

**AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION  
CONSOLIDATED SPECIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

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MAKE OF CAR:	DODGE	MODEL NAME	SYMBOL	
COMPANY:	Dodge Division Chrysler Corporation Detroit 31, Michigan	Coronet	- 6 Cyl . . . D-62-1 - 8 Cyl . . . D-63-1 Royal	- 8 Cyl . . . D-63-2
		Custom Royal	- 8 Cyl . . . D-63-3	
MODEL YEAR:	1956	Dodge "500"	- 8 Cyl . . . D-500	

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- NOTES: 1. The specifications set forth herein are those in effect at the date of compilation and are subject to change without notice.  
 2. All specifications are standard for the models under which they are listed unless otherwise indicated.  
 3. All dimensions are nominal engineering dimensions unless otherwise indicated.  
 4. Unless otherwise indicated, specifications apply to 5 or 6 passenger, 4-door sedan or equivalent.

**GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Model	D-62-1	D-63-1	D-63-2	D-63-3	D-500
Wheelbase			120.0		
Tread	Front		58.9		
	Rear		59.2		
Maximum Overall Dimensions	Length (L-103)		212.0		
	Width (W-103)		74.6		
	Height (H-101)	60.3	60.6		60.8
Steering ratio—overall		22.5		27.1	
Turning diameter (curb to curb)		42' 10"		42' 3"	
Shipping weight* (x)	3295	3435	3475	3520	3605
Transmission— (Specify standard, optional, not avail.)	Conventional		Standard		Optional
	Overdrive		Optional		---
	Automatic		Optional		Standard
Axle ratio	Conventional	3.9		3.73	
	Overdrive	4.3		4.1	---
	Automatic	3.73		3.54	3.73
Tire size	6.70x15 (e)	7.10 x 15 (e)	7.60x15(e)	7.60 x 15 (d)(e)	
	Type	In-Line		90° V	
	No. of cylinders	6		8	
	Valve arrangement	"L" Head	Overhead, Lateral		(a)
Engine	Bore and stroke	3.25 x 4.63	3.63x3.256	3.63 x 3.80	
	Piston displacement, cu. in.	230	270	315	
	Standard compression ratio	7.6		8.0	9.25
(x)	Maximum bhp at engine rpm	131 at 3800	189 at 4400	218 at 4400 (b)	260 at 4800 (c)
(x)	Maximum torque at rpm	203 at 2000	266 at 2400	309 at 2000 (b)	330 at 3000 (c)

\*Standard car weight, not including gas and water.

(x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added.

(a) Overhead, Lateral, Double Rocker Arm, Hemispherical

(b) With Power Pack: bhp - 230 at 4400, torque - 316 lb-ft at 2400

(c) Data not available for D-500-1 Package

(d) Tubeless nylon cord tires optional.

(e) Tubeless

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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	(a) Overhead, Lateral	
Bore and stroke		3.25 x 4.63	3.63 x 3.256	3.63 x 3.80
Piston displacement, cu. in.		230	270	315
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	7.6	8.0	9.25
	Optional Head		---	
Cylinders	Head Material	Standard	Cast Iron	
		Optional	---	
	Sleeve—Wet, dry, other, none		None	
Number of mounting points	Front	One	Two	
	Rear	Two	One	
Taxable horsepower	(Dia. <sup>2</sup> x No. Cyl.)	25.4	42.2	
2.5				
Advertised max. brake horsepower at engine RPM*	Standard head (x)	131 at 3800	189 at 4400	218 at 4400(b) 260 at 4800(c)
	Optional head		---	
	With fuel (Octane and method)	Standard Head	98.5 Research 86.5 Motor	
		Optional Head	---	
Max. torque (lb. ft. @ RPM)	Standard head (x)	203 at 2000	266 at 2400	309 at 2000(b) 330 at 3000(c)
	Optional head		---	
Recommended idle speed (neutral)			450 - 500	

## ENGINE—PISTONS

Material	Aluminum Alloy			
Description and finish	U-Slot, Elliptically-Turned, Tin Plated	Thermally controlled by Steel Band, Horizontal Slot, Elliptically-Turned, Tin Plated		
Weight (piston only) oz.	15.8	16.2	17.2	18.0
Clearance	Top land	.030	.030	.031
	Skirt	---	.001	.00075 to .00125
	Top			
	Bottom	.0007		---
Ring groove depth	No. 1 ring	.17	.19	.20
	No. 2 ring	.17	.19	.20
	No. 3 ring	.17	.19	.20
	No. 4 ring	.17		---

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

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(a) Double Rocker Arm, Hemispherical on D-500.

(b) With Power Package: bhp - 230 at 4400, torque - 316 lb-ft at 2400

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## ENGINE—RINGS

<u>Type (top to bottom)</u>	No. 1 oil or comp.	Compression			
	No. 2 oil or comp.	Compression			
	No. 3 oil or comp.	Oil			
	No. 4 oil or comp.	Oil	---		
<u>No. rings above piston pin</u>	Four	Three			
<u>Material</u>	Piston Ring Iron				
<u>Coating</u>	No. 1 - Chromium No. 2 - Tin	Tin			
<u>Width</u>	.093	.078			
<u>Gap</u>	.010 - .020				
<u>Maximum wall thickness</u>	.162	.173	.181		
<u>Material</u>	Piston Ring Iron				
<u>Coating</u>	None				
<u>Width</u>	.155	.186			
<u>Gap</u>	.010 - .020				
<u>Maximum wall thickness</u>	.145				
<u>Location of expanders</u>	None	On Oil Ring			

## ENGINE—PISTON PINS

<u>Material</u>	High Manganese Steel		
<u>Length</u>	2.75	2.89	3.07
<u>Diameter</u>	.859	.922	
<u>Type</u>	Locked in rod, in piston, floating, etc.		
<u>Type</u>	<u>Bushing</u>	<u>In rod or piston</u>	Floating
		<u>Material</u>	Rod
<u>Clearance</u>	<u>In piston</u>		0 to .0005
	<u>In rod</u>		.0001 to .0004 (select)
<u>Direction offset in piston</u>	None	Right - .06	

## ENGINE—CONNECTING RODS

<u>Material</u>	High Manganese Forging Steel		
<u>Weight (oz.)</u>	27.9	21.2	24.0
<u>Length (center to center)</u>	7.81	5.94	6.62
<u>Bearing</u>	Lead Base Babbitt on Steel		
	Removable, Precision		
<u>Effective length</u>	.93	.81	.78
<u>Clearance</u>	.0005 to .0015 Desired		
<u>End play</u>	.006 to .011	.006 - .014 (2 Rods)	

## ENGINE—CRANKSHAFT

<u>Material</u>	Drop Forged Steel		
<u>Weight (lb.)</u>	N/A		

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## ENGINE—CRANKSHAFT (cont.)

