

AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION CONSOLIDATED SPECIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

MAKE OF CAR: DODGE	MODEL NAME	SYMBOL
COMPANY: Dodge Division Chrysler Corporation Detroit 31, Michigan	Meadowbrook	D-51-1
	Coronet	D-51-2
	Coronet	D-52
MODEL YEAR: 1954	DATE 9-1-53	
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GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Model	D-51-1	D-51-2	D-52 Suburban	
			2-Door	4-Door
Wheelbase	119		114	119
Tread	56-5/16			
	59-1/8			
Maximum Overall Dimensions	205-1/2		190-7/8	195-7/8
	73-1/2		73-1/8	
	62		62-1/8	
Steering ratio—overall	21.5			
Turning diameter (curb to curb)	(x) 41'-5"		39'-7"	41'-5"
Shipping weight*	(x) 3195	3235	3185	N/A
Transmission— (Specify standard, optional, not avail.)	Conventional		Standard	
	Overdrive		Optional	
	Automatic	Optional (a)	Optional (b)	N/A
Axle ratio	Conventional		3.9 to 1	
	Overdrive		4.3 to 1	
	Automatic		3.9 to 1 (a)	3.73 to 1
Tire size	6.70 x 15	7.10 x 15	6.70 x 15(x)	7.10 x 15 (x)
Engine	Type		In-Line	
	No. of cylinders		6	
	Valve arrangement		I-Head	
	Bore and stroke		3-1/4 x 4-5/8	
	Piston displacement, cu. in.		230.2	
	Standard compression ratio		7.25 to 1	
	Maximum bhp at engine rpm		110 at 3600	
Maximum torque at rpm		190 at 1600		

*Standard car weight, not including gas and water.

- (a) For Gyro-Matic only; with PowerFlite Transmission, the rear axle ratio is 3.73 to 1.
- (b) PowerFlite only.
- (x) Revised: 1-26-54

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COMPANY: Dodge Division Chrysler Corporation Detroit 31, Michigan	Meadowbrook	D-50-1
	Coronet	D-50-2
	Royal	D-50-3
	Coronet	D-53-2
	Royal	D-53-3
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GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Model	D-50-1	D-50-2	D-50-3	D-53-2 Sport Coupe	D-53-3 Sport Coupe
Wheelbase	119			114	
Tread	Front	55-15/16			
	Rear	58-3/4			
Maximum Overall Dimensions	Length (L-103)	205-1/2			196
	Width (W-103)	73-1/2	74-1/4	73-1/8	73-7/8
	Height (H-101)	62			61
Steering ratio—overall	22.2				
Turning diameter (curb to curb) (x)	41'-5"			39'-7"	
Shipping weight* (x)	3390	3405	3425	N/A	
Transmission— (Specify standard, optional, not avail.)	Conventional	Standard			
	Overdrive	Optional			
	Automatic (x)	Optional			
Axle ratio	Conventional	3.73 to 1		3.9 to 1	
	Overdrive	4.1 to 1			
	Automatic	3.54:1			
Tire size	7.10 x 15				
	Type	90° V			
	No. of cylinders	8			
Engine	Valve arrangement	OHV, Laterally Inclined			
	Bore and stroke	3-7/16 x 3-1/4			
	Piston displacement, cu. in.	241.3			
	Standard compression ratio	7.1 to 1	7.5 to 1	7.5 to 1	
	Maximum bhp at engine rpm	150 at 44	150 at 44	150 at 44	
Maximum torque at rpm	220 at 20	222 at 24	222 at 24		

*Standard car weight, not including gas and water.

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ENGINE—GENERAL

Type	V, In-line, other	In-Line	V
	Angle of V	---	90°
No. of cylinders		6	8
Valve arrangement		"L" Head	OHV, Laterally Inclined
Bore and stroke		3-1/4 x 4-5/8	3-7/16 x 3-1/4
Piston displacement, cu. in.		230.2	241.3
Numbering system (front to rear)	L. Bank	---	1-3-5-7
	R. Bank	---	2-4-6-8
Firing order		1-5-3-6-2-4	1-8-4-3-6-5-7-2
Compression ratio	Standard Head	7.25 to 1	7.1 to 1 (b)
	Optional Head		7.5 to 1
Cylinders	Head		Cast Iron
	Material	Standard	---
	Optional		---
	Sleeve—Wet, dry, other, none		None
Number of mounting points	Front		One
	Rear		Two
Taxable horsepower	(Dis. ³ x No. Cyl.) 2.5	25.35	37.80
Advertised max. brake horsepower at engine RPM*	Standard head	110 at 3600	150 at 4400 (b)
	Optional head		150 at 4400
	With fuel (Octane and method)	Standard Head	75 Motor
	Optional Head		---
Max. torque (lb. ft. @ RPM)	Standard head	190 at 1600	220 at 2000 (b)
	Optional head		222 at 2400
Recommended idle speed (neutral)		150-500	

ENGINE—PISTONS

Material	Aluminum Alloy		
Description and finish	U-Slot, Cam Ground, Tin Plated	T-Slot, Cam Ground, Steel Band, Slipper-Type, Tin Plated	
Weight (piston only) oz.	16.0	16.4	
Clearance	Top land	.03	
	Skirt	Top	(a)
		Bottom	.001 to .0015 (Desired)
Ring groove depth	No. 1 ring	.169	
	No. 2 ring	.169	
	No. 3 ring	.172	
	No. 4 ring	.172	

*Corrected as defined by SAE Engine Test Code, with the following standard power consuming accessories: Generator, Water Pump, Carburetor Air Cleaner, Manifolds, Fuel Pump, Manual Spark Advance, Manifold Heat Off

(a) 3/4" from bottom: .0002 to .0012, .0007 desired.

(b) When the Gyro-Matic or PowerFlite transmission is used, the 7.5:1 compression ratio engine is also used with 150 bhp at 4400 engine rpm and 222 lb-ft torque at 2400 engine rpm.

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ENGINE—RINGS

Type (top to bottom)	No. 1 oil or comp.	Compression	
	No. 2 oil or comp.	Compression	
	No. 3 oil or comp.	Oil	
	No. 4 oil or comp.	Oil	-----
No. rings above piston pin		4	3
Compression	Material	Piston Ring Iron	
	Coating	Tin	
	Width	.093	.078
	Gap	.007 - .015	.007 - .015 (a)
	Maximum wall thickness	.162	.172
Oil	Material	Piston Ring Iron	
	Coating	None	
	Width	.155	.186
	Gap	.007 - .015	.007 - .015
	Maximum wall thickness	.137 (b)	.140
Location of expanders		On Number 3 Ring	

ENGINE—PISTON PINS

Material		High Manganese Steel	
Length		2.746	2.885
Diameter		.8592	
Type	Locked in rod, in piston, floating, etc.	Floating	
	Bushing	Rod	
		In rod or piston Material	Bronze on Steel
Clearance	In piston	.0000 to .0005	
	In rod	.0001-.0002 (Selective)	.0001-.0004 (Selective)
Direction offset in piston		None	Right 1/16

ENGINE—CONNECTING RODS

Material		High Manganese Forging Steel	
Weight (oz.)		27.9	21.2
Length (center to center)		7.810	5.936
Bearing	Material	Lead Bass Babbitt on Steel	
	Type (cast-in or removable)	Removable Precision	
	Effective length	.93	.811
	Clearance	.0005 - .0015 (Desired)	
	End play	.006 - .011	.006 - .011 (2 Rods)

ENGINE—CRANKSHAFT

Material	Drop Forge Steel
Weight (lb.)	N.A.

