BETTER IDEAS MAKE BETTER CARS 1971 MERCURY

MARQUIS MONTEREY MONTEGO CYCLONE COUGAR COMET



MERCURY MARQUIS BROUGHAM

Mercury Marquis Brougham 4-door sedan

Take the most dramatic styling in the medium price class . . . add the best ride ideas and luxury features from the world's most expensive luxury cars . . . and you have a better medium priced car. With its long, 124-inch wheelbase, concealed headlamps, unique new "Halo" vinyl roof and beautifully appointed interiors, the 1971 Marquis Brougham is the most luxurious of all Mercurys and is outstanding in the medium price field. It has many standard features you might expect to pay extra for. These include a 429 cubic-inch V-8 engine, Select-Shift automatic transmission, power windows, power steering and power front disc brakes. Deluxe sound insulation and steel guard rails in the doors are also standard. Models include a 4-door sedan, 2-door hardtop and 4-door hardtop.



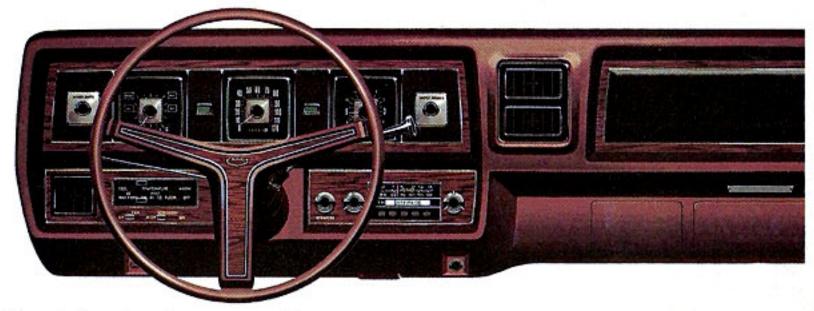
The luxurious, all new interiors of Marquis Brougham beautifully reflect better ideas in interior design. Shown at right is the Brougham interior with optional Twin Comfort Lounge Seats and reclining front passenger seat in cloth-and-vinyl. The Twin Comfort Lounge Seats are individually adjustable and have separate center armrests. The reclining front passenger seat is an additional option which permits the front passenger to tilt his seat further back for resting on long trips. Available in either cloth-and-vinyl or all-vinyl.



