



2008 Audi A8

2008 Audi S8

Quick Reference Guide



Fuel filler flap

Opening:

Press the  button in the driver's door.

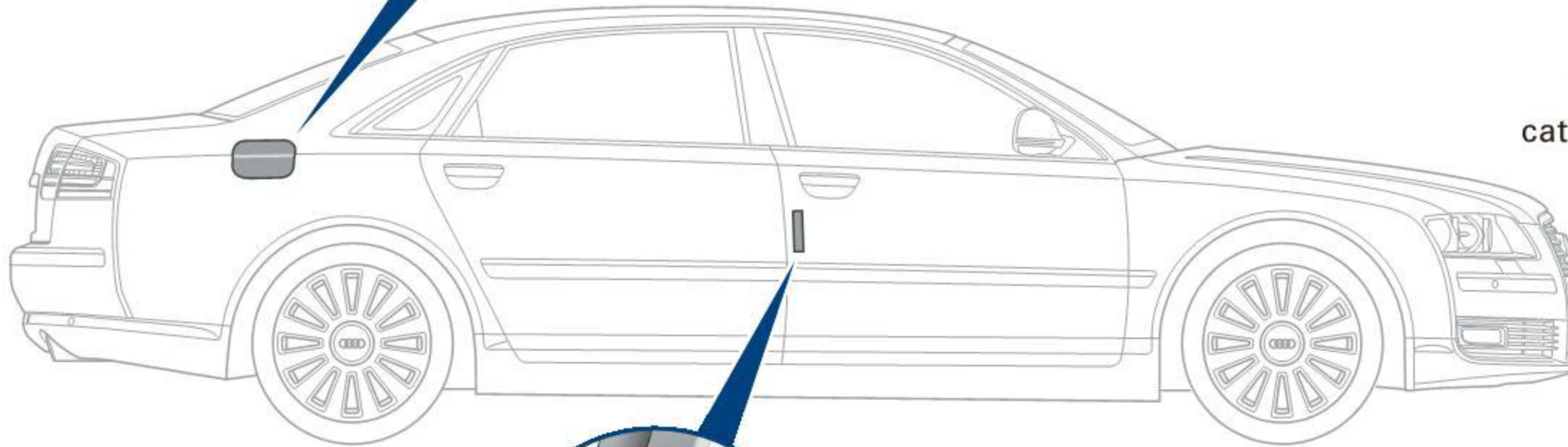
Closing:

Press the fuel filler flap in until it latches.



Fuel

(see label)



