



**Audi Q3**  
Standard Safety Equipment

2018



Adult Occupant



95%

Child Occupant



86%

Vulnerable Road Users



76%

Safety Assist



85%

## SPECIFICATION

Tested Model	Audi Q3 2.0 TDI, 4x4, LHD
Body Type	- 5 door SUV
Year Of Publication	2018
Kerb Weight	1646kg
VIN From Which Rating Applies	- all Q3s, including Sportback variants
Class	Small Off-Road

## SAFETY EQUIPMENT

	Driver	Passenger	Rear
FRONTAL CRASH PROTECTION			
Frontal airbag	●	●	—
Belt pretensioner	●	●	●
Belt loadlimiter	●	●	●
Knee airbag	✘	✘	—
SIDE CRASH PROTECTION			
Side head airbag	●	●	●
Side chest airbag	●	●	○
Side pelvis airbag	●	●	○

## SAFETY EQUIPMENT (NEXT)

	Driver	Passenger	Rear
<b>CHILD PROTECTION</b>			
Isofix	—	○	●
Integrated CRS	—	✘	✘
Airbag cut-off switch	—	●	—
<b>SAFETY ASSIST</b>			
Seat Belt Reminder	●	●	●

<b>OTHER SYSTEMS</b>	
Active Bonnet (Hood)	✘
AEB Pedestrian	●
AEB City	●
AEB Cyclist	●
AEB Inter-Urban	●
Speed Assistance System	●
Lane Assist System	●

**Note: Other equipment may be available on the vehicle but was not considered in the test year.**

- Fitted to the vehicle as standard    ○ Fitted to the vehicle as part of the safety pack
- Not fitted to the test vehicle but available as option or as part of the safety pack    ✘ Not available    — Not applicable

 ADULT OCCUPANT

Total 36.2 Pts / 95%

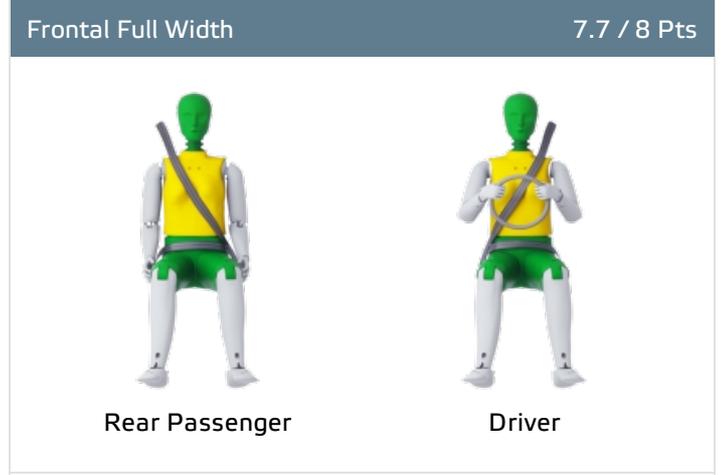
■ GOOD   
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Frontal Offset Deformable Barrier 6.9 / 8 Pts



