



Safe, Comfortable And Easy to Drive

How safe can you make a modern, high performance sports car? Expert Honda engineers decided to find out. The S800 is the result.

Quick, safe stops from any speed are possible thanks to the powerful disc brakes on the front wheels. A low silhouette, independent four wheel suspension, rack and pinion steering and radial ply tires give superior roadholding and precision control. A four speed synchromesh gearbox with direct floor change lever makes the S800 easy to operate. Adjustable seats and plenty of room assure relaxed touring.

No shiny metal surfaces reflect light into the driver's eyes. Large rear view mirrors let him know what's happening behind. Safety padding is built into the dashboard and sun visor. Door handles are recessed and the window knobs are stubby and soft.

Powerful 12 volt 50/40 watt headlamps illuminate the roadway far ahead. Huge combination side marker lamps and reflectors can be seen both from sides and rear. Large, easy-to-spot turn signal lamps are fitted, and the tail lamps incorporate back-up lights.

A fingertip lever just below the steering wheel operates the turn signal lamps and headlamp beam switch, and an overtaking button on the end of it flashes the headlamps to warn the driver in front. Turn signal, headlamp high beam and parking brake warning lamps are included in the instrument panel. Trouble in either of the hydraulic brake dual master cylinders turns on the parking brake lamp. A hazard warning switch flashes all four turn signal lamps to caution other drivers when you are stopped on the roadway. The S800 Coupe is an all weather GT model incorporating the same safety features and powered by the same high performance engine.



Incorporating the very latest in safety and labor-saving features.

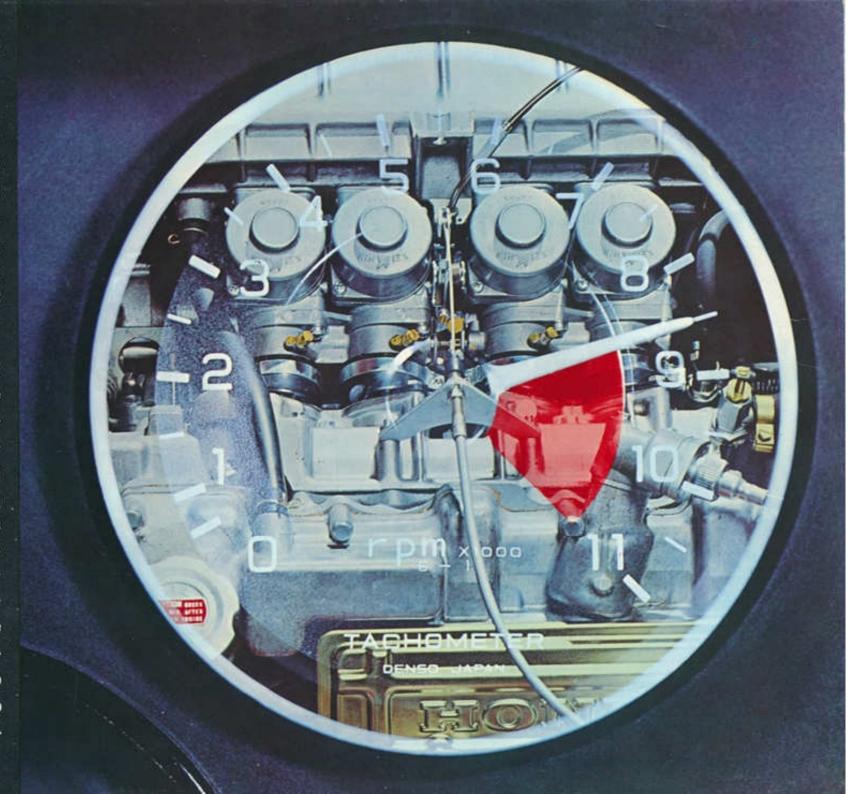




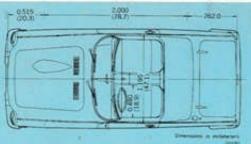
70hp DOHC Engine For 100mph Thrills

The utmost in performance combined with the ultimate in safety features, plus driving stability, riding comfort, unsurpassed durability and modern styling. That's what the Honda S800 offers.

