off the lens to ensure a clear view.



Premium Audio System with Harman/Kardon Speakers*³

Featuring Harman/Kardon's latest technology, GreenEdge, the premium audio system includes 9 Harman/Kardon speakers and improved acoustics for a richer audio experience.

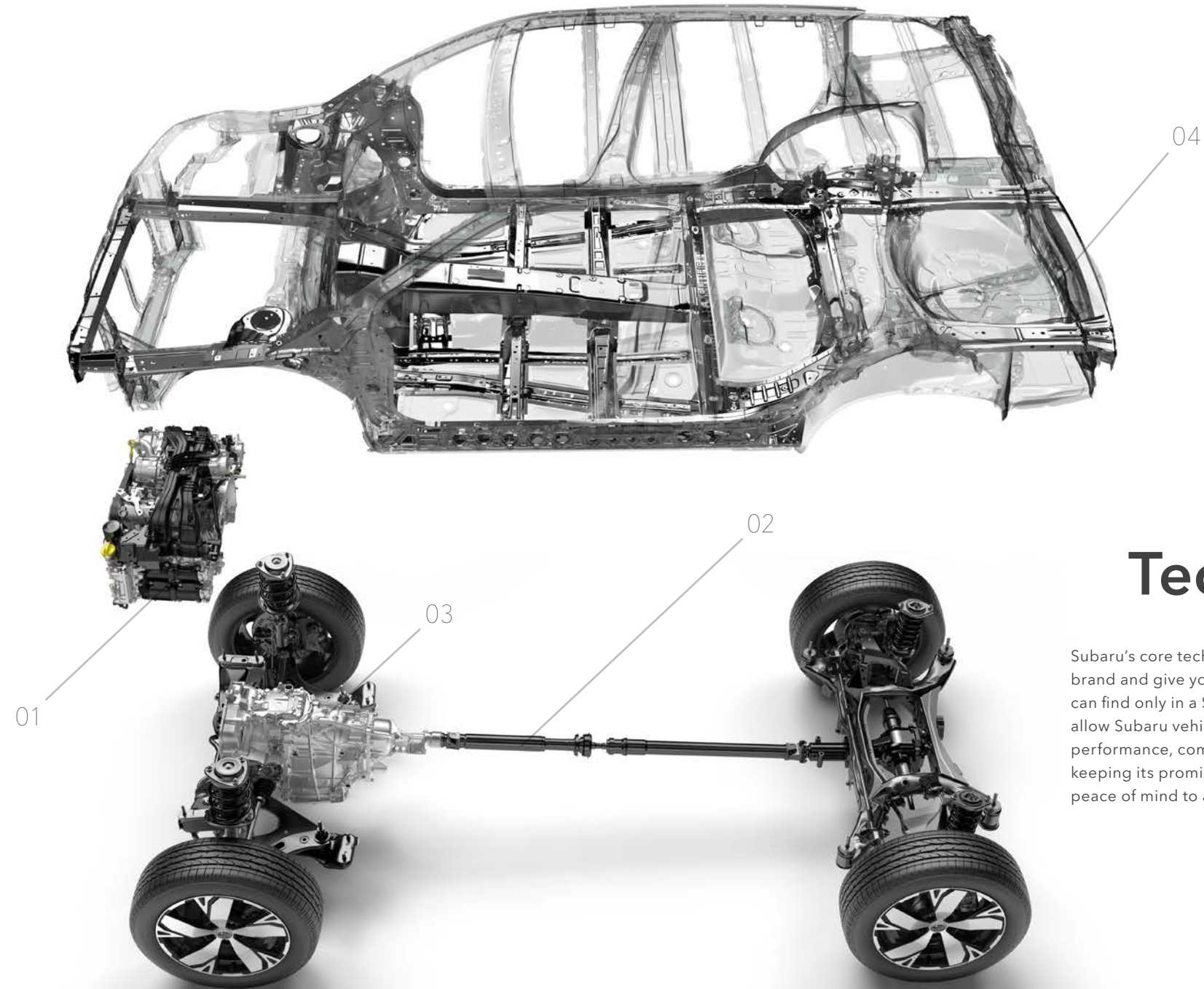
*1 Apple CarPlay is a trademark of Apple Inc., registered in the U.S. and other countries.

