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C-HR

South Africa • 2026 Official Buyer's Guide

1987 cc

ENGINE

134 kW

POWER

160 mm

CLEARANCE

19.2 L/100

FUEL ECON

5 seats

SEATING

ZAR 429,000 – 499,000

Ex-Showroom Starting Price


<https://www.hagalu.com/south-africa/toyota/c-hr/>

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01 Overview & Quick Facts

The C Hr is a practical vehicle offering reliable performance in its segment. Engineered for South African driving conditions with attention to durability and real-world usability. The modern powertrain delivers adequate performance for daily commuting, weekend adventures, and practical family transport. Interior design prioritizes comfort and functionality. Build quality is solid with proven reliability backing every vehicle sold in South Africa. New car pricing is accessible for target buyers. The vehicle attracts owners seeking dependable transport without premium complexity. The C Hr represents a genuine evolution in its segment, balancing practical daily usability with longer-term ownership satisfaction. In South Africa's diverse driving conditions—from metropolitan congestion to regional highways to occasional rough tracks—this vehicle delivers competence across the spectrum. Market positioning places the C Hr as a premium vehicle for buyers prioritizing premium refinement. Reliability underpins ownership satisfaction—this vehicle won't surprise you with premature failures or component issues. Ownership costs align with realistic expectations. Service intervals are reasonable. Parts availability is reliable. Dealer networks exist where you need them. For five-year ownership, total cost of ownership—including fuel, maintenance, insurance, and depreciation—sits...



Body Style	5-door Crossover SUV
Launched	2023
Generation	Second generation on TNGA-C platform – hybrid-only in SA
Fuel Types	Hybrid
Colours	Emotional Red (bi-tone), Ice Edge, Black (bi-tone), Dark Blue (bi-tone), White
OEM Website	https://www.toyota.co.za/vehicles/c-hr

02 Variant Pricing & On-Road Costs

Starting From	ZAR 429,000 – 499,000			2 Variants Available
Variant	Fuel	Transmission	Trim	Ex-Showroom
1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT	Hybrid	Automatic	Base	ZAR 429,000
2.0 HEV GR Sport CVT	Hybrid	Automatic	Top	ZAR 499,000

Estimated On-Road Price — 1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT (Base Variant)

Johannesburg	ZAR 445,148
Cape Town	ZAR 447,735
Durban	ZAR 443,190
Pretoria	ZAR 444,169

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

03 Pros, Cons & Expert Verdict

<p>● STRENGTHS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Reliability is demonstrated through proven engineering and market operation. ✓ Service costs remain reasonable through dealer and independent networks. ✓ Fuel economy sits within realistic ranges for segment class. ✓ Interior space accommodates family use across most configurations. ✓ Resale values develop as market recognizes vehicle positioning. ✓ Safety features include modern systems addressing real-world hazard scenarios. 	<p>● CONSIDERATIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Depreciation follows segment patterns, with steeper loss during initial ownership years. ✗ Interior materials prioritize function over premium perception. ✗ Styling appears understated compared to visually aggressive competitors. ✗ Technology features may lag premium competitors in sophistication. ✗ Off-road capability remains basic for adventure-focused buyers.
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Expert Verdict

"The most stylish hybrid crossover Toyota sells – bold, efficient and tech-rich."

The C Hr is the practical choice for buyers prioritizing premium experience. It delivers genuine capability without requiring premium pricing or exotic maintenance. Resale values develop as market recognition grows. The used market becomes increasingly active as ownership examples accumulate. For buyers seeking dependable, honest transport, the C Hr represents genuine value.

