



The 2026 Golf R



MOTORTREND
CAR OF THE YEAR **2026**



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The ultimate daily disguise

The 2026 Golf R seamlessly blends the civility of a daily driver with the heart of a track-ready beast. Don't let the refined exterior fool you – beneath the surface lies uninhibited German engineering, delivering an experience that'll redefine your expectations of what a hot hatch can be.

Your Golf R's Specifications

Make the Golf R your own with styles and features you'll love.

Specifications

	Engine EA888evo4 four cylinder
	Horsepower and Torque 328 hp & 295 lb-ft
	Fuel Consumption ¹ – Combined 9.3 L/100 km
	Cargo Space ² 977 L

Dimensions	
Wheelbase: 2,630 mm	Height: 1,467 mm
Length: 4,296 mm	Width: 2,073 mm
Weight	
Curb Weight: 1,550 kg	

¹ Fuel consumption figures are estimates based on Natural Resources Canada's approved criteria and testing methods. Refer to the NRCAN's Fuel Consumption Guide available at <https://fcc-ccc.nrcan-nrcan.gc.ca/en>. City rating is 10.5 L/100 km and highway rating is 7.7 L/100 km. Actual fuel consumption will vary based on driving conditions, driver habits, and the vehicle's condition, weight carried, and additional equipment. Technical data provided applies to entry trim of the vehicle. Model specifications may vary for selected trim, options, and installed accessories. ² With all seats behind the 1st row folded down.

Wheel Options



01 19" Warmenau forged alloy wheels (Summer performance tires 235/35 R19) 8J x 19 (R)



02 19" Warmenau black forged alloy wheels (Summer performance tires 235/35 R19) 8J x 19 (R Black Edition)

Paint & upholstery options by trim

³ Optional package.
⁴ Additional fees apply.
⁵ Production of vehicles with black roof option are currently limited. Please contact your dealer for details.

		Golf R		Golf R Black Edition ⁵	
		Titan Black with Blue Accents – Leather		Titan Black with Blue Accents – Leather	Titan Black with Blue Accents – Cloth ³
Pure White		✓	✓	✓	✓
Mythos Black Metallic		✓	✓	✓	✓
Lapiz Blue Metallic		✓	✓	✓	✓
Dolphin Grey Metallic		✓	✓	✓	✓
Pure White with black roof ⁴		–	✓	✓	✓
Lapiz Blue Metallic with black roof ⁴		–	✓	✓	✓
Dolphin Grey Metallic with black roof ⁴		–	✓	✓	✓



Golf R trims and options



R

Performance

- 4MOTION® All-Wheel Drive with rear-axle torque vectoring differential
- R-Performance Package: Drift and Special driving modes
- Dynamic Chassis Control (adaptive damping) with Driving Profile Selection
- Electronic differential lock (XDS)
- 7-speed automatic DSG with Tiptronic®
- Progressive steering
- 4-cylinder, 2.0 TSI® 328 hp, 295 lb-ft
- Start/stop system with regenerative braking

Exterior

- Exterior illuminated light line, emblem, and door handles
- Lockable wheel bolts
- Tool kit and jack
- LED headlights with LED Daytime Running Lights
- Poor-weather lights with cornering lights
- 19" Warmenau forged alloy wheels (summer performance tires 235/35 R19)
- Tire mobility set: 12-volt compressor and tire sealant
- LED tail lights
- Surround lighting with welcome light projected on ground from side mirrors

Function

- Heated exterior mirrors with power-autofolding, memory, and reverse tilt-down function for passenger side
- Wireless App-Connect (Android Auto™, Apple CarPlay®)
- Power outlet, 12V in front
- Park Distance Control – front and rear sensors with Park Assist
- USB Type-C ports with fast-charging performance
- Adaptive Cruise Control with Stop & Go
- Three-zone electronic climate control with front and rear controls
- Head-Up Display
- Rearview camera with dynamic guidance lines
- Harman Kardon® Premium Audio System – 8 speakers plus subwoofer
- Volkswagen Digital Cockpit Pro (10.25" configurable instrument cluster)
- Navigation system
- myVW mobile app with myVW+ connected vehicle services
- 12.9" touchscreen infotainment system
- Emergency Call Service
- Voice control with digital voice enhancement
- Power outlet, 12V in luggage compartment
- Rain-sensing wipers
- KESSY – keyless access with push-start button and proximity unlocking
- SiriusXM® satellite radio
- Wireless charging (for compatible devices)

Interior

- Brushed stainless steel pedals
- 60/40 split-folding rear seats with centre armrest and pass-through
- Interior footwell LED lights with selectable light colour
- Auto-dimming interior rearview mirror
- Ventilated front seats
- Interior ambient lighting, customizable up to 30 colours
- Driver power lumbar support and front passenger with manual lumbar support
- Leather multi-function sport steering wheel, heated, shift paddles, with touch controls and "R" button
- Storage compartment with 12V outlet
- Nappa leather-seating surfaces
- Power driver seat with memory function and power recline passenger seat
- Heated front and outer rear seats