*2 Android and Android Auto are trademarks of Google Inc.

*3 Optional.

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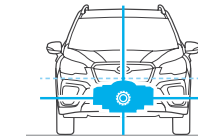
Subaru Core Technology

Subaru's core technologies identify the Subaru brand and give you the unique driving feel you can find only in a Subaru. These core systems allow Subaru vehicles to live up to its standards in performance, comfort, safety, and reliability while keeping its promise to deliver enjoyment and peace of mind to all passengers.

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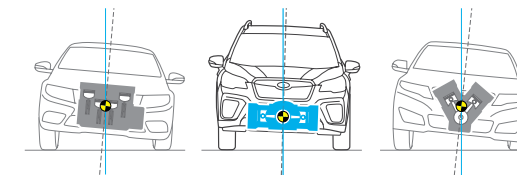
SUBARU BOXER Engine

A boxer engine, or a horizontally opposed engine, is an engine configuration in which its pistons move toward each other in a horizontal direction. Subaru has been committed to the SUBARU BOXER engine for over 50 years for its many advantages over other engine types, providing durability and reliable performance in its vehicles.



Increased Stability

The low centre of gravity and flat design give it better side-to-side stability than other engine types.



Naturally Balanced

The engine's flat design is inherently rigid and self-balancing, generating less vibration than other engine types.

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Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive (AWD)

Subaru's Symmetrical AWD distributes power to all wheels for better traction on wet and slippery roads. Laid out in a horizontally symmetrical plane, this system has a well-balanced low centre of gravity design for a more stable and safer ride.

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Lineartronic + Active Torque Split AWD

Lineartronic adjusts to any ratio in its range for smooth and stepless gear changes that keep the engine in its most efficient range for efficient and smooth acceleration, driving performance and better fuel efficiency. It comes paired with Subaru's active torque split AWD system. Its default torque is well-balanced front to rear and adjusts in response to real-time traction conditions.

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Subaru Global Platform

The Subaru Global Platform (SGP) is the underlying platform that will underpin the next generation of Subaru vehicles. Enhancing all-around safety and performance, it goes beyond better performance to offer a driving feel you can only find in a Subaru. It's the future of Subaru—and delivers even more enjoyment and peace of mind to all drivers and passengers.

More Fun to Drive

More responsive handling allows you to steer the car just as intended for better hazard avoidance. Even with its high ground clearance, the Forester securely hugs the road around turns, resulting in a car that's safer and more fun to drive, even on long trips.

Ride Comfort

Improvements in chassis rigidity, suspension, and stabilisers efficiently absorb shocks from the road and hide uneven surfaces, allowing more comfort and less fatigue on long rides.

Comfortable Cabin Space

Unpleasant vibrations and noise have been reduced to ensure all passengers enjoy the ride. Suspension improvements and a highly rigid chassis allow for a comfortable cabin interior for all.

Subaru All-Around Safety

When your car gives you peace of mind, life becomes more enjoyable. That’s why at Subaru, safety comes first. Originally rooted in aircraft manufacturing, Subaru continues its ‘people first’ policy by fine-tuning, testing, and retesting its advanced safety features, developed over 50 years. With the latest in collision protection/avoidance systems and unique technologies like Subaru Global Platform and Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive, Subaru continuously strives to improve All-Around Safety to envision an accident-free future.

PRIMARY

Primary Safety begins at the underlying design stage. Outstanding visibility, optimal driving position, and intuitive controls help keep you safe from the moment you enter your vehicle.

PREVENTIVE

With advanced safety technologies such as EyeSight*1, Preventive Safety helps avoid collisions before they happen.

ACTIVE

Thanks to technologies like Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive and SGP, Active Safety allows precise control of your vehicle by fine-tuning the basic elements of driving—driving, turning, braking—so you can enjoy each drive with peace of mind.

PASSIVE

Passive Safety is designed to keep you safe in the event of a collision, with features such as the cabin-protecting engine layout and SRS*2 airbags.