Engine oil

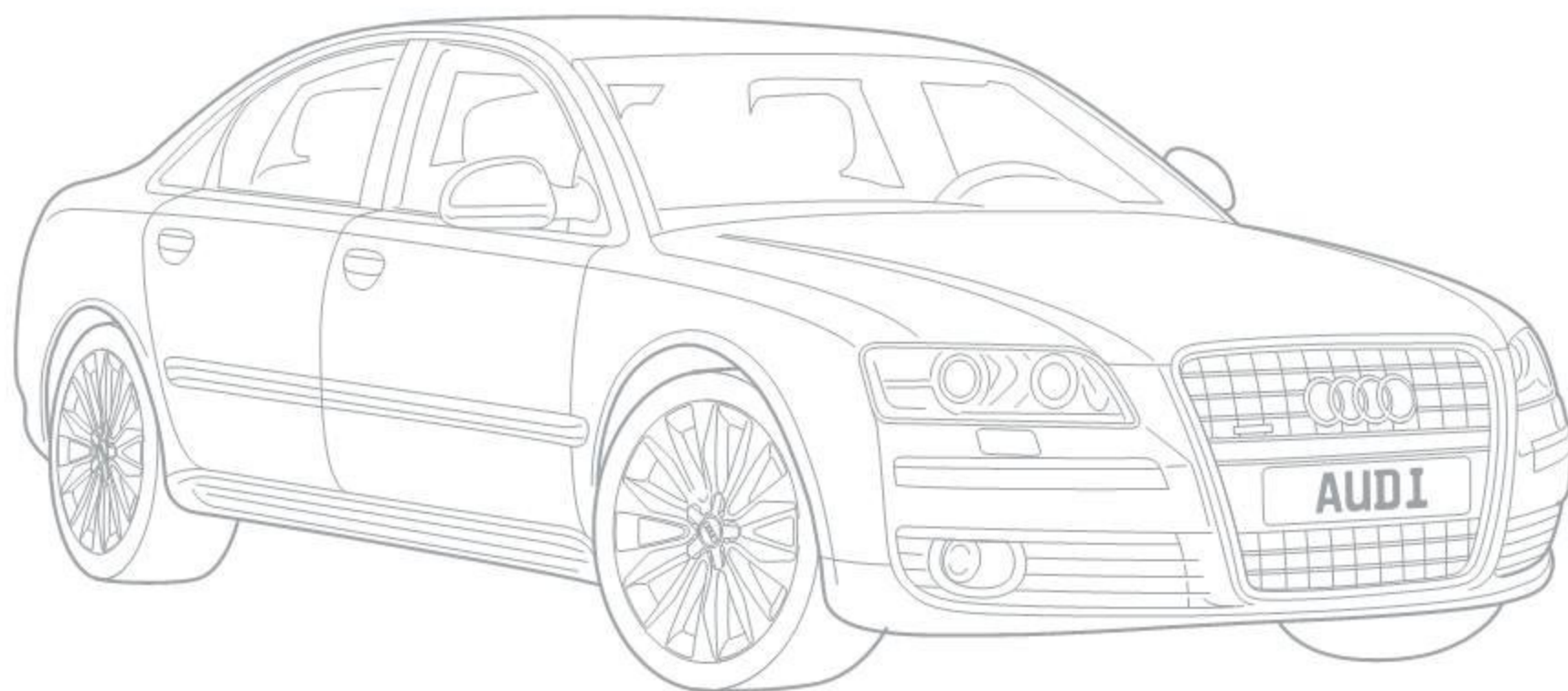
The engine oil specification is in the "Checking and filling" chapter and the engine oil capacity is in the "Data" chapter.



Tire pressures

(driver's side B-pillar)

Visible when the door is open or inside the fuel filler flap.



Dear driver,

This Quick Reference Guide provides you with a brief overview of selected procedures and functions in your vehicle. It does not replace the owner's manual with its important explanations and warnings.

The owner's manual provides detailed information about your vehicle. You can find information on the radio, CD player, navigation system, and telephone in the Infotainment/MMI owner's manual.

We hope you enjoy driving your new Audi and we wish you safe and pleasant motoring.

Sincerely, AUDI AG

Welcome

Cockpit

1 Data Link Connector for On Board Diagnostics (OBD II)

2 Hood release

3 Memory seat button

4 Release buttons for:



Front compartment lid



Fuel filler flap

5 Power windows

Setting the desired position:

Press/pull as far as the first level and hold.

Automatic up/down function:

Briefly press/pull as far as the second level.

WARNING

Be careful when closing the windows. Check to see that no one is in the way, or serious personal injury could result.

