Volvo 264 GL

The new 264 GL fulfills the most exacting demands that might be placed on a modern means of personal luxury transportation. Each element, from Volvo’s new alloy overhead cam V-6 engine to its spacious luggage compartment, is part of an elegant, uncompromised automobile.

Clean, distinctive lines are enhanced by the large expanses of lightly tinted glass which wrap around the passenger compartment, interrupted only by narrow, but strong pillars. All 264 GLs are equipped with a sunroof and power front windows, and lustrous metallic finishes are available at no extra cost.

A choice of plush velour or supple genuine leather are offered as facing materials for the seats of the GL. Front seats are Volvo's famed adjustable individual buckets and as a lavish concession to the driver, that seat is automatically heated.

With the rear armrest folded, the 264 GL affords exceptional room for five adults who can all ride in complete comfort thanks to Volvo's Combined Unit heating and air conditioning system. In all there are 12 outlets in the ventilation system, two of which are under the front seats and distribute heat to rear-seat passengers.

Steel-belted radial, white wall tires are standard, as are four-wheel power disc brakes, (the fronts are ventilated) and, of course, there’s Volvo’s triangular-split safety braking system.

Power-assisted steering is standard as is either of Volvo’s new transmissions, a three-speed automatic or four-speed manual with electrically-activated overdrive.

Either plush velour or genuine leather are the standard facing materials for the seats of the luxurious 264 GL. Front seats are infinitely adjustable, including lumbar support. The driver’s seat is automatically heated.
Volvo 242/244

By anyone's yardstick, the interior dimensions of the Volvo 242/244 sedans are spacious. Yet, overall a Volvo is about three feet shorter than the average "full-size" American-built sedan.

Exceptional knee and leg room for five adults are provided and the two reclining individual front seats have an adjustable lumbar support. The seats in all 242/244 sedans are covered in soft, napped fabric which is cool in summer and warm in winter.

Like the 264 GL, the heating and ventilation system of the 240 Series has 12 outlets, and if Volvo air conditioning is installed it will function in the same manner as the 264's advanced Combined Unit.

Powering the 240 models is Volvo's new fuel-injected engine. It features a belt-driven overhead cam, cross-flow cylinder head and solid state ignition. To complement this sporty, yet economical engine, Volvo also introduces two new transmissions.

The standard transmission for the 242/244 models is a rugged four-speed manual. Transmission options are Volvo's new smooth three-speed automatic and an electrically-activated overdrive for the standard four-speed.

Of course, like all Volvo's, 242/244 models are equipped with four-wheel power disc brakes (with safety triangle-split system) and steel-belted radial, whitewall tires.

A new 2.1-liter four-cylinder engine with lightweight cross-flow head and Continuous Fuel Injection gives the new 242/244 sedans lively performance with exceptional fuel economy. It also features a belt-driven overhead cam and solid state ignition.

Seat covering material for 242/244 models is a soft-napped fabric. Available in four colors, depending on exterior finish, it is soil resistant and washable.
Volvo 265

The luxury Volvo 265 wagon offers many of the considerable features of the 264 GL sedan plus 50 cubic feet of cargo space - over 67 cubic feet with the rear seat folded flat.

The spirit of the distinctively styled 265 comes from the same new, energetic light-alloy V-6 that's found in the 264 GL. And like the 264, the 265 is equipped with fuel-injection and a solid state ignition system. Transmission choices are the same as well - either the silky smooth three-speed automatic

is (which can be shifted down to low at speeds as high as 40 mph) or the full-synchronmesh four-speed manual with electrically-activated overdrive on fourth gear. Power-assisted steering and brakes are both standard as are steel belted radial, white wall tires.

Inside, the 265 offers Volvo's anatomically correct, individual reclining front seats. Seat covering material is durable leather-like vinyl or vinyl with a woven center insert.

Volvo's 12 outlet Combined Unit heating and air conditioning system, which permits the air conditioner to be operated simultaneously with the heater for warm, dehumidified interior air, is standard.

Volvo's unique system of warning lamps, including a bulb integrity sensor which lets the driver know instantly if a low beam, stop or tail light is out, and quartz crystal electric clock are features of the 265 instrument panel.

The rear door is equipped with a gas-cylinder lift mechanism, a child-proof lock and an electrically heated window with a washer and wiper.

The seat covering materials used in the 265 are durable leather-like vinyl alone, or with a woven fabric insert. Colors and combination of materials depends on exterior color selection.
Volvo color and upholstery selector

Since Volvo's are designed to last, bodies are protected in a number of ways. Galvanizing and the application of rust proofing fluids and compounds is used extensively. Volvo has also designed its bodies without unnecessary enclosures and cavities where moisture might collect. Finishing begins with phosphating (etching) for best possible paint adhesion, after which the entire body is immersed in an electro-primer bath which "plates" the metal with paint. After baking, bodies are sanded, given a spray coat of primer, baked and sanded again, before the enamel finish is applied.