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01 PASSIVE

Ring-shaped Reinforcement Frame

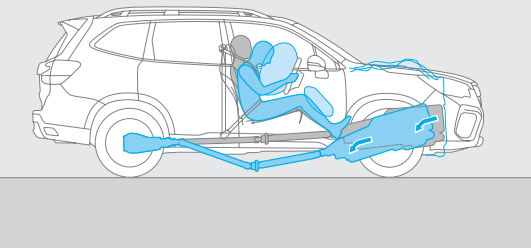
The Ring-shaped Reinforcement Frame makes better use of high-tensile steel panels and has been structurally redesigned for more efficient energy absorption from impacts in all directions.

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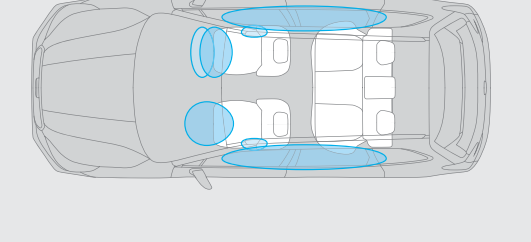
Steering Responsive Headlights (SRH)*4

These headlights operate interconnectedly with steering input and vehicle speed to aim your lights in the direction your vehicle is turning, helping you see better around corners for safer nighttime driving.

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Cabin-protecting Layout

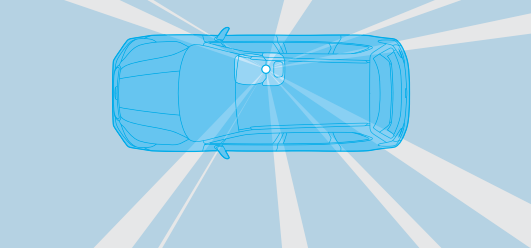
The reinforced pillars and frame all work together within the Forester’s SGP design to absorb collision impact from all sides to protect all passengers. In the event of a frontal collision, the engine and gearbox are designed to be pushed below the vehicle instead of crashing into the cabin.

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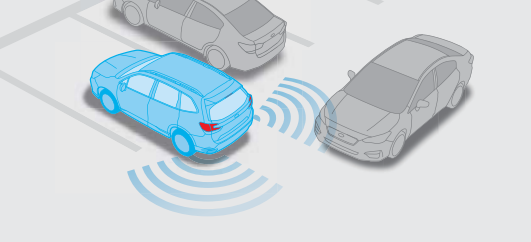
Reverse Automatic Braking (RAB)*3*4

When in Reverse, this system uses four sensors on the rear bumper to detect obstructions behind the vehicle. If detected, the system can alert the driver with warning sounds and automatically apply the brakes to avoid a collision or reduce collision damage.

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03 PASSIVE

Supplemental Restraint System (SRS)*2 Airbags

Front SRS*2 airbags, front side SRS*2 airbags, curtain SRS*2 airbags, and a knee SRS*2 airbag come standard on the Forester to give all passengers a higher level of protection in the event of a collision.

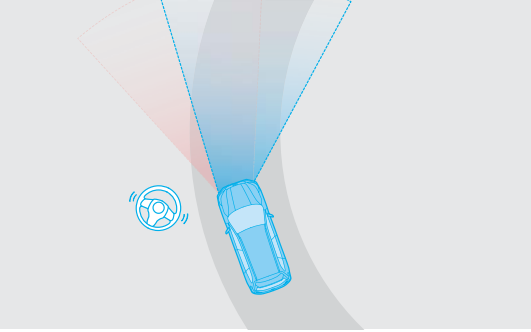
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Vehicle Dynamics Control System + Active Torque Vectoring

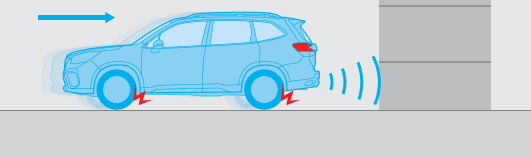
Vehicle Dynamics Control System adjusts AWD torque distribution, engine output, and brakes at each wheel to help keep the vehicle on course. And with Active Torque Vectoring, brakes are applied and less torque is distributed to the inside wheels and more to the outside wheels for more precise handling, helping you make sharp turns when necessary.