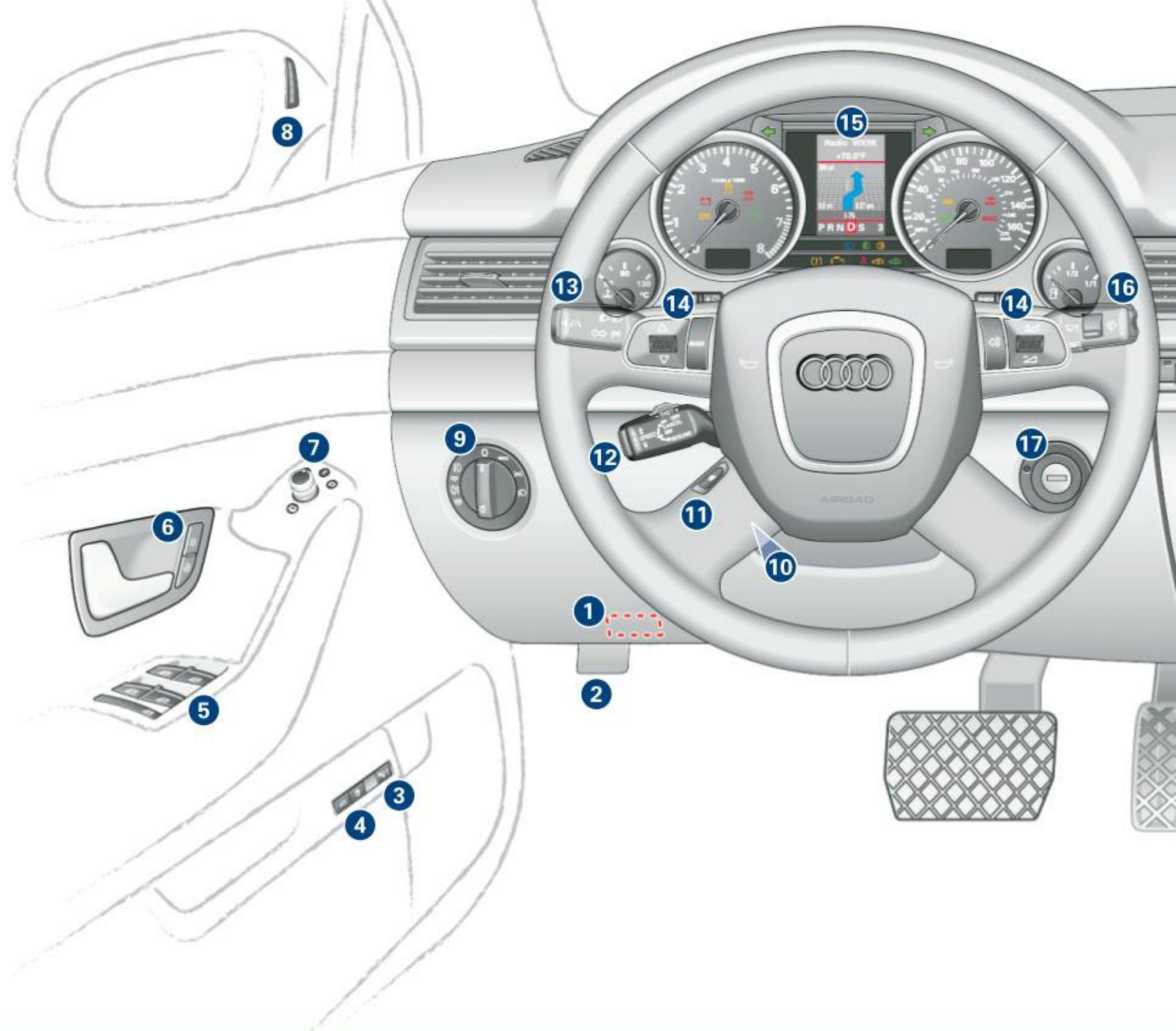
6 Door handle and central locking switch

