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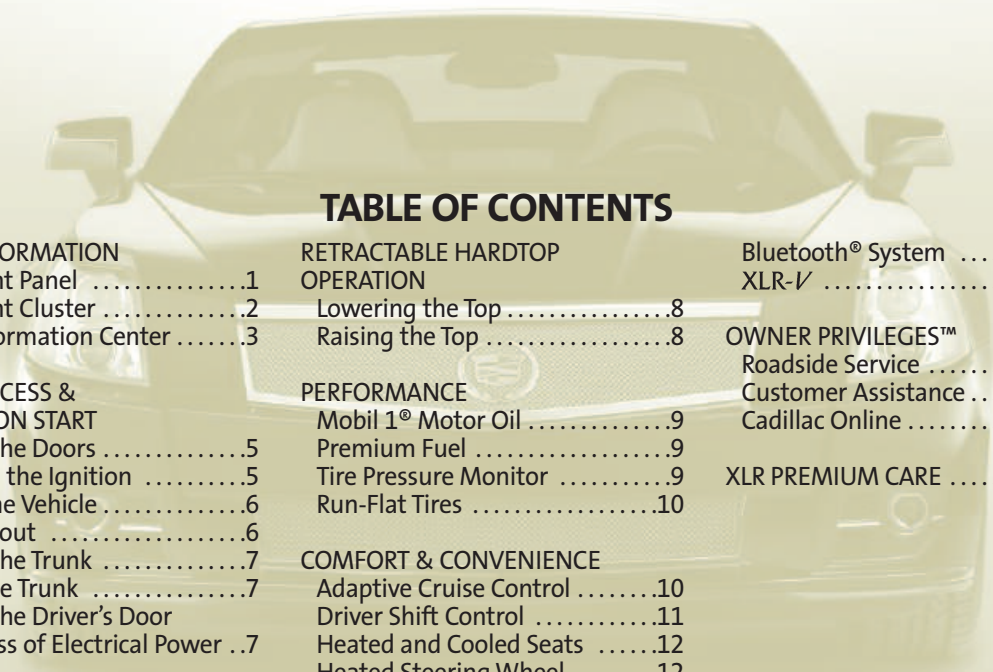
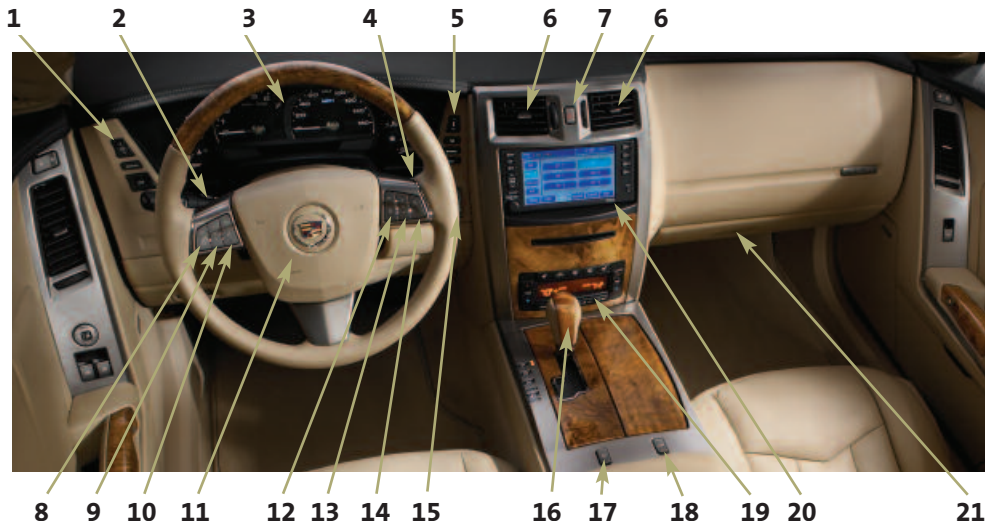


