

MINI Cooper

MINI Cooper 1.5 Base, RHD





DETAILS OF TESTED CAR

SPECIFICATIONS

Tested model	MINI Cooper 1.5 Base, RHD
Body type	3 door hatchback
Year of publication	2014
Kerb weight	1085kg
VIN from which rating applies	applies to all MINI Coopers of the specification tested

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Pre-tensionersDriver (single), Passenger (single)Load-limitersDriver, PassengerKnee airbagsNoneSide airbagsHead (front and rear), Thorax (front only)Front head restraintsPassivePassenger airbag switchNoneISOFIX anchoragesRear outboard seatsIntegrated child restraintNoneActive Pedestrian Protectiondeployable bonnet, StandardSeatbelt ReminderDriver, Passenger, RearElectronic Stability ControlESP, Standard, Manual SwitchSpeed Assistance SystemsDriver-set speed limitation, Optional (meeting fitment requirements)Autonomous BrakingOptional (not meeting fitment requirements)		
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Autonomous Braking Optional (not meeting fitment requirements)	Speed Assistance Systems	Driver-set speed limitation, Optional (meeting fitment requirements)
	Lane Support	Not available
Other 'Cornering Brake Control'; 'Tyre pressure control'	Autonomous Braking	Optional (not meeting fitment requirements)
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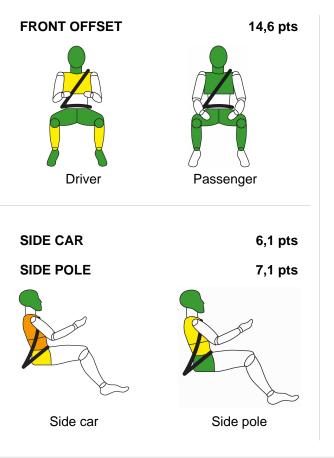
Safety equipment is standard across the model range unless stated otherwise



ADULT OCCUPANT

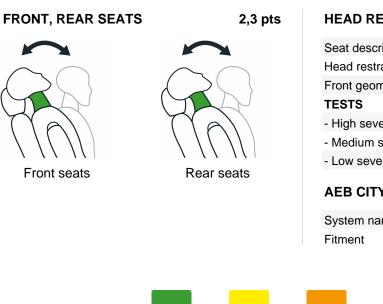
Total 30 pts | 79%

CRASH TEST PERFORMANCE



HEAD	
Driver airbag contact	stable
Passenger airbag contact	stable
CHEST	
Passenger compartment	stable
Windscreen Pillar rearward	18mm
Steering wheel rearward	none
Steering wheel upward	none
Chest contact with steering wheel	none
UPPER LEGS, KNEES AND PE	LVIS
Stiff structures in dashboard	none
Concentrated loads on knees	none
LOWER LEGS AND FEET	
Footwell Collapse	none
Rearward pedal movement	Brake - 51.863mm
Upward pedal movement	Brake - 16.702mm
SIDE	
Head protection airbag	Yes
Chest protection airbag	Yes

WHIPLASH PROTECTION



GOOD

ADEQUATE

HEAD RESTRAINT

FRONT OFFSET

Seat description	Standard cloth, 6 way manual
Head restraint type	Passive
Front geometric assessment	1,7 pts
TESTS	
- High severity	1,6 pts
- Medium severity	2,7 pts
- Low severity	2,6 pts
AEB CITY	0 pts
System name	Not applicable
Fitment	Optional (not meeting fitment requirements)

CHILD OCCUPANT



Total 36 pts | 73%

CRASH TEST PERFORMANCE

18 MONTH OLD CHILD	FRONTAL IMPACT	
Restraint Takata Mini	Head forward movement	protected
Facing rearward facing	Head acceleration	good
Installation Adult seatbelt	Chest load	fair
PERFORMANCE 10,4 pts	SIDE IMPACT	
	Head containment	protected
	Head acceleration	good
3 YEAR OLD CHILD	FRONTAL IMPACT	
3 YEAR OLD CHILD Restraint Römer Duo Plus	FRONTAL IMPACT Head forward movement	protected
		protected good
Restraint Römer Duo Plus	Head forward movement	
RestraintRömer Duo PlusFacingforward facing	Head forward movement Head acceleration Chest load SIDE IMPACT	good fair
RestraintRömer Duo PlusFacingforward facingInstallationISOFIX and TopTether	Head forward movement Head acceleration Chest load	good

CHILD SAFETY FEATURES AND CRS INSTALLATION CHECK



Maxi Cosi Cabriofix (Seatbelt) Römer King Plus (Seatbelt) Römer Duo Plus (ISOFIX) Römer KidFix (Seatbelt)

Maxi Cosi Cabriofix and EasyFix (Seatbelt) Maxi Cosi Cabriofix and EasyFix (ISOFIX)