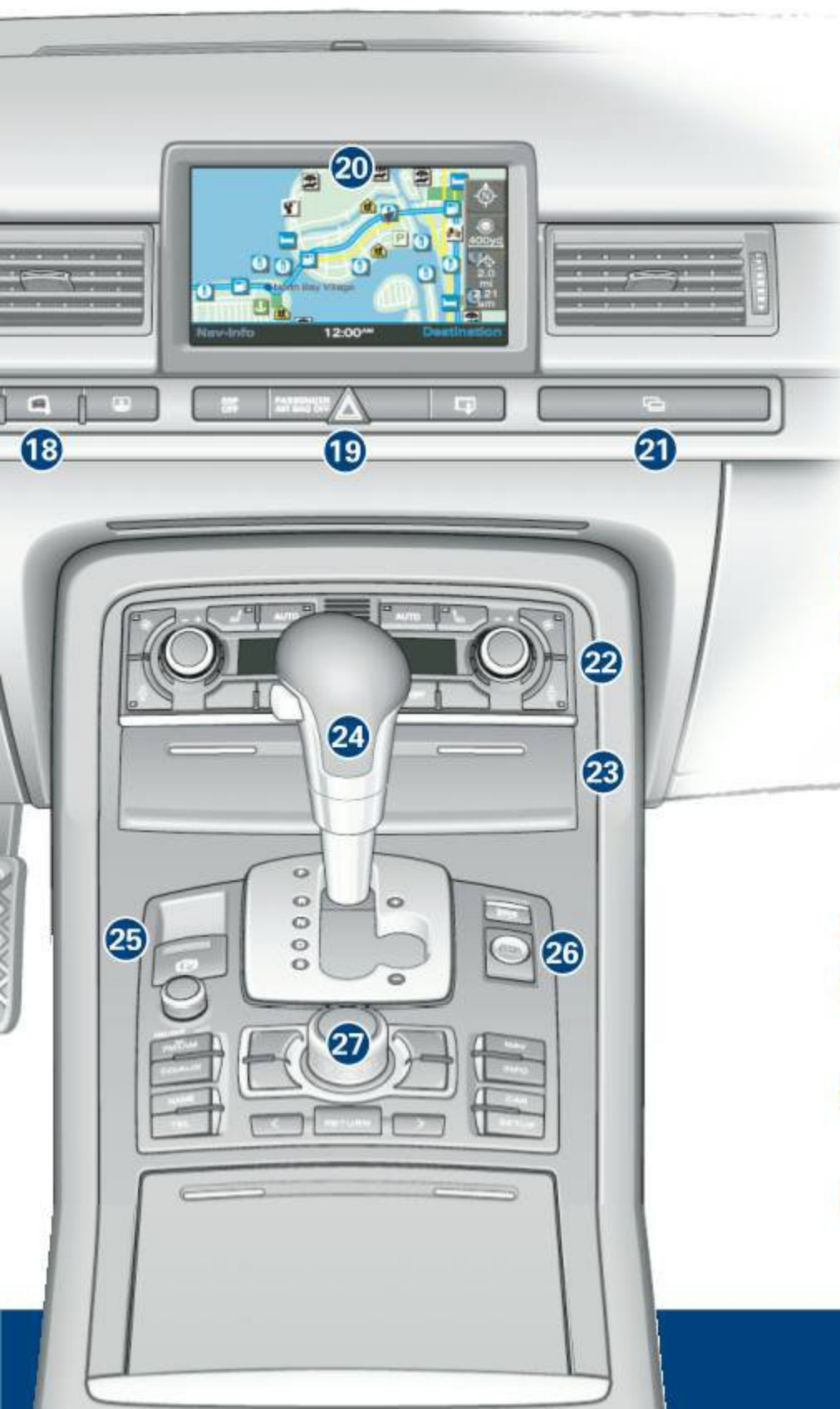


locked



unlocked





7 Adjusting the exterior mirrors

Adjust the knob:

-  Left exterior mirror
-  Neutral
-  Right exterior mirror
-  Folding the exterior mirror

The mirror glass moves in the direction that the knob is pressed.

8 Side assist warning display

9 Light switch

10 Steering wheel position adjuster

! WARNING

The column should only be adjusted when the vehicle is at a complete standstill.

11 Steering wheel heating

12 Cruise control or Adaptive Cruise Control

13 Turn signal and high beam lever with lane assist button

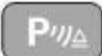
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24 Automatic transmission selector lever

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26 Buttons for:

-  Starting the engine
-  Stopping the engine

27 MMI terminal

Opening and closing the vehicle

With advanced key, you can lock and unlock your vehicle without using the remote control key. You only need to carry the remote control key with you.

Unlocking the vehicle:

Grasp one of the door handles or the handle recess on the luggage compartment lid.

Unlocking the vehicle:

Place the selector lever in the **P** position. Press the lock button **1** on one of the door handles.

Closing the luggage compartment lid automatically:

Press the  button in the open luggage compartment lid.

WARNING

When you leave the vehicle, always remove the ignition key and take it with you. This will prevent passengers (children, for example) from accidentally being locked in the vehicle should they accidentally press the power locking switch in the front doors.



WARNING

When you lock your vehicle from the outside, do not leave anyone - especially children - inside the vehicle. Remember, when you lock the vehicle from the outside the windows cannot be opened from the inside.

WARNING

Always ensure that no one is within range of the rear lid when it is moving, in particular close to the hinges - fingers or hands can be pinched.

Switching the ignition on/starting the engine

On vehicles without advanced key, start the engine as usual using the key. On vehicles with advanced key, the engine can be started with the remote control key in the ignition lock.

Switching the ignition on: Press the START button to the first level.

Starting the engine: Press the brake, place the selector lever in the **P** or **N** position, and press the START button down to the second level.

