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Just when you thought it couldn’t get any better...
In 1905, the Swiss engineer Dr. Alfred Büchi, filed the first ever patent for a turbocharged piston engine. The fundamental principle, now a century old, remains unchanged to this day: to use the energy latent within the exhaust flow from the engine to increase overall performance. The first turbocharged engine was built in 1910 by the firm of Murray-Willat. The concept was embraced by the aviation industry, which required an effective means of compensating for the loss of power caused by reduced oxygen levels during high-altitude flight. Porsche was among the first to recognize other benefits of the technology, including higher performance potential from relatively small displacement engines. This would lead to the development of powerful new engines with very modest dimensions and weight. The basic principle of a turbocharged engine is to use the exhaust gas flow to drive a radial turbine which in turn drives a compressor in the air intake tract. The rotation of the compressor generates a higher intake pressure, thereby delivering a greater amount of oxygen to the engine. With more oxygen available, more fuel can be burnt, and higher performance can be achieved. The density of the air can be further increased by cooling it prior to combustion. The first “intercooler” device on a production Porsche appeared in 1977 on the 911 Turbo 3.3.
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The first Porsche racing car to feature turbocharged power made its debut in the early 1970s. The 12-cylinder engine in the legendary 117 used a twin-turbo system to achieve a colossal 1,000 bhp. In 1972, the 117/10 with 5-litre turbo engine claimed the North American Can-Am championship. In the following season, the 117/30, developing 1,100 bhp from a 5.4-litre unit, became the most powerful racing Porsche of all time.

This invaluable race experience inevitably found its way into our production road car development. Just one year later, in 1974, the 911 Turbo was born. Preceded as it was by the 117 oil crisis, it was considered a bold undertaking by Porsche. An engine would draw it was the first of many surprises in the evolution of this legendary car.

The original 911 Turbo featured widened wheel arches as well as specially developed front and rear spoilers. These major aerodynamic refinements were essential requirements given the increased engine performance. Developing 260 bhp, the first 911 Turbo could reach 100 km/h (62 mph) in as little as 5.5 seconds. Maximum torque output of 343 Nm was unprecedented in a 3-litre engine. This exceptional performance necessitated a new gearbox design featuring specially reinforced gears. Thus began a new type of Porsche that would soon acquire mythical status.

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The primary objective for every 911 Turbo is to challenge the limits of technical feasibility. Not only in terms of performance and dynamics, but also when it comes to ride comfort. On this latest evolution, we’ve completely redesigned a number of systems and components. The result builds on the achievements of the previous 911 Turbo – a car widely acknowledged as the ultimate in sportscar design.

As you would expect, the new 911 Turbo meets the highest expectations in terms of engine performance. The classic flat-six unit develops 353 kW (480 bhp) at 6,000 rpm from a 3.6-litre displacement. Maximum torque of 620 Nm is available between 1,950 and 5,000 rpm. To achieve that capability, we’ve combined VarioCam Plus with twin turbo-charger units featuring Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG) – a totally new technology on a petrol-engined car. With a standard manual gearbox, the new 911 Turbo requires just 3.9 seconds to reach 100 km/h (62 mph). Equipped with the latest optional Tiptronic S transmission, the car is 0.2 seconds quicker on the standard sprint. Benchmark times to 200 km/h (124 mph) are 12.8 and 12.2 seconds, respectively. Maximum speed with either transmission is 310 km/h (193 mph).

One of the most important engine technologies, appearing for the first time on a Porsche, is Variable Turbine Geometry (see page 32). The main components on this system are the adjustable guide vanes which channel the exhaust flow onto the turbines, enabling higher turbine speeds at lower engine rpm. The most difficult challenge when developing this technology was the high exhaust-gas temperature of around 1,000 ºC, which is unique to a petrol engine. This enormous thermal load is considerably greater than the 700 ºC typically encountered in a diesel-powered car. It was only possible to bridge this gap using materials developed for aerospace applications. The primary benefits of Variable Turbine Geometry include faster response, higher torque output from lower engine speeds, and greater top-end power. Maximum torque is also available over a wider engine speed range. By eliminating the problem of turbo lag, the traditional weakness of the turbocharged engine is finally a thing of the past.
To apply these benefits efficiently to the road, we required another innovation in sportscar design: all-wheel drive with Porsche Traction Management (PTM). Using an electronically controlled multi-plate clutch, this intelligent technology provides variable drive to each axle. The front/rear split is continuously adapted based on current road conditions and driver inputs. Although biased towards the rear, the front receives more power whenever the situation requires.

Porsche Traction Management is specifically designed to optimise driving dynamics. The additional traction provided by both the all-wheel drive system and PTM represents a major improvement in active safety, especially in the wet or on snow.

Another benchmark technology on the new 911 Turbo is the standard braking system. The front and rear discs have a generous diameter of 350 mm. On the optional Porsche Ceramic Composite Brake (PCCB), the front diameter is increased to 380 mm.

Other standard features on the new 911 Turbo include a rear axle differential featuring Porsche Stability Management (PSM) as well as Porsche Active Suspension Management (PASM) featuring electronic damper control. A locked/differential is available for the rear axle as an option.

For even greater performance, the car can be equipped with the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo. Key features include an ‘overboost’ function which provides as much as 60 Nm of additional torque under acceleration. When the throttle is fully open, the boost pressure is increased temporarily by approximately 0.2 bar. The electronic throttle map is also adjusted to give a more dynamic response to pedal inputs.

Other modifications when ‘Sport’ mode is selected include a major rise in the trigger threshold used by Porsche Stability Management (PSM). The all-wheel drive system featuring PTM provides a similar increase in driver involvement by sending a greater proportion of drive torque directly to the rear wheels. PASM provides a stiffer suspension setup enabling faster turns and better road contact.

Another major development on the new 911 Turbo is the car’s lightweight design and construction. The doors and front lid are made from aluminium which offers a range of benefits in terms of both performance and economy. Every gram of weight on every component is there for a specific reason. As a result, the standard model (with six-speed manual gearbox) weighs just 1,585 kg. Even more impressive is the power-to-weight ratio of 302.8 bhp per tonne and surprisingly low fuel consumption.

This powerful potential is, of course, matched by exemplary ride quality on every type of road. This rare combination of performance and comfort is one of the distinguishing features of the new 911 Turbo.
provide effective protection against stone chips.

Elegantly matched to the exterior of the car is the all-new wheel design. The 19-inch forged alloys have a standard two-tone finish as well as wide, low-profile tyres. The standard tyre dimensions are 235/35 ZR 19 (front) and 305/30 ZR 19 (rear).

The interior of the car is equally compelling and entirely designed around the driver. The high-quality surfaces include a full leather finish on the standard electric seats as well as the dashboard, doors and rear side panels. Two sports seat options are also available, one featuring adaptive adjustment. The standard equipment package includes a new gear-knob design – created exclusively for the 911 Turbo – and a three-spoke sports steering wheel featuring 40 mm of height and reach adjustment.

