



Audi R8

Quick reference guide



Fuel tank flap

To open:

Press the  switch on the driver's door.

To close:

Press the tank flap until you hear it click into place.



Fuel

(see sticker)

Tyre pressures

(see sticker on door pillar on driver side)


Warning triangle

The compartment for the warning triangle is located beneath the luggage compartment floor.



Luggage lid

To open:

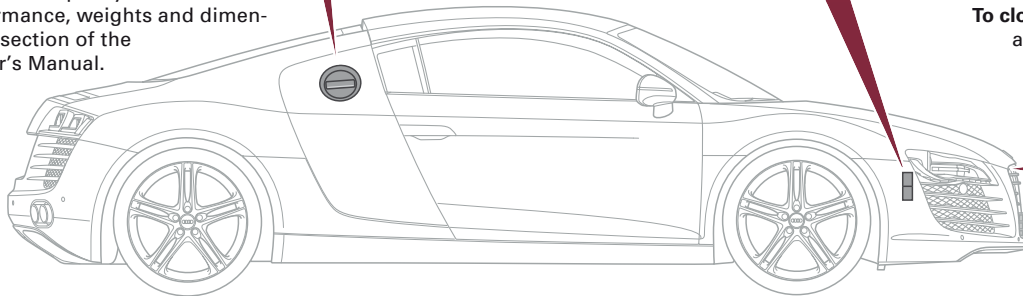
Press the  button on the remote control key or on the driver's door. The lid will spring open slightly. Press the release flap between the radiator grille and the luggage lid and lift the lid.

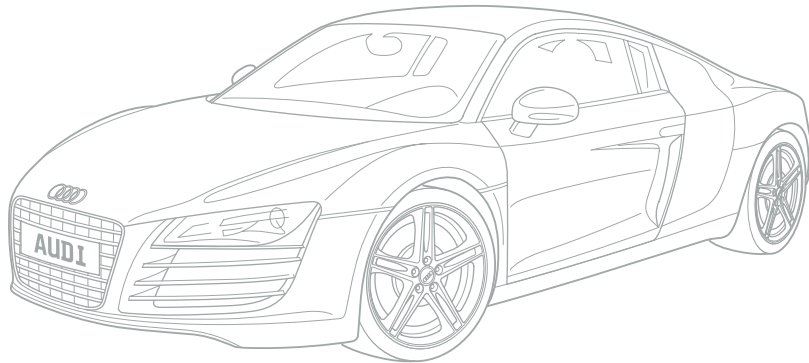
To close: Lower the luggage lid and press it into the catch.



Engine oil

The correct oil specifications and engine oil capacity are listed in the Performance, weights and dimensions section of the Owner's Manual.





Dear Audi Driver,

This quick reference guide gives you an overview of the main features and controls of your vehicle. However, it cannot replace the detailed Owner's Manual which contains important information and safety warnings.

Please refer to your Owner's Manual for detailed information on your vehicle. You will find everything you need to know about the radio, CD, navigation and telephone functions in the Operating Manual for your navigation system.

We wish you safe and enjoyable motoring with your new Audi.

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Controls and displays

1 Electric windows





To set the desired position:
Press/pull to the first stop and hold.

"One-touch" function:

Press/pull briefly to the second stop.