Stopping the engine: Stop the vehicle, place the selector lever in the **P** or **N** position, and press the STOP button. If you press the STOP button again for more than 1 second, the steering will lock.



Adjusting the seats

1 Upper thigh support

Forward/backward

2 Seat height and fore-and-aft adjustment:

Front of the seat cushion up/down

Back of the seat cushion up/down

Seat up/down

Seat forward/back

3 Seatback adjustment and Head restraint:

Backrest forward/back

Head restraint up/down

4 Seatback upper part adjustment:

Seat back more upright/inclined



5 Adjusting the lumbar support:

Press on the respective area of the switch.

6 Safety belt height adjustment:

Up/down

7 Massage function



WARNING

Thoroughly review your Owner's Manual for warnings and other important information about proper restraint use and what you can do to reduce the risk of injury in accidents. Failure to properly use restraint systems can cause serious personal injury.

WARNING

Never install rear facing child seats or infant carriers on the passenger seat. A child will be seriously injured or killed when the passenger airbag inflates.

WARNING

Always fasten safety belts before driving off. Always make sure passengers are properly restrained. Children 12 years old and younger must ride in the rear seat and be properly restrained as indicated in the Owner's Manual. The airbag is supplemental and does not replace safety belt use.

WARNING

Front seat passengers must never ride in a moving vehicle with the seatback reclined. The risk of personal injury increases with increasing rearward angle of the seatback. Safety belts only offer protection when the seatback is upright and belts are properly positioned on the body. Adjust your seats only when the vehicle is at a complete standstill.

WARNING

The airbag system cannot protect you properly if you are seated too close to any of the airbag locations. When adjusting their seat positions, it is important that both the driver and front passenger keep their upper bodies at a minimum safe distance of 10 inches (25 cm) between the chest and the steering wheel/instrument panel.



Comfort automatic climate control switch

Left switch - driver's side

Right switch - passenger's side

Temperature selection

Automatic mode

Set the desired temperature and press the button.

Fan speed

SETUP

Call up additional adjustment options on the MMI display

Recirculation mode

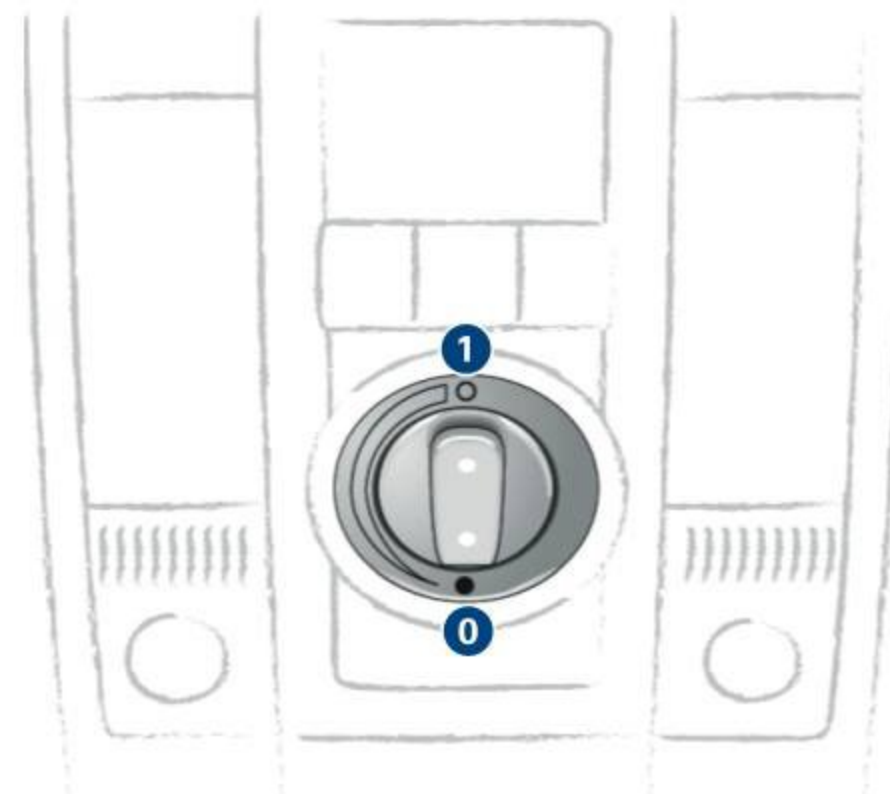
Circulate and filter the air inside the passenger compartment

ECON mode

Activate/deactivate the air conditioning system

Heated seats

Ventilated seats



Power sunroof

Opening: Rotate the switch in the direction **1** until the desired position is reached.