- (a) Muskogon Piston Ring gap specified at .007 - .017.
 (b) This pertains to the #3 ring. Maximum thickness for #4 is .150".

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ENGINE—CRANKSHAFT (cont.)

Vibration damper type		(a)	None	
End thrust taken by bearing (No.)		#1 (Rear)	#3 (Center)	
Crankshaft end play		.003 - .007	.002 - .007	
Main bearing	Material	Babbitt on Steel		
	Type (cast-in or removable)	Removable		
	Clearance	.0005 - .0015 (Desired)		
	Journal dia. and bearing effective length	No. 1	2.5 x 1.204	2.375 x .822
		No. 2	2.5 x 1.000	2.375 x .822
		No. 3	2.5 x 1.000	2.375 x .802
		No. 4	2.5 x 1.589	2.375 x .822
		No. 5	----	2.375 x 1.532
No. 6		----	----	
No. 7		----	----	
Direction offset from cyl. bore		Right	None	
Connecting rod crankpin journal diameter.		2-1/16	1-15/16	

ENGINE—CAMSHAFT

Material		High Test Cast Iron with Cams and the Distributor and Oil Pump Drive Gear Cast Integrally		
Bearings	Material	(b)	Lead Base Babbitt on Steel	
	Number	Four	Five	
Type of drive	Gear or chain		Chain	
	Crankshaft gear or sprocket material		High Manganese Steel	
	Camshaft gear or sprocket material		Cast Iron	
	Timing chain	Make	----	
		No. of links	48	68
		Width	1.0	1.125
Pitch		.500	.375	

ENGINE—VALVE SYSTEM

Hydraulic lifters (yes, no)		No	Yes
Special provision for valve rotation (intake, exhaust)		No	
Rocker ratio		----	1.5:1
Operating tappet clearance (indicate hot or cold)	Intake	.010 Hot	0
	Exhaust	.010 Hot	0
Tappet clearance for timing	Intake	.014	Valve Train Solid
	Exhaust	.014	Valve Train Solid
Timing marks on fly-wheel, damper, other		Vibration Damper	Fan Drive Pulley

(a) Crankshaft Dynamic Torsional Vibration Absorber.

(b) #1, #2, and #3 Lead Base Babbitt on Steel; #4 is of Cast Iron.

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ENGINE—VALVE SYSTEM (cont.)

Timing	Intake	Opens (°BTC)	12 BTC	17 BTC
		Closes (°ABC)	44 ABC	47 ABC
	Exhaust	Opens (°BBC)	50 BBC	55 BBC
		Closes (°ATC)	6 ATC	9 ATC

Intake	Material		Silicon-Chromium Steel	
	Overall length		4-27/32	4-13/16
	Actual overall head dia.		1.531	1.656
	Angle of seat		45°	
	Seat insert material		None	
	Stem diameter		.3405	.3725
	Stem to guide clearance		.002	
	Lift		.365	.360
	Outer spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	42.5 at 1.75	40.5 at 1.688
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	115 at 1.375	105 at 1.312
	Inner spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	---	21.5 at 1.562
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	---	42.5 at 1.188

Exhaust	Material		Silicon-Chromium Steel	
	Overall length		4-27/32	4-13/16
	Actual overall head dia.		1.407	
	Angle of seat		45°	
	Seat insert material		Alloy Cast Iron	
	Stem diameter		.3405	.3715
	Stem to guide clearance		.004	.003
	Lift		.365	
	Outer spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	42.5 at 1.75	40.5 at 1.688
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	115 at 1.375	105 at 1.312
	Inner spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	---	21.5 at 1.562
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	---	42.5 at 1.188

ENGINE—LUBRICATION SYSTEM

Type of lubrication (splash, pressure, nozzle)	Main bearings	Pressure	
	Connecting rods	Pressure	
	Piston pins	Metered Jet Spray	
	Camshaft bearings	Pressure	
	Tappets	Spray	Metered Pressure
	Timing gear or chain	Metered Flow	
	Cylinder walls	Metered Jet Spray	

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ENGINE—LUBRICATION SYSTEM (cont.)

Oil pump type	Rotary	
Normal oil pressure (lb. @ engine rpm)	40-50 @ 1225	40-60 @ 1500
Oil pressure sending unit (elect. or mech.)	Mechanical	
Type oil intake (floating, stationary)	Floating	
Oil filter system (full flow, partial, other)	By-pass	Shunt
Filter replacement (element, complete)	Replaceable Element	
Capacity of crankcase, less filter-refill (qt.)	5	
Oil grade recommended (SAE viscosity and temperature range)	Not lower than +32F SAE 30 As low as +10F SAE 20W As low as -10F SAE 10W Below -10F SAE 5W	
Engine Service Requirement (MM, MS, etc.)		

ENGINE—EXHAUST SYSTEM

Type (single, single with cross-over, dual, other)	Single	Crossover
Muffler No. & type (reverse flow, straight thru, separate resonator)	Reverse flow	
Exhaust pipe dia. (O.D. wall thickness)	Branch	1-7/8
	Main	2-1/4
Tail pipe diameter (O.D. & wall thickness)	1-3/4	2

ENGINE—FUEL SYSTEM

(See Supplement to Page 6 for Details of Fuel Injection, Supercharger, etc. if used)

Induction type: Carburetor, fuel injection, supercharger.	Carburetor	
Fuel Tank	Capacity (gals.)	17
	Filler location	Left rear below trunk lid
Fuel Pump	Type (elec. or mech.)	Mechanical
	Locations	Right front of engine
	Pressure range	4 to 5-1/2
Vacuum booster (std., optional, none)	None	
Fuel Filter	Type	Oilite
	Locations	Fuel tank
Carburetor	Make & Model No.	Ball & Ball BBS-2063 S (a) ●
	Number of carbs., bbls. per carb. & type	1-bbl
	Barrel size	1-1/2
	Choke type	Integral ●
	Intake manifold heat control (exhaust or water)	Automatic
	Air clnr. type	Oil bath
	Standard	---
	Optional	---

