



2009 Audi A3

Quick Reference Guide



Fuel filler flap

Opening:

Pull the  button in the driver's door.

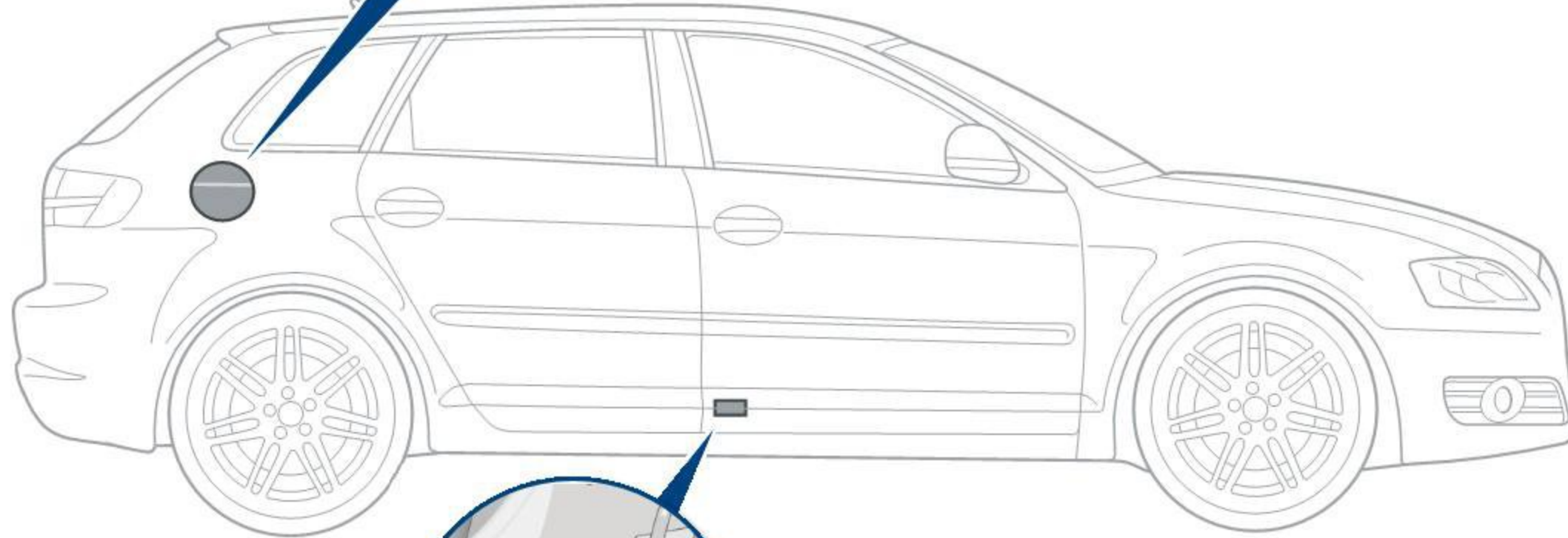
Closing:

Press the fuel filler flap in until it latches.



Fuel

(see label)



