



# 03 AVALON

XLS Shown in Lunar Mist Metallic

No question about it, you are entitled to a nice car. Something that's as rewarding to look at as it is to drive. The 2003 Toyota Avalon touring sedan more than satisfies on both accounts. Whichever model you choose, you'll be greeted by elegant lines, highlighted with a new wide front grille and available 16" alloy wheels. All of which make a fine complement to the VVT-i V6 engine and its smooth, responsive power and outstanding fuel efficiency.

The XL is about many things, and none of them involve sacrifice. This is the Avalon that marries graceful design and impressive comfort. Something you'll experience firsthand when you slide into the available perforated leather-trimmed seats.

The XLS, the premier Avalon model, is filled with technologically advanced features that offer the utmost in convenience, such as rain-sensing windshield wipers. Combine this with a heightened sense of style, and the XLS is all about luxury. Avalon: It's time you drove exactly what you deserve.

**STANDARD FEATURES**

**XL**

- Aerodynamic multi-reflector halogen headlamps with Daytime Running Lights (DRL) and auto on/off feature
- Dual color-keyed power outside mirrors
- Color-keyed protective body side moldings and bumpers with chrome trim
- P205/65R15 tires on 15" steel wheels with full wheel covers
- Tilt steering wheel
- Driver and front passenger multi-stage<sup>1</sup> air bag Supplemental Restraint System (SRS)<sup>2</sup>
- Driver and outboard passenger front seat-mounted side-impact air bag Supplemental Restraint System (SRS)<sup>2</sup>
- Washer-linked variable intermittent windshield wipers
- High Solar Energy-Absorbing (HSEA) glass
- Fabric multi-adjustable front bucket seats with center console storage area, armrest and dual cup holder (bucket seat models)
- Fabric multi-adjustable power front split-bench seat with fold-down center armrest storage area with flip-out dual cup holder (bench seat models)
- Contoured fabric rear seats with separate headrests, center armrest and locking trunk pass-through
- Chrome accents on shift lever, shift knob and button (bucket seat models)
- Power door locks with anti-lockout feature
- Power windows with driver's auto up/down with pinch protection and retained-power features
- Driver and passenger illuminated visor vanity mirrors with extensions
- Dual zone defroster-linked CFC-free air conditioning with air filtration
- Cruise control
- Heavy-duty rear window defogger with timer and side window demisters
- 12-volt auxiliary power outlet
- Speedometer, tachometer; coolant temperature and fuel level gauges
- Multi-function information display with time, outside temperature, twin tripmeters, odometer and warning lights
- Remote hood, trunk and fuel-filler door releases
- Internal trunk-release handle
- Deluxe 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 6 speakers and in-glass antenna



XL standard 15" steel wheel with full wheel cover



XL available 15" aluminum alloy wheel



XL available 16" aluminum alloy wheel

**XLS**

(In addition to/in place of XL Standard Features)

- Integrated fog lamps
- P205/65R15 tires on 15" aluminum alloy wheels
- Dual heated color-keyed power outside mirrors with driver-side electrochromic auto-dimming feature
- Rain-sensing washer-linked variable intermittent windshield wipers
- Auto-dimming electrochromic rearview mirror
- Fabric multi-adjustable power front bucket seats with covered center console or fabric multi-adjustable power split-bench seat with fold-down armrest console
- Leather-wrapped tilt steering wheel with wood-grain-style trim
- Leather-wrapped shift knob (bucket seat models)
- Wood-grain-style interior trim
- Dual zone CFC-free automatic climate control with air filtration (with rear-seat vents on bucket seat models)
- Multi-information display with date, time, outside temperature, compass, instant and average fuel economy, average speed, twin tripmeters, odometer and warning lights
- Illuminated entry/exit system with automatic fade-out
- Front-seat maplights and rear-seat reading lamps
- Trunk-mounted cargo net
- Multi-function remote keyless entry system with lock, unlock, trunk-release and panic features; and remote illuminated entry
- Anti-theft system with engine immobilizer
- HomeLink<sup>®3</sup> universal transceiver
- JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 250 watts maximum output and 7 speakers including subwoofer, in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception



XLS standard 15" aluminum alloy wheel



XLS available 16" aluminum alloy wheel

<sup>1</sup>Driver air bag is three-stage controlled deployment; front passenger air bag is two-stage controlled deployment.

