

AT-A-GLANCE

2025 Subaru Forester®

Base Premium Sport Limited Touring

- All-new sixth-generation Subaru Forester is the most advanced Forester model ever, featuring highest levels of safety as well as brand core technology including Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive and a SUBARU BOXER® engine.
- Forester model line for 2025 includes Base, Premium, Sport, Limited and Touring. (The Forester Wilderness remains unchanged and will continue for a time after the 2025 Forester launch.)
- Built on Subaru Global Platform for excellent straight-line stability, agility and ride comfort with low noise, vibration, and harshness; greater body torsional structural rigidity than the previous generation Forester thanks to revised full inner frame construction and wider application of structural adhesive.

New for 2025: Design

- Sleeker exterior design.
- Forester features different finishes on the front grille, side mirrors and inserts in the lower bumpers and side cladding to visually differentiate the trim levels. Headlights also feature different styling depending on trim.
- Base, Premium and Limited models feature raised ladder-type rails, while Sport and Touring models use a low-profile roof rail design.
- Forester Sport now features bronze-finish exterior accents as well as bronze-finish 19-inch alloy wheels.
- Touring gains 19-inch alloy wheels.
- Cargo capacity: up to 74.4 cu. ft. with 60/40 split rear seatbacks lowered for Base. All other trims have standard panoramic moonroof and so 69.1 cu. ft. cargo capacity.

New for 2025: Mechanical

- Revised 2.5-liter 4-cylinder SUBARU BOXER® engine delivers 180-hp and 178 lb.-ft. of torque with improved mid-range torque.
- Revised standard Lineartronic® CVT (continuously variable transmission) for improved performance and reduced noise; wider ratio spread and revised manual-mode ratios for more responsive driving feel; low shift mode for Base and Premium; Sport, Limited and Touring trims get 8-speed manual mode with steering wheel paddle-shift controls
- Revised torque-split for Standard Symmetrical All-Wheel Drive (Active AWD) for improved responsiveness and line tracing ability; uses an electronically managed continuously variable transfer clutch that adjusts the torque distribution based on acceleration, deceleration, and available traction.
- Improved X-MODE control operation; now automatically restores when speed drops back to 22 mph.
- Dual-pinion Electric Power-Assisted Steering, first used by Subaru on the WRX performance model, provides a more direct and natural steering feel and quicker response.
- All models now feature 12.4-inch front brake rotors and 11.8-inch rear rotors.

New for 2025: Interior Comfort and Tech

- Fully redesigned interior and seating for enhanced comfort and quieter ride.
- Dual-zone automatic climate control is now standard on all models and features voice controls.
- SUBARU STARLINK® Multimedia systems, including dual 7-inch screens on Base and 11.6-inch screens.

- ❑ Base trim comes standard with Apple CarPlay® and Android Auto™ connectivity. Premium trim and above feature wireless smartphone charging and wireless Apple CarPlay® and Android Auto™.
- ❑ Forester Sport StarTex seating surfaces feature new brown contrast stitching and bronze interior accents.
- ❑ Heated steering wheel now standard on Limited
- ❑ What3Words functionality included on models with navigation.

New for 2025: Safety

- ❑ Latest EyeSight® Driver Assist Technology features a redesigned stereo camera with significantly wider field of view, an additional monocular camera, and an electric brake booster to provide improved performance in a wider range of conditions.
- ❑ Full inner frame construction with reinforced structure for improved collision absorption.
- ❑ Automatic Emergency Steering works with EyeSight and Blind-Spot Detection to assist with steering control to help avoid a collision at speeds less than 50 MPH. (Included on models equipped with Blind-Spot Detection with Lane Change Assist and Rear Cross-Traffic Alert.)
- ❑ Rear Seat Reminder, standard on all models, is designed to help prevent child and/or pet entrapment by alerting the driver to check the rear seat before exiting the vehicle.
- ❑ Standard High Beam Assist (automatic high- and low-beam switching)
- ❑ Touring now includes standard 360-degree Surround View Monitor and Smart Rear-View Mirror.