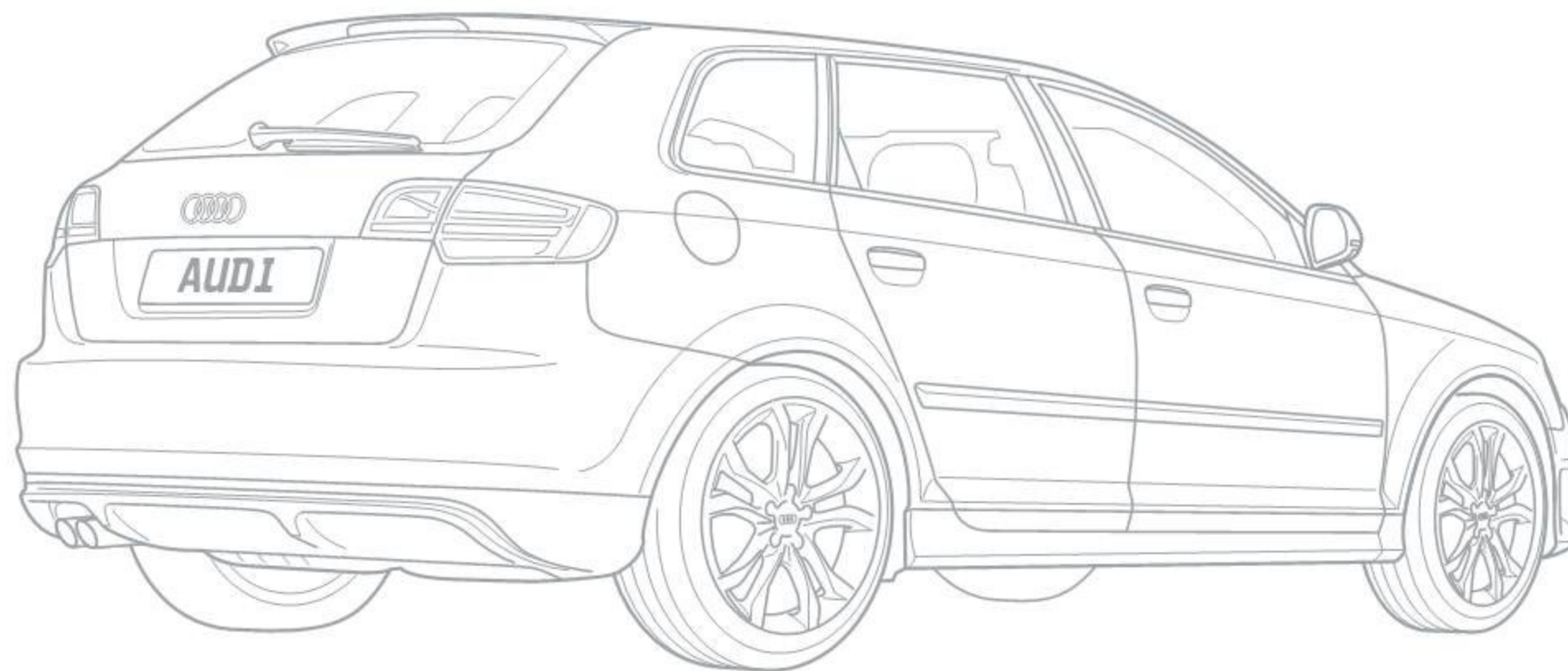
Tire pressures

(driver's side B-pillar)
Visible when the door is open or inside the fuel filler flap.



Engine oil

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



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 radio system or navigation system Owner's Manual.

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

Sincerely, AUDI AG

Cockpit

1 Release buttons for:

-  Luggage compartment
-  Fuel filler flap

2 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.

3 Adjusting the exterior mirrors

Adjust the knob:

-  Left exterior mirror
-  Heating the exterior mirror
-  Right exterior mirror
-  Folding the exterior mirror

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

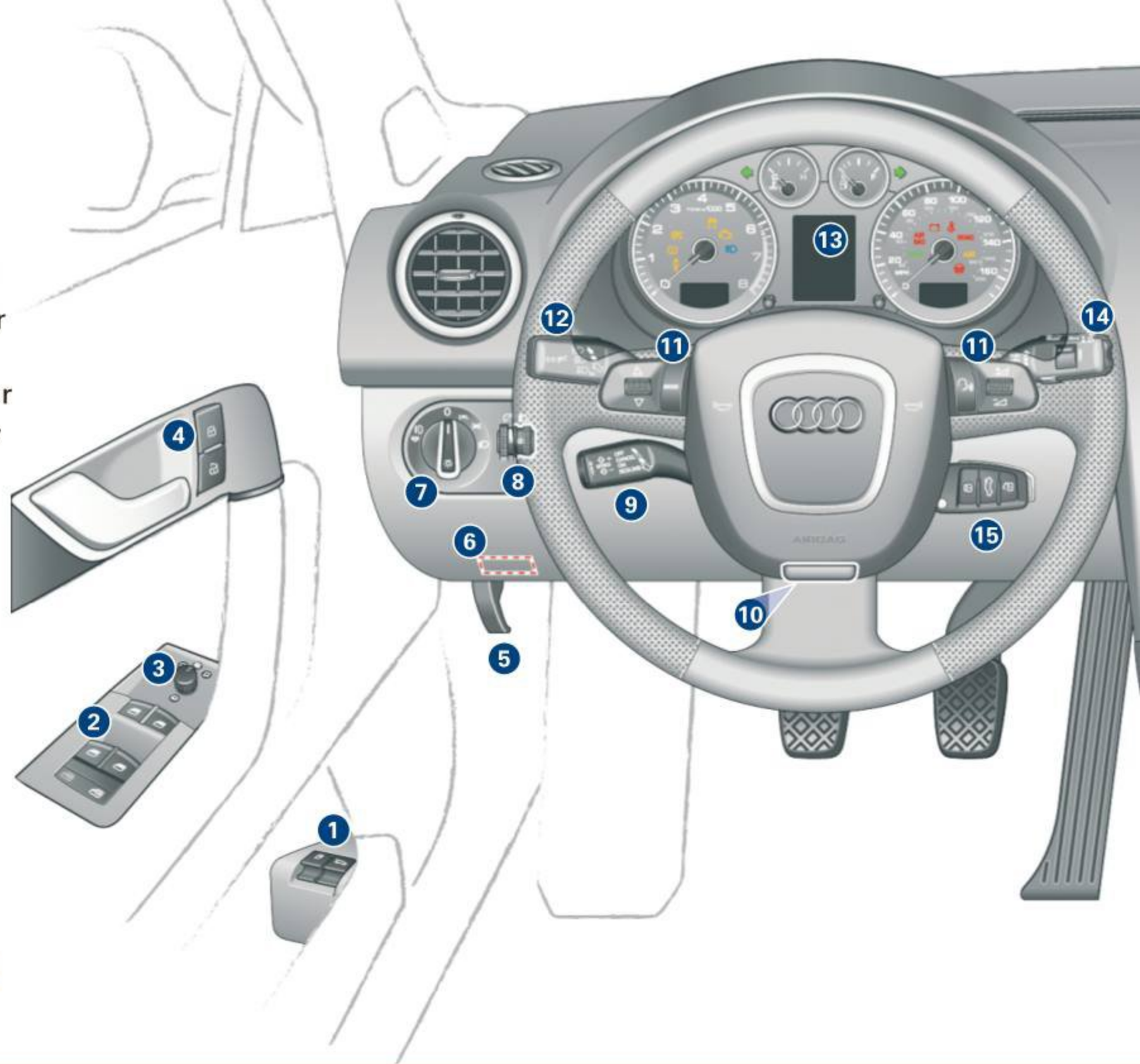
4 Door handle and central locking switch