<u>Vibration damper type</u>		Rubber-Dynamic	None (a)	Rubber-Dynamic
<u>End thrust taken by bearing (No.)</u>		#4 - Rear	#3 - Center	
<u>Crankshaft end play</u>		.002 - .007		
<u>Main bearing</u>		Lead Base Babbitt on Steel		
		Removable, Precision		
<u>Clearance</u>		.0005 - .0015 Desired		
Journal dia. and bearing effective length	No. 1	2.50 x 1.20	2.38 x .81	2.50 x .81
	No. 2	2.50 x 1.00	2.38 x .81	2.50 x .81
	No. 3	2.50 x 1.00	2.38 x .81	2.50 x .81
	No. 4	2.50 x 1.59	2.38 x .81	2.50 x .81
	No. 5	---	2.38 x 1.53	2.50 x 1.53
	No. 6		---	
	No. 7		---	
<u>Direction offset from cyl. bore</u>		Right	None	
<u>Connecting rod crankpin journal diameter</u>		2.06	1.94	2.25

## ENGINE—CAMSHAFT

<u>Material</u>		Special Cast Iron with Cams, Distributor and Oil Pump Drive Gear cast integrally.				
<u>Bearings</u>	<u>Material</u>		(b) Lead Base Babbitt on Steel			
	<u>Number</u>		4 5			
<u>Type of drive</u>		Gear or chain Chain				
		Crankshaft gear or sprocket material High Manganese Steel				
		Camshaft gear or sprocket material Cast Iron				
<u>Timing chain</u>	<u>Make</u>		Morse Silent			
	<u>No. of links</u>		48 68			
	<u>Width</u>		1.02 1.125			
	<u>Pitch</u>		.50 .375			

## ENGINE—VALVE SYSTEM

<u>Hydraulic lifters (yes, no)</u>		<u>No</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
<u>Special provision for valve rotation (intake, exhaust)</u>		---	Low Friction Lock on Intake and Exhaust	
<u>Rocker ratio</u>		---	1.50 to 1	
<u>Operating tappet clearance (indicate hot or cold)</u>	Intake	.010 Hot	0	.012 Hot
	Exhaust	.010 Hot	0	.022 Hot
<u>Tappet clearance for timing</u>	Intake	.014	Valve Train Solid	
	Exhaust	.014	Valve Train Solid	
<u>Timing marks on fly-wheel, damper, other</u>		on Vibration Damper	on Crankshaft Drive Pulley (c)	on Vibration Damper

(x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added

(a) Rubber-Dynamic type with Power Package

(b) Bearings #1, #2, #3, lead base babbitt on steel; #4 is cast iron

(c) On Vibration Damper with Power Package.

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## **ENGINE—VALVE SYSTEM (cont.)**

<b>Timing</b>	<b>Intake</b>	<b>Opens (°BTC)</b>	12 BTC	14 BTC	11 BTC	12 BTC	
		<b>Closes (°ABC)</b>	44 ABC	50 ABC	53 ABC	60 ABC	
	<b>Exhaust</b>	<b>Opens (°BBC)</b>	50 BBC	52 BBC	49 BBC	54 BBC	
		<b>Closes (°ATC)</b>	6 ATC	12 ATC	15 ATC	18 ATC	
<b>Material</b>		Silicon Chromium Steel					
<b>Overall length</b>		4.84		4.25		4.83	
<b>Actual overall head dia.</b>		1.53		1.72		1.87	
<b>Angle of seat</b>				45°			
<b>Seat insert material</b>				---			
<b>Stem diameter</b>		.34		.37			
<b>Stem to guide clearance</b>				.002			
<b>Lift</b>		.379		.360 (x)		.400	
<b>Intake</b>	Outer spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	42 at 1.75		53 at 1.69	61.5 at 1.66	
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	115 at 1.38		140 at 1.31	158.5 at 1.22	
	Inner spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)		---		28 at 1.53	
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)		---		66.5 at 1.09	
<b>Material</b>		XCR Chromium Nickel Steel					
<b>Overall length</b>		4.78		4.20		4.85	
<b>Actual overall head dia.</b>		1.41		1.47		1.53	
<b>Angle of seat</b>				45°			
<b>Seat insert material</b>		Alloy Cast Iron		---			
<b>Stem diameter</b>		.34		.37			
<b>Stem to guide clearance</b>		.004		.003			
<b>Lift</b>		.365		.360 (x)		.409	
<b>Exhaust</b>	Outer spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)	42 at 1.75		53 at 1.69	61.5 at 1.66	
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)	115 at 1.38		140 at 1.31	158.5 at 1.22	
	Inner spring press. and length	Valve closed (lb. @ in.)		---		28 at 1.53	
		Valve open (lb. @ in.)		---		66.5 at 1.09	

## **ENGINE—LUBRICATION SYSTEM**

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

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## ENGINE—LUBRICATION SYSTEM (cont.)