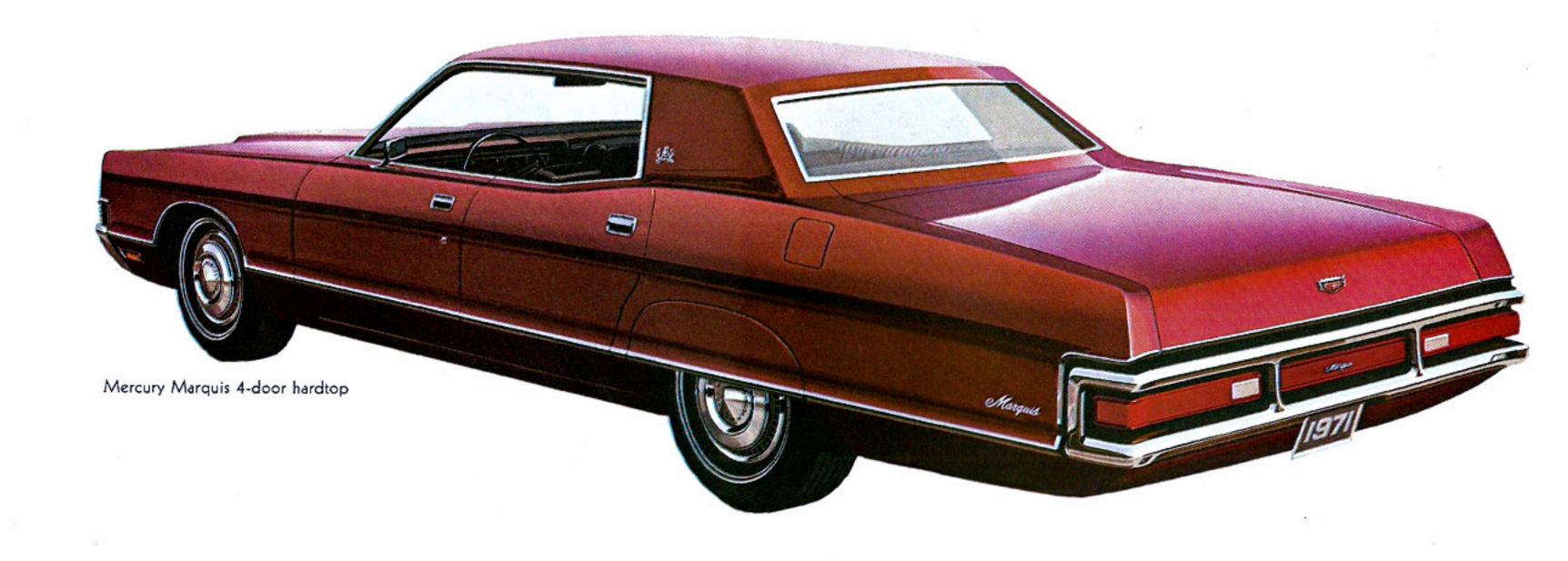




Marquis Brougham interior with optional Twin Comfort Lounge Seats

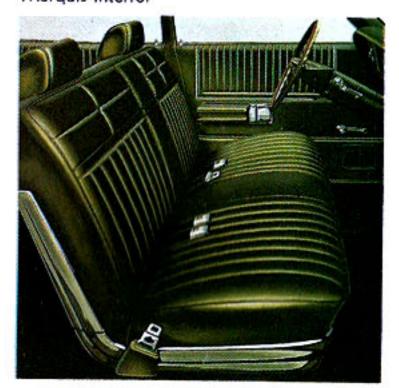


Marquis Brougham instrument panel



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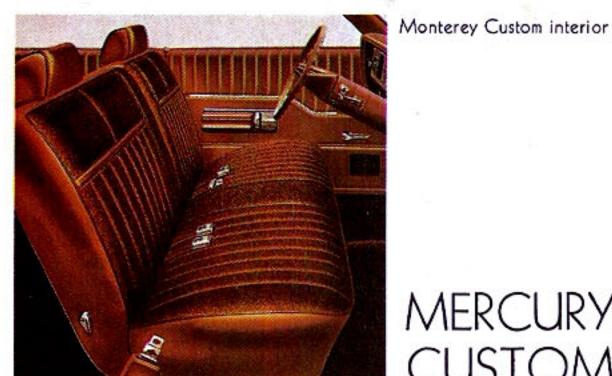
Marquis interior



The Marquis features the same dramatic new styling as the Brougham including the long, massive hood, concealed headlamps, fender skirts, and the new roof lines and rear end treatment. It also has the 429-2V engine, Select-Shift automatic transmission, power front disc brakes, power steering and steel guard rails in the doors-

all standard. Several standard Brougham features such as the "Halo" vinyl roof and a number of interior items may be ordered as options. Marquis models include a 4-door hardtop, 4-door sedan and 2-door hardtop. Two beautifully appointed station wagons with many luxurious features are described on page 14.





MERCURY MONTEREY CUSTOM

Take a great-looking medium priced car and make it even more glamorous . . . add a bigger engine and a number of new features . . . and you're bound to end up with an even better medium priced car. That's Monterey Custom for 1971. It features bold and distinctive new styling, a Power Venti-

lation system, steel guard rails in the doors and a new standard 400-2V engine that puts out 260 horsepower. Interiors have also been completely restyled and are more comfortable and luxurious than ever. A 2-door hardtop, 4-door hardtop and 4-door sedan are offered.