Closing: Rotate the switch to **0**.

Tilting/closing: Briefly press/pull the switch into the **0** position. Press/pull longer to adjust the tilt height individually.

WARNING

Be careful when closing the power sunroof. Check to see that no one is in the way, or serious personal injury could result.

Lane assist

The **lane assist** recognizes lane marker lines (for example, when driving on expressways). When the vehicle nears a lane marker line, you are warned by a vibration in the steering wheel. The warning is not given if you activate the turn signal before changing lanes. Press the button **1** on the turn signal lever to activate/deactivate the system.

Electromechanical parking brake



Engaging the parking brake:
Stop the vehicle and pull the  button.

Releasing the parking brake:
Press the brake pedal while pressing the  button.

Adaptive Cruise Control



The **Adaptive Cruise Control** is a combined cruise control and distance regulation system.

Switching on/off: Pull/press the lever **4**.

Storing the speed: Press the button **3**.

Changing the stored speed: Press the lever **4** up (faster) or down (slower).

Increasing/decreasing the distance:
Slide the switch **2** to the right/left.

WARNING

Improper use of the Lane assist and Adaptive Cruise Control can cause collisions, other accidents and serious personal injury. Always read and heed the Warnings in the Owner's Manual.

Multi Media Interface

MMI components

1 Driver information system

2 Multifunction steering wheel

Roll the **left menu thumbwheel** to mark a menu item in the driver information system. Press the thumbwheel to confirm the menu item.

Press the **MODE button** to switch between the active radio source, navigation system and telephone.

Press the  briefly to switch voice commands on.

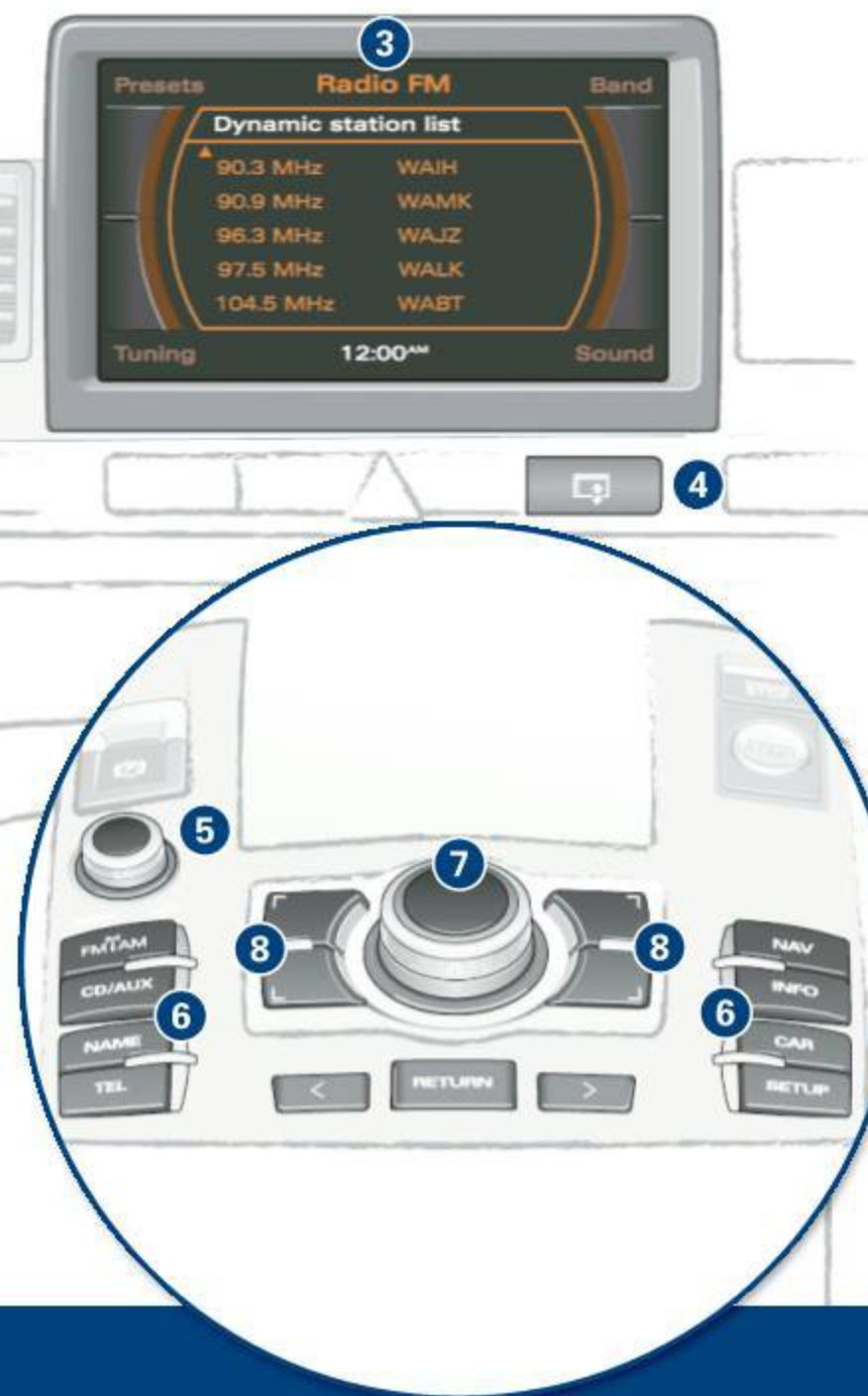
For example, after the <Beep>, say <Help> to call up the system announcement with the possible speech commands.