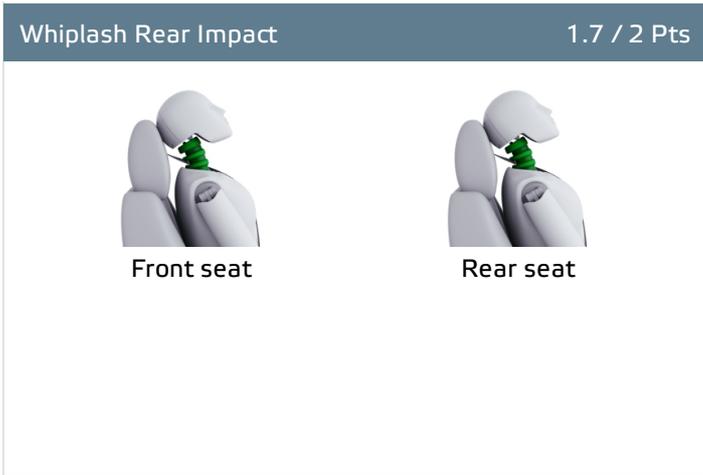
Passenger                      Driver

Frontal Full Width 7.7 / 8 Pts



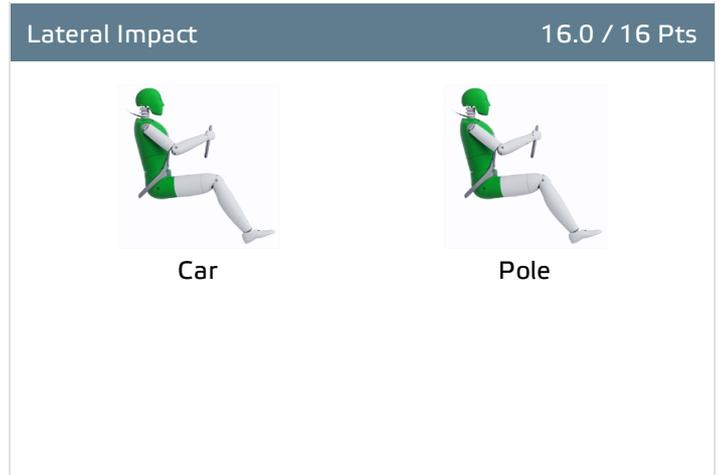
Rear Passenger                      Driver

Whiplash Rear Impact 1.7 / 2 Pts



Front seat                      Rear seat

Lateral Impact 16.0 / 16 Pts



Car                      Pole

 ADULT OCCUPANT

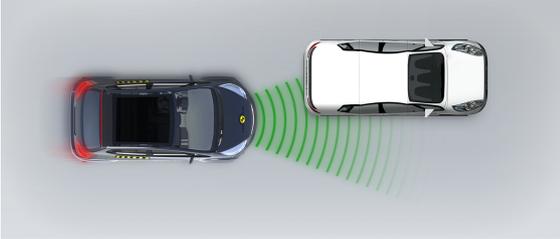
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AEB City

 4.0 / 4 Pts

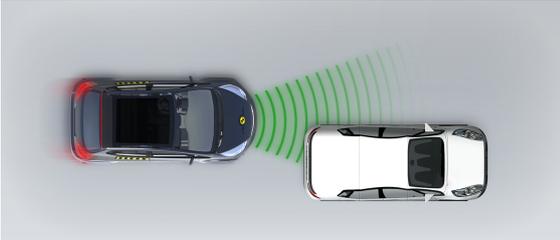
Approaching a stationary car: Left Offset



Approaching a stationary car: No Offset



Approaching a stationary car: Right Offset





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## Comments

The passenger compartment of the Q3 remained stable in the frontal offset test. Dummy readings indicated good protection of the knees and femurs of the driver and passenger. Audi showed that a similar level of protection would be provided to occupants of different sizes and to those sitting in different positions. In the full-width rigid barrier test, protection of the chest was adequate for both the driver and rear passenger, and protection of all other critical body areas was good. In both the side barrier impact and the more severe side pole test, maximum points were scored, with good protection of all critical body areas. Tests on the front seats and head restraints demonstrated good protection against whiplash injuries in the event of a rear-end collision. A geometric assessment of the rear seats also indicated good whiplash protection. The standard-fit autonomous emergency braking system performed well in tests of its functionality at the low speeds, typical of city driving, at which many whiplash injuries are caused.

