

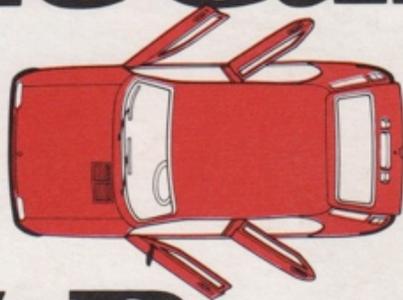


Renault has just made Europe's number one car even better. Introducing the new 5-door Renault Le Car. Built to the same demanding standards as the popular 3-door hatchback, this newest Le Car offers the extra comfort and convenience of two more doors. Now you can choose between a 2-door or a 4-door Le Car — both with wide-opening hatchback.

Like its predecessor, the new 5-door Le Car features front-wheel drive for superb traction and handling (Renault pioneered front-wheel drive more than twenty years ago, and has produced more front-wheel drive cars than any automobile manufacturer in the world!). A four-wheel fully independent suspension system and rack-and-pinion steering combine luxury car ride with sports car maneuverability. Standard road-gripping Michelin steel-belted radial tires offer exceptional stability and skid resistance in rain, mud, ice or snow. And self-adjusting power front disc brakes contribute toward sure, safe stops.

Whether it's car pooling to work or taxiing the kids off to school, the new 5-door Le Car takes it all in stride. Spirited performance, remarkable handling and now the extra convenience of five doors. What more could you ask for in a small car?

Renault Le Car



5-Door



Born into a tradition of competitive racing, the new 5-door Le Car offers excellent handling and performance for a car of its size. It zips through traffic with incredible ease, and is equally adept on the open road. A responsive 1.4 liter 4-cylinder engine and all-synchromesh 4-speed manual transmission afford smooth acceleration and precise driving control.

Available in a Deluxe model only, the 5-door Le Car features fully reclining front bucket seats that are biomechanically-engineered to decrease driving fatigue while increasing passenger comfort. Thanks to front-wheel drive, the transmission "hump" has been eliminated, so there's more room for long legs. Its huge rear hatch lifts from the bumper, providing 9.1 cubic feet of covered cargo space (by flipping down the rear seat, you more than triple its capacity to 31.5 cubic feet!). And its four wide opening doors offer passengers an easier,

more convenient entry and exit.

Finishing touches on the 5-door Le Car include dent-resistant fiberglass bumpers, electronic ignition, electric rear window defogger, full carpeting and extra quiet insulation, to name a few. Plus a full range of options and accessories are available to complement your lifestyle.

Renault Le Car 5-door. Practical, agile, comfortable and fun. Isn't it time you took one for a test drive?



RENAULT LE CAR 5-DOOR TECHNICAL DATA

DIMENSIONS, CAPACITIES

Length: 142.5 in. (3621 mm) Wheelbase: 95.2 in. (2419 mm) Width: 60.0 in. (1525 mm) Height: 55.0 in. (1398 mm) Luggage compartment: 9.1 cu. ft. (31.5 cu. ft. with rear seat folded) Fuel tank: 10 gallons (38 liters) Curb weight: 1865 lbs. (845 kg)

SPECIFICATIONS

Engine: 1.4 liter, 85.25 CID (1397 cc) cast iron block, aluminum head, OHV 4-cylinder in-line
Ignition: Breakerless electronic
Drivetrain: Front-wheel drive
Transmission: Fully synchronized 4-speed manual transaxle
Chassis: Unitized monocoque body with undercoating and rust-resistant coating
Suspension, front: Independent, unequal length control arms, torsion bars, double-acting hydraulic telescopic shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Suspension, rear: Independent, pure trailing arms, torsion bars, double-acting hydraulic telescopic shock absorbers, stabilizer bar
Steering: Rack-and-pinion; 21.75:1 ratio
Turning circle: 32.0 ft. (9.74 m) curb-to-curb
Brakes: Self-adjusting power front disc brakes; rear drum brakes and load sensitive pressure limiting valve
Tires: 145SR x 13 Michelin XZX steel-belted radials

EQUIPMENT

Additional standard features on the Renault Le Car 5-door include: Thermostatically controlled electric engine cooling fan Rear window defogger Extra quiet insulation Full carpeting Fully reclining bucket seats in cloth or grained vinyl upholstery Removable carpeted rear parcel shelf Flow through ventilation Side window defoggers Column-mounted controls: washer/wiper, lights, horn, turn indicator Fold down rear seat Front door armrests with integral map pockets Soft feel steering wheel and instrument panel overlay Courtesy lights Passenger assist handles with coat hooks Passenger side visor vanity mirror Radio console and mini console Cigar lighter Inside hood release Day/night mirror Extensive bright moldings Bodyside scuff moldings Deluxe chrome wheel trim rings Deluxe rally stripes And more

1981 EPA MILEAGE DATA*

	EST. MPG	HWY. EST.
49 States	29	39
California	29	40

*Remember: Compare this estimate with estimated mpg for other cars. Your actual mileage may differ depending on speed, trip length and weather. Your highway mileage will probably be lower.

COLORS

Monte Carlo White Rally Red Beige
 Blue Metallic Clearcoat Silver Metallic Clearcoat Dark Green Metallic Clearcoat

LIMITED WARRANTY

Renault Le Car is protected by a Limited Warranty for the earlier of 12 months or 12,000 miles (19,200 km) from the date of delivery or first use, whichever comes first. Complete details of the 1981 AMSC Renault Warranty and associated coverages are contained in the Warranty and Maintenance Guide booklet located in each Renault vehicle. Related features include: Trip Interruption Protection Three (3) Year Perforation from Corrosion Limited Warranty Optional Service Security Plan for added service protection up to 36 months/50,000 miles.

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