



OMODA

C9

South Africa • 2026 Hagalu Buyer's Guide

2000 cc

ENGINE

192 kW

POWER

167 mm

CLEARANCE

12.2 km/l

FUEL ECON

5 seats

SEATING

ZAR 785,900 – 885,900

Ex-Showroom Starting Price

<https://www.hagalu.com/south-africa/omoda/c9/>

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Source-backed

No rating inferred

2 Variants

2 Priced

01 Overview & Quick Facts

The Omoda C9 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 2.0 TGD1 petrol with 8AT in 2WD and AWD derivatives. For Omoda C9, 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 Inspire 2WD, Explore AWD, 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 C9 needs to answer practical questions first. The cabin of Omoda C9 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 Omoda C9 are most useful when they are read beside the trim list: seating, cargo space, consumption, safety kit, service cover and warranty terms all shape the real deal. With...



Body Style	SUV
Launched	2024
Generation	Current South Africa C9 range
Fuel Types	Petrol
Colours	Khaki white, carbon crystal black, moonlight silver, grey and other official Omoda market colours where listed.
OEM Website	https://www.omoda.co.za/models/omoda-c9

02 Variant Pricing & On-Road Costs

Ex-Showroom Starting Price	ZAR 785,900 – 885,900	2 Listed Variants
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Variant	Fuel	Transmission	Trim	Ex-Showroom
Inspire 2WD	Petrol	Automatic	Mid-To-High Value	ZAR 785,900
Explore AWD	Petrol	Automatic	Flagship Or Capability-Focused	ZAR 885,900

Estimated On-Road Price — Inspire 2WD (Base Variant)

Johannesburg	ZAR 806,330
Cape Town	ZAR 809,988
Durban	ZAR 803,659
Pretoria	ZAR 804,994

* 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 Omoda option best judged by trim, warranty and real South African usage rather than headline price alone."

The Omoda C9 is strongest when bought with a clear trim strategy. The right Omoda C9 buyer will value the features used every week more than decorative upgrades that do not change the commute or family trip. Family buyers comparing Omoda C9 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 C9 should be judged by visibility, parking assistance, clutch or automatic smoothness, phone integration, air-conditioning performance and claimed consumption. The practical strength of Omoda C9 depends on matching its drivetrain, trim level, safety package and cabin equipment to the owner's normal route. With Omoda C9, the useful question is whether the confirmed features reduce daily friction enough to justify the monthly payment.
Highway	On highways, the C9 needs stable cruise manners, predictable overtaking response and low ownership fatigue. The ownership case for Omoda C9 is clearest when the buyer checks warranty, service-plan distance, tyres, insurance value and dealer access together. The sensible choice in the Omoda C9 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 C9 is best judged according to its actual drivetrain and ground-clearance data. For Omoda C9, specification gaps should be handled honestly: confirmed values guide the page, while unpublished figures need dealer confirmation before signing. A clean shortlist for Omoda C9 compares visibility, comfort, safety equipment, fuel use, cargo needs and the cost of stepping up to the next trim.
Best For	The C9 suits buyers who want a current suv from Omoda with petrol running costs and a warranty-backed new-car experience. For Omoda C9, 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 Omoda C9 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 2 variants of the Omoda C9 side-by-side. Use this to spot the smallest differences quickly — fuel, power, gearbox and price all in one view.

SPEC	Inspire 2WD	Explore AWD
Price (ex-showroom)	ZAR 785,900	ZAR 885,900
Fuel Type	Petrol	Petrol
Transmission	8-Speed Automatic	8-Speed Automatic
Trim Level	Mid-To-High Value	Flagship Or Capability-Focused
Engine	2000 cc (2.0L)	2000 cc (2.0L)
Max Power	192 kW (257 bhp)	192 kW (257 bhp)
Max Torque	400 Nm (295 lb-ft)	400 Nm (295 lb-ft)
Drivetrain	FWD	AWD
Fuel Economy	12.2 km/l	11.8 km/l
Seating	5	5
Boot Space	660 L	660 L
Ground Clearance	167 mm	165 mm
Kerb Weight	1786 kg	1872 kg

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

05 Omoda C9 — Inspire 2WD

ZAR 785,900

ENGINE 2000 cc	POWER 192 kW · 257 bhp	TORQUE 400 Nm · 295 lb-ft	ECONOMY 12.2 km/l	FUEL Petrol 8-Speed Automatic
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Mid-To-High Value Trim · Petrol · Automatic

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ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	2-litre Turbocharged Petrol	Engine Code	SQRF4J20
Fuel Type	Petrol	Hybrid System	Not Applicable
Engine Displacement	2000 cc	Cylinders	4
Cylinder Layout	Inline	Valves	16
Valves per Cylinder	4	Aspiration	Turbocharged
Fuel System	Petrol injection	Compression Ratio	10.2:1

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

Low Range Ratio	Not Applicable	Gearbox Type	8 AT
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	4775 mm	Width	1920 mm
Height	1671 mm	Wheelbase	2800 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	167 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	145 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	65 l	Boot/Cargo Space	660 l
Kerb Weight	1786 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	2195 kg
Payload Capacity	409 kg	Towing Capacity	1500 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	12.2 km/l
City Mileage	9.8 km/l	Highway Mileage	14.4 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	65 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Charging Port Type	Not Applicable	Charging Type	Not Applicable
Fuel Tank Litres	65	Combined Driving Range	Not Applicable

SAFETY

Side Airbags	Standard	BA	Standard
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	1783 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 Inspire 2WD full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

Compare with rivals →

06 Omoda C9 — Explore AWD

ZAR 885,900

ENGINE 2000 cc	POWER 192 kW · 257 bhp	TORQUE 400 Nm · 295 lb-ft	ECONOMY 11.8 km/l	FUEL Petrol 8-Speed Automatic
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Flagship Or Capability-Focused Trim · Petrol · Automatic

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ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	2-litre Turbocharged Petrol	Engine Code	SQRF4J20
Fuel Type	Petrol	Hybrid System	Not Applicable
Engine Displacement	2000 cc	Cylinders	4
Cylinder Layout	Inline	Valves	16
Valves per Cylinder	4	Aspiration	Turbocharged
Fuel System	Petrol injection	Compression Ratio	10.2:1

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

Low Range Ratio	Not Applicable	Gearbox Type	8 AT
Front Differential Lock	Not Applicable	Transmission Type	Automatic
Clutch Type	Automatic clutch	Gear Shift Indicator	Standard
Gear Shift Type	Electric	Drivetrain	AWD
Automatic Shift Paddles	Standard	4WD Selector	Not Applicable
4WD Lo Range	Not Applicable	4WD Hi Range	Not Applicable

DIMENSIONS

Length	4775 mm	Width	1920 mm
Height	1671 mm	Wheelbase	2800 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	165 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	143 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	65 l	Boot/Cargo Space	660 l
Kerb Weight	1872 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	2281 kg
Payload Capacity	409 kg	Towing Capacity	1500 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	11.8 km/l
City Mileage	9.5 km/l	Highway Mileage	13.9 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	65 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Charging Port Type	Not Applicable	Charging Type	Not Applicable
Fuel Tank Litres	65	Combined Driving Range	Not Applicable

SAFETY

Side Airbags	Standard	BA	Standard
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	1783 l
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→ See Explore AWD full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

Compare with rivals →

07 Explore More on Hagalu

Jump to each variant's price and specification record

→ Inspire 2WD — ZAR 785,900

→ Explore AWD — ZAR 885,900

Live Prices & On-Road Costs — Omoda C9

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