

RENAULT

Duster

South Africa • 2026 Hagalu Buyer's Guide

1300 cc	113 kW	209 mm	15.4 km/l	5 seats
ENGINE	POWER	CLEARANCE	FUEL ECON	SEATING

ZAR 489,999 – 549,999

Ex-Showroom Starting Price

https://www.hagalu.com/south-africa/renault/duster/

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01 Overview & Quick Facts

The range structure includes 1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2, 1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2, 1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid, 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. The published figures for Renault Duster 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. The Duster is therefore best read through the exact derivative chosen rather than a single headline price. Highway users considering Renault Duster should look closely at engine flexibility, tyre profile, cabin quietness, service-plan distance and the driver-assistance systems fitted to the exact derivative. Family buyers comparing Renault Duster 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. From a value perspective, the Duster works best when the chosen variant lines up with real use. For Renault Duster, lower grades protect the monthly payment, while richer…



Body Style	SUV
Launched	2026
Generation	Current South Africa Duster range
Fuel Types	Petrol / Mild Hybrid
Colours	Official Renault South Africa colours vary by model and dealer stock.
OEM Website	https://www.renault.co.za/vehicle/duster

02 Variant Pricing & On-Road Costs

Ex-Showroom Starting Price	ZAR 489,999 – 549,999	3 Listed Variants

Variant	Fuel	Transmission	Trim	Ex-Showroom
1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2	Petrol	Automatic	Range-Specific	**ZAR 489,999**
1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2	Petrol	Automatic	Range-Specific	**ZAR 519,999**
1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid	Petrol Mild Hybrid	Manual	Range-Specific	**ZAR 549,999**

Estimated On-Road Price — 1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2 (Base Variant)

Johannesburg	**ZAR 506,878**
Cape Town	**ZAR 509,648**
Durban	**ZAR 504,798**
Pretoria	**ZAR 505,838**

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

03 Pros, Cons & Buyer Summary

● STRENGTHS

- ✓ Body style: SUV
- ✓ Fuel type: Petrol / Mild Hybrid
- ✓ South African price: R489,999
- ✓ Engine: 1.3-litre Turbocharged Petrol
- ✓ Power output: 113 kW
- ✓ Transmission: 7-Speed DCT

● CONSIDERATIONS

- ✗ Exact equipment for Duster can vary by derivative.
- ✗ Real fuel use for Duster depends on route, load and weather.
- ✗ The written Duster quotation should be checked before purchase.
- ✗ Tyre, insurance and service costs need a separate Duster budget.
- ✗ A short Duster test drive cannot represent every ownership route.
- ✗ Duster capability should not be inferred from body styling alone.

Buyer Summary

> *"Duster deserves a closer look when its price, equipment and powertrain fit the owner's route."*

With Renault Duster, a strong showroom impression only becomes a strong purchase when the selected trim avoids equipment gaps, excessive insurance value and ownership costs the buyer did not plan for. The buying case for Duster is specific. A EDC transmission gives it a reason to be considered, while a front-wheel drive drivetrain and a front-wheel drive drivetrain set the boundaries. Duster is easiest to recommend when the buyer can point to a concrete benefit in engine of 1.3-litre Turbocharged Petrol and accept the limitation represented by a EDC transmission. The local price should be judged against the equipment that is actually included, not an adjacent trim for Duster. That is the difference between a sound purchase and an expensive specification mismatch for Duster

City Driving	The cabin of Renault Duster 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. Drive the Duster through the tightest parking area, a steep ramp, a speed hump and stop-start traffic. Petrol power matters when the cabin or load is full, and a South African price reference of R519,999 can change the cost of repeated short trips
Highway	For Renault Duster, 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. Run Duster at legal cruising speed, include a hill and a safe overtake, and see whether the driver can remain relaxed after an hour. The interaction between a front-wheel drive drivetrain, Petrol power and a South African price reference of R519,999 is more informative than maximum speed