Oil pump type	Rotary			
Normal oil pressure (lb. @ rpm)	40-45 at 1500      50 to 65 at 1500			
Oil pressure gage type (electric or mechanical)	Mechanical			
Type oil intake (floating, stationary)	Floating			
Oil filter type (full flow, partial flow)	By-Pass Type Replaceable Element		Shunt Type Replaceable Element	
Capacity of crankcase, less filter—refill (qt.)	Five			
Oil grade recommended (SAE viscosity and temperature range)	Not Lower than +32° F.      SAE 30 As Low As +10° F.      SAE 20W As Low As -10° F.      SAE 10W Below -10° F.      SAE 5W			
Oil type recommended	Per A.P.I. Classification			

## ENGINE—FUEL SYSTEM

Recommended fuel	Standard head	Regular	Premium
	Optional head	---	---
Fuel Tank	Capacity (gals.)	17	17 (c)
	Filler Location	Right Rear Fender	
Fuel Filter	Type	Oilite	Oilite - Ceramic
	Location	Fuel Tank	Fuel Tank - Carburetor
	Type (elec. or mech.)	Mechanical	
Fuel pump	Location	Right Front of Engine	
	Pressure range	4.0 to 5.5	5.0 to 6.5
	Vacuum booster (std., opt., none)	None	
	Make	Stromberg	Stromberg (a)
	Model number	WW3-124	WW3-135      WW3-138 (a)      WCFB-2443-SA (d)
CARBURETOR	Number used	One	One (d)
	Type	Downdraft	
	Downdraft, side Inlet, other		
	Single or, dual	Dual	4-Barrel
	Intake manifold heat control (manual, auto., none)	Automatic	
	Automatic choke type (integral, other)	Integral	
AIR CLEANER	Standard type	Oil Bath	Paper Element
	Optional	None	

## ENGINE—EXHAUST SYSTEM

Type (single, single with cross-over, dual, other)	Single	Single with Crossover (b)	Dual
Muffler type (rev. flow, str. thru, sep.resonator)	Reverse Flow		
Exhaust pipe dia.	Branch	---	1-7/8
	Main	2	2-1/4
TAIL PIPE DIAMETER		1-3/4	2

(x) Revised: 2-15-56; D-500 added. (a) With Special Equipment Power Package: Carter 4-Barrel, Model WCFB 2303-S Carburetor. (b) Dual Exhaust System as Special Equipment. (c) 20 gal. tank optional. (d) D-500-1 Package uses two 4-Barrel Carter Carburetors: models WCFB-2476-S (front) and WCFB-2445-S (rear). (e) D-500-1 Package: - 2-1/2"

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<b>ENGINE-COOLING SYSTEM (A)</b>							
Type (pressure system, atmospheric, other)	Pressure-Vent						
Radiator cap relief valve press.	7		14				
Circulation thermostat	Type (choke, bypass)	Choke, Bellows		Choke, Pellet			
	Starts to open at	$155^{\circ} - 160^{\circ}$		$157^{\circ} - 162^{\circ}$			
Water pump	Type (centrifugal, other)	Centrifugal					
	Number of pumps	One					
	Drive (V-belt, other)	V-Belt					
	Bearing type	Bushing	Sealed Ball Bearing				
By-pass recirculation type (internal, external)							
Radiator core type (cellular, tube and fin)	Cellular		Cellular or Fin & Tube	Fin & Tube or Cellular Tubular	Fin & Tube		
Cooling system capacity	With heater (qt.)	14	20	21			
	Without heater (qt.)	13	19	20			
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)	One, Molded				
		Inside diameter and length	1.5, Curved				
	Upper	Number and type (molded, straight)	One, Molded				
		Inside diameter and length	1.8, Curved				
Drive belts	Fan	Number and type (molded, straight)	None				
		Inside diameter and length	---				
		Number used	One (a)				
	Generator	Angle of V	$360^{\circ} 30'$				
		Outside length	49.00	57.50	60.00(a)		
		Width	.380				
	Fan	Angle of V	$360^{\circ} 30'$				
		Outside length	---	---	---(b)		
		Width	.380				
Fan	Number of blades and spacing		Six - $60^{\circ}$ $45^{\circ}, 75^{\circ}$	Four - $76^{\circ}$ $104^{\circ}$	Four - $76^{\circ}$ $104^{\circ}$ (c)		
	Diameter		17	18	18		
	Ratio-fan to crankshaft revolutions		.90	.95			
	Bearing type		See Water Pump				

(x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added

(A) With Air Conditioning (D-63-2 and 3 only) the following data apply:

{a} 37.25" {b} 77.25"

{c} Six - 60 , 45 , 75

{d}

Three drive belts (with Power Steering only, two drive belts; with Power Steering and Air Conditioning, three drive belts).

(B) Shroud added

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## **ELECTRICAL—SUPPLY SYSTEM**

<b>Battery</b>	Make and Model	Autolite 11-HS-60 or Willard HO-11-60 (b)		
	Voltage Rig. & Plates/cell	12 V., 9		
	SAE Designation & Amp Hr. Rig	2 SM-50		
	Location	Under Hood, Left Side		
<b>Generator</b>	Terminal grounded	Negative		
	Make	Autolite		
	Model	GJC-7002	GJC-7001	
	Type	Shunt Wound		
<b>Ratio—Gen. to Cr/s rev.</b>		1.96		
<b>Regulator</b>	Make	Autolite		
	Model	VRX-6201-A		
	Type	Current and Voltage Control		
	Cutoff relay	Closing voltage @ generator rpm	13.0 - 13.8 at 1300	
	Reverse current to open (x)	Contact opens at 0.6 amp. discharge at 8.2 to 9.3 volts after 10 amp. charge		
<b>Regulated</b>	Voltage	14.28 - 14.88		
	Current	30 - 40		
<b>Min. Gen. rpm required</b>		1300 for Cut-In; 2300 for Max. (Hot)		
<b>Voltage test conditions</b>	Temperature	70° F.		
	Load	Run 15 min. at 7 amp. - Voltage Regulator Check		
	Other	Additional 15 min. Rated Output for Current Regulator Check		

## **ELECTRICAL—STARTING SYSTEM**

<b>Starting motor</b>	Make	Autolite	
	Model	MDG-6001 (c)   MDF-6002	
	Rotation (drive end view)	Clockwise	
	Engine cranking speed	35 - 150 rpm	
	Test conditions	SAE 5W at -20° F. and SAE 30 with completely warmed engine.	
	Lock test	Amps	210 (c)   240
		Volts	4
		Torque (lb. ft.)	5 (c)   6.5
	No load test	Amps	50 (c)   60
		Volts	10
		RPM (min.)	4400 (c)   3200
<b>Motor control</b>	Switch (solenoid, manual)	Bendix (Anti-Kickout)	
	Starting procedure	Depress accelerator about one-third and turn ignition key beyond "Ignition On" position.	