(a) For early built cars: E9T1

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ENGINE—COOLING SYSTEM

Type system (pressure, pressure vented, atmospheric, other)		Pressure-Vent	
Radiator cap relief valve pressure		7 psi	
Circulation thermostat	Type (choke, bypass)	Choke, Permanent By-pass	
	Starts to open at (°F)	160	
Water pump	Type (centrifugal, other)	Centrifugal	
	Number of pumps	One	
	Drive (V-belt, other)	Vee	
	Bearing type	Bushings	
By-pass recirculation type (internal, external)		Internal	
Radiator core type (cellular, tube and fin, other)		Cellular	
Cooling system capacity	With heater (qt.)	15	20
	Without heater (qt.)	14	19
	Opt. equipment-specify (qt.)	---	
Water jackets full length of cylinder (yes, no)		Yes	
Water all around cylinder (yes, no)		No	Yes
Radiator hose	Lower	Number and type (molded, straight)	Curved, Molded
		Inside diameter	1-1/2
	Upper	Number and type (molded, straight)	Curved, Molded
		Inside diameter	1-3/4
	By-pass	Number and type (molded, straight)	None
		Inside diameter	---
Fan	Number of blades & Spacing	Six: 50° - 54° - 76°	Four: 76° - 104°
	Diameter	17	18
	Ratio-fan to crankshaft rev.	.90 to 1	.95 to 1
	Fan cutout type	None	
	Bearing type	Same as for Water Pump	
*Drive belts (indicate belt used by letter)	Fan	A	B
	Generator	A	B
	Water Pump	A	B
	Power Steering	---	
	Air Conditioning	---	

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*Drive Belt Dimensions	A	B
Angle of V	36°	36°
Nominal length (SAE)	49	63-3/4
Width	3/8	3/8

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ELECTRICAL—SUPPLY SYSTEM

Battery	Make and Model		Auto-Lite, 1H-105-D (a)		
	Voltage Rtg. & Plates/cell		6, 15		
	SAE Designation & Amp Hr. Rtg		1H, 105		
	Location		Under Hood, Left Front		
Terminal grounded		Positive			
Generator	Make		Auto-Lite		
	Model		GGW-6001	GGW-6012-51	
	Type		Shunt Wound		
	Ratio—Gen. to Cr/s rev.		1.96 to 1		
Regulator	Make		Auto-Lite		
	Model		VRP-6004-A		
	Type		Current and Voltage Control		
	Cutout relay	Closing voltage @ generator rpm		6.3 to 6.8 at 960	
		Reverse current to open		4.1 to 4.8	
	Regulated	Voltage		7.1 to 7.4	
		Current		45-57 (b)	
	Min. Gen. rpm required		1000 (Hot)		
	Voltage test conditions	Temperature		70°	
Load		Operated 15 min at 10 amp			
Other		---			

ELECTRICAL—STARTING SYSTEM

Starting motor	Make		Auto-Lite		
	Model		MCH-6205	MCH-6206	
	Rotation (drive end view)		Clockwise		
	Engine cranking speed		35-110 rpm		
	Test conditions		SAE 5W at -20° F and SAE 30 with completely warmed engine		
	Lock test	Amps		335	
		Volts		2.0	
		Torque (lb. ft.)		6.0	6.5
No load test	Amps		65		
	Volts		5.0		
	RPM (min.)		4300		
Motor control	Switch (solenoid, manual)		Bendix (Anti-Kickout)		
	Starting procedure		Turn Ignition Key Beyond "Ignition On" Position		

- (a) Optional with Willard HW-1-105-C.
 (b) High value denotes initial, temporary capacity rating. Bi-metal hinge reduces output to lower value after warm-up period.

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ELECTRICAL—STARTING SYSTEM (cont.)

Motor drive	Engagement type		Bendix
	Pinion meshes (front - rear)		Front
	Number of teeth	Pinion	9
		Flywheel	146
Flywheel tooth face width		.375	

ELECTRICAL—IGNITION SYSTEM

C-1	Make		Auto-Lite	
	Model		CR-6015 C	
	Amps	Engine stopped	5	
Engine idling		2.25		
Distributor	Make		Auto-Lite	
	Model		IAT-4101-B	IAZ-4003-A
	Spark advance data (at distributor shaft)	Centr. adv. nce start (rpm)	0° at 350 to 500	0° at 300 to 420
		Centr. advance max. deg. @ rpm	7° to 9° at 1350	10° to 12° at 1620
		Vacuum advance start (in. Hg.)	1° at 5.5" to 6.5"	
		Vac. adv. (max. deg. @ in. Hg.)	7° to 9° at 14"	10.5° to 12.5° at 17"
	Breaker gap (in.)		.020	.017
	Cam angle (deg.)		36° - 42°	32° - 36° (a)
Breaker arm tension (oz.)		- 17-20		
Timing	C/1 deg. @ rpm		2° BTC at Idle	4° BTC at Idle
	Mark location (x)		Vibration Damper	Fan Drive Pulley
	Cylinder numbering system (see page 2)		---	Left Bank: 1-3-5-7 Right Bank: 2-4-6-8
	Firing order (see page 2)		1-5-3-6-2-4	1-8-4-3-6-5-7-2
Spark plug	Make and model		Auto Lite Resistor 4S-140	
	Thread (mm)		14	
	Tightening torque (lb. ft.)		30-32	
	Gap		.035	
Cable	Conductor type		Stranded Copper	
	Insulation type		Rubber, with Neoprene Jacket	
	Spark plug protector		Rubber Cap Integral with Spark Plug Lead Wire	

ELECTRICAL—SUPPRESSION

Description	Spark Plugs - 10,000 ohm Resistor (Integral) Distributor - 10,000 ohm Resistor (Integral)
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(a) Total for two breakers. Each Breaker 26° - 28°.
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MODEL	D-51	D-52	D-50	D-53
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ELECTRICAL—INSTRUMENTS AND SWITCHES

Speed-ometer	Make	Auto-Lite		
	Trip odometer (yes, no)	No		
Charge Indicator—type		Ammeter		
Temperature indicator—type		Bourdon Tube		
Oil pressure indicator—type		Bourdon Tube		
Fuel Indicator—type		Electric, Magnetic		
Ignition switch	Identify positions in order and circuits controlled	Center.....Off 1st Position Clockwise.....All Circuits On 2nd Position Clockwise.....Starter Only 1st Position Counterclockwise.....Accessory Circuit Only		
	Provision for illumination	Yes		
	Location	Right of Steering Column		
	Theft protection type	None		
Main lighting switch	Identify positions and lights controlled	Left Position.....Off 1st Position Clockwise.....Instruments, Tail and Parking Lamps 2nd Position Clockwise.....Instrument, Head, Tail, and License Lamps		
	Locations and lamps controlled	Rotary, Variable, Left of Steering Column on Instrument Panel - All Instrument Lights Right Front Door Switch, Automatic - Dome Light (a)		
Other light switches		(b)	(c)	(b)
		(d)		
Other switches	Locations and devices controlled	Windshield Wiper Switch, Right of Steering Column on Instrument Panel - Two Speed		
	Make	Auto-Lite or Redmond		
Windshield wiper	Type	Electric		
	Vacuum booster provision	None		
	Washer provision	None		
Horn	Type	Vibrator, Sea Shell		
	Number used	Two		
	Amp draw (each)	15 Amp		

