

## Press Release

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# Volvo XC90 retains IIHS TOP SAFETY PICK+ award status

**MAHWAH, NJ** (December 19, 2024) – The Volvo XC90 luxury SUV has again earned a TOP SAFETY PICK+ award from the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS).

To qualify for the award in 2024, vehicles need good ratings in the small overlap front and updated side tests, an acceptable or good rating in the pedestrian front crash prevention evaluation and acceptable- or good-rated headlights across all trim levels. In addition, a good or acceptable rating in the updated moderate overlap front test is needed for the “plus”.

Both the mild hybrid (B5, B6) and plug-in hybrid (T8) versions of the XC90 meet the latest IIHS criteria and received the highest rating of good in the updated side test.

“At Volvo Cars, we always put safety at the center of everything we do. The Volvo XC90 continues to prove, year after year, that it is among the safest cars on the road,” said Åsa Haglund, head of Volvo Cars Safety Centre. “While we always design our cars to be safe in the real world and not only to excel in safety ratings, this result underscores the strong safety credentials of our XC90.”

Volvo XC90 comes with safety systems developed through our unique safety knowledge gained from research in real-world accidents for over 50 years – including an advanced safety cage, as well as a comprehensive suite of active safety features to help keep you, your loved ones, and others on the road safe.

Using radar and a front camera, the XC90 can detect if you’ve drifted into the oncoming lane and steer you safely back into your own lane to avoid the risk of a collision. It will also help you avoid inadvertently running off the road. And it can use braking and steering to help avoid collisions with other vehicles, pedestrians, cyclists and large animals, such as the moose from our native Sweden.

The XC90 is equipped with a suite of standard safety features including front crash prevention, Automatic Emergency Braking, patented Side Impact Protection System (SIPS), Whiplash Protection System (WIPS) and Run Off-Road protection, and many more.

In addition to this award-winning safety, the XC90 plug-in hybrid offers up to 32 miles (EPA) of all-electric driving in Pure mode and 58 MPGe fuel economy (combined). Sustainability is fundamental to how we do business at Volvo Cars and we are aiming to reach net zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2040.

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### The small print

- Range according to the realistic EPA driving cycle under controlled conditions for a new car. Real-world range may vary.
- Vehicle specifications and the exact customer offer may vary from one country to another. Please visit [volvocars.com](http://volvocars.com) for further information.

**About Volvo Car USA**

Headquartered in Mahwah, New Jersey, Volvo Car USA LLC (VCUSA) ([www.volvocars.com/us](http://www.volvocars.com/us)) is a subsidiary of Volvo Car Group of Gothenburg, Sweden (Nasdaq Stockholm VOLCAR B), providing sales, marketing, parts, service, technology, and training support to Volvo automobile retailers in the United States since the 1950s. Operations also include a manufacturing campus in Ridgeville, SC that underlines the company's long-term commitment to the U.S. as a key market. In addition, VCUSA maintains offices in California and parts distribution and training centers across the country. More information is available on the Volvo Car USA media website: <http://www.media.volvocars.com/us>

**Volvo Cars in 2023**

For the full year 2023, Volvo Car Group recorded a record-breaking core operating profit of SEK 25.6 billion. Revenue in 2023 amounted to an all-time high of SEK 399.3 billion, while global sales reached a record 708,716 cars.

**About Volvo Car Group**

Volvo Cars was founded in 1927. Today, it is one of the most well-known and respected car brands in the world with sales to customers in more than 100 countries. Volvo Cars is listed on the Nasdaq Stockholm exchange, where it is traded under the ticker "VOLCAR B".

*"For life. To give people the freedom to move in a personal, sustainable and safe way." This purpose is reflected in Volvo Cars' ambition to become a fully electric car maker and in its commitment to an ongoing reduction of its carbon footprint, with the ambition to achieve net-zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2040.*

As of December 2023, Volvo Cars employed approximately 43,400 full-time employees. Volvo Cars' head office, product development, marketing and administration functions are mainly located in Gothenburg, Sweden. Volvo Cars' production plants are located in Gothenburg, Ghent (Belgium), South Carolina (US), Chengdu, Daqing and Taizhou (China). The company also has R&D and design centres in Gothenburg and Shanghai (China).

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Descriptions and facts in this press material relate to Volvo Cars' international car range. Described features might be optional. Vehicle specifications may vary from one country to another and may be altered without prior notification.

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