





SCIENCE CREATES ART

WANT TO KNOW WHAT CORVETTE IS ALL ABOUT? WE ASKED FIVE CORVETTE EXPERTS TO GATHER IN
BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY, SITE OF THE CORVETTE ASSEMBLY FACILITY AND HOME TO THE NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM.
LISTEN IN ON THE CONVERSATION AS THEY SHARE THEIR UNIQUE PERSPECTIVES ON
HOW THE CURRENT GENERATION OF CORVETTE—THE C6—SHARES ITS PERFORMANCE AND DESIGN
DIRECTLY WITH THE CORVETTE RACING C6.R. THEN JOIN IN ON FACEBOOK.COM/CORVETTE.







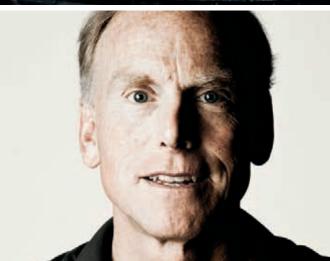














WINNING THE 24 HOURS OF LE MANS IS THE BENCHMARK BY WHICH ALL SPORTS CARS MEASURE THEIR ENDURANCE. ON JUNE 12, 2011, CORVETTE CAPTURED BOTH GT CLASS TITLES AT LE MANS, WITH THE FACTORY TEAM'S NO. 73 CORVETTE C6.R BEATING PORSCHE, FERRARI AND BMW FOR ITS 6TH CLASS WIN IN THE PAST 11 YEARS, PROGRAM MANAGER DOUG FEHAN AND TEAM DRIVER TOMMY MILNER TALK ABOUT THEIR VICTORY.

TOMMY With six hours remaining in the race, we were looking good. Our sister car, the No. 74 Corvette, was in the lead, and we'd been running the No. 73 steadily in the top five for 17 hours. Then bang!—the 74 Corvette gets tangled up with a Porsche, and suddenly Ferrari's now in first and we're a lap down. But as a team, we told ourselves: "We can make that up."

DOUG Louis Chevrolet was himself a racer, and his motto. "Never give up!" is a philosophy we embraced from our first visit here. Tommy's codriver, Antonio Garcia, just started chipping away at the Ferrari, cutting the margin every lap. Tommy took over at the 21st hour and continued to reel in the Ferrari, gaining as much as six seconds per lap during his stint. With about two hours and 10 minutes to go, he made the pass for the lead on the Mulsanne Straight. Antonio brought it home for the win, just one lap separating first and second. TOMMY That was the hardest race of my life. I'd been super comfortable in the car all day long, but I was not comfortable right then, when I caught the Ferrari. We still had a few hours to go, and the pressure was crazy. I was just trying to drive the car to what the track would allow. Every lap it changed, every corner it changed. For 24 hours, the only thing you're living, breathing and sleeping is racing. You drive into the night and through the night. The sun comes up and you go, "OK, we're almost there, right?" You look at your watch again—another eight hours to go. You're just completely engulfed in this one race.

DOUG Le Mans is a test of man and machine, and testing yourself and your limits, and seeing how well you can perform for 24 hours straight without making any mistakes. I think our come-frombehind win embodied the spirit of our Chevrolet cofounder.



























HARLAN People ask me all the time, why is a small block V8 the ideal powerplant for Corvette?

TADGE The Chevy small block V8 is an engineering marvel. It's extremely compact. It's an engine that produces tremendous power for its mass.

HARLAN Right, the horsepower-per-liter is really irrelevant when it comes to Corvette. To us it's about horsepower-per-weight, or another way to look at it, horsepower and miles per gallon, a combination of efficiency and power. And Corvette really is a benchmark of the world.

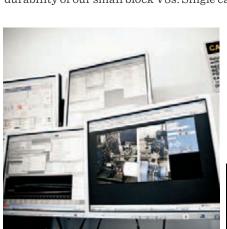
KIRK Yes, you can have a 7.0-liter LS7 without a gas-guzzler tax.

TADGE In a standard Corvette with the 6.2-liter engine, you have a large displacement engine that's still lightweight, offers good fuel economy and produces a lot of power.

HARLAN That low-end torque you get from having the larger displacement engine makes Corvette so much fun to drive, and easy to drive.

TADGE You don't have to wind it up to 8500 rpm to get power out of it. You get huge power and torque at very low rpm ranges. This makes the car feel very responsive.

DOUG You know, as a testament to that, I sit on the committee that formulates the rules for global GT racing. Every manufacturer is represented—it's the BMW guy, it's the Ferrari guy, it's the Jaguar guy, it's the Porsche guy, it's the Aston Martin guy. These are very exotic vehicles, super-high price tags, very exotic powerplants, multi-cam, multi-valve, super-high revving, very expensive. You know what their singing song is? "Your small block V8 engine...we can't compete with that." I said, "Guys...guys, if our engine is as great as you say it is, why don't you have it in your car? Why are you building these big, complicated, massive, chain-driven, multi-valve engines?" They don't have an answer! When you look at cost, performance, efficiency, power, torque, maintenance, warranty...a 5-year/100,000-mile powertrain warranty.² Hello? They can't do that. You don't get that with the others. You get it all with Corvette. That's a testament to the longevity, the design robustness, durability of our small block V8s. Single cam. Two valves—it gets it done.



