Neon
Loaded with a
When we redesigned Dodge Neon, we gave it a 132-horsepower 16-valve overhead cam engine and available 15-inch wheels and tires to heavy up your performance. We gave it a longer wheel-base and increased suspension travel to smooth out your road. We gave it available four-wheel antilock disc brakes, Low-Speed Traction Control, and Electronic Variable Brake Proportioning to help keep you firmly in control. We redesigned Neon’s interior with increased overall space, more hip room front and rear, generous rear-seat and head room, and a larger trunk. We put in extra-comfortable seats. And we added tons of creature comforts.

Fun of fun.

Check out the theater-style lighting and fingertip lighting for available power door locks and exterior rearview mirror-adjusting buttons. Then check out the sporty off-white faces for the instrument panel gauges available on some models. You also have extra places for just about anything. The center console has integrated tissue, CD, and cassette spaces, and four cup holders (one for rear-seat service). We even quieted the cabin by triple-sealing and full-framing the doors, and designing special body welds and engine mounts. All to help you appreciate the superb six-speaker stereo — or your own undisturbed thoughts. Then we loaded it with safety and security features like Next Generation driver and front-passenger air bags,* and height-adjustable front shoulder belts.

Plus an available Sentry Key™ Engine Immobilizer that makes sure no one operates your Neon but you. Automobile Magazine has said, "...Neon is a real, substantial car, and one of the better deals on the market." We loaded Dodge Neon with a ton of fun. You can throw in anything else you need.

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A solid stance. Available 15-inch aluminum wheels, and tires that have a low-profile sidewall provide a composed ride and responsive handling, especially in combination with Neon's wheels-to-the-corners, Next Generation cab-forward design.

Form and function in conjunction. Neon's engineers correctly calibrated spring rates and valve rates in the premium strut dampers to allow proper suspension travel. Rack-and-pinion steering gives Neon disciplined cornering. Front and rear stabilizer bars provide roll control, for a smooth, solid ride.

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Authority figure: 132 horsepower. Neon’s 2.0-liter SOHC, 16-valve, four-cylinder engine uses sequential multipoint fuel injection to blend fuel and air in the combustion chambers. Expect efficient operation whether the engine is hot or cold. We modified the engine mounts to reduce engine vibration. And you’ll enjoy Neon’s enhanced acceleration, responsiveness, and top-end passing capability.

First seen on-screen. Through the use of Virtual Reality technology, your experience as a driver inside Neon was previsualized by creating one electronic prototype after another. By accurately duplicating real-world movements, Dodge was able to position switches, seats, console, and an innovative instrument panel, all with ergonomic exactitude.
Dodge used leading-edge computer-designed design technology (CATIA) to make the next big thing in small cars.

Sophisticated, off-white gauge faces — including the tachometer shown here — are backlit by cool, blue-green illumination when headlamps are turned on at night. The effect is the perfect combination of form and function: beautiful to look at and easy to see.
There are plenty of sweet spots in Neon’s interior. For example, a large glove box, with designed-in features like pencil and tire gauge holders. This is also an interior that looks as good as it feels, with a handsome array of standard and available fabrics.

Neon’s remote keyless entry system has a new degree of programmability. A power trunk release is included with the Sentry Key™ Security Group, which is a part of the new Value/Fun Group. The Value/Fun Group is optional on Neon* and Neon ES, and includes features such as factory power sunroof, power front windows, power locks, and more.

*Late availability.

Space is the place. Neon has a knack for versatility. A standard 60/40 split-folding rear seatback — plus trunk space of 13.1 cubic feet, and a total interior volume of 103.4 cubic feet — lets you slide in your preferred gear for work or pleasure.

Find true happiness, as well as your tapes and CDs. Neon’s center console is outfitted with smart moldings that let it hold anything from tissues to tapes, beverages to a litter bag. You can even see how the world sees you, with dual, illuminated vanity mirrors on the sun visors, included with the optional Light Group.
Super sonics. Neon’s standard AM/FM stereo radio with cassette player and changer controls includes six speakers—including high-range dome tweeters. There’s also an optional four-disc CD changer that mounts in the instrument panel, and is controlled by buttons located in the face of the radio.
You have to remain calm, comfortable, and quiet.

Going with the flow. Dodge perfected the airflow inside Neon's cabin by performing computer simulations. The result is everything a breeze should be: calm, comfortable, and quiet.

Seen but not heard. Full-framed doors and stamped, u-section door hangers create a tighter, quieter seal, with more precise operation of the windows.

The strong, silent type. Neon’s engineers stiffened its structure with innovations inside, outside, and beneath. Then they used an automated process to inject heated, expandable foam into recesses and body cavities, all to make Neon a quieter place to be, no matter what road you’re on.

An ingeniously innovative instrument panel was designed for exact and accurate “self-docking” installation. Neon’s instrument panel adds rigidity to the car’s structure.
The right to silent.

At the base of the windshield, a specially designed trim piece directs rainwater upward and sideways toward the windshield pillars. Moldings at the pillars then guide the water up and over Neon’s roof. That’s why you’ll still be seeing clearly when Neon slices efficiently through wind and rain.
Safety starts from the ground up. Available four-wheel disc antilock brakes (ABS) also have Low-Speed Traction Control and Electronic Variable Brake Proportioning (EVBP) to automatically adapt to variations in vehicle loading and road surface. Wheel sensors in the ABS system can feel slippage of the front driving wheels and apply the brakes to stop it.