Key Facts

- ❑ X-MODE with Hill Descent Control standard on Premium; dual-function X-MODE with Hill Descent Control standard on Sport, Limited, and Touring trims for increased capability in a wider range of

environmental conditions; system increases Active All-Wheel Drive engagement and features two driver-selectable settings: SNOW/DIRT and DEEP SNOW/MUD.

- ❑ Active Torque Vectoring standard on all models
- ❑ 8.7-in. road clearance with low step-in height (all models)
- ❑ Electronically controlled power-assisted dual diagonal brake system
- ❑ DriverFocus® Distraction Mitigation System (standard and exclusive for Touring trim) helps reduce distracted driving by identifying signs of driver fatigue and distraction.
- ❑ DriverFocus also features hand gesture set temperature adjustment function: driver can raise or lower climate control set temperature with wave of hand, further helping to reduce distraction.
- ❑ SI-DRIVE Engine Performance Management with “Intelligent” and “Sport” modes (Available Sport Sharp (S#) on Sport model)
- ❑ Active Torque Vectoring
- ❑ Auto Start–Stop fuel efficiency improvement technology
- ❑ Trailer Stability Assist
- ❑ SUBARU STARLINK Connected Services include comprehensive Safety Plus and Safety and Security Plus packages
- ❑ SUBARU STARLINK Concierge service offers personal assistance with tasks such as navigation, restaurant reservations and scheduling service appointments.

Basic Specifications

Body	5-passenger SUV
Wheelbase	105.1 in.
Length	183.3 in.
Height	68.1 in. (with roof rails)
Width	72.0 in. (81.2 with mirrors)
Base weight	3,510 lb.
Engine	DOHC 4-cyl. 2.5-liter BOXER, direct fuel injection
Horsepower	180@5,800 rpm

Torque 178 lb.-ft. @3,700 rpm
 Transmission Lineartronic CVT
 EPA MPG 26 city / 33 hwy / 29 combined

Standard Features

- EyeSight Driver Assist Technology includes:
 - Additional monocular camera
 - Advanced Adaptive Cruise Control with Lane Centering
 - Pre-Collision Braking
 - Pre-Collision Throttle Management
 - Lane Departure and Sway Warning
 - Lead Vehicle Start Alert
 - Lane Departure Prevention
- 4-wheel disc brakes with ABS
- 6-way manual driver seat with height adjuster
- 12-volt power outlets in center console and cargo area
- 17-inch alloy wheels, dark metallic with machine finish
- 225/60 R17 all-season tires
- 24-hour roadside assistance for original new-car limited warranty period
- Active Torque Vectoring
- Auto Vehicle Hold
- Auto-on/off headlights: automatic mode position; headlights auto-on/off also linked to windshield wiper operation
- Automatic LED headlight adjustment control
- Automatic power door lock/unlock (collision detection function for automatic unlock feature)
- Cargo area grocery bag hooks (4)
- Cargo area tie-down hooks (4)
- Cargo area headliner hooks (2)
- Cargo area utility hook screw-in anchor points (6)
- Cargo area LED light with off-delay
- Carpeted floor mats
- Dash panel with simulated leather and hexagonal patterned texture
- Day/night rear-view mirror
- Door center trim panel: seat upholstery design
- Dual visor vanity mirrors
- Dual-zone automatic climate control system with voice control and air filtration system
- Dual-pinion Electric power-assisted steering
- Electronic Parking Brake
- Front seatback pocket
- USB-A input/charge port and 3.5mm auxiliary input jack
- Front door courtesy lights
- Front seat head restraints: height and tilt-adjustable
- Fuel economy improvement technology: Active Grille Shutters in front bumper and Auto Stop/Start system
- Headlights/parking lights auto-off with ignition switch
- High grade LCD color combination meter display with 4.2-inch multi-information display
- Illuminated front storage console tray
- Illuminated ignition switch ring
- LED dome light with off-delay operation
- LED headlights (low and high beams) with automatic height adjustment, Steering Responsive Headlights and High Beam Assist
- LED rear gate light with off-delay
- Lineartronic continuously variable transmission (CVT) with low shift mode
- Overhead console with dual LED map lights with off-delay; shower light and sunglasses holder
- Power exterior mirrors, black, foldable
- Power fuel door lock
- Power windows with driver's one-touch auto-up/auto-down with pinch protection; illuminated switches for all doors
- Rear Seat Reminder
- Rear seatback with 60/40 split fold down
- Rear seat grab handle hooks
- Rear roof spoiler: body color with black edge and side panels
- Rear vision camera
- Rear window wiper with washer
- Remote keyless entry / security system and engine immobilizer
- Roof rails: raised ladder type with tie-down points
- SI-DRIVE Engine Performance Management
- Sound insulation windshield
- SUBARU STARLINK dual 7-inch Multimedia with 4-speaker audio system (integrated with Center Information Display) includes AM/FM stereo; Bluetooth hands-free phone and audio streaming;