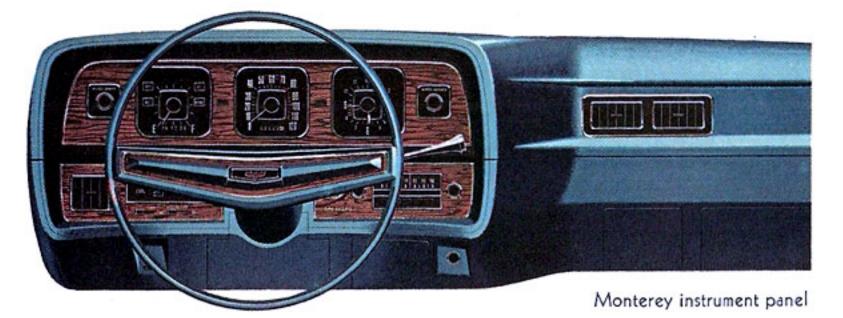
Mercury Monterey Custom 2-door hardtop







Monterey interior



Fashionably tailored and beautifully appointed, the Monterey interior reflects a quality and attention to detail you would expect to find only in an expensive car. A variety of colors are offered, and 100% nylon-loop carpeting is standard in all models. To add to your motoring pleasure, a number of options are available.

Shown at left is the standard Monterey interior in cloth-and-vinyl. All-vinyl interiors may be ordered at extra cost.





MERCURY MONTEGO MX BROUGHAM

Mercury Montego MX Brougham 2-door hardtop

Start with the best ideas in intermediates. Add extra room and luxury. What you'll have is a better luxury intermediate, and the Montego MX Brougham is the best example. Built on a handy-sized 117-inch wheelbase, it is a foot shorter than big cars, but with sleek lines, luxurious highlights and beautifully appointed interiors that give it an air of richness seldom encountered in a car of Montego's size and price range. You can choose whatever performance level you desire as a 250 cubic-inch 6-cylinder engine is standard and three V-8's up to a 351-4V are offered at extra cost. Models include a 2-door hardtop, 4-door hardtop, 4-door sedan and the Villager station wagon.



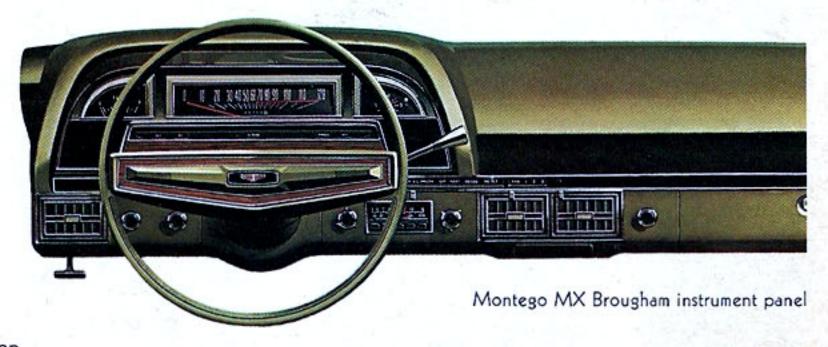
When you look at the interiors of the Montego MX Brougham you will know they were inspired by men with better ideas. The overall impression is one of richness and warmth with every consideration for the convenience and comfort of driver and passengers. The elegant interior on the right is that of the Montego MX Brougham. Shown here in cloth-and-vinyl, it may also be ordered in all-vinyl at no extra cost. It features a distinctive door panel design with woodgrain vinyl applique.