*1 EyeSight is a driving support system which may not operate optimally under all driving conditions. The driver is always responsible for safe and attentive driving and observance of traffic regulations. System effectiveness depends on many factors such as vehicle maintenance, weather, and road conditions. See Owner's Manual for complete details on system operation and limitations for EyeSight, including functions in this brochure.

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04 PRIMARY

Visibility in all directions

Optimal driving position, window heights, and carefully arranged pillars provide excellent visibility in all directions to reduce blind spots, letting you easily check your surroundings.

09 ACTIVE

Auto Vehicle Hold

When the vehicle is at a complete stop, Auto Vehicle Hold keeps the vehicle in place even when the brake pedal is released, reducing driver fatigue in stop-and-go traffic.

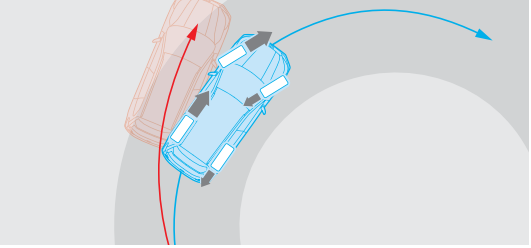
*2 Effective when used in conjunction with seatbelts.

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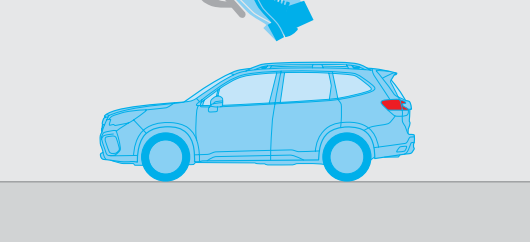
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*4 Optional.

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Subaru Rear Vehicle Detection (SRVD)*3*4

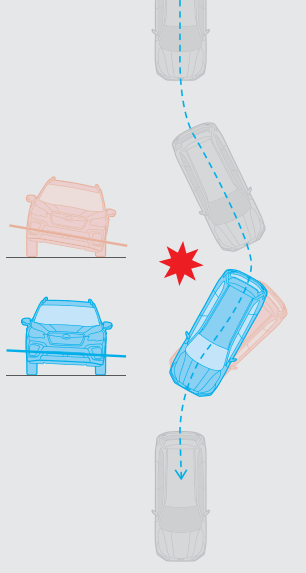
Sensors placed in the rear corners of the vehicle alert you of vehicles in your rear blind spots for safer lane changes. It also warns you of potential collision danger while driving in reverse into a street with cross traffic.

10 ACTIVE

Hazard Avoidance

Made possible by the SGP and Symmetrical AWD, the lower centre of gravity design, enhanced suspension system, and rigidity improvements provide a vehicle that responds immediately when evasive actions are taken, helping avoid hazards on the road.

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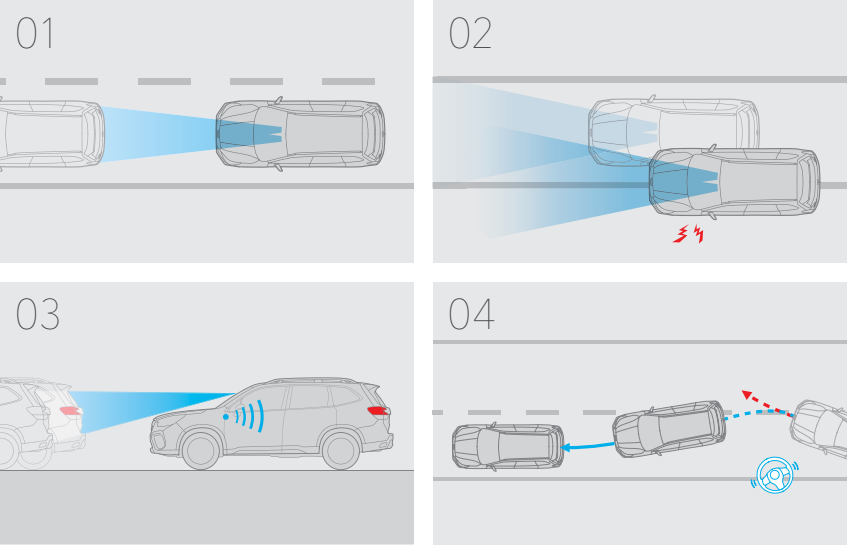
Subaru EyeSight Driver Assist Technology

EyeSight*¹, Subaru's cutting-edge driving support system, works like a second pair of eyes for the road ahead, using a pair of stereo cameras to capture colour images with excellent image recognition—nearly as capable as the human eye. When spotting potential danger, such as

vehicles, motorbikes, bicycles, and pedestrians*², it warns the driver and applies the brakes when necessary, enabling even more confident driving and peace of mind.



