GRAB
life by the wheel.

ESCORT ZX2
The new Escort ZX2 is one fun-to-drive number, day in, night out. You can get it in “Cool” and “Hot” varieties (although the Cool one is undeniably hot and the Hot ones are inordinately cool). In a word, it’s a rage. With a great look and a great attitude, Escort ZX2 is the perfect way to grab life by the wheel.

Driving enjoyment that goes clear through the roof is a Hot option. It does the power slide for easy operation.

Top: Escort ZX2 in Pacific Green Clearcoat Metallic.
Above: Escort ZX2 in Denim Blue Clearcoat Metallic. Both shown with Hot Package 328A and the optional Sport Package.
Escort ZX2 coupe takes a confident, charismatic stand against routines, ruts and rigors. More than likely, its looks will get looks. Nothing wrong with that. Add the optional Sport Package and get a great group of extras to further sharpen your image.
A rear spoiler (shown at left) and fog lamps (right) are part of the optional Sport Package, which you can get with the Hot Escort ZX2.

Escort ZX2 in Black Satin Clearcoat Metallic with Hot Package 327A and optional 5-spoke aluminum wheels.
COMFORT & Convenience

Escort ZX2 interior in Medium Graphite with the optional Sport Package seats (other options are also in view).

- Punch up some hot sounds or some cool air on the integrated control panel. Premium speakers are standard and the optional 6-disc CD changer is a sound investment.

- The standard console has storage space for soft drinks (front and rear) and other essentials.
The rear seat does the splits, allowing cargo to share the ride. It’s standard, and handy on many a mission.

The driver’s seat has all the angles for sporty comfort and remembers how far you like to recline. Nice to have something to fall back on.
The 130-horsepower, 16-valve Zetec engine yearns to breathe free and there's a quick-opening throttle to help it. It can go a full 100,000 miles between tune-ups (under normal driving conditions with routine fluid/filter changes).

The sophisticated rear quadralink suspension gives rough roads the cold shoulder and optional ABS helps you keep control in most hard braking situations or on slippery surfaces.
Dual air bags are standard (but don’t forget to buckle up and secure children in the rear seat).

Escort ZX2 Hot Package 328A includes an all-door remote entry system with perimeter anti-theft (two key fobs provided).
# Features, Options and Specifications

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| Bodyside protection moldings (body color with “Hot” series) | S S S | S | 326A
| Water management windshield molding | S S S | S | 327A
| Dual outside mirrors | S S S | S | 327A
| Dual power outside mirrors | - O P | - | 328A
| Lower bodyside and underbody | - O O | - | 328A
| PVC coating | S S S | S | 328A
| 4-wheel molded splash guards | S S S | S | 328A
| Rear reflox applique | S S S | S | 328A
| Argent wheels with bright half caps | S - | S - | 328A
| Styled wheel covers, “bolt on” appearance | - S S | - S | 328A
| 5-spoke aluminum wheels | - O O | - O | 328A

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| CFC-free air conditioning system | O P P | O | 326A
| Integrated panel with controls for climate and sound system | S S S | S | 327A
| Tachometer | S S S | S | 327A
| Power sliding moonroof | - O O | - O | 328A
| Center console with storage bin, forward cup holders, rear bin/cup holder | S S S | S | 328A
| Passenger-side visor mirror | S S S | S | 328A
| Low-liftover trunk design | S S S | S | 328A
| Solar tinted glass | S S S | S | 328A
| Side window demisters | S S S | S | 328A
| Flow-through 4-speed heater/defroster with rear ducts | S S S | S | 328A
| 2-speed wipers with variable interval | S S S | S | 328A
| Temperature gauge | S S S | S | 328A
| Trip odometer | S S S | S | 328A
| Low-fuel warning light | S S S | S | 328A
| Headlamps-on warning chime | S S S | S | 328A
| Battery saver | S S S | S | 328A
| Front and rear floor mats | - O O | - O | 328A

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<td>Fuel capacity</td>
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## SAFETY FEATURES
- Driver and passenger air bag SRS, manual 3-point front lap/shoulder belt system, lap/shoulder rear belts
- Anti-lock braking system (ABS) O O O
- Integrated child safety seat (available in Medium Graphite or Medium Prairie Tan, not available with Sport Package) O O
- Rear window defroster O P P

## SEATING
- Low-back cloth and vinyl bucket seats with driver's seat memory recline; split/fold (60/40) rear seat S S S

## GROUPS
- Group 1: Includes CFC-free air conditioning and driver's door remote entry system with panic alarm and two key fobs
- Group 2: Includes all-door remote entry with two key fobs and perimeter anti-theft system, power door locks, power windows and dual power mirrors O P
- Group 3: Includes speed control, tilt steering column and convenience group (dual map lights, dual visor mirrors) O O

## SOUND SYSTEMS
- AM/FM stereo with 4 premium speakers S S S
- AM/FM stereo with cassette tape player O O O
- Premium sound system with upgraded amplifier, AM/FM stereo, cassette tape player and trunk-mounted 6-disc CD changer O O

Note: Preferred Equipment Packages subject to change.

## ENGINE
- Type: 2.0L Zetec dual-overhead-cam, in-line 4-cylinder with on-board diagnostics
- Valve system: 16 valves with variable camshaft timing (VCT)
- Horsepower (SAE net): 130 @ 5,750 rpm
- Torque (SAE net lb-ft.): 127 @ 4,250 rpm
- Engine control: EEC-V computer
- Induction system: Sequential electronic fuel injection with fast-opening throttle
- Spark plugs: Platinum tipped
- Scheduled tune-up interval: 100,000 miles*

## TRANSAXLE
- Type: 4-speed automatic OD optional with “Hot” series
- *Under normal driving conditions with routine fluid and filter changes.

Vibrant White Clearcoat
Vorador Red Clearcoat Metallic
Pacific Green Clearcoat Metallic
Silver Frost Clearcoat Metallic
Bright Red Clearcoat
Ash Gold Clearcoat Metallic
Take an interactive trip on highway ZX2.

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Other things to consider...

PRODUCT CHANGES
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Preferred Equipment Packages

Cool. Escort ZX2 326A
The Escort ZX2 Standard equipment includes such features as:
- Electronic AM/FM stereo radio with four premium speakers
- Power rack-and-pinion steering
- Driver and front passenger front air bag supplemental restraint system
- Solar tinted glass
- Integrated control panel

Escort ZX2 327A
All the standard features listed in "Cool" package above plus:
- Air conditioning
- Driver's door remote entry system with panic alarm feature and two key fobs
- Rear window defroster

Escort ZX2 328A
All the standard features listed in "Cool" package above plus:
- Air conditioning
- All-door remote entry with panic alarm feature/perimeter anti-theft system and two key fobs
- Rear window defroster
- Dual power mirrors
- Power door locks
- Power windows

Interior Paint Colors

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Optional Wheel Choices

- Standard argent wheel with bright half cap
- Styled steel wheel and full wheel cover with "bolt on" appearance
- Optional 5-Spoke aluminum wheel
- Aluminum sport wheel (included with optional Sport Package)

Available in "Cool" series with Medium Graphite interior only.
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