



2009 LEXUS **GX**  
*the pursuit*



*the pursuit of perfection.*

*It's a phrase we use a lot. But what does it really mean?*

*The answer isn't only found in wood and leather, but in the pursuit of insight and ideas.*

*And how they get transformed into world-class innovations, unexpected experiences and a commanding, capable ride.*

*This is the 2009 GX. And these are the pursuits that built it.*

1. **CAPABILITY**  
*the pursuit  
of rugged agility*

2. **LUXURY**  
*the pursuit of luxury  
built around the driver*

3. **INNOVATION**  
*the pursuit of  
peace of mind*









# 1.

*the pursuit of  
rugged agility*

LEXUS VEHICLES ARE ALWAYS WELL-APPOINTED AND COMFORTABLE. But a Luxury Utility Vehicle must also be commanding and accomplished over any terrain. So we added specific technologies to boost the vehicle's capability. One example allows drivers to better ascend steep hills by helping to prevent rollback. Another helps maintain a slow and even speed and provides greater control as the vehicle descends. And a third offers a unique suspension that can nearly neutralize rough terrain. By pursuing true off-road capability, and still maintaining our high standards of luxury, we've arrived at something remarkable: the 2009 Lexus GX. Now, it's time to chase your pursuits.

Hill-start Assist Control (HAC)<sup>1</sup> to help prevent rollback and improve traction upon ascent

Downhill Assist Control (DAC)<sup>1</sup> for descending steep, challenging slopes

Available Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System (KDSS) for traction and a level, more comfortable ride



CONQUERING MOUNTAINS.

SOMETIMES IT'S AS EASY AS PRESSING A BUTTON.

Now with just a touch of a button, Downhill Assist Control<sup>1</sup> helps travelers descend steep mountain slopes. It works with the Anti-lock Braking System and Active Traction Control to help maintain a low, consistent speed while helping to prevent the wheels from locking. And when climbing, the GX offers Hill-start Assist

Control<sup>1</sup> that applies the brakes for up to five seconds after the brake pedal is released. This gives drivers more time to move their foot from brake to accelerator. Meaning, even on steep terrain, the technology can actually help slow the vehicle from rolling backward. At Lexus, that's called forward thinking.



Hill-start Assist Control (HAC)<sup>1</sup>

Active Traction Control (A-TRAC)

Downhill Assist Control (DAC)<sup>1</sup>

Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) with Brake Assist<sup>2</sup>

TORSEN<sup>®</sup> limited-slip center differential<sup>3</sup>

For a demonstration, please visit [lexus.com/GX/HACDAC](http://lexus.com/GX/HACDAC).

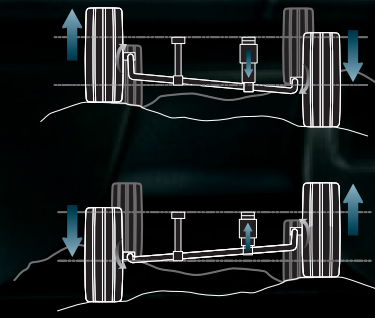


*IT'S NOT THAT EVERY ROAD IS SMOOTH. IT'S THAT WE'VE MADE THEM FEEL THAT WAY.*

A Lexus driver expects a comfortable ride. But of course not every road cooperates. For that reason, Lexus developed the available Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System (KDSS). By using hydraulic controls to manipulate the front and rear stabilizer bars, KDSS automatically adjusts for varying conditions,

on-road or off-road. By employing thick stabilizer bars on-road, it helps to minimize the vehicle's body sway in a turn. Off-road, KDSS reduces the inherent stiffness of these bars by allowing one wheel to react to abrupt changes in terrain while the other wheels remain relatively unaffected. This

flexibility helps maximize suspension articulation and improves traction. KDSS works in conjunction with Adaptive Variable Suspension, which continuously alters shock damping in response to the driver's desires and/or road conditions. The result? A more accomplished, smoother ride.



Stabilizer bars help minimize body roll on the road, but can be a hindrance on uneven trails by preventing tires from maintaining contact with the ground. To counter this, the Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System uses hydraulic cylinders to adjust the bars in off-road conditions. When

unequal wheel load is detected, fluid will flow between the front and rear cylinders to disengage the stabilizer bars. This computer-controlled suspension system allows more wheel articulation off-road and helps enhance handling on-road. For a demonstration, please visit [lexus.com/GX/KDSS](http://lexus.com/GX/KDSS).





THREE TONS.  
IT ONLY SOUNDS HEAVY WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF LEXUS INGENUITY.