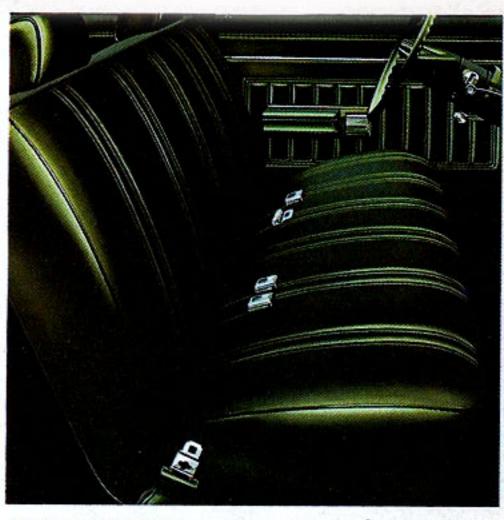
Montego MX Brougham interior



MERCURY MONTEGO MX

One of Mercury's better idea family cars is the intermediate-sized Montego MX. It's built on a 117-inch wheelbase, is moderately priced and has considerable flair with its sleek overall appearance and beautifully styled, well appointed interiors. There's no skimping on chrome ornamentation either. The exceptionally smooth, quiet

ride is the result of Mercury's better ideas in suspension design, and an impressive list of standard equipment shows you Mercury knows what value conscious buyers are looking for. Models include a 4-door sedan, 2-door hardtop and Montego MX station wagon described more fully on page 15.



Montego MX interior

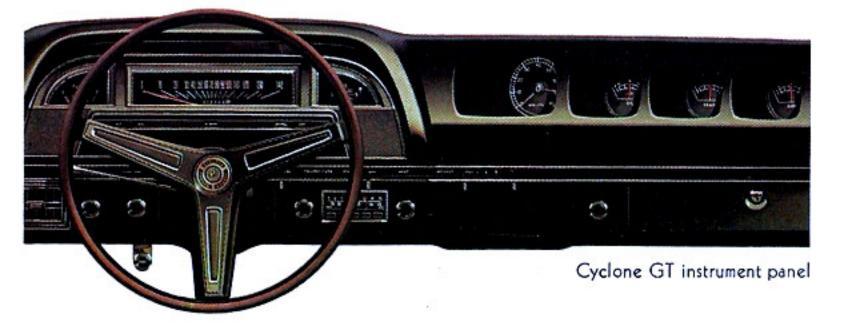








Cyclone GT interior



MONTEGO CYCLONE GT STANDARD EQUIPMENT INCLUDES: 351-2V V-8 engine
Mercury Montego Cyclone