- (a) Quarter Lamps and Map Light on D-53 Only
- (b) Right Rear Door Switch, Automatic - Dome Light
- (c) Left "B" Post Pillor Switch - Dome Light
- (d) Toggle Switch at Rear of Left Door at Garnish Molding - Quarter Lamps

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ELECTRICAL—LAMP BULBS

Give quantity used and trade number, e.g., Headlamp 2-4030. Indicate accessories which are not standard equipment by an asterisk following the numbers.

Headlamp					2-2122				
Headlamp beam indicator					1-55				
Parking light					2-63				
Tail light					2-1154				
Stop light					2-1154				
Direction indicator	Front					2-1154*			
	Rear					2-1154*			
	Tail-Tale					1-55 *			
License plate light					1-63				
Instrument light					2-55				
Ignition lock light					1-51				
Map light	1-88*	1-88	1-88*	1-88					
Dome light					1-88				
Clock light					1-55 *				
Radio dial light					2-44 *				
Glove compartment light					1-55 *				
Courtesy light	---	2-87	---	2-87					
Trunk compartment light					1-81 *				
Other									
Speedometer					1-63				
Back-up					2-1129*				
Under-hood									

ELECTRICAL—FUSE & CIRCUIT BREAKER DATA

Use trade number of fuse, e.g., SFE-10. Indicate circuit breaker by ampere capacity suffixed by letters "C.B.", e.g., 30 C.B. Where fuse or circuit breaker protects multiple circuits indicate first use by a letter and repeat the same letter for all units protected by the same fuse or circuit breaker, e.g., Parking lights SFE-10 (a), Direction indicators same as (a).

Headlamp					30 C.B. (a)			
Headlamp beam indicator					Same as (a)			
Parking light					Same as (a)			
Tail light					Same as (a)			
Stop light					Same as (a)			
Direction indicator					None			
License plate light					Same as (a)			
Instrument light					Same as (a)			
Ignition light					Same as (a)			
Map light					Same as (a)			
Dome light					Same as (a)			
Clock					SFE-3			
Clock light					Same as (a)			
Radio					SFE-14			
Glove compartment light					Same as (a)			
Courtesy light					---			
Trunk compartment light					Same as (a)			
Other								
Back-up Light					Same as (a)			
Windshield Wiper					10 C.B.			

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MODEL	D-51-1	D-51-2	D-52
			D-50-1
			D-50-2, D-50-3 D-53-2, D-53-3

DRIVE UNITS—CLUTCH (PEDAL OPERATED)

Make		Borg and Beck		
Type (dry or wet plate)		Dry		
In combination with fluid coupling (yes, no)		No		
Semi-centrifugal (yes, no)		No		
Type pressure plate springs		Coil		
Total plate pressure (lb.)		1335	1505	
No. of clutch driven discs		One		
Clutch facing	Material	Molded Woven Asbestos		
	Inside diameter	7	6	
	Outside diameter	10		
	Total eff. area (sq. in.)	80	100.5	
	Thickness	.125		
	Number required	Two		
	Engagement cushioning method	Springs, Flat Crimped		
	Release bearing	Type	Ball	
		Method of lubrication	Sealed-in	
	Torsional damping	Method (springs, other)	Coil Springs	
Frict. mat.		---		

DRIVE UNITS—TRANSMISSIONS

Conventional (std. or opt.)	Standard			
Conventional with overdrive (std. or opt.)	Optional			
Automatic (std. or opt.)	Optional (a)	Optional (b)	None	Optional (a) Optional (b)

DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION

Number of forward speeds		3
Transmission ratios	In first	2.57
	In second	1.83
	In third	1.00
	In fourth	---
	In reverse	3.48
Constant mesh gears in 2nd (yes, no)		Yes
Spur gear used in (indicate speeds)		None
Helical gears used in (indicate speeds)		All Speeds
Synchronous meshing in 2nd and 3rd gears (yes, no)		Yes

- (a) Gyro-Matic or PowerFlite
- (b) PowerFlite

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DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION (cont.)

Lubricant	Capacity (pt.)		2-3/4
	Type recommended		Engine Oil
	SAE viscosity number	Summer	SAE LOW
		Winter	SAE LOW
Extreme cold		SAE LOW (x)	

DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION WITH OVERDRIVE

For transmission data see conventional transmission section

Overdrive	Type (planetary or other)		Planetary		
	If planetary, No. of pinions		Three		
	Manual lockout (yes, no)		Yes		
	Downshift accelerator control (yes, no)		Yes		
	Minimum cut-in speed		25	26	
	Gear ratio		0.7		
	Lubricant	Capacity (O.D. only)		3/4 Pt.	
		Separate filter (yes, no)		No	
		Type recommended		Engine Oil	
		SAE viscosity number	Summer	SAE LOW	
Winter			SAE LOW		
Ext. cold	SAE LOW				

DRIVE UNITS—AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION (a)

Trade name	Gyro-Matic (a)	PowerFlite (a)
Type (fluid coupling with gears, torque converter with gears, other)	Fluid Coupling with Countershaft Transmission	Torque Converter with Planetary Gears
Manual selector positions, left to right (show symbols and define, e.g., N- Neutral)	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Reverse</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px; margin: 0 auto;"></div> <div style="text-align: center;">Drive</div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Low Range</div> <div style="text-align: center;">Neutral</div> <div style="text-align: center;">Range</div> </div>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Reverse</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px; margin: 0 auto;"></div> <div style="text-align: center;">Low</div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Neutral</div> <div style="text-align: center;">Drive</div> </div>
List gear ratios in each drive position (range)	R -3.99 L - 1st.....3.57 - 2nd.....2.04 Dr - 3rd.....1.75 - 4th.....1.00	R -2.39 N -Neutral D - Start.....1.72 - Drive.....1.00 L -1.72
Shifting within drive position range by accelerator control and speed limiting governor (yes, no)	Yes	
By governor—forced shift (yes, no)	Yes	
Downshift of gears in high range possible up to (mph)	40	55

- (a) Gyro-Matic is available on the Meadowbrook D-51-1 only. (x)
 PowerFlite is available on all models except the D-52 Suburban and Sierra.
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		2-Door	4-Door	

DRIVE UNITS—AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION (cont.)