THIS IS WHERE THE MAD SCIENTISTS WORK, THE ONES WHO CONTINUE TO PUSH THE PERFORMANCE POTENTIAL OF THE LEGENDARY CHEVY SMALL BLOCK V8. WHETHER IT'S THE BASE CORVETTE LS3 V8, THE Z06 LS7 OR THE ZR1 LS9, THEY CONTINUE TO FIND WAYS TO MAKE TREMENDOUS POWER AND TORQUE, WITHOUT SACRIFICING DURABILITY OR FUEL EFFICIENCY. THIS FINE-TUNING RESULTS IN A SPORTS CAR THAT EXCELS IN EVERYDAY USE AND ALSO DELIVERS AMAZING PERFORMANCE CAPABILITIES.

I EPA-estimated MPG city/highway: coupe, convertible, GS 16/26; Z06 15/24; ZR1 14/23 2 Whichever comes first. See dealer for limited warranty details.



DOUG You want a better race car? Build a better street car. You want a better street car? Build a better race car.

TADGE Exactly, Ideas from the C5.R race car helped us make a better Corvette C6 street car, which in turn helped you guys at Corvette Racing evolve the current C6.R race car.

DOUG When we were getting the Corvette race car certified internationally, they came to look at our race car. We had the body work off it, and we had a chassis sitting there, and they thought it looked like a truck chassis. I said. "Well, it kinda looks like that; it's a parallel ladder frame. But those are, by the way, hydroform rails." We'd led in hydroform technology implementation, okay? And I said, "When you see it built up as a race car, you'll understand how stiff and strong we can make that." And that led the competitors to complain, "This is a tube-frame race car." Well, you know what? Yeah, it is, because that's what we do in production; we're building tube-frame race cars in production because it's lightweight, super-strong, safe, and it gets the job done.

TADGE The fact that the engine is compact means the rails Doug was talking about, now can be of larger sections. Large-section rails are very light and very stiff, so the engine in that way helps the structure be efficient. So there's a real synergy between the kind of powertrain and the engine we use, and the efficiency of the rest of the car.

HARLAN To achieve the Z06's high performance standards while maintaining excellent fuel economy,1 we made substantial reductions in vehicle mass, improving the mass distribution between the front and rear of the vehicle. To save weight without sacrificing strength, we used a magnesium engine cradle, magnesium steering column support, and a magnesium roof frame; hydroformed aluminum rails and roof bow: and high-strength aluminum bumper beams. The floor pan has an ultra-lightweight balsa wood core with a carbon fiber skin. The front fenders and front wheelhousing are also made of carbon fiber.

TADGE The standard Corvette has a steel space frame consisting mainly of stamped steel and hydroformed components that are joined via welding. To save weight, we wanted an aluminum spaceframe for the Z06. It weighs just 278 lbs., 33% less than the steel frame. One challenge was that aluminum is less stiff than steel. We exceeded our stiffness goals by transferring loads through to a lightweight magnesium roof frame solidly bolted into the structure. The Z06 also has an industry-first, one-piece magnesium die-cast engine cradle, which weighs 24 lbs.—a 35% mass reduction over the aluminum version. The cradle supports the engine, brake control module and steering gear. It also ties the frame rails together and acts as the mounting point for certain front suspension components, such as the lower control arms.



ASSEMBLY FACILITY IN BOWLING GREEN KY HAS BEEN THE BIRTHPLACE OF EVERY CORVETTE. AND UNLIKE MANY AUTO MANUFACTURING FACILITIES. BOWLING GREEN MAKES CORVETTE, AND ONLY CORVETTE. FOR THOSE WHO WORK HERE. THERE'S A SPECIAL SENSE OF PURPOSE. AFTER ALL, AN ESTIMATED 50,000 PEOPLE VISIT THE FACTORY EVERY YEAR. AMONG THE VISITORS ARE NEW CORVETTE OWNERS WHO HAVE THE OPPOR-TUNITY TO WATCH THEIR ACTUAL CAR COME DOWN THE ASSEMBLY LINE

I Corvette is assembled in Bowling Green, KY, with U.S. and globally sourced parts.



I EPA-estimated MPG 15 city/24 highway.





TADGE With typical front-engine cars, the transmission is attached to the engine and you get a 55%-57% front weight bias—Corvette gets closer to 50/50 by taking that entire transmission and moving it to the rear. That shifts a large amount of mass rearward in the vehicle. That helps you get the power to the ground.

DOUG For Corvette you get the same kind of setup, with the rear transaxle, and our Short/Long Arm suspension, whether it's the street car or the race car. Some of our competitors don't have that on their street car, but the rules allow them to go at it with their race car.

HARLAN Magnetic Selective Ride Control™ is one of the fastest-reacting technologies available for variable suspension. It's available on every 2012 Corvette model. On the Z06, it's available two ways, either on its own or with the Z07 Package which combines that with the ceramic brakes and the PS Cup tires. And it's standard on the ZR1.

DOUG It really gives you the best of both worlds, since the shock absorber has an enormous amount of authority. Basically going from no damping to almost solid, it gives you the ability to computer-control the behavior of the suspension in ways that we never imagined we could do years ago. So you combine an extremely plush ride, for daily driving, or you can tie the car down and do all sorts of trick things for the track when you're doing performance driving.

TADGE On Z06 and ZR1, with Magnetic Selective Ride Control you get Performance Traction Management, which is basically a traction control for the racetrack. So when you're coming out of the turn you can set it as aggressively as you want, and you can just give it wide-open throttle coming out of the corner, and the car is designed to give you the maximum acceleration it's capable of.