4.7-liter V8

323 lb-ft of torque<sup>4</sup>

263 horsepower<sup>4</sup>

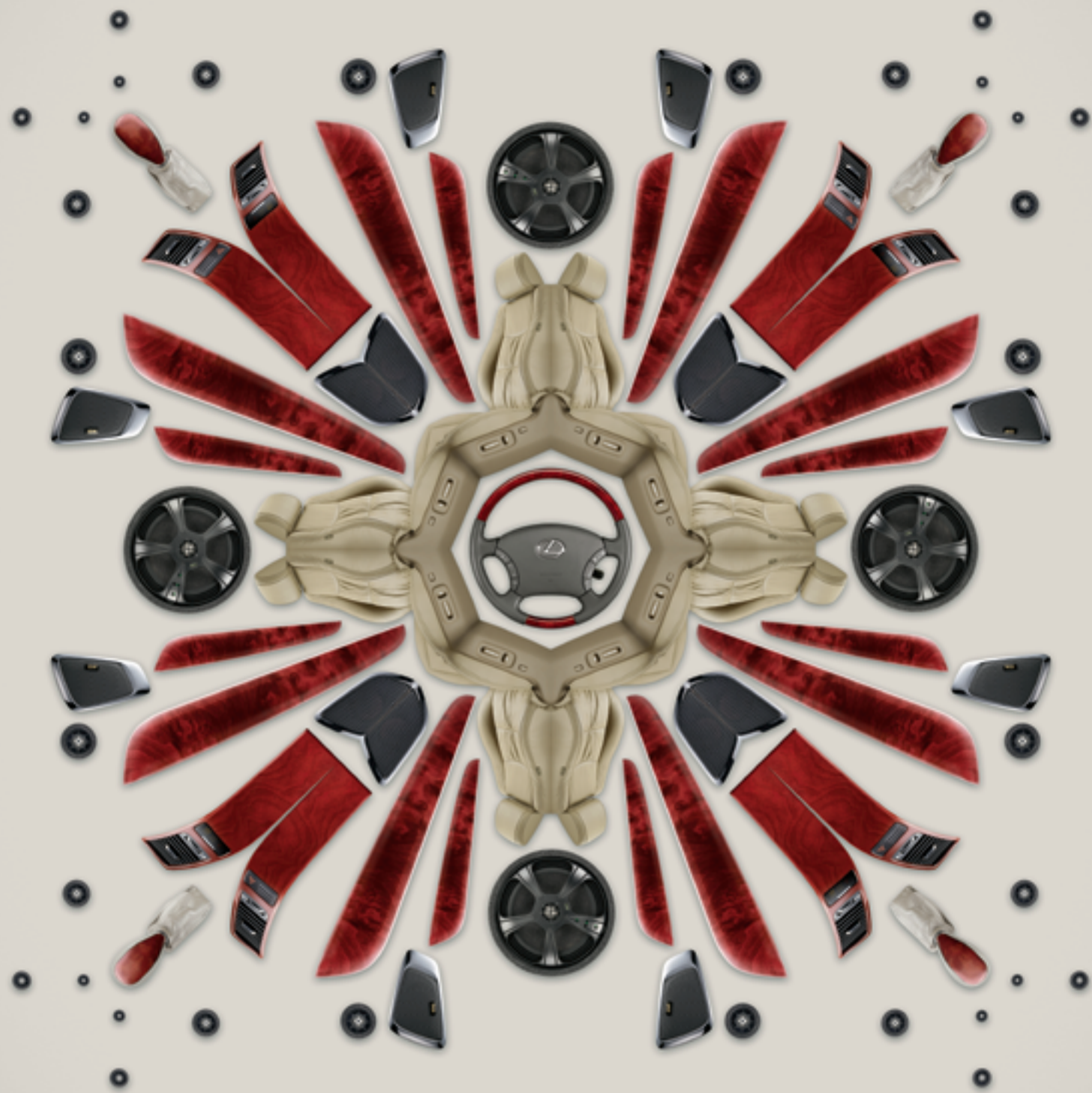
Variable Valve Timing with intelligence (VVT-i)

TORSEN® limited-slip center differential<sup>3</sup>

The GX features full-time four-wheel drive and a 6,500-lb towing capacity<sup>5</sup> due to a 4.7-liter, iron-block V8. Paired with sophisticated Lexus technology, like Variable Valve Timing with intelligence, the engine generates 263 horsepower at 5,400 rpm<sup>4</sup>

and 323 lb-ft of torque at 3,400 rpm.<sup>4</sup> The top-end power is indispensable during acceleration or climbing long highway grades. And low-end torque is most beneficial during bullish, off-the-line pulling and off-road use. Three tons? No problem.





## 2.

*the pursuit of  
luxury built around the driver*

A PRIMARY OBJECTIVE OF THE GX'S DESIGNERS WAS TO FOCUS THE LEXUS EXPERIENCE SQUARELY ON THE DRIVER. Within arm's length, numerous intuitive amenities help to achieve this, including Lexus Personalized Settings, the available 14-speaker Mark Levinson® Premium Audio System<sup>6</sup> with steering-wheel audio controls and dual-zone climate control. There is even a HomeLink® remote control that allows you to control compatible remote devices such as a garage door, entry gate or home lighting with the touch of a button. All the amenities work collectively around you to benefit and elevate your drive. Spend time in the driver's seat, even briefly, and you'll appreciate the effort.

Lexus Personalized Settings (LPS)

Dual-zone climate control

Available Mark Levinson Premium Audio System<sup>6</sup>

Available DVD Rear-Seat Entertainment System (RSES)

Lexus Memory System



WHETHER YOU'RE ON-ROAD OR OFF-ROAD,  
IT'S DESIGNED SO YOU'RE CERTAIN YOU'RE IN A LEXUS.



WITH AN INTERIOR AS WELL-APPOINTED AS THIS, the GX will never be mistaken for anything but a Lexus. For example, the front seating provides comforts such as dual-zone climate controls, heated front seats with variable settings and power lumbar support. The driver's 10-way power-adjustable seat offers multiple positions and has a two-position memory feature that recalls individual settings at the push of a button. Genuine medium brown walnut or available black bird's-eye maple accents highlight the GX steering wheel, shift knob, instrument panel and doors. And all the seating comes standard with inviting soft-leather trim. Wherever you go, in the GX you'll go in comfort.



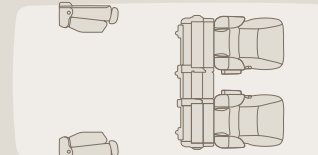
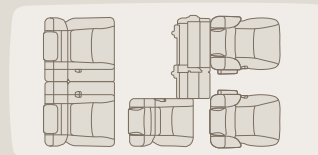
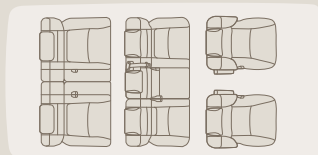


Available third-row seating<sup>7</sup>  
 Heated front seats  
 Adaptable seating  
 Dual-zone automatic climate control

Vehicle shown with available equipment.

*NUMEROUS SEATING CONFIGURATIONS ALL PROVIDE ONE THING:*

*FUNCTIONAL, SPACIOUS COMFORT.*



A wide range of options: From seating for eight adults<sup>7</sup> to seating for two adults and expansive cargo capacity.

