

Skoda Rapid

Skoda Rapid 1.2TSI 'Ambition', LHD







2012 ☆☆☆☆☆



ADULT OCCUPANT





REAR IMPACT (WHIPLASH) 2,6 pts GOOD ADEQUATE MARGINAL WEAK POOR

Total 34 pts | 94%

FRONTAL IMPACT		
HEAD		
Driver airbag contact	stable	
Passenger airbag contact	stable	
CHEST		
Passenger compartment	stable	
Windscreen Pillar rearward	3mm	
Steering wheel rearward	none	
Steering wheel upward	8mm	
Chest contact with steering wheel	none	
UPPER LEGS, KNEES AND PELVIS		
Stiff structures in dashboard	none	
Concentrated loads on knees	none	
LOWER LEGS AND FEET		
Footwell Collapse	none	
Rearward pedal movement	brake - 27mm	
Upward pedal movement	brake - 11mm	
SIDE IMPACT		
Head protection airbag	Yes	
Chest protection airbag	Yes	

WHIPLASH

Seat description	Standard cloth 6 way manual
Head restraint type	Passive
Geometric assessment	0,7 pts
TESTS	
- High severity	2 pts
- Medium severity	2,5 pts
- Low severity	2,1 pts

CHILD OCCUPANT

18 MONTH OLD CHILD

Total 39 pts | 80%

Restraint Britax-Römer Baby Safe ISOFIX Head forward movement protected Group 0 **Head acceleration** good Chest load Facing rearward good Installation ISOFIX anchorages and support frame SIDE IMPACT PERFORMANCE 11,2 pts **Head containment** protected **INSTRUCTIONS** 4 pts **Head acceleration** good INSTALLATION 2 pts **FRONTAL IMPACT 3 YEAR OLD CHILD** Britax-Römer Duo Plus ISOFIX Restraint Head forward movement protected Head acceleration Group 1 good Facing forward **Chest load** good Installation ISOFIX anchorages and top tether SIDE IMPACT PERFORMANCE 12 pts Head containment protected INSTRUCTIONS 4 pts **Head acceleration** good INSTALLATION 2 pts **VEHICLE BASED** 4 pts Airbag warning Label Non-permanent pictogram on B-pillar

FRONTAL IMPACT

ASSESSMENT



SAFETY ASSIST Total 5 pts | 71%

SPEED LIMITATION ASSISTANCE	0 pts
	Not assessed
ELECTRONIC STABILITY CONTROL (ESC)	3 pts
- ASC	Pass
Yaw rate ratio (1.00s)	-1,70 %
Yaw rate ratio (1.75s)	-1,30 %
Lateral displacement (1.07s)	-3,01 m
	2 nto
SEATBELT REMINDER	2 pts
- driver	Pass
- passenger	Pass
- 0	Not assessed





DETAILS OF TESTED CAR

SPECIFICATIONS

Tested model	Skoda Rapid 1.2TSI 'Ambition', LHD
Body type	5 door hatchback
Year of publication	2012
Kerb weight	1093kg
VIN from which rating applies	from VIN009068

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Front seatbelt pretensionersFront seatbelt load limitersDriver frontal airbagFront passenger frontal airbagSide body airbagsSide head airbagsElectronic Stability ControlSeatbelt Reminderdriver and

driver and front passenger

COMMENTS

Adult occupant

The passenger compartment remained stable in the frontal impact. The Rapid scored maximum points for its protection of the front passenger. Readings for both front seat dummies indicated good protection of the knees and femurs and Skoda showed that a similar level of protection would be available to occupants of different sizes and to those sat in different positions. The Rapid scored maximum points for its protection of the driver in the side barrier test. In the more severe side pole test, protection of most body regions was good and that of the chest was adequate. The seat and head restraint provided marginal protection against whiplash in the event of a rear-end collision.

Child occupant

Based on dummy reading in the dynamic crash tests, the Rapid scored maximum points for its protection of the 3 year infant. Forward movement of that dummy in the frontal impact test was not excessive and, in the side impact, both dummies were properly contained by their restraints, minimising the likelihood of head contact with parts of the car's interior. The passenger airbag can be disabled to allow a rearward-facing restraint to be used in that seating position. However, information provided to the driver regarding the status of the airbag is not clear and the system was not rewarded. There is inadequate warning of the dangers of using a rearward-facing restraint without first disabling the airbag.

Pedestrian

The bumper provided good protection for pedestrians' legs and scored maximum points. In most areas where a child's head might strike the bonnet, good protection was provided but the protection was predominantly poor in those areas likely to be struck by an adult's head.

Safety assist

Electronic stability control is standard equipment. All Rapids have a driver seatbelt reminder as standard and, from vehicle number 009068 (last six digits of VIN) a passenger seatbelt reminder is also standard equipment. Earlier cars may not have this feature. There is no rear seatbelt reminder or speed limitation device.