TOMMY It's a heck of a lot of fun.

HARLAN Launch control is standard on every Corvette with manual transmission. And basically all you have to do when you're on the track, you put the car in competitive mode, you push the button twice, and you push the clutch in, and wide-open throttle, and then you just let the clutch out and just hang on.

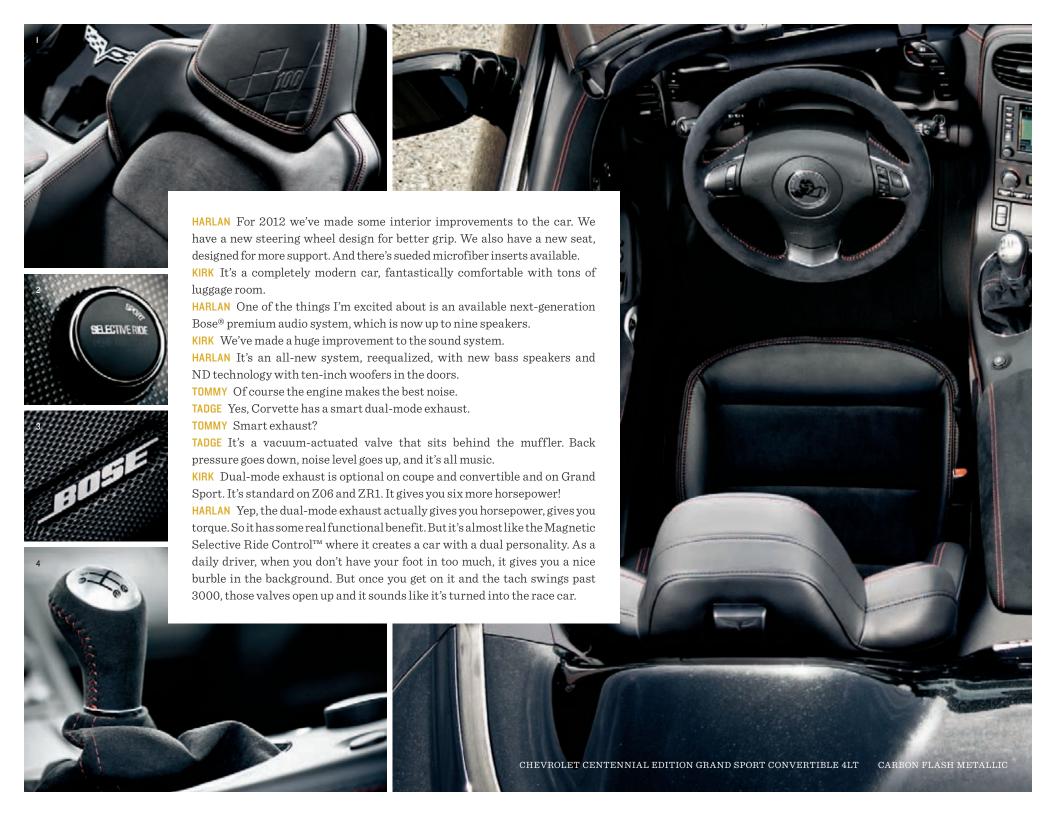
TADGE It automatically adapts to the surface that you're on, so it has a closed feedback loop, it looks at how much the tire is slipping and then changes throttling, changes the spark, all the engine management things, to dial down the torque and keep you riding at impending slip, which is the fastest way to accelerate.







DO YOU HAVE AN INNOVATION THAT HELPS CORVETTE ACCELERATE FASTER, STOP QUICKER, STEER MORE PRECISELY, OR OTHERWISE RAISE THE PERFORMANCE BAR? IF YOU'RE A CORVETTE ENGINEER, THE FIRST PLACE YOU COME TO PROVE YOUR IDEA WORKS IS MILFORD, THE AUTO INDUSTRY'S FIRST DEDICATED PROVING GROUND, OPENED IN 1924. AND IF YOU'RE AMONG THE HANDFUL OF TEST DRIVERS QUICK ENOUGH TO BE CERTIFIED TO ACCESS IT, YOU TAKE CORVETTE OUT ON MILFORD'S ROAD COURSE, SPECIALLY DESIGNED TO INCORPORATE SOME OF THE BEST CORNERS FROM THE WORLD'S GREATEST RACETRACKS. CORVETTE ENGINEERS PUT NEW TECHNOLOGIES TO THE TEST ON ROAD CIRCUITS LIKE VIRGINIA INTERNATIONAL RACEWAY.





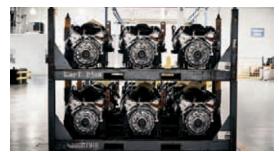














HARLAN The Performance Build Center isn't like a typical assembly line. A single skilled craftsman moves the engine from station to station, hand-fitting the exotic components—the forged steel crank, forged titanium connecting rods, flat-top aluminum pistons, titanium intake valves, hollow stem sodium-filled exhaust valves and dry-sump oiling system. All stuff that was inspired by racing, where lightweight yet strong components are essential.