The overall design of the new 911 Turbo marks another new phase in the ongoing evolution of this remarkable car. Wholly integral to the fundamental vehicle concept, every detail is a direct expression of power, composure and comfort.
1. Oil scavenge pump
2. Oil-pressure pump (obscured)
3. Engine oil reservoir (dry-sump lubrication)
4. Camshaft adjuster (VarioCam Plus)
5. Intake camshaft
6. Tappets (with hydraulic valve clearance adjustment)
7. Valve springs
8. Intake valves
9. Nikasil-coated cylinder bore
10. Forged aluminium piston
11. Forged connecting rod
12. Crankshaft
13. Camshaft drive chain
14. Camshaft drive chain tensioner with guide rail
15. Single-spark ignition coil
16. Spark plug
17. Exhaust-gas turbocharger with Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG)
18. Exhaust system
19. Catalytic converter
20. Pressure pipe
21. Throttle valve (electronically actuated)
22. Plenum chamber
23. Ancillary drive belt
24. Fluid reservoir for power-steering system

1. Radiator module (left)
2. Radiator module (centre)
3. Radiator module (right)
4. Coolant pipe
5. Coolant expansion tank
6. Air filter
7. Exhaust-gas turbocharger with Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG)
8. Intercoolers
9. Pressure pipe
10. Throttle valve (electronically actuated)
11. Exhaust system
12. Oil filter
13. Engine oil reservoir (dry-sump lubrication)
14. Generator
15. PASM damper
16. Tandem brake booster
17. 6-speed manual gearbox
18. Front differential
19. Fuel tank
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Every 911 shares the same fundamental engine characteristics. Key among these are the ‘flat-six’ cylinder layout and rear-mounted installation.

There is, however, one essential feature that is unique to the 911 Turbo. The twin turbocharger system that gives the car its name now includes Variable Turbine Geometry (see page 32). Thus equipped, the 3.6-litre engine develops 353 kW (480 bhp) at 6,000 rpm. Weighing 1,585 kg, the standard 911 Turbo (with manual gearbox) has an excellent power-to-weight ratio of 302.8 bhp per tonne. Specific power output is 133 bhp per litre of engine displacement.

Maximum torque is a phenomenal 620 Nm, rising to 680 Nm with the overboost function in the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo (see page 60). Thanks to VarioCam Plus (see page 38) and the new turbocharger system, all of that torque is fully available between 1,950 and 5,000 rpm.

The resulting acceleration is inspirationally quick. Equipped with Sportchassis S, the new 911 Turbo requires just 3.7 seconds to reach 330 km/h (205 mph), and just 12.2 seconds for 250 km/h (155 mph). Facilitating this performance is the additional traction provided by the new electronically controlled all-wheel drive system (see page 48). In appropriate track conditions, the car’s maximum speed is 330 km/h (205 mph).
Lightweight design.

The six-cylinder boxer engine is a highly compact and efficient excellence in cylinder charging and torque characteristics as well as optimum balance and minimal vibration. With the cylinders arranged horizontally on either side of the crankshaft, the layout is key to the car’s low centre of gravity.

The alloy crankcase consists of two main sections, each containing one bank of cylinders. The crankshaft is a lightweight, forged aluminium single piece running in four main bearings, with the connecting rods forged for optimum durability. The crankshaft is driven by forged connecting rods and featuring individual oil rings. Key benefits include lower frictional resistance and longer service life.

The cylinder heads are made from a lightweight alloy which is extremely resistant to high temperatures. Each bank of cylinders has two overhead camshafts driving a set of four valves – two inlet and two exhaust – on each individual cylinder. The valves are arranged in a V-configuration and feature a highly efficient dual-spring design. Engine performance is further enhanced with the aid of both Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG – see page 32) and VarioCam Plus (variable valve timing and lift on inlet side – see page 38). The benefits are not only greater power and torque, but also better fuel economy and lower emissions.

Dry-sump lubrication.

This classic dry-sump system with separate oil reservoir ensures consistent oil pressures throughout the engine. In doing so, it compensates for even the most extreme and prolonged gravitational loads.

After passing through the engine, every drop of oil is returned directly to the external reservoir. The flow is driven by two pairs of scavange pumps in the cylinder heads and a further two pumps in the crankcase. Gas is removed from the returning oil by means of a defoaming device in the reservoir. As a result, the oil level in the reservoir remains virtually constant at all times. The oil is returned to the lubrication points in the engine by means of a dedicated oilfed pump. With a further scavange pump in each of the twin turbocharger units, the new 911 Turbo has a total of nine separate pumps to drive the lubrication system.

The oil level can be checked from inside the car via the standard onboard computer. This solution is not only cleaner and more convenient than a conventional dipstick, it is also significantly more accurate.
Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG).

Creating the optimum turbo for every scenario.

The 911 Turbo has always been synonymous with performance. Now, for the very first time, there is a turbo capable of channelling the twin exhaust flows via electronically adjustable guide vanes. By changing the vane angle, the system can replicate the geometry of all types of turbo, large or small.

Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG) is able to achieve higher turbine speeds, and thus higher boost pressure, at lower engine rpm. Cylinder charging is significantly improved, with a corresponding increase in both power and torque. Maximum torque is reached at lower rpm and is retained across a wider rev range. A full 620 Nm is available from as low as 1,950 rpm up to 5,000 rpm. Every throttle input is met with exceptional response and phenomenal acceleration.

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When the boost pressure reaches its maximum value, the guide vanes are opened further. By varying the vane angle, it is possible to achieve the required boost pressure over the entire engine speed range. As a result, there is no need for excess-pressure valves as found on conventional turbocharged engines.

An important factor is the size of the turbo unit. A smaller turbocharger has a lower mass, it generally responds more quickly to increasing pressure, enabling the system to up easily to its optimum speed. The key drawback of using a smaller turbo is that the back-pressure generated at higher engine speeds can cause a significant reduction in performance. Resistance is caused by the smaller cross-sectional area through which the exhaust is required to flow.

Larger turbo units, which create lower back-pressure at higher rpm, take considerably longer to spin up under power due to the larger cross-sectional area and relative inertia of the heavier turbines.

Generally, this type of turbo will only be effective in the medium rpm range. This phenomenon, known as 'turbo lag', means there is virtually no turbocharging effect at lower engine speeds. To overcome this problem, the twin water-cooled turbochargers on the new 911 Turbo feature Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG). With this technology, the geometry from the engine is channelled onto the turbines via electronically adjustable guide vanes. By changing the vane angle, the system can replicate the geometry of all types of turbo, large or small.
The capability of the engine can be further enhanced by selecting ‘Sport’ mode on the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo (see page 60). Under full acceleration, the boost is temporarily increased by approximately 0.2 bar. During this phase, the engine develops as much as 60 Nm of additional torque.

Matching the superlative performance of the car is the efficiency with which it is generated. In spite of the increase in power and torque, the new 911 Turbo offers a further reduction in fuel consumption.
locked, the camshaft ring—which is driven by two large profile cams—is in direct contact with the valve. When the pin is removed, the innermost lifter—operated by a smaller cam lobe—has sole influence over the amount of valve lift. The timing of each valve is steplessly controlled by means of an electro-hydraulic rotary vane adjuster at the head of the corresponding camshaft.

To improve responsiveness during warm-up in cold weather, VarioCam Plus will select the higher valve lift setting and retard valve timing.

At medium revs and low engine loads, the lower valve lift setting is selected and timing advanced in order to reduce fuel consumption and emissions. The economy of the engine is particularly enhanced at lower engine speeds. For maximum power and torque, the higher lift setting is selected and the timing of the valves is advanced.

From the driver’s perspective, the results are clear: copious torque with exceptional fuel economy, particularly in comparison with much larger yet similarly rated engines.