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Off-Road	Its official material positions it around 1.3-litre turbo petrol EDC 4x2 derivatives and 1.2 turbo mild-hybrid 4WD derivative. For Duster, the sensible check is the exact fwd arrangement, tyre specification, load and protection underneath. If the Duster will leave smooth tar, test the actual road rather than the image around it. A slow run over corrugations, a sharp entrance and a loaded crest will show whether the suspension, tyres and underside suit the duty for Duster. Check a front-wheel drive drivetrain against the stated drivetrain for Duster. Maintained gravel can be a reasonable use case for many road vehicles; deep sand, mud and water demand confirmed equipment and a recovery plan for Duster
Best For	The Renault Duster is listed for South Africa as a suv with a clear buyer role rather than a decorative catalogue entry. Duster makes the most sense for an owner whose route and budget agree with a front-wheel drive drivetrain

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04 Variant Comparison Matrix

All 3 variants of the Renault Duster side-by-side. Use this to spot the smallest differences quickly — fuel, power, gearbox and price all in one view.

SPEC	1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2	1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2	1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid
Price (ex-showroom)	**ZAR 489,999**	**ZAR 519,999**	**ZAR 549,999**
Fuel Type	Petrol	Petrol	Petrol Mild Hybrid
Transmission	7-Speed DCT	7-Speed DCT	6-Speed Manual
Trim Level	Range-Specific	Range-Specific	Range-Specific
Engine	1300 cc (1.3L)	1300 cc (1.3L)	1200 cc (1.2L)
Max Power	113 kW (152 bhp)	113 kW (152 bhp)	96 kW (129 bhp)
Max Torque	250 Nm (184 lb-ft)	250 Nm (184 lb-ft)	230 Nm (170 lb-ft)
Drivetrain	FWD	FWD	4WD
Fuel Economy	15.4 km/l	15.4 km/l	17.5 km/l
Seating	5	5	5
Boot Space	594 L	594 L	594 L
Ground Clearance	209 mm	209 mm	217 mm
Kerb Weight	1410 kg	1410 kg	1451 kg

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

05 Renault Duster — 1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2 ZAR 489,999

ENGINE	POWER	TORQUE	ECONOMY	FUEL
1300 cc	113 kW · 152 bhp	250 Nm · 184 lb-ft	15.4 km/l	Petrol 7-Speed DCT

Range-Specific Trim · Petrol · Automatic

View live price & EMI →

ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	1.3-litre Turbocharged Petrol	Engine Code	Not Officially Disclosed
Fuel Type	Petrol	Engine Displacement	1300 cc
Cylinders	4	Cylinder Layout	Inline
Valves	16	Valves per Cylinder	4
Aspiration	Turbocharged	Fuel System	Petrol injection
Compression Ratio	Not Officially Disclosed	Bore	Not Officially Disclosed mm

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

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

DIMENSIONS

Length	4343 mm	Width	2092 mm
Height	1656 mm	Wheelbase	2657 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	209 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	209 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Boot/Cargo Space	594 l
Kerb Weight	1410 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	1880 kg
Payload Capacity	470 kg	Towing Capacity	1580 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	15.4 km/l
City Mileage	12.4 km/l	Highway Mileage	18.1 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Fuel Tank Litres	50	Combined Driving Range	Not Applicable
Range Real World Highway	Not Applicable km	Range Real World Mixed	Not Applicable km

SAFETY

Side Airbags	Standard	BA	Standard

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

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Sunroof	Not Available	Boot Space Seats Folded	594 l
Electric Tailgate	Not Available	Wireless Charging	Not Available
Push Button Start	Standard	AC Type	Manual / automatic by trim
Keyless Entry	Standard	Power Windows	Standard
Climate Control	Manual / automatic by trim	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 1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2 full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

Compare with rivals →

06 Renault Duster — 1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2 ZAR 519,999

ENGINE	POWER	TORQUE	ECONOMY	FUEL
1300 cc	113 kW · 152 bhp	250 Nm · 184 lb-ft	15.4 km/l	Petrol 7-Speed DCT

