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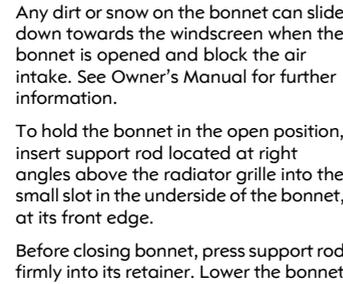
Before refuelling, switch off engine and also shut off external heaters with combustion chambers (identified by stickers on fuel filler cap). Switch off mobile phones.

To close, position fuel filler cap and rotate past resistance until the ratchet on the cap audibly engages. Close tank flap and wipe off any overflowing fuel.

Petrol engines - use unleaded fuel only. See Owner's Manual for restrictions.

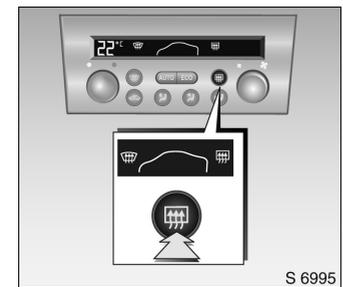
Diesel engines - use diesel fuel meeting specifications of DIN EN 590.

Fuel tank capacity (all models) - 53 litres.

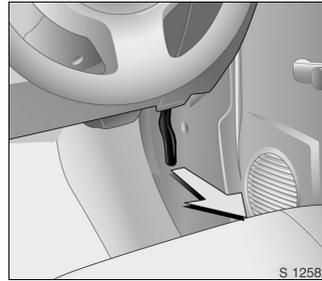


Any dirt or snow on the bonnet can slide down towards the windscreen when the bonnet is opened and block the air intake. See Owner's Manual for further information.

To hold the bonnet in the open position, insert support rod located at right angles above the radiator grille into the small slot in the underside of the bonnet, at its front edge.



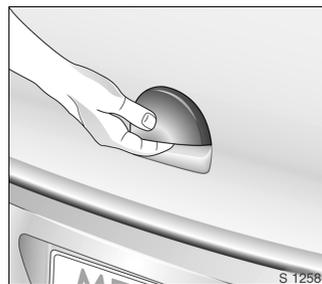
Before closing bonnet, press support rod firmly into its retainer. Lower the bonnet gradually and then allow it to fall into the lock under its own weight. Check that the bonnet is locked in position by pulling at its front edge. If it is not engaged, repeat the procedure.



Bonnet:

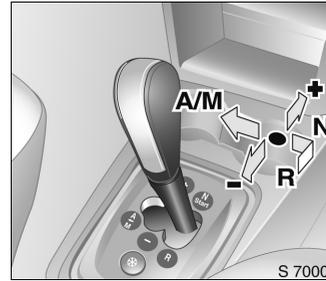
To open the bonnet, pull the release lever located below the instrument panel on the driver's side.

The bonnet will then be unlocked and will partially open. Return release lever to its original position.



Luggage compartment:

To unlock: Press button on the remote control and operate button beneath handle.

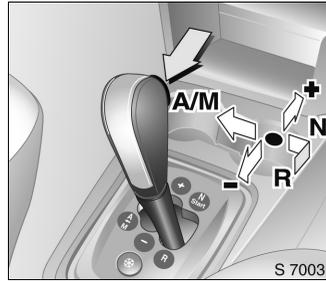


Easytronic

- N** = Neutral / Start position
- = Centre position (Drive position)
- +** = Higher gear
- = Lower gear
- A/M** = Switch between Automatic mode and Manual mode

Only start in **N**, with foot brake applied.

Always move the selector lever all the way to the stop. Note the gear or mode indicator in the transmission display.

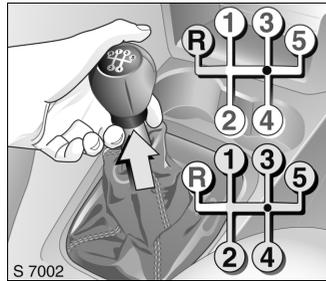


Easytronic ; Reverse gear:

R = Reverse gear (with selector lever lock)

To move selector lever from **N** to **R**, first press the button on the lever.

Engage reverse gear only with vehicle stationary.



Manual transmission:

Reverse gear: With vehicle stationary, three seconds after declutching pull the ring up and engage gear.

If the gear does not engage, set the lever in neutral, release the clutch pedal and depress again: then repeat gear selection.

