

CAR GAZING

2018 AUDI A5 SPORTBACK

All-New A5 Sportback Bows

PRESS RELEASE

Joining the A5 model line, the all-new Audi A5 Sportback is making its United States debut. Featuring the distinctive Sportback body style, first introduced on the successful A7 model line, and generous interior space, the five-door coupe is a sporty yet functional choice for customers.

DESIGN

The 2018 A5 and S5 Sportback models mirror the coupe's breakthrough design language, featuring a wider, flatter Singleframe grille and longer, lower hood lines that highlight the powerful engines of the new A5 family vehicles. The precise wave-design shoulder line is more pronounced than previous generations and wider



The A5 Sportback, new for 2018, offers sleek styling cues to match its sophisticated performance.



Audi's virtual cockpit is available in the A5 Sportback for people who want leading-edge technology on the road.

wheel arches provide design cues to the vehicle's quattro DNA. Rear horizontal design lines joined by the slim, yet sculptural three-dimension LED taillights offer a distinctly powerful look and emphasize vehicle width.

The refined interior of the A5, with seating for up to five standard, includes greater attention to detail through functional refinements and additional driver-focused technologies. A three-dimensional decorative inlay trim with climate

control integration spans from the door panels across the dashboard and adds breadth and lightness. The available Bang & Olufsen sound system with 3D sound offers both an acoustic and visual highlight in the interior, and the standard panoramic sunroof helps bring light into the cabin.

POWER

Similar to the Coupe and Cabriolet models, the A5 Sportback comes

equipped with a 2.0-liter four-cylinder engine mated to a seven-speed S tronic dual-clutch automatic transmission that produces 252 hp and 273 lb-ft of torque and sprints from 0-60 mph in 5.7 seconds.

The S5 Sportback is equipped with a re-engineered 3.0-liter TFSI V6 engine to produce an impressive 354 hp and 369 lb-ft of torque and sprints from 0-60 mph in 4.5 seconds. The S5 is also newly equipped with an eight-

BY THE NUMBERS

Base price: \$42,600
Wheelbase: 111.2 in.
Length: 186.3 in.
Width: 79.9 in.
Height: 54.6 in.
Engine: 2.0-liter four cylinder, 252 hp, 273 lb.-ft. torque
Transmission: Seven-speed automatic
EPA Mileage: 24 city, 34 highway

speed Tiptronic automatic transmission that is well suited for the low-end torque of the new 3.0-liter turbocharged engine.

AMENITIES

The Sportback offers the same advanced infotainment systems as the A5 Coupe and Cabriolet models including the available Audi virtual cockpit, MMI touch with handwriting-recognition and newly available in-car Audi connect infotainment and security features, supported by 4G LTE connectivity. A full suite of advanced driver assistance systems, including standard Audi pre sense basic and city and available Audi adaptive cruise control with stop & go and traffic jam assist, help drivers navigate the road and traffic with confidence.