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Cascade White

Volvo 242/244  Blue cloth
Volvo 245  Blue vinyl
Volvo 265  Blue cloth/vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Brown leather or Dark Blue velour

Aleutian Blue

Volvo 242/244  Blue cloth
Volvo 245  Blue vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Black leather or Dark Blue velour

Pacific Blue

Volvo 242/244  Blue cloth
Volvo 245  Blue vinyl
Volvo 265  Blue cloth/vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Black leather or Light Grey velour

Mojave Beige

Volvo 242/244  Brown cloth
Volvo 245  Brown vinyl

Cumberland Yellow

Volvo 242/244  Brown cloth
Volvo 245  Brown vinyl

Caribbean Red

Volvo 242/244  Red cloth
Volvo 245  Red vinyl
Volvo 265  Red vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Black leather

Berkshire Green

Volvo 242/244  Brown cloth
Volvo 245  Brown vinyl

Shenandoah Green

Volvo 242/244  Light Beige cloth
Volvo 245  Brown vinyl
Volvo 265  Brown vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Brown leather
Alpine Blue Metallic

Volvo 265  Blue cloth/vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Black leather or Dark Blue velour

Sahara Beige Metallic

Volvo 265  Brown vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Brown leather

Andes Copper Metallic

Volvo 265  Brown vinyl
Volvo 264 GL  Brown leather or Dark Blue velour

Vinyl

Red
Blue
Black

Cloth

Blue
Light Beige
Brown

Leather

Black

Velour

Brown
Red
Light Grey

Cloth/vinyl

Blue
Brown
Dark Blue
Standard Equipment

**Volvo 264 GL**
- Light alloy V-6 engine
- Fuel injection
- Solid-state ignition
- 4-wheel disc brakes
- Power brakes
- Separate parking brake
- Power-assisted steering
- Steel-belted whitewall radial tires
- Automatic transmission or 4-speed manual with overdrive
- Infinitely adjustable front bucket seats
- Adjustable lumbar support
- Leather-faced or velour upholstery
- Heated driver's seat
- Electric rear view defroster
- Tinted glass all around
- 12-outlet heating and ventilation system with integrated air conditioning
- Lockable glove compartment
- Trunk and engine compartment lights
- Day/night rearview mirror
- Deep-pile carpeting
- Carpeted trunk
- Quartz clock
- Storage pockets in doors and backs of the front seats
- Four 3-point self adjusting safety belts
- Childproof rear door locks
- Two separate undercoats
- Metallic or enamel paint
- Stereo speakers
- Windshield antenna
- Passenger assist handles
- Bulb integrity sensor
- Electric front door windows
- Sunroof
- Wheel trim rings

**Volvo 242/244**
- Overhead cam cross-flow engine
- Fuel injection
- Solid-state ignition
- 4-wheel disc brakes
- Power brakes
- Separate parking brake
- Power-assisted steering
- Steel-belted whitewall radial tires
- 4-speed manual transmission
- Infinitely adjustable front bucket seats
- Adjustable lumbar support
- Cloth upholstery
- Electric rear window defroster
- Tinted glass all around
- 12-outlet heating and ventilation system
- Lockable glove compartment
- Day/night rearview mirror
- Full interior carpeting
- Quartz clock
- Storage pockets in front doors
- Four 3-point self adjusting safety belts
- Childproof rear door locks on 244
- Two separate undercoats
- Stereo speakers
- Windshield antenna
- Passenger assist handles
- Bulb integrity sensor

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- Light alloy V-6 engine
- Fuel injection
- Solid-state ignition
- 4-wheel disc brakes
- Power brakes
- Separate parking brake
- Power-assisted steering
- Steel-belted whitewall radial tires
- Automatic transmission or 4-speed manual with overdrive
- Infinitely adjustable front bucket seats
- Adjustable lumbar support
- Vinyl or cloth/vinyl upholstery
- Electric rear window defroster and wiper
- Tinted glass all around
- 12-outlet heating and ventilation system with integrated air conditioning
- Lockable glove compartment
- Cargo area and engine compartment lights
- Day/night rear view mirror
- Full interior carpeting
- Quartz clock
- Storage pockets in front doors
- Four 3-point self adjusting safety belts
- Childproof rear door locks
- Two separate undercoats
- Metallic or enamel paint
- Stereo speakers
- Windshield antenna
- Passenger assist handles
- Bulb integrity sensor

**Volvo 245**
- Overhead cam cross-flow engine
- Fuel injection
- Solid-state ignition
- 4-wheel disc brakes
- Power brakes
- Separate parking brake
- Power-assisted steering
- Steel-belted whitewall radial tires
- 4-speed manual transmission with overdrive
- Infinitely adjustable front bucket seats
- Adjustable lumbar support
- Vinyl upholstery
- Electric rear window defroster and wiper
- Tinted glass all around
- 12-outlet heating and ventilation system
- Lockable glove compartment
- Day/night rearview mirror
- Full interior carpeting
- Quartz clock
- Storage pockets in front doors
- Four 3-point self-adjusting safety belts
- Childproof rear door locks
- Two separate undercoats
- Metal or enamel paint
- Stereo speakers
- Windshield antenna
- Passenger assist handles
- Bulb integrity sensor

Optional equipment
- Air conditioning
- Automatic or overdrive transmission with power-assisted steering
- Power front door windows
- Sunroof
- Power-assisted steering

Optional equipment
- Power front door windows
- Roof rack
- Suspension leveling system
- Third seat

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