Driver Assist



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- 01 Adaptive Cruise Control**

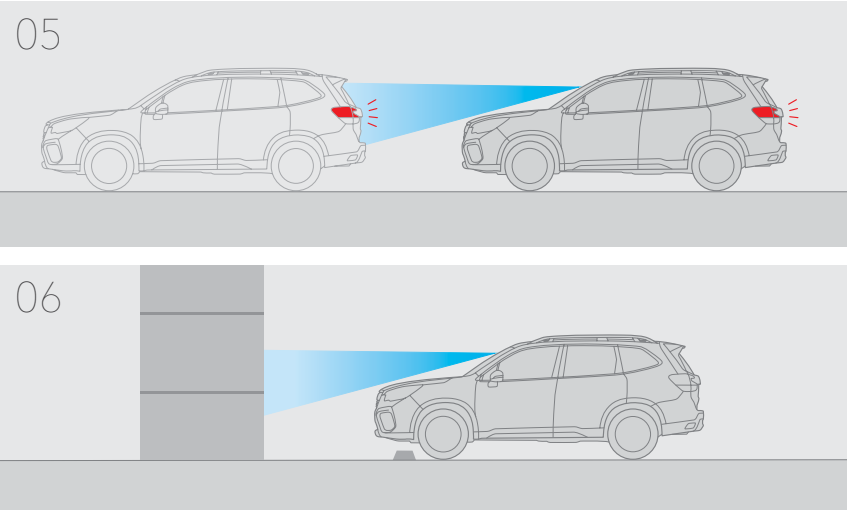
When it senses a vehicle in front, Adaptive Cruise Control maintains a set distance from the vehicle ahead by continuously monitoring the distance and speed difference and adjusting the engine, transmission, and brakes to keep your speed in line with traffic flow from about 0 km/h to 180 km/h. Designed for use on freeways, highways, and similar roads, it can detect a lead vehicle and its brake lamps to keep pace in stop-and-go highway traffic, reducing fatigue on long drives.
- 02 Lane Sway and Departure Warning**

At speeds of about 60 km/h or more, Lane Sway Warning helps you stay alert with a buzzer and flashing indicator if it detects lane drift or sway. At speeds of about 50 km/h or more, Lane Departure Warning sends you a buzzer alert and flashing indicator when it detects lane departure without signaling.
- 03 Lead Vehicle Start Alert**

When you're at a stop and traffic starts moving again, Lead Vehicle Start Alert prompts you to take action with a buzzer and a flashing indicator.
- 04 Lane Keep Assist**

Unless the turn signal is being used, Lane Keep Assist can help with steering wheel operation when it detects lane departure, when driving at speeds of approximately 60 km/h or more.

Accident Prevention



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- 05 Pre-Collision Braking System*²**

Pre-Collision Braking can warn you with a buzzer and flashing indicator when it senses an impending collision with an obstacle in front. If no evasive action is taken, the system can apply the brakes to avoid or reduce frontal impact. If evasive action is taken, the system can help the driver apply full braking force.
- 06 Pre-Collision Throttle Management**

When there is an object in front and you put the gear in Drive instead of Reverse, Pre-Collision Throttle Management can alert you with a buzzer and a flashing indicator, and cuts engine power to minimise possible impact force and frontal damage.