-  locked
-  unlocked

5 Hood release

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

7 Light switch/ Daytime running lights





- 8 Instrument lighting and headlight range control
- 9 Cruise control
- 10 Steering wheel position adjuster

⚠ WARNING

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

- 11 Multifunction steering wheel controls
- 12 Turn signal and high beam lever
- 13 Instruments and indicator lights

- 14 Windshield wiper controls and trip computer buttons
- 15 Ignition lock
- 16 Radio system or navigation system
- 17 Buttons and indicator lights for:

- (L) SET Activating the tire pressure monitoring system
- ESP OFF Electronic stabilization program
- PASSENGER AIR BAG OFF Passenger airbag deactivated
- Emergency flashers

- 18 Storage compartment or buttons for:
 - Audi magnetic ride
 - Audi parking system
- 19 Climate control system
- 20 Passenger's seat heating
- 21 Driver's seat heating
- 22 Shift lever or selector lever (with automatic transmission)
- 23 Cup holder
- 24 Parking brake

Adjusting the seats

1 Adjusting seat height and forward/back position

-  Front of the seat cushion up/down
-  Back of the seat cushion up/down
-  Seat up/down
-  Seat forward/back

2 Adjusting the backrest:

-  Backrest forward/back

3 Adjusting the lumbar support:

Press on the respective area of the switch.



Adjusting the headrests:

Press the knob on the side 4 to slide it down. The top edge of the headrest should be at eye level or higher.



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.

Starting the engine

Switching the ignition on/starting the engine

Insert the key into the ignition lock.

Switching the ignition on: Turn the key to the **1** position.

Starting the engine

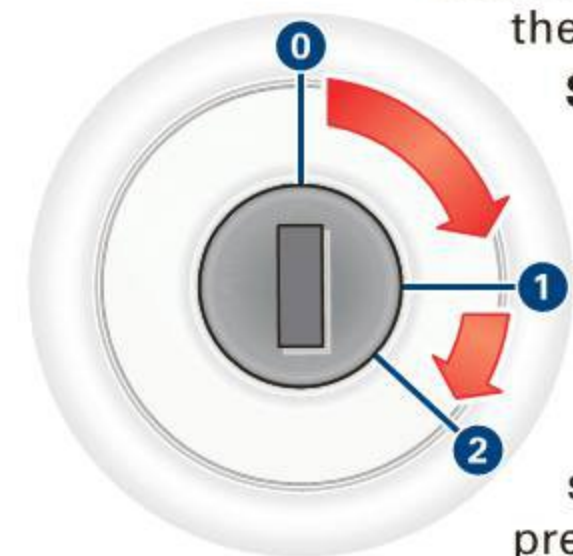
(manual transmission):

Press the clutch and turn the key to the **2** position until the engine starts.

