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The new Quantum Wagon is truly an affordable European family wagon destined to please both driver and passengers alike. It combines sedan-like comforts and conveniences with the practicality, spaciousness and versatility that only a wagon can deliver.

In the classic grand touring tradition, the Quantum GL Sedan has it all. Its advanced technology, responsive performance and exceptional high level of standard equipment make it an outstanding value among touring sedans.

Both the Quantum Wagon and the Quantum GL Sedan sport an uncanny agility on even the most winding roads. And both boast the ability to glide majestically over superhighways for hours on end.

In an era of automotive gadgetry and talking automobiles, the Quantum is content to let its heritage of German engineering, overall performance and superior quality speak for itself.





Although the 1985 Quantum is new, the philosophy upon which it was built goes back to the very first Volkswagen Squareback introduced in America. The Squareback astonished the automotive world with its efficiency, reliability and common sense. It taught America that sophisticated engineering and value need not be mutually exclusive. And it showed that a car was meant to last longer than one or two model years.



Volkswagen's popular Squareback Sedan.

We still travel our own road

Today, we still design these basic virtues into every Volkswagen we build. And we still refuse to follow popular trends.

We demand that the laws of aerodynamics take precedence over current design fads. We believe in an evolution of excellence, the continual process of improvement and refinement in the pursuit of perfection. We insist on the strictest quality control, with the result that every part of every Volkswagen undergoes several inspections by both man

and computer. And, although we employ the latest technology in our manufacturing process, we believe in traditional craftsmanship, in artisans who maintain standards of pride and dedication no machine can ever match.

A passion for perfection

Our German engineers impart their own unabashed passion for engineering excellence and overall performance into every Volkswagen they design.

They employ advanced technology instead of automotive gimmickry. They provide outstanding efficiency without compromising stunning

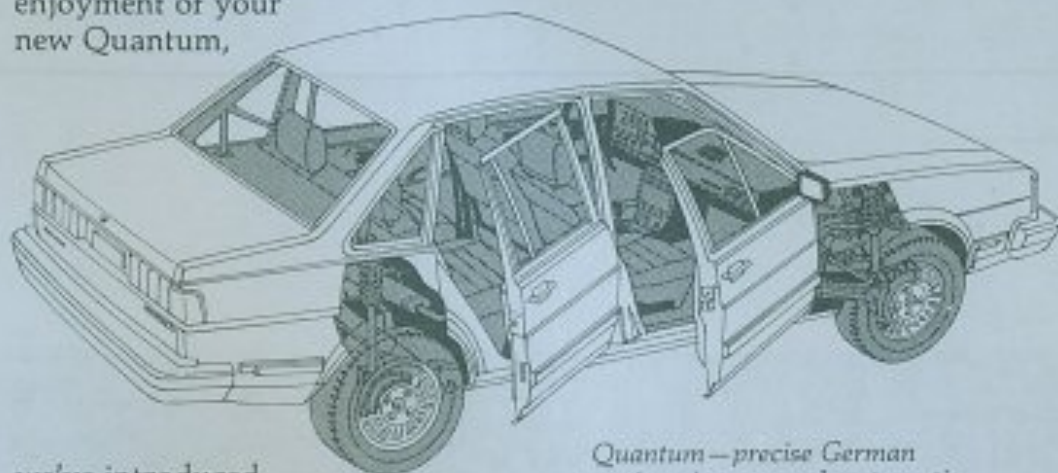


performance. And they engineer every Volkswagen with such precision that virtually every driving command can be executed swiftly.

As a result, you do not drive a car. You have the unique pleasure of driving a Volkswagen.

The Volkswagen 2-year Unlimited Mileage Protection Plan

For greater peace-of-mind enjoyment of your new Quantum,



Quantum—precise German engineering—superb automotive technology at its finest.

we've introduced a new Protection Plan that's as simple and straightforward as a Volkswagen itself.

