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## *Invention is just the beginning.*

*True innovation never stops at being first. With every breakthrough in safety, performance and luxury, the M-Class continues to reset the standard for the category it invented.*

Think back just 16 years and try to remember what was in your driveway at the time. Perhaps it was a vehicle that led the industry in safety. It could have offered the latest luxuries. Maybe its responsive handling inspired your sense of confidence at the wheel. Or chances are, it just fit you, your family and your weekend gear really well. Whatever you were driving back then, one thing is certain: If what was in your driveway could do all these things, you owned more than one vehicle. Because no single automobile—not even a Mercedes-Benz—could fulfill such high expectations in such a wide scope of abilities. With the debut of the very first—and very original—M-Class, SUVs entered a new era. At last, their versatile space and all-season capability were

available with Mercedes-Benz luxury, safety and innovation. Automotive firsts like the 4-wheel independent suspension and Electronic Stability Program could now be appreciated from a commanding viewpoint of the road. The M-Class also debuted a number of SUV firsts, too—like side-impact air bags, its 4-wheel Electronic Traction System, and certified low emissions. Generations later, virtually all of its original breakthroughs have grown to be expected in any new SUV. But also as expected, Mercedes-Benz keeps forging ahead. The 2014 M-Class remains a pioneer in performance, top-rated in safety, and a continual reinvention of the luxury SUV. Being the best of all worlds has actually never been its mission. Leading the way to a better world always has.



ML 350 shown on cover with Polar White paint, and optional brushed aluminum running boards, KEYLESS-GO, Panorama roof, PARKTRONIC, and Driver Assistance and Lighting Packages. ML 350 shown above with optional Dakota Brown metallic paint, KEYLESS-GO, Panorama roof and PARKTRONIC.



ML 350 BlueTEC shown with optional Diamond Silver metallic paint, 20" twin 5-spoke wheels, brushed aluminum running boards, KEYLESS-GO, PARKTRONIC, and Premium 1 Package. Please see endnotes on back cover.

# How far ahead is far enough?

In today's fast-paced world, nothing seems to travel faster than imitation. The moment something new appears, the clones, knockoffs and even the honorable emulations give chase. And yet innovation—the result of vigorous thinking and rigorous testing—always outpaces imitation. It's how an M-Class uniquely rewards its driver, better protects its occupants, and thoughtfully lightens its burden on the planet. It's also what makes each of the four M-Class models stand apart from each other, and why they're always ahead of the crowd. Being first may get you points for originality. Being a leader earns you a Star.

*ML 350*



Sleek on the outside yet spacious inside. A strong, rigid uni-body that's library quiet. A refined yet responsive AGILITY CONTROL® suspension. And elegant chrome accents set off by big, bold 19" wheels. The ML 350 delivers style and substance in equal measure. Its Direct Injection V-6 whisks it to 60 mph in just 7.5 seconds,<sup>1</sup> while making more torque and fewer emissions from every drop of gasoline.<sup>2</sup> Two new Sport Packages feature 19" or 20" AMG® wheels and AMG body styling. And you can choose sporty rear-wheel drive or the nimble footwork of 4MATIC® all-wheel drive.

*ML 350 BlueTEC*



Like its gasoline-powered sibling, the clean diesel ML 350 BlueTEC<sup>3</sup> delivers choice without compromise. But it also pays a unique dividend of its own: up to 28 highway mpg.<sup>2</sup> With standard 4MATIC all-wheel drive and a cruising range of over 600 miles per tankful, you'll likely need refueling before it does. Yet in its quiet comfort, industry-leading safety and certified ultralow emissions, it's pure ML 350. It accelerates to 60 mph in the same 7.5 seconds,<sup>1</sup> matches its finely tailored refinement to the last impeccable stitch, and offers the AMG styling infusion of its Sport Packages.

*ML 550*



Start with the elements that empower every M-Class to outperform in every dimension. Like the swift response of a paddle-shifted 7-speed automatic. The agility of 4MATIC all-wheel drive. The reassurance of ATTENTION ASSIST® and COLLISION PREVENTION ASSIST. And the luxury of heated power front seats and hand-finished wood trim. Then, add a 429-hp biturbo V-8 that can run to 60 in 5.3 seconds.<sup>1</sup> Wrap a set of 19" AMG wheels in aggressive AMG bodywork. And add sleek aluminum running boards. The result is a luxury SUV that thinks its a sports car—and just might be right.

*ML 63 AMG*



You can tell a lot from a handshake. It speaks to character. Sincerity. And authenticity. The first time you grip the thick steering wheel of the ML 63 AMG, it telegraphs the same message. You can feel the expertise of the one man's hands that crafted its 518-hp biturbo V-8 from its first bolt to its first startup. Its 4.7-second 0–60 time,<sup>1</sup> beefy brakes, 20" AMG wheels, and corner-flattening ACTIVE CURVE SYSTEM bring decades of racing teamwork to life. And every moment of it is delivered to you in the embrace of *designo* Nappa leather that's also meticulously crafted by hand.

ML 350 BlueTEC shown with optional Black leather upholstery, Burl Walnut wood trim, and optional harmon/kardon surround sound, KEYLESS-GO, multicolor ambient lighting, PARKTRONIC, and Premium 1 Package. Please see endnotes on back cover.

## *An invitation to stay longer.*

While the purpose of any vehicle—especially a capable, adventurous SUV—is to venture elsewhere, the M-Class cabin invites you to take a seat, settle in and enjoy where you are, no matter where the outside scenery is taking you. From the premium feel of every surface to the precision you can see in every stitch, the M-Class is crafted not just from rich materials, but from rich traditions. Far more than old-world values are at work here, though. From the glow of LEDs and fiber-optics encircling the cockpit, to front seats that can warm you, cool you, and even massage your back, the M-Class can bring you to a new era in comfort. It also ushers in a new age of connectivity, with the in-car Internet apps of Mercedes-Benz mbrace2™ to help guide you across town and country, around traffic, or directly to your waiting friends.\* Wherever you take your M-Class, its innovative and inviting cabin offers a warm welcome you simply cannot overstay.



Every surface of the M-Class cabin reflects generations of fine craftsmanship, and a devotion to quality that Mercedes-Benz has never forgotten. Supple Nappa leather is hand-stitched to the steering wheel.

Sustainably forested wood trim is finished by hand. Warm Eucalyptus is polished to a warm glow on the ML 350 models. Classically elegant high-gloss Burl Walnut is standard on the ML 550 and ML 63 AMG, and included with leather on the ML 350 models. All models also offer the option of dramatic Anthracite Poplar, low-sheen open-pore Brown Satin Ash, or exquisitely intense *designo* Piano Black Lacquer.

Matched by eye and finished by hand, *designo* Nappa leather is as distinguished as it is distinctive. It's standard on the ML 63 AMG and optional on the others.

The available fiber-optic LED ambient lighting casts a soothing, stylish glow from beneath the wood trim on the dash and doors. A choice of three selectable colors – warm amber Solar, cool blue Polar, and soft white Neutral – lets you suit your mood while creating a tranquil atmosphere. Illuminated front door sills are included, to greet you as you enter and help ease your step as you exit.

The M-Class simplifies countless tasks of driving by placing them within a finger's reach of the steering wheel. The elegant electronic gearshift and sporty shift paddles keep total of control gear changes close at hand. The multifunction steering wheel does likewise with the audio system, hands-free Bluetooth,<sup>®</sup> the available voice control system, and illustrated menus for vehicle settings.





ML 350 shown with Black paint, and optional KEYLESS-GO, Panorama roof, PARKTRONIC, and Driver Assistance and Premium 1 Packages. Please see endnotes on back cover.