Mercury Montego Cyclone Spoiler

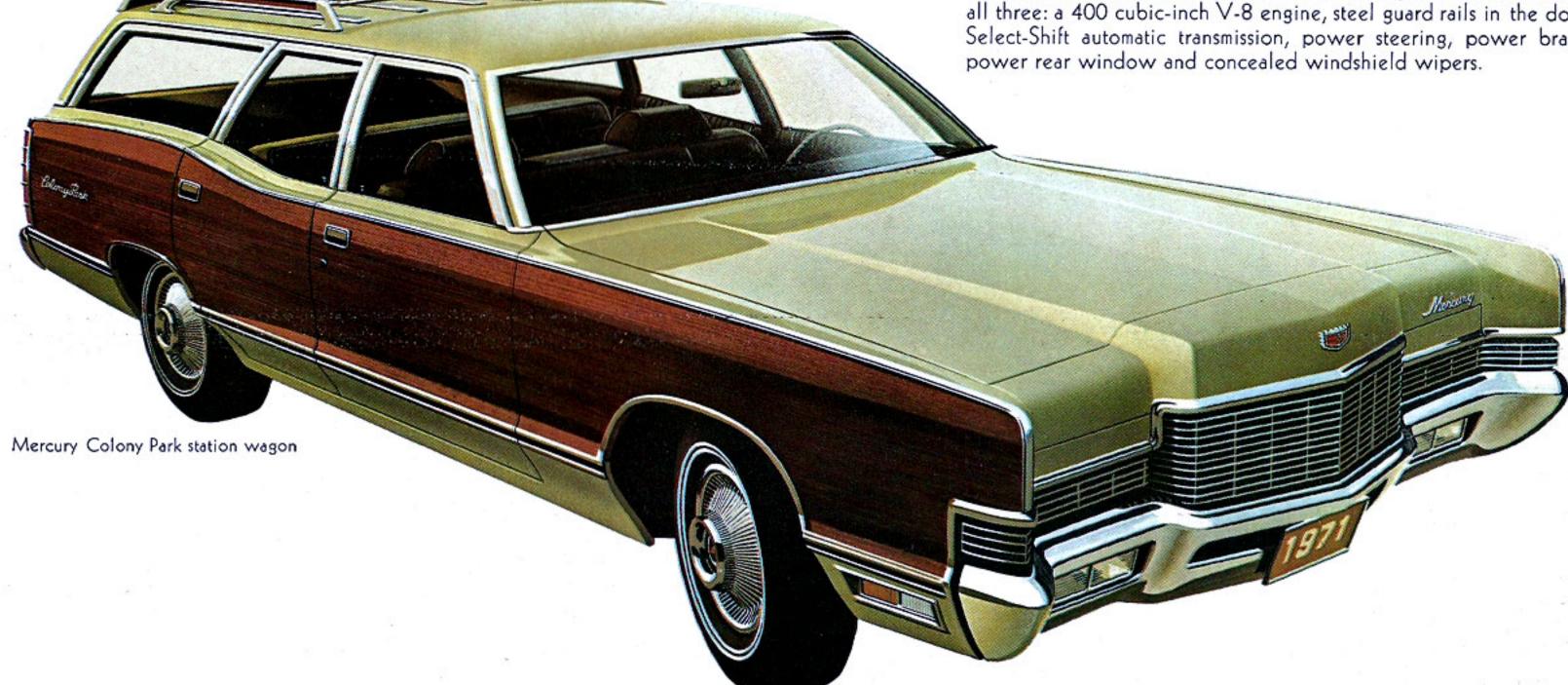


Colony Park interior with optional Twin Comfort Lounge Seats

MERCURY STATION WAGONS



Take the best wagon ideas, like Dual-Action tailgate. Add a fine-car ride and luxury car looks. Put them together and you've got better station wagons. Beautiful example: the Colony Park—rich, yacht deck paneling on sides and tailgate; and luggage carrier and deluxe wheel covers are standard. If you prefer an all-steel body, make Marquis or the versatile Monterey your choice. Among standard features on all three: a 400 cubic-inch V-8 engine, steel guard rails in the doors, Select-Shift automatic transmission, power steering, power brakes, power rear window and concealed windshield wipers.









Dual-Action tailgate: swings wide like a door for passengers, down like a tailgate for cargo!

Montego wagons combine big-car ride and small-car handling with excellent roominess for passengers and gear. Add a Dual-Action tailgate, 3-speed manual transmission, BSW G78x14 belted tires, all-vinyl interior, 100% nylon carpeting, concealed windshield wipers and you've got a beautiful wagon for the price of an ordinary one. Best of all, if you're luxury minded, Montego MX Villager offers yacht deck side and tailgate paneling, a luggage carrier, deluxe wheel covers and a more luxurious interior as standard. Options? Montego wagons can be whatever you want with the addition of such features as Select-Shift automatic transmission, Whisper-Aire conditioner or rear-facing third seat.

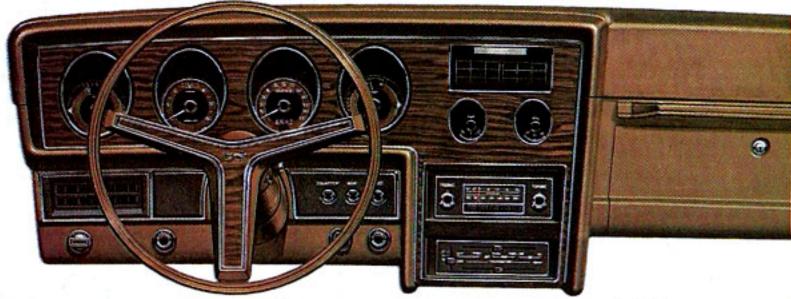


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Cougar XR-7 interior with optional full console



Cougar XR-7 instrument panel

Cougar XR-7 interiors are styled in keeping with the European sports touring personality of the cars. Deep, comfortable hi-back bucket seats are standard and leathers and fabrics have been carefully chosen to add to the look of sporty elegance.