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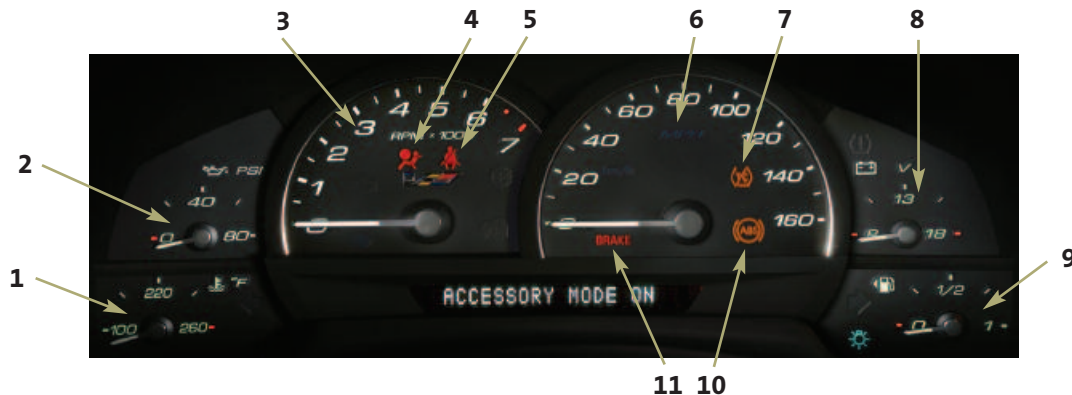
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| 1. Head-Up Display (HUD) Controls | 8. Cruise Control Cancel Button | 14. Mute/Voice Recognition |
| 2. Turn Signal/Multifunction Lever | 9. Audio Seek* or Adaptive Cruise Control Gap Setting* | 15. Pushbutton Start |
| 3. Instrument Cluster | 10. Source Control/Heated Steering Wheel | 16. Shift Lever |
| 4. Windshield Wiper/Washer Lever | 11. Horn | 17. Traction Control Button |
| 5. Driver Information Center (DIC) Controls | 12. Audio Preset Button | 18. Retractable Hardtop Control |
| 6. Air Outlets | 13. Volume Button | 19. Climate Controls |
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| | | 21. Glove Box |

Refer to Owner Manual for further information. *if equipped

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Engine Coolant Temperature Gage 2. Engine Oil Pressure Gage 3. Tachometer 4. Air Bag Readiness Light 5. Safety Belt Reminder Light 6. Speedometer | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Traction Control System Warning Light 8. Voltmeter 9. Fuel Gage 10. Anti-Lock Brake System Warning Light 11. Brake System Warning Light |
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Note: The instrument panel cluster is designed to let you know about many important aspects of your vehicle's operation. It is important to read your Owner Manual and become familiar with the information being relayed to you by the lights, gages and indicators, as well as what action can be taken to ensure safety and to prevent damage.

DRIVER INFORMATION CENTER (DIC)

The DIC informs you about the status of many of your vehicle's systems and is used to display driver personalization features and warning/status messages. The display is located at the bottom of the instrument panel cluster. The DIC controls are located on the instrument panel to the right of the steering wheel.

Pressing the top or bottom of the upper button allows you to scroll through the available features that will appear in the DIC display.



These include the odometer, trip information, tire pressure, oil life and English/Metric selection.

Warnings and Messages

If a problem is sensed in one of your vehicle's systems, a warning or message will appear in the DIC display. Possible warnings or messages include: ABS ACTIVE, LOW BRAKE FLUID, and SERVICE FUEL SYSTEM. (See your Owner Manual for a complete list of possible warnings and messages.)

After a warning or message appears, press the RESET button to clear the display screen for further use. Remember, pressing RESET only makes the message disappear; it does not resolve the problem.

Note: Your vehicle's warnings and messages provide critical information that can prevent damage to your vehicle. Review your Owner Manual to become familiar with the information displayed and the action required.

Personalization Features

Your XLR offers personalization capabilities that allow you to program certain features to a preferred setting for up to two drivers. Personalization features will be recalled when the vehicle senses the Keyless Access transmitter as the door is opened or when the appropriate memory button on the driver seat is pressed.

