

# Toyota GR Corolla

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## Model Overview

The GR Corolla uses the same G16E-GTS 1.6-litre turbocharged 3-cylinder engine from the GR Yaris but tuned to produce 221 kW / 370 Nm. Combined with the GR-Four AWD system in a 5-door Corolla Hatch body, it delivers exceptional performance with the practicality of a family hatchback. SA gets the Core and Circuit editions.

## Variant Pricing

Variant	Ex-Showroom Price
1.6T Core MT	ZAR 816,500
1.6T Circuit MT	ZAR 876,100

## 1.6T Core MT

Ground Clearance	135 mm
Wheelbase	2640 mm
Length	4360 mm
Width	1850 mm
Height	1455 mm
Kerb Weight	1470 kg
Gross Vehicle Weight	1870 kg
Seating Capacity	4
Boot Space	410 l
Towing Capacity	0 kg
Engine	1.6L Turbocharged Petrol
Engine Type	3-cylinder G16E-GTS
Displacement	1618 cc
Cylinders	4
Compression Ratio	9.8:1
Power	224 kW
Torque	370 Nm
Fuel System	Direct Injection
Turbocharger	Turbocharged
Top Speed	240 km/h
0-100 km/h	5.4 sec
Transmission	6-speed Manual
Drive Type	AWD
Drivetrain Layout	All Wheel Drive
LSD Available	Mechanical LSD
Claimed Mileage	11.5 km/l
City Mileage	9 km/l
Highway Mileage	14 km/l
Fuel Tank Capacity	50 l
Emission Standard	Euro 6
CO2 Emissions	182 g/km
Airbags	6
ABS	Standard
Electronic Stability Control	Performance Tuned
Traction Control	Performance Tuned
Child Safety Lock	Standard
ISOFIX Mounts	Standard
Brake Assist	Performance

Tyre Pressure Monitor	Standard
Engine Immobiliser	Standard
Cruise Control	Adaptive
Adaptive Cruise Control	Standard
Lane Keep Assist	Standard
Lane Departure Warning	Standard
Blind Spot Monitoring	Standard
Rear Cross Traffic Alert	Standard
Parking Sensors	Front and Rear
Rear View Camera	Standard
360 Degree Camera	Not Available
Autonomous Emergency Braking	Standard
Traffic Sign Recognition	Standard
Seat Material	Alcantara and Fabric
Seat Adjustment	Manual Sport
Heated Seats	Front
Ventilated Seats	Not Available
Steering Type	Electric Power Steering
Steering Adjustment	Tilt and Telescopic
Ambient Lighting	Red Performance Lighting
Climate Control	Dual Zone Climate Control
Power Windows	All Doors Auto
Keyless Entry	Smart Key
Push Button Start	Standard
Wireless Charging	Standard
Sunroof	Not Available
Electric Tailgate	Not Available
Infotainment Screen	9-inch Touchscreen
Apple CarPlay	Wireless
Android Auto	Wireless
Bluetooth Connectivity	Standard
Number of Speakers	12 Bose Performance
Navigation System	Built-in
LED Headlamps	LED Projector
Daytime Running Lamps	LED
Fog Lamps	LED
Alloy Wheel Design	18-inch Alloy Wheels
Tyre Size	225/40 R18
Wheel Type	Lightweight Alloy
Front Brake Type	Brembo Ventilated Disc

Rear Brake Type	Disc
Front Suspension	Adaptive Dual Axis Strut
Rear Suspension	Multi-Link
Chassis Type	Reinforced Monocoque
Service Interval	10000 km / 12 months
Approx Service Cost	High
Battery Warranty	24 Months
Warranty Years	3 years
Warranty Kilometers	100000 km
Roadside Assistance	3 Years
Turning Radius	5.7 m
Start Stop System	Standard
Hybrid System Type	Not Applicable
Power @ RPM	6500 rpm
Torque @ RPM	3000 rpm
Differential Lock	Not Available

## 1.6T Circuit MT

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## Pros

- 221 kW turbocharged 3-cylinder engine
- GR-Four AWD delivers outstanding grip
- 5-door practicality of a family hatch
- Toyota reliability with performance credentials
- Adjustable AWD modes (50/50
- 60/40
- 70/30)

## Cons

- Very expensive for a hatchback
- Manual-only transmission
- Stiff suspension in everyday use
- Limited availability in SA

## Expert Verdict

The GR Corolla improves on the GR Yaris formula by adding a fifth door and more power, making it even more usable while losing nothing in excitement.

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