Torque converter	Number of elements		Four				
	Max. ratio at stall at engine rpm		Stalled Ratio 2.6:1				
			Stalled Speed 1340		Stalled Speed 1455		
	Mechanical lockup	Provided (yes, no)	No				
		Speed range	---				
		Releases at (speed range, mph)	---				
Type of cooling (forced air, oil cooler and type, other)		Air Cooled					
Anti-creep device (yes, no)		No					
Lubricant	Capacity—refill (pt.)	(x)	(b)	20			
	Type recommended	(x)	(b)	Automatic Transmission Type "A"			
	Grade	Summer	(x)	(b)	Automatic Transmission Fluid, Type "A"		
		Winter	(x)	(b)	Automatic Transmission Fluid, Type "A"		
		Extreme cold	(x)	(b)	Automatic Transmission Fluid, Type "A"		

DRIVE UNITS—PROPELLER SHAFT

Number used		One					
Type (exposed, torque tube)		Exposed					
Outer diameter x length* x wall thickness	Conventional trans.	3 x 58	2.5 x 53.938	3 x 58.938	3 x 58	2.75 x 52.875	
	Overdrive trans.	3 x 58	2.5 x 53.938	3 x 58.938	3 x 58	2.75 x 52.875	
	Automatic trans.	3 x 58	2.75 x 48.812	2.5 x 53.812	3 x 58	2.75 x 52.875	
Intermediate bearing	Type (plain, anti-friction)	None					
	Lubri. (fitting, prepack)	---					
Universal joints	Make	---					
	Number used	Two					
	Type (ball and trunnion, cross, other)	Ball and Trunnion					
	Bearing	Type (plain, anti-friction)	Anti-Friction				
		Lubric. (fitting, prepack)	Prepack				
Drive taken through (torque tube or arms, spring)		Rear Springs					
Torque taken through (torque tube or arms, springs)		Rear Springs					

*Centerline to centerline of joints or centerline of rear attachment point.

- (a) Wall thicknesses of all propeller shafts are .065".
- (b) The information indicated is for the PowerFlite only. The capacity of the Gyro-Matic is 3 pints and uses SAE 10W for all temperature ranges.
- (x) Revised: 1-26-54

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DRIVE UNITS—REAR AXLE

Type (semi-floating, other)		Semi-Floating					
Gear type (hypoid, other)		Hypoid					
Gear ratio and No. of teeth.	Conventional trans.	3.9 (39-10)			3.73 (41-11)	3.9 (39-10)	
	Overdrive trans.	4.3 (43-10)			4.1 (41-10)		
	Automatic trans.	3.73 (41-11) (a)	3.73 (41-11)		3.54 (39-11)		
Pinion adjustment (shim, other)		Solid Shim					
Pinion bearing adj. (shim, other)		Shims					
Lubricant	Capacity (pt.)	3-1/4					
	Type recommended	EP Hypoid Gear Lubricant					
	SAE viscosity number	Summer	SAE 90				
		Winter	SAE 90				
Extreme cold		SAE 80					

DRIVE UNITS—WHEELS

Type (disc, other)		Disc				
Rim (size and flange type)		15x4-1/2K	15x 5 K	15x4-1/2K(b)	15 x 5 K	
Attachment	Type (bolt or stud)	Stud				
	Circle diameter	4-1/2				
	Number and size	5, 1/2 - 20 Am Nat Thd				

DRIVE UNITS—TIRES

Size and ply rating	Standard	6.70x15-4	7.10x15-4	6.70x15-4 (b)	7.10 x 15 - 4	
	Optional	6.70x15-6	7.10x15-6	7.10x15-6	7.10 x 15-6	
Rev/mile at 30 mph		748	733	748	733	
Inflation press. (cold)	Front	24				
	Rear	24				

BRAKES—SERVICE

Type		Hydraulic, Internal Expanding Drum				
Booster type		Special equipment				
Effective area (sq. in.)		158(e)	173-1/2	158(b)	173-1/2	
Percent brake effectiveness—rear		40				
Drum	Diameter	Front	10(c)	11	10(b)	11
		Rear	10(c)	11	10(b)	11
	Type and material	Cast Iron				

- (a) This ratio is used with Powerflite transmission only; when Gyro-Matic Transmission is used, the standard rear axle ratio is 3.9:1.
- (x) Revised: 1-26-54
- (b) For 2-Door Suburbans only; specifications for the 4-Door Suburbans are the same as for the D-51-2.
- (c) For club coupe only; D-51-1 4-Door sedan is the same as the D-51-2.

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BRAKES—SERVICE (cont.)

Brake lining	Bonded or riveted		Bonded				
	Primary	Material		Molded Asbestos			
		Size (length x width x thickness)	Front wheel	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200
			Rear wheel	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200
		Segments per shoe		One			
	Secondary	Material		Molded Asbestos			
		Size (length width x thickness)	Front wheel	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200	10.5 x 2 x .200	11.5 x 2 x .200
			Rear wheel	8 x 2 x .200	8.8 x 2 x .200	8 x 2 x .200	8.8 x 2 x .200
		Segments per shoe		One			
	Wheel cylinder bore		1-1/8				
Master cylinder bore		1-1/8					
Available pedal travel		7					
Line pressure at 100 lb. pedal load		817					
Shoe clearance adjustment		.006 (Toe and Heel)					

BRAKES—PARKING

Type of control		T-Handle, Multiple Pawl Ratchet
Location of control		Under Instrument Panel, Left of Steering Column
Operates on		Transmission Drive Shaft
If separate from service brakes	Type (internal or external)	External (a)
	Drum diameter	6 (a)
	Lining size (length x width x thickness)	15-3/8 x 2 x 5/32 (a)

FRAME

Type and description	Welded, Double Channel Box Section Side Rails with Lateral Cross Members
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FRONT SUSPENSION

Type and description	Independent, Lateral Non-Parallel Control with Coil Springs
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(a) When Gyro-Matic or PowerFlite is used, an internal type brake with 7" drum is used; lining size: 13-1/16 x 2 x 5/32.

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FRONT SUSPENSION (cont.)