<sup>2</sup>The Toyota driver, front passenger and front seat-mounted side-impact air bags are Supplemental Restraint Systems (SRS). The driver and front passenger air bags are designed to inflate in a severe frontal collision. The side-impact air bags are designed to inflate in severe side-impact collisions. In all

other accidents, the air bags will not inflate. To decrease the risk of injury from a deploying air bag, always wear seatbelts, sit upright in the middle of the seat as far back as possible from the air bag

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OPTIONAL PACKAGES

XL

- **Package #1**—includes power-adjustable driver and front passenger seats and remote keyless entry (bucket seat models)
- **Package #2**—includes 15" aluminum alloy wheels, power-adjustable driver and front passenger seats and remote keyless entry (bucket seat models)
- **Package #3**—includes 15" aluminum alloy wheels and remote keyless entry (bench seat models)
- **Package #4**—includes 15" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package: leather-trimmed interior, power-adjustable front seats (with perforated leather inserts on bucket seat models), leather-wrapped steering wheel (plus leather-wrapped shift knob on bucket seat models) and remote keyless entry
- **Luxury Package**—includes 16" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package: leather-trimmed interior, power-adjustable front seats (with perforated leather inserts on bucket seat models), leather-wrapped steering wheel (plus leather-wrapped shift knob on bucket seat models), remote keyless entry and JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 7 speakers including subwoofer, in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception
- **Sport Luxury Package**—includes color-keyed rear spoiler, 16" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package: leather-trimmed interior, power-adjustable front seats (with perforated leather inserts on bucket seat models), leather-wrapped steering wheel (plus leather-wrapped shift knob on bucket seat models), remote keyless entry and JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 7 speakers including subwoofer, in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

- Power tilt/slide glass moonroof with retained power, sunshade and maplight
- JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 7 speakers including subwoofer, in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception

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- **Package #5**—includes 16" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package with memory (leather-trimmed interior and two-driver memory for driver seat and exterior mirrors) and 115-volt power outlet
- **Premium Luxury Package**—includes 16" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package with memory (leather-trimmed interior and two-driver memory for driver seat and exterior mirrors), 115-volt power outlet and JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 6-disc in-dash changer, 7 speakers including subwoofer, Radio Data System (RDS), in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception
- **Premium Luxury Package with heated seats**—includes 16" aluminum alloy wheels, Leather Trim Package with memory and heated seats (leather-trimmed interior, heated front seats and two-driver memory for driver seat and exterior mirrors), 115-volt power outlet and JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 6-disc in-dash changer, 7 speakers including subwoofer, Radio Data System (RDS), in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception
- **Package #8**—includes 16" aluminum alloy wheels and JBL Premium 3-in-1 AM/FM ETR/Cassette/CD with 6-disc in-dash changer, 7 speakers including subwoofer, Radio Data System (RDS), in-glass antenna and FM diversity reception

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

- Power tilt/slide glass moonroof with retained power, sunshade and maplight
- Remote control DVD navigation system<sup>1</sup>
- Vehicle Skid Control (VSC)<sup>2</sup> with TRAC Traction Control and Brake Assist<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>The Toyota DVD 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. Changes in street names, road closures, traffic flow or other road system changes may affect the accuracy of the mapping software. Rely upon your common sense to decide whether or not to follow a specified route. Detailed coverage not available in every city. Optional periodic geographical updates available at an additional cost. See your navigation system Owner's Manual and your Toyota dealer for further details.

<sup>2</sup>See Specifications section for more information on Vehicle Skid Control.

<sup>3</sup>See Specifications section for more information on Brake Assist.