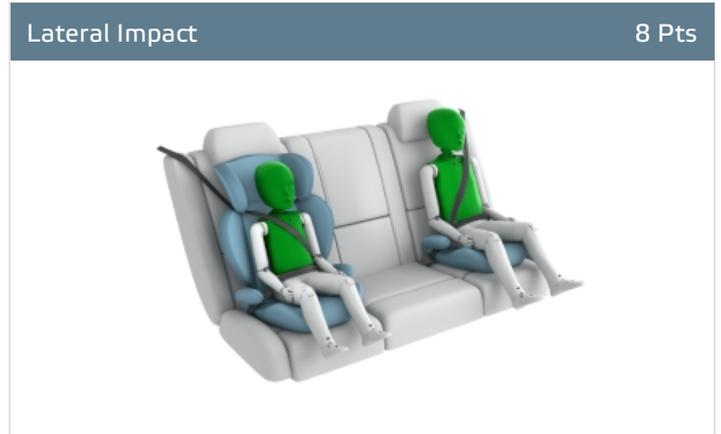
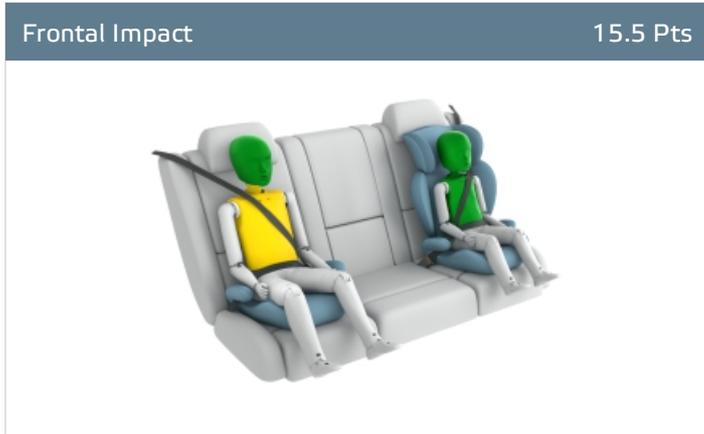
**CHILD OCCUPANT**

Total 42.5 Pts / 86%

■ GOOD   
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Crash Test Performance based on 6 & 10 year old children

23.5 / 24 Pts



Restraint for 6 year old child: *Takata Child Youngster Plus*  
 Restraint for 10 year old child: *Booster Cushion*

**Safety Features**

7.0 / 13 Pts

	Front Passenger	2nd row outboard	2nd row center
Isifix	○	●	✘
i-Size	✘	●	✘
Integrated CRS	✘	✘	✘

● Fitted to test car as standard   
 ○ Not on test car but available as option   
 ✘ Not available

CRS Installation Check

12.0 / 12 Pts

- Install without problem
- Install with care
- Safety critical problem
- ✗ Installation not allowed

■ i-Size CRS

Maxi Cosi 2way Pearl & 2wayFix (rearward) (iSize)



Maxi Cosi 2way Pearl & 2wayFix (forward) (iSize)



BeSafe iZi Kid X2 i-Size (iSize)



■ ISOFIX CRS

Maxi Cosi Cabriofix & FamilyFix (ISOFIX)



BeSafe iZi Kid X4 ISOfix (ISOFIX)



Britax Römer Duo Plus (ISOFIX)



Britax Römer KidFix XP (ISOFIX)



 CHILD OCCUPANT

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■ Universal Belted CRS

Maxi Cosi Cabriofix (Belt)



Maxi Cosi Cabriofix & EasyBase2 (Belt)



Britax Römer King II LS (Belt)



Britax Römer KidFix XP (Belt)



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	Seat Position			
	Front	2nd row		
	PASSENGER	LEFT	CENTER	RIGHT
Maxi Cosi 2way Pearl & 2wayFix (rearward) (iSize)	—	●	—	●
Maxi Cosi 2way Pearl & 2wayFix (forward) (iSize)	—	●	—	●
BeSafe iZi Kid X2 i-Size (iSize)	—	●	—	●
Maxi Cosi Cabriofix & FamilyFix (ISOFIX)	—	●	—	●
BeSafe iZi Kid X4 ISOfix (ISOFIX)	—	●	—	●
Britax Römer Duo Plus (ISOFIX)	—	●	—	●
Britax Römer KidFix XP (ISOFIX)	—	●	—	●
Maxi Cosi Cabriofix (Belt)	●	●	●	●
Maxi Cosi Cabriofix & EasyBase2 (Belt)	●	●	✘	●
Britax Römer King II LS (Belt)	●	●	●	●
Britax Römer KidFix XP (Belt)	●	●	●	●