(x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added

(a) Warm Climate Option (not on cars with Air Conditioning):  
Autolite 11-Ms-45 or Willard MO-11-45, 12 V., 7 plate,  
SAE designation 2 SM, 45 amp. hr.

(b) For warm climates, same battery as D-62 and D-63-1 except for cars with Air Conditioning.

(c) MDF-6002 with Powerflite and/or Power Steering.

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Motor drive	Engagement type	Inertia Follow Through Drive		
	Pinion meshes (front, rear)	Front		
	Number of teeth	Pinion	9	
		Flywheel	116	
	Flywheel tooth face width	.375		

## **ELECTRICAL—IGNITION SYSTEM**

Coil	Make	Auto-Lite			
	Model	CAF-4002	CAD-4003	CAD-4003 (f)	
	Amps	2.4	3.1		
	Engine idling	1.8	2.5		
Distributor	Make	Auto-Lite			
	Model	IAT-4101-B	IBJ-4301-A	IBJ-4303(a)	IBK-4301-A (g)
	Spark advance start (rpm)	350-500	300-400 (g)		
	Centr. advance data (at distributor shaft)	7°-9° at 1350	14°-16° at 2150	15°-17° at 2350 (b)(x)	17°-21° at 2400 (g)
	Vacuum advance start (in. Hg.)	1° at 5.5 to 6.5	1° at 6.5 to 8.0 (c)	0° at 7.0 to 8.0 (g)	
	Vac. adv. (max. deg. @ in. Hg.)	7°-9° at 14	11.5°-13.5° at 16	10°-12° at 15 (d) (x)	10.5°-12.5° at 17 (g)
	Breaker gap (in.)	.020	.017 (g)		
	Cam angle (deg.)	39° ± 3°	29° - 32°	36° - 39° (g)	
Timing	Breaker arm tension (oz.)	17-20 (g)			
	C/S deg. @ rpm	2° BTC	4° BTC	6° BTC	
	Mark location (x)	Vibration Damper	Fan Drive Pulley (e)	Vibration Damper	
	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			
	Thread (mm)	AR 80	AR 52	4S 250	
	Tightening torque (lb. ft.)		14	- 30-32	
Cable	Gap	.035			
	Conductor type	Stranded Copper			
	Insulation type	Rubber with Neoprene Jacket			
	Spark plug protector	Neoprene Cover			

## **ELECTRICAL—SUPPRESSION**

Description	Spark Plugs - 10,000 OHM Resistor (Integral) Distributor - 10,000 OHM Resistor (Integral)
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(x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added.

(a) With Power Package - IBJ-4303-B

(b) With Power Package - 14°-16° at 2375

(c) With Power Package - 2° at 5.5 to 6.5

(d) With Power Package - 7°-9° at 12

(e) With Power Package - Vibration Damper

(f) Use with Ballast PU 4002

(g) Data not available for D-500-1

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## **ELECTRICAL—INSTRUMENTS AND SWITCHES**

<b>Speed- ometer</b>	Make	Autolite	
	Trip odometer (yes, no)	No	
	Charge indicator—type	Ammeter	
	Temperature indicator—type	Electric, Magnetic	
	Oil pressure indicator—type	Bourdon Tube	
Fuel indicator—type		Electric, Magnetic	
<b>Ignition switch</b>	Identify positions in order and cir- cuits controlled	Center Position	- Off
		1st Position Clockwise	- All Circuits on
		2nd Position Clockwise	- Starter and Ignition Circuit Only
		1st Position Counterclockwise-	Accessory Circuit Only
<b>Main light- ing switch</b>	Provision for illumination	Yes	
	Location	Right of Steering Column	
	Theft protection type	None	
<b>Other light switches</b>	Identify positions and lights controlled	Left Position	- Off
		1st Position Clockwise	- Instrument, Tail, License Plate, Parking and Ignition Switch Lamps.
<b>Other switches</b>	2nd Position Clockwise	- Instrument, Head, Tail, and License Plate Lamps.	
	Locations and lamps controlled	Instrument Lamp Switch - Left of Steering Column on Instrument Panel concentric with Head Lamp Switch, variable all instruments; Stop Lamp Switch - in Master Cylinder; Dome Lamp - Automatic both right side doors on D-62 and D-63-1. Automatic on all four doors of D-63-2 and 3; Manual switch in lamp; Direction Signal Switch - on steering column below wheel.	
	Locations and de- vices controlled	Windshield Wiper Switch	- Rotary, one speed, on D-62 and D-63-1, variable speed on D-63-2 and 3 and D-500, right of steering column.
		Heater and Defroster Switches	- 2-Speed, left of steering column.
<b>Windshield wiper</b>	Make	Autolite	
	Type	Electric	
	Vacuum booster provision	None	
<b>Horn</b>	Washer provision	None	
	Type	Air Note - Sea Shell	
	Number used	2	
	Amp draw (each)	9	

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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 - 5400	
Headlamp beam indicator		1 - 57	
Parking light		2 - 67	
Tail light		2 - 1034	
Stop light		2 - 1034	
Direction indicator	Front	2 - 1034*	
	Rear	2 - 1034*	
	Tell-Tale	1 - 57*	
License plate light		2 - 67	
Instrument light		4 - 57	
Ignition lock light		1 - 57	
Map light		1 - 1004*	1 - 1004
Dome light		1 - 1004	
Clock light		1 - 57*	
Radio dial light		2 - 47*	
Glove compartment light		1 - 57*	1 - 57
Courtesy light		1 - 1004*	1 - 1004
Trunk compartment light		1 - 1003*	
Other			
Push Button Trans. Control Light		1 - 57*	
Back-Up Light		2 - 1141*	2 - 1141
Underhood Light		1 - 1003*	

## ELECTRICAL—FUSE & CIRCUIT BREAKER DATA

Use trade number of fuse, e.g., SFE-10. Indicate circuit breaker by ampera 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 light: SFE-10 (a), Direction Indicator: same as (a).