Spring	Type	Coil		
	Material	Steel		
	Size (length x width x No. leaves or coil I.D.)	4		
	Spring rate (lb. per in.)	415	385	445
	Rate at wheel (lb. per in.)	N/A		
	Normal load (lb. @ rated length)	(a)		
Shock absorbers	Manufacturer	Own		
	Type (direct or lever)	Direct		
	Piston diameter	1		
Stabilizer	Type (link, linkless, frameless)	Linkless		
	Material	Steel		

STEERING

Type used (Standard or optional)	Mechanical	Standard			
	Power	Optional			
Wheel diameter		18			
Turning diameter	Outside front	Wall to wall (r. & l.)	44 1/2"	42 - 3"	44 1/2"
		Curb to curb (r. & l.)	41 1/2"	39 1/2"	41 1/2"
	Inside rear	Wall to wall (r. & l.)	N/A		
		Curb to curb (r. & l.)	N/A		
Inside wheel angle with outside wheel at 20°		18-3/4°			

Mechanical	Gear	Type	Worm and Two-Tooth Roller			
		Make	Gemmer			
		Ratios	Gear	18.2		
			Overall	21.5	22.2	
No. wheel turns		4 Minimum				

Power	Type	Link			
	Make	Monroe	Ross		
	Trade name		Full-Time Power Steering		
	Gear	Type	Worm and Roller		
		Ratios	Gear	18.7	
			Overall	20.4	
	Pump driven by		Generator		
	Overall torque ratio		N/A		
Number wheel turns		4 Minimum			

Liftage	Type	Direct, Long and Short Tie Rods	Idler Arm, Intermediate Rod, Equal Length Tie Rods	
	Location (front or rear of wheels)	Rear		
	Drag link (trans. or long)	None	Transverse	
Tie rods (one or two)		Two		

(a)	MODEL	LOAD			Height	MODEL	LOAD			Height
		Right	Left	Height			Right	Left	Height	
	D-51	1850	1925	11.00		D-53-1, D-53-3	2000	2085	11.00	
	D-52 4-Dr	1850	1925	11.00		D-53-2 2-Dr	2000	2085	11.00	
	D-52 2-Dr	1735	1800	8.75		D-50, D-53-2 4-Dr	2085	2170	11.00	

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	2-Door	4-Door		

STEERING (cont.)

Kingpin	Inclination at camber (deg.)	5-1/2 at 0° (x)			
	Diameter	.7953			
	Bearings (type)	Upper	Roller		
		Lower	Steel-backed Lead Bronze		
	Thrust	Ball			
Wheel alignment (range and preferred)	Caster (deg.)	-1° to +1°, 0° Preferred			
	Camber (deg.)	-3/8° to +3/8° (a)			
	Toe-in (outside tread-inches)	0-1/16", 0 Preferred			
Steering knuckle type		Reverse Elliott			
Wheel spindle	Diameter	Inner bearing	1.25		
		Outer bearing	.75		
	Thread size		3/4 - 16 Am Nat Thd		
	Bearing type		Tapered Roller		

REAR SUSPENSION

Type		Non-Parallel, Longitudinal Leaf				
Drive and torq. taken through (see page 14)		Rear Springs				
Spring	Type	Semi-Elliptic				
	Material	Steel				
	Size (length x width x No. leaves or coil I.D.)	53-5/8 x 2 x 5	53-5/8 x 2 x 7	53-5/8 x 2 x 6		
	Spring rate (lb. per in.)	95	120	95 90		
	Rate at wheel (lb. per in.)					
	Normal load (lb. at rated length)	(b)				
	Mounting insulation type		Rubber Bushing			
	If leaf	No. of leaves	5	7	6	
		Covers (yes, no)	No		Yes	
		Lubricated (yes, no)	No		Yes	
		Inserts	Type and size	3-1/2 x 2		---
			Material	Wax Impregnated Fabric		---
	Shackle (comp. or tens.)		Compression			
	Shock absorbers	Manufacturer	Own			
		Type (direct or lever)	Direct			
Piston diameter		1				
Stabilizer	Type (link, linkless, frameless)	Linkless				
	Material	Steel				
Track bar type		None				

(a) Left side to be 1/4° to 1/2° greater than right side within these limits.

	LOAD		
	Right	Left	Opening
D-51	680	720	-3/8
D-52 & D-53-2 2-Dr.	800	800	-3/8
D-52 & D-53-2 4-Dr.	840	840	-3/8

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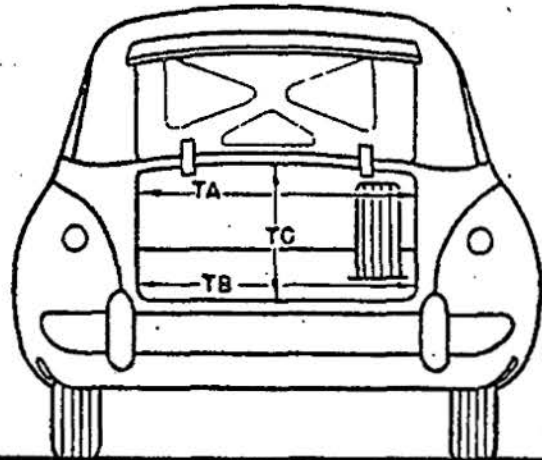
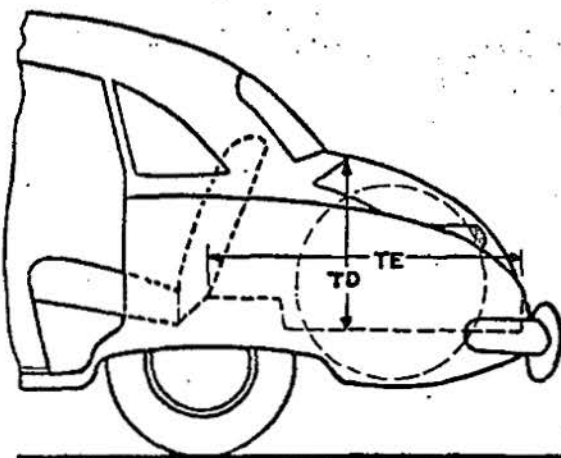
BODY—GENERAL DEFINITIONS

NOTE: Included in the dimension definitions listed on this and the following pages are those which have been proposed for adoption by the SAE. These are indicated by a number following the type of dimension, e.g., L 3. Additional dimensions have been added by the AMA Specifications Body Sub-Committee for inclusion in the Questionnaire. These are shown by an additional letter, e.g., HA. The dimensions are developed from the following basic points:

1. Front and rear seat "A" points are taken 5" forward of vertical tangent to seat back 15" from center of body.
2. Front seat is in the rear position.
3. Loaded position—5 passengers, front 300 lb., rear 450 lb., includes spare wheel, tire and tools, and full complement of gas, oil, water, etc. and tires to recommended pressure, etc.
4. C. L. (centerline).
5. D. L. O. (daylight opening, exposed glass dimension).
6. Ramp breakover angle (page 20-A) is the supplement of the included ramp angle (180° minus the included ramp angle) over which a car can pass without hanging up.

