PRELIMINARY TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Dodge Nitro (Outside North America)

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General Information

Body Style Four-door sport-utility

Assembly Plant Toledo North Assembly Plant, Ohio (USA)

Engines

3.7-litre V-6 Petrol Engine

Availability Standard on Nitro SE and SXT

Type and Description 90-degree V-6, liquid-cooled with balance shaft

Displacement 3.7 litres (3700cc / 225.8 cu. in.)

Bore x Stroke 93mm x 90.8mm (3.66 in. x 2.31 in.)

Compression Ratio 9.6:1

Maximum Power (estimated) 157 kW (213 hp DIN) @ 5200 rpm Maximum Torque (estimated) 319 Nm (235 lb.-ft.) @ 4000 rpm

Emission Class Euro 4

4.0-litre V-6 Petrol Engine

Availability Standard on Nitro R/T

Type and Description 60-degree bank angle, liquid-cooled, with

three-plenum intake manifold, electronically controlled manifold tuning valve and short-

runner valves

Displacement 4.0 litres (3952cc / 241.2 cu. in.)

Bore x Stroke 96mm x 91mm (3.78 in. x 3.58 in.)

Compression Ratio 10.3:1

Maximum Power (estimated) 194 kW (263 hp DIN) @ 6000 rpm Maximum Torque (estimated) 359 Nm (265 lb.-ft.) @ 4200 rpm

Emission Class Euro 4

2.8-litre Turbo Diesel Engine

Availability Optional on Nitro SE, SXT and R/T

Type and Description Common-rail diesel, four-cylinder, in-line,

turbocharged

Displacement 2.8 litres (2766cc / 169 cu. in.)

Bore x Stroke 94mm x 100mm (3.7 in. x 3.94 in.)

Compression Ratio 17.5:1

Maximum Power (estimated) 134 kW (182 hp DIN) @ 3800 rpm Maximum Torque (estimated) 460 Nm (340 lb.-ft.) @ 1800 rpm

Emission Class Euro 4

Transmissions

Four-speed Automatic

Availability Standard with 3.7-litre V-6 petrol engine

Description 42RLE: Four-speed, overdrive, adaptive electronic

control, electronically controlled converter clutch

Five-speed Automatic

Availability Standard with 4.0-litre V-6 petrol engine, optional

with 2.8-litre turbo diesel engine

Description A 580: Five-speed, overdrive, adaptive electronic

control, Electronic Range Select (ERS) and

electronically modulated torque converter clutch

Six-speed Manual

Availability Standard with 2.8-litre turbo diesel engine

Description NSG 370: Six-speed, overdrive, synchronised in all

forward gears and reverse, multi-rail shift system

with top-mounted shift lever

Drivetrains

Part-time 4x4 System

Availability Standard with 3.7-litre V-6 petrol and 2.8-litre turbo

diesel engines

Type MP 143 GII: Single-speed, part-time

Operating Ranges 2WD, 4WD part-time, electronically shifted

Torque Split 50/50 per cent front/rear

Full-time 4x4 System

Availability Standard with 4.0-litre V-6 petrol engine

Type MP 140 GII: Single-speed, full-time

Operating Range 4WD full-time

Centre Differential Type Planetary

Torque Split 48/52 per cent front/rear

Chassis and Running Gear

Front Suspension Upper and lower "A" arms, coil springs, low-

pressure gas-charged shock absorbers, stabiliser

bar

Rear Suspension Live axle, upper and lower trailing arms, track bar,

coil springs, low-pressure gas-charged shock

absorbers, stabiliser bar

Steering Type Power rack-and-pinion

Wheels and Tyres (standard fit) SE: 16 in. x 7 in. painted steel wheels with

P235/70R17 all-season tyres

SXT: 17 in. x 7 in. painted cast aluminium wheels

with P235/65R17 all-season tyres

R/T: 20 in. x 7.5 in. platinum-finish cast aluminium

wheels with P245/50R20 all-season tyres

Brakes Four-wheel disc brakes with ABS

Dimensions and Accommodations

Dimensions are in millimetres (inches) unless otherwise noted.

Overall Length 4584 (180.5)

Overall Width 1857 (73.1) without mirrors

 Overall Height
 1775 (69.9)

 Wheelbase
 2763 (108.8)

 Track, Front
 1549 (61)

 Track, Rear
 1549 (61)

Seating Capacity Two front, three rear

Cargo Compartment Volume 909 litres (32.1 cu. ft.), SAE standard – estimated