Headlamp	15 CB (a)
Headlamp beam indicator	Same as (a)
Parking light	6 CB (b)
Tail light	Same as (b)
Stop light	6 CB (c)
Direction indicator	—
License plate light	Same as (b)
Instrument light	Same as (b)
Ignition light	Same as (b)
Map light	Same as (c)
Dome light	Same as (c)
Clock	Internally Protected
Clock light	Same as (b)
Radio	9 SFE
Glove compartment light	Same as (c)
Courtesy light	Same as (c)
Trunk compartment light	Same as (c)
Other	
Windshield Wiper	15 CB (d)
Back-Up Light	Same as (d)

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## **DRIVE UNITS—CLUTCH (PEDAL OPERATED)**

Make	Borg & Beck or Auburn			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.)	(a)	1962	2016	
No. of clutch driven discs	One			
Clutch facing	Material	Molded, Woven, Asbestos		
	Inside diameter	6	6-1/2	
	Outside diameter	9.25	10.00	11.00
	Total eff. area (sq. in.)	77.80	100.50	123.7
	Thickness	Borg & Beck .125 (b)	.125	
	Number required	Two		
	Engagement cushioning method	Springs, Flat, Crimped		
	Release bearing	Type	Ball	
		Method of lubrication	Sealed	
	Torsional damping	Method (springs, other)	Coil Springs	
		Frict. mat.	---	

## **DRIVE UNITS—TRANSMISSIONS**

Conventional (std. or opt.)	Standard	Optional (c)
Conventional with overdrive (std. or opt.)	Optional	---
Automatic (std. or opt.)	Optional	Standard

## **DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION**

Number of forward speeds	3
Transmission ratios	
In first	2.50
In second	1.68
In third	1.00
In fourth	---
In reverse	3.20
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

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{a} Borg and Beck - 1,389 lbs

Auburn - 1,412 lbs

{b} Auburn - .115"

{c} Heavy Duty transmission used.

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## **DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION (cont.)**

Lubricant	Capacity (pt.)	2-3/4		
	Type recommended	Gear Lubricant		
	SAE vis- cosity number	Summer	80	
		Winter	80	
		Extreme cold	80	

## **DRIVE UNITS—CONVENTIONAL TRANSMISSION WITH OVERDRIVE**

For transmission data see conventional transmission section				
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		---
Overdrive	Capacity (O.D. only)		3/4 Pint	---
	Separate filter (yes, no)		No	---
	Type recommended		Gear Lubricant	---
	SAE vis- cosity number	Summer	80	---
		Winter	80	---
		Ext. cold	80	---

## **DRIVE UNITS—AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION**

Trade name	PowerFlite		
Type (fluid coupling with gears, torque converter with gears, other)	Torque Converter with Gears		
Manual selector positions, left to right (show symbols and define, e.g., N- Neutral)	Neutral  Reverse      Neutral      Drive Low		
List gear ratios in each drive position (range)	R - Reverse - 2.39 N - Neutral - --- D - Drive - 1.72 and 1.00 L - Low - 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)	55		

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## DRIVE UNITS—AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION (cont.)

Torque converter	Number of elements	Three				
	Max. ratio at stall at engine rpm	2.6 at 1330	2.7 at 1670	2.6 at 1630	2.71 at 1850	
	Mechanical lockup	Provided (yes, no)	No			
	Speed range	---				
Type of cooling (forced air, oil cooler and type, other)		Air Cooled				
Anti-creep device (yes, no)		No				
Capacity—refill (pt.)		20 Pints				
Type recommended		Automatic Transmission Fluid, "Type A"				
Lubricant	Grade	Summer	---			
		Winter	---			
		Extreme cold	---			

## DRIVE UNITS—PROPELLER SHAFT

Number used	One					
Type (exposed, torque tube)	Exposed					
Outer diameter x length* x wall thickness	Conventional trans.	3.0 x 59.28 x .065	3.25x59.19x.065	3.25x59.19x.065(a)		
	Overdrive trans.	3.0x59.28x.065	3.5x59.28x.065	3.5x59.19x.065		
	Automatic trans.	3.0x59.28x.065	3.0x59.28x.065	3.25x59.19x.065		
Intermediate bearing	Type (plain, anti-friction)	---				
	Lubri. (fitting, prepack)	---				
Universal joints	Make	Universal Products				
	Number used	2				
	Type (ball and trunnion, cross, other)	Ball and Trunnion	Front: Ball and Trunnion Rear : Cross			
	Bearing	Type (plain, anti-friction)	Anti-Friction			
Drive taken through (torque tube or arms, spring)		Cross-Prepack, Ball and Trunnion - Clean and Repack				
Torque taken through (torque tube or arms, springs)		Rear Springs				
Rear Springs		Rear Springs				

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

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(a) With D-500-1 Package, the following data applies:

8-1/4" Ring Gear - 3.5 x 59.19 x .065

8-3/4" Ring Gear - 3.5 x 59.06 x .065

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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)
	Overdrive trans.	4.3 (43-10)	4.1 (41-10)
	Automatic trans.	3.73 (41-11)	3.54 (39-11)
Pinion adjustment (shim, other)	Solid Shims		
Pinion bearing adj. (shim, other)	Shims		
Lubricant	Capacity (pt.)	3.25	
	Type recommended	Multi-Purpose Hypoid Gear Lubricant	
	SAE vis- cosity number	Summer	SAE 90
		Winter	SAE 90
		Extreme cold	SAE 80