Luxury is enhanced by functionality, and the GX typifies this with resourceful, configurable seating. The split-folding/reclining second row—as well as an optional third-row seating package—allow many flexible seating and

storage options. In fact, the seats can be arranged to accommodate a variety of needs: cargo capacity for a day of shopping, room for several full-sized golf bags or space for up to eight passengers.<sup>7</sup>





Available Mark Levinson Premium Audio System<sup>6</sup> with 240 watts at 0.01% THD, 20–20,000 Hz<sup>10</sup>  
 Available DVD/CD capability  
 Auxiliary iPod<sup>®</sup>/MP3/WMA port  
 Available XM<sup>®</sup> and SIRIUS<sup>®</sup> Satellite Radio capability<sup>11</sup>

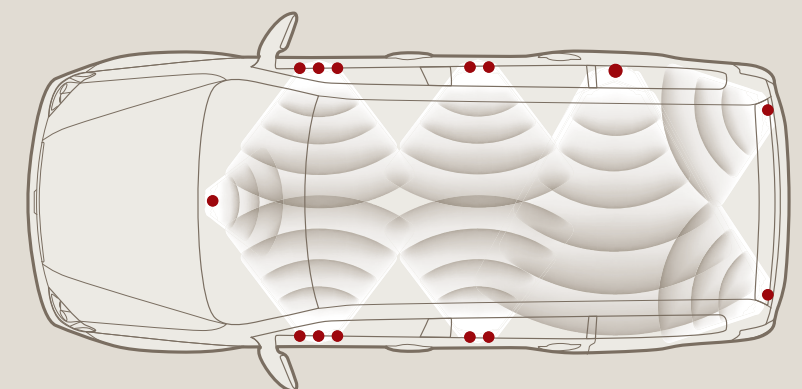
*AN AUDIO SYSTEM SO PRECISE, IT PERFORMS PERFECTLY IN ONLY ONE PLACE IN THE WORLD.*

Mark Levinson,<sup>6</sup> a company renowned for high-end home-audio systems, partnered with Lexus to recreate its sophisticated sound for the GX. This available system was designed specifically for the contours of the GX's cabin. Along with a DVD/CD

auto-changer, it offers an iPod<sup>®</sup>/MP3 player auxiliary port, and plays DVDs as well as conventional and MP3/Windows Media<sup>®</sup> Audio-formatted CDs. The GX is also available with a DVD Rear-Seat Entertainment System. It includes a DVD

player with remote, a Rear-Seat Audio System with wireless headphones<sup>9</sup> and a nine-inch LCD screen. Everyone in the vehicle can now enjoy a DVD on one of the vehicle's screens. Including the available NAV screen that plays DVDs while the GX is parked.

● In the GX cabin, 14 purposefully positioned speakers are available to ensure every seat receives the full Mark Levinson<sup>6</sup> listening experience.



Vehicle shown with available equipment.



- Electronic Brakeforce Distribution (EBD)
- Direct Tire Pressure Monitor System<sup>12</sup>
- Vehicle Stability Control (VSC)<sup>13</sup>
- Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) with Brake Assist<sup>2</sup>
- Advanced airbag system (SRS)<sup>14</sup>
- Front and rear crumple zones
- Side-impact door beams



**STRENGTH IS A BOXED FRAME RAIL.**  
 The GX's rails are enclosed on all four sides rather than the more commonly used three-sided "C-channel" frame rail. Boxed rails help enhance the crash performance of the vehicle by strengthening the frame's rigidity and helping to absorb energy during an impact.

# 3.

**SAFETY WITH AN EMPHASIS ON INNOVATION.** The advanced driver's and front passenger's airbag system<sup>14</sup> features dual-stage deployment which takes into account the driver's seat-track position and the severity of impact. By using an occupant sensor, the passenger's front airbag<sup>14</sup> is designed to deploy only if the seat is occupied. And the first and second rows have Roll-Sensing Curtain Airbags<sup>14</sup> that can activate during a severe tilt, roll or lateral G-force.

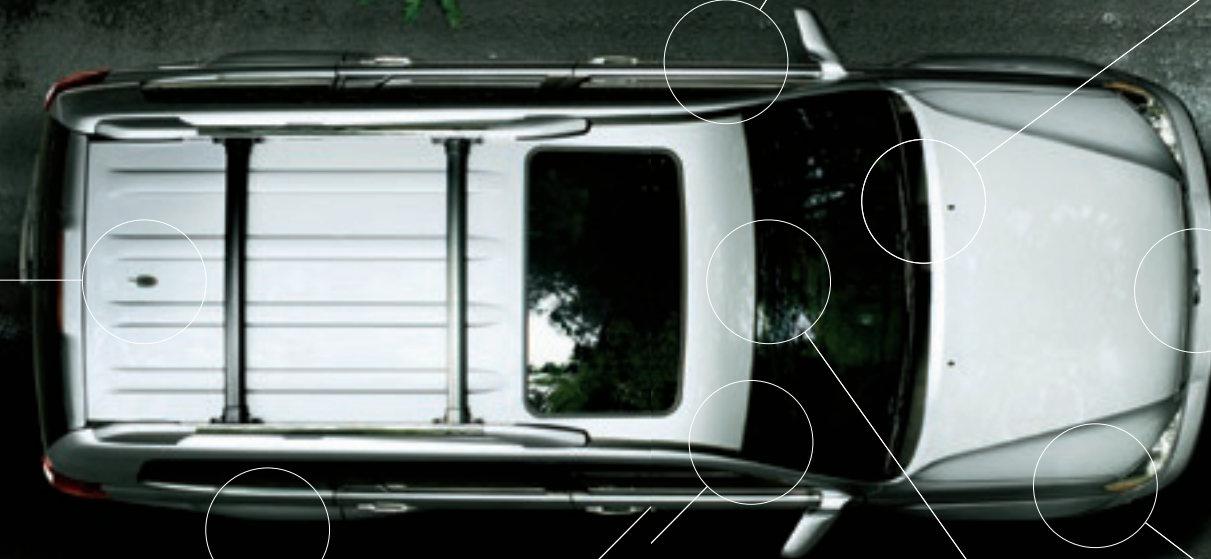
Lexus also works to help manage impact energy. Its welded-steel body-and-ladder frame helps maintain the integrity of the chassis and cabin. Boxed frame rails strengthen the chassis, and each door is reinforced with a steel beam. All examples of Lexus working to help lessen the impact of a collision—with innovation leading our way.