# *Inspiration to go farther.*

*Its performance credentials read more like a library of automotive innovation than a mere spec sheet. That's because its direct fuel injection and clean diesel engines, advanced all-wheel drive and agile independent suspension all got their start at Mercedes-Benz. But it's where they've gone since then—to embrace the road and the planet like no other SUV—that will inspire you.*

The earth has many ways of placing ever-changing demands on drivers—from a sudden shift in the weather to long-term environmental needs, even to the shape of the road rolling under your wheels. The advanced performance systems of the M-Class take all kinds of change in stride. State-of-the-art Direct Injection gasoline and BlueTEC clean diesel<sup>3</sup> engines generate more power and torque from less fuel, for the reward of instant response with lasting dividends in efficiency and ultralow emissions. In a matter of a millisecond, the three gasoline engines can precisely tune their high-pressure fuel injectors and multispark ignition to coerce the most power out of each atom of fuel. You can choose from a 302-hp V-6 in the ML 350, a 402-hp biturbo V-8 in the ML 550, and a handcrafted 518-hp biturbo V-8 in the ML 63 AMG. Or consider the remarkable ML 350 BlueTEC, whose turbocharged clean diesel V-6 generates more torque than many V-8s, yet returns up to 28 highway mpg.<sup>2</sup> BlueTEC, arguably the world's most advanced diesel technology, converts its nitrogen oxide emissions into the pure, earth-friendly elements of nitrogen and oxygen.

Each of the M-Class engines is teamed with a smooth, efficient 7-speed automatic transmission whose elegant electronic selector and sporty

paddle shifters let you select and change gears without taking a hand from the steering wheel.

From the wet leaves of Autumn to winter's wrath, 4MATIC<sup>®</sup> all-wheel drive helps convert power into confident performance. Its 4-wheel Electronic Traction System (4-ETS<sup>®</sup>) continually redistributes torque to the wheels with the best grip—even if that's a single wheel—to help get you going.<sup>5</sup> The system's compact size, light weight, and permanent 50:50 front/rear torque split helps keep handling light, crisp and rewarding on dry roads, too—while imposing virtually no fuel-economy penalty year-round. There's also an ML 350 with rear-wheel drive, offering naturally balanced handling that's sportier than competitors' front-wheel-drive SUVs.

Standard 19" wheels on the ML 350 and ML 550 models are both road-hugging and eye-catching. Bold 20" wheels are also available. On the ML 63 AMG, 20s are standard, with 21" wheels optional.

A double-wishbone front/multilink rear suspension features AGLILITY CONTROL,<sup>®</sup> an innovation that reads the road surface with every move of each wheel. In hard corners and evasive maneuvers, it instantly firms up to provide quick, sharp reflexes without compromising the all-around silky ride.





## *Performance art, signed by the artist.*

Mounted atop every AMG engine is a small plaque bearing the signature of the single technician who crafted it by hand. More than a crown jewel of racing royalty, it authenticates a philosophy that's been the driving force behind championship racecars for 46 years. For the high-performance AMG automobiles that carry this motorsports pedigree to the streets of the world, "One man, one engine" is far more than a spiritual legacy. It's also tangibly evident in the meticulous engineering, proven endurance and superlative performance that three letters—and one signature—certify.

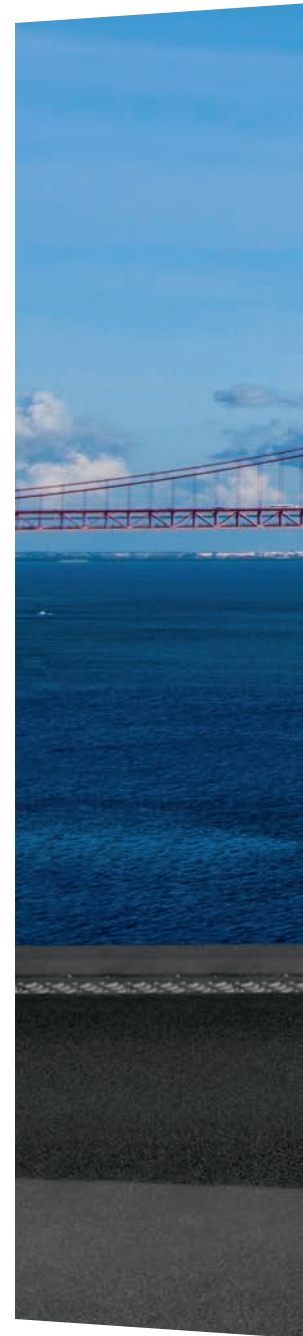


A handcrafted biturbo V-8 endows the ML 63 AMG with 518 hp and 516 lb-ft of torque. Accompanied by an exhaust note of symphonic proportions, 60 mph arrives in 4.7 seconds.<sup>1</sup> And yet its light weight and such advancements as a fuel-saving ECO Start/Stop system team up to return ultralow emissions and improved efficiency in everyday driving.<sup>2</sup>

The quick response of the 7-speed AMG SPEEDSHIFT<sup>®</sup> transmission is further enhanced by a choice of three driver-selectable shift modes. Downshifts are expertly rev-matched, with a blip of the throttle that evokes an intoxicating snarl of the exhaust. It's ideally matched to 4MATIC<sup>®</sup> all-wheel drive with an AMG-specific transfer case. The permanent 40:60 front/rear torque split is set up to optimize handling dynamics, especially when cornering on dry pavement.<sup>5</sup>

Large yet lightweight, 20" AMG<sup>®</sup> 5-spoke alloy wheels reveal an enticing glimpse of the massive AMG brake hardware that lurks behind them. Even more aggressive 21" twin 5-spoke wheels are optional. The self-leveling AIRMATIC<sup>®</sup> suspension and its Adaptive Damping System are AMG-calibrated, and team up with the innovative ACTIVE CURVE SYSTEM. Its electro-hydraulic variable front and rear stabilizers adapt their torsional stiffness automatically, to help counteract body roll in corners without eroding comfort.

The optional AMG Performance Package strategically enhances numerous engine components, raising output to 550 hp and 560 lb-ft, for 0 to 60 in 4.6 seconds and a 174-mph top speed.<sup>6</sup> Red brake calipers, a carbon fiber engine cover, and a steering wheel with Alcantara<sup>®</sup> side grips verify its racing-bred pedigree.



**AMG**  
DRIVING PERFORMANCE



ML 63 AMG shown with Iridium Silver metallic paint, *designo* Porcelain/Black Nappa leather upholstery, and optional 21" AMG twin 5-spoke wheels, Panorama roof, and Driver Assistance Package. Please see endnotes on back cover.

A close-up photograph of water droplets of various sizes on a light-colored, possibly glass, surface. The droplets are in focus, with some showing highlights and shadows, creating a textured, organic pattern. The background is blurred.

*Insight that can  
change the outcome.*

For more than 60 years, Mercedes-Benz safety engineers have been focused on the future. With countless breakthroughs from the first crumple zone to the first side curtain air bags in an SUV, they've predicted numerous safety standards that all passenger vehicles have come to follow. More importantly, every pioneering innovation they introduce to the world serves to better protect your future—even the part that's mere milliseconds in front of you. Perhaps no one has done more to change the course of automotive history—or help preserve the course of your own.





ML350 shown with optional Iridium Silver metallic paint, 4MATIC all-wheel drive, KEYLESS-GO and PARKTRONIC.