Starting the engine

(automatic transmission): Place the selector lever in the **P** or **N** position, press the brake and turn the key to the **2** position until the engine starts.

Stopping the engine: Turn the key to the **0** position.



Automatic transmission

Selector lever positions

- P** Park
- R** Reverse
- N** Neutral (*Idle*)
- D** Drive
- S** Sport

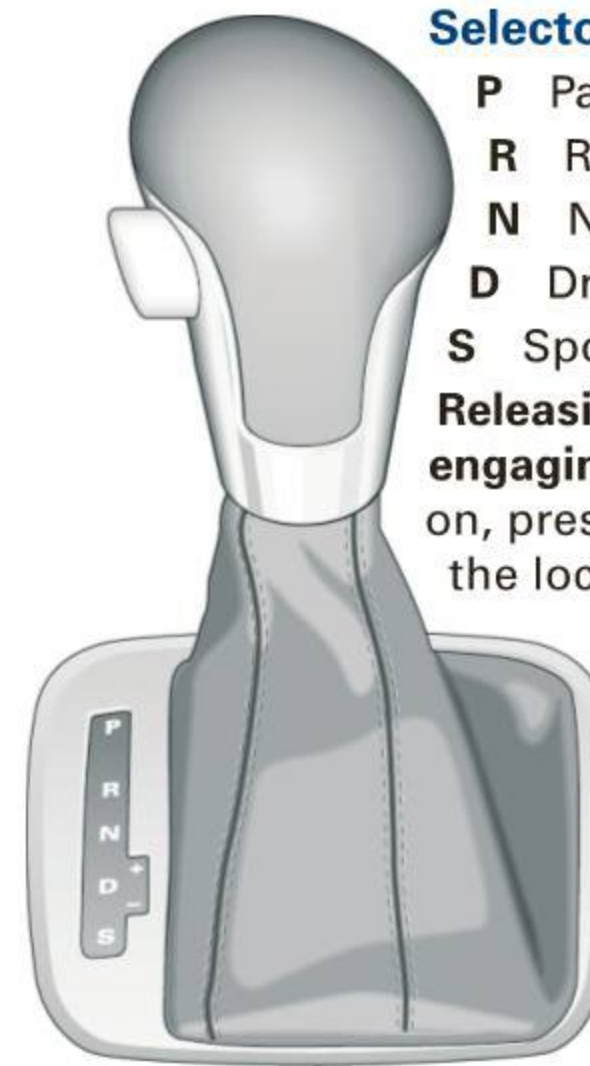
Releasing the selector lever lock and engaging a gear: Switch the ignition on, press the brake pedal and press the lock button on the selector lever.

Place the selector lever in the **D** or **S** position to drive forward.

tiptronic: To shift manually, move the selector lever to the right out of the **D** position. The driver information system displays the gears.

Shifting up/down:

Press the selector lever forward/back.





Automatic climate control switch

Left rotary switch: Driver's side temperature selection

Right rotary switch: Passenger's side temperature selection

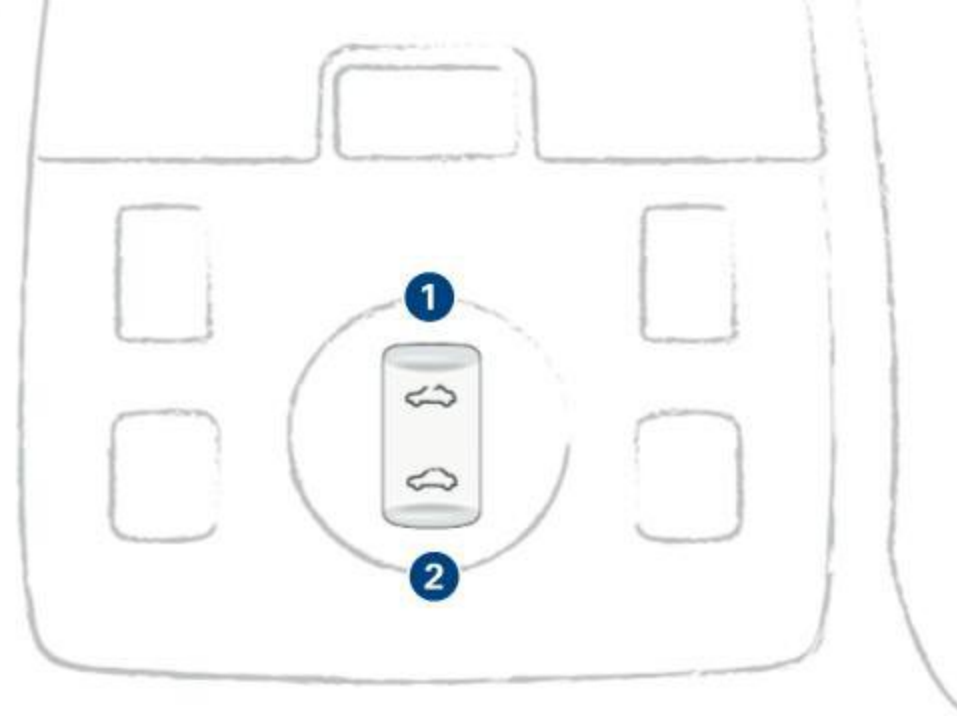
AUTO Automatic operation
Set the desired temperature and press the button.