● Install without problem   
 ● Install with care   
 ● Safety critical problem   
 ✘ Installation not allowed  
 — Not available

## Comments

In the frontal offset and side barrier tests, protection of the 6 and 10 year dummies was good or adequate for all critical body areas. The front passenger airbag can be disabled to allow a rearward-facing child restraint to be used in that seating position. Clear information is provided to the driver regarding the status of the airbag and the system was rewarded. All of the restraint types for which the Q3 is designed could be properly installed and accommodated in the car.

VULNERABLE ROAD USERS

Total 36.7 Pts / 76%

■ GOOD   
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Pedestrian	26.6 / 36 Pts						
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Leg Impact	6.0 Pts						

Vulnerable Road Users	10.1 / 12 Pts
System Name	Audi Pre Sense Front
Type	Auto-Brake with Forward Collision Warning
Operational From	5 km/h

**Comments**

The protection provided by the bonnet to the head of a struck pedestrian was predominantly good or adequate, with some areas of poor protection only on the stiff windscreen pillars. The bumper provided good protection to pedestrians' legs at all test locations. Protection of the pelvis was mixed. The AEB system is able to detect vulnerable road users such as pedestrians and cyclists. In most tests of these functionalities, the system performed well, with collisions avoided or their severity mitigated, even at night-time in the case of pedestrians.

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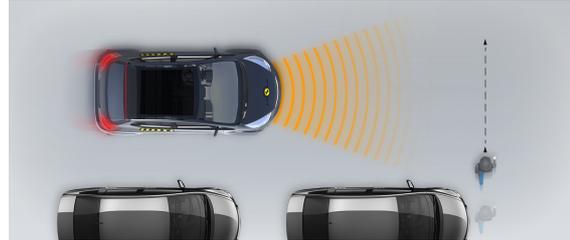
AEB Pedestrian 

■ Day time

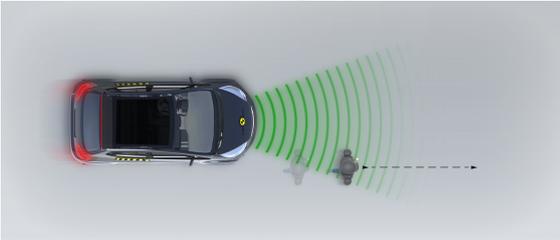
Adult crossing the road



Child running from behind parked vehicles



Adult along the roadside



■ Night time

Adult crossing the road



Adult along the roadside

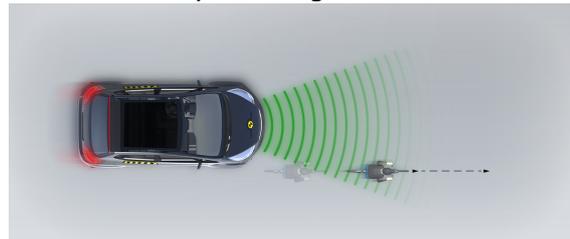


AEB Cyclist 

Cyclist crossing



Cyclist along the roadside



SAFETY ASSIST

Total 11.1 Pts / 85%

GOOD
  ADEQUATE
  MARGINAL
  WEAK
  POOR

Speed Assistance

1.3 / 3 Pts

System Name	Speed Limiter
Speed Limit Information Function	N/A
Speed Limitation Function	Manually set (accurate to 5km/h)

Seatbelt Reminder

3.0 / 3 Pts

Applies To	Not available		
	Driver Seat	Front Passenger(s)	Rear Passenger(s)
Warning			
Visual	●	●	●
Audible	●	●	●
Occupant Detection	—	●	●