2 Adjuster for exterior mirrors

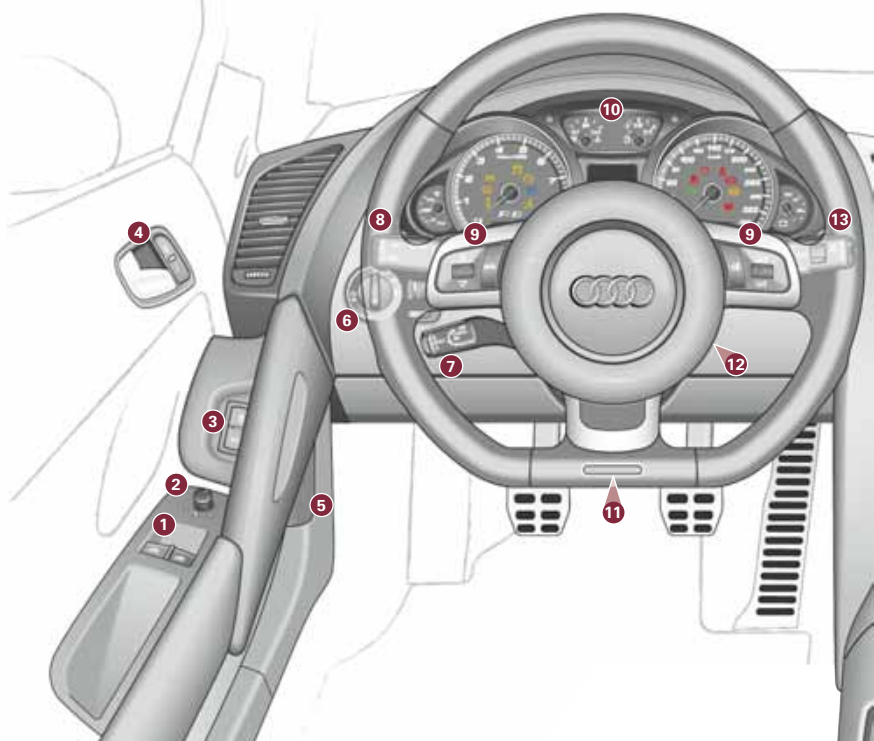
Turn the adjuster for:

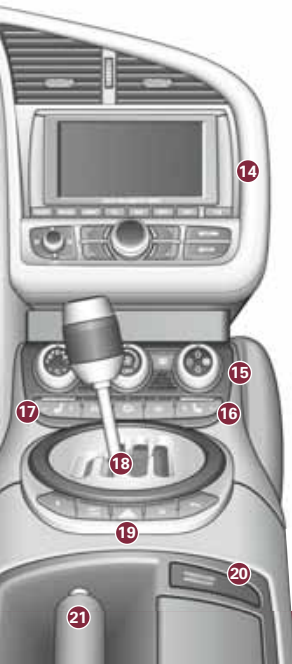
-  Left exterior mirror
-  Exterior mirror heating
-  Right exterior mirror
-  Exterior mirror retraction

Press the adjuster to move the mirror glass
in the desired direction.

3 Unlock switches for:

-  Luggage lid
-  Tank flap





4 Door handle and central locking switch



Lock



Unlock

5 Bonnet lock release

6 Light switch

7 Cruise control system

8 Turn signal and main beam lever

9 Controls on multi-function steering wheel

10 Instruments and warning/indicator lamps

11 Steering wheel position adjuster

12 Ignition lock

13 Windscreen wipers/washer and buttons for on-board computer

14 Navigation system

15 Air conditioner

16 Front passenger's seat heating

17 Driver's seat heating

18 Gear lever or selector lever for R tronic

19 Buttons for:



Audi magnetic ride



Electronic stabilisation program



Hazard warning lights



Rear spoiler



parking system for activation/deactivation of parking aid

20 Warning lamp for front passenger's airbag

21 Handbrake

Sitting position

Sit in a normal upright position and do not sit too close to the steering wheel. If necessary, also adjust the position of the steering wheel.







Seat adjustment

Electric seat adjustment


1 To adjust lumbar support:

Press the appropriate part of the switch.

2 To adjust seat height and move seat backwards or forwards:

-  Front of seat cushion up/down
-  Rear of seat cushion up/down
-  Seat up/down
-  Seat forwards/backwards

3 To adjust backrest:

-  Backrest further upright/further reclined



Adjusting head restraints

Take hold of the sides of the head restraint with both hands and move it up or down as required. The top of the head restraint should be at eye level or higher.

Manual seat adjustment

4 To move seat backwards or forwards:

Lift the lever and move the seat. Then release the lever and move the seat further until the catch engages.

5 To adjust lumbar support:

Press the appropriate part of the switch.

6 To adjust seat height:

Pull up or press down the lever repeatedly.

7 To adjust backrest:

Take your weight off the backrest and turn the knob.

8 To release backrest:

Pull the lever upwards and fold the backrest forwards.