Engine oil:

Check the engine oil level every 300 miles or before embarking on a long journey.

Important:

It is the owner's responsibility to maintain the correct level of an appropriate quality oil in the engine.

Tyre pressures (psi) for load of up to 3 persons:

Engines	Tyres	Front	Rear
Z 14 XEP	all tyres	35	32
Z 16 XEP	all tyres	35	32
Z 16 LET	185/55 R 16 ¹⁾	41	38
Z 16 LET	195/50 R 16 ¹⁾	41	38
Z 16 LET	all other tyres	41	38
Z 18 XE	all tyres	35	32
Z 13 DTJ	all tyres	35	32
Z 17 DTH	all tyres	38	35

¹⁾ Only permitted as winter tyres.

Tyre pressures (psi) for full load:

Engines	Tyres	Front	Rear
Z 14 XEP	all tyres	38	44
Z 16 XEP	all tyres	38	44
Z 16 LET	185/55 R 16 ¹⁾	44	49
Z 16 LET	195/50 R 16 ¹⁾	44	49
Z 16 LET	all other tyres	44	49
Z 18 XE	all tyres	38	44
Z 13 DTJ	all tyres	38	44
Z 17 DTH	all tyres	41	46

The spare wheel must always be inflated to the tyre pressure for a full load.

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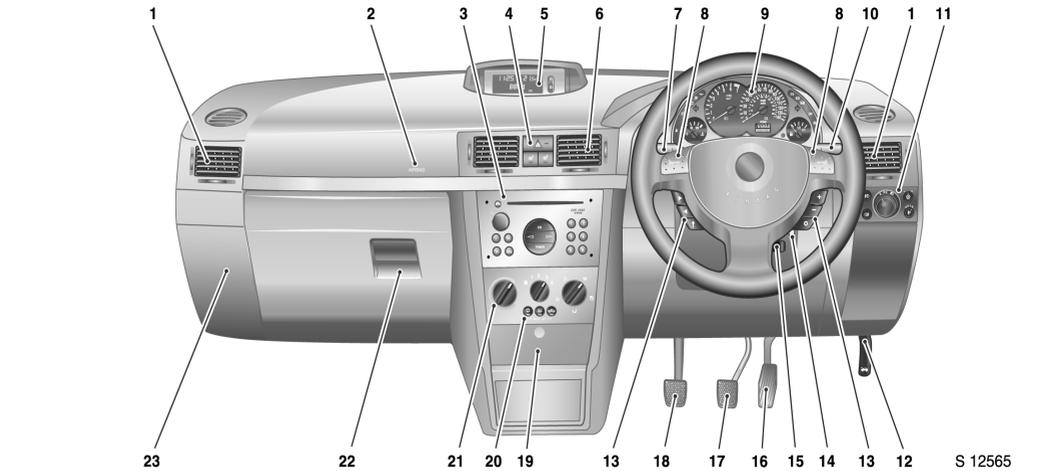
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Quick Reference Guide

Refer to Owner's Manual for detailed information.

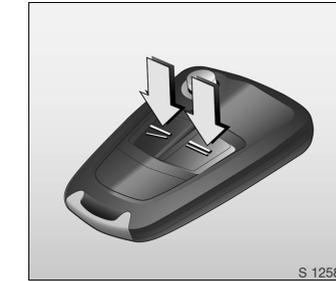
Note: some items described may be optional .

Instruments and controls

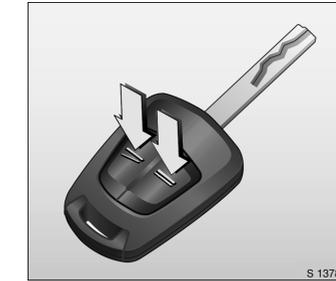


1. Side air vents
2. Front passenger's airbag
3. Infotainment system
4. Hazard warning lights, LED for Vauxhall alarm system , heated seats
5. Central information display for time, date, outside temperature and Infotainment system
6. Centre air vents
7. Turn signal lights, headlight flash, dipped beam, main beam, door-to-door lighting function , cruise control
8. Horn
9. Instruments
10. Windscreen wiper system, windscreen wash system, headlight wash system , rear window wash system
11. Parking lights, dipped beam, courtesy lights, instrument illumination, front fog lights , fog tail light, headlight range adjustment
12. Bonnet release lever
13. Steering wheel remote controls
14. Starter switch with steering column lock
15. Steering wheel adjustment
16. Accelerator pedal
17. Brake pedal
18. Clutch pedal
19. Ashtray, accessory socket and cigarette lighter
20. Air conditioning system , heated rear window, air recirculation system
21. Climate control
22. Glove compartment
23. Fusebox

Vehicle security



Radio frequency remote control: Depending on equipment level, the vehicle comes equipped with one of the remote controls depicted on this page. The radio frequency remote control is integrated in the key.