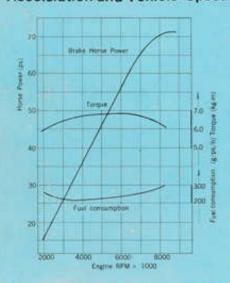
Ever see a racing engine? They look very like the double overhead camshaft, four synchronized carburetor 4-cylinder 4-stroke engine which provides 70 bhp and 100 mph speeds for the \$800. As expected from Honda, the engine is a precision mechanism with needle roller bearings throughout and a double filter forced lubrication system dishing out power up to a fast 8,500 rpm. Superb performance and superior reliability are the result.



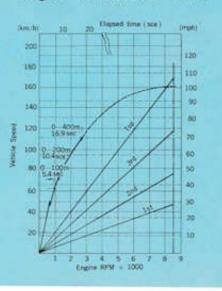
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Acceleration and Vehicle Speed



Engine Performance Curve



Specifications

Engine Type:

DOHC, water-cooled, 4stroke, in-line 4 cylinder

Bore Stroke: 60 × 70 mm (2.36 × 2.76 in) Cylinder Capacity: 791 cc (48.3 cu in)

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Compression Ratio: 1

Maximum Power: 70 hp/8,000 rpm Maximum Speed: 160 km/h (100 mph) Maximum Torque: 6.7 kg-m (48.5 ft-lb)/

6.000 rpm

Climbing Ability: 21.7° (Convertible) 20.8° (Coupe)

Minimum Turning

Circle: 8.80 m (28.8 ft)

Fuel Consumption: Overall average=15 km/&

(42 miles Imp, mpg) Test distance=8,000 km (5,000 miles)

at average 110 km/h (68 mph) cruising speed

Dimensions

Overall Length: 3,335 mm (131 in)
Overall Width: 1,400 mm (55 in)
Overall Height: 1,215 mm (48 in)
Ground Clearance: 160 mm (6.3 in)
Wheelbase: 2,000 mm (78,7 in)
Curb Weight: 740 kg (1,632 lb)
(Convertible)

755 kg (1,665 lb) (Coupe) Rack and pinion

Steering Petrol Tank Capacity:

35 ℓ (7.7 Imp gal)

(Convertible) 30 ℓ (6.6 Imp gal) (Coupe)

Transmission

Type: Synchromesh on 4 speeds

Gear Ratios: forward, 1 reverse Top 1.143, 3rd 1.615, 2nd 2.410, 1st 3.950.

reverse 4.520

Suspension

Front: Independent, wishbones

torsion bar springs, radius rods, stabilizars, telescopic

hydraulic shock absorber Live axle, coil spring, telescopic hydraulic shock

absorber panhard rod, torque rods, radius rods

Brakes

Rear:

Front: Disc Rear: Drum

Parking: Mechanical rear wheel

brake

Electrical Voltage:

Equipment

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AC Dynamo: 12 V-300 W Headlamps: 12 V-50/40 W

Specifications subject to change without notice.

12 volt

Standard Equipment

Door mirror
Glove compartment lock
Passenger door lock
Floor mat
Side sill protector
Back-up lamps
Courtesy lamps
Room lamp (for coupe)
Safety belt anchors
Adjustable seat slide
Parking brake warning light
Two speed windshield wiper
Steering wheel lock
Passenger hand grip

Lockable petrol tank cap Windshield washer Center arm rest (for coupe) Wind deflector (for convertible)

Tools

Optional Equipment

Radiator shutter

Block heater adapter Inspection lamp Room light door switch Cigarette lighter Auto-radio & rod antenna Overtaking flasher lamp Tonneau cover (for convertible) Safety belts Headrest Passenger sun visor Center arm rest Car heater Rear luggage carrier (for convertible) Grill cover Hardtop (for convertible) Bumper guard Fog lamp switch Low tone horn Foot rest Engine undercover Sports kit