Hold the Talk button down to switch voice commands off.

Roll the **right menu thumbwheel** to control the volume.

Press the right thumbwheel to repeat the last navigation announcement.





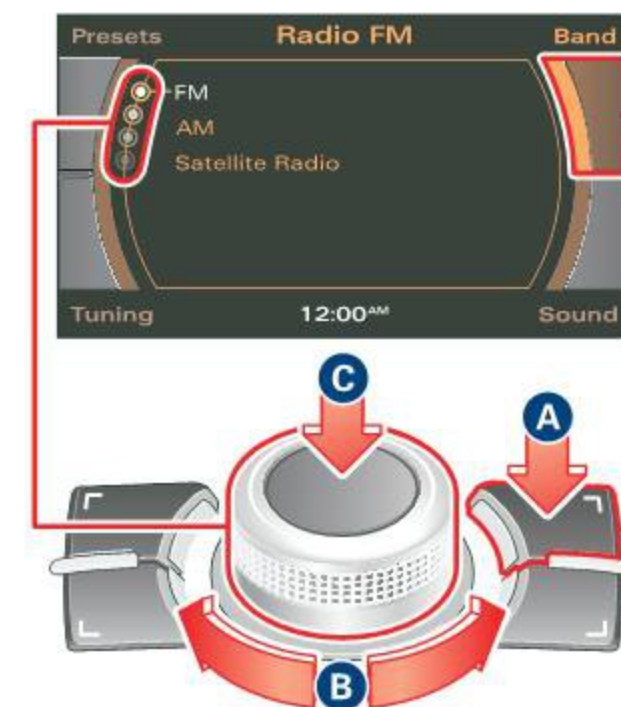
- ③ MMI display
- ④ Switching the MMI display on/off
- ⑤ On/Off knob

Switching on: Press briefly.
Adjusting the volume: Rotate.
Muting: Tap.
Switching off: Press and hold.

- ⑥ Function buttons
Press the desired button (such as FM^(P)AM), to activate that mode.
- ⑦ Control knob
Marking a menu item in the display ③:
Rotate the control knob.
Confirming the selection:
Press the control knob.
- ⑧ Control buttons
To call up one of the functions shown in the four corners of the display, press the corresponding control button that is assigned to that corner of the display.

MMI operation

The MMI is operated the same way in all functions.



- ① **Calling up menus in the display corners:** Press the appropriate button.
- ② **Marking:** Rotate the knob.
- ③ **Confirming:** Press the knob.

⚠ WARNING

Distraction causes accidents:

- Never enter data while driving!
- Obey traffic laws & road signs!
- Refer to the Owner's Manual!