The standard XR-7 hi-back bucket seats with optional console that includes a large storage compartment are featured at left. The front bucket seats are genuine glove-soft leather with vinyl bolsters and trim. Shown here in medium ginger, this dramatic interior may also be ordered from your Mercury dealer in black, dark red, medium blue, medium green and white.



MERCURY COUGAR

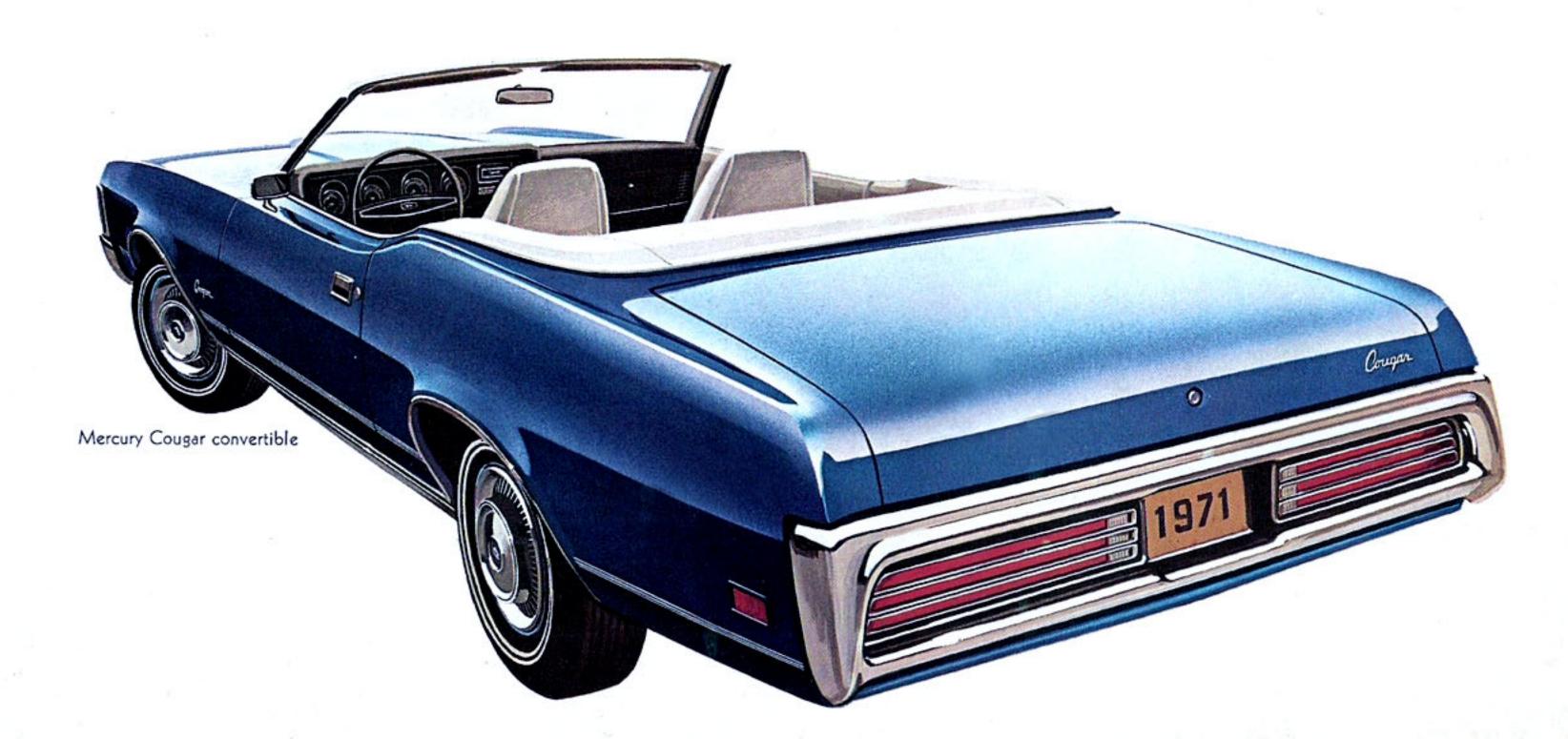
With all the flair of the finest European sports touring machines, Cougar for 1971 is more desirable than ever. It's dramatically new from bumper to bumper—longer, lower, wider with an increased tread for road-gripping stability. A 351-2V V-8 engine that can use 91 octane regular gas is standard. So is a consolette-mounted 3-speed manual transmission. A decor group which is optional on the hardtop is standard on the convertible. It includes rocker panel moldings, deluxe wheel covers, deluxe steering wheel, door pull strap, Comfortweave vinyl seat trim, unique door and quarter trim panels and bright pedal trim.