Available personalization features include:

Auto Recall — Seat, mirror and steering wheel move to memory-set driving position. (ON/OFF)

Auto Exit Recall — Seat and steering wheel move to memory-exit position. (ON/OFF)

Approach Lights — Activates parking, front fog and backup lights when the Unlock button on transmitter is pressed. (ON/OFF)

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Exit Lights — Parking and front fog lamps remain on with the automatic headlight system for a selected period of time after the vehicle is off. (OFF/EXIT LIGHTS 15, 30, or 90 SEC)

Flash at Unlock — Two short flashes of all turn signals when the Unlock or Trunk button on transmitter is pressed. (NO FLASH AT UNLOCK/FLASH AT UNLOCK)

Flash at Lock — One long flash of all turn signals when the transmitter Lock button is pressed. (FLASH AT LOCK/NO FLASH AT LOCK)

Fob Reminder — Horn sounds three times when driver door is closed and transmitter is inside car. (OFF/HORN)

Passive Locking — Automatically locks doors and sounds horn when

leaving the vehicle with the transmitter. (PASSIVE LOCKING OFF/SILENT PASSIVE LOCK/HORN AT PASSIVE LOCK)

Passive Unlocking — Automatically unlocks driver's door or both doors when approaching the vehicle with the transmitter. (PASSIVE UNLOCK DRIVER/BOTH)

Auto Unlock — Automatically unlocks either driver's door or both doors when in Park (P). (AUTO UNLOCK OFF/DRIVER/BOTH)

Park Assist — Moves passenger's side mirror downward when in REVERSE. (OFF/ON)

Language — Select language in DIC and Head-Up Display. (ENGLISH/FRENCH/GERMAN/ITALIAN/JAPANESE/SPANISH)

Feature Programming

To change feature preferences: Make sure the vehicle is running and in Park (P).

Press the OPTIONS button (the DIC will display the current driver for a few seconds and then display the first personalization menu items).

Use the OPTIONS button to change the setting of the displayed feature.

Press the top or bottom of the **i** (Information) button to scroll through the list of features.

When locating a feature you want to change, press the OPTIONS button again.

When finished, press the RESET button to exit the personalization menu.

Keyless Access & Pushbutton Start

Your XLR features Keyless Access. You can keep the Keyless Access transmitter in a pocket or purse and operate the doors, ignition and trunk. The transmitter communicates with the XLR's computer system via radio antennas.



OPENING THE DOORS

To open the XLR's doors, simply touch the pad located at the rear edge of each door. Once the pad is pressed, the doors unlock and open if the transmitter is within three feet of the door.



OPERATING THE IGNITION

To start the engine, depress the brake pedal and press the top of the Start button located on the instrument panel to the right of the steering wheel. The engine will start if the transmitter is in the car. To turn the engine off, press the bottom of the same button. When the ignition is off, a red LED will illuminate. Pressing the bottom of the button again will turn on the accessory mode — indicated by the illumination of an amber LED. Press again to return to off.



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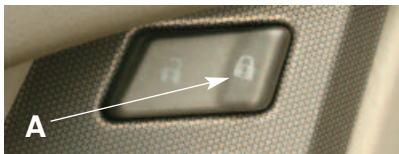
LEAVING THE VEHICLE

Open the door by pressing the button at the front of the armrest.



When exiting the vehicle, take the Keyless Access transmitter with you. You can lock your XLR using one of three methods:

1 — Lock the doors with the power door lock switch (A) located on the door panel, step out, and close the door.



2 — Press the Lock button (B) on the transmitter after you step out of the vehicle.



3 — Program your vehicle for Passive Locking, covered previously under Personalization Features.

Note: The Keyless Access System also has a lockout protection feature. See **Fob Reminder** under Personalization Features, covered previously in this guide.

VALET LOCKOUT

A valet lockout switch is located inside the glove box. Press the switch to ON to disable the use of the trunk and the convertible top. The Keyless Access transmitter cannot open the trunk if the valet lockout switch is in the ON position. Press the switch to OFF to enable use of the trunk and convertible top.



OPENING THE TRUNK

Your XLR provides three convenient ways of opening the trunk.

1. Touch the pad located above the license plate (the Keyless Access transmitter must be within three feet of the touchpad).



2. Press the Trunk Release Button located to the left of the steering wheel, or
3. Press the Trunk Release Button on the transmitter.



OPENING THE DRIVER'S DOOR DURING LOSS OF ELECTRICAL POWER

If your vehicle has lost battery power, you can open the driver's door manually.

If Outside the Vehicle:

1. Remove the cover located in the left side of your rear bumper.
2. Insert your master key into the lock cylinder and turn to open the trunk.