- + Fan speed (center switch)

Recirculation mode
Circulate and filter the air inside the passenger compartment

AC Switch the air conditioning system on/off

AUTO Automatic recirculation mode



Panoramic sliding roof

Comfort position: Press the switch into position **1** twice in a row.

Opening/closing: Press in position **1** (*open*) or **2** (*close*) until the panoramic sliding roof is completely open/closed or the desired position is reached.

Tilting/closing: Press the switch into position **1** or **2**.

WARNING

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

Cruise control system

The **CRUISE/**  indicator light appears in the instrument cluster when the system is switched on.

Switching on/off: Pull/press the lever **2**.

Storing the speed: Press the button **1**.

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



WARNING

Improper use of the cruise control system can cause collisions, other accidents and serious personal injury. Always read and heed the Warnings in the Owner's Manual.

hill hold assist

Starting on hills

Pressing and holding the brake for several seconds prevents the vehicle from rolling back on hills. When the brake is released, the braking effect is maintained for a short time. You can start driving during this.



Audi navigation system plus/ Sound system

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 Display

4 Function buttons

Press the desired button (such as FM^(*)AM) to activate that mode.

5 On/Off knob

Switching on: Press briefly.

Adjusting the volume: Rotate.

Muting: Tap.

Switching off: Press and hold.

6 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.

7 Control knob

Marking a menu item in the display 3:

Rotate the control knob.

Confirming the selection:

Press the control knob.

Operation

Operation is the same in all functions.



! WARNING

Distraction causes accidents:

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

A Calling up menus in the display corners:
Press the corresponding button.

B Marking:
Rotate the knob.

C Confirming:
Press the knob.



- 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 Press and hold the control knob longer when the city appears in the list.
- 8 Rotate and press to select the city and enter detailed destination information if necessary.



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

Functions

Establishing a Bluetooth™ cell phone connection

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

- Switch on the ignition, the navigation system 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.



Memory cards

Loading:

- Press the  button to open the display.
- Guide the memory card into the card reader slot as shown in the illustration and press on the card until it clicks into place.

Removing:

- Press the  button to open the display.
- Press on the memory card. The card is released and can be removed from the card reader slot.

Indicator lights

	Audi magnetic ride		Safety belt
	Tire pressure low (check immediately)	BRAKE	Parking brake (USA)
EPC	Electronic power control ¹⁾		Parking brake (CAN)
	Electronic Stabilization Program (ESP)	ABS	Anti-lock brake system (USA) ¹⁾
	Malfunction Indicator Lamp (USA) ¹⁾		Anti-lock brake system (CAN) ¹⁾
	Malfunction Indicator Lamp (CAN) ¹⁾		Electro-mechanical power assist ¹⁾
	High beam		Low fuel level
	Turn signals/Emergency flasher		Check engine oil level
CRUISE	Cruise control activated (USA)		Engine oil sensor malfunction ¹⁾
	Cruise control activated (CAN)		Engine speed limitation
	Airbag system ¹⁾		Worn brake pads ¹⁾

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

Warning symbols

	Alternator malfunction
BRAKE	Brake malfunction (USA)
	Brake malfunction (CAN)
	Cooling system malfunction
	Engine oil pressure too low

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

	Speed warning (USA)
	Speed warning (CAN)
	Dynamic headlight range control defective
	Windshield washer fluid level low
	Defective light bulb
BRAKE LIGHT	Defective brake light (USA)
	Defective brake light (CAN)
	Light/rain sensor defective
	Adaptive Light defective ¹⁾

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