# Predict, reveal, prepare, react.

*Far more than a list of groundbreaking safety innovations, a Mercedes-Benz is engineered as an integrated system that's designed to help you detect, avoid and survive a collision like no other SUV.*

## **Top-rated safety by industry experts.**

In recent testing, both of the most respected safety agencies gave the M-Class their highest acclaim: The Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS) named the 2013 M-Class a "Top Safety Pick." And the 2013 M-Class earned a 5-star overall rating from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).<sup>7</sup>

## **Pioneers of accident avoidance.**

First introduced by Mercedes-Benz, two systems to help you avoid potential collisions have since been adopted by virtually every automaker. The Electronic Stability Program (ESP®) monitors the car's response to driving inputs such as steering and braking, and responds when needed to help keep the car on course.<sup>5</sup> Brake Assist (BAS®) can instantly maximize braking pressure if it detects an emergency braking situation—potentially shortening your overall stopping distance.<sup>8</sup>

## **Brakes that boost confidence and comfort.**

The 4-wheel disc brakes integrate technology to help make driving more reassuring and relaxing. If you lift off the accelerator quickly, Predictive Brake Priming sets the pads closer to the discs for quicker response when you apply the brakes. In the rain, Automatic Brake Drying periodically applies the brakes just enough to sweep away water buildup on the discs. During uphill starts, Hill-Start Assist helps to prevent unwanted rollback. And a clever brake HOLD feature lets you keep the brakes applied without your foot on the pedal, a convenience that can make waiting in traffic or at a long stoplight less stressful.<sup>8</sup>

## **A network of advanced restraints.**

Seven standard air bags offer 9-way protection.<sup>9</sup> Dual-stage front air bags and side-impact air bags are provided for each front seat, along with a driver's knee air bag. Side curtain air bags add protection at all four outboard seating positions. In a collision exceeding a preset threshold, Emergency Tensioning Devices (ETDs) help to remove slack from the front and rear outboard seat belts, while belt force limiters help reduce peak loads on the occupants.

## **Protection that starts before a collision.**

Another Mercedes-Benz innovation, PRE-SAFE® can help detect instability during certain vehicle maneuvers which suggest that a collision or rollover is imminent. PRE-SAFE can then tighten the front seat belts, and close the windows and the sunroof—all in an effort to better prepare the occupants and their restraint systems in the moments before a possible collision.<sup>10</sup>

## **Help when you need it most.**

The standard Mercedes-Benz mbrace® system<sup>4</sup> includes Automatic Collision Notification, which places a call for help if an air bag or seat-belt Emergency Tensioning Device is activated. Your car even transmits its location, model and color. The M-Class also shuts off its fuel supply, turns on its emergency flashers, unlocks the doors and turns on some interior lights to assist rescuers.

## **Technology that looks out for collisions, and helps the driver brake.**

When driving at speeds above 20 mph, COLLISION PREVENTION ASSIST employs radar-based technology that continuously scans the road ahead. This innovative system can alert you if it detects that you're approaching a vehicle ahead at a speed and distance that suggest a collision is likely. As soon as you step on the brake pedal, its Adaptive Brake Assist can automatically increase braking to the ideal level to avoid a collision, or reduce its severity.<sup>11</sup>

If deemed necessary, the vehicle can also activate the features of PRE-SAFE.

## **Cruise control that can stop and go.**

Optional DISTRONIC PLUS® adaptive cruise control is a Mercedes-Benz innovation in convenience and safety. Using radar-based technology, it can adapt your set cruising speed in response to the flow of traffic ahead—automatically slowing until your path is clear again. If the vehicle ahead slows to a stop, DISTRONIC PLUS can brake to a full halt, then resume automatically when traffic starts going—helping make traffic less stressful.<sup>12</sup>

## **Alert and action for stopped traffic.**

Included with DISTRONIC PLUS, PRE-SAFE Brake can help to detect an impending collision with a vehicle ahead. Even if you're not using cruise control, it can sound an alert and automatically apply up to 100% of the vehicle's braking force to help reduce the severity of impact.<sup>8</sup>

## **Brighter by day, and by night.**

Bright white LED Daytime Running Lamps help make your presence more apparent to other drivers. LED taillamps feature 3-dimensional fiber optics and LED turn signals. With the optional Lighting Package, Bi-Xenon headlamps generate light that's perceived more like natural daylight than halogen lamps. The package also includes Active Curve Illumination and Adaptive Highbeam Assist—two systems that continuously vary the angle and beam pattern of the headlamps, to maximize illumination of corners and straightaways without creating glare for other drivers.



*A watchful eye to remind you when it's time for a rest.*

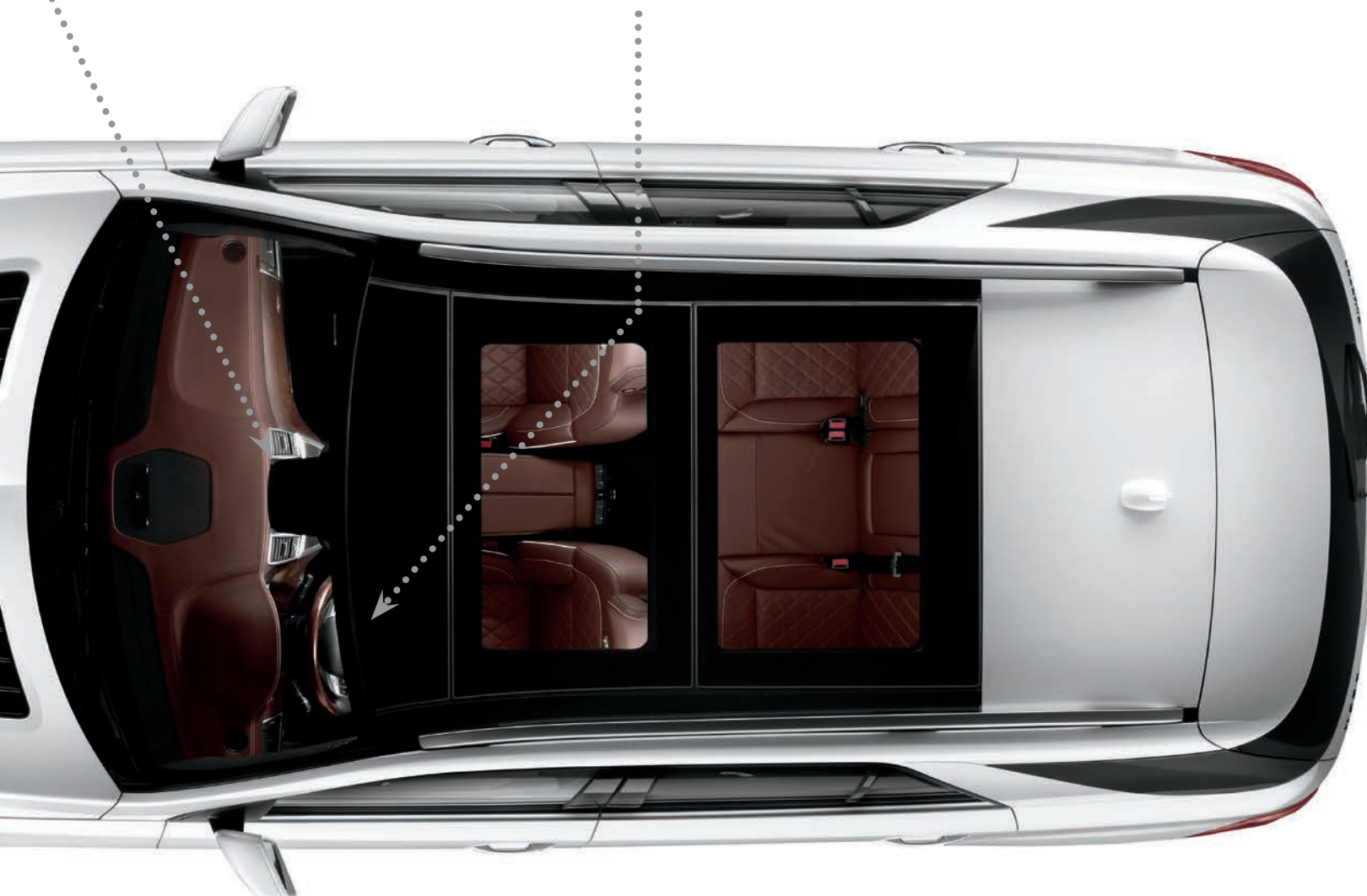
By continually monitoring a variety of driving behaviors, ATTENTION ASSIST® is a Mercedes-Benz innovation that can alert you if it detects signs of drowsiness on long trips. More than 70 variables are measured, starting in the first minutes of each drive, to establish a pattern and determine the warning thresholds accordingly.<sup>13</sup>

*360 degrees of vision.*

The optional new Surround View System uses cameras in all four directions to compose a single, live overhead view of your immediate surroundings. Displayed on the in-dash screen during low-speed maneuvers, it helps you avoid obstacles as you negotiate tight spaces, whether you're moving forward or backing up.<sup>14</sup>

*A preview of what's behind you.*

For added safety when backing up, an available rear view camera shows a live view of the area behind your M-Class on the large central in-dash screen.<sup>14</sup> Steering-dependent active on-screen guidelines help you back into a parking space.