- multi-touch gesture control; voice control; rear-vision camera display; SiriusXM® Platinum Plan and SiriusXM Travel Link (4-months free trial); HD Radio®; wired smartphone integration with Apple CarPlay, Android Auto wired connectivity and over-the-air updates
- Steering wheel audio and Bluetooth control switches
- SRS: Subaru Advanced Frontal Airbags, front seat side pelvis/torso airbags, side curtain airbags with rollover sensor, and driver's knee airbag
- Tilt and telescoping steering column
- Tire Pressure Monitoring System with pressure display for individual tires and automatic individual wheel I.D. registration
- Trailer Stability Assist
- Turn signals: one-touch lane changer
- Underguards: front and rear bumper and side, black with black inserts
- Upholstery: hexagonal patterned cloth with blue stitching
- Vehicle Dynamics Control
- Welcome Lighting
- Whiplash-reducing front seats
- Windshield wipers with intermittent feature, variable timer and washer
- High grade LCD color combination meter display adds illuminated instrument rings
- Hill Descent Control
- Illuminated glovebox
- Keyless Access with Push-Button Start and PIN Code Access; driver's and front passenger door and rear gate sensors
- Leather-wrapped steering wheel with silver stitching
- LED fog lights
- Panoramic power moonroof
- Power windows with off-delay
- Rear center console storage tray
- Rear roof spoiler: Crystal Black Silica with black edge and end panels
- Rear seat climate control outlets
- Rear seat fold down armrest with dual cup holders
- Reclining rear seatback
- SUBARU STARLINK 11.6-inch Multimedia Plus system (integrated with Center Information Display) with 6-speaker audio system includes all features of the Dual 7-inch system plus 11.6-inch display, valet mode; SiriusXM with 360L (Platinum Plan) (4-months free trial)
- SUBARU STARLINK Safety Plus (3-year free subscription); Safety Plus & Security Plus package (6-month free subscription) and Concierge package (subscription required)
- SUBARU STARLINK Wi-Fi hotspot (requires active AT&T subscription)
- Upholstery: premium textured cloth with blue stitching
- X-MODE with Hill Descent Control

Premium adds over Base:

- 10-way power driver's seat with power lumbar support
- All-Weather Package with heated front seats, heated exterior mirrors and windshield wiper de-icer
- Auto-up/down driver and front passenger windows with pinch protection
- Automatic transmission shift lever boot: simulated leather with silver stitching
- Cargo area cover (retractable)
- Center console storage box lid: simulated leather with blue stitching
- Dark-tint rear privacy glass
- Dark gray color for power exterior mirrors
- Driver and passenger front seatback pockets: divided
- Dual illuminated visor vanity mirrors
- Front center console: dual USB-A / USB-C charge ports and wireless charger
- Front grille: black base with dark gray bars and silver insert

Option package for Premium adds:

- Driver-Assist Technology: Automatic Emergency Steering and Blind-Spot Detection with Lane Change Assist and Rear Cross-Traffic Alert
- Power rear gate with automatic close, height memory and hands-free foot activation sensor

Sport adds over Premium

- Driver-Assist Technology: Automatic Emergency Steering and Blind-Spot Detection with Lane Change Assist and Rear Cross-Traffic Alert