VarioCam Plus combines variable valve timing with two-stage valve lift on each inlet camshaft. The resulting benefits include greater power and torque at all engine speeds, as well as smoother running, better fuel economy and fewer exhaust emissions.

Essentially, VarioCam Plus offers two engines in one. The first is designed for normal road driving, the second for high-performance use. The system switches seamlessly between the two as driver inputs change. All operations are centrally controlled by the engine management system. The result: emphatic acceleration and smoother running.

The two-stage lift mechanism on each inlet valve consists of an electro-hydraulically switchable tappet. Each of the 12 tappets has two concentric lifters which can be locked together by means of a pin. When the tappets are
Engine cooling.

The 911 Turbo engine features cross-flow water cooling with fully integrated coolant management. This technology ensures a consistent flow of coolant to each of the engine’s cylinders. All coolant passages are integral to the block, thus eliminating the need for external hoses. Each cylinder receives a fresh supply of coolant which has not been pre-warmed by the engine. As well as improving reliability, this helps to minimise maintenance requirements. Waste heat from the oil is transferred to the coolant via two oil/water heat exchangers. The coolant is routed through twin radiator modules ahead of the front wheels and a centrally placed unit in the nose.

Engine management.

Optimum performance is assured at all times with the aid of the Motronic ME7.8.1 engine management system. On the new 911 Turbo, this powerful ECU is responsible for all engine-related functions and assemblies (see diagram). Key among these are the Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG), VarioCam Plus and electronic throttle system – one of the essential prerequisites for the standard Porsche Stability Management (PSM). The results: optimum economy, emissions and performance, regardless of driving style.

Another important task performed by the engine management system is cylinder-specific knock control. By preventing pre-ignition at high engine speeds, this function can avert costly damage to the pistons and cylinders. Since temperatures tend to vary in different parts of the engine, each cylinder is monitored separately. If a risk is detected, the individual ignition timing is adjusted.

The EU-compliant on-board diagnostics system provides continuous fault detection and early-warning for the exhaust and fuel supply systems. The resulting benefits are active prevention of harmful emissions as well as consistent rates of fuel consumption.

### Input data
- Engine speed (from crankshaft)
- Camshaft phase angles
- Throttle-valve angle
- Lambda signal
- Knock sensor signal
- Throttle-pedal position
- Engine load
- Pressure upstream from throttle
- Fuel injection
- Fuel pump
- Fuel-tank venting
- Heating elements in lambda sensors
- Engine immobiliser status
- Ambient air pressure
- Temperatures – coolant
- Temperatures – airflow upstream from throttle
- Temperatures – engine oil
- Temperatures – air in engine compartment
- Temperatures – ambient air
- Exhaust-gas temperature
- Engine bay fan
- Starter

### Used to regulate/control
- Ignition
- Fuel injection
- Throttle valve
- Heated sensor casing
- Air-conditioning temperature
- EGR
- Secondary air injection
- Engine-bay fan
- Starter
- CAN interface to all-wheel drive control unit
- CAN interface to transmission
- CAN interface to Porsche Stability Management (PSM)
- Moment interface to Porsche Stability Management (PSM)
- Electronic controller for Variable Turbine Geometry (VTG)
- Bypass valve
- Secondary air injection
Fuel injection.
Fuel is supplied to each of the six cylinders by means of sequential fuel injection. The timing of each injection and the volume supplied to each bank of cylinders are controlled by the Motronic ME7.8.1 engine management system. Adjustments are based on a range of variables, such as throttle position, engine speed, boost pressure, coolant temperature and exhaust gas composition. The results are optimised combustion and fuel consumption. A hot-film air mass sensor monitors the density of the incoming air to ensure the optimum air/fuel mixture, regardless of weather and altitude.

Ignition system.
The 911 Turbo is equipped with a static high-voltage ignition system. Each individual plug has a separate ignition coil, ensuring perfect combustion every time. The role of distributor is performed by the engine management system, which operates the coils directly. The result: optimum performance with minimal fuel consumption.
are reduced thanks to lengthy replacement intervals for both the engine oil (18,000 miles) and air filter unit (36,000 miles). The spark plugs require changing after 36,000 miles or a maximum of every four years. The generator, power-steering pump and air-conditioning compressor are all driven by a single self-adjusting belt with a service life of 54,000 miles. The hydraulic tappets provide automatic adjustment of all valve clearances, while the drive chains on the camshafts and auxiliary shafts will also last the life of the car.

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Exhaust system.

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The new six-speed manual gearbox in the 911 Turbo is specifically adapted to the car's high levels of engine torque. Designed primarily for sports driving, one immediate characteristic is the perfectly judged spread between successive ratios as you upshift through the gears. The gearshift throw is short and precise, with only minimal force required. Thanks to a durable friction plate, this uncompromising setup means there's never any compromise in comfort. The linkage provides a direct connection with the gearbox while insulating the lever from engine vibration. One final detail – the new gear lever design – is exclusive to the 911 Turbo.

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* Not in markets with leaded fuel.
Tiptronic S also includes a warm-up function designed to minimise exhaust emissions. When the car is started, the engine speed is increased so that the catalytic converters reach their optimum operating temperature within the shortest possible time.

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Tiptronic S is often used in manual mode, the standard gearshift pattern, designed for maximum fuel economy, can be steplessly varied up to a dedicated ‘Sport’ configuration for optimum high-performance driving. Gearshift points are automatically selected based on current driving style and road conditions. With a short space of time, you’ll develop a feel for the system and influence gearshifts using the throttle alone.

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The benefits of Tiptronic S are particularly apparent when exploring the car’s potential. Even in automatic, the rapid gearshift action enables remarkable agility under acceleration. The immediacy of response, with virtually no interruption in drive, is now more than comparable with a Porsche manual gearbox. At just 3.7 seconds, the new 911 Turbo with Tiptronic S (0.2 seconds quicker than 100 mph) is faster than the standard manually equipped car.

While still in automatic, you can change gear by hand using the rocker controls on the steering wheel. If there is no manual input for a period of 8 seconds, the system reverts to automatic mode.

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The 911 Turbo is available with optional five-speed Tiptronic S offering a highly rapid gearshift action. This versatile option offers fully automatic five-speed operation as well as direct manual control.

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Genuine high performance calls for more than just a powerful engine. It also requires an effective means of applying that power to the road. On the 911 Turbo, this is achieved by means of permanent all-wheel drive and an all-new version of Porsche Traction Management (PTM). The key mechanical feature under the AWD system is the electronically controlled multi-plate clutch. Integrl functions within PTM include an automatic brake differential (ABD) and anti-slip regulation (ASR). The electronically controlled clutch is used to vary the drive torque transmitted to the front axle. The previous 911 Turbo had a multi-plate clutch filled with a viscous fluid, which passively determined the front/rear torque split. On this latest evolution, the fluid is replaced by active, electronic control.

While the viscous-fluid system responds to relative differences in front/rear axle speed, the new electronic clutch offers a more direct response to changing road scenarios. The status of the car is continuously monitored with the aid of instrumented sensors. These are used to measure a range of values, including the rotational speed of all four wheels, the lateral and longitudinal acceleration of the car, and the current steering angle. The sensor data is analysed in real time by PTM, enabling immediate adjustments in front-end drive torque as and when required. If, for example, the rear wheels lose traction under acceleration, a greater proportion of drive torque is automatically transmitted to the front axle. The integral ASR function is also used to intervene early when necessary. When cornering, the system controls drive to the front wheels in order to maintain optimum lateral grip. On variable-grip surfaces, traction is enhanced using the automatic brake differential (ABD) function. If optimum traction, manual gearbox cars can also be equipped with an optional mechanical limited-slip rear differential (see page 56).