Your new Quantum is protected by a 2-year unlimited mileage limited warranty on the entire vehicle (except tires), and a 3-year unlimited mileage limited warranty on rust perforation. See your U.S. Volkswagen dealer for details.

Isn't it nice to feel secure in your decision to drive a new Volkswagen?



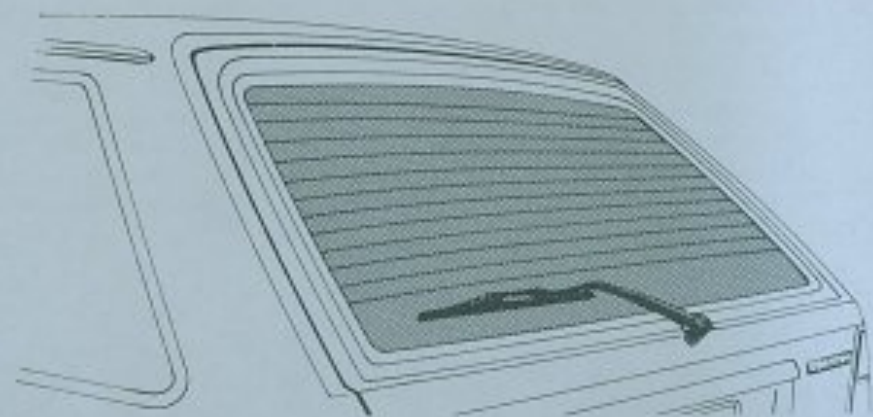
Quantum manufacturing facilities in Emden, West Germany.

The Quantum Wagon is a versatile European family wagon plus a true workhorse. Powered by a 1.8 liter fuel-injected engine and 5-speed transmission, it handles crisply and performs superbly, thanks to its power assisted rack and pinion steering, 4-wheel independent suspension and power front disc brakes.

The Quantum Wagon also provides sedan-like comfort, with such standard convenience features as air-conditioning, tinted glass

and a rear window wiper/washer. Its totally flat cargo area is extremely spacious, and with the split rear seat folded down, it can even accommodate extra long payloads.

But perhaps its most outstanding feature is its extremely affordable price. Families will be pleased to note that now there is a smart European family wagon of proven quality and durability that will fit neatly into their budget.



Quantum Wagon's standard rear window wiper/washer allows a clear, unobstructed view of traffic.



Accommodate extra long payloads with Quantum Wagon's standard split rear seat.

A WAGON LOADED WITH VALUE

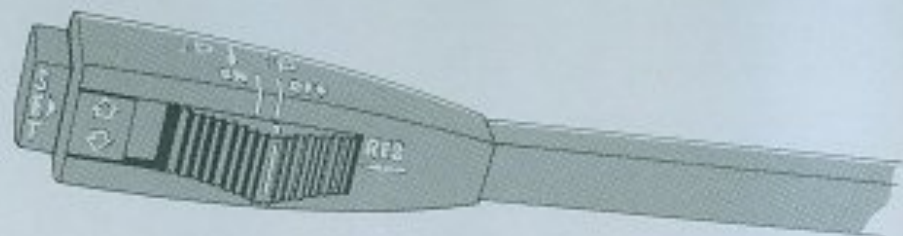


The Quantum GL Sedan comes equipped with either a 2.2 liter, 5-cylinder fuel-injected gasoline engine or a performance-oriented Turbo Diesel, each coupled with a 5-speed manual transmission. The Quantum GL is also endowed with all the sophisticated engineering features necessary to meet the demands of world-class handling and performance. Included are power-assisted rack and pinion steering, 4-wheel independent suspension.

And power-assisted front disc brakes.

To make long trips less tiresome and to assure a pleasant environment, cruise control and air conditioning are standard on the sedan. And to provide greater traction even in inclement weather, the Quantum GL is engineered with front-wheel drive.

With Quantum GL, a high level of performance is matched by an equally high level of comfort and driver control.



Cruise control, an AM/FM stereo cassette radio and power windows are all standard on the Quantum GL Sedan.