Starting the engine

Switching on the ignition/starting the engine

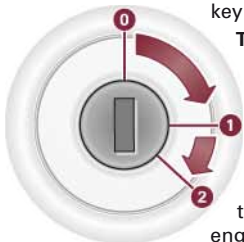
Insert the key into the ignition lock.

To switch on the ignition: Turn the key to position ①.

To start the engine (on vehicles with manual gearbox): Press the clutch and turn the key to position ② until the engine starts.

To start the engine (R tronic): Press the brake pedal and turn the key to position ② until the engine starts.

To switch off the engine: Turn the key to position ①.



R tronic

Automated manual gearbox

The clutch mechanism and gear changes are controlled electronically. You can drive in automatic mode or shift gears yourself manually.

A - Automatic and manual gear selection

- Briefly press the selector lever to position **A**. The gears are changed automatically.
- Briefly press the selector lever forwards (+) to shift up a gear.
- Briefly pull the selector lever back (-) to shift down a gear.

N - Neutral

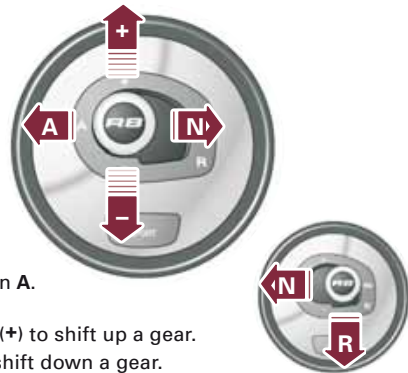
- Press the selector lever from position **A** towards the right (**N**) or from reverse gear (position **R**) towards the left (**A**).

R - Reverse gear

- With the vehicle stationary (engine idling), press the brake pedal and briefly press the selector lever from position **N** to **R**.

Sport function

Press the **SPORT** button to activate/deactivate the sport function. In the sport function mode, the engine's power reserves are utilised fully.



Switches for air conditioner

Control on left: Temperature selection

Control in middle: Switching air conditioner on/off and regulating blower speed.

Control on right: Air distribution

**Automatic mode**

Set the desired temperature and press the button.

**Air recirculation**

Circulates and filters the air in the interior of the vehicle


**Switching air cooling system on/off****Defrosting windscreen and side windows****Rear window heating**

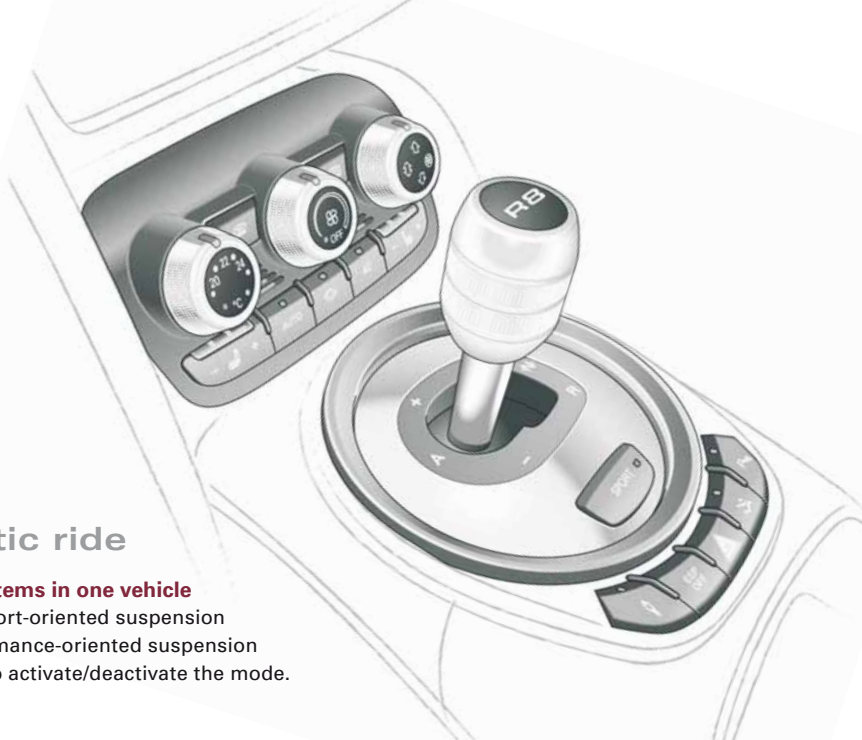
Audi magnetic ride

Two suspension systems in one vehicle

Normal driving mode: Comfort-oriented suspension

Sport driving mode: Performance-oriented suspension

Press the  button to activate/deactivate the mode.