*the pursuit of  
 peace of mind*



IT'S NOT ALWAYS ABOUT CONNECTION TO THE ROAD,  
BUT RATHER THE CONNECTION TO THE WORLD AROUND YOU.



**ALTIMETER**

This gauge can be a valuable navigational tool, informing drivers of the GX's elevation above sea level. It measures altitude as you ascend and descend hills and mountain passes.

**RAIN-SENSING WIPERS**

A sensor located behind the GX's rearview mirror automatically detects the presence of moisture or rain on the glass. Depending on the amount of rainfall, a computer adjusts the wiper speed to improve visibility.

**OUTSIDE TEMPERATURE GAUGE**

GX drivers often go where weather changes can be extreme. In turn, Lexus added a temperature gauge on the instrument panel with an especially wide range: from -22 degrees to +122 degrees Fahrenheit.

**BAROMETER**

The GX's barometric gauge measures the area's atmospheric pressure. Barometers can help alert drivers to short-term changes in weather—giving information about potential road and driving conditions.

**BLUETOOTH® TECHNOLOGY<sup>17</sup>**

Compatible mobile phones can now communicate wirelessly with the available DVD Navigation System,<sup>18</sup> enabling drivers to speak hands-free through the vehicle's speaker system as well as answer and end calls at the touch of a button.

**COMPASS**

As GX drivers tend to be adventurous, the electrochromic rearview mirror conveniently houses an electronic compass. The compass continually tracks your direction of movement—helping keep you on your intended course.

**TIRE PRESSURE MONITOR SYSTEM<sup>12</sup>**

As a safety measure, sensors in the valve stems can detect when air pressure is critically low. If so, the GX's computer reacts by alerting the driver with a warning light on the instrument panel.

**AVAILABLE LEXUS LINK<sup>®15</sup>**

At the touch of a button, a Lexus Link advisor can dispatch emergency personnel or Roadside Assistance.<sup>16</sup> And, should an airbag ever deploy, an alert is automatically sent to the Lexus Call Center for assistance.