*Mindful assistance on multi-lane roadways.*

Available Blind Spot Assist can alert you to some unseen vehicles in the adjacent lane.<sup>16</sup> Available Lane Keeping Assist can warn you of unintended drifting across visible lane markings.<sup>13</sup> Both systems are also offered with advanced active technology that can selectively apply the brakes at individual wheels, to help guide the car back into its own lane if you disregard the alerts.

*Leadership in trailer towing.*

The M-Class can tow up to 7,200 lbs when equipped with the optional trailer hitch.<sup>19</sup> Standard Trailer Stability Assist uses the sensors for ESP to monitor for trailer sway, or oscillations, when towing. The system then intervenes by using the vehicle's front brakes to help stabilize the M-Class and trailer.

ML 350 BlueTEC shown with Polar White paint, and optional *designo* Auburn Brown/Black Nappa leather upholstery, KEYLESS-GO, Panorama roof, PARKTRONIC, and wood/leather steering wheel. Please see endnotes on back cover.



ML 350 BlueTEC shown with optional Grey/Black leather upholstery, Anthracite Poplar wood trim, Active Ventilated front seats, harman/kardon sound system, and Driver Assistance, Parking Assist and Premium 1 Packages. Please see endnotes on back cover.



# Integration with human nature.

The M-Class cockpit reaches far and wide to bring its benefits closer to you. Its elegant controls and vivid color screens turn advanced technology into second nature, so even the newest features are a cinch to reach—and to grasp. Any kind of music becomes easy listening with plug-and-play convenience—or no plug at all. With the available navigation, entering an address is as intuitive as reading an envelope aloud. If your Facebook friends check in somewhere, your M-Class can take you there. Hands-free calling is built-in, but you can also opt for hands-free parking—yet another virtual assist you can actually enjoy.

## *Eyes on the road, hands on the wheel.*

The COMAND® system unites your entertainment, navigation and useful information via a convenient central controller on the console and a crisp 7" in-dash color screen high in the dash. Controls on the Nappa leather-wrapped steering wheel make it easy to adjust the audio, use the hands-free Bluetooth system,<sup>17</sup> and thumb through a variety of helpful screens and illustrated menus shown in a vivid 4.5" color display in the instrument cluster.

## *Music to fill the air, from virtually anywhere.*

Your listening choices are virtually limitless in an M-Class. Standard audio gear includes HD Radio™ stations, a 6-disc DVD/CD changer, a USB port and Bluetooth audio streaming. The Premium 1 Package adds a Media Interface for your iPod,<sup>®18</sup> an SD card reader, SiriusXM Radio with a 6-month trial of their All Access plan,<sup>19</sup> and a 10GB Music Register for storing your digital music. An optional harman/kardon LOGIC7® system fills the cabin with 830 watts of surround sound, via 13 speakers and a subwoofer. (All are standard on the ML 63 AMG.) With dual monitors and wireless headsets, the optional Rear Seat Entertainment system can play movies and games independently or together.

## *Explore the city, or search the Internet.*

The Premium 1 Package (standard on the ML 63 AMG) also brings you a state-of-the-art navigation system<sup>20</sup> with a fast 80GB hard drive and 3D maps with building profiles. Six months of SiriusXM Traffic and Weather are included.<sup>19</sup> Its voice control system responds to simple commands in your everyday voice—like entering a complete street address in one step. The Cloud-based apps of Mercedes-Benz mbrace2™ bring the Internet to your dash, so you can search from your car, computer or smartphone, and be on your way with a few clicks.<sup>4</sup> And to make backing up easier, a rear view camera with active on-screen parking guidelines is also included.<sup>14</sup>

## *A virtual doorman, or your own valet.*

Optional KEYLESS-GO® lets you unlock and drive your M-Class without taking a key from your pocket or purse. The new Parking Assist Package bundles a suite of helpful systems: PARKTRONIC can help you detect nearby obstacles as you negotiate tight spaces. Active Parking Assist can size up parking spots as you drive by, then expertly steer you in as you control the pedals. And the new Surround View System can display a 360° view of the area around you.<sup>14</sup> All of these are standard on the ML 63 AMG.





### *Embracing support, enduring comfort.*

The standard heated, 8-way power front seats are designed for lasting comfort on long rides or over years of use. The driver seat includes 4-way pneumatic lumbar support, while the Premium 1 Package adds 3-position memory for the seat, the power steering column—also included in the package—and the power-folding side mirrors. Newly available Active Ventilated front seats help keep you cooler and drier in summer. (All of the above is standard on the ML 63 AMG.) Optional multicontour front seats let you fine-tune the lumbar, shoulder and thigh supports. They also offer a massage function that you can adjust from gentle to vigorous.

### *Expansive space, exacting details.*

The versatile 60/40-split rear seats recline to 10 positions, or fold flat in seconds to create up to 80.3 cu ft of cargo space.<sup>21</sup> A new center-armrest pass-through is optional. The standard power liftgate eases loading—especially if it's raining or your arms are full. The cargo area is fully lined with plush carpeting, while a chrome load-sill plate helps protect the rear bumper. Three 12-volt power ports are provided in the cabin and cargo area. The Premium 1 Package adds a household-type 115-volt outlet in the rear seating area. Available brushed aluminum running boards (standard on the ML 550) help make passenger entry easier at all four doors.

## *Invigoration for your senses.*

It would be entirely reasonable to choose an M-Class purely to satisfy your sense of practicality. But it's almost impossible for your other senses not to be indulged every time you drive it. Wherever you look and touch, you'll find exquisite materials finished by hand, and thoughtful amenities that wait on you hand and foot. From its heated power front seats to its power liftgate, its standard features add extra dimensions of comfort. It excels in other dimensions, too, from its 80.3-cu-ft cargo capacity to the 0.0002" particles of dust and pollen it sweeps from the cabin air. And its luxurious options are at once relaxing and rejuvenating: Front seats that can help keep you cooler, or massage your tired back. Rear seats that can swaddle your passengers in soothing warmth. An expansive glass sunroof that delivers the sun and stars to everyone onboard. Ambient lighting you can color-shift to your mood. Even a new cupholder that can help keep your hot beverage warmer, or your cold beverage chilled. In the M-Class, refinement has never been so refreshing.

### *Luxury in the air, and the atmosphere.*

Powerful dual-zone automatic climate control offers precisely tailored comfort year-round. Its combination filter helps remove dust, pollen and airborne odors from the cabin. Optional heated rear seats add to the pleasures of the roomy second row. Automatic shutoff means the driver need not worry if passengers exit without turning off the heaters. To please the driver further, there's the choice of a hand-finished wood/leather steering wheel, or a heated steering wheel that can quickly take the chill from your hands on a cool morning. As with the standard steering wheel, supple Nappa leather is carefully stitched to its rim.

### *The glimmering sky, a glow from within.*

The standard power sunroof tilts up for draft-free ventilation or slides open for a breeze. The Panorama roof, an option first innovated by Mercedes-Benz, presents a grand skyward view to passengers in both seating rows. Its power front section tilts and slides like the standard sunroof, and both feature heat-rejecting tinted glass and a power internal sunshade to filter harsh sunlight. Rear-door sunblinds are also available. By night, the optional fiber-optic LED ambient lighting (standard on the ML 63 AMG) bathes the passenger cabin in any of three selectable hues, and includes the welcoming soft-white glow of illuminated front door sills.