AS RICH IN PERFORMANCE AS ELEGANCE



ENGINEERED FOR COMFORT AND DRIVER CONTROL



The Quantum is acutely aware and totally responsive to the needs of both driver and passengers. All instrumentation, including tachometer and digital clock, are perfectly placed so that the driver can devote full attention to the business of driving.

The deep-contoured, fully reclining velour upholstered front bucket seats cradle their occupants, while the driver's seat can be adjusted up and down as well as fore and aft. To facilitate driving in all kinds of weather,

Plush velour reclining seats are standard on Quantum Wagon and Quantum GL Sedan.

intermittent wipers and tinted glass are standard.

On the Quantum Wagon, thoughtful touches abound. A center console with rear seat heat ducts. Map pockets on the rear of the front seats. Molded door pockets. Remote controlled outside mirror. And a front map light.

The Quantum GL Sedan adds power windows. A central locking system. Rear seat headrests. Rear reading lamps. Rear seat armrest and

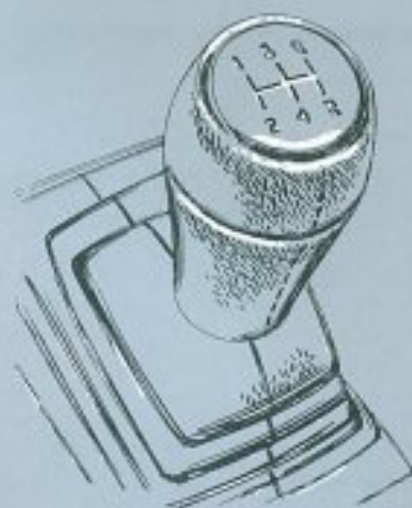
tray. And more.

As a European family wagon, the Quantum Wagon offers a rare combination of performance, comfort and affordability. The Quantum GL Sedan provides a unique combination of performance and grand touring luxury.

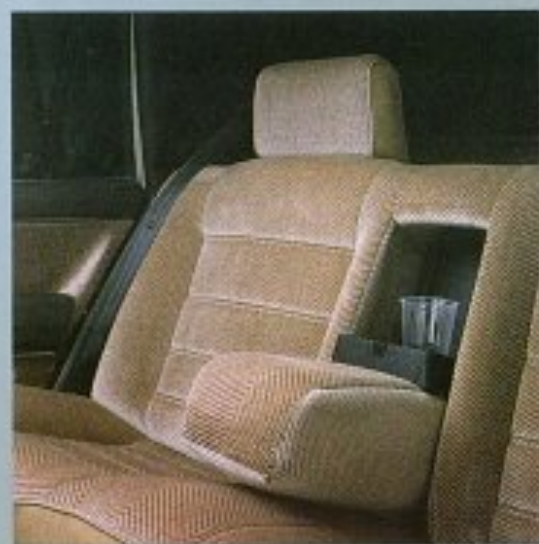
As a Volkswagen, both are an even rarer combination of efficiency and value.



Quantum's ergonomically designed instrument panel places all controls within easy access and field of vision of the driver.



For added comfort and convenience, Quantum GL Sedan features a rear seat center armrest with integral tray.



PERSONALIZE YOUR QUANTUM

Since everyone's driving needs differ, a complete selection of options will help you equip your Quantum to meet your personal preferences.

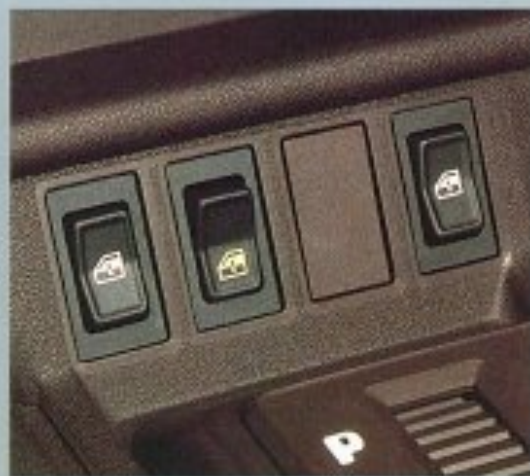
Quantum Wagon offers a manual sunroof, for more sunshine. For added driving comfort, automatic transmission and cruise control. For greater convenience, a roof rack, and a power package consisting of power windows, door locks and mirrors. For entertainment, add an electronic AM/FM stereo cassette.