Traction control is automatically active below 35 mph. You can disable it with a switch on the instrument panel. Indicator lamps in the instrument cluster will tell you whether it's off.
Next Generation driver and front-passenger air bags* open less forcefully than previous air bags in the event of a frontal collision. In addition, the front-passenger air bag features an environmentally friendly hybrid heated-gas inflator module. If the air bag deploys, the only perceived residual product is water vapor.

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security secret.

Safety first, last, always. Neon loves children. You'll find user-ready child seat top tether anchors in the rear seats. Height-adjustable front shoulder belts. An automatic transaxle Brake-Park Interlock feature on the gear shift system, and a seat belt warning lamp on the instrument panel. Neon also has a Battery-Saver Feature to shut off the dome lamp. Available speed-sensitive power door locks (programmable by you) automatically lock the doors at 15 mph.

Being prepared. Should Neon ever be involved in a serious accident, the body structure's safety cage and doors quickly help disperse crash energy. Dynamic side-impact intrusion protection is another good reason why Neon rates so highly in safety.

"Smart" start. The Sentry Key™ Engine Immobilizer, part of the available Sentry Key Security Group, makes your ignition key more of an owner-recognition device. Thanks to transponder and encryption algorithm technology, your Neon will start only at the turn of your key. No other key, device or technique will start Neon successfully.
Standard features and options.

All Neon models include:
- Air Bags
- Body-color door handles and door trim
- Body-color front fender liners
- Color-keyed, three-point Unibelt for outboard seating positions
- Day/Night rearview mirror
- Dual non-illuminated visor-mounted vanity mirrors
- Electric rear window
- Electric rear view mirror (reduces glare and heat)
- Four-wheel disc brakes (tachometer is required for air conditioning)
- Full-function tachometer
- Height-adjustable shoulder belts
- Instrument panel trim
- Power-foldaway side mirrors
- Power-tinted, all windows
- Power windows
- Rear seat latch cover
- Rear seat safety belt
- Rearview camera
- Seat belt warning buzzer
- Side-impact intrusion protection
- Side air bags
- Speed control
- Steel-belted radial all-season tires
- Steel wheels
- Tinted glass
- Tinted sunscreen
- Tilt steering wheel
- Tinted rear window
- Twin-pipe exhaust system
- Two-speed automatic transmission
- Vehicle security system
- Windshield defrost
- Windshield wipers (driver and passenger)
- Woodgrain trim

Instrument Cluster — Analog, includes speedometer, tachometer, trip odometer; gauges for fuel level, engine coolant temperature; warning lamps for brake system, low oil pressure, check engine, seat belts, air bags and high-beam headlamps
Map Pockets — Front doors
Mirrors — Exterior: Rearview, driver-side remote, passenger-side manual interior: Day/Night rearview
Power Outlet — Located in front center panel
Seat Belts — Color-keyed, three-point Unibelt for outboard seating positions; front outboard position includes height-adjustable shoulder belts, traveling inboard buckles, lap belt in rear center location
Seat Belt Cluster Lamp — Stays on after engine start until driver buckles up
Steering — Power-assisted rack-and-pinion
Steering Column — Height-adjustable
Sound System — AM/FM stereo radio with cassette player, CD changer controls and six speakers
Suspension — Four-wheel fully independent
Tires — Compact spare with scissors jack
Trunk Lamp — Illuminates trunk
User-Ready Child Seat Top Tether Anchors — Located on rear window filler panel at each backseat position to minimize movement of after-market child seats
Wiper System — Two-speed with variable intermittent mode and mist

Features, options and package groups.

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* Features are molded-in color when ordering Bright White or Flame Red.
Colors, models, accessories, wheels, and trim.

**Models**

- Flame Red
- Salsa Red Pearl Coat
- Deep Cranberry Pearl Coat
- Deep Amethyst Pearl Coat
- Patriot Blue Pearl Coat
- Black
- Bright White
- Forest Green Pearl Coat
- Bright Silver Metallic
- Cinnamon Glaze Metallic

**Wheels and Wheel Covers**

A 14" Bolt-on wheel cover, standard on Neon
B 15" Bolt-on wheel cover, standard on Neon ES
C 15" Aluminum wheel, available on Neon and Neon ES

A  
B  
C

**Fabric and Trim**

A Shadow Cloth Included on Neon ES in Agate
B Shadow Cloth Included on Neon ES in Taupe
C Picasso Cloth Included on Neon in Agate
D Picasso Cloth Included on Neon in Taupe

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Dodge Different.

You won’t find the obvious at Dodge. In fact, our designers and engineers pride themselves in exploring previously uncharted territory.

It’s a path that began over 10 years ago with the creation of the Viper RT/10 concept car. That concept became a reality. And so did a different approach to the creation of automobiles. Today, all Dodge cars and trucks are created that way. By closely knit teams of talented people from every automotive-related discipline. Their assignment: Find different ways to be better. And drive better. That means producing vehicles that work better, thanks to innovations like minivans that are easier to get into and out of. Pickups that can haul and tow more, in more ways. Sedans that are sleek, yet spacious and exciting to drive. A sport utility that stakes out its own domain. And a sports car that’s unrivaled on the road. And on the track. Each one embodies a totally different approach to the tried and true. And, like Dodge, each has become a quickly moving target the competition seeks to emulate.