Used to operate: Central locking system, Mechanical anti-theft locking system , Vauxhall alarm system .

In vehicles with electric windows in all doors , the remote control can be used to closed the windows.

The remote control has a range of approx. 5 metres. This range can be affected by outside influences. Aim the remote control at the vehicle to operate.

Handle the radio remote control with care, protect it from moisture and high temperatures and avoid unnecessary operation.

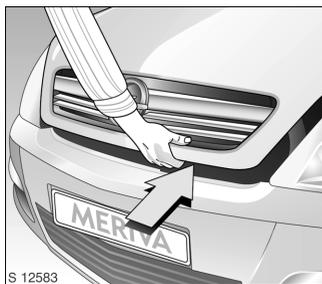
The hazard warning lights come on to indicate that the remote control is operational.

Key with retractable blade : Press button to extend. Press button to retract and audibly engage key blade.

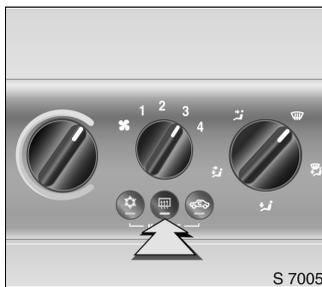
Refuelling:

Fuel filler neck at right rear side of vehicle.

Open tank flap, unscrew fuel filler cap, remove and suspend from tank flap. The fuel tank has a limiting system which prevents overflowing of the tank.



To open completely, locate release lever behind the radiator grille just right of centre - as viewed from the front. Pull lever and raise bonnet.



Heated rear window, heated exterior mirrors

Heating is only operational with the ignition on.

On = Press

Off = Press again

Control indicator in button.

Depending on engine, rear window heating automatically switches on during diesel particle filter cleaning .

Electronic Climate Control ; heated rear window, heated exterior mirrors

Heating is only operational with the engine running and switches off automatically after approx. 15 minutes.

On = Press

Off = Press again

Depending on engine, rear window heating automatically switches on during diesel particle filter cleaning .

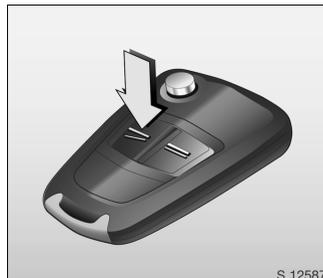
Electronic Climate Control ; demisting and defrosting windows:

Press button ; appears in the air conditioning display.

The temperature, air distribution and fan are set automatically. Windows are quickly demisted and de-iced.

To return to automatic mode: press button or **AUTO**.

Vehicle features

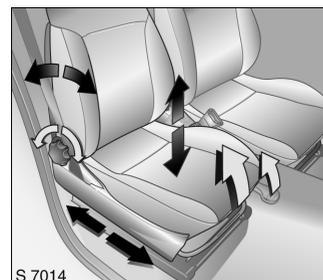


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To unlock:

Press button once on remote control or turn key in driver's door lock towards front of vehicle as far as it goes.

To unlock all doors, press button twice or turn key in driver's door lock twice. To unlock from inside, pull up lock button on driver's door.

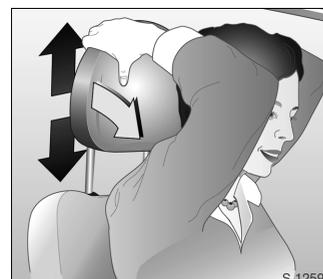


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Seat adjustment:

- Backrest inclination
- Seat height *
- Seat position

Important: Do not sit nearer than 10 inches (25cm) from the steering wheel, to permit safe airbag deployment.