City Driving	Urban driving reveals competent engineering. Visibility is adequate for metropolitan traffic navigation. Parking assistance systems help genuinely in tight spaces. Air conditioning operates properly in South African summer heat. The driving position commands authority without excessive height. Interior layout remains intuitive through extended city driving. Audio systems integrate smartphone connectivity. Climate control maintains comfort in traffic-heavy commutes. Steering is responsive enough for urban maneuvers. Fuel consumption in city traffic remains predictable and manageable. The vehicle functions reliably through daily metropolitan use, delivering comfort during extended urban residence.
Highway	Highway driving confirms engineering integrity. At 120 km/h cruising, engine operation is relaxed and refined. Road noise remains controlled through wind and tire sound management. Fuel economy stabilizes within predictable consumption ranges. The transmission settles into efficient cruising operation. Comfort extends across multi-hour driving periods. Seating provides proper support without requiring frequent adjustment. Climate control maintains consistent cabin temperature. The ride quality balances bump compliance with directional stability. Highway safety systems function predictably without intrusive interventions. Extended highway driving confirms the vehicle's suitability for regional travel between major centers.
Off-Road	Off-road access ranges from basic to moderate depending on configuration. Ground clearance handles typical farm gates and low obstacles. Gravel roads present no challenge for standard variants. Basic farm tracks are traversable for most configurations. Rough terrain requires appropriate driving technique rather than extreme capability. The vehicle functions adequately for recreational off-road scenarios without specialization for rock crawling.

Best For

Style-conscious urban buyers wanting a head-turning hybrid crossover

04 Variant Comparison Matrix

All 2 variants of the Toyota C-HR side-by-side. Use this to spot the smallest differences quickly — fuel, power, gearbox and price all in one view.

SPEC	1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT	2.0 HEV GR Sport CVT
Price (ex-showroom)	ZAR 429,000	ZAR 499,000
Fuel Type	Hybrid	Hybrid
Transmission	Automatic	Automatic
Trim Level	Base	Top
Engine	1798 cc (1.8L)	1987 cc (2.0L)
Max Power	90 kW (121 bhp)	134 kW (180 bhp)
Max Torque	142 Nm (105 lb-ft)	190 Nm (140 lb-ft)
Drivetrain	FWD	FWD
Fuel Economy	20.0 km/l	19.2 km/l
Seating	5	5
Boot Space	377 L	377 L
Ground Clearance	160 mm	160 mm
Kerb Weight	1445 kg	1500 kg

→ [Compare these variants on hagalu.com](#) (live prices, on-road costs, real owner reviews and EMI calculator)

05 Toyota C-HR — 1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT

ZAR 429,000

ENGINE 1798 cc	POWER 90 kW · 121 bhp	TORQUE 142 Nm · 105 lb-ft	ECONOMY 20.0 km/l	FUEL Hybrid Automatic
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Base Trim · Hybrid · Automatic

[View live price & EMI →](#)

ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	1.8L Hybrid Petrol-Electric	Engine Type	Inline 4 Cylinder Hybrid
Displacement	1798 cc	Cylinders	4
Valves per Cylinder	4	Power	90 kW
Torque	142 Nm	Fuel System	Hybrid Synergy Drive
Top Speed	180 km/h	0-100 km/h	10.9 sec
Power @ RPM	5200 rpm	Torque @ RPM	3600 rpm

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

Transmission	e-CVT (Electronic CVT)	Drive Type	FWD
Drivetrain Layout	Front Wheel Drive	LSD Available	Not Available
Transfer Case	Not Applicable	Paddle Shifters	Not Available
Number of Gears	6	Transmission	Automatic CVT
Differential Lock	Electronic Lock	Transmission Type	Automatic
Final Drive Ratio	Available	Steering Turns Lock to Lock	Available

DIMENSIONS

Ground Clearance	160 mm	Wheelbase	2640 mm
Length	4390 mm	Width	1796 mm
Height	1550 mm	Kerb Weight	1445 kg
Gross Vehicle Weight	1870 kg	Seating Capacity	5
Boot Space	377 l	Towing Capacity	Not Available kg
Turning Radius	5.4 m	Boot Space Seats Folded	1500 l

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Claimed Mileage	20.0 km/l	City Mileage	18 km/l
Highway Mileage	22 km/l	Fuel Tank Capacity	43 l
Emission Standard	Euro 6	AdBlue Tank Capacity	Available l
Auto Start Stop	Available	Average Fuel Consumption	Available
Claimed Fuel Consumption	Available l/100km	Distance To Empty	Available
Low Fuel Warning	Available	Fuel Efficiency	Available l/100km

SAFETY

Airbags	7	ABS	Standard
Electronic Stability Control	Standard	Traction Control	Standard

Hill Descent Control	Not Available	Child Safety Lock	Standard
ISOFIX Mounts	Standard	Brake Assist	Standard
Tyre Pressure Monitor	Standard	Engine Immobiliser	Standard
Hill Start Assist	Standard	Alarm System	Standard

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Climate Control	Single-zone Automatic	Power Windows	All Doors
Keyless Entry	Smart Key	Push Button Start	Standard
Wireless Charging	Not Available	Sunroof	Not Available
Electric Tailgate	Not Available	Automatic Headlamps	Standard
Rain Sensing Wipers	Standard	Power Mirrors	Power Adjustment
Payload Capacity	500	Auto Dimming Mirror	Available

+ 11 more spec categories (Infotainment & Connectivity, Interior, Exterior, Driver Assistance, ...) available on the live model page.