PTM is a new and specially adapted version of Porsche Stability Management (PSM – see page 58). Combined, these systems ensure optimum torque distribution – and thus drive – in every type of road scenario, including high-speed straights, hairpin bends and challenging, variable-grip surfaces. Under heavy braking where ASR is required, the multi-plate clutch lowers all front drive so that each front wheel can be controlled separately by the ABS without being influenced by the rear wheel dynamics. The traction benefits of the new electronically controlled system are particularly apparent in the wet or on snow. In these conditions, the new 911 Turbo offers breathtaking acceleration. In short, PTM offers greater active safety, greater performance, and even more of the positive handling and agility you’d expect from a 911 Turbo.
The new 911 Turbo Chassis

Designed to reach the heights of performance.
With all four wheels on the ground.
The rear axle assembly is a race-proven design featuring multi-link LSA (Lightweight, Stable, Agile) subframe-based suspension. Its lightened construction provides exceptional dynamic properties. The axle kinematics improve stability under acceleration by reducing excessive compression.

The lightweight strut has an aluminium damper instead of conventional steel to help improve handling and agility. Combined, the suspension enables smooth high-speed manoeuvres in all road and track scenarios. Pitch and roll are reduced to a minimum, as are tyre noise and vibration. Overall, the car offers a level of stability that is equal to the car's performance potential.

Precision, strength and lightweight design.
The power-assisted steering is not only sensitive and direct, it also offers accurate feedback from the road. Minimal driver effort is required when parking, while the turning circle is small at just 10.9 metres – despite the generous tyre widths.

One of the key features of the new steering system is the variable-ratio gearing. Around the straight-ahead position, the ratio is less direct, enabling smoother manoeuvres on the motorway. It also reduces the risk of excessive steering inputs which could destabilise the car at high speeds. Turn the wheel harder and the ratio becomes more direct, enabling better manageability through low-speed corners as well as easier parking manoeuvres. In all scenarios, the system provides excellent feedback while complementing the car’s natural agility.

In short: all the precision of a race-proven system, yet perfect for everyday road use.

The final elements in the drivetrain system are, of course, the wheels and tyres. On the new 911 Turbo, we’ve used 19-inch forged alloys as standard. The front wheel dimensions are 8.5J x 19 with 235/35 ZR 19 tyres. Rear wheel size is 11J x 19 with 305/30 ZR 19 tyres. The new wheel design features a special two-tone look for even greater visual impact. The sides of each spoke have a titanium paint finish, while the entire front surface, including the flange, has a polished finish.

Tyre Pressure Monitoring (TPM), included as standard equipment, provides early warning of tyre pressure loss. The driver is informed via the on-board computer display as well as a separate indicator light.

A range of optional 18 and 19-inch winter wheels (all snow chain–compatible) are available from Porsche Tequipment. Vehicles equipped with the optional Porsche Ceramic Composite Brake (PCCB) may only be fitted with 19-inch winter wheels.
The new 911 Turbo is equipped with Porsche Active Suspension Management (PASM) as standard. This electronic active damping system offers continuous adjustment of the damping force in each wheel based on current road conditions and driving style. PASM has two driver-selectable setup modes, 'Normal' and 'Sport', which share a minimal degree of overlap. While 'Normal' provides a blend of performance and comfort, the 'Sport' setup mode has a much firmer range of settings. The system responds to changing road conditions and/or driving style by continuously varying the individual damping forces within the parameters defined for the selected setup mode ('Normal' or 'Sport').

PASM uses a range of sensors to monitor any movement in the body of the car (e.g., under acceleration, braking or uneven road surface). The PASM control unit uses this data to obtain a real-time evaluation of the forces acting on the car. The system responds continuously with a corresponding modification of individual damping forces in accordance with the selected setup mode. The results are a reduction in pitch and roll as well as consistent road holding from all four wheels.

If 'Sport' mode is selected, the suspension is set to a harder damper rating. If the quality of the road surface falls below a certain threshold, the system immediately changes to a softer rating within the 'Sport' setup range. This adjustment enhances occupant comfort as well as traction and grip. When the road surface improves, PASM automatically reverts to the original, harder rating.

If 'Normal' mode is selected, and the car is driven more assertively, PASM automatically switches to a harder rating within the 'Normal' setup range. As the dampers become stiffer, the car becomes more stable, ensuring higher levels of active safety as well as greater enjoyment from your Porsche.

Limited-slip differential.

The manual gearbox version of the new 911 Turbo is available with an optional mechanical limited-slip rear differential. Key benefits include greater rear-end traction when exiting hairpin bends as well as on variable-grip surfaces. It also compensates for changes in wheel loads caused by throttle modulation when cornering.
This latest evolution of Porsche Stability Management (PSM) provides automatic assistance in critical road scenarios. A powerful driver aid, it uses a range of sensors to monitor the direction, speed, yaw velocity (speed of rotation around the vertical axis) and lateral acceleration of the car. With this information, it can then calculate the exact direction of travel. If the car begins to oversteer or understeer, PSM applies selective braking on individual wheels to bring it safely back into line. Whenever PSM is required to intervene, an indicator light in the cockpit is illuminated. Another scenario in which PSM is invaluable is when applying the throttle on wet or other low-grip surfaces. Here, PSM uses the ABD (automatic brake differential) and ASR (anti-slip regulation) functions in PTM to maintain traction and stability. Standard equipment on the 911 Turbo, PSM assists with high-precision inputs that enhance the athleticism and agility of the car. When ‘Sport’ mode is selected on the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo (see page 60), the PSM threshold is raised higher still enabling greater driver involvement – particularly at speeds of up to 70 km/h (44 mph).

The integral ABS ensures shorter braking distances in critical road scenarios. System inputs are smooth and precise for greater driver comfort. Active safety is further enhanced with the aid of two additional brake functions: electronic brake prefill and brake assist.

The prefill function is automatically enabled whenever the throttle pedal is suddenly released. The pressure in the brake lines is marginally increased, bringing each of the pads into light contact with the corresponding disc. If the driver then decides to use the brakes, the system can apply the maximum force with virtually no delay.

The brake assist function is specifically designed for use in emergency stops. When the pressure on the brake pedal exceeds a predefined threshold, the brake assist function uses the PSM hydraulics to apply the pressure required for maximum deceleration. The result: shorter braking distances.

For a more natural drive, PSM can be manually disabled leaving only the automatic brake differential (ABD) in place. Although essentially inactive, PSM remains present in the background and can intervene immediately under heavy braking where at least one front wheel requires ABS assistance. In ‘Sport’ mode, PSM will only respond when ABS is active on both front wheels.

In short, PSM provides the ideal balance between electronically assisted active safety and freedom to enjoy the car’s potential.
The new 911 Turbo is a prime example of the ongoing evolution of Porsche engineering. For another step up in all-round performance, there’s the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo. This integrated system provides simultaneous enhancement for engine, chassis and optional Tiptronic S transmission.