- 1 Press the FM/AM function button.



- 2 Rotate the control knob and mark the desired station.



- 3 Press the control knob to confirm.



- 4 Press the "Presets" control button.
- 5 Rotate the control knob and mark "Store station <station name>".



- 6 Press the control knob. The next free memory preset is marked.



- 7 Rotate the control knob and mark the desired preset.
- 8 Press the control knob to confirm.



- 1 Press the NAV function button.



- 2 Rotate the control knob and mark "City/ZIP".
3 Press the control knob to confirm.



- 4 Rotate the control knob to mark the first letter of the destination.
5 Press the control knob to confirm.



- 6 Enter the remaining letters of the destination using the same procedure until the desired location name is displayed.

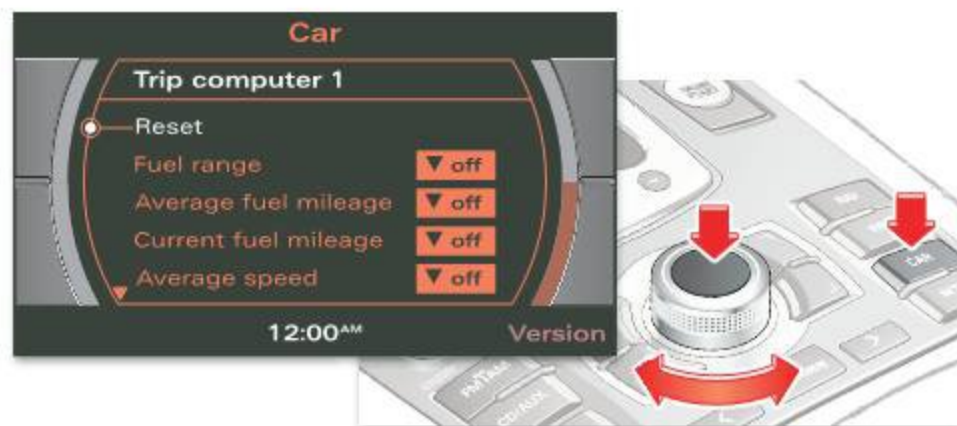


- 7 When you have entered the destination, rotate the control knob and mark "OK".
8 Press the control knob to confirm.



- 9 Mark the menu item "Start route guidance".
10 Press the control knob to confirm. The route is calculated.

MMI Functions



Driver assistance systems

Use the CAR button to adjust or operate many driver assistance systems in your Audi.

For detailed information on this, please see your vehicle owner's manual.

Establishing a Bluetooth™ cell phone connection

You can connect a Bluetooth™ capable cell phone quickly to the MMI cell phone preparation.

- Switch on the ignition, the MMI and the cell phone.
- On the cell phone, select the menu that searches for Bluetooth™ capable devices (such as the cell phone preparation/hands-free set).
- On the cell phone, select "Audi UHV" and confirm.
- Enter the PIN "1234" on the cell phone.



Indicator lights

	Electronic power control ¹⁾		Malfunction Indicator Lamp ¹⁾
	Generator ¹⁾		Safety belt
	Electronic Stabilization Program (ESP)		Adaptive Air Suspension
	Airbag system ¹⁾		Adaptive Air Suspension
	lane assist (ready to give warning)		Cruise control activated (USA)
	lane assist (not ready to give warning)		Cruise control activated (CAN)
	Turn signals/ Emergency flasher		Anti-lock brake system (USA) ¹⁾
	High beam		Anti-lock brake system (CAN) ¹⁾
	Fog lights		Parking brake (USA)
	Rear fog lights		Parking brake (CAN)
	Tire pressure low (check immediately)		

¹⁾ If this illuminates while driving, contact your authorized Audi dealer immediately.

Warning symbols

	Open road (Adaptive Cruise Control)		Brake malfunction (USA)
	Driving in traffic (Adaptive Cruise Control)		Brake malfunction (CAN)
	Request for driver to assume control (Adaptive Cruise Control)		Cooling system malfunction
			Engine oil pressure too low
			Steering defective
			Ignition switch defective

If one of these red symbols appears in the display while driving, pull over immediately, stop the engine, and check the owner's manual.

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