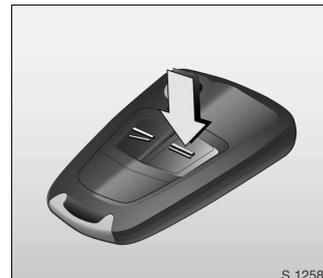


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Adjusting and removing head restraints:

To adjust head restraint: Grip head restraint, tilt forwards and hold, then move into required position.

To remove head restraint: Press and release the two catches then pull and remove the head restraint.

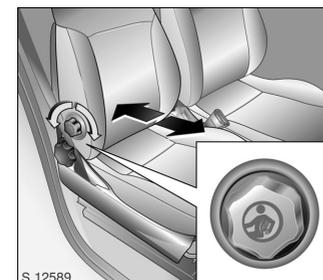


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To lock:

Close doors, luggage compartment and tank flap. Press button on remote control or turn key in driver's door lock towards rear of vehicle as far as it goes.

To lock from inside, press lock button on driver's doors with the doors closed.



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Lumbar support *:

Turn handwheel on outboard side of seat while relieving the load on the backrest.

Adjust lumbar support to suit personal requirements.



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Fitting seat belt:

Adjust height such that the belt passes over the wearer's shoulder and rests against the shoulder. It must not pass over the neck or arm.

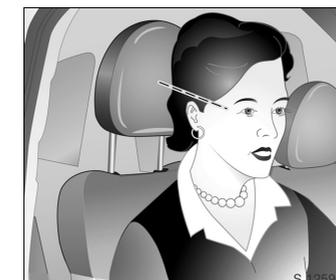
Pull belt out slightly, push button on sliding adjuster and slide up to correct height. Allow sliding adjuster to latch audibly into position.

Electronic immobiliser

- Deactivated when key is inserted in the starter switch.
- Activated when key is removed from the starter switch.

Engine cannot be started in any other way, so keep spare key in a safe place!

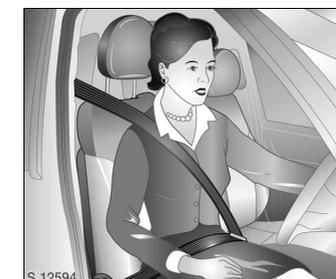
The electronic immobiliser does not lock the doors. Therefore, always lock the vehicle when leaving it unattended and arm the Vauxhall alarm system * by pressing button on the remote control.



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Head restraint position:

The middle of the head restraint should be at eye level. If this is not possible for extremely tall persons, set to the highest position and set to the lowest position for small persons.



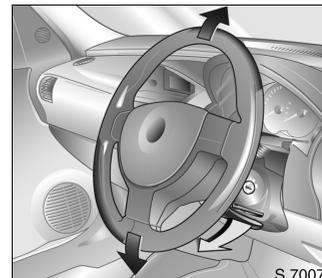
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Fitting seat belt (continued):

Pull belt smoothly from retractor, guide it across the body and insert latch plate into the buckle. Make certain that it is not twisted.

The lap belt must fit snugly across the body. The seat backrest must not be inclined too far back (approx. 25° max.) To release belt, depress red pushbutton on belt buckle.

Vehicle features



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Steering wheel adjustment *:

Swivel lever down, adjust height, swivel lever up and engage into position.

Adjust steering wheel only when vehicle is stationary and steering column lock is released.

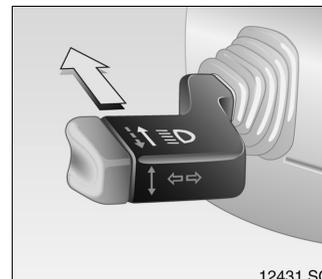


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Adjusting interior mirror:

Swivel mirror housing

Swivel lever on underside of mirror housing to reduce dazzle at night.



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Switching to dipped or main beam:

To switch from dipped beam to main beam, push stalk forwards.

To switch back to dipped beam, push stalk forwards again.



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Adjusting exterior mirror:

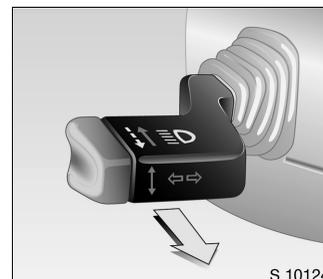
Swivel lever to required direction from inside the vehicle.



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Light switches:

- = Parking lights
- = Dipped or main beam
- = Front fog lights *
- = Fog tail light



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Headlight flash:

Pull stalk towards steering wheel. Main beam is engaged for the duration of activation.