● Pass
 ● Fail
 — Not available

Lane Support

4.0 / 4 Pts

System Name	Lane Departure Warning
Type	LKA (including LDW) and ELK
Operational From	65 km/h

PERFORMANCE	
Emergency Lane Keeping	<span style="display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: green; margin-right: 5px;"></span> GOOD
Lane Keep Assist	<span style="display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: green; margin-right: 5px;"></span> GOOD
Human Machine Interface	<span style="display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px; background-color: green; margin-right: 5px;"></span> GOOD

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**AEB Inter-Urban**

**2.9 / 3 Pts**

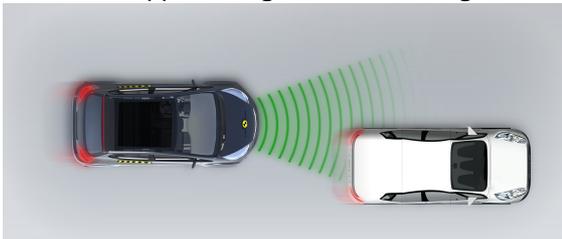
System Name	Audi Pre Sense Front
Type	Autonomous Emergency Braking and Forward Collision Warning
Operational From	5 km/h
Additional Information	Supplementary warning and Restraint activation

**Comments**

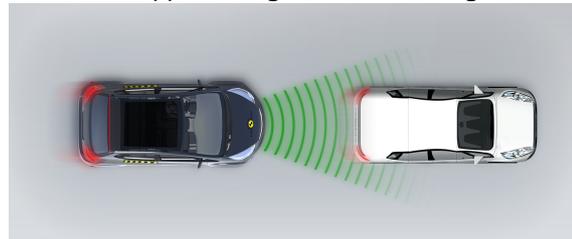
The Q3 has a seatbelt reminder system for the front and rear seats. The AEB system performed well or adequately in various tests of its functionality at highway speeds. A standard-fit lane-keep assist system helps to keep the car from drifting out of lane and can also intervene in more severe emergency situations. A driver-set speed limiter helps the driver maintain control of the vehicle speed.

■ **Autobrake function only**

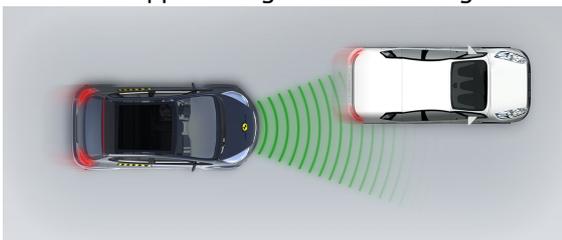
Approaching a slower moving car



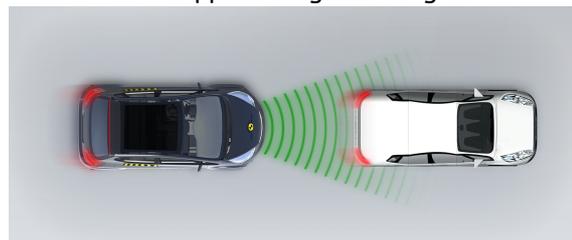
Approaching a slower moving car



Approaching a slower moving car



Approaching a braking car

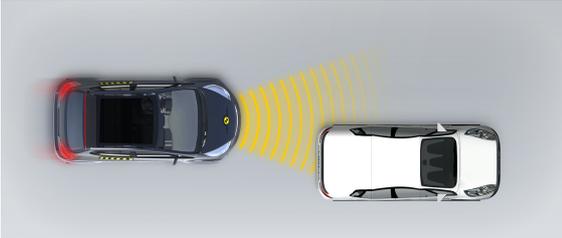


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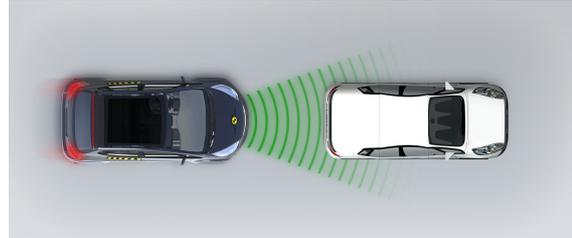
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■ Driver reacts to warning