Safety

- Hill Hold Assist
- Airbag on driver- and front-passenger side, with automatic front passenger airbag deactivation
- Front Assist – Automatic Emergency Braking with Pedestrian and Cyclist Monitoring
- Electronic Stability Control (ESC)
- Vehicle anti-theft alarm system with immobilizer
- Automatic headlights with coming and leaving home function
- Dynamic Road Sign Display
- Light Assist – automatic high-beam control
- Dynamic headlights with cornering lights
- Indirect Tire Pressure Monitoring System
- 3-point seat belts in front with pretensioner and height adjustment
- Front and Rear Side Curtain Protection® with front side airbags
- Automatic detection system with audible and visual seat belt reminder
- Side Assist – Active Blind Spot Monitor with Rear Traffic Alert
- Travel Assist – Adaptive Cruise Control, Lane Assist, and Emergency Assist
- First-aid kit, warning triangle, and safety vest
- Child seat anchors, including the ISOFIX child-seat system

Packages

- Rail 2 Rail power sunroof



R Black Edition

Includes R equipment plus:

Exterior

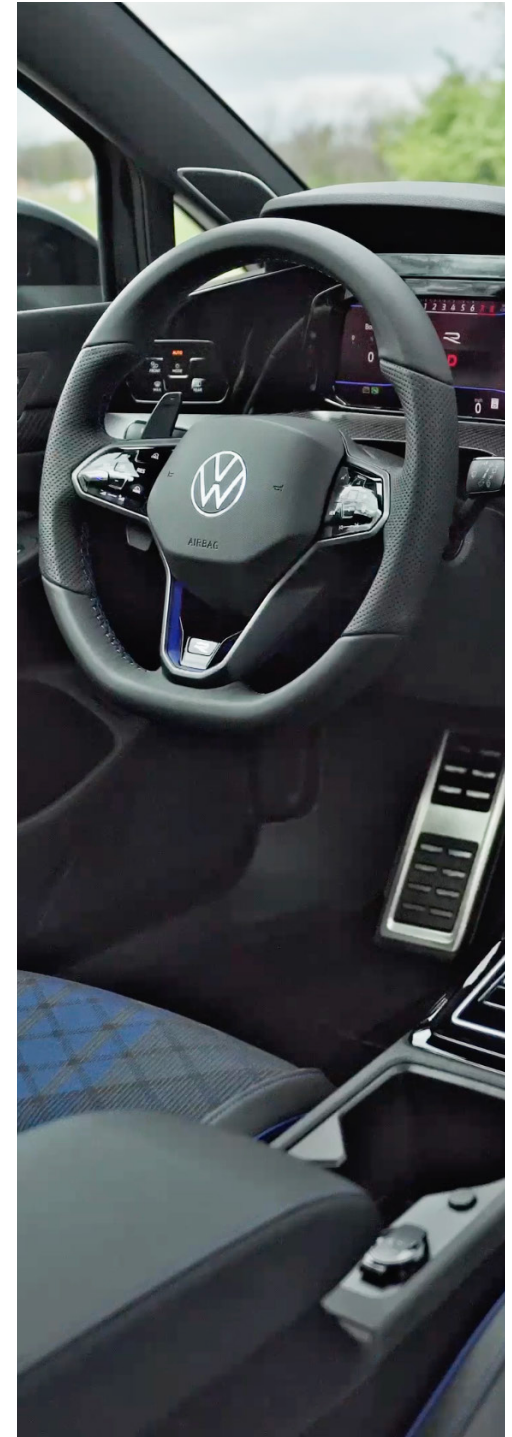
- "Black Edition" styling elements (Front and rear VW logo, 'R' Emblem on door and rear, 'Black' badge, Front grille, Exhaust tips
- 19" Warmenau black forged alloy wheels (summer performance tires 235/35 R19)
- Rail 2 Rail power sunroof

Interior

- Decorative inserts in carbon fibre

Packages

- Akrapovič exhaust in titanium
- Cloth-seating package, which removes the following equipment:
 - Nappa leather-seating surfaces
 - Driver's seat power adjustment for fore/aft, height, lumbar
 - Driver's seat memory
 - Ventilated front seats



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- DriveView
- Vehicle Health Report (8 years included)
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- Stolen vehicle recovery assistance

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Warranty

A little coverage goes a long way. The right coverage goes even further. Our comprehensive warranty provides you and your family with peace of mind and protection against unexpected repair costs.

New vehicle

4-year/80,000 km* new-vehicle limited warranty – wear & tear items and adjustments excluded after initial 12 months/20,000 km*

Powertrain

5-year/100,000 km* powertrain limited warranty

Roadside Assistance

4 years/80,000 km*

See [Roadside Assistance](#) details.

Call **1-800-411-6688** for assistance and to access these services:

- Battery jump start
- Flat-tire service
- Lock-out service
- Gasoline delivery service
- Emergency winching service
- Trip-interruption benefits (warrantable repairs only)

*Whichever occurs first.



Our most popular accessories

Comfort & Protection

- Monster Mats® – Black
- MuddyBuddy® Trunk Tray – Black
- Rear Sunshades
- Rubber Trunk Liner



Transport

- Cargo Box Carrier – Matte Black - 340L
- Cargo Box Carrier 460L – Matte Black
- Cargo Box Carrier 460L – Gloss Black
- Base Carrier Bars (4 door)



Sport & Design

- Ext. mirror Dynamic Side Markers



Wheels

- 19" Warmenau – Light weight Forged Alloy Wheel
- Dynamic Wheel Centre Caps (New Logo)



Ask us for a full list of accessories available for your vehicle or check out www.vwpartsandservice.ca

Notes

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