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Tiggo 8 PHEV

South Africa • 2026 Hagalu Buyer's Guide

1500 cc

ENGINE

150 kW

POWER

170 mm

CLEARANCE

19.2 km/l

FUEL ECON

7 seats

SEATING

ZAR 729,900

Ex-Showroom Starting Price

<https://www.hagalu.com/south-africa/chery/tiggo-8-phev/>

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Source-backed

No rating inferred

1 Variants

1 Priced

01 Overview & Quick Facts

The Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV is listed for South Africa as a SUV with a clear buyer role rather than a decorative catalogue entry. Its official material positions it around 1.5 DGI plug-in hybrid seven-seat SUV with 1DHT transmission and 90 km EV range. For Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV, the local buying decision starts with instalment pressure, fuel or charging cost, warranty depth, rough-road comfort and the dealer support available near the owner's normal route. The range structure includes PHEV Apex, so the purchase decision is not only whether the model is attractive, but which derivative carries the correct balance of equipment, mechanical layout and running-cost exposure. In daily use the Tiggo 8 PHEV needs to answer practical questions first. The cabin of Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV has to work for weekday traffic, shopping stops, school bags, navigation, charging cables and the broken tar that often separates a good test drive from a good ownership choice. The published figures for Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV are most useful when they are read beside the trim list: seating, cargo space, consumption, safety...



Body Style	SUV
Launched	2026
Generation	Current South Africa Tiggo 8 PHEV range
Fuel Types	Plug-in Hybrid
Colours	White, black, grey, silver, blue, green and other official Chery market colours by model.
OEM Website	https://www.chery.co.za/models/tiggo-8-phev

02 Variant Pricing & On-Road Costs

Ex-Showroom Starting Price	ZAR 729,900			1 Listed Variants
Variant	Fuel	Transmission	Trim	Ex-Showroom
PHEV Apex	Plug-In Hybrid	Automatic	Flagship Or Capability-Focused	ZAR 729,900

Estimated On-Road Price — PHEV Apex (Base Variant)

Johannesburg	ZAR 749,658
Cape Town	ZAR 753,148
Durban	ZAR 747,099
Pretoria	ZAR 748,378

* On-road prices are estimates including registration, road tax and insurance.

03 Pros, Cons & Buyer Summary

● STRENGTHS ✓ Current official South Africa source coverage ✓ Clear derivative structure ✓ Warranty-backed new-car ownership ✓ Modern safety and convenience equipment on confirmed trims ✓ Competitive segment positioning ✓ Useful finance-comparison candidate	● CONSIDERATIONS ✗ Some specifications vary strongly by trim ✗ Promotional and list prices can differ ✗ Not every source publishes every cabin measurement ✗ Upper trims may raise insurance and tyre costs ✗ Hybrid ownership depends on usage pattern ✗ Resale history is still developing for newer nameplates
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Buyer Summary

"A current Chery option best judged by trim, warranty and real South African usage rather than headline price alone."

The Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV is strongest when bought with a clear trim strategy. The right Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV buyer will value the features used every week more than decorative upgrades that do not change the commute or family trip. Family buyers comparing Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV need to check rear-seat access, ISOFIX access, airbag coverage by trim, boot flexibility and whether the cabin remains comfortable when the car is fully loaded.

City Driving	In city use, the Tiggo 8 PHEV should be judged by visibility, parking assistance, clutch or automatic smoothness, phone integration, air-conditioning performance and claimed consumption. The practical strength of Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV depends on matching its drivetrain, trim level, safety package and cabin equipment to the owner's normal route. With Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV, the useful question is whether the confirmed features reduce daily friction enough to justify the monthly payment.
Highway	On highways, the Tiggo 8 PHEV needs stable cruise manners, predictable overtaking response and low ownership fatigue. The ownership case for Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV is clearest when the buyer checks warranty, service-plan distance, tyres, insurance value and dealer access together. The sensible choice in the Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV range is the derivative whose drivetrain, equipment, price and ownership package fit the buyer's normal week without financing unused extras.
Off-Road	Away from perfect tar, the Tiggo 8 PHEV is best judged according to its actual drivetrain and ground-clearance data. For Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV, specification gaps should be handled honestly: confirmed values guide the page, while unpublished figures need dealer confirmation before signing. A clean shortlist for Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV compares visibility, comfort, safety equipment, fuel use, cargo needs and the cost of stepping up to the next trim.
Best For	The Tiggo 8 PHEV suits buyers who want a current suv from Chery with plug-in hybrid running costs and a warranty-backed new-car experience. For Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV, the final decision should come from confirmed specification, weekly use, ownership cost and the equipment fitted to the actual dealer car. A buyer looking at Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV should compare the published figures with finance terms, fuel spend, service cover and the way the vehicle will be used most often.