And for a little more sparkle, choose metallic paint.

The fully equipped Quantum GL Sedan offers a power sunroof, handsome sport seats, automatic transmission, a powerful 1.6 liter Turbo Diesel engine, and metallic paint.

Features and options appearing below include: a sunroof, automatic transmission, power windows (std. on Sedan), roof rack, AM/FM stereo cassette with cassette holder

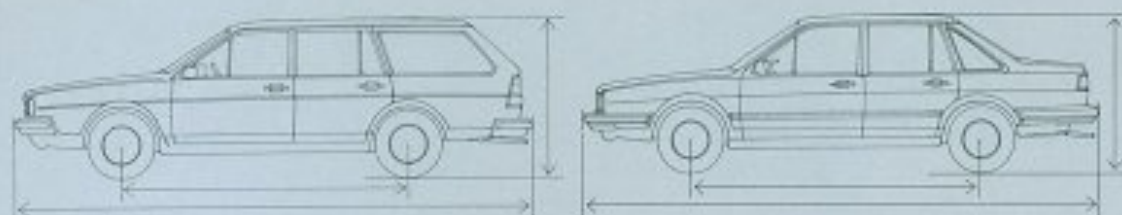
(std. on Sedan), alloy wheels (std. on Sedan) and cruise control (std. on Sedan).



FEATURES AND OPTIONS

S=Standard O=Optional —=Not Available	QUANTUM WAGON	QUANTUM GL SEDAN
MECHANICAL		
1.8 liter 4-cylinder OHC fuel-injected engine	S	—
2.2 liter 5-cylinder OHC fuel-injected engine	—	S
5-speed manual transmission	S	S
Electronic breakerless ignition	S	S
Tachometer and digital clock	S	S
MacPherson strut front suspension	S	S
Independent rear suspension	S	S
Power assisted rack and pinion steering	S	S
Power assisted brakes (front disc/rear drum)	S	S
Steel belted radial tires	S	S
2-speed thermostatically controlled electric radiator fan	S	S
EXTERIOR		
Unitized body construction, bolt-on front fenders	S	S
Polyurethane covered energy absorbing bumpers	S	S
Twin rectangular halogen headlights	S	S
Remote controlled outside rearview mirrors	S	—
Tinted glass	S	S
Protective side molding	S	S
5½ x 13 steel wheels with aerodynamic full wheel covers	S	—
Body cavity wax coating and full factory undercoating	S	S
Front spoiler	—	S
INTERIOR		
Air conditioning	S	S
Padded instrument panel with full instrumentation	S	S
Center console with rear seat heat ducts	S	S
Reclining seats in velour upholstery	S	S
Split/fold-down rear seat	S	—
Cloth covered doors with molded door pockets	S	S
Map pockets on rear of front seats	S	S
Rear window wiper/washer	S	—
Front map light (without sunroof)	S	S
Courtesy light, overhead map light	S	S
Leather steering wheel, shift knob and boots	—	S
Wall to wall carpeting	S	S
Carpeted trunk and mini-spacer	S	S
Child safety locks on rear doors	S	S
OPTIONS		
1.6 liter 4-cylinder turbo diesel engine	—	O
Automatic transmission	O	O
AM/FM stereo cassette with 4 speakers and power antenna ¹	O	S
Central locking system ²	O	S
Power windows ²	O	S
Heatable electric remote controlled mirrors ²	—	S
Cruise control	O	S
Ski rack	—	O
Rear reading lamps	—	S
Rear seat armrest and tray	—	S
Illuminated vanity mirror and rear reading lamps	—	S
Roof rack	O	—
Power sunroof (manual on Wagon)	O	O
Sport seats	—	O
Metallic paint	O	O
Light alloy wheels	O	S
Leatherette upholstery	O	—

¹Manual antenna. ²Part of power package including: windows, central locking system, and heatable electric remote controlled mirrors.