## DRIVE UNITS—WHEELS

Type (disc, other)	Disc		
Rim (size and flange type)	15 x 4.5 K	15 x 5 K	15 x 5.5 K (b)
Attachment	Type (bolt or stud)	Stud	
	Circle diameter	4.5	4.5 (b)
	Number and size	5, 1/2 - 20 Am. Nat. Thd.	5, 1/2-20 Am. Nat. Thd(b)

## DRIVE UNITS—TIRES

Size and ply rating	Standard	6.70x15-4(c)	7.10x15-4(c)	7.60x15-4(c)	7.60x15-4(c)
	Optional	7.10x15-4(c)	7.60x15-4(c)	7.60x15-6(c)	7.60x15-4(Nylon) (c)
Rev/mile at 30 mph		750	739		728
Inflation press. (cold)	Front			24	
	Rear			24	

## BRAKES—SERVICE

Type	Hydraulic, Internal Expanding Drum		
Booster type	Vacuum - Available at extra cost		
Effective area (sq. in.)	173.5		251
Percent brake effectiveness—rear	40		
Drum	Diameter	Front	11
		Rear	11
	Type and material	Composite	
		Centrifuse	

- (x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added.
- (a) D-500-1 Package has Heavy Duty 8-1/4", 4-Pinion Ring Gear with optional ratios of 3.54, 3.73, 3.9, 4.1, 4.3, 4.78; or 8-3/4", 4-Pinion Ring Gear with optional ratios of 3.07, 3.36, 3.54, 3.73, 3.91, 4.1, 4.3, 4.56, 4.78, 4.89.
- (b) D-500-1 Package has wheel with 15 x 6-1/2 L rim, 5.5 circle dia., and 5, 9/16-18 Amer. Nat. Thd. stud
- (c) Tubeless

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## BRAKES—SERVICE (cont.)

Brake lining	Bonded or riveted		Bonded	
	Material		Molded Asbestos	
	Pri-mary	Front wheel	11.5 x 2 x .20	12.57x2.5x.20
		Rear wheel	11.5 x 2 x .20	12.57x2.5x.20
Brake lining	Segments per shoe		One	
	Material		Molded Asbestos	
	Second-ary	Front wheel	11.5 x 2 x .20	12.57x2.5x.20
		Rear wheel	8.8 x 2 x .20	12.57x2.5x.20
Wheel cylinder bore	Segments per shoe		One	
	Front		1.12	
	Rear		1.12	
	Master cylinder bore		1.12	
Available pedal travel		7		
Line pressure at 100 lb. pedal load		750 (a)		750 (b)
Shoe clearance adjustment		.006, Heel and Toe		(c)

## 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 (d)	
	Drum diameter	6 (d)	
	Lining size (length x width x thickness)	15.38 x 2 x .16 (d)	

## FRAME

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

Type and description	Independent, Lateral Non-Parallel Control with Coil Springs.
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- (x) Revised 2-15-56; D-500 added.
- (a) With Power Brakes - 1200 psi.
- (b) With Power Brakes - 1100 psi.
- (c) No major adjustment required.
- (d) With PowerFlite a 7-inch internal parking brake with lining size of 13.06 x 2 x .16 is used.

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## FRONT SUSPENSION (cont.)

Spring	Type	Coil		
	Material	Chrome Steel		
	Size (length x width x No. leaves or coil I.D.)	4" I. D.		
	Spring rate (lb. per in.)	415	445	581-619
	Rate at wheel (lb. per in.)	N/A		
Shock absorbers	Normal load (lb. @ rated length)	Right-1400 at 11" Left -1475 at 11"	Right-1575 at 11" Left -1660 at 11"	Right-1425 at 11" Left -1425 at 11"
	Manufacturer	Own		
	Type (direct or lever)	Direct		
Stabilizer	Piston diameter	One		
	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.)	43' 0"	
	Curb to curb (r. & l.)	42' 10"	42' 3"	
	Inside rear	Wall to wall (r. & l.)	23' 8"	
	Curb to curb (r. & l.)	24' 4"		
	N/A			
Mechanical	Gear	Type	Worm and Three-Tooth Roller	
		Make	Own	
		Ratios	18.2	
		Overall	22.5	27.1
		No. wheel turns	4	5
Power	Gear	Type	Integral "Coaxial"	
		Make	Own	
		Trade name	Full Time Power Steering	
		Type	Rack and Sector and Recirculating Ball Nut	
		Ratios	19.1	16.2
		Overall	20.1	
Linkage	Pump driven by Generator			
	Overall torque ratio N/A			
	Number wheel turns 3.5			
	Type	Direct, Long and Short Tie Rods	Symmetrical Idler Arm, Equal Length Tie Rods	
	Location (front or rear of wheels)	Rear		
	Drag link (trans. or long) Tie rods (one or two)	None	Transverse Two	

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## STEERING (cont.)

Kingpin	Inclination at camber (deg.)	$5\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ at $0^{\circ}$				
	Diameter	.795				
	Bearings (type)	Upper	Roller			
		Lower	Steel Backed, Lead Bronze			
Wheel alignment (range and preferred)	Thrust	Ball				
	Caster (deg.)	$-2^{\circ}$ at $0^{\circ}$ Preferred with Manual Steering $0^{\circ}$ Preferred with Power Steering (a)				
	Camber (deg.)	$1\frac{1}{4}^{\circ} \pm 3/8^{\circ}$ Preferred Left $-1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Right $-0^{\circ}$				
	Toe-in (outside tread-inches)	$1/8"$ Preferred				
Steering knuckle type		Reverse Elliott		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		
Type	Semi-Elliptical		
Material	Steel		
Size (length x width x No. leaves or coil I.D.)	52 x 2.5 x 4	52 x 2-1/2 x 5	52 x 2-1/2 x 6
Spring rate (lb. per in.)	88	90	110
Rate at wheel (lb. per in.)	N/A		
Normal load (lb. at rated length)	680 at $-.38$ Opening	720 at $-.38$ Opening	600 at $-.38$ Opening
Mounting insulation type	Rubber Bushing		
No. of leaves	4	5	6
If leaf	Covers (yes, no)	No	
	Lubricated (yes, no)	No	
Inserts	Type and size	3.5 x 2.5	
	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)	None	
	Material	---	
Track bar type	None		