04 Variant Comparison Matrix

All 1 variants of the Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV side-by-side. Use this to spot the smallest differences quickly — fuel, power, gearbox and price all in one view.

SPEC	PHEV Apex
Price (ex-showroom)	ZAR 729,900
Fuel Type	Plug-in Hybrid
Transmission	Not Officially Disclosed
Trim Level	Flagship Or Capability-Focused
Engine	1500 cc (1.5L)
Max Power	150 kW (201 bhp)
Max Torque	230 Nm (170 lb-ft)
Drivetrain	FWD
Fuel Economy	19.2 km/l
Seating	7
Boot Space	494 L
Ground Clearance	170 mm
Kerb Weight	1907 kg

→ [Compare these variants on hagalu.com](#) (published prices, on-road estimates, source-backed specifications and buyer guidance)

05 Chery Tiggo 8 PHEV — PHEV Apex

ZAR 729,900

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Flagship Or Capability-Focused Trim · Plug-In Hybrid · Automatic

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ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	1.5-litre Naturally Aspirated Petrol Plug-in Hybrid	Engine Code	Not Officially Disclosed
Fuel Type	Plug-in Hybrid	Hybrid System	Plug-in Hybrid
Engine Displacement	1500 cc	Cylinders	4
Cylinder Layout	Inline	Valves	16
Valves per Cylinder	4	Aspiration	Naturally Aspirated
Fuel System	Petrol injection	Compression Ratio	Not Officially Disclosed

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

Low Range Ratio	Not Applicable	Gearbox Type	1 DHT
Front Differential Lock	Not Applicable	Transmission Type	Automatic
Clutch Type	Automatic clutch	Gear Shift Indicator	Standard
Gear Shift Type	Electric	Drivetrain	FWD
Automatic Shift Paddles	Standard	4WD Selector	Not Applicable
4WD Lo Range	Not Applicable	4WD Hi Range	Not Applicable

DIMENSIONS

Length	4725 mm	Width	1860 mm
Height	1705 mm	Wheelbase	2710 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	170 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	190 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	60 l	Boot/Cargo Space	494 l
Kerb Weight	1907 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	2430 kg
Payload Capacity	523 kg	Towing Capacity	1500 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	19.2 km/l
City Mileage	16.3 km/l	Highway Mileage	21.5 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	60 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Charging Port Type	Plug-in hybrid AC/DC	Charging Type	AC/DC
Fuel Tank Litres	60	Combined Driving Range	1200

SAFETY

Side Airbags	Standard	BA	Standard
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Brake Override System	Standard	Traction Control	Standard
Curtain Airbags	Standard	Driver Airbag	Standard
Airbags	Multiple airbags	EBD	Standard
Engine Immobiliser	Standard	Tyre Pressure Monitor	Standard
Engine Immobiliser	Standard	Hill Hold	Standard

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Sunroof	Standard	Boot Space Seats Folded	1930 l
Electric Tailgate	Standard	Wireless Charging	Standard
Push Button Start	Standard	AC Type	Automatic
Keyless Entry	Standard	Power Windows	Standard
Climate Control	Automatic	Load Bed Width	Not Applicable mm
Loadbox Length Mm	Not Applicable mm	Loadbox Width Mm	Not Applicable mm

+ 12 more spec categories (Infotainment & Connectivity, Interior, Exterior, Driver Assistance, ...) available on the live model page.

→ See PHEV Apex full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

Compare with rivals →

06 Explore More on Hagalu

Jump to each variant's price and specification record

→ PHEV Apex — ZAR 729,900

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