Diamond White Pearl with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior



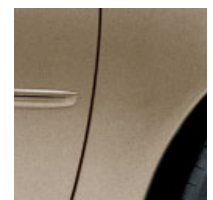
Lunar Mist Metallic with Stone interior



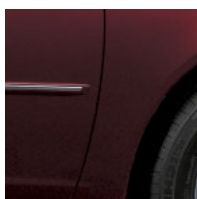
Silver Spruce Metallic with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior



Phantom Gray Pearl with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior



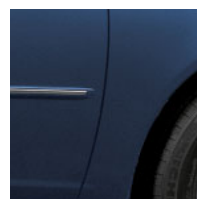
Desert sand Mica with Ivory or Taupe interior



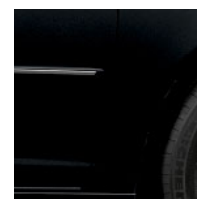
Cassis Pearl with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior



Aspen Green Pearl with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior



Stratosphere Mica with Ivory or Stone interior



Black with Ivory, Stone or Taupe interior

**SPECIFICATIONS**

	XL	XLS
<b>Mechanical/Performance</b>		
Engine	3.0-liter 24-valve DOHC VVT-i V6 210 hp @ 5,800 rpm 220 lb.-ft. @ 4,400 rpm	
Ignition	Electronic, with distributorless Toyota Direct Ignition system (TDI)	
Transmission	4-speed electronically controlled transmission with intelligence (ECT-i) and slope compensation control	
Body construction	Unitized body with front and rear anti-vibration sub-frames	
Suspension	MacPherson strut front suspension with offset coil springs and stabilizer bar; dual-link independent MacPherson strut rear suspension with offset coil springs and stabilizer bar	
Steering	Engine speed-sensing variable-assist power rack-and-pinion	
Turning circle diameter, curb to curb (ft.)	37.6	
Brakes	Power-assisted with 10.8" ventilated front disc/11.3" solid rear disc with Anti-lock Brake System (ABS) and Electronic Brake-force Distribution (EBD)	
Vehicle Skid Control (VSC) <sup>1</sup> with TRAC Traction Control and Brake Assist <sup>2</sup>	NA	Available
<b>Exterior Dimensions (IN.)</b>		
Overall height	57.7	57.7
Overall width	71.7	71.7
Overall length	191.9	191.9
Wheelbase	107.1	107.1
Track (front/rear)	61.0/60.0	61.0/60.0
Ground clearance	5.1	5.1
Coefficient of drag (Cd)	.28	.28
<b>Interior dimensions front/rear (IN.)</b>		
Head room	38.7/37.9	38.7/37.9
Shoulder room	58.4/58.1	58.4/58.1
Hip room	55.2/55.1	55.2/55.1
Leg room	41.7/40.1	41.7/40.1
Seating capacity (bucket/bench)	5/6	5/6
<b>Weights and Capacities</b>		
Curb weight (lbs.) with bucket seats/bench seats	3,417/3,428	3,439/3,428
EPA passenger volume (cu. ft.)	106.6	106.6
Luggage capacity (cu. ft.)	15.9	15.9
Towing capacity <sup>3</sup> (lbs.)	2,000	2,000
Fuel tank (gal.)	18.5	18.5
<b>Tires</b>		
Size		
Standard	P205/65R15	P205/65R15
Available	P205/60R16	P205/60R16
Type	All-Season steel-belted radial	All-Season steel-belted radial
Spare	Full-size	Full-size
<b>Mileage Estimates (MPG City/Highway)<sup>4</sup></b>		
	21/29	21/29

<sup>1</sup>Toyota Vehicle Skid 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.

<sup>2</sup>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.

<sup>3</sup>Do not exceed the Gross Combined Weight Rating for your vehicle. See your Toyota dealer for GCWR limits and additionally required equipment. Consult your trailer and hitch suppliers to ensure proper hookup.

<sup>4</sup>Preliminary mileage estimates determined by Toyota. Final EPA mileage estimates not available at time of printing. See your Toyota dealer for details.

Some vehicles are shown with available equipment. Seatbelts should be worn at all times. For details on vehicle specifications, standard features and available equipment in your area, contact your Toyota dealer. A vehicle with particular equipment may not be available at the dealership. Ask your Toyota dealer to help locate a specifically equipped vehicle.

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