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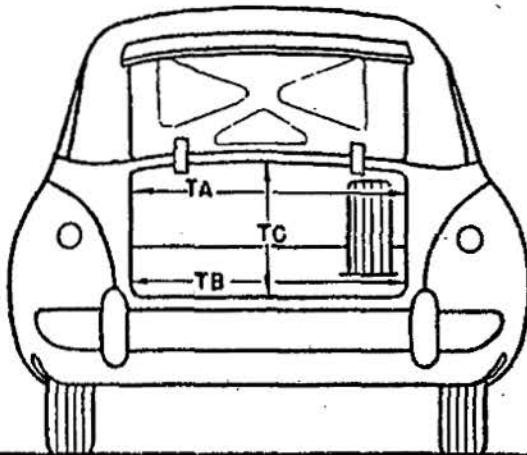
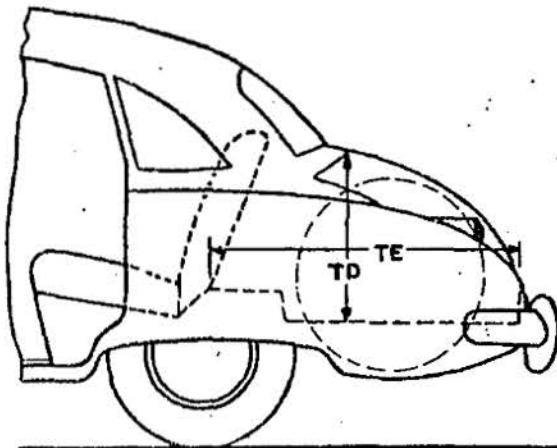
## BODY—GENERAL DEFINITIONS

**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.

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## BODY—TRUNK OPENING DIMENSIONS



TA—Width across the top	58.0	
TB—Width across the bottom	50.5	
TC—Diagonal dimension at CL from top of opening to bottom	36.0	
TD—Vertical height of opening (floor to top, inside edge of opening)	24.0	
TE—Max. horizontal depth (forward from vertical projection of inside edge of opening)	55.0	56
Position of spare tire stowage	Right Hand Side - Inclined	
Method of holding lid open	Torsion Bar	

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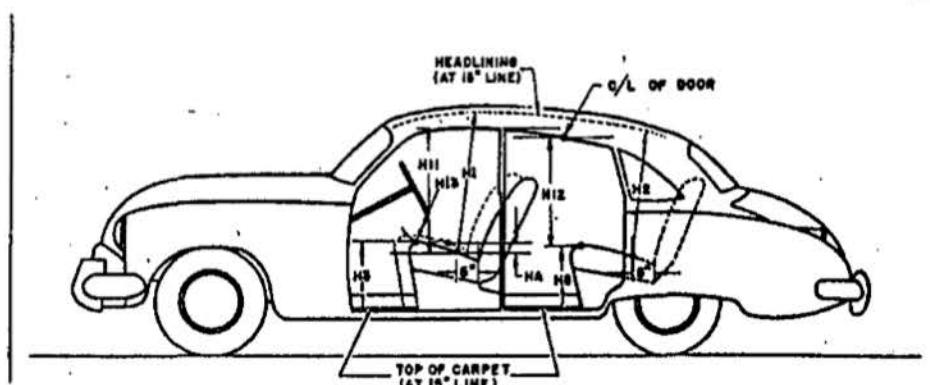
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## **BODY—HEIGHT DIMENSIONS—INTERIOR**



H1. Front headroom—from "A" pt. to headlining at 8° back of vertical on 15° line. (For "A" pt. see note 1, page 19)	35.5	34.7
H2. Rear headroom—from "A" pt. to headlining at 8° back of vertical on 15° line.	34.9	34.4
H3. Front seat height to floor carpet on 15° line (front edge of cushion).	13.4	
H8. Rear seat height to floor carpet on 15° line (front edge of cushion).	12.8	13.0
H11. Entrance—front—cushion "A" point to bottom windcord vertical.	30.0	29.5
H12. Entrance—rear—top of cushion to bottom windcord vertical at C/L of rear door.	28.5	---
H13. Steering wheel clearance to seat cushion taken on arc.	5.4	
HA. Front seat vertical rise at "A" pt. (inches.).	1.1	

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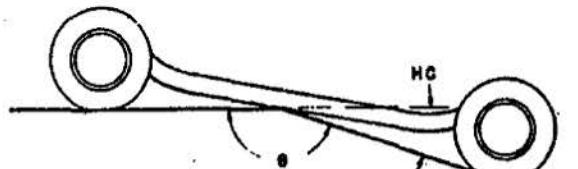
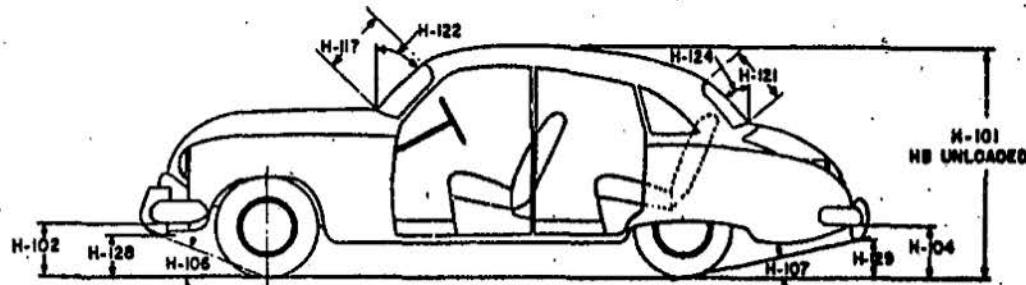
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## BODY—HEIGHT DIMENSIONS—EXTERIOR