→ [See 1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT full specs, live price & on-road costs in South Africa](#)

[Compare with rivals →](#)

06 Toyota C-HR — 2.0 HEV GR Sport CVT

ZAR 499,000

ENGINE 1987 cc	POWER 134 kW · 180 bhp	TORQUE 190 Nm · 140 lb-ft	ECONOMY 19.2 km/l	FUEL Hybrid Automatic
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Top Trim · Hybrid · Automatic

[View live price & EMI →](#)

ENGINE & PERFORMANCE

Engine	2.0L Hybrid Petrol-Electric	Engine Type	Inline 4 Cylinder Hybrid
Displacement	1987 cc	Cylinders	4
Valves per Cylinder	4	Power	134 kW
Torque	190 Nm	Fuel System	Hybrid Synergy Drive
Top Speed	180 km/h	0-100 km/h	8.2 sec
Power @ RPM	5200 rpm	Torque @ RPM	4000 rpm

TRANSMISSION & DRIVETRAIN

Transmission	e-CVT (Electronic CVT)	Drive Type	FWD
Drivetrain Layout	Front Wheel Drive	LSD Available	Not Available
Transfer Case	Not Applicable	Paddle Shifters	Not Available
Number of Gears	6	Transmission	Automatic CVT
Differential Lock	Electronic Lock	Transmission Type	Automatic
Final Drive Ratio	Available	Steering Turns Lock to Lock	Available

DIMENSIONS

Ground Clearance	160 mm	Wheelbase	2640 mm
Length	4390 mm	Width	1796 mm
Height	1550 mm	Kerb Weight	1500 kg
Gross Vehicle Weight	1930 kg	Seating Capacity	5
Boot Space	377 l	Towing Capacity	Not Available kg
Turning Radius	5.4 m	Boot Space Seats Folded	1500 l

MILEAGE & EFFICIENCY

Claimed Mileage	19.2 km/l	City Mileage	17 km/l
Highway Mileage	21 km/l	Fuel Tank Capacity	43 l
Emission Standard	Euro 6	AdBlue Tank Capacity	Available l
Auto Start Stop	Available	Average Fuel Consumption	Available
Claimed Fuel Consumption	Available l/100km	Distance To Empty	Available
Low Fuel Warning	Available	Fuel Efficiency	Available l/100km

SAFETY

Airbags	7	ABS	Standard
Electronic Stability Control	Standard	Traction Control	Standard

Hill Descent Control	Not Available	Child Safety Lock	Standard
ISOFIX Mounts	Standard	Brake Assist	Standard
Tyre Pressure Monitor	Standard	Engine Immobiliser	Standard
Hill Start Assist	Standard	Alarm System	Standard

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

Climate Control	Dual-zone Automatic	Power Windows	All Doors
Keyless Entry	Smart Key	Push Button Start	Standard
Wireless Charging	Standard	Sunroof	Panoramic
Electric Tailgate	Not Available	Automatic Headlamps	Standard
Rain Sensing Wipers	Standard	Power Mirrors	Power Adjustment
Payload Capacity	500	Auto Dimming Mirror	Available

+ 11 more spec categories (Infotainment & Connectivity, Interior, Exterior, Driver Assistance, ...) available on the live model page.

→ [See 2.0 HEV GR Sport CVT full specs, live price & on-road costs in South Africa](#)

[Compare with rivals →](#)

07 Explore More on Hagalu

Jump to live prices for each variant

→ 1.8 HEV Dynamic CVT — ZAR 429,000

→ 2.0 HEV GR Sport CVT — ZAR 499,000

Live Prices & On-Road Costs — Toyota C-HR

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