

# INDEX - VICs (VEHICLE INSTRUCTION CARD)

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# VEHICLE INSTRUCTION CARD SUPPLEMENT

No responsibility is accepted for inaccuracies or misunderstanding caused by the wording of this guide. If in any doubt ask a member of staff for assistance.

## DEADLOCKS

Deadlock / safelock messages shown on the instrument display when the engine is turned off simply indicate that once you exit the vehicle and lock the doors, they're effectively deadlocked and anyone left in the car wouldn't be able to get out in the event of an emergency. The warning is nothing to worry about and is just a standard advisory message.

## WARNING LIGHTS AND WHAT THEY MEAN

Don't panic! Despite seeing a new light pop-up on your instrument panel, unless it is red it is likely the car is still running fine, and while there may be a problem to attend to, proceed with confidence and patience.

### **RED**

Red indicates a potentially serious problem or safety issue. Attend to it! Red may also indicate an important reminder.

### **YELLOW**

Yellow/orange means something needs to be serviced or repaired soon. If it is flashing, it is important that you contact your rental agent for advice.

### **GREEN**

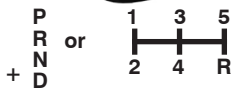
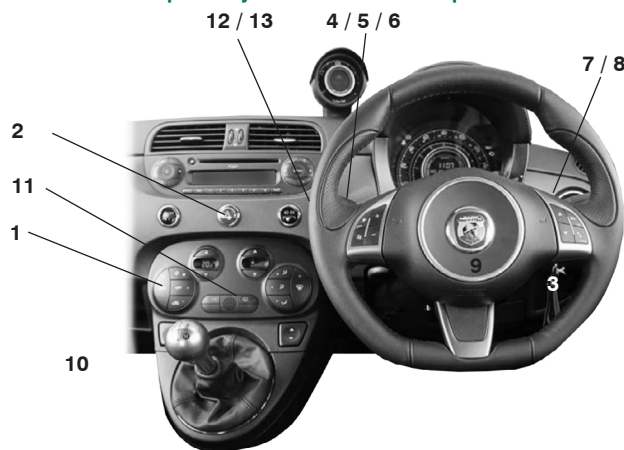
Green or blue is only telling you that a system is on or operating normally.

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**For assistance after an accident/incident, please call 0800 0280 999**  
 For assistance after a breakdown or help with tyres or windscreens please refer to the numbers on the tax disc holder.

## CONTROLS

- 1 Heating & Ventilation
- 2 Hazard Lights
- 3 Starter Switch
- 4 Headlights
- 5 Sidelights
- 6 Indicators
- 7 Wipers
- 8 Rear Screen Wipers
- 9 Horn
- 10 Bonnet Release
- 11 Heated Rear Screen
- 12 Rear Fog Lamp
- 13 Front Fog Lamp



### CAUTION!

When parked, the handbrake should be fully applied with the vehicle left in first or reverse gear for vehicles equipped with manual transmission or P (Park) for vehicles with automatic transmission.

## TYRE PRESSURES (COLD)

Check tyre pressure regularly  
 Legal minimum tread depth is 1.6 mm

- 195/45 R16
- 205/40 R17

Consult the tyre pressure tables found on the driver's door B-pillar or inside the fuel filler cap.

This vehicle may not carry a spare wheel but is supplied with a tyre repair kit. For assistance, please refer to the phone numbers shown on the tax disc holder.

**NOTE: SHOULD THIS VEHICLE NOT BE SUPPLIED WITH A SPARE WHEEL, PLEASE REFER TO THE TELEPHONE NUMBERS SHOWN ON THE TAX DISC HOLDER.**

## FUEL

Ensure you use the correct fuel type. Only use unleaded petrol in petrol vehicles (see inside of filler flap).

Fuel Tank Capacity:  
 35.0 litres

## IN CASE OF BREAKDOWN

Use hazard lights. Attempt to park in a safe position.

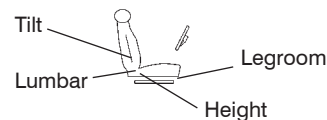
Use an emergency phone rather than a mobile as emergency services will then know the location of the vehicle.

## CHILD SEATS

Never use a child seat in a front passenger seat which is fitted with an active airbag (SRS). Follow all fitting instructions carefully.

Check seat positioning and security before use.

## DRIVER'S SEAT



Fold front seats to access rear.

Vehicle specifications are subject to change. When the engine is turned off, ensure that the starter switch is in position II when operating electrical items such as door mirrors and windows, etc. **This vehicle does not include any manufacturer handbooks or manuals.**

## USEFUL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR VEHICLE

- Locking the doors?** Key / remote control operated central dead locking. Depress the door central locking switch on the driver's door to lock the doors from the inside. Doors auto lock on vehicle motion.
- Anti-theft system?** Some models are fitted with a remote anti-theft alarm. Passive arming of immobiliser when key is removed.
- Opening the boot/ tailgate?** Centrally locked. Use the remote key or internal boot release switch to unlock / open. Press the badge logo on the boot to open it.
- Adjusting door mirrors?** Internal electric adjustment via a control pad on the driver's door.
- Opening the windows?** Electric front operated via control buttons adjacent to gear shift lever. Manually operated rear.
- Operating the sunroof?** If fitted. Electric tilt / slide panoramic sunroof. Use the roof mounted switchgear to operate it.
- Starting the engine?** Ensure gear selector is in neutral (or N or P if automatic) and handbrake is on. Place ignition key into key slot and turn it to start/stop the engine. Select desired gear. Release handbrake and brake pedal and gently press the accelerator to move the vehicle. The vehicle may feature automatic engine start/stop technology - auto restart on depression of the clutch.
- Opening fuel filler cap?** Located under flap on rear offside. Lift the edge of the flap to open it, centrally locked, twist off the cap anticlockwise.
- Releasing the bonnet?** Pull bonnet release lever located to the lower left of the front passenger footwell. Unhook catch under bonnet.
- Folding the rear seats?** The rear seat is divided into sections which can be folded separately. To release the seat press the seat unlocking catch and fold the seat down. To return the seat to normal use, raise the seat and push it firmly to engage the seat lock. Check it is locked before using the seat.
- How to change a tyre?** Lift the carpet cover over the recess inside the boot to access the tyre repair kit, tools and jack. Move the vehicle to firm / level ground. Turn the engine off, select first gear (or P if automatic). Apply the handbrake. Only use the specific reinforced jack points on the underside of the vehicle. Crank the jack to lift the vehicle. Note: this vehicle does not carry a spare wheel - follow directions on tyre repair kit or for assistance please refer to the phone numbers shown on the tax disc holder.
- How to drive an automatic?** To change gears press the button on the shift lever and move the lever forwards or backwards in the gear gate. Select **N** for neutral, **P** when leaving the vehicle, **R** for reversing (the vehicle must be at a complete standstill before this gear can be selected). For normal driving select **D** where the transmission will use all available forward gears automatically (a 'kickdown' facility is provided when the accelerator is pressed all the way to the floor past the normal acceleration point forcing the transmission to select a lower gear to obtain maximum acceleration. To manually select gears move the gear shift lever into the + and - positions to change gears up or down. Release pressure on the accelerator to return to normal accelerator use). Whenever the vehicle is at a standstill apply the handbrake.