**6 - INCLUDED RAMP ANGLE**  
**HC - RAMP BREAKOVER ANGLE**  
 (SUPPLEMENT OF INCLUDED RAMP ANGLE)

H101. Overall height.	60.3	60.6	60.8	59.3
HB. Overall height—unloaded.	62.3	62.5	62.7	60.8
H102. Front bumper bottom to ground at normal section.	12.1	12.4	12.6	11.4
H104. Rear bumper bottom to ground at normal section.	10.8	11.1	11.3	11.6
H106. Angle of approach—from the tire rolling radius to lowest point on front bumper or guard.	17°		18°	
H107. Angle of departure—from the tire rolling radius to lowest point on rear bumper or guard.	11°		12°	
HC. Ramp breakover angle.*	11°		12°	
H117. Windshield DLO-slope height.		16.5°		15.4°
H121. Backlight DLO*—Max., slant height.		18.8°		16.5°
H122. Windshield slope angle to vertical line on car axis.		45-1/2°		
H124. Backlight slope angle to vertical line on car axis.		52°		53°
H128. Ground to bottom of front bumper guard.	12.0	12.3	12.5	10.1
H129. Ground to bottom of rear bumper guard.	11.4	11.7	11.9	10.7
HD. Min. road clearance (location and dimension).	5.0 at Oil Pan	5.5 at Oil Pan	5.7 at Oil Pan	4.8 at Oil Pan
HE. Min. road clearance at rear axle.	8.0	8.2	8.4	7.7

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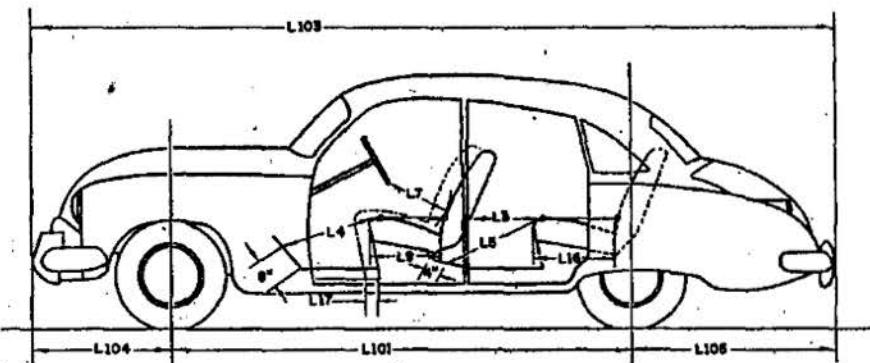
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## BODY—LENGTH DIMENSIONS



L3. Rear compartment back of front seat back to rear seat back.	31.2	29.6
L4. Leg room—front—diagonal—ball of foot to top of seat to front seat back—15" line.	44.5	
L5. Leg room—rear—diagonal—from ball of foot to top of rear seat cushion and to seat back.	45.0	43.7
Interior		
L7. Steering wheel clearance to seat back taken on arc.	14.8	
L9. Front seat depth (front edge to vert. tan. to seat back on 15" line).	18.0	
L16. Depth of rear seat (front edge to seat back).	17.7	
L17. Total adjustment of front seat at floor.	5.0	
Exterior		
L101. Wheel base..	120	
L103. Overall length (bumper to bumper inc. guards).	212.0	
L104. Overhang—front including bumper guards.	38.7	
L105. Overhang—rear including bumper guards.	53.3	

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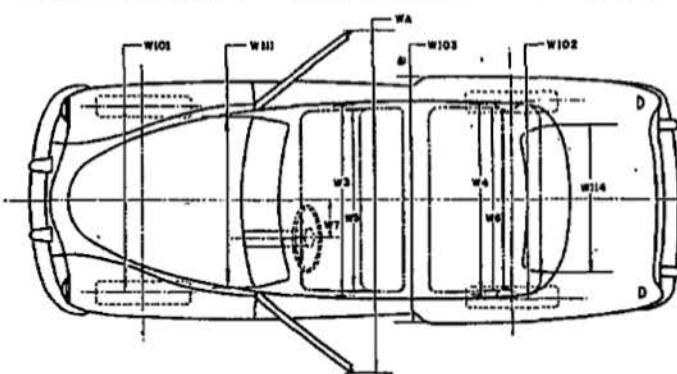
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## **BODY—WIDTH DIMENSIONS**



Interior	W3. Front shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.	58.0	57.0
	W4. Rear shoulder room, at garnish moulding height or nearest interference 5" forward of seat back.	57.8	56.5
	W5. Front hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	62.5	
	W6. Rear hip room, at top of seat 5" forward of vert. tan. to seat back.	62.8	51.5
	W7. Steering wheel center to center of body.	15.0	
Exterior	W101. Front tread at ground.	58.9	
	W102. Rear tread at ground.	59.2	
	W103. Max. overall width of car including bumpers or mouldings.	74.6	
	WA. Max. overall width of car with doors open.	151.4	165.8
	W111. Windshield DLO, max. width.	59.5	
	W114. Back window DLO, max. width.	58.5	60.0

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## BODY—MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

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	1063	1000
Backlight glass area	1134	1154
Total glass area	3452	3475

## 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)	G-6 4-Dr Sd	N-6, 2-Dr Cust. Sub.	G-6 4-Dr Sd	G-6 4-Dr Sd	G-6 4-Dr Sd	D-6 2-Dr Sd
	D-6 2-Dr Sd	---	D-6 2-Dr Sd	J-6 Lancer	J-6 Lancer	J-6 2-Dr HT
	N-6 Del. Sub	---	K-6, 4-Dr Lancer	K-6, 4-Dr Lancer	K-6, 4-Dr Lancer	L-6 Conv.
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### Body type code

- 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
- R—Combined passenger and utility—4 door
- S—Sedan delivery
- T—Limousine

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