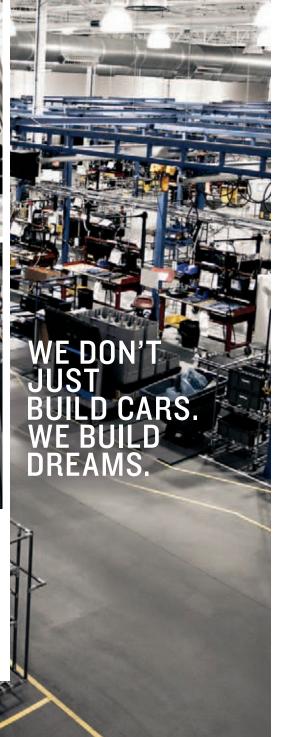
TADGE At one station, the forged crankshaft is lowered into the engine block. At another, the camshaft is installed. The crank and cam are torque-tested. A computer-controlled torque wrench tightens nearly every nut and bolt on the engine, and every torque is recorded. So you've got very tight control over the assembly. An engine cannot proceed to the next station if it fails a computer test, and the builder can pull an engine off the line if he spots something that's not perfect. The completed engine is briefly run through a portion of its rpm range, with horsepower and torque values recorded for quality control. A computer determines whether weights need to be added to the damper or flywheel for balance. HARLAN After balancing, the engine is dynoed for about 20 minutes at full output. When the three-and-a-half-hour engine build is complete, you'll know exactly who built your engine. The craftsman's name is on it.







WITH THE Z06 OR ZR1, YOU HAVE THE OPTION OF TRAVELING TO THE PERFORMANCE BUILD CENTER IN WIXOM, MI, AND HAND-ASSEMBLING YOUR CAR'S LS7 OR LS9 ENGINE. IT'S CALLED THE CORVETTE ENGINE BUILD EXPERIENCE. AT THE PERFORMANCE BUILD CENTER, EACH CORVETTE ENGINE IS HAND-BUILT BY A SINGLE SKILLED CRAFTSMAN. WITH THEIR SUPERVISION AND SUPPORT, YOUR ENGINE CAN BE BUILT WITH YOUR VERY OWN HANDS. ONCE YOUR BUILD IS COMPLETE, THE ENGINE IS TESTED AND CERTIFIED. THEN YOU CAN OPT TO WATCH YOUR CORVETTE AS IT'S BEING ASSEMBLED IN BOWLING GREEN, KY, AND EVEN TAKE DELIVERY OF IT AT THE NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM.





THE CHEVROLET CENTENNIAL EDITION WITH CENTENNIAL SATIN BLACK CAST ALUMINUM WHEELS AND SATIN BLACK GRAPHICS OF LOUIS CHEVROLET APPEAR ON I THE STEERING WHEEL HUB; 2 THE BODYSIDE; 3 WHEEL CENTER CAPS; AND 4 EMBOSSED ON THE SEAT HEAD RESTRAINTS IS THE CENTENNIAL LOGO. THE INSTRUMENT PANEL AND DOORS ARE WRAPPED IN EBONY LEATHER APPOINTMENTS WITH CONTRASTING RED STITCHING AND SUEDED MICROFIBER ON THE SEATS, STEERING WHEEL AND SHIFTER. THE CENTENNIAL SPECIAL EDITION PACKAGE ALSO INCLUDES MAGNETIC SELECTIVE RIDE CONTROL, ONE OF THE WORLD'S FASTEST-REACTING SUSPENSION TECHNOLOGIES.









COUPE

ENGINE LS3 6.2L V8

TYPE 90-degree pushrod, 16-valve V8, aluminum block and heads, hydraulic lifters

BORE AND STROKE 4.06×3.62 COMPRESSION RATIO 10.7:1 HORSEPOWER $430 \otimes 5900 \, \mathrm{rpm}$ ($436 \, \mathrm{w/dual\text{-}mode}$ exhaust) TORQUE $424 \, \mathrm{lb.\text{-}ft.} \otimes 4600 \, \mathrm{rpm}$ ($428 \, \mathrm{w/dual\text{-}mode}$ exhaust) REDLINE $6500 \, \mathrm{rpm}$ AXLE RATIO $3.42:1 \, \mathrm{manual}$;

 $2.56{:}1\,automatic\ \ \textbf{0\,T0\,60}\ 4.2\,seconds$

QUARTER MILE 12.6 seconds @ 115 mph

TOP SPEED 190 mph SKID PAD (MAX. LATERAL ACCELERATION) 0.92g BRAKING SYSTEM Power-assisted 4-wheel ventilated disc with Bosch® ABS BRAKING DISTANCE 60 to 0 in 116 ft. CURB WEIGHT $3.225 \, \mathrm{lbs}$.

POWER-TO-WEIGHT 7.5:1 (curb weight/hp)

WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION 51/49 DRAG COEFFICIENT 0.286

EPA-ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY (MPG CITY/HWY) 16/26 manual; 15/25 auto MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL/AUTO) 468/450 miles

CONVERTIBLE

ENGINE LS3 6.2L V8

TYPE 90-degree pushrod, 16-valve V8, aluminum block and heads, hydraulic lifters

BORE AND STROKE 4.06×3.62 COMPRESSION RATIO 10.7:1

 $\textbf{HORSEPOWER}~430 @ 5900 \, \mathrm{rpm} \, (436 \, \mathrm{w/dual\text{-}mode} \, \mathrm{exhaust})$

TORQUE~424~lb.-ft. @~4600~rpm~(428~w/dual-mode~exhaust)

REDLINE 6500 rpm **AXLE RATIO** 3.42:1 manual;

2.56:1 automatic **0 T0 60** 4.2 seconds

QUARTER MILE 12.6 seconds @ 115 mph

SKID PAD (MAX. LATERAL ACCELERATION) 0.92g

BRAKING SYSTEM Power-assisted 4-wheel ventilated disc with Bosch ABS BRAKING DISTANCE 60 to 0 in 116 ft.