FIVE MILLION PREPROGRAMMED  
PLACES OF INTEREST



BACKUP CAMERA<sup>19</sup>

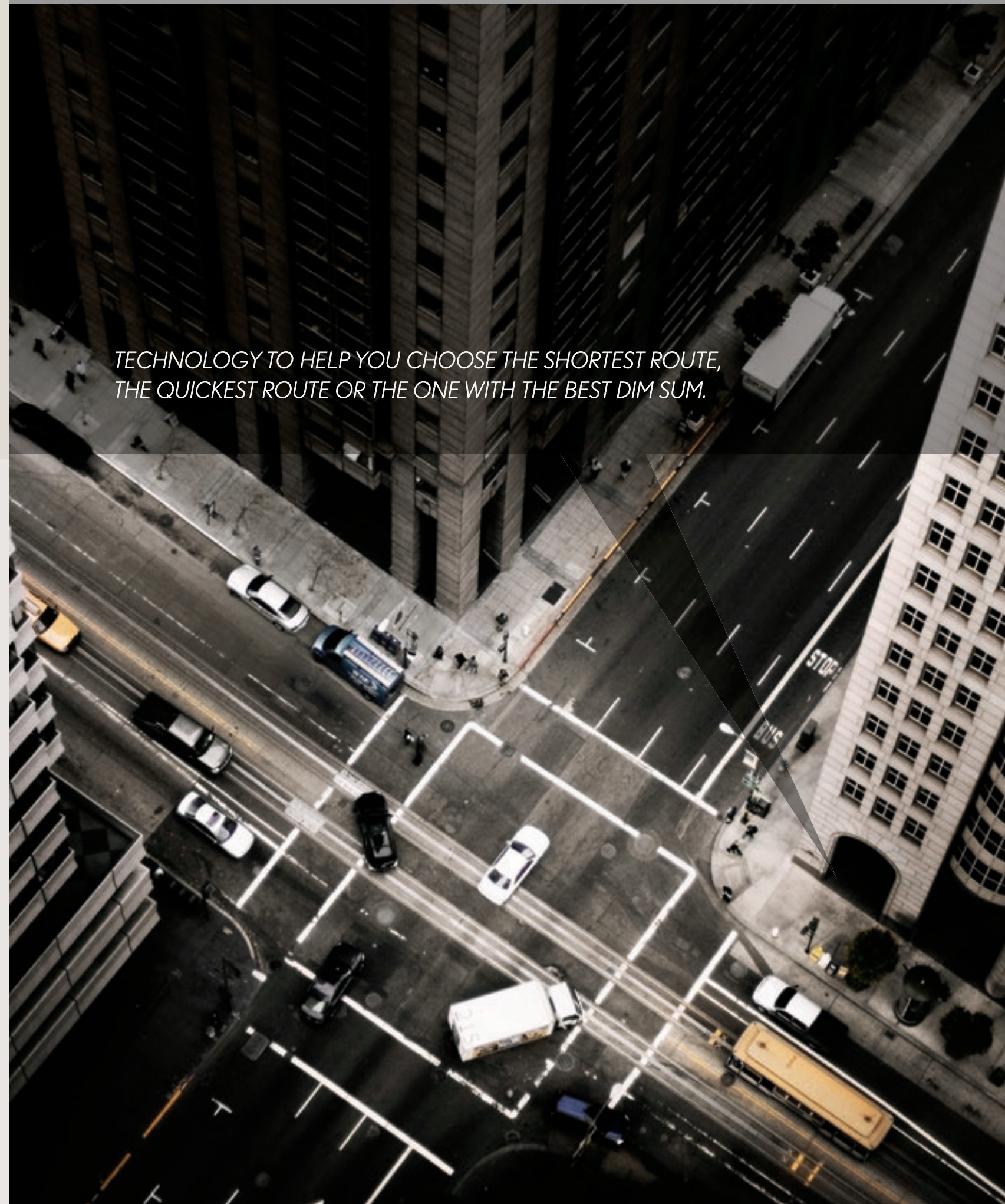


FREEWAY EXIT-LANE GUIDANCE

WHETHER YOU HAVE AN ENTIRE ADDRESS OR JUST A BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER, the available voice-activated DVD Navigation System<sup>18</sup> can help guide drivers to practically any destination. Its huge database calculates up to three different routes, provides more than five million points of interest and understands more than 100 voice commands. And, it can help you choose restaurants by different cuisine type, give freeway exit information and help you find ATM locations—all on an easy-to-read high-resolution screen.

BACKUP CAMERA<sup>19</sup> Whether it's a boulder or a shopping cart that's behind you, backing out of tight spaces is easier with the GX's available backup camera.<sup>19</sup> It's integrated into the available Navigation System<sup>18</sup> and uses a small camera located above the rear license plate to help show what's behind the vehicle. When the GX is placed in reverse, the camera's view is displayed in full color on the seven-inch NAV screen.

*TECHNOLOGY TO HELP YOU CHOOSE THE SHORTEST ROUTE,  
THE QUICKEST ROUTE OR THE ONE WITH THE BEST DIM SUM.*









Customer service beyond expectations. It's the one pursuit that has nothing to do with the design of our vehicles and everything to do with our philosophy as a company. "Treat each customer as we would a guest in our home" is not just a promise we make. It's a promise we keep.



#### THE DEALERSHIP EXPERIENCE

If you visit one of our dealerships, make yourself at home. Help yourself to a beverage or some light fare. Been awhile since you've checked your stocks or e-mail? Most dealerships provide Internet access. Picking up your new Lexus? Rest assured that our associates will make the transition as seamless as possible. From setting your favorite radio stations to connecting and transferring your compatible cell phone's contacts to the available Bluetooth®\* system on your vehicle. We'll even position and adjust the driver's seat to your exact specifications.

#### LEXUS MAGAZINE

Every three months, owners are mailed a complimentary issue of Lexus magazine, an award-winning journal of experiences, trends and human-interest pieces. While some stories are directly related to Lexus vehicles and innovations, the magazine primarily focuses on the more unique and lifestyle-oriented aspects of luxury. Readers will find interesting information and thought-provoking articles on cuisine, culture and travel destinations and will enjoy beautifully photographed articles by well-regarded editors and writers. In fact, current Lexus owners find the magazine so entertaining that the majority pass their personal copy along to family and friends for their enjoyment.

#### VIP TREATMENT

We've made arrangements with select partners across the country to provide first-class treatment to Lexus owners. At specific venues, for example, benefits include waived parking fees, complimentary valet service and convenient, designated spaces. At certain theaters and sporting arenas, Lexus owners can receive VIP access to Lexus clubs and lounges through their dealer. And, should you ever visit California's world-renowned Napa Valley, we've arranged for VIP treatment at some of the finest wineries. Specific benefits vary from exclusive reserve tastings and complimentary shipping to personal cellar tours and private picnics overlooking the valley.

#### HOTEL PARTNERSHIPS

We've also formed partnerships with nearly 30 of the country's premiere vacation destinations, including the Amangani in Jackson Hole, the Fairmont Orchid in Hawaii and Blackberry Farm in Tennessee. While the benefits vary, owners are typically given a complimentary room upgrade or a \$100 credit to be applied toward the hotel's most popular amenities.

For a complete list of our hotel partners and more information on the ownership benefits listed here, please visit [owners.lexus.com](http://owners.lexus.com).



The service you receive as a Cardmember\* promises everything you expect from Lexus. With the Lexus Pursuits Visa Signature Card, you will enjoy no pre-set spending limit† and no annual fee. Also enjoy exclusive Visa Signature concierge benefits, including complimentary assistance with travel, hard-to-get tickets and even the perfect gift. Plus, you will receive preferred access to popular entertainment, dining and special events.

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To apply, call 888-777-5555 ext. 82246 or visit [LexusPursuits.com/apply/vehicle09](http://LexusPursuits.com/apply/vehicle09).

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\*The Bluetooth® technology phones listed on [lexus.com](http://lexus.com) have been tested for compatibility with Lexus vehicles. Performance will vary based on phone software version, coverage and your wireless carrier. Phones are warranted by their manufacturer, not Lexus.

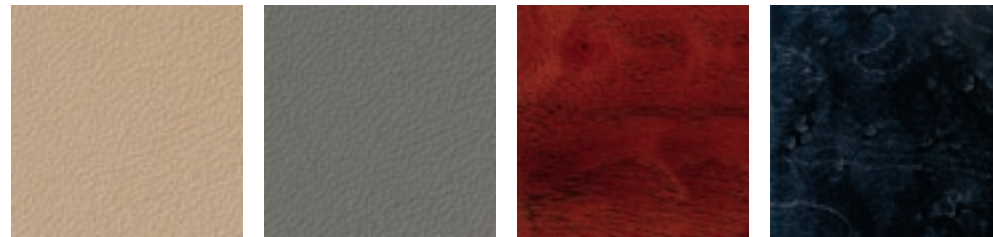


EXTERIOR COLORS

Titanium Metallic\*      Black Onyx\*      Blizzard Pearl      Salsa Red Pearl\*      Nautical Blue Metallic\*

Savannah Metallic

INTERIOR COLORS AND WOOD TRIM



Ivory Leather      Dark Gray Leather      Medium Brown Walnut      Black Bird's-Eye Maple†

COLOR AVAILABILITY

	Ivory Leather	Dark Gray Leather
Titanium Metallic	■	■
Black Onyx	■	■
Blizzard Pearl	■	■
Salsa Red Pearl	■	■
Nautical Blue Metallic	■	■
Savannah Metallic	■	
Medium Brown Walnut	■	■
Black Bird's-Eye Maple	■	■

\*Sport Package available in Titanium Metallic, Black Onyx, Salsa Red Pearl and Nautical Blue Metallic. †Black bird's-eye maple trim is available with Sport Package only.