Key features include a digital and analogue timer located centrally on the dashboard, a ‘Sport’ select button on the centre console, a performance display in the standard Porsche Communication Management (PCM), a personal memory function in PCM, and a special ‘overboost’ function unique to the new 911 Turbo.

When ‘Sport’ mode is selected, the engine management system applies a new set of variables creating a much more aggressive response. A modified throttle map relays the pedal position in the twisted to a wider angle of opening on the throttle. As a result, the engine has a much more positive reaction to every pedal input. In the higher gears, a fast rev-limiter helps protect the engine under power.

Under full acceleration, the ‘overboost’ function provides a temporary increase in available boost pressures of approximately 0.2 bar. The overboost is applied across the medium rev range, raising the standard 620 Nm of torque to as much as 680 Nm. The modified throttle is matched by PASM, which also switches to ‘Sport’ mode. The dampers become firmer, enabling faster turn-in as well as better contact with the road.

On vehicles with Tiptronic S, the basic gearshift pattern is automatically switched to high-performance mode. The gearshift action is virtually instantaneous, while the shift points are timed for maximum acceleration. Lift off the throttle – even at high revs – and the system automatically shifts down to apply engine braking. There are no unwanted upshifts in manual mode when approaching the engine rev limit. Since the driver has control over every upshift, the handling of the car is smooth and assured, particularly when braking for a corner.

To minimise assistance from PSM, the trigger threshold for this system is raised. The result is a more natural and involving response to both lateral and longitudinal forces. Wheelcorner agility is considerably enhanced, with greater scope for oversteer on turn-in and exit. The added freedom is particularly apparent in lower-speed sequences and bends. For even greater driving pleasure, the all-wheel drive system applies a greater proportion of drive torque to the rear.
For maximum manoeuvrability, PSM can be partially disabled while the car is in “Sport” mode. PSM simply monitors the forces acting on the car and will only intervene in the most critical of situations, e.g., when ABS assistance is required on both front wheels.

To help you quantify this increased performance, the Sport Chrono Package Turbo includes a swivel-mounted timer on the dashboard. Functions are accessed via the control stalk for the onboard computer. Analogue dials measure hours, minutes and seconds, while a separate digital field displays whole seconds, tenths and one hundredths of a second. The digital field runs in parallel with a second display which is conveniently located in the instrument cluster.

Individual lap times can be viewed, stored and analysed using a special ‘performance display’ added to Porsche Communication Management (see page 86). Available information includes the time and distance travelled on the current lap, as well as the number of laps completed and the respective times. The system can also display the current fastest lap and remaining range till empty. Driving times can be recorded for any stretch of road and benchmark times can be defined. Other useful features include a memory function accessible via PCM. This can be used to store a range of personal preferences, such as daytime driving lights, ‘Welcome Home’ light function, air conditioning, rain sensor activation and door-lock mode.
What is the secret of uncompromising performance? Always put safety first.
The standard lighting system on the new 911 Turbo features the latest Bi-Xenon gas-discharge technology, offering a light quality similar to daylight. The compact main headlights provide a broad swath of light, ensuring greater active safety in all road scenarios.

Each headlight unit contains a gas-discharge lamp featuring dynamic range control. This automatic adjustment of the lightbeam angle prevents hazardous dazzling of oncoming vehicles due to small undulations in the surface of the road or heavy rear-end loads. The brightness of the lights is approximately twice as great as that of a halogen lamp. Other standard features integral to the system include a headlight cleaning function.

The horizontal indicators in the outer front air intakes feature high-performance light-emitting diodes (LEDs) for optimum visibility.

The standard front foglights on the front apron moulding are another distinctive design feature on the new 911 Turbo.

At the rear of the car, the High-Level third brake light is also equipped with fast-response LEDs.

A pair of additional lights on the inside of each door offer greater convenience and safety at night. The kerb light (white) provides greater visibility when exiting the car. The safety light (red) warns traffic approaching from the rear that the door is currently open.

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Power, torque, acceleration, and flexibility: in every respect, the new 911 Turbo is more accomplished than ever before.

To achieve that capability, the standard braking system combines six-piston fixed calipers at the front of the car with newly devised four-piston units at the rear. The red-painted calipers have a monobloc (one-piece) aluminium construction offering greater stability, better "bite" characteristics under heavy braking, and a further reduction in unsprung weight. The brakes are quick to apply and release, while the pedal travel is short and the bite point precise and consistent. The front and rear discs have a generous diameter of 350 mm. All four discs are cross-drilled for better performance in the wet. The distinctive drill-hole pattern enables a faster response by allowing rapid dispersal of the water vapour generated under braking. The discs are also internally vented for better heat dispersal. The result: excellent stability in all conditions.

Other features include four-channel ABS offering a smoother, low-pulse action. Brake spoiler elements provide effective cooling for all key brake components. A powerful tandem brake booster unit establishes easier pedal inputs. Braking distances are further reduced with the aid of two new functions in the latest evolution of the standard Porsche Stability Management (PSM): electronic brake prefill and brake assist (see page 58).
The new 911 Turbo is also available with an optional high-performance braking system: the Porsche Ceramic Composite Brake (PCCB). Successfully tested in the toughest endurance racing, this unique technology has been further refined for even greater road performance.

The key components in PCCB are the moulded ceramic discs (front/rear diameter: 380 mm/350 mm). The larger front discs provide greater leverage and therefore better brake performance. The discs are made from a specially treated carbon-fibre compound that is situated in a high-vacuum process at 1,700 °C. The resulting material is not only much harder than steel, it is also more resistant to heat. Even at high temperatures, the thermal resistance of the PCCB discs ensures excellent dimensional stability. The ceramic material is totally resistant to corrosion and offers excellent acoustic damping properties.

The pads are moulded in six-piston monobloc aluminium fixed calipers at the front, with four-piston units at the rear. The resulting brake forces are not only extremely high, they are also exceptionally consistent. The pedal response is fast and precise, with only moderate input required.

The key advantage of PCCB is the total weight saving over comparable metal discs of approximately 50%. As well as enhancing performance and fuel economy, this represents a major reduction in both the unsprung and rotating masses. This, of course, produces additional benefits in terms of comfort and roadholding on uneven road surfaces as well as general handling and agility. For more information, see the latest PCCB brochure available from your Porsche Centre.
The 911 Turbo easily complies with all statutory requirements in all markets worldwide in respect of frontal, side, diagonal and rear impact protection.

The reinforced bodyshell contains a highly resilient passenger cell offering exceptional crash protection. At the front of the car, the cell is protected by a patented system of longitudinal and transverse members (1). The upper section of each door features additional reinforcements (4) which enhance the rigidity of the car. An additional load path (5) is used to channel energy through the upper part of the shell and protect the passenger cell. In 1985, Porsche began using super high-strength steel elements in its door design to provide greater occupant protection. On the new 911 Turbo, this integral reinforcement is made from robust yet lightweight aluminium.

As you would expect, the entire bodyshell structure receives a highly effective anti-corrosion treatment. Thirty years ago, Porsche became the first manufacturer in the world to use a hot-dip galvanised steel shell. This exacting process is absolutely fundamental to the legendary durability of our cars. It also ensures a consistently high standard of crash protection, even after many years on the road. To underline our confidence in the exceptional build quality, the 911 Turbo comes with a ten-year anti-corrosion warranty, three-year paint warranty and two-year warranty on the car as a whole.
Complementing the front airbags is the latest generation of Porsche Side Impact Protection (POSIP). This comprehensive package includes two additional airbags for each front seat: a thorax airbag in the side of each backrest, and a head airbag located in each door. Each side airbag has an approximate volume of 8 litres, ensuring maximum protection over the entire seat adjustment range. Also incorporated within the POSIP package are side-impact protection beams in the doors.