ML 350 shown above with optional Auburn Brown/Black leather upholstery, Burl Walnut wood trim, PARKTRONIC, and Premium 1 Package. ML 350 shown at left with Almond Beige upholstery and Burl Walnut wood trim. Please see endnotes on back cover.



# Your world, your way.

*It's more than your car. It's your life, on the go.*

Where will you go next? Whether you're meeting friends, picking up the kids, or just out and about, Mercedes-Benz mbrace<sup>®</sup> can make any trip easier, more productive and more enjoyable.<sup>4</sup> mbrace2<sup>™</sup> connects you and your car with the devices you already rely upon to get around—your smartphone and computer. It also brings the Internet and an ever-growing array of useful apps to your car, so you can use familiar services like Google Maps<sup>™</sup> and Yelp<sup>®</sup> to start navigating with just a few clicks. Friends can send their location to your car with just a text message. You can lock your car's doors, flash its lights, or find it in a parking lot—all from your smartphone. When your teenager takes the wheel, mbrace2 can deliver peace of mind via your computer. It can bring the assistance of live experts right to your car—from last-minute theater tickets to help in an emergency. And it can all be updated remotely, over the air. So wherever the world goes, mbrace will keep making it yours.



## *From your car.*

With Cloud-based apps, mbrace2 brings the Internet into your Mercedes-Benz. Using the available COMAND<sup>®</sup> navigation system, you can find friends from their Facebook<sup>®</sup> check-ins, search for restaurants on Yelp, or use Google Maps, Local Search and Street View. Instead of entering an address, you can start navigating with just a few clicks. New apps let you check the weather, view traffic cams, find and book a hotel room, and even keep an eye on the stock market. And three buttons in your car can connect you to emergency services, our 24-hour Customer Assistance Center, our Roadside Assistance,<sup>22</sup> or our mbrace PLUS Concierge.

## *From your smartphone.*

The mbrace Mobile Application for iPhone<sup>®</sup> and Android<sup>™</sup> phones lets you send addresses directly to your navigation system, locate your car, lock or unlock its doors, flash its lights, or monitor it when you valet-park. With just a touch, you can find a dealer, and contact Roadside Assistance, Concierge services or Mercedes-Benz Financial Services. Drive2Friend<sup>™</sup> lets someone upload their location directly to your navigation system, simply by responding to a text message that you send them. New enhancements to the app also let you activate and deactivate mbrace features, including the new curfew minder, and receive push notifications.<sup>23</sup>

## *From your computer.*

From the comfort of your home or office, you can send addresses—or even exact routes—to your car's navigation system in a number of ways: From the Send2Benz<sup>™</sup> website. From Google Maps, via Search & Send<sup>™</sup> and Route2Benz. And with a browser toolbar widget that lets you highlight any address on your computer screen and send it to your car with just two clicks. For added peace of mind when your kids are using the car, mbrace can alert you if they drive faster, farther or later than you prefer. And you'll find a world of support and helpful information at the mbrace website, accessible through MBUSA.com/mbrace.



# mbrace2

For more information and a complete list of mbrace services, visit [MBUSA.com/mbrace](http://MBUSA.com/mbrace)

## *mbrace Package*

6-month trial included

*Advanced features you'll enjoy every day.  
Support you can count on when you need it most.*

### *Safety and Security*

From Roadside Assistance to antitheft measures to emergency aid, mbrace looks after you, your passengers and your Mercedes-Benz.

- ▶ Call for assistance after an accident or in any emergency situation. If an air bag is activated, your Mercedes-Benz can place an SOS call automatically, even if you can't
- ▶ Directly connect with Mercedes-Benz Roadside Assistance for help with a dead battery, flat tire or other car trouble
- ▶ Get notified if your car's alarm is set off, and let your car's built-in GPS help authorities with stolen vehicle recovery
- ▶ If you ever find yourself unable to drive, let an mbrace specialist help arrange alternate transportation home

### *Remote Connections to Your Vehicle*

Interact with your vehicle's features, and send addresses to its available navigation system, from your iPhone, Android or computer.

- ▶ Send destinations and even exact routes to your COMAND navigation system from your computer or smartphone
- ▶ Locate your vehicle from the Mobile App on your phone when you can't remember where you parked
- ▶ Remote-lock and unlock your car's doors
- ▶ **m2** Sound your car's horn and flash its lights to help spot it in a crowded lot, or to call attention to a hazardous situation

## *mbrace PLUS*

3-month trial included

*Personal assistance to make your life easier.  
Helpful ways to look after your loved ones.*

### *Personal Concierge*

Enjoy virtually unlimited assistance from an actual person with the knowledge and resources to help with almost any request.

- ▶ Let an expert Concierge help you stay more productive on the road, or from the Mobile App on your smartphone
- ▶ Get expert recommendations and reservations for dining out, tickets to events, and answers to most any question

### *Family Driver Monitoring* **m2**

Let mbrace add to your peace of mind when the secondary drivers in your household use the family Mercedes-Benz.

- ▶ Set speed limits and receive reports if they're exceeded
- ▶ Set up virtual boundaries and be alerted if they're crossed
- ▶ Receive an alert if the car is started after curfew
- ▶ See where your vehicle's been driven on an online map

### *Advanced Travel Assistance*

Keep your eyes on the road with agent-assisted route guidance based on where you are, or plan a trip to somewhere far away.

- ▶ Receive spoken assistance in your car with weather and traffic conditions, point of interest information, and turn-by-turn driving directions to your destination
- ▶ Let your Concierge book and change airline, hotel and rental car reservations from your car or the Mobile App

## *Mercedes-Benz Apps*

3-month trial included

*The convenience of the Internet in your car.  
Connections to your friends and favorites.*

### *In-vehicle Internet* **m2**

Access in-car Internet-based connections to the interests you enjoy, the information you need, and the world you call your own.

- ▶ Search restaurant and business reviews with Yelp, and navigate directly to them with just a few clicks
- ▶ Stay connected to friends with Facebook, and navigate directly to places where they've checked in
- ▶ Find and view local points of interest with Google™ Local Search with Street View and Panoramio
- ▶ Keep up-to-date on the latest news from around the world
- ▶ Follow your favorite stocks through Morningstar
- ▶ Log in to your Mercedes-Benz Financial Services account
- ▶ Search for hotel rooms by distance and price, and book them, powered by HRS—Hotel Reservation Service<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ View local traffic cams in many major metropolitan areas<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ Check local, regional and national weather reports<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ Compare fuel prices at nearby filling stations<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ Check the status of flights and airport conditions<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ Look up showtimes at local movie theaters<sup>24</sup>
- ▶ Enjoy an ever-expanding variety of new apps<sup>24</sup>

**m2** Special feature of mbrace2

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# Every owner deserves Star treatment.

From the moment you first lay eyes on the Mercedes-Benz of your dreams, to miles down the road, you're more than a customer. You're part of a family who values your well-being and your time. You're driving automotive history, carrying its rich heritage into tomorrow with innovations that don't yet exist in any other car. And you're taking a journey that aims to be not merely enjoyable but truly memorable. Of all the treasures one might find behind the Three-Pointed Star, none means more to us than the driver.

## *Prepare to be fascinated.*

The experience of driving a new Mercedes-Benz begins before you get behind the wheel. Pay a visit to [MBUSA.com](http://MBUSA.com) to learn about the full line of models, as well as the innovative thinking and unmatched heritage behind every one. The Mercedes-Benz USA apps for the iPad® bring you useful tools and enlightening videos, all free from the Apple iTunes® Store. And be sure to check out the MBUSA YouTube channel, like us on Facebook, and follow us on Twitter. You'll find our social media addresses on this brochure's back cover.