OPTION PACKAGES\*



Available Sport Package

NAVIGATION SYSTEM/MARK LEVINSON PREMIUM AUDIO SYSTEM PACKAGE

Voice-activated DVD Navigation System<sup>18</sup> with backup camera<sup>19</sup> and Bluetooth<sup>®</sup> technology<sup>17</sup>

Mark Levinson 14-speaker 240-watt @ less than 0.01% THD, 20-20,000 Hz<sup>10</sup> Premium Audio System<sup>6</sup> with in-dash, single-feed, six-disc DVD/CD auto-changer featuring DVD-audio and DVD-video playback

SPORT PACKAGE

- Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System (KDSS)
- Black bird's-eye maple and dark Graphite-finished interior trim
- Black interior carpet
- Black carpeted floor mats
- Smoked bezel headlamps and foglamps
- Chrome exhaust tip
- Dark Graphite-finished roof rack<sup>20</sup>
- Tinted backup lamps

OPTIONS AND ACCESSORIES\*



Rear-Seat Audio System (RSAS)

- Third-row seat with rear air conditioning<sup>21</sup>
- Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System (KDSS)
- DVD Rear-Seat Entertainment System (RSES) with Rear-Seat Audio System (RSAS)
- Towing Prep Package<sup>5</sup>
- Rear spoiler
- Roof rack attachment—bike rack
- Roof rack attachment—ski/snowboard rack
- XM Satellite Radio capability<sup>11</sup>
- SIRIUS Satellite Radio capability<sup>11</sup>
- Lexus Link<sup>15</sup>
- All-weather floor mats
- Cargo net
- Cargo mat
- Cargo tray
- Wireless headphones<sup>9</sup>
- Car cover
- Sport bumper trim (Limited availability. Black Onyx and Blizzard Pearl only)
- Stainless-steel exhaust tip
- Towing equipment<sup>5</sup> (tow-hitch receiver, ball mount, trailer ball, 7-pin to 4-pin adapter)
- Wheel locks
- Interface kit for iPod<sup>8</sup>

\*Please see inside back cover for more information regarding options/packages.



## WHEELS



17-in five-spoke alloy wheels with dark Graphite finish<sup>22</sup>  
STANDARD

## BODY AND DIMENSIONS

**HEADROOM**  
front/middle/available third row  
40.2/40.0/36.5 in (1,021/1,016/927 mm)

**SHOULDER ROOM**  
front/middle/available third row  
57.5/57.4/56.7 in (1,461/1,458/1,440 mm)

**HIP ROOM**  
front/middle/available third row  
55.1/54.8/56.4 in (1,400/1,392/1,433 mm)

**HEIGHT**  
74.6 in (1,895 mm)



**WIDTH** 74.0 in (1,880 mm)

**CARGO CAPACITY (max)<sup>23</sup>**  
77.5 cu ft (2,195 L)\*

**FUEL-TANK CAPACITY**  
23.0 gal (87 L)

**LEG ROOM**  
front/middle/available third row  
41.8/36.8/24.9 in (1,062/935/632 mm)

**GROUND CLEARANCE**  
8.3 in (211 mm)



**WHEELBASE** 109.8 in (2,789 mm)

**OVERALL LENGTH** 188.2 in (4,780 mm)

## GENERAL

<b>TYPE</b>	Five-passenger luxury utility vehicle (eight-passenger with optional third-row seating) <sup>7</sup>
<b>CONSTRUCTION</b>	Body-on-frame
<b>CURB WEIGHT</b>	4,871 lb (2,209 kg)
<b>APPROACH ANGLE</b>	30°/31° (RAHC High/RAHC Normal)
<b>DEPARTURE ANGLE</b>	29°/25° (RAHC High/RAHC Normal)
<b>MAXIMUM PAYLOAD<sup>24</sup></b>	1,241 lb (563 kg) (with third-row seats) 1,329 lb (603 kg) (without third-row seats)
<b>TOWING CAPACITY (max)</b>	6,500 lb (2,948 kg) (with available towing equipment) <sup>5</sup>

\*Middle seats folded, optional third-row seat removed.

## ENGINE

<b>TYPE</b>	90° V8, iron block and aluminum heads
<b>DISPLACEMENT</b>	4.7 liters (285 cubic inches)
<b>VALVETRAIN</b>	Four cam, four valves per cylinder, with continuously Variable Valve Timing with intelligence (VVT-i)
<b>COMPRESSION RATIO</b>	10.0:1
<b>HORSEPOWER AT RPM</b>	263 hp @ 5,400 <sup>4</sup>
<b>TORQUE AT RPM</b>	323 lb-ft @ 3,400 <sup>4</sup>
<b>EMISSION RATING</b>	Certified Ultra-Low Emission Vehicle (ULEV II)

## PERFORMANCE

<b>0-60 MPH ACCELERATION</b>	8.1 seconds <sup>4,25</sup>
<b>1/4-MILE ACCELERATION</b>	16.3 seconds <sup>4,25</sup>
<b>TOP TRACK SPEED (Electronically Limited)</b>	112 mph <sup>4,25</sup>
<b>EPA FUEL ECONOMY ESTIMATES (city/highway)</b>	14/18 mpg <sup>26</sup>
<b>AERODYNAMIC DRAG COEFFICIENT</b>	0.38
<b>TURNING CIRCLE</b>	37.4 ft