The new 911 Turbo has a unique passive protection system featuring six separate airbags. The full-size front airbags for driver and front passenger have a two-stage inflation capability. With this technology, the deployment of each airbag is dependent on the force and nature of the accident (e.g., frontal or diagonal impact). In a low-speed crash, the airbag is only partially inflated, thereby remaining discomfort to the occupants.

The airbag control unit is located in the centre tunnel where it receives additional information from a pair of impact sensors near the headlights. This arrangement enables faster and more accurate evaluation of impact forces in the event of a crash.

Other standard features include integral head restraints, an energy-absorbing steering column, height-adjustable three-point seat belts with pre-tensioners and force limiters, energy-absorbing structures in the dashboard area and flame-retardant materials throughout the interior.
The new 911 Turbo | Comfort

Uncompromising engineering deserves to be appreciated. Which is why we never compromise on comfort.
Instruments.

The classic arrangement of five round instruments provides a clear overview of all key information. The digital display in the centre-left dial (speedometer) provides main and trip odometer readings. The central rev counter, featuring the ‘turbo’ logo, includes the standard on-board computer display. This multi-purpose field contains a permanent digital speedometer as well as the following optional information: boost pressure, average speed, average fuel consumption, tyre pressure, current radio station, navigation instructions and remaining range till empty. When ‘Sport’ mode is selected on the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo, the temporary increase in torque is clearly indicated using an arrow symbol in the boost pressure display. The third display, in the centre-right dial, contains a clock and external temperature.

The standard audio package is the latest evolution of Porsche Communication Management (PCM). The comprehensive system features satellite navigation with a separate DVD drive in the luggage compartment for the single navigation disc. The one-touch switches on the centre console are logically positioned for optimum ease of use. All instruments are perfectly placed within the driver’s field of vision. The air-conditioning system is fully automatic and features a highly effective active carbon filter. This added convenience gives you greater freedom to enjoy the driving experience.

The tinted front glass and generous rear screen offer excellent fore-and-aft visibility. The front side windows have a water-repellent finish, which automatically disperses moisture and dirt. The result: optimum visibility in poor weather conditions.

The passenger compartment in the new 911 Turbo is another example of uncompromising design. As you would expect, it offers the highest standards of ergonomics, comfort and quality. The seats, dashboard, doors and rear side panels are finished in leather as standard. All the controls in the centre of the cockpit are in a new gear lever design that’s exclusive to the new 911 Turbo.

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Standard seats.
The standard seats feature full electric adjustment of fore/aft position, height, backrest angle, squab angle and lumbar support. Comfort is assured thanks to excellent lateral support, a lowered seat base offering lowered headroom, and a dedicated spring system that is specifically designed to match the car’s suspension characteristics. The high side bolsters provide excellent lateral support, without restricting occupant comfort. The generous range of adjustment options means that virtually every driver can find the ideal position, regardless of physical build. A memory function stores personal preferences for seat position, lumbar support and exterior mirrors.

Sports seats.
Available as a no-cost option, this stylish design offers firmer upholstery than the standard seat as well as higher side bolsters on the backrest and squab for added lateral support. The fore/aft position and height are manually adjustable, while the backrest is electrically controlled.

Adaptive sports seats.
The alternative seat option offers full electric adjustment of fore/aft position, height, backrest angle, lumbar support, squab height and backrest side bolsters. By varying the side bolsters, you can increase occupant comfort on long-distance journeys or maximise support on the racetrack. A driver memory function includes the exterior mirror position on the driver’s side as well as all seat settings except for the squab and backrest side bolsters.

Rear seats.
The folding rear seats are surprisingly comfortable for a car of this performance capability.

Child seats.
The front passenger seat has been specially designed to carry an ISOFIX-compatible child seat. For the necessary preparations – including airbag deactivation – see the Porsche Tequipment catalogue for the new 911 Turbo. A comprehensive range of child seats, also from Porsche Tequipment, is available at your Porsche Centre.

The generous rear storage area offers valuable loadspace, even when the seats are in use. Fold the backrests down and there’s an additional 190 litres of luggage space.

Standard seat (full electric adjustment)
Adaptive sports seat
Rear seat and storage area
Memory function includes the exterior mirror position on the driver’s side as well as all seat settings except for the squab and backrest side bolsters.
Storage compartments.

The new 911 Turbo is not only a powerful performer, it is also highly versatile. Added to the comfort and ergonomics of the interior are a range of practical features.

The storage compartments in the doors and centre console feature matching upholstered lids. These are positioned at precisely the same height to form comfortable armrests on longer journeys.

Beneath the front passenger airbag, behind a fold-down trim, are two cupholders for driver and front passenger. Beneath the cupholders is a lockable glove compartment featuring integral CD storage.

Two 12 V sockets (including the cigar lighter) provide power for electrical equipment. An optional fire extinguisher is also available, installing neatly out of sight but always within reach directly ahead of the driver's seat.

'Welcome Home' lighting.

This standard function provides generous illumination via the foglight units when the key remote is used to lock or unlock the car. At the same time, it is particularly convenient when returning home after dark. On vehicles equipped with the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo, the lighting delay can be programmed via the Porsche Communication Management (PCM) terminal.

ParkAssist.

This optional parking aid is automatically enabled whenever you select reverse gear. Move too close to a stationary object and a warning signal is emitted. Continue to reverse and the tone increases in frequency. The ultrasonic sensors are neatly concealed within the rear apron moulding.

Cruise control.

This optional system is available from 30 to 240 km/h (20–149 mph) and can even be used in first gear. The system is operated using a separate control stalk on the steering column. All three rearview mirrors on the new 911 Turbo feature auto-dimming glass as standard. The interior mirror also includes an integral rain sensor for the front wiper system.

HomeLink®.

This optional garage-door opener is integral to the car and offers full remote control for up to three garage doors. It can also be used with gate, home lighting and alarm systems. Compatible with virtually all garage and gate systems.

Rear wiper.

Also available as an option, the rear wiper system includes a flat and streamlined ‘aero’ blade which blends with the exterior of the car.

Slide/tilt sunroof.

This electrically operated and steplessly adjustable slide/tilt sunroof is also available as an option. In the tilted position, it offers comfortable ventilation of the passenger compartment, even when travelling at high speed.
In addition to the bootstrap in the rear seat area, the new 911 Turbo has a 385-litre boot luggage compartment. The bulkhead paneling conceals the standard audio amplifier for the BOSE® Surround Sound System, as well as the MIB drive for the navigation module. The optional CD autochanger is installed on the right-hand side of the compartment (looking forwards). The entire compartment is lined with high-quality, scratch-resistant materials.

The optional roof transport system is made from lightweight aluminium, making it extremely easy to fit. It is also styled to match the exterior design as well as the car's aerodynamics. The basic hard-casing bars can be combined with a range of attachments from Porsche Tequipment, including a roof box and carriers for bikes, ski equipment and skis. Maximum roof load is 75 kg.