BeSafe iZi Kid X3 ISOfix (ISOFIX) Maxi Cosi Pearl and Familyfix (ISOFIX)

Römer KidFix (ISOFIX) Takata Mini (Seatbelt)

Römer Duo Plus (ISOFIX)



N/A

Exempt

Pass

Safety fe	atures so	ore	4 p	ots			
Installati	on check	score	10,	8 pts			
Pass			Ins	tall witho	ut proble	m	
Partial Fa				are			
Fail		Safety critical problem					
Exempt		Installation not allowed					
	SEAT POSITION						
FRC	DNT		2nd ROW			3rd ROW	
CENTER	RIGHT	LEFT	CENTER	RIGHT	LEFT	CENTER	RIGHT
N/A	Pass	Pass	N/A	P Fail	N/A	N/A	N/A
N/A	Pass	Pass	N/A	Pass	N/A	N/A	N/A
N/A	Exempt	Pass	N/A	Pass	N/A	N/A	N/A
N/A	Pass	Pass	N/A	Pass	N/A	N/A	N/A
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N/A	Pass	Pass	N/A	Pass	N/A	N/A	N/A
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N/A

Pass

N/A

N/A

N/A



SAFETY ASSIST

SPEED ASSISTANCE SYSTEM	1,3 pts

Optional (meeting fitment requirements)	
Speed Information	Not applicable
Speed Assistance (Manual)	Pass

ELECTRONIC STABILITY CONTROL (ESC) 3 pts

- ESP

Meets requirements

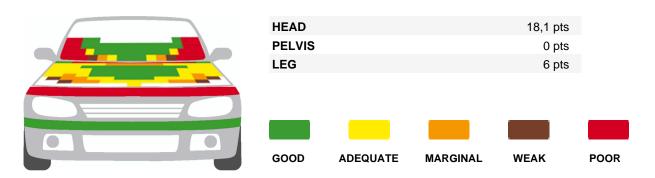
Total 7 pts | 56%

SEATBELT REMINDER	3 pts
- driver and passenger - rear	Pass Pass
LANE SUPPORT SYSTEMS	0 pts
Not available	
	0

PEDESTRIAN



Total 24 pts | 66%



COMMENTS

Adult occupant

The passenger compartment remained stable in the frontal impact. Dummy readings indicated good protection of the knees and femurs of the driver and passenger. MINI showed that a similar level of protection would be provided to occupants of different sizes and to those sat in different positions, whose knees might strike the dashboard at a different location to that seen in the test. In the side barrier test, forces were transmitted to parts of the dummy which are not representative of a human body, reducing the load on the ribs. These forces resulted in the maximum penalty being applied to the chest score and the assessment being downgraded from good to marginal. Loads on the abdomen also indicated marginal protection. In the pole test, protection against whiplash injury in the event of a rear-end collision, while a geometric assessment of the rear seats indicated that the protection there would also be good. An autonomous emergency braking system is available which works at low, city-type speeds. As it is an option, it was not included in the assessment.

Child occupant

In the frontal impact, decelerations in the chest of the 1½ year dummy were marginally high, despite the dummy being sat in a rearward-facing restraint. Forward movement of the head of the 3 year dummy, sat in a forward-facing restraint, was not excessive but forces in the chest and neck were also marginally high. The front passenger airbag can be disabled to allow a rearward-facing restraint to be used in that seating position. However, no information is provided to the driver if the airbag is still armed and unsafe for a child restraint, and the system was not rewarded. All of the child restraints for which the car is designed could be installed and accommodated, except for the Group 0+ restraint used for the assessment (Maxi-Cosi Cabriofix). While this restraint could be properly accommodated in the car, installation in the rear passenger seat was difficult. Height adjustment is an option on the front passenger seat and, without this, installing the restraint in the rear requires more actions than Euro NCAP considers suitable, and zero points were awarded.

Pedestrian

The bumper provided good protection to pedestrians' legs and scored maximum points. However, the front edge of the bonnet was poor at all test locations and scored no points. The MINI has an active bonnet. The system detects when a pedestrian has been struck and uses actuators to raise the bonnet, providing extra clearance to the hard structures in the engine bay. MINI showed that the system worked robustly for a variety of pedestrian statures and over a range of speeds. Accordingly the bonnet was tested in the deployed (raised) position and results were predominantly good or adequate.

Safety assist

Electronic stability control is standard equipment on the MINI, as is a seatbelt reminder for the front and rear seats. A driver-set speed limitation device is an option. As it is expected to be fitted to most cars sold, it was included in the assessment. An autonomous emergency braking system is available as an option but is not expected to be fitted to most of the cars sold, so it was not included in the rating. The MINI does not have a lane assistance system.