SPECIFICATIONS

QUANTUM	WAGON	GL SEDAN Gasoline	GL SEDAN Turbo Diesel
ENGINE TYPE	4-cylinder in-line fuel-injection	5-cylinder in-line fuel-injection	4-cylinder in-line turbocharged
DISPLACEMENT	1.8 liter, 109 cu. in.	2.2 liter, 136 cu. in.	1.6 liter, 97 cu. in.
HORSEPOWER @ RPM (SAE Net)	88 @ 5,500	110 @ 5,500	68 @ 4,500
TORQUE @ RPM	96 ft. lbs. @ 3,250	122 ft. lbs. @ 2,400	98 ft. lbs. @ 2,800
BODY/FRAME CONSTRUCTION	Unitized construction, bolt-on front fenders		
FRONT SUSPENSION	Independent MacPherson struts, coil springs, telescopic shock absorbers		
REAR SUSPENSION	Independent torsion beam axle, coil springs, telescopic shock absorbers		
STEERING TYPE	Power assisted rack and pinion		
TURNING CIRCLE	31.5 ft.		
BRAKES	Dual diagonal circuits with power assist, 9.4" front discs, 7.85" rear drums, self adjusting, mechanical parking brake		
DIMENSIONS	WAGON	GL SEDAN	
Wheelbase	100.4"	100.4"	
Front track	55.7"	55.7"	
Rear track	56.0"	56.0"	
Overall length	183.1"	180.2"	
Overall width	66.9"	66.9"	
Overall height	55.1"	55.1"	
Ground clearance	5.0"	5.0"	
CAPACITIES	Luggage capacity	71.9 cu. ft.**	13.1 cu. ft.
	Fuel tank capacity	15.8 U.S. gal.	15.8 U.S. gal.
	**Rear seat folded		
WHEELS AND TIRES	Steel wheels	5½J x 13	5½J x 13 alloy
	Steel belted radials	185/70SR13	185/70SR13
EPA MILEAGE ESTIMATES*	50 STATES		
QUANTUM	CITY	HIGHWAY	
Wagon w/5-speed	25	31	
Wagon w/automatic	22	25	
GL Sedan w/5-speed	19	24	
GL Sedan w/automatic	18	22	
GL Sedan w/Turbo Diesel	33	38	
EXTERIOR COLORS	Alpine White		
Quantum	Nevada Beige	Calahari Beige Metallic	
	Ice Green	Stratos Blue Metallic	
	Flash Silver Metallic	Pewter Grey Metallic	
	Titan Red Metallic	Mahogany Brown Metallic	
		Granite Black Metallic	

See your Volkswagen dealer for color and trim selections.

*Remember: Use the CITY mileage for comparison to others. Your actual mileage may vary depending on speed, trip length and weather. Your highway mileage will probably be lower.

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THE 1985 VOLKSWAGEN TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

If the Quantum Wagon or Quantum GL Sedan doesn't meet your particular needs, consider one of the other members of the Volkswagen family.

The Golf sets new standards of versatility, performance, roominess and efficiency for hatchbacks.

The Jetta is the first affordable German road car.

The Cabriolet combines open air touring with exhilarating performance.

The Scirocco is a true German sports coupe featuring brilliant performance at a practical price.

The Vanagon combines the roominess and versatility of a full-size passenger van with the comfort, ease of handling and economy of a mini-van.

The Volkswagen Camper offers the camping enthusiast outstanding flexibility, comfort and convenience in a truly unique recreational vehicle.

Whichever you choose, your Volkswagen will be the single smartest purchase you can make to meet your transportation needs.



IT'S NOT A CAR
IT'S A VOLKSWAGEN