## *Meet your car at its birthplace.*

When you buy a new Mercedes-Benz (select models only), why not savor your first drive in its natural habitat? Take delivery in Germany through the original manufacturer-sponsored tourist delivery program, and you'll receive significant savings<sup>26</sup> and other benefits—along with the unforgettable experience of a European vacation with your own new Mercedes-Benz. You can even opt for an exciting and scenic Black Forest—Alps Rally Package. Visit [MBUSA.com/edp](http://MBUSA.com/edp) to learn more about European Delivery and available models.

## *Expect to be well-supported.*

Our 24-hour Customer Assistance Center is always here for you at **1-800-FOR-MERCEDES**. And a library of owner tools are waiting for you at [MBUSA.com](http://MBUSA.com): Watch helpful how-to videos to get the most from your car's features. Download a digital copy of your Operator's Manual—or in most models, access it from your car on the in-dash COMAND screen. Manage your Mercedes-Benz Financial Services account and enjoy many features of mbrace® via our smartphone apps. To get even more from your ownership experience, join Owners Online.

## *Travel in style across the U.S.*

With the Mercedes-Benz Hotel Program, you can enjoy exclusive benefits and the opportunity to experience a variety of available Mercedes-Benz vehicles while staying at participating luxury hotels and resorts. Benefits may include room upgrades (when available) and Mercedes-Benz courtesy shuttles, with many properties offering a selection of the latest Mercedes-Benz models to drive. Availability may vary and restrictions may apply, so please visit Owners Online at [MBUSA.com/owners](http://MBUSA.com/owners) to learn more about the Hotel Program.

## *Plan on being delighted.*

Beyond the reassuring coverage of the 4-year/50,000-mile New Vehicle Limited Warranty,<sup>25</sup> your authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer is prepared to outperform your expectations. From well-informed sales professionals to service technicians who are continually re-certified, you'll encounter people who appreciate not just your business but the value of your time. We call it **My Service**, and you'll feel it in everything from the personalized attention to the free in-dealer WiFi. Top-notch service starts and ends with how we take care of you.

## *Sharpen your driving skills.*

An open invitation to enthusiasts from the AMG Driving Academy: The capabilities of AMG vehicles are waiting to meet—and raise—your own on some of the most legendary racetracks in the U.S. Whether you're an AMG owner or a fan, you'll push your abilities to the limit in a selection of AMG models, with the guidance of professional instructors. And to help young drivers develop their skills and confidence, the Mercedes-Benz Driving Academy offers a unique coaching approach. Visit [AMGacademy.com](http://AMGacademy.com) and [MB-drivingacademy.com](http://MB-drivingacademy.com).

## *Count on help at any time.*

Even the most well-engineered car can suffer a flat tire, a dead battery or an empty fuel tank. That's why you can rely on the original manufacturer-sponsored Roadside Assistance Program to come to your rescue. It's still the only such service that doesn't expire, as long as you take your vehicle to the dealer for service once every 18 months.<sup>22</sup> At any time of day or night, every day of the year, our expert technicians and dedicated support vehicles are on call for you. Just pick up your phone, or press the mbrace Wrench button<sup>4</sup> in your vehicle.

## *Touch history, or take it home.*

No automaker has a deeper, or more enthralling, heritage than the inventor of the car itself. The Mercedes-Benz Classic Center in Irvine, CA, lets you experience some of the illustrious highlights for yourself. In addition to the meticulous restoration of classic Mercedes-Benz automobiles, the center offers an unparalleled selection of genuine parts for many vintage models, as well as expert appraisals. They can even host a special event for your car club or other group. Learn more at [MBUSA.com/classic](http://MBUSA.com/classic) or call 1-866-MB-CLASSIC.





# Express yourself.

Genuine Mercedes-Benz Accessories help you make your SUV the perfect expression of your personal style. A wide selection of accessories lets you enhance your vehicle's appearance, expand its versatility, or offer it some extra protection in everyday use. From the new Illuminated Star to state-of-the-art multimedia systems, they're all exclusively engineered to fit your car as well as they fit your life. It's a great way to make your M-Class unmistakably yours while keeping it genuinely Mercedes-Benz.

See the entire accessory selection at [MBUSA.com/M](http://MBUSA.com/M)

## *Roof rack basic carrier.*

Start with the accessory roof rack basic carrier mounted to the standard roof rails, and you can add a variety of attachments tailored for your favorite activities. Bicycle racks can each secure a single bike by its wheels and frame, and up to three racks can be fitted at once. The deluxe ski and snowboard rack holds up to six pairs of skis or four snowboards. Its pull-out function lets you load the rack without reaching across the roof. The rack attachments and the basic carrier are all sold individually.

## *20" twin 5-spoke alloy wheels.*

Enhance the poise and presence of your M-Class without compromising its precision. These bold yet elegant 20" twin 5-spoke alloy wheels feature a shimmering machined finish with the recessed pockets painted in a subtly contrasting Palladium Silver.<sup>27</sup>

## *Illuminated Star.*

Let your M-Class welcome you back to the world of Mercedes-Benz every time you remote-unlock its doors. LED technology illuminates the Star in a gentle white glow.<sup>28</sup>

## *iPad Docking Station.*

Enjoy your iPad® while on the road without having to hold it. Each tilting, rotatable Docking Station secures an iPad behind the front head restraint, and offers USB charging as well as a high-speed connection in combination with the accessory In-Vehicle Hotspot. Up to two Docking Stations can be installed in the vehicle.<sup>29</sup> The iPad Docking Stations are also available in a removable clip-on design.

## *Cargo area tray and cargo box.*

Help protect the cargo-area carpeting from spills and dirt with this large tray featuring raised sides. It's form-fitted from durable, easy-to-clean plastic. You can also fit up to two cargo boxes in the tray (all sold individually) to help keep tall objects like grocery bags and bottles upright. Movable dividers in each box help items stay in place.

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# Build your own.

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<i>Specifications</i>	<i>ML 350</i>	<i>ML 350 BlueTEC<sup>3</sup></i>	<i>ML 550</i>	<i>ML 63 AMG</i>
<b>Engine</b>	3.5-liter gasoline Direct Injection V-6 302 hp @ 6,500 rpm 273 lb-ft torque @ 3,500-5,250 rpm	3.0-liter turbo clean diesel V-6 240 hp @ 3,600 rpm 455 lb-ft torque @ 1,600-2,400 rpm	4.6-liter biturbo gasoline Direct Injection V-8 402 hp @ 5,000-5,750 rpm 443 lb-ft torque @ 1,600-4,750 rpm	Handcrafted 5.5-liter biturbo gasoline Direct Injection AMG V-8 518 hp @ 5,250 rpm 516 lb-ft torque @ 1,750-5,000 rpm
<b>Transmission</b>	7-speed automatic with shift paddles	7-speed automatic with shift paddles	7-speed automatic with shift paddles	7-speed AMG SPEEDSHIFT <sup>®</sup> with shift paddles
<b>Wheels</b>	19" twin 5-spoke	19" twin 5-spoke	19" AMG <sup>®</sup> 5-spoke	20" AMG 5-spoke
<b>Suspension</b>	4-wheel independent with AGILITY CONTROL <sup>®</sup>	4-wheel independent with AGILITY CONTROL	4-wheel independent with AGILITY CONTROL	4-wheel independent AMG-calibrated AIRMATIC <sup>®</sup> with Adaptive Damping System and ACTIVE CURVE SYSTEM
<b>Drivetrain</b>	Rear-wheel drive or 4MATIC <sup>®</sup> all-wheel drive	4MATIC all-wheel drive	4MATIC all-wheel drive	4MATIC all-wheel drive with AMG-specific transfer case