Std. interior for Cougar hardtop, Cougar GT



Decor group interior in Comfortweave vinyl

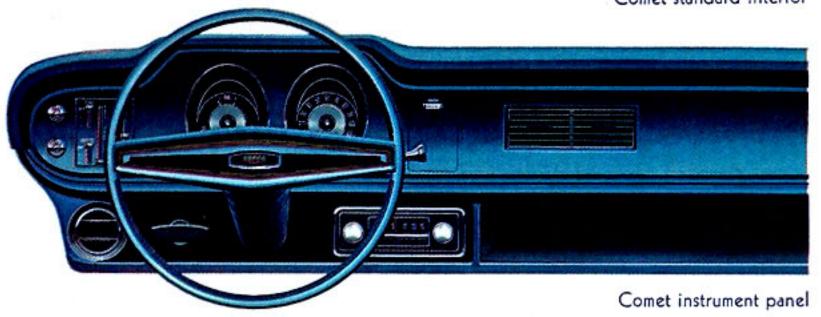








Comet standard interior



The new Comets are full of surprises. The style and quality of the interiors are much more than you would expect in an economy-class car. Beautifully appointed in the Mercury tradition, they include many thoughtful extras as standard equipment such as front and rear armrests, cigar lighter, ashtrays in the rear compartment, color-keyed carpeting, color-keyed vinyl headlining and a large stowage tray in the instrument panel.

Shown at left is the standard Comet bench seat in light gray gold check cloth-and-vinyl. This material has a very rich appearance. It may also be ordered in black or medium blue.





MERCURY COMET GT

Here's proof that an economy car doesn't have to look like an economy car. The Comet GT has all the sporty flair you could ask for, and it's a great way to combine style and sensibility. Standard features include color-keyed hood scoop, dual racing mirrors, wheel trim rings, bright window frames, blackout grille treatment, dual body tape stripes, hi-back bucket seats, deluxe door trim panels and black instrument panel. With these and the wide range of options available, you can make your Comet GT or any other Comet all the car you want it to be.



MERCURY COMET

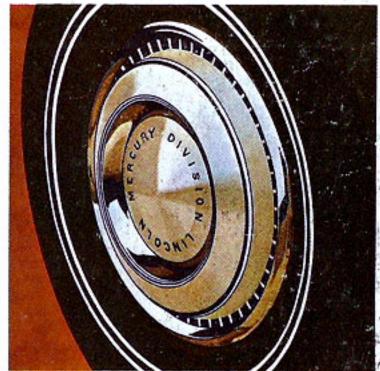
Mercury's better idea for a small car comes in two sizes. The 2-door sedan is built on a 103-inch wheelbase and seats four adults comfortably. The 4-door sedan with a 109.9 inch wheelbase is slightly larger and will seat five without difficulty. There's reasonable luggage space, too. In fact, there are a lot of

things you get with the Mercury Comet you don't get with other small cars. Distinction is one of them. The Comet has its own bold front grille and powerdome hood design. The rear end treatment is unique and features Montego-style taillamps. A handy repair manual is available for do-it-yourselfers.