Rear spoiler

To increase stability


The down force of the rear axle increases when the rear spoiler is extended.

Automatic mode:

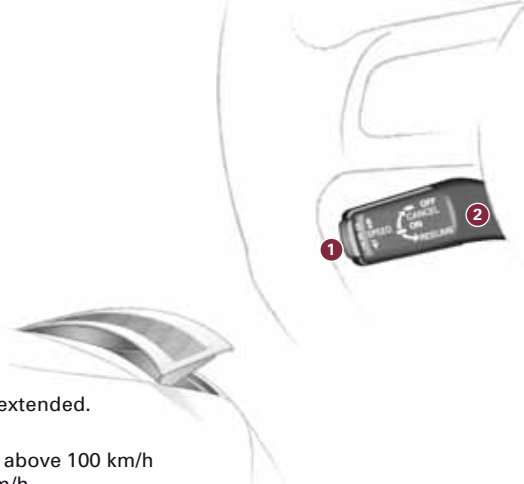
The rear spoiler extends at speeds above 100 km/h and retracts at speeds below 35 km/h.

Manual mode:


Briefly press the  button to extend the rear spoiler.

Briefly press the  button again (while driving between 20 km/h and 100 km/h) to retract the rear spoiler again.

Press and hold the  button (while driving below 20 km/h) to retract the rear spoiler.



Cruise control system

When the system is switched on, the indicator lamp  appears in the instrument cluster.

To switch on/off: Pull/press lever **2**.

To set speed: Press button **1**.

To adjust stored speed: Press lever up (*faster*) or down (*slower*).

Audi Navigation System plus

Components

① Driver information system

② Multi-function steering wheel

Scroll the **left thumbwheel** to select a menu item in the driver information system. Press the thumbwheel to confirm the selection.

Press the **MODE button** to switch between the active audio source and the navigation and telephone functions.

Briefly press the  button to switch on the speech dialogue system.

Speak after the *<beep>* e.g. say *<Help>* to call up the possible operating commands.

Press and hold the talk button to switch off the speech dialogue system.

Scroll the **right thumbwheel** to adjust the volume.

If you press the right thumbwheel, the last navigation cue will be repeated.





3 Display

4 Function selector buttons

Press one of the buttons (e.g. RADIO) to activate the desired mode.

5 ON/OFF button

To switch on: Press briefly.

To adjust volume: Turn.

To mute: Press briefly.

To switch off: Press and hold.

6 Control buttons

To activate one of the functions shown in the four corners of the display, press the control button for that corner of the display.

7 Rotary pushbutton

To select a menu item on display 3:

Turn the rotary pushbutton.

To confirm selection:

Press the rotary pushbutton.

Operating logic

The operating logic for accessing the functions is always the same.



A To call up the menu in a corner of the display: Press the corresponding button.

B To select: Turn the rotary pushbutton.

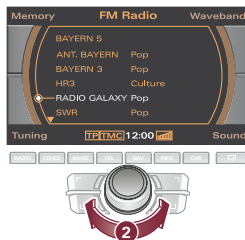
C To confirm: Press the rotary pushbutton.

Storing a radio station

- 1 Press the RADIO function selector button.



- 2 Turn the rotary pushbutton and select the desired station.

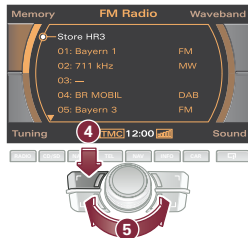


- 3 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm.

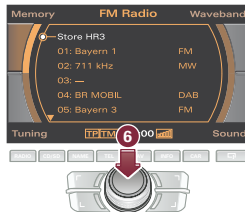


- 4 Press the control button for "Memory".