CURB WEIGHT 3,239 lbs.

POWER-TO-WEIGHT 7.5:1 (curb weight/hp)

WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION 51/49

EPA-ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY (MPG CITY/HWY) 16/26 manual; 15/25 auto MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL/AUTO) 468/450 miles

GRAND SPORT COUPE

ENGINE LS3 6.2L V8

TYPE 90-degree pushrod, 16-valve V8, aluminum

block and heads, hydraulic lifters with

dry-sump oil system on manual versions

BORE AND STROKE 4.06×3.62 COMPRESSION RATIO 10.7:1

HORSEPOWER 430 @ 5900 rpm (436 w/dual-mode exhaust)

TORQUE 424 lb.-ft. @ 4600 rpm (428 w/dual-mode exhaust)

REDLINE 6500 rpm **AXLE RATIO** 3.42:1 manual;

2.73:1 automatic **0 T0 60** 3.95 seconds

QUARTER MILE 12.3 seconds @ 117 mph

SKID PAD (MAX. LATERAL ACCELERATION) 1.0g

 $\label{eq:braking system} \begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{BRAKING SYSTEM 4-} wheel ventilated, cross-drilled cast iron rotors with 6-piston front calipers and 4-piston rear calipers with Bosch ABS $\end{tabular} \begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{BRAKING DISTANCE 60 to 0 in 113 ft.} \end{tabular}$

CURB WEIGHT 3,330 lbs.

POWER-TO-WEIGHT 7.7:1 (curb weight/hp)

WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION 51/49 DRAG COEFFICIENT 0.34

EPA-ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY (MPG CITY/HWY) 16/26 manual; 15/25 auto MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL/AUTO) 468/450 miles



ENGINE LS7 7.0L (427 CID) V8 TYPE 90-degree pushrod, 16-valve V8, aluminum block and heads, hydraulic lifters

with dry-sump oil system

Z06

BORE AND STROKE 4.125×4.0 COMPRESSION RATIO 11.0:1

HORSEPOWER 505 @ 6300 rpm

TORQUE 470 lb.-ft. @ 4800 rpm

REDLINE 7000 rpm AXLE RATIO 3.42:1

0 TO 60 3.7 seconds **QUARTER MILE** 11.7 seconds @ 125 mph

TOP SPEED 198 mph NÜRBURGRING LAP TIME 7:22.7

SKID PAD (MAXIMUM/STANDARD LATERAL ACCELERATION) 1.13g (with ZO7)/1.04g

BRAKING SYSTEM 4-wheel ventilated, cross-drilled cast iron rotors with 6-piston front calipers and 4-piston rear

calipers with Bosch ABS

BRAKING DISTANCE 60 to 0 in 103 ft. (with Z07)

CURB WEIGHT 3.199 lbs.

POWER-TO-WEIGHT 6.3:1 (curb weight/hp)

WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION 50/50 DRAG COEFFICIENT 0.34

EPA-ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY (MPG CITY/HWY) 15/24 manual MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL) 432 miles

ZR1

ENGINE LS9 6.2L supercharged V8

TYPE 90-degree pushrod, 16-valve V8, aluminum block and heads, hydraulic lifters with dry-sump oil system

BORE AND STROKE 4.06×3.62 COMPRESSION RATIO 9.1:1

HORSEPOWER 638 @ 6500 rpm

TORQUE 604 lb.-ft. @ 3800 rpm

REDLINE 6500 rpm AXLE RATIO 3.42:1

0 TO 60 3.4 seconds **QUARTER MILE** 11.3 seconds @ 131 mph

TOP SPEED 205 mph NÜRBURGRING LAP TIME 7:19.6

SKID PAD (MAXIMUM/STANDARD LATERAL ACCELERATION) 1.13g (with PDE)/1.05g BRAKING SYSTEM Brembo® 4-wheel ventilated, cross-drilled

carbon ceramic matrix rotors with 6-piston front calipers and 4-piston rear calipers with Bosch ABS

BRAKING DISTANCE 60 to 0 in 103 ft. (with PDE)

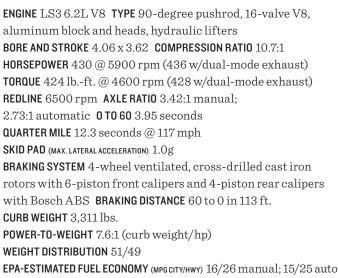
CURB WEIGHT 3.353 lbs.