<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>ML 350</i>	<i>ML 350 BlueTEC</i>	<i>ML 550</i>	<i>ML 63 AMG</i>
<b>Wheelbase</b>	114.8"	114.8"	114.8"	114.8"
<b>Overall length</b>	189.1"	189.1"	189.1"	189.1"
<b>Overall height (w/roof rails)</b>	70.7"	70.7"	70.7"	70.7"
<b>Overall width (w/mirrors)</b>	84.3"	84.3"	84.3"	84.3"
<b>Curb weight</b>	4,652 lbs (RWD) 4,751 lbs (4MATIC)	5,038 lbs	4,982 lbs	5,238 lbs
<b>Headroom (front/rear)</b>	40.4" / 38.5"	40.4" / 38.5"	40.4" / 38.5"	40.4" / 38.5"
<b>Legroom (front/rear)</b>	40.3" / 38.4"	40.3" / 38.4"	40.3" / 38.4"	40.3" / 38.4"
<b>Shoulder room (front/rear)</b>	58.5" / 58.4"	58.5" / 58.4"	58.5" / 58.4"	58.5" / 58.4"
<b>Cargo capacity</b>				
Behind rear seat (floor to ceiling)	38.2 cu ft	38.2 cu ft	38.2 cu ft	38.2 cu ft
Rear seats folded (floor to ceiling)	80.3 cu ft	80.3 cu ft	80.3 cu ft	80.3 cu ft



Option Packages	ML 350			ML 63
	ML 350	BlueTEC <sup>3</sup>	ML 550	AMG
<b>Premium 1 Package</b>	○	○	○	●
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hard-drive navigation<sup>29</sup> and 10GB Music Register for storing MP3 files</li> <li>• SiriusXM Radio, Traffic and Weather<sup>19</sup> (with 6-month trial of All Access plan)</li> <li>• Media Interface,<sup>18</sup> SD card reader and Gracenote<sup>®</sup> media database</li> <li>• Voice control for audio, telephone and navigation</li> <li>• 14-way power driver seat with 3-position memory</li> <li>• Power tilt/telescoping steering column</li> <li>• Power-folding side mirrors</li> <li>• Auto-dimming driver-side and inside rear view mirrors</li> <li>• Double sunvisors</li> <li>• 115-volt AC power outlet in rear seating area</li> <li>• Rear view camera<sup>14</sup></li> </ul>				
<b>Lighting Package</b>	○	○	○	●
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bi-Xenon headlamps with Active Curve Illumination</li> <li>• Adaptive Highbeam Assist</li> </ul>				
<b>Sport Package</b>	○	○	●	—
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 19" AMG 5-spoke wheels</li> <li>• AMG lower body styling</li> </ul>				
<b>Sport Package Plus One</b>	○	○	—	—
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20" AMG twin 5-spoke wheels (available separately on ML 550)</li> <li>• AMG lower body styling</li> </ul>				
<b>Lane Tracking Package</b>	○	○	○	●
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blind Spot Assist<sup>15</sup></li> <li>• Lane Keeping Assist<sup>13</sup></li> </ul>				
<b>Driver Assistance Package</b>	○	○	○	○
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DISTRONIC PLUS<sup>®</sup> with PRE-SAFE<sup>®</sup> Brake<sup>12</sup></li> <li>• Active Blind Spot Assist<sup>15</sup></li> <li>• Active Lane Keeping Assist<sup>13</sup></li> </ul>				
<b>Parking Assist Package</b>	○	○	○	●
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PARKTRONIC with Active Parking Assist</li> <li>• Surround View System<sup>14</sup></li> </ul>				
<b>AMG Performance Package</b>	—	—	—	○
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased engine output (550 hp, 560 lb-ft torque)</li> <li>• Red brake calipers</li> <li>• Raised top speed<sup>5</sup></li> <li>• AMG performance steering wheel with Alcantara<sup>®</sup> side grips</li> </ul>				

● Standard ○ Optional △ No-charge option — Not available

Individual Options	ML 350			ML 63
	ML 350	BlueTEC <sup>3</sup>	ML 550	AMG
4MATIC <sup>™</sup> all-wheel drive	○	●	●	●
Panorama roof	○	○	○	○
Manual rear-side window sunshades	○	○	○	○
Brushed aluminum running boards with rubber studs	○	○	●	△
PARKTRONIC with Active Parking Assist	○	○	○	●
KEYLESS-GO <sup>®</sup>	○	○	○	●
Class III trailer hitch <sup>15</sup> (7,200-lb towing capacity; 6,600-lb on ML 350 RWD)	○	○	○	○
harman/kardon LOGIC7 <sup>®</sup> surround-sound system with Dolby Digital 5.1	○	○	○	●
Bang & Olufsen <sup>®</sup> BeoSound <sup>™</sup> premium sound system	—	—	—	○
Rear Seat Entertainment system, or system rewiring	○	○	○	○
Illuminated front door sills and multicolor interior ambient lighting	○	○	○	●
Multicontour front seats (with massage feature and luxury head restraints)	○	○	○	○
Active Ventilated front seats (requires leather upholstery)	○	○	○	●
Heated rear seats	○	○	○	○
Rear-seat center-armrest pass-through	○	○	○	○
Heated steering wheel <sup>20</sup> (requires Premium 1 Package)	○	○	○	—
Wood/leather steering wheel <sup>20</sup>	○	○	○	○
Heated and cooled front cupholders	○	○	○	●
20" twin 5-spoke wheels	○	○	—	—
20" AMG 5-spoke wheels (included in Sport Package on ML 350 models)	—	—	○	●
21" AMG 5-spoke wheels	—	—	—	○
Leather upholstery	○	○	○	—
<i>designo</i> Nappa leather upholstery	○	○	○	●
Black DINAMICA headliner (included with <i>designo</i> leather on ML 350 models and ML 550)	○	○	○	○
Eucalyptus wood trim	●	●	—	—
Burl Walnut wood trim (included with leather on ML 350 models)	○	○	●	△
Anthracite Poplar wood trim	○	○	○	△
Brown Satin Ash wood trim	○	○	○	△
<i>designo</i> Piano Black Lacquer wood trim (requires <i>designo</i> leather)	○	○	○	○
Metallic paint	○	○	○	△

*Individually chosen, exquisitely crafted.*

*designo* leather upholstery and interior trim choices offer an extraordinary degree of handcrafted quality.

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# Color and trim.

*MB-TEX and leather upholstery.*



Almond Beige MB-TEX or leather



Almond Beige/Black leather



Black MB-TEX or leather



Auburn Brown/Black leather



Grey MB-TEX or leather



Grey/Black leather

*designo Nappa leather upholstery.<sup>31</sup>*



Auburn Brown/Black



Black



Porcelain/Black

*Wheel choices.*



19" twin 5-spoke (ML 350 and ML 350 BlueTEC)



19" AMG 5-spoke (ML 550 and optional Sport Package)



20" twin 5-spoke (optional on ML 350 and ML 350 BlueTEC)



20" AMG 5-spoke (optional on ML 550, Sport Package Plus One)



20" AMG 5-spoke (ML 63 AMG)



21" AMG twin 5-spoke (optional on ML 63 AMG)

*Interior wood trim.*



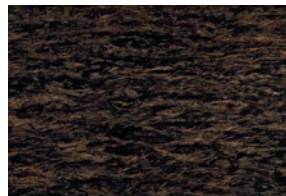
Anthracite Poplar



Brown Satin Ash



Burl Walnut



Eucalyptus (ML 350 and ML 350 BlueTEC)