3. Manually lift the trunk lid.
4. Open the access panel located on the driver's side of the trunk floor, forward of the trunk partition, and pull the door release handle.

The driver's door can now be opened.

If Inside the Vehicle:

Pull the door release handle located on the floor next to the seat.



CLOSING THE TRUNK

The trunk lid can be closed only one way. Press the button on the underside of the trunk lid. The lid will close and latch automatically.

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Retractable Hardtop Operation

LOWERING THE TOP

1. Before lowering the hardtop, the trunk partition must be in place.
2. Make sure the transmission is in Park (P), the vehicle is running or the ignition is in ACCESSORY mode, and the valet lockout switch is off.
3. Push and hold the bottom of the Retractable Hardtop button until the top is completely lowered and the trunk lid closes and latches. A chime signals that the operation is complete.



Note: To prevent damage to the top mechanism, the top will not operate while the vehicle is in Drive (D). If certain conditions exist, the Driver Information Center may display messages regarding the retractable top. Refer to your Owner Manual for instructions on raising the top manually in case of a vehicle power loss.

RAISING THE TOP

1. Press and hold the top part of the button until the top is fully raised.
2. Press the button again within five seconds to automatically raise the windows.

Performance

MOBIL 1® MOTOR OIL

Your XLR comes factory-filled with Mobil 1 synthetic oil. XLR's computer system monitors the life of the oil to inform you when it needs to be changed. To view the remaining oil life, press the Information button repeatedly until OIL LIFE appears in the DIC display.



The oil life monitor is programmed to correspond to the attributes of Mobil 1 synthetic oil. If you use any motor oil other than Mobil 1 or equivalent synthetic oil, the oil life monitoring system will not be accurate.

Whenever your oil is changed, reset the oil life monitor so it can calculate when the next oil change is required.

Refer to Owner Manual for further information.

PREMIUM FUEL

Your vehicle's engine was designed to use premium unleaded gasoline. See your Owner Manual for information on fuel use for your particular vehicle.

TIRE PRESSURE MONITOR

The Tire Pressure Monitor alerts you when a significant reduction in pressure occurs in one or more of your vehicle's tires by illuminating the (T) (low tire pressure) warning light on the instrument panel cluster. The low tire pressure warning light will remain on until you correct the tire pressure.

A message may also appear on the DIC (if equipped).

Correcting the Tire Pressure

When the low tire pressure warning light illuminates, you must fill the tire to the proper tire inflation pressure (just as you must refuel the vehicle when the low fuel warning light illuminates). The Tire and

Loading Information label shows the correct inflation pressure for the tires when they're cold. "Cold" means your vehicle has been sitting for at least three hours or driven no more than one mile.

You can temporarily clear the DIC message by acknowledging it with your DIC controls. However, at the next vehicle start-up, the DIC message will reappear if the tire pressure has not been corrected.

During cooler conditions, the low tire pressure warning light may appear when the vehicle is first started and then turn off as you start to drive the vehicle. This could be an early indicator that your tire pressures are getting low and need to be inflated to the proper pressure.

Note: The Tire Pressure Monitor can alert you about low tire pressure, but it doesn't replace normal monthly tire maintenance.

See Section 5 of your Owner Manual.

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RUN-FLAT TIRES

The XLR is equipped with run-flat tires that eliminate the need for a spare. The tire design enables safe function during and after loss of pressure for some distance at a moderate speed. The shorter the distance you drive with loss of pressure, the better the chance the tire can be repaired.

As soon as possible, contact Roadside Service for the nearest authorized GM or run-flat servicing facility and have the tire inspected.

Refer to the tire warranty information for details about the road hazard replacement plan, which provides for the replacement of tires rendered unserviceable by a road hazard injury under certain conditions.

Comfort & Convenience

ADAPTIVE CRUISE CONTROL (if equipped)

Your XLR may be equipped with Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC). If the lane ahead is clear, the system will maintain the set speed the same as conventional cruise control. When a vehicle is detected in the same lane in front of your car, the system will adjust your speed to maintain a constant following distance.

If a vehicle in your path is moving at a significantly slower speed, the system provides visible and audible alerts.

Setting Adaptive Cruise Control

ACC is set by using the multifunction lever located on the steering column. To activate ACC:

1. Move the cruise control switch to the On (I) position (shown below).
2. Achieve the speed you desire.
3. Press the button at the end of the lever.
4. Remove your foot from the accelerator.