## DRIVETRAIN

<b>TYPE</b>	Full-time four-wheel drive with TORSEN® limited-slip center differential <sup>3</sup> (with manual-locking feature) Downhill Assist Control (DAC) <sup>1</sup> helps the GX 470 descend steep, slippery slopes at a slow, even pace Hill-start Assist Control (HAC) <sup>1</sup> helps prevent vehicle rollback when switching from brake to accelerator pedal
<b>TRANSMISSION</b>	Five-speed automatic Electronically Controlled Transmission (ECT)
<b>TRANSFER CASE (high/low)</b>	Two-speed, 1.00:1/2.56:1
<b>FINAL DRIVE RATIO</b>	3.727:1

## CHASSIS

<b>VEHICLE STABILITY CONTROL (VSC)<sup>13</sup></b>	Electronic system that monitors and helps control the loss of traction in a turn by using yaw-rate, deceleration, vehicle-speed and steering-wheel-angle sensors. Modulates engine power and applies individual brakes as necessary. Integrates Anti-lock Braking System (ABS), Brake Assist <sup>2</sup> and Active Traction Control (A-TRAC)
<b>SUSPENSION</b>	Front: Independent, double-wishbone with coil springs, gas-pressurized shock absorbers and stabilizer bar Rear: Four-link with rigid axle, air-spring-type shock absorbers and stabilizer bar Adaptive Variable Suspension (AVS) including Rear Air Suspension with Rear Adjustable Height Control (RAHC) and automatic load leveling Optional Kinetic Dynamic Suspension System (KDSS) with automatic, hydraulically adjustable front and rear stabilizer bars
<b>STEERING</b>	Engine-speed-sensing, power-assisted rack-and-pinion. 3.0 turns, lock to lock
<b>BRAKES</b>	Four-wheel power-assisted discs, with four-sensor, four-channel Anti-lock Braking System (ABS), Electronic Brakeforce Distribution (EBD) and Brake Assist <sup>2</sup> 13.3-in ventilated front discs, 12.3-in ventilated rear discs
<b>WHEELS AND TIRES</b>	17 x 7.5-in five-spoke alloy wheels with dark Graphite finish and 265/65SR17 mud- and snow-rated tires. <sup>22</sup> Full-size spare with alloy wheel



## STANDARD LUXURY FEATURES

### LUXURY AND CONVENIENCE

Dual-zone automatic climate control with interior air filter and automatic recirculation mode

Power tilt-and-telescopic steering column with automatic tilt-away

Power tilt-and-slide moonroof with one-touch open/close and sliding sunshade

Power windows with one-touch auto open/close feature

Remote-linked window and moonroof opening

Retained accessory power for windows and moonroof

Electrochromic (auto-dimming) inside rearview mirror with compass

Adaptive Variable Suspension (AVS)

Rear Adjustable Height Control (RAHC)

Roof rack<sup>20</sup> with chrome-finished accents<sup>27</sup>

Cruise control

Power door locks

Rear privacy glass

Tonneau cover (only available on vehicles without third-row seat)

Storage pockets with cargo net integrated into rear door

HomeLink® universal transceiver to operate compatible garage, gate, home lighting and home security systems

### SEATING AND TRIM

Leather-trimmed interior

Medium brown walnut interior trim

Wood- and leather-trimmed steering wheel and shift knob

10-way driver's (including lumbar) and six-way front passenger's (including lumbar) power seats

Heated front seats

Reclining/folding split middle-row seat

Lexus Memory System to control power driver's seat (except lumbar), outside mirrors and steering wheel

Height-adjustable headrests for all seats

Lexus Personalized Settings (LPS) to customize select electronic functions

### AUDIO AND NAVIGATION

Lexus nine-speaker Premium Sound System with Automatic Sound Levelizer (ASL) and in-dash, single-feed, six-disc CD auto-changer

In-glass antenna with FM-diversity system

Auxiliary iPod®/MP3/WMA port

### INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS

Steering-wheel-mounted audio controls

Electroluminescent instrumentation

Altimeter and barometer

Automatic on/off projector-beam headlamps with 30-second delay

Multifunction, in-key remote entry system with rolling-code technology

Trip computer

Outside temperature gauge

## STANDARD SAFETY AND SECURITY FEATURES

### ACTIVE SAFETY

Vehicle Stability Control (VSC)<sup>13</sup>

Four-wheel Active Traction Control (A-TRAC)

Four-wheel ventilated power-assisted disc brakes

Four-sensor, four-channel Anti-lock Braking System (ABS)

Brake Assist<sup>2</sup>

Electronic Brakeforce Distribution (EBD)

Full-time four-wheel drive with TORSEN® limited-slip center differential<sup>3</sup>

Manual-locking center differential

Downhill Assist Control (DAC)<sup>1</sup>

Hill-start Assist Control (HAC)<sup>1</sup>

Direct Tire Pressure Monitor System<sup>12</sup>

Rain-sensing intermittent windshield wipers with mist cycle

Intermittent rear-window wiper with washer

Defogger with auto-off timer for rear window and rear-quarter windows

### PASSIVE SAFETY

Driver's and front passenger's advanced airbag system (SRS)<sup>14</sup>

Front seat-mounted side airbags (SRS)<sup>14</sup>

Front- and middle-row Roll-Sensing Curtain Airbags (RSCA) (SRS)<sup>14</sup>

Highly rigid body structure with front and rear crumple zones

Side-impact door beams

Impact-dissipating upper interior trim

Collapsible steering column

Daytime running lights

Integrated projector-beam foglamps

Water-repellent front-door glass

Power-adjustable outside mirrors with defoggers and auto tilt-down in reverse

Three-point seatbelts for all seating positions, pre-tensioners with force limiters for front seats

Automatic Locking Retractor/Emergency Locking Retractor (ALR/ELR) seatbelts for all passenger seating positions. Emergency Locking Retractor (ELR) only for driver's seat

Height-adjustable shoulder belt anchors for front and outboard middle-row seats

Child Restraint Seat (CRS) tether anchor brackets for middle row

### SECURITY

Vehicle theft-deterrent and engine immobilizer,<sup>28</sup> with in-key transponder

Tool kit

First aid kit

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Four-year/50,000-mile Lexus Limited Warranty. Six-year/70,000-mile Powertrain Warranty. Six-year/unlimited-mileage Corrosion Perforation Warranty. All warranties with zero deductible. See the *GX Warranty and Services Guide* at your Lexus dealer for details.