POWER-TO-WEIGHT 5.2:1 (curb weight/hp)

WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION 51/49 DRAG COEFFICIENT 0.35

EPA-ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY (MPG CITY/HWY) 14/21 manual

MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL) 378 miles



MAXIMUM HIGHWAY CRUISING RANGE (MANUAL/AUTO) 468/450 miles



STANDARD AND INCREMENTAL EQUIPMENT

COUPE/CONVERTIBLE/GRAND SPORT

ILT

6.2-liter LS3 V8 engine, 430 horsepower

6-speed manual transmission with launch control

Active Handling System: traction control: ABS and cruise control

Larger cross-drilled brake rotors with six-piston front and

four-piston rear calipers (Grand Sport)

Auto-dimming mirrors and compass

Dual power-adjustable heated sport mirrors

Xenon high-intensity discharge headlamps, automatic headlamps and foglamps

 $\label{lem:airbags:Prontal & side-impact, driver \& front passenger with Passenger Sensing System$

Dual-zone automatic climate control and cabin air filtrations

Floor mats

OnStar² with Directions & Connections for six months

Kevless Access with Push-Button Start

Leather seating surfaces

Six-way power driver and passenger seats

Tilt steering wheel with steering wheel-mounted audio controls

AM/FM stereo with CD player/MP3 playback, SiriusXM Radio³ with three-month trial, seven speakers, automatic volume, Radio Data System (RDS),4 TheftLock and auxiliary audio input jack

Tire Pressure Monitoring System and run-flat tires

Variable-ratio power steering

2LT

In addition to or replacing 1LT features, 2LT includes:

Bluetooth® wireless technology for select phones with steering wheel-mounted controls⁵

Head-Up Display

Bose® Premium Audio, nine-speaker system

SiriusXM Radio3 with twelve-month subscription

Navigation Radio: 6 voice recognition, 6.5" diagonal LCD color display and USB port 7

3LT

In addition to or replacing 2LT features, 3LT includes:

Sport seats: Lumbar/wing adjust, perforated leather

Power top (convertible)

Luggage shade (coupe) and cargo net

Power-telescoping steering column

Heated seats

Universal Home Remote transmitter

Memory Package

4LT

In addition to or replacing 3LT features, 4LT includes:

Custom Leather-Wrapped Interior Package with sueded microfiber seat inserts, two-tone leather seating surfaces, embroidered head restraints; leather-wrapped instrument panel upper, door panel uppers and console cover (all with contrasting stitching), and a special gummetal pattern console trim plate

Z06

ILZ

7.0-liter LS7 V8 engine, 505 horsepower

6-speed manual transmission with launch control

Carbon-fiber front fenders and aluminum frame with fixed-roof structure

Active Handling System; traction control; ABS and cruise control

Larger cross-drilled brake rotors with six-piston front and four-piston rear calipers

Auto-dimming mirrors and compass

Dual power-adjustable heated sport mirrors

Xenon high-intensity discharge headlamps, automatic headlamps and foglamps

Air bags:¹Frontal & side-impact, driver & front passenger with Passenger Sensing System

Dual-zone automatic climate control and cabin air filtrations

Floor mats

OnStar² with Directions & Connections for six months

Kevless Access with Push-Button Start

Leather seating surfaces

Six-way power driver and passenger seats

Tilt steering wheel with steering wheel-mounted audio controls

AM/FM stereo with CD player/MP3 playback, SiriusXM Radio³ with three-month trial, seven speakers, automatic volume, Radio Data System (RDS),4 TheftLock and auxiliary audio input jack

Tire Pressure Monitoring System and run-flat tires

Head-Up Display

Variable-ratio power steering

2LZ

In addition to or replacing 1LZ features, 2LZ includes:

Bluetooth wireless technology for select phones with steering wheel-mounted controls⁵

Bose Premium Audio, nine-speaker system

SiriusXM Radio³ with twelve-month subscription

Navigation Radio: 6 voice recognition, 6.5" diagonal LCD color display and USB port 7

Luggage shade and cargo net

Power-telescoping steering column

Heated seats

Universal Home Remote transmitter

Memory Package

3LZ

 ${\it In addition to or replacing 2LZ features, 3LZ includes:}$

Custom Leather-Wrapped Interior Package with sueded microfiber seat inserts, two-tone leather seating surfaces, embroidered head restraints; leather-wrapped instrument panel upper, door panel uppers and console cover (all with contrasting stitching), and a special gunmetal pattern console trim plate

Sport seats: Lumbar/wing adjust, perforated leather

ZRI

IZR

6.2-liter LS9 supercharged V8 engine, 638 horsepower

6-speed manual transmission with launch control

Carbon-fiber front fenders and aluminum frame with fixed-roof structure

Visible carbon-fiber roof, roof bow, rocker extensions and front air splitter, and carbon-fiber domed hood with window to supercharged engine

Active Handling System; traction control; ABS and cruise control

Brembo® Carbon Ceramic Brakes

Auto-dimming mirrors and compass

Dual power-adjustable heated sport mirrors

Xenon high-intensity discharge headlamps, automatic headlamps and foglamps

Air bags:¹Frontal & side-impact, driver & front passenger with Passenger Sensing System

Dual-zone automatic climate control and cabin air filtrations

Floormat

OnStar² with Directions & Connections for six months

Keyless Access with Push-Button Start

Leather seating surfaces

Six-way power driver and passenger seats

TheftLock and auxiliary audio input jack

Tilt steering wheel with steering wheel-mounted audio controls

AM/FM stereo with CD player/MP3 playback, SiriusXM Radio³ with three-month trial, seven speakers, automatic volume, Radio Data System (RDS)⁴

Tire Pressure Monitoring System and run-flat tires

Head-Up Display

Magnetic Selective Ride Control and Performance Traction Management

Variable-ratio power steering

3ZR

In addition to or replacing 1ZR features, 3ZR includes:

Bluetooth wireless technology for select phones with steering wheel-mounted controls⁵

Power-telescoping steering column

Bose Premium Audio, nine-speaker system

Luggage shade and cargo net

SiriusXM Radio³ with twelve-month subscription

Navigation Radio: 6 voice recognition, 6.5" diagonal LCD color display and USB port?