Once ACC is engaged and the cruise speed is set, the ACC symbol (🚗) will appear in the Head-Up Display (HUD) display along with the set speed. Use the GAP button on the steering wheel to set the follow distance. Press the + or – symbol on the steering wheel to increase or decrease the follow distance.

The vehicle ahead symbol (🚗) will appear on the HUD when a vehicle in your path is moving slowly enough for the ACC to respond. ACC will adjust speed and maintain the set gap. The ACC may also apply limited braking if necessary.

Increase, Decrease or Resume Speed

- Push the switch to the + position to increase a set speed.

- Press the button at the end of the lever to decrease a set speed.
- Move the switch to the + position to resume a set speed after braking.

Passing Another Vehicle

If you need to pass a vehicle, use the accelerator pedal. With your foot on the pedal, the ACC system cannot automatically apply the brakes. When you remove your foot from the accelerator, ACC will return to normal operation.

Note: ACC may not detect stationary or slow-moving objects that suddenly appear in your lane, and may even accelerate toward these objects. Always give your complete attention to driving and be prepared to take appropriate action in all situations.

Refer to Owner Manual for further information.

DRIVER SHIFT CONTROL

Driver Shift Control (DSC) is an innovative feature that combines the convenience of an automatic transmission with the feel of a high-performance manual.



In the Automatic Overdrive position, the transmission will shift in the customary fashion. To use the DSC manual mode, move the shift lever to the left. For a crisp upshift, tap the shift lever forward and release. To downshift, tap the lever rearward and release. Your selected gear will appear in the HUD.

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HEATED AND COOLED SEATS

For added comfort, your XLR features innovative seats that can be heated or cooled. The seat controls are incorporated into the main climate control system panel.

Press the seat temperature button to turn the feature on and select your desired setting. The left button controls the driver's seat and the right button controls the passenger's seat. Each press of the button advances you to a different setting.



The available settings in order are: HI HEAT, LO HEAT, OFF, HI COOL, LO COOL, OFF.

You will experience the temperature changes in only a few minutes. The feature automatically shuts off when the vehicle is turned off.

HEATED STEERING WHEEL

For added comfort, your XLR may be equipped with a heated steering wheel. Press the button (ⓘ) located on the steering wheel to turn the feature on or off. A light on the button will illuminate to indicate the system is on. It will take a few minutes for the steering wheel to begin heating.




BLUETOOTH® SYSTEM


The in-vehicle Bluetooth system allows users with a Bluetooth-enabled cell phone to make and receive Hands-Free phone calls utilizing the vehicle's audio system, microphone and controls. The Bluetooth-enabled cell phone must be paired to the in-vehicle Bluetooth system before it can be used in the vehicle.

Bluetooth Controls



The following Bluetooth controls are located on the steering wheel:

 **(Push to Talk)** — Press and hold for two seconds to answer incoming calls, confirm system information, and to start voice recognition.

 **(Phone on Hook)** — Press to end or reject a call, and to cancel an operation.

The system operates using voice recognition commands. To help increase accuracy, the system will play a short tone after prompting you for information or a command. Do not speak until after the tone.

Not all phones will support all functions. For more information, visit www.cadillac.com/bluetooth.

For instructions on how to use the system, see Section 3 of your Owner Manual.



The XLR-V is a powerful and distinctive world-class performance vehicle. Its state-of-the-art technology delivers agility and control with extraordinary precision while an exquisite attention to detail surrounds passengers in superb comfort and style.

Following are some of the features that make the XLR-V one of most elite Cadillac models ever.

Performance

The XLR-V is powered by a supercharged 4.4-liter Northstar V8 engine that produces 443 horsepower and 414 lb.-ft. of torque,

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all of which propels the XLR-V from 0 to 60 in 4.6 seconds and through the quarter-mile in 13 seconds. The XLR-V's handling prowess is evident, with lateral g's of .94 and a low mass curb weight of 3,804 lbs., yet it still offers a luxurious, uncompromised ride.