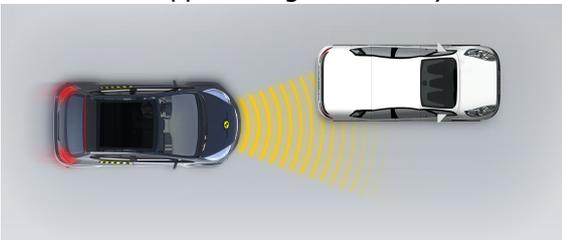
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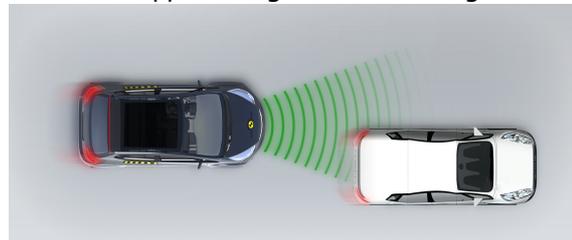
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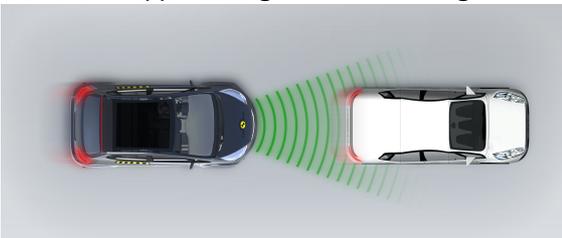
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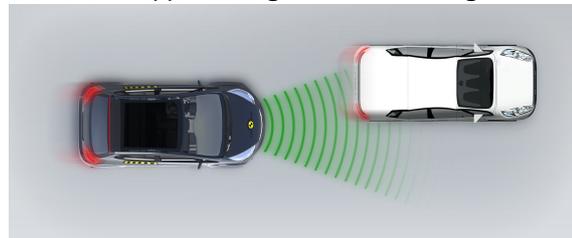
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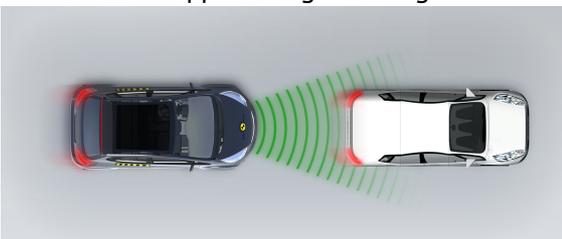
Approaching a slower moving car



Approaching a slower moving car



Approaching a braking car



## RATING VALIDITY

## Variants of Model Range

Body Type	Engine	Model Name/Code	Drivetrain	Rating Applies	
				LHD	RHD
5 door SUV	1.4 petrol	Q3 35 TFSI	4 x 2	✓	✓
5 door SUV	1.5 petrol	Q3 35 TFSI	4 x 2	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 diesel	Q3 35 TDI	4 x 2	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 petrol	Q3 35 TFSI	4 x 2	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 diesel	Q3 35 TDI Quattro*	4 x 4	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 diesel	Q3 40 TDI Quattro	4 x 4	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 petrol	Q3 40 TFSI Quattro	4 x 4	✓	✓
5 door SUV	2.0 petrol	Q3 45 TFSI Quattro	4 x 4	✓	✓

\* Tested variant

## Annual Reviews and Facelifts

Date	Event	Outcome
December 2018	Rating Published	2018 ★★★★★ ✓
December 2019	Annual Review	2018 ★★★★★ ✓
May 2020	Inclusion of Sportback variant	2018 ★★★★★ ✓
December 2020	Annual Review	2018 ★★★★★ ✓
December 2021	Annual Review	2018 ★★★★★ ✓