Range-Specific Trim · Petrol · Automatic

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ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	1.3-litre Turbocharged Petrol	Engine Code	Not Officially Disclosed
Fuel Type	Petrol	Engine Displacement	1300 cc
Cylinders	4	Cylinder Layout	Inline
Valves	16	Valves per Cylinder	4
Aspiration	Turbocharged	Fuel System	Petrol injection
Compression Ratio	Not Officially Disclosed	Bore	Not Officially Disclosed mm

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

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

DIMENSIONS

Length	4343 mm	Width	2092 mm
Height	1656 mm	Wheelbase	2657 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	209 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	209 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Boot/Cargo Space	594 l
Kerb Weight	1410 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	1880 kg
Payload Capacity	470 kg	Towing Capacity	1580 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	15.4 km/l
City Mileage	12.4 km/l	Highway Mileage	18.1 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Fuel Tank Litres	50	Combined Driving Range	Not Applicable
Range Real World Highway	Not Applicable km	Range Real World Mixed	Not Applicable km

SAFETY

Side Airbags	Standard	BA	Standard

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

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Sunroof	Not Available	Boot Space Seats Folded	594 l
Electric Tailgate	Not Available	Wireless Charging	Not Available
Push Button Start	Standard	AC Type	Manual / automatic by trim
Keyless Entry	Standard	Power Windows	Standard
Climate Control	Manual / automatic by trim	Load Bed Width	Not Applicable mm
Loadbox Length Mm	Not Applicable mm	Loadbox Width Mm	Not Applicable mm

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→ See 1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2 full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

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07 Renault Duster — 1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid

ZAR 549,999

ENGINE	POWER	TORQUE	ECONOMY	FUEL
1200 cc	96 kW · 129 bhp	230 Nm · 170 lb-ft	17.5 km/l	Petrol Mild Hybrid 6-Speed Manual

Range-Specific Trim · Petrol Mild Hybrid · Manual

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ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	1.2-litre Turbocharged Petrol Mild Hybrid	Engine Code	Not Officially Disclosed
Fuel Type	Petrol Mild Hybrid	Hybrid System	Mild Hybrid
Engine Displacement	1200 cc	Cylinders	4
Cylinder Layout	Inline	Valves	16
Valves per Cylinder	4	Aspiration	Turbocharged
Fuel System	Petrol injection	Compression Ratio	Not Officially Disclosed

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

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

DIMENSIONS

Length	4343 mm	Width	2095 mm
Height	1661 mm	Wheelbase	2658 mm
Ground Clearance (Default)	217 mm	Ground Clearance (With Full Seating Load)	217 mm
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Boot/Cargo Space	594 l
Kerb Weight	1451 kg	Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)	1950 kg
Payload Capacity	499 kg	Towing Capacity	1500 kg

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Real-world Mileage	Not Available km/l	Claimed Mileage	17.5 km/l
City Mileage	14.1 km/l	Highway Mileage	20.3 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l	Emission Standard	Euro VIb
AdBlue Tank Capacity	Not Applicable l	Auto Start Stop	Standard
Fuel Tank Litres	50	Combined Driving Range	Not Available
Electric Consumption	Not Available	Range Real World Highway	Not Available km

SAFETY

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

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Sunroof	Not Available	Boot Space Seats Folded	594 l
Electric Tailgate	Not Available	Wireless Charging	Not Available
Push Button Start	Standard	AC Type	Manual / automatic by trim
Keyless Entry	Standard	Power Windows	Standard
Climate Control	Manual / automatic by trim	Load Bed Width	Not Applicable mm
Loadbox Length Mm	Not Applicable mm	Loadbox Width Mm	Not Applicable mm

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→ See 1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid full specs and lifecycle details in South Africa

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08 Explore More on Hagalu

Jump to each variant's price and specification record

→ 1.3L Turbo Zen EDC 4x2 — ZAR 489,999

→ 1.3L Turbo Intens EDC 4x2 — ZAR 519,999

→ 1.2 Turbo Zen 4WD Mild Hybrid — ZAR 549,999

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