

PORSCHE



In a world of compromise, PORSCHE doesn't.

In 1948, the first Porsche was built to meet the standards of an individual who would not accept compromise in any sense of the word. That individual was Ferdinand Porsche. Today, Porsche cars are still being built for people who will not accept any form of compromise in quality, workmanship or performance.

Yet in spite of its high standards, or perhaps because of them. Porsche stands out among today's practical cars as a distinctively sensible automobile.

It is extremely compact on the outside, yet luxuriously comfortable and pleasing on the inside.

It offers high, seemingly limitless, performance at amazingly low fuel consumption. It provides maximum safety for its occupants, yet requires a minimum of maintenance.

In short, a Porsche is as sensible as it is rewarding.

The rewards of owning a Porsche come to you each day you drive it. Every time you approach your Porsche, you feel a surge of pride in knowning what the car is, and what it can do. (Ask any Porsche owner.) You know, for example, that you are driving a car that can win fiercely competitive races, if you so choose. On the open road, it will accelerate and track as an extension of yourself. Yet it is well-mannered for city driving or for leisurely meandering, as your wishes dictate. In short, your Porsche is ready to do what you want it to do. Any time. This is the product of a dictum of no compromise.

You may choose from three models: the 911S, the Turbo Carrera and the 912E.

The PORSCHE 911S is the PORSCHE

We have been making a 911 since 1964. Although today's 911S looks very much like the original, it has been vastly improved. It is built with more sound-deadening material and the engine operates at 1/3 less rpm's than older models, to produce the same speed. The result is, of course, a quieter, smoother ride.

The current 911S is also easier to drive. Its higher-torque engine, combined with higher gear ratios, gives you more performance with less gear shifting. So you get all the responsiveness you need, without paying the price of driver fatigue.

If you want the 911S in a convertible, you want the Targa, It is a unique design that

provides all the exhilaration of an open car without sacrificing the safety and comfort of a coupe. It has a built-in roll bar, a fixed rear window, and snug fitting folding top.

The Turbo Carrera. The ultimate PORSCHE

The Turbo Carrera is a very special 911 model that has a turbocharged engine. Turbocharging uses the engine's exhaust gases, which would otherwise go up in smoke, as a source of energy to pre-compress the engine's intake air. This additional energy provides an enormous performance boost on demand. Yet this car is completely docile in city traffic and leisurely country driving.

Standard equipment includes such luxury features as air conditioning, a stereo radio with power antenna, power windows, a headlight washing system, a two-stage heated rear window with wiper, fog lights and front and rear spoilers.

In all respects, the Turbo Carrera is a dramatic unification of all one could wish for in a personal car.

The 912 E. A popular model returns ... with improvements.

Porsche enthusiasts will recall that the 912 model designation appeared in the years 1965–69, as a four-cylinder alternative to the six-cylinder 911. The fact that one still sees many 912's on the road, in excellent condition, is a tribute to the car's durability and loyal following. And so we have brought back the 912 series. The new 912 E is, however. quite different from its predecessor models. The 912 E has electronic fuel injection. The engine is a design that took Porsche engineers two years to develop and refine. Also, the 912 E has the modern body styling and many other features of the 911 S. So if you'd like a thoroughly up-to-date four-cylinder Porsche, the new 912E is the car for you. Now that you've read about our Porsches, you really should drive one. Even if you've never considered yourself a »sports car buff«, if you like to drive, and can appreciate quality, precision and responsiveness in an automobile, you should experience the Porsche firsthand.

And nothing's easier. Your Porsche dealer will be happy to introduce you to the Porsche experience.

If your're like us, it's an introduction that will last a lifetime.











Technical Data. 1976

1976 Porsche	912 E	911 S	Turbo Carrera
Engine Number of cylinders	4	6	6
Displacement	1971 cc	2687 cc	2993 cc
Compression ratio	7.6 : 1	8.5 : 1	6.5 : 1
Horsepower-SAE net	86	157	228
Max. torque/rpm (ft. lbs-SAE net)	98/4000	166/4000	245/4000
Lubrication	forced circulation	dry sump with separate oil tank, thermostatically controlled oil cooling, full flow oil filter	
Fuel supply	electric pump	electric pump	2 electric pumps
Mixture	electronic fuel injection	CIS injection	CIS injection, turbo-charged
Electrical Voltage	12	12	12
Battery rating	44 amp/hr.	66 amp/hr.	66 amp/hr.
Alternator	980 watt	980 watt	980 watt
gnition	Capacitive Discharge (CD)	Capacitive Discharge (CD)	Capacitive Discharge (CD)
Transmission Standard	5-speed	4-speed	4-speed
Optional	=	3-speed Sportomatic	-
Chassis Suspension	4-wheel, independent	4-wheel, independent	4-wheel, independent
Springing	torsion bars	torsion bars	torsion bars
Brakes	4-wheel disc brakes, internally vented	4-wheel disc brakes, internally vented	4-wheel disc brakes, internally vented
Wheels	5½ x 15 steel	6 x 15 pressure cast alloy	Front-7 x 15 forged alloy Rear-8 x 15 forged alloy
Tires	165 HR 15	185/70 VR 15	Front-185/70 VR 15 Rear-215/60 VR 15
Performance Top speed (approx.)	110.6 mph	134 mph	152 mph
Acceleration (0-62 mph)	13.5 sec.	7.8 sec.	5.8 sec.
Miles per gal. U.S.	approx. 25 mpg	approx. 24 mpg	approx. 22 mpg

In addition, the 911S model is available in two body styles; as a Coupe or as a Targa convertible with removable roof panel.

Your Porsche dealer will be glad to discuss with you the standard equipment furnished on each

Porsche model as well as the options which may be selected to help personalize your Porsche. Some of the vehicles and equipment shown or mentioned in this catalog may not be available in some areas. We reserve the right to make specification and equipment changes without notice.