Standard anti-theft equipment on the new 911 Turbo includes an engine immobiliser with in-key transponder. The comprehensive alarm system features contact-sensible exterior protection and radar-based interior surveillance.

Optional protection includes a factory-fitted preparation enabling future installation of a vehicle tracking system from Porsche Tequipment. In the event of theft, the system enables remote tracking of the stolen vehicle across most European countries. Also requires special wiring loom and higher capacity battery.
Satellite navigation.

The PCM system on the new 911 Turbo includes satellite navigation as standard. The DVD drive for navigation data is neatly concealed in the luggage compartment. The standard CD drive in PCM can therefore be used exclusively for audio CDs.

Special features on the GPS navigation module include dynamic route guidance with TMC (Traffic Message Channel). This function provides a visual overview of traffic congestion as well as an automatic calculation of alternative routes. Another feature of the navigation module is the easy-to-use menu structure. After you enter your destination, the system automatically establishes your current position before guiding you there via the best possible route.

The DVD drive offers faster data access, and therefore faster route calculation, than equivalent CD systems. The number of zoom levels has also been increased to make map reading easier. Navigation data for most European countries is included on a single DVD.

Navigation expansion module.

In combination with PCM, this optional expansion module enables automatic navigation along a previously recorded route (reverse route navigation) as well as compass and GPS-based navigation in regions not covered by your navigation DVD.

The standard 911 Turbo is equipped with Porsche Communication Management (PCM) featuring a high-resolution colour display. PCM is an integrated system combining radio, CD player, audio controls, on-board computer and satellite navigation, as well as optional CD autochanger, telephone module and electronic logbook. The integral CD drive is also compatible with MP3 audio files. In addition, PCM provides direct control of the performance display and memory function included with the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo.

Radio features include 20 FM and 20 MW presets, Dynamic AutoStore, and RDS two-tuner frequency diversity. The two-tuner function uses one tuner to play the selected station and another to search for the best possible signal throughout your journey.

Porsche Communication Management (PCM)
Antenna diversity.
The PCM package includes four separate antennae which are discreetly incorporated within the windscreen glass. This simple solution enables the in-car stereo radio system to find the strongest possible signal, thereby enhancing FM reception.

On-board computer.
The PCM computer offers a wide range of information, including average fuel consumption, average speed, range till empty, journey time and external temperature. It can also be used to view data from the optional Tyre Pressure Monitoring (TPM). The computer is operated using a separate control stalk, displaying key information in the central instrument dial. The same control stalk is used to operate the timing functions in the optional Sport Chrono Package Turbo.

Electronic logbook.
This optional addition to PCM enables automatic logging on every journey of mileage, route distance, date and time, as well as starting location and destination. Data can be downloaded from PCM via an infrared port and processed on a computer using software included with the package. This easy-to-use option fulfills all the requirements for automatic logbooks as specified by the German revenue authorities.

Telephone module.
The optional GSM telephone has a 12-digit keypad and a hands-free facility offering excellent call quality. The hands-free microphone is located next to the steering column and is ideally positioned for the driver. The telephone system supports SMS (text) messaging as well as card-free calls to emergency services. An optional passive (keyless) handset with leather-trimmed console enables clearer communication as well as greater privacy when making a call.

CDC-4 CD autochanger.
This optional CD autochanger has a total capacity of six audio CDs and installs beneath a panel in the luggage compartment. An autochanger preparation is included as standard.
The BOSE® Surround Sound System has a unique acoustic presence. Just like the new 911 Turbo. Which is why we chose to develop them together as a single, integrated whole.

The standard BOSE® Surround Sound System in the new 911 Turbo has a nominal output of 325 Watts. Power is supplied by a seven-channel MOST®-based digital amplifier, featuring 5 x 25-Watt linear amps and 2 x 100-Watt switching units. MOST® (Media Orientated Systems Transport) is a fibre-optic bus network offering fast data transfer and perfect signal quality.

A total of 13 loudspeakers, including active subwoofer and centerfill speaker, create a unique sound at all four seat positions that complements the driving experience. The balanced, lifelike and crystal-clear sound is the product of numerous audio technologies.

BOSE® Surround Sound uses independent channels at front and rear to create a push-button panorama of space and sound. Adding to this experience is the patented BOSE® Centerpoint® technology, which can split even stereo recordings into five separate channels. These are then passed to selected speakers with the aid of BOSE® SurroundStage™ signal processing.

Extensive equalisation circuitry ensures perfectly tailored sound in every situation. Since the system was developed in conjunction with the car, all sound output, across the entire frequency spectrum, is custom-engineered to the unique interior acoustics of the new 911 Turbo. The dynamic loudness function offers a considerable improvement over conventional loudness circuitry. By enhancing the lower frequencies in low-volume sound, it actively compensates for the reduced sensitivity of the human ear at the lower end of the audio spectrum. Another important feature of the BOSE® Surround Sound System is AudioPilot® Noise Compensation Technology. Using a microphone in the dashboard, AudioPilot® monitors the sound in the cockpit and automatically compensates for any ambient noise. The result is a clear and more coherent sound, with no need for manual adjustment.

BOSE® and Porsche: two legendary sounds, perfectly matched in the new 911 Turbo.

### System Electronics
- 7.0-cm mid-range centerfill speaker
- 2 x 13.0-cm low-range speakers in 14-litre bass reflex enclosure with TSM switching amplifier
- 2.5-cm Neodymium high-range speakers
- 0.6-cm Neodymium high-range speaker, 26.0-cm ND®-range speaker

### Loudspeakers
- 2 x 100-Watt switching units
- 5 x 25-Watt linear amps
- 20.0-cm Nd® low-range speaker
- 2.5-cm Neodymium high-range speaker
- 8.0-cm Neodymium mid-range speaker
- 8.0-cm-Neodym mid-range speaker
- 2.5-cm Neodymium high-range speaker
- 2.0-cm Neodymium mid-range speaker
- 2.0-cm Neodymium mid-range speaker
We’ve always believed that less is more. Which is why we make the most of every resource.

Environment
At Porsche, we’re exploring every possibility to improve the environmental compatibility of our cars: modern materials, reduced fuel consumption, cleaner emissions, fewer pollutants and better recyclability. This commitment is a Porsche tradition that began in the 1960s. With the latest evolution of the 911 Turbo, the rewards are even greater than ever.

**Exhaust emission control.** Combines engineering expertise with a commitment to the environment and the resulting benefits are hard-fought: exceptional performance and lower emissions. One of the clearest sportscars in the world today, the new 911 Turbo easily complies with both the stringent Euro 4 standard in the European Union as well as LEV II regulations in the United States. The technologies used to achieve this compliance include two ‘lambda’ or oxygen sensors for each of the two cylinder banks. One pair of sensors is used to measure the levels of oxygen in each of the two exhaust tracts. An additional pair of sensors – again, one in each tract – enable the engine management system to optimise the efficiency of the catalytic converters.*

**Recycling.** Lightweight construction, low-maintenance, exceptional recyclability, just three of the techniques employed by Porsche to improve the environmental compatibility of our cars. On the new 911 Turbo, we’ve used lightweight design and lightweight materials to achieve excellent fuel economy. All materials and manufacturing processes have been carefully selected and specifically refined to reduce any impact on the environment. A prime example is the twin exhaust system, which is made entirely from stainless steel. All lightweight materials are easily recyclable, while the variety of synthetic plastics has been significantly reduced. Recycled plastics are used in every area of the car, where our coating specifications allow. To simplify processing, all materials are labelled for separate recycling. Approximately 85% of today’s 911 Turbo is compatible with current recycling techniques. Water-based paints are used throughout the car, thus reducing the need for chemical solvents in both production and subsequent servicing. Other harmful materials omitted from the vehicle include asbestos, CFCs, and components manufactured using CFCs. The result is a car in which environmental protection is an integral part of the overall design.