In addition, the XLR-V includes these performance features:

- Performance-tuned suspension system with touring and performance modes
- Pirelli run-flat high performance tires and 10-spoke aluminum wheels
- Premium brakes with cross-drilled rotors
- Specifically calibrated Magnetic Ride Control
- StabiliTrak® with four driver-selectable stability control modes

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- Specifically calibrated Magnetic Ride Control
- StabiliTrak® with four driver-selectable stability control modes
- Added engine, oil and transmission cooling systems
- Low-restriction dual exhaust system with four polished stainless-steel exhaust tips
- Steerable adaptive forward

lighting with Xenon high-intensity discharge lamps that read steering direction and vehicle speed to automatically aim the headlights in the direction of the vehicle (XLR & XLR-V)

Luxury

Specially designed interior features of the XLR-V include:

- Hand-wrapped leather interior components
- Perforated suede seat and door inserts
- Kinetic Aluminum and exclusive Zingana wood accents throughout the interior
- XM Satellite Radio, touch-screen DVD navigation system, and premium Bose® 9-speaker audio system (XLR & XLR-V)

Owner Privileges™

To make your ownership experience as satisfying and rewarding as possible, we are proud to provide you with Cadillac's exceptional Owner Privileges™, designed to accommodate you anytime and anywhere.

ROADSIDE SERVICE 1-800-882-1112

Roadside Service provides every Cadillac owner with the advantage of contacting a Cadillac advisor and, when appropriate, a Cadillac-trained dealer technician who can provide on-site services:

- Towing Service
- Battery Jump-Starting
- Lockout Assistance
- Fuel Delivery
- Flat Tire Assistance (covers change only)

Roadside Service and OnStar®

Push the OnStar button, the vehicle will send your GPS location to the OnStar Advisor who will speak to you, assess your problem, contact

Refer to Owner Manual for further information.

Roadside Assistance and relay your exact location so you get the help you need.

Trip Interruption: If your trip is interrupted due to a component failure covered under warranty, incidental expenses may be reimbursed, including hotel, meals and rental car.

Courtesy Transportation may also be provided for warranted repairs, including shuttle service for same-day repairs and loaner transportation for overnight repair.

Roadside Service is also available to Cadillac customers beyond the warranty period for a charge.

CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE 1-800-458-8006

In Canada, call 1-888-446-2000.

Should you need to ask a question, make a comment, or request additional information, the exclusive Cadillac Customer Assistance Center is staffed around the clock with professionals to serve you.

When you call Cadillac Roadside Service or Customer Assistance, when possible, please provide the phone advisor with:

- Your telephone number
- Your location
- Your Cadillac's location
- A description of the problem
- Vehicle Identification Number
- Year and model of your Cadillac
- Delivery date
- Current mileage

CADILLAC ONLINE

For more information about your Cadillac, including access to the Cadillac owner Center at My GMLink, visit www.cadillac.com.

Certain restrictions, precautions and safety procedures apply to your vehicle. Please read your Owner Manual for complete instructions. All information contained herein is based on information available at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice.

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Your new Cadillac XLR represents the pinnacle of Cadillac luxury and quality. You've made a significant investment in a premium vehicle and it is important to have specific maintenance services performed to protect your investment and to ensure the long-term enjoyment of your XLR.

That's why Cadillac is providing you with the XLR Premium Care program at no additional charge.

XLR Premium Care will provide the following recommended scheduled maintenance for your XLR at no charge¹:

- Engine Oil and Engine Oil Filter Replacement
- Engine Air Filter Replacement

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- Passenger Compartment Air Filter Replacement

Simply return to the Cadillac dealership where you purchased your XLR or any other Cadillac dealership of your choice that is authorized to service Cadillac XLR's. The dealership will perform the required maintenance service and send you on your way — with no out-of-pocket expense to you.

The Cadillac XLR Premium Care program remains in effect for the first 4 years or 50,000 miles of ownership, whichever occurs first.² Like the Cadillac New Vehicle Limited Warranty, XLR Premium Care is transferable to any subsequent owner.

¹See actual XLR Premium Care Agreement for full details on types and number of services provided.

²Coverage period is calculated from Warranty Start Date and 0 miles. Warranty Start Date is defined as the first day the vehicle is placed in service either by the initial purchaser/lessee or when the vehicle is placed in dealer demonstrator service or as a GM company-owned vehicle. Company-owned vehicles include PEP, work-related, special event, engineering test and courtesy use.



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