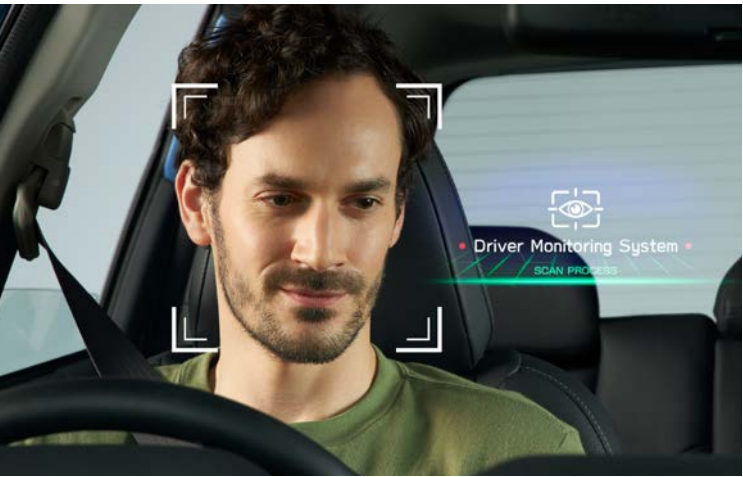
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*2 Pre-Collision Braking System may not work in all situations. Depending on the speed difference from objects, the object's height, and other conditions, every situation may not meet the necessary conditions for EyeSight to work optimally.



Subaru Advanced Technologies: Driver Monitoring System

The Driver Monitoring System* supports safer driving through a dedicated camera and alerts you when it detects signs of driver distraction or drowsiness.



Safety, comfort, and convenience for any driver.

DMS recognises up to five pre-registered drivers to provide the following customised driver settings for a personalised and convenient driving experience.



Seat Position Auto Adjustment

The system recognises up to five drivers regardless of age or body type, and automatically adjusts the seat position to the driver's pre-registered setting.



Door Mirror Position-Auto Adjustment

DMS conveniently adjusts external mirrors to the driver's pre-registered setting.



Auto MFD and Meter

The driver's last Multifunction Display settings, including individual fuel consumption information, are restored automatically for their convenience.



Auto Air-conditioning

The system remembers and restores each driver's last used climate control settings to help provide a comfortable and pleasant cabin environment.



Alert

When DMS detects the driver's eyes shutting or looking aside for an extended period of time, it determines the driver is distracted or drowsy, and alerts the driver via audio and visual warnings on the meter and Multifunction Display.

* Optional.
The driver is always responsible for safe and attentive driving and observance of traffic regulations. Please do not depend solely on the Driver Monitoring System for safe driving. There are limitations to the features of the Driver Monitoring System. See Owner's Manual for complete details on system operation and limitations. Please ask your retailer for more details.

LINEUP

Forester 2.5i-S EyeSight / 2.5i-L EyeSight

DIMENSIONS..... L x W x H: 4625 x 1815 x 1730 mm
ENGINE..... Horizontally opposed, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke, DOHC 16-valve, petrol
CAPACITY..... 2498 cc
MAX OUTPUT..... 136 kW (184 PS) / 5,800 rpm
MAX TORQUE..... 239 Nm (24.4 kgfm) / 4,400 rpm
TRANSMISSION..... Lineartronic, AWD



Jasper Green Metallic



Forester 2.0i-S EyeSight / 2.0i-S / 2.0i-Sport EyeSight / 2.0i-L EyeSight / 2.0i-L

DIMENSIONS..... L x W x H: 4625 x 1815 x 1730 mm
ENGINE..... Horizontally opposed, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke, DOHC 16-valve, petrol
CAPACITY..... 1995 cc
MAX OUTPUT..... 115 kW (156 PS) / 6,000 rpm
MAX TORQUE..... 196 Nm (20.0 kgfm) / 4,000 rpm
TRANSMISSION..... Lineartronic, AWD



Horizon Blue Pearl



Forester 2.0i

DIMENSIONS..... L x W x H: 4625 x 1815 x 1730 mm
ENGINE..... Horizontally opposed, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke, DOHC 16-valve, petrol
CAPACITY..... 1995 cc
MAX OUTPUT..... 115 kW (156 PS) / 6,000 rpm
MAX TORQUE..... 196 Nm (20.0 kgfm) / 4,000 rpm
TRANSMISSION..... Lineartronic, AWD