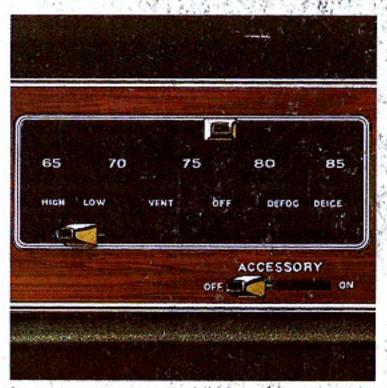


OPTIONS AND ACCESSORIES

A wide range of options and accessories for Mercury models allows you to personalize your car and add to your driving enjoyment. Your Mercury dealer will be happy to assist you in selecting those that best meet your particular motoring requirements.



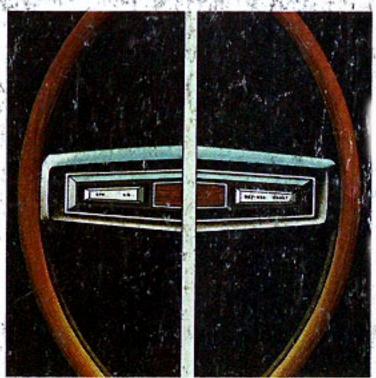
Deluxe wheel covers (Styles available for all car lines)



Automatic temperature control (Marquis, Monterey only)



Tilt steering wheel (Marquis, Monterey, Cougar only)



Speed control (Marguis, Monterey only)

MAJOR SPECIFICATIONS

Model (2-door models)	Wheel- base	Overall Length	Standard Engine	Horse- power @ RPM	Fuel	Standard Transmission	Luggage Capacity
Marquis Brougham Marquis	124.0"	224.7"	429-2V V-8	320 @ 4400	Premium	Select- Shift automatic	20.4 cu. ft.
Monterey Custom Monterey	124.0"	224.7"	400-2V V-8 351-2V V-8	260 @ 4400 240 @ 4600	Regular*	Select- Shift 3-speed manual	20.4 cu. ft.
Montego MX Brougham Montego MX Montego	117*	209.9"	250-1V Six	145 @: 40001	Regular*	3-speed manual	16.2 cu, ft.
Montego Cyclone Montego Cyclone Spoiler	117"	209.9"	351-4V V-8	285 @ 5400	Premium	4-speed manual w. Hurst Shifter®	.16.2 cu. ft.
Montego Cyclone GT	197"	209,9"	351-2V V-8	240 @ 4600	Regular*	Select- Shift automatic	. 16.2 cu. ft.
Cougar Cougar GT Cougar XR-7	112.1″	196.9"	351-2V- V-8	240 @ 4600	Regular*	3-speed manual	•10.4 cu. (t.
Comet Comet GT .	103″	181.7"	170-1V Six	100 @ 4200	Regular*	3-speed manual	10.0 cu/ ft.
Station Wagons	Wheel- base	Overall Length	Standard Engine	Horse- power @ RPM	Fuel	Standard Transmission	Total Cargo Volume
Marquis Colony Park Marquis Monterey	121″	220.5"	400-2V V-8	260 @ 4400	Regular*	Select- Shift automatic	105.3 cu. ft.
Montego MX Villager Montego MX	114"	211.8"	250-1V Six*	145 @ 4000	Regular*	3-speed manual	92.8 cu. ft.

^{*91} octane regular gasoline can be used.

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