- 5 Turn the rotary pushbutton and, if desired, select "Store <station name>".



- 6 Press the rotary pushbutton. The next free position in the memory list will be highlighted.

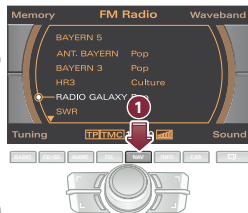


- 7 Turn the rotary pushbutton and select the desired memory position.

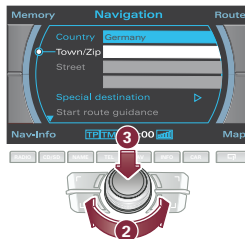


- 8 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm.

- 1 Press the NAV function selector button.

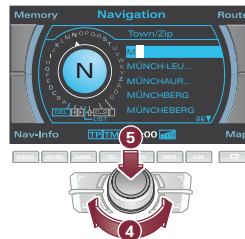


- 2 Turn the rotary pushbutton and select "Town/ZIP".



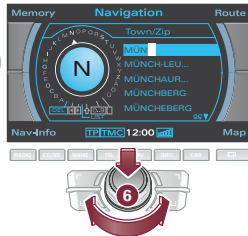
- 3 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm.

- 4 Turn the rotary pushbutton and select the first letter of the destination town.

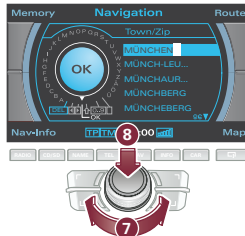


- 5 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm.

- 6 Repeat the above step to enter the remaining letters of the destination town until the name of the desired town appears on the display.

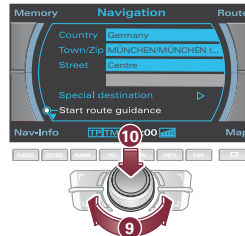


- 7 When you have entered the town, turn the rotary pushbutton and select "OK".



- 8 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm.

- 9 Select "Start route guidance" from the menu.



- 10 Press the rotary pushbutton to confirm. The route will be calculated.

Functions

Establishing a Bluetooth™ connection for a mobile phone


You can quickly connect a Bluetooth mobile phone to the onboard phone system on your navigation system:

- Switch on the ignition, navigation system and mobile phone.
- On your mobile phone, select the menu that looks for Bluetooth devices (e.g. "Hands-free").
- On the mobile phone, select "Audi UHV" and confirm.
- Enter the PIN "1234" on your mobile phone.




Memory cards























Loading:

- Press the  button to open the display.
- Insert the memory card into the reader slot as shown in the illustration and press in the memory card until you feel it click into place.

Removing:











- Press the  button to open the display.
- Press in the memory card. The card will be released and can then be removed from the reader slot.

Warning and indicator lamps

	Audi magnetic ride		Handbrake is applied
	Engine management ¹⁾		Anti-lock brake system ¹⁾
	Electronic stabilisation program (ESP)		Fuel level low
	Emission control system		Check engine oil level
	Main beam headlights		Engine oil sensor defective ¹⁾
	Rear spoiler		Brake pads worn ¹⁾
	Turn signals/hazard warning lights		Speed warning 1
	Cruise control system		Speed warning 2
	Airbag system ¹⁾		Washer fluid level low
	Alternator ¹⁾		Battery voltage ¹⁾
	Seat belt warning lamp		Bulb monitor

¹⁾ If this warning lamp lights up when driving, please contact a qualified workshop without delay.

Warning symbols

	Fault in the brake system
	Fault in the cooling system
	Engine oil pressure too low
	Tyre pressure too low
	Brake light failure
	Light sensor/rain sensor defective
	Selector lever defective ¹⁾
	No reverse gear ¹⁾
	Clutch overheating ²⁾
	Gearbox malfunction ²⁾

If one of these red symbols lights up in the display while you are driving, stop the car immediately, switch off the engine and refer to the Owner's Manual.

²⁾ If this warning lamp lights up, stop the car immediately and refer to the Owner's Manual.

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