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*Not in markets with leaded fuel.
Servicing.

Longer service intervals are not only easier on resources, they also reduce ownership costs. The new 911 Turbo has very modest servicing requirements of 18,000 miles or every two years standard service) and 36,000 miles or every four years (major service). The replacement intervals for parts and fluids have also been significantly extended: engine oil and filter every 18,000 miles, air filter every 36,000 miles, spark plugs every 36,000 miles or four years, and fuel filter every 56,000 miles.

Noise.

The new 911 Turbo complies with all noise regulations worldwide. Instead of resorting to engine encapsulation, we’ve eliminated noise at source: engine components are more rigid, moving parts are lighter, and tolerances have been reduced to a minimum. High-efficiency silencers in durable stainless steel help to minimise noise throughout the life of the car. All that remains, both inside and out, is the famous Porsche sound.

Fuel system.

Key developments in the fuel supply system include a further reduction in the evaporation of hydrocarbons. This is achieved through a combination of active carbon filter and specially coated fuel tank. All fuel lines are made from robust aluminium, while those carrying vapours use multi-layer plastic.
Our only limits:
The ones that you set.

Personalisation
The 911 Turbo is a powerful expression of character and individuality. One of the most important considerations in this respect, of course, your choice of colour. Exterior options range from four solid and eight metallic colours to five special paint finishes. These can be combined with a choice of nine interior colours as well as three different two-tone combinations.

If you cannot find the colour you require, we can usually prepare it for you. After all, when you choose a car as special as the new 911 Turbo, it should look exactly how you want it to.

To see the colours as they appear on the car, visit www.porsche.com and use the Porsche Car Configurator.
Solid exterior colours.*

- Black
- Obsidian Black Metallic
- Atlas Grey Metallic
- Slate Grey Metallic
- Dark Olive Metallic

Metallic exterior colours.*

- Guards Red
- Arctic Silver Metallic
- Midnight Blue Metallic
- Carmon Red Metallic
- Cobalt Blue Metallic
- Forest Green Metallic
- Slate Grey Metallic
- Lapis Blue Metallic
- Lagoon Green Metallic

Special exterior colours.

- Atlas Grey Metallic
- Meteor Grey Metallic
- Cobalt Blue Metallic
- Lagoon Green Metallic

* Solid and metallic colours are all no-cost options.
** Introduction planned for 08/2006.
The new 911 Turbo has a comprehensive standard specification. It also offers exceptional scope for your own personalisation ideas.

With the wide range of options presented here, you can make the new 911 Turbo unique. Combined, they enhance the individuality of your Porsche – inside and out – as well as its performance and comfort.

Over the following pages, you’ll find the full range of options listed by category. For more information on individual items, please refer to the 911 Turbo price list.

For the ultimate in personalisation for the 911 Turbo, ask about the Porsche Exclusive programme of factory-fitted modifications. You can also continue to enhance your car with Porsche Tequipment aftermarket accessories.

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Interior: leather.

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- Extended trim package (dashboard) in leather | 0TV | 114
- Sports seat backrests in leather | 5SB | 114
- Porsche Crest embossed on head restraints | 316 | 114
- Porsche Crest embossed on head restraints | 316 | 114
- Rear centre console in leather | 1MP | 112
- Rooflining in leather | 1MR | 114
- Sun visors in leather | 1MV | 114
- Interior light surrounds in leather | 1LD | 114
- Inner door sill guards in leather | 1TG | 114

Interior: macassar (dark satin wood).

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- Macassar interior package | 801 | 115
- Extended trim package (dashboard) in macassar | 1MR | 115
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- Extended trim package (dashboard) in macassar | 877 | 115
- Rear centre console in macassar | 877 | 115

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**Interior: aluminium/stainless steel.**

- Dashboard trim package with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Instrument surround with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Three-spoke multifunction steering wheel with Aluminium Look trim
- Door trim package with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Keyless entry keyfob in aluminium* (ECA)
- Rear centre console with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Sports seat backrests with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Outer door-sill guards in stainless steel
- Gear/handbrake levers in aluminium* (ECA)
- Rear centre console with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Sports seat backrests with Aluminium Look paint finish
- Outer door-sill guards in stainless steel

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Technical data

911 Turbo

Engine

Cylinders 6
Displacement 3,600 cm³

Max. power (DIN) 353 kW (480 bhp) at 6,000 rpm
Max. torque 620 Nm (with overboost: 680 Nm) at 1,950 – 5,000 rpm (with overboost: 2,100 – 4,000 rpm)

Compression ratio 9.0:1

Transmission

Manual/Tiptronic S

Manual gearbox 6-speed
Tiptronic S (optional) 5-speed

Chassis

Front axle McPherson-strut suspension
Rear axle LSA multi-link suspension

Steering Variable steering ratio, power-assisted (hydraulic)
Turning circle 10.9 m

Brakes

Front: 8-piston monobloc aluminium fixed calipers at front, 4-piston monobloc aluminium fixed calipers at rear, discs internally vented and cross-drilled
Rear: 4-piston monobloc aluminium fixed calipers, discs internally vented and cross-drilled

Vehicle stability system PSM (updated version)

Anti-lock braking system ABS 8.0

Wheels

Front: 8.5J x 19 ET 56
Rear: 11J x 19 ET 51

Tyres

Front: 235/35 ZR 19
Rear: 305/30 ZR 19

Dimensions/aerodynamics

Length 4,450 mm
Width 1,852 mm
Height 1,300 mm
Wheelbase 2,350 mm

Luggage compartment volume 305 litres
Fuel capacity 77 litres

Weights

Manual/Tiptronic S

Unladen weight (DIN) 1,585 kg/1,620 kg
Unladen weight (EC)* 1,660 kg/1,695 kg
Permissible gross weight 1,950 kg/1,980 kg

Performance

Top speed 310 km/h/310 km/h (193 mph/193 mph)
0 – 100 km/h (0–62 mph) 3.9 secs/3.7 secs
0 – 160 km/h (0–99 mph) 8.4 secs/7.8 secs
0 – 200 km/h (0–124 mph) 12.8 secs/12.2 secs
Flexibility 80–120 km/h 3.8 secs/3.5 secs (50–75 mph) in second highest gear

Fuel consumption/emissions

Manual/Tiptronic S

In accordance with 80/1268/EC as valid at time of going to press**

Urban 18.8/19.8 l/100 km (15.0/14.3 mpg)
Extra urban 9.5/9.6 l/100 km (29.7/29.4 mpg)
Combined 12.8/13.6 l/100 km (22.1/20.8 mpg)

CO2 emissions 307 /326 g/km

Footnotes:

* Weight is calculated in accordance with the relevant EC Directives and is valid for standard specification vehicles only. Optional equipment means greater weight. The figure given includes 68 kg for the driver and 7 kg for luggage.
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