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Electrically adjustable exterior mirrors *:

Four-way switch in driver's door

Toggle rocker switch to left or right: Four-way switch moves appropriate mirror.

Light switches (continued):

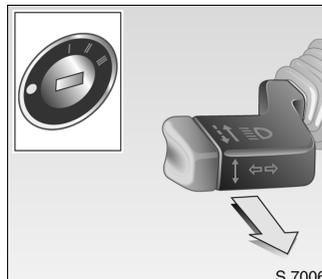
- = Courtesy lights
- = Instrument illumination
- = Headlight range adjustment *

Correct adjustment reduces dazzle for other road users.

Loading with manual headlight range adjustment *:

With dipped beam switched on, adjust headlight range in four steps to suit vehicle load. Push knob to release it and turn it against resistance to the required position.

- 0 = Front seats occupied
- 1 = All seats occupied
- 2 = All seats occupied and luggage compartment load
- 3 = Driver's seat occupied and luggage compartment load



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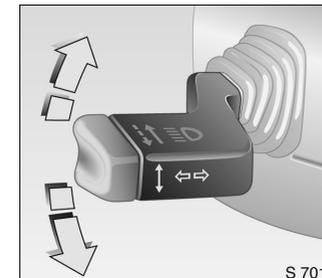
Operating door-to-door lighting *:

Switch off ignition, remove ignition key, open driver's door and pull turn signal stalk towards steering wheel: Dipped beam remains on for approx. 30 seconds after closing driver's door.

If the driver's door is left open, the lights will go out after approx. two minutes.

Cancel by inserting key in starter switch or by moving turn signal stalk again.

Vehicle features



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Turn signal lights:

Stalk in rest position

Right = Move stalk up

Left = Move stalk down

When the steering wheel is turned back, the stalk automatically returns to its original position, except when lane changing.

When lane changing, move stalk to resistance point. When released, the stalk will spring back.



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Windscreen wiper:

Stalk up

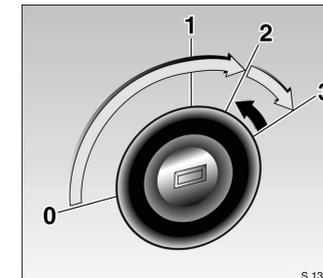
- = Off
- = Timed interval wipe
- = Slow
- = Fast

Setting wiper interval to a value between 2 and 15 seconds: Stalk to timed interval wipe , Stalk to , Wait until wiping frequency reaches desired interval, Stalk back to timed interval wipe .

The interval time remains stored until the next change or until the ignition is switched off. Switching the ignition off and moving the stalk to sets the interval to 7 seconds.

Warning:

In freezing conditions, wiper blades can freeze to the windscreen. Release blades from the ice before starting the vehicle, to prevent wiper motor damage.



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Starting the engine:

Petrol engines: Gear lever in neutral (Easytronic * in N). Depress clutch and brake pedal. Do not accelerate. Turn key to 3.

Diesel engines: Gear level in neutral (Easytronic * in N). Depress clutch and brake pedal. Do not accelerate. Turn key to 2. When preheating control indicator goes out ¹⁾, turn key to 3.

¹⁾ Preheating system switches on only if outside temperature is low.



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Operating cruise control *:

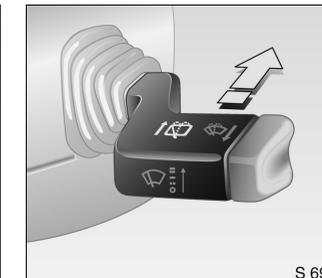
Press buttons on stalk

Switch on: tap button I.

Switch off: tap button O.

Resume at stored speed: tap button R.

For safety reasons, cruise control cannot be activated until the footbrake has been applied once. Do not use cruise control if it is not advisable to maintain a constant speed (e.g. in situations presenting a danger to yourself and other road users, in heavy traffic or on winding, slippery or greasy roads).



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Operating rear window wiper and wash system:

Wiper on = Push stalk forwards

Wiper off = Pull stalk back towards steering wheel

Wash = Push stalk forwards and hold

The rear window wiper swipes in timed interval mode. The wiper will swipe for a few strokes when washing.



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Operating windscreen and headlight wash systems *:

Pull stalk towards steering wheel

The wiper will swipe for a few strokes.

The headlight wash system * can only be operated when the headlights are on.