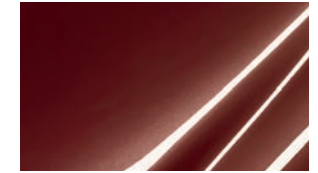


*designo* Piano Black Lacquer

*Paintwork.*



Black



Cinnabar Red metallic



Dakota Brown metallic



Diamond Silver metallic<sup>24</sup>



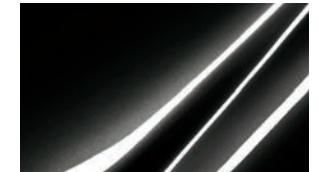
Diamond White metallic<sup>32</sup>



Iridium Silver metallic



Lunar Blue metallic



Obsidian Black metallic



Palladium Silver metallic



Polar White<sup>24</sup>



Steel Grey metallic


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- 1 Stated rates of acceleration are estimated based upon manufacturer's track results and may vary depending on model, environmental and road surface conditions, driving style, elevation and vehicle load.
- 2 2013 figures shown. 2014 EPA estimated fuel economy figures unavailable at time of printing. Please see your dealer. Compare the estimated mpg to the estimated mpg of other vehicles. You may get different mileage depending on how fast you drive, weather conditions and trip length. Your actual highway mileage will probably be less than the highway estimate. Driving range based on fuel tank capacity and highway estimate.
- 3 Requires ultralow-sulfur diesel fuel. Mercedes-Benz approves the use of B5 biodiesel (diesel fuel with maximum 5% biodiesel content) that meets ASTM D6751 specifications. Please see your fuel retailer and Operator's Manual for further information. The Mercedes-Benz New Vehicle Limited warranty does not cover damage caused by non Mercedes-Benz approved fuel.
- 4 All Mercedes-Benz mbrace® services operate only where cellular and Global Positioning System satellite signals are available, which are provided by third parties and not within the control of Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. An mbrace Package trial period is offered on new, Certified Pre-Owned and pre-owned sales and leases at an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer. Subscriber Agreement is required for service to be active. Some services are only available on select vehicles. Your PIN is required in order to use certain services. Some services may be limited or restricted in some areas. Apps may be introduced and updated at varying dates, and may also require a vehicle software update. Driver is responsible for complying with traffic and other laws. See your dealer or MBUSA.com/mbrace for details, including a list of compatible smartphones.
- 5 No system, regardless of how advanced, can overcome the laws of physics or correct careless driving. Please always wear your seat belt. Performance is limited by available traction, which snow, ice and other conditions can affect. Always drive carefully, consistent with conditions. Best performance in snow is obtained with winter tires.
- 6 Obey local speed and traffic laws.
- 7 For more information on the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety and the 2013 Top Safety Pick awards, visit [www.iihs.org](http://www.iihs.org). Star ratings are part of the U.S. Department of Transportation's Safercar.gov program ([www.safercar.gov](http://www.safercar.gov)).
- 8 Braking effectiveness also depends on proper brake maintenance, and tire and road conditions.
- 9 WARNING: THE FORCES OF A DEPLOYING AIR BAG CAN CAUSE SERIOUS OR FATAL INJURIES TO A CHILD UNDER AGE 13. THE SAFEST SEATING POSITION FOR YOUR CHILD IS IN THE REAR SEAT, BELTED INTO AN APPROPRIATE, PROPERLY INSTALLED CHILD SEAT, OR CORRECTLY WEARING A SEAT BELT IF TOO LARGE FOR A CHILD SEAT. SEE OPERATOR'S MANUAL FOR ADDITIONAL WARNINGS AND INFORMATION ON AIR BAGS, SEAT BELTS AND CHILD SEATS.
- 10 PRE-SAFE® closes the windows and sunroof when the system's sensors detect side movement that suggests a possible rollover or side impact.
- 11 COLLISION PREVENTION ASSIST may not be sufficient to avoid an accident. It does not react to certain stationary objects, nor recognize or predict the curvature and/or lane layout of the road or every movement of vehicles ahead. It is the driver's responsibility at all times to be attentive to traffic and road conditions, and to provide the steering, braking and other driving inputs necessary to retain control of the vehicle. Drivers are cautioned not to wait for the system's alerts before braking, as that may not afford sufficient time and distance to brake safely.
- 12 DISTRONIC PLUS® adaptive cruise control is no substitute for active driving involvement. It does not react to stationary objects, nor recognize or predict the curvature and lane layout of the road or the movement of vehicles ahead. It is the driver's responsibility at all times to be attentive to traffic and road conditions, and to provide the steering, braking and other driving inputs necessary to retain control of the vehicle. Drivers are cautioned not to wait for the DISTRONIC Proximity Warning System before braking, as that may not afford sufficient time and distance to brake safely. After braking the car for stopped traffic ahead, system resumes automatically only if traffic passes for less than 3 seconds.
- 13 Driving while drowsy or distracted is dangerous and must be avoided. ATTENTION ASSIST™ and/or Lane Keeping Assist may be insufficient to alert a fatigued or distracted driver of lane drift and cannot be relied on to avoid an accident or serious injury. Lane Keeping Assist operates at speeds above approximately 20 mph.
- 14 Rear view camera and Surround View System do not audibly notify driver of nearby objects and are not a substitute for actively checking around the vehicle for any obstacles or people. Images displayed may be limited by camera field of view, weather, lighting conditions and the presence of dirt, ice or snow on the cameras.
- 15 Towing capacity of ML 350 with rear-wheel drive is rated at 6,600 lbs. All other models are rated at 7,200 lbs. Read Operator's Manual before towing. In some states, aftermarket trailer brakes are required. See dealer for details.
- 16 Blind Spot Assist may not be sufficient to avoid all accidents involving vehicles in your blind spot and does not estimate the speed of approaching vehicles. It must not be used as a sole substitute for driver awareness and checking of surrounding traffic conditions.
- 17 Bluetooth® interface does not provide phone charging or external antenna. Voice interactivity feature is dependent on selected handset. Visit [www.mercedes-benz-mobile.com](http://www.mercedes-benz-mobile.com) for details. Phone sold separately. See dealer for a list of approved compatible phones.
- 18 All iPod® devices are sold separately. Feature not compatible with iPod Shuffle. Apple® adapter may be required for use with 8-pin "Lightning" connector. See dealer for details.
- 19 The purchase of a new, satellite radio-enabled vehicle includes a 6-month trial of the Sirius All Access package, SiriusXM Traffic and SiriusXM Weather. SiriusXM Traffic and Weather services are available in select markets. If you decide to continue your SiriusXM service at the end of this period, all SiriusXM services are sold separately, and the plan you choose will automatically renew and bill at then-current rates until you call 1-866-635-2349 to cancel. See SiriusXM Customer Agreement for complete terms, [www.siriusxm.com](http://www.siriusxm.com). Sirius U.S. Satellite service available only to those at least 18 years of age in the 48 contiguous United States, DC and Puerto Rico (with coverage limitations).
- 20 While the navigation system provides directional assistance, the driver must remain focused on safe driving behavior, including paying attention to traffic and street signs. The driver should utilize the system's audio cues while driving and should only consult the map or visual displays once the vehicle has been stopped in a safe place. Maps do not cover all areas or all routes within an area.
- 21 Unsecured cargo can become hazardous in a collision. Always secure cargo using the floor-mounted tie-downs.
- 22 Roadside Assistance repairs may involve charges for parts, service and towing. Vehicle must be accessible from main roads. Depending on the circumstance, these services may be provided by an outside provider, courtesy of Mercedes-Benz Roadside Assistance. Restricted roadways, acts of nature and vehicle accessibility may limit our ability to provide services to you. For full details, eligibility requirements, and limitations/exclusions of Sign and Drive services, as well as the Roadside Assistance Program, please see your dealer.
- 23 The mbrace Mobile App is compatible with Apple iPhone® models running iOS 4.2 or later, and Android-based phones running OS 2.1 or later. Please visit [MBUSA.com/mbrace](http://MBUSA.com/mbrace) for more information.
- 24 Introduction dates vary. See your dealer for availability.
- 25 For full details of the New Vehicle Limited Warranty, including terms, conditions and exclusions, please see your dealer.
- 26 European Delivery Program discount available on select models, other models offered without discount. M-Class and GL-Class models are not available. Please see your dealer for details.
- 27 Not available on ML 63 AMG.
- 28 Not available with Driver Assistance Package.
- 29 Docking Stations are sold individually. iPad not included. Not available in combination with factory or accessory Rear Seat Entertainment systems.
- 30 Heated steering wheel and wood/leather steering wheel cannot be ordered together.
- 31 ML 63 AMG shown. On ML 350, ML 350 BlueTEC and ML 550, *designo* Nappa leather features diamond-pattern stitching.
- 32 Extra-cost option.