MODEL	(a)	D-51, D-50	D-53 Sport Coupe
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BODY—TRUNK OPENING DIMENSIONS



TA—Width across the top	56-7/8	54-3/8
TB—Width across the bottom	52-7/8	51-3/8
TC—Diagonal dimension at CL from top of opening to bottom	30-1/8	27
TD—Vertical height of opening (floor to top, inside edge of opening)	24	23-3/8
TE—Max. horizontal depth (forward from vertical projection of inside edge of opening)	48-1/2	44-5/8
Position of spare tire stowage	Vertically Inclined, Fore and Aft, At Right	
Method of holding lid open	Spring Counterbalanced	

(a) D-52 and D-53-2 models are Suburbans for which these dimensions are not applicable.

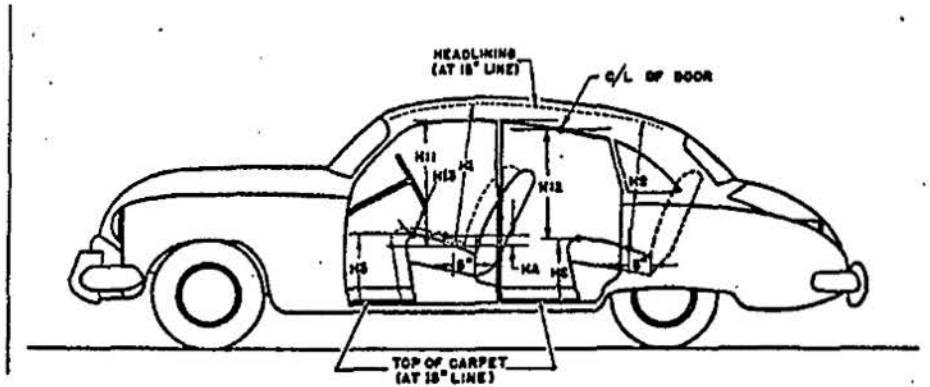
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BODY—HEIGHT DIMENSIONS—INTERIOR



H1. Front headroom—from "A" pt. to headlining at 8° back of vertical on 15" line. (For "A" pt. see note 1, page 19)	36-3/8	37-3/8	36-3/8	35-1/2
H2. Rear headroom—from "A" pt. to headlining at 8° back of vertical on 15" line.	36-3/8	37 (a)	36-3/8	35
H3. Front seat height to floor carpet on 15" line (front edge of cushion).	14-1/4			
H8. Rear seat height to floor carpet on 15" line (front edge of cushion).	13-3/4	14-5/8 (a)	13-3/4	14-1/8
H11. Entrance—front—cushion "A" point to bottom windcord vertical.	30-1/4	---	30-1/4	---
H12. Entrance—rear—top of cushion to bottom windcord vertical at C/L of rear door.	27-1/2	---	27-1/2	---
H13. Steering wheel clearance to seat cushion taken on arc.	6-1/8	6-1/4	6-1/8	6-3/8
HA. Front seat vertical rise at "A" pt. (Inches.)	1-1/8			

(a) These dimensions are for the Suburban and Sierra when equipped with two seats. When the Sierra is equipped with three seats the headroom (H2) for the second seat is 37-3/8 and 33-7/8 for the third seat; the seat height (H8) for the second seat is 14-5/8 and 12-1/4 for the third seat.

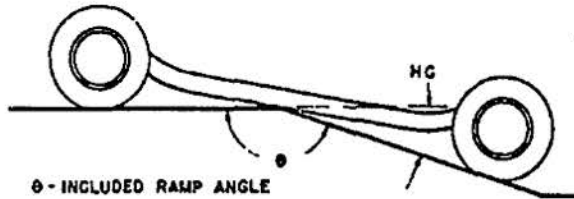
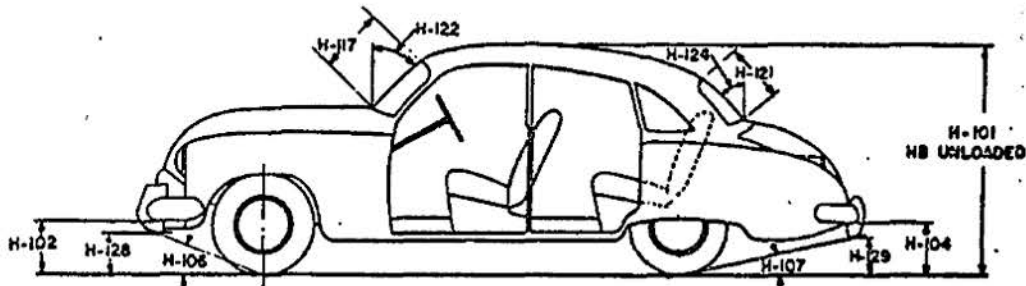
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BODY—HEIGHT DIMENSIONS—EXTERIOR



θ - INCLUDED RAMP ANGLE
 HC - RAMP BREAKOVER ANGLE
 (SUPPLEMENT OF INCLUDED RAMP ANGLE)

H101. Overall height.	62	62-1/8	62	61
HB. Overall height—unloaded.	63-7/8	64.0	64-3/8	64
H102. Front bumper bottom to ground at normal section.	11.45	11.45	11.73	11.64
H104. Rear bumper bottom to ground at normal section.	11.49	11.30	9.96	11.30
H106. Angle of approach—from the tire rolling radius to lowest point on front bumper or guard.	25°		24°	25°
H107. Angle of departure—from the tire rolling radius to lowest point on rear bumper or guard.	15°		16°	15°
HC. Ramp breakover angle.*	165°			164°
H117. Windshield DLO—slant height.	17	16-7/8	17	16-7/8
H121. Backlight DLO*—Max., slant height.	15-1/4	10-7/8	15-1/4	13-3/4
H122. Windshield slope angle to vertical line on car axis.	43	43-1/2	43	43-1/2
H124. Backlight slope angle to vertical line on car axis.	44-1/2		15	44-1/2
H128. Ground to bottom of front bumper guard.	11.51	11.63	11.42	11.63
H129. Ground to bottom of rear bumper guard.	11.85	11.09	10.27	11.09
HD. Min. road clearance (location and dimension).	6-1/2	6-7/8	7.0	6-7/8
HE. Min. road clearance at rear axle.	8	8-1/4	8	8-1/4

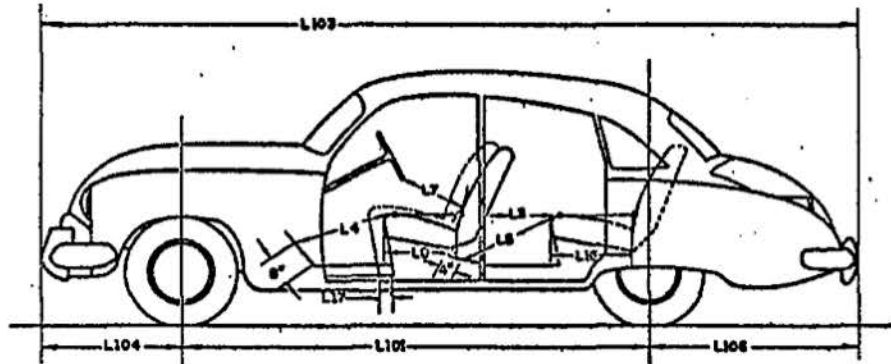
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BODY—LENGTH DIMENSIONS