**1.** DAC is designed to help the driver maintain vehicle control and speed on steep downhill descents. HAC is designed to help minimize backward rolling on steep ascents. Neither system is a substitute for safe driving judgment and practices. Factors including speed, grade, surface conditions and driver input can all affect whether DAC and HAC will be effective in preventing a loss of control. Please see your *Owner's Manual* for further details. **2.** Brake Assist is designed to help the driver take full advantage of the benefits of ABS. It is not a substitute for safe driving practices. Braking effectiveness also depends on proper brake-system maintenance and tire and road conditions. **3.** TORSEN® is a registered trademark of Zexel Torsen, Inc. **4.** Ratings achieved using the required premium unleaded gasoline with an octane rating of 91 or higher. If premium fuel is not used, performance will decrease. **5.** Before towing, confirm your vehicle and trailer are compatible, hooked up and loaded properly and that you have any necessary additional equipment. Do not exceed any Weight Ratings and follow all instructions in your *Owner's Manual*. The maximum you can tow depends on the total weight of any cargo, occupants and available equipment. **6.** Mark Levinson is a registered trademark of Harman International Industries, Inc. **7.** Eight-passenger seating requires available third-row seat. **8.** iPod is a registered trademark of Apple Inc. **9.** Headphones are for passenger use only. Do not use while operating vehicle. **10.** Continuous average power, all channels driven, at less than 0.01% THD; 20–20,000 Hz. **11.** Satellite Radio requires an XM or SIRIUS compatible receiver and monthly service fee. Please see your Lexus dealer for further details. Reception of the satellite signal may vary depending on location. All fees and programming subject to change. Subscriptions subject to the terms and conditions available at [www.xmradio.com](http://www.xmradio.com) or [www.sirius.com](http://www.sirius.com). Available only in the 48 contiguous United States. **12.** The Tire Pressure Monitor alerts the driver when tire pressure is critically low. For optimal tire wear and performance, tire pressure should be checked regularly with a gauge; do not rely solely on the monitor system. Please see your *Owner's Manual* for details. **13.** Vehicle Stability Control (VSC) is an electronic system designed to help the driver maintain vehicle control under adverse conditions. It is not a substitute for safe driving practices. Factors including speed, road conditions and driver steering input can all affect whether VSC will be effective in preventing a loss of control. Please see your *Owner's Manual* for further details. **14.** All the airbag ("AB") systems are Supplemental Restraint Systems. All ABs (if installed) are designed to inflate only under certain conditions and in certain types of severe collisions: frontal and knee ABs typically inflate in frontal collisions; side and side curtain ABs in side collisions; Roll-Sensing Curtain ABs at a severe tilt degree, roll or lateral G-force. In all other accidents, the ABs will not inflate. To decrease the risk of injury from an inflating AB, always wear seatbelts, sit upright in the middle of the seat as far back as possible and do not lean against the door. Do not put objects in front of an AB or around the seatback. Do not use a rearward-facing childseat in any front passenger seat. The force of an inflating AB may cause serious injury or death. Please see your *Owner's Manual* for further information/warnings. **15.** Contact with the Lexus Link Call Center is limited by cellular connection availability and reception of GPS satellite signals, so sometimes you may be unable to contact the Call Center or receive emergency service support. Lexus Link system includes one-year Safe & Sound service. Enrollment and Subscription Service Agreement required. Additional service packages are available for additional charges. **16.** Coverage only available in the continental U.S. and Canada. Please see your Lexus dealer for details. **17.** The Bluetooth® technology phones listed on [lexus.com](http://lexus.com) have been tested for compatibility with Lexus vehicles. Performance will vary based on phone software version, coverage and your wireless carrier. Phones are warranted by their manufacturer, not Lexus. **18.** The Navigation System is designed to assist in locating an address or point of interest. Discrepancies may be encountered between the system and your actual location. Road system changes may affect the accuracy of the information provided. Rely on your common sense to decide whether to follow a specified route. Detailed coverage not available in every city or roadway. Periodic updates available at an additional cost. Please see your *Navigation System Owner's Manual* for further details. **19.** The backup camera, available only with the Navigation System, does not provide a comprehensive view of the rear area of the vehicle. You should also look around outside your vehicle and use your mirrors to confirm rearward clearance. Cold weather will limit effectiveness and view may become cloudy. **20.** Roof rack capacity is 130 lb. Please see your *Owner's Manual* for details. **21.** Rear air conditioning comes only with available third-row seat. **22.** 17-in performance tires are expected to experience greater tire wear than conventional tires. Tire life may be less than 20,000 miles, depending upon driving conditions. **23.** Cargo and load capacity limited by weight and distribution. **24.** Payload is the GVWR minus curb weight and includes weight of occupants, optional equipment and cargo, limited by weight distribution. Payload is not the Vehicle Capacity Weight as defined by FMVSS 110, which will vary according to installed optional equipment. **25.** Performance figures are for comparison only and were obtained with prototype vehicles by professional drivers using special safety equipment and procedures. Do not attempt. **26.** 2009 EPA-estimated mileage. Actual mileage will vary. **27.** Includes CrossBars. CrossBars are not recommended for luggage. **28.** The engine immobilizer is a state-of-the-art anti-theft system. When you insert your key into the ignition switch, the key transmits an electronic code to the vehicle. The engine will only start if the code in the transponder chip inside the key matches the code in the vehicle's immobilizer. Because the transponder chip is embedded in the key, it can be costly to replace. If you lose a key, your Lexus dealer can help, or you can find a qualified independent locksmith to perform high-security key services at [www.aloa.org](http://www.aloa.org). **29.** Cover stock is composed of 10% post-consumer waste.

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