Sport seats: Lumbar/wing adjust, perforated leather

Heated seats

Universal Home Remote transmitter

 $Custom\,Leather-Wrapped\,Interior\,Package\,with\,sueded\,microfiber\,seat\,inserts,\\two-tone\,leather\,seating\,surfaces,\,embroidered\,head\,restraints;\,leather-wrapped\,instrument\,panel\,upper,\,door\,panel\,uppers\,and\,console\,cover\,(all\,with\,contrasting\,stitching),\,and\,a\,special\,gunmetal\,pattern\,console\,trim\,plate$

Memory Package

I Always use safety belts and child restraints. Children are safer when properly secured in a rear seat in the appropriate child restraint. See the Owner's Manual for more safety information. 2 Visit onstar.com for details and system limitations. Services vary by model and conditions. 3 Requires a subscription sold separately by SiriusXM after trial period. Available in the 48 contiguous United States and Washington, D.C. Visit siriusxm.com for details. 4 RDS functions only where stations broadcast RDS information. 5 Go to gm.com/bluetooth to find out which phones are compatible with the vehicle. 6 Map coverage excludes Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and portions of Canada. 7 Not compatible with all devices. 8 These tires are designed for ultimate dry warm weather performance and have reduced tread wear rating. Refer to Tires paragraph in the Important Information section for more details. 9 Requires available CFZ Carbon-Fiber Package and F55 Magnetic Selective Ride Control. 10 Available on Grand Sport only. II Not available arger cross-drilled brake rotors for coupe and convertible. I3 Requires available Larger cross-drilled brake rotors for coupe and convertible. I4 Also includes Goodyear® Eagle® F1 Supercar GEN2 tires on Grand Sport models when ordered with 6-speed manual transmission. I5 Requires available Magnetic Selective Ride Control. I6 Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition only. I7 Interim availability. I8 Extra-cost color.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

■ STANDARD □ AVAILABLE - NOT AVAILABLE

		COUPE/CONVERTIBLE/ GRAND SPORT				Z06			ZRI	
	ILT	2LT	3LT	4LT	ILZ	2LZ	3LZ	IZR	3ZR	
Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition: Black Carbon Flash Metallic paint, Centennial black wheels, red brake calipers, black exterior stripes, specific exterior and interior badging, sueded microfiber seat inserts, sueded microfiber-wrapped steering wheel and shifter, red custom stitching, and Magnetic Selective Ride Contro	ol –	_			_	_		_		
Z07 Ultimate Performance Package for Z06: Brembo carbon ceramic brakes, lightweight black cup wheels, Michelin® Pilot® Sport PS Cup Tires, TMS Magnetic Selective Ride Control and enhanced cooling and black full-width spoiler					□9	□ ⁹	□9			
PDE ZR1 High Performance Package: Lightweight black cup wheels, Michelin Pilot PS Cup Tires, 6-speed close-ratio transmission and black full-width spoiler										
Grand Sport Heritage Package: Hash-mark stripe fender graphics and two-tone leather seats with head restraint embroidery	_	□ ¹⁰			_		_			
Roof Panel: Transparent ¹¹					_	_	_	_		
Roof Package: Body-color roof panel and transparent roof panel ¹¹					_	_	_	_		
CFZ Carbon Fiber Package: Black painted carbon-fiber roof, rockers and splitter, and body-color ZR1-style spoiler	_	_	_	_				_	_	
Carbon-fiber hood	_	_	_	_					_	
Black Grand Sport fender badging	□ ¹⁰	□ ¹⁰	□ ¹⁰	□ ¹⁰	_	_	_			
Custom Brake Caliper Colors: Available in Red, Gray, Silver, Yellow	□ ¹²	□ ¹²	□ ¹²	□ ¹²						
Larger cross-drilled brake rotors for coupe and convertible	_				_	_	_	_		
Brembo Carbon Ceramic Brakes	_	_	_	_			□ ¹³		_	
Dual-mode performance exhaust					-		•		•	
Magnetic Selective Ride Control with Tour and Sport modes;										
includes larger cross-drilled brake rotors on coupe and convertible	□14	\Box^{14}	\Box ¹⁴	□14					-	
Magnetic Selective Ride Control with Tour and Sport modes; includes PTM, cup wheels and Michelin PS2 tires on Z06	_	_	_	_				•	•	
Performance Traction Management	_	-	-	_	□ ¹⁵	\Box^{15}	□ ¹⁵			
Six-speed Paddle Shift Automatic Transmission					_	_	_	_		
Battery Protection Package										
Head restraints: Embroidered with crossed-flags design	_			•	_	_	_	_		
$\underline{\text{Two-tone seats with crossed-flags embroidery (except Ebony 4LT)}}$	_			•	_	_	_	_		
Custom leather stitching in red, yellow and blue	_	_	_		_	_		_		
Corvette Engine Build Experience	_	-	-	-						
Museum Delivery										
$Wheels: 5-spoke\ aluminum\ for\ coupe\ and\ convertible\\ 18'' x 8.5''\ front; 19'' x 10''\ rear\ available\ in\ silver-painted\ standard;\\ Chrome,\ Machined-finish\ and\ Competition\ Gray\ available$					_	_	_	_	_	
Wheels: 5-spoke aluminum wheel for Grand Sport $18'' \times 9.5''$ front; $19'' \times 12''$ rear available in silver-painted standard; Chrome and Competition Gray available					_	_	_	_	_	
Wheels: 10-spoke spider aluminum wheel 18" x 9.5" front; 19" x 12" rear available in silver-painted standard; Chrome and Competition Gray available	_	_	_	_				_	_	
Wheels: 20-spoke aluminum wheel 19"x 10" front; 20"x 12" rear available in silver-painted standard; Chrome and Competition Gray available	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
Wheels: Lightweight Cup 19" x 10" front; 20" x 12" rear available in black finish standard; and machined finish available		_	_							