	L13. Rear compartment back of front seat back to rear seat back.	32-1/2	30	28-7/8
	L14. Leg room—front—diagonal—ball of foot to top of seat to front seat back—15° line.	44	43-3/8	43-7/8
	L15. Leg room—rear—diagonal—from ball of foot to top of rear seat cushion and to seat back.	40-1/2	42-3/8	41-3/8
Interior	L17. Steering wheel clearance to seat back taken on arc.	15-3/8	15-1/8	15-1/2
	L19. Front seat depth (front edge to vert. tan. to seat back on 15° line).	18-1/8	18-3/4	
	L16. Depth of rear seat (front edge to seat back).	18	18-7/8	18
	L17. Total adjustment of front seat at floor.	5		
	L101. Wheel base.	119	111	119
	L103. Overall length (bumper to bumper inc. guards).	205-1/2	190-7/8	195-7/8
Exterior	L104. Overhang—front including bumper guards.	34-5/8	32-5/8	
	L105. Overhang—rear including bumper guards.	51-7/8	44-1/4	49-3/8

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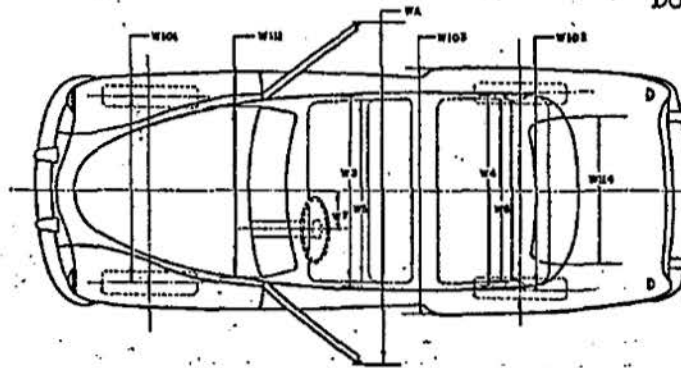
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			2-Door 4-Door

BODY—WIDTH DIMENSIONS

See Page 22A for
Dodge V-8 Dimensions



Interior	W3. Front shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.	57-1/8		56
	W4. Rear shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.			55-1/4
	W5. Front hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	60-5/8		58-1/2
	W6. Rear hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	60-1/2		58-3/8
	W7. Steering wheel center to center of body.	13-1/2		15
Exterior	W101. Front tread at ground.			56-5/16
	W102. Rear tread at ground.			59-1/8
	W103. Max. overall width of car including bumpers or mouldings.	73-1/2		73-1/8
	WA. Max. overall width of car with doors open.	142-3/4		156-7/8
	W111. Windshield DLO, max. width.	55-3/4		54-1/8
	W114. Back window DLO, max. width.	57-1/4		43-5/8

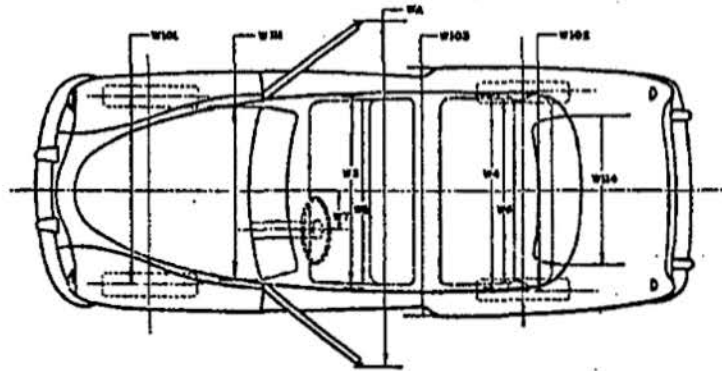
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BODY—WIDTH DIMENSIONS



Interior	W3. Front shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.	57-1/8		53-1/4
	W4. Rear shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.	55-1/4		52-1/4
	W5. Front hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	60-5/8		58-1/2
	W6. Rear hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	60-1/2		58
	W7. Steering wheel center to center of body.		15	
	W101. Front tread at ground.		55-15/16	
	W102. Rear tread at ground.		58-3/4	
Exterior	W103. Max. overall width of car including bumpers or mouldings.	73-1/2	74-1/4	73-1/8 73-7/8
	WA. Max. overall width of car with doors open.	112-3/4		155-1/8
	W111. Windshield DLO, max. width. (x)	55-3/4		54-1/3
	W114. Back window DLO, max. width. (x)	57-1/4		55-3/4

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BODY—MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

D-50-3

Doors hinged (front, rear)	Front Rear	Front Front
Type of finish (lacquer, enamel)		Synthetic Enamel
Hood opening (front, side; semi-full, full, half)		Front Full
Hood counterbalanced (yes no)		Yes
Hood release control (internal, external)		External
Vent window control method (crank, friction, pivot).		Pivot
Windshield (one piece, two piece; curved, flat)		One Piece, Curved
Rear window type (one piece, two piece, three piece; curved, flat)		One Piece, Curved
Windshield glass area		919
Backlight glass area	873	1118 (a)
Total glass area	3018	3669 (a)

BODY—TYPES AND STYLE NAMES

Body type, number of passengers, and style names (use letter code shown below followed by passenger capacity and style name e.g., N-6 Ranchwagon)	B-6	N-6	B-6	J-6	J-6
	Club Coupe	Suburban	Club Coupe	Sport Coupe	Sport Coupe
	G-6	P-6	G-6	L-6	L-6
	4-Dr Sedan	Sierra-2-Seat	4-Dr Sedan	Conv. Coupe	Conv. Coupe
		P-6 Sierra-3-Seat		N-6 Suburban	
				P-6 Sierra 2-Seat	
				P-6 Sierra 3-Seat	

Body type code

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| A—Coupe—2 door flatback
B—Coupe—2 door notchback
C—Sedan—2 door flatback
D—Sedan—2 door notchback
E—Sedan—4 door flatback (4 windows)
F—Sedan—4 door flatback (6 windows)
G—Sedan—4 door notchback (4 windows)
H—Sedan—4 door notchback (6 windows)
J—Hardtop—2 door
K—Hardtop—4 door | L—Convertible—2 door
M—Convertible—4 door
N—Station wagon—2 door
P—Station wagon—4 door
Q—Combined passenger and utility—2 door
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