Ice Silver Metallic



Forester 2.0i-S EyeSight

DIMENSIONS..... L x W x H: 4625 x 1815 x 1730 mm
POWER UNIT Horizontally opposed, 4-cylinder, 2.0L DOHC 16-valve + Motor
CAPACITY..... 1995 cc
MAX OUTPUT..... SUBARU BOXER Engine: 110 kW (150 PS) / 6,000 rpm
Motor: 12.3 kW (16.7 PS)
MAX TORQUE..... SUBARU BOXER Engine: 196 Nm (20.0 kgfm) / 4,000 rpm
Motor: 66 Nm (6.7 kgfm)
TRANSMISSION..... Lineartronic, AWD



Crystal Black Silica



Forester 2.5i-Sport EyeSight

DIMENSIONS..... L x W x H: 4625 x 1815 x 1730 mm
ENGINE..... Horizontally opposed, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke, DOHC 16-valve, petrol
CAPACITY..... 2498 cc
MAX OUTPUT..... 136 kW (184 PS) / 5,800 rpm
MAX TORQUE..... 239 Nm (24.4 kgfm) / 4,400 rpm
TRANSMISSION..... Lineartronic, AWD



Crystal White Pearl



FEATURES



- 01 LED Headlamps with Auto-leveliser***

These auto-leveling LED headlamps are steering-responsive*, helping with visibility during nighttime driving. The redesigned colours further accentuate its signature C-shape design.
- 02 18-inch Aluminium-alloy Wheels***

The robustly styled multi-spoke 18-inch aluminium-alloy wheels are paired with 225/55R18 tyres.
- 03 LED Front Fog Lamps***

These stylish and sporty LED fog lamps have a large light coverage area, improving visibility at night or in poor weather.
- 04 LED Rear Combination Lamps**

The rear combination lamps give the Forester that distinct Subaru look with C-shaped lamps that represent its functionality.
- 05 Roof Rails**

Conveniently access the roof rails with the rear side sill steps. Loopholes* are available so ropes can be tied down securely so you can carry any object with peace of mind.
- 06 Dual Air-conditioning System***

The passenger-synced air-conditioning system efficiently provides a pleasant indoor cabin atmosphere to every occupied seat. Choose from four operation modes to adjust to anyone's temperature preference. For further convenience, you can also select your mode via the 6.3-inch Multifunction Display.*
- 07 USB Power Outlets (Front and Rear)***

USB charging ports are available for both front and rear seat passengers, increasing convenience for everyone.
- 08 Divided Seatback Pockets**

Conveniently keep your magazines, smartphones, and tablets organised with the divided seatback pockets.
- 09 Seat Position Memory Switch**

The seat memory function is linked to the position of the door mirrors for improved comfort and convenience. Plus, the passenger-side door mirror automatically tilts down when you shift into Reverse for better kerb visibility when backing up.
- 10 Rear Ventilation System**

Vent grilles have been installed behind the centre console box so rear passengers can travel in comfort.

* Optional.

EXTERIOR COLOURS



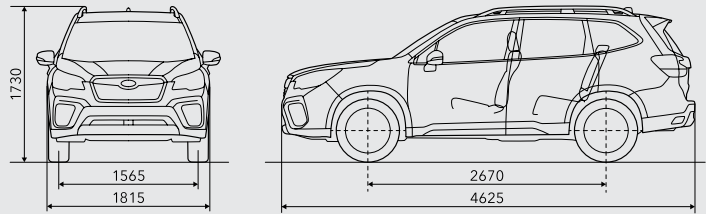
SEAT MATERIALS



*1 Not available on 2.5i-Sport EyeSight and 2.0i-Sport EyeSight. *2 Dark Blue Pearl is available only on 2.5i-Sport EyeSight and 2.0i-Sport EyeSight. *3 Optional. *4 Seat variations and/or combinations may vary according to region. Owing to printing locations, colours may differ slightly from those shown in this chart. In addition, colours and seat variations may vary according to the individual market.

DIMENSIONS

Dimensions are measured in accordance with standard measurement of SUBARU CORPORATION.



Not all features, options, or packages are available for all models and regions. See your specification sheet for availability. Please contact your local authorised Subaru retailer for more details.

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