RECOMMENDED COLOR COMBINATIONS

COUPE/CONVERTIBLE/GRAND SPORT (ILT, 2LT, 3LT)

	INTERIOR COLORS (SOLID OR TWO-TONE)					
	CONVERTIBLE	TOP COLORS: ■ BL	ACK BEIGE G	RAY BLUE		
EXTERIOR COLORS	EBONY	CASHMERE-COLOR	TITANIUM GRAY	RED		
$CarbonFlashMetallic^{16}$		_	-	-		
Cyber Gray Metallic ¹⁷						
Supersonic Blue Metallic ¹⁸				_		
Crystal Red Tintcoat ^{17,18}						
Torch Red						
Inferno Orange Metallic ¹⁸				_		
Velocity Yellow Tintcoat ¹⁸				_		
Carlisle Blue Metallic				_		
Blade Silver Metallic						
Arctic White						

Z06 (ILZ, 2LZ); ZRI (IZR)

		INTERIOR COLORS				
EXTERIOR COLORS	EBONY WITH RED ACCENTS	EBONY	EBONY WITH CASHMERE- COLOR ACCENTS	EBONY WITH TITANIUM-COLOR ACCENTS		
Carbon Flash Metallic ¹⁶	-		_	-		
Cyber Gray Metallic ¹⁷						
Supersonic Blue Metallic ¹⁸						
Crystal Red Tintcoat ^{17,18}						
Torch Red						
Inferno Orange Metallic ¹⁸	_					
Velocity Yellow Tintcoat ¹⁸	_					
Carlisle Blue Metallic			•			
Blade Silver Metallic			•			
Arctic White						

COUPE/CONVERTIBLE/GRAND SPORT (4LT); ZO6 (3LZ); ZRI (3ZR)							
	INTERIOR COLORS (CUSTOM LEATHER-WRAPPED)						
	4LT CONVERTIBLE TOP C	COLORS: BLACK	BEIGE ■ GRAY ■ BLUE				
EXTERIOR COLORS	SOLID EBONY	CASHMERE-COLOR/ EBONY	DARK TITANIUM-COLOR/ EBONY				
Carbon Flash Metallic ¹⁶		_	_				
Cyber Gray Metallic ¹⁷							
Supersonic Blue Metallic ¹⁸							

Cyber Gray Metallic ¹⁷		
Supersonic Blue Metallic ¹⁸		
Crystal Red Tintcoat ^{17,18}		
Torch Red		
Inferno Orange Metallic ¹⁸		
Velocity Yellow Tintcoat ¹⁸		
Carlisle Blue Metallic	 	
Blade Silver Metallic	 	
Arctic White		



CONVERTIBLE TOPS

16 Beige

17 Blue

18 Gray

Black^{4,5}

STITCHING

19 Yellow

Red⁴

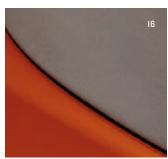
Blue⁴

HEADLAMP SURROUNDS

20 Black

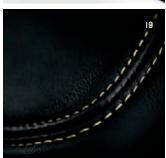
Blade Silver Metallic⁴

Cyber Gray Metallic4















I Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition only. 2 Interim availability. 3 Extra-cost color. 4 Also available, but not pictured. 5 Required for Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition.

See dealer for recommended color combinations. Extra-cost customized color combinations available.





WHEELS I Five-spoke aluminum wheel for Grand Sport Coupe and Convertible, shown in Silver finish; also available in Chrome and Competition Gray. 2 Black Cup wheel for Z06 with Z07 and ZR1 with PDE Package; also available in machined finish. 3 20-spoke aluminum wheel for ZR1 shown in available Chrome; also available in Silver finish and Competition Gray. 4 Cup wheel in black with red stripe; included with Z06 and ZR1 with Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition. 5 Five-spoke aluminum wheel for Grand Sport Coupe and Convertible, shown in Competition Gray; also available in Silver finish and Chrome. 6 Machined-finish Cup wheel available on Z06 with Magnetic Selective Ride Control, Z06 with Z07 Package, ZR1 with PDE Package, Z06 and ZR1 Chevrolet Centennial Special Edition. 7 Five-spoke aluminum wheel for coupe and convertible shown in machined finish; also available in Silver finish, Chrome and Competition Gray. COLOR CALIPERS Larger cross-drilled brake rotors with silver calipers. 9 Larger cross-drilled brake rotors with gray calipers. 10 Brembo® carbon ceramic brakes with red calipers. 11 Brembo carbon ceramic brakes with yellow calipers. 12 Brembo carbon ceramic brakes with blue calipers. 12 Brembo carbon ceramic brakes available on Z06 with Z07 Package and ZR1.













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