- 8-speed manual shift mode and steering wheel paddle-shift controls for Lineartronic® CVT
- 19-inch alloy wheels with bronze finish
- 235/50 R19 all-season tires
- Automatic transmission shift lever boot: simulated leather with brown stitching
- Bumper and side underguards: black with bronze color inserts
- Chrome inner interior door handles
- Dash panel with simulated leather and hexagonal patterned texture: dark gray
- Door trim panel armrests: simulated leather with brown stitching
- Floor mats: carpeted with Sport logo on front mats
- Front center console side panel: simulated leather with brown stitching
- Front grille: gloss black base with gloss black bars and accent
- Leather-wrapped steering wheel with gloss black spokes, bronze center spoke insert and brown stitching
- Power exterior mirrors: Crystal Black Silica, foldable with integrated turn signals
- Rear center console storage box lid: simulated leather with brown stitching
- Roof rails: low-profile, gloss black finish
- Upholstery: gray Sport StarTex® with brown stitching
- X-MODE: dual-function system with Hill Descent Control

Option package for Sport adds:

- Driver assist technology: Reverse Automatic Braking system
- Harman Kardon® 11-speaker audio system with subwoofer and 576-watt equivalent amplifier
- Power rear gate with automatic close height memory and hands-free foot activation sensor
- SI-DRIVE Engine Performance Management with Intelligent and Sport Sharp modes

Limited adds over Premium

- 18-inch alloy wheels, dark metallic with machine finish
- 225/55 R18 all-season tires

- 8-speed manual shift mode and steering wheel paddle-shift control for Lineartronic® CVT
- 8-way power front passenger seat
- Automatic LED headlight height adjustment control
- Chrome interior door handles
- Driver-Assist Technology: Automatic Emergency Steering and Blind-Spot Detection with Lane Change Assist and Rear Cross-Traffic Alert and
- Dash panel with silver stitching
- Front turn signals: LED tube type with silver accents
- Heated steering wheel
- Leather-wrapped steering wheel with dark silver spokes and silver stitching
- Passenger side decorative trim with blue stitching and simulated wood accent
- Perforated leather-trimmed upholstery with blue stitching
- Power exterior mirrors: dark gray, foldable with integrated turn signals
- Power rear gate with automatic close height memory and hands-free foot activation sensor
- Rear seatback release levers in cargo area
- Stainless steel tailpipe tip
- Bumper and side underguards: black with dark gray inserts
- X-MODE: dual-function system with Hill Descent Control

Option package for Limited adds:

- Driver Assist Technology: Reverse Automatic Braking System
- Harman Kardon® 11-speaker audio system with subwoofer and 576-watt equivalent amplifier
- SUBARU STARLINK 11.6-inch Multimedia Navigation system uses TomTom navigation software with What3Words functionality

Touring adds over Limited

- 19-inch alloy wheels, dark gray with machine finish
- 235/50 R19 99V all-season tires
- 360-degree Surround View Monitor
- Automatic transmission shift lever boot: simulated leather with brown stitching

- ❑ Bumper and side underguards: black with gloss black inserts
- ❑ Door trim panel armrests: simulated leather with brown or silver stitching
- ❑ Driver Assist Technology: DriverFocus® Distraction Mitigation System with hand gesture set temperature adjustment
- ❑ Driver Assist Technology: Reverse Automatic Braking
- ❑ 10-way power driver's seat adds 2-position memory (with power lumbar support)
- ❑ Door trim panel armrests: simulated leather with brown or silver stitching
- ❑ Power exterior mirrors: Crystal Black Silica, foldable with integrated turn signals; two-position memory synchronized with driver's seat position memory, and passenger side auto tilt-down with reverse gear selection
- ❑ Floor mats: carpeted with Touring logo on front mats
- ❑ Front center console side panel: simulated leather with brown or silver stitching
- ❑ Front grille: gloss black base with gloss black bars and silver insert
- ❑ Harman Kardon® 11-speaker audio system with subwoofer and 576-watt equivalent amplifier
- ❑ Heated and ventilated front seats
- ❑ Heated rear seat: outboard positions
- ❑ Perforated leather-trimmed upholstery: Black with suede bolsters and bronze stitching or Brown suede bolsters and silver and brown stitching
- ❑ Roof rails: low profile, gloss black finish
- ❑ Smart Rear View Mirror
- ❑ Steering wheel: leather-wrapped with gloss black spokes and brown stitching
- ❑ SUBARU STARLINK 11.6-inch Multimedia Navigation system uses TomTom navigation software with What3Words functionality