

CITROËN C4 Citroen C4 1.6 Hdi, LHD







2010 ☆☆☆☆☆



ADULT OCCUPANT

FRONTAL IMPACT 15,2 pts Driver Passenger



Car



2,8 pts

REAR IMPACT (WHIPLASH)



Total 32 pts | 90%

FRONTAL IMPACT			
HEAD			
Driver airbag contact	stable		
Passenger airbag contact	stable		
CHEST			
Passenger compartment	stable		
Windscreen Pillar rearward	21mm		
Steering wheel rearward	none		
Steering wheel upward	none		
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 - 29mm		
Upward pedal movement	brake - 14mm		
SIDE IMPACT			
Head protection airbag	Yes		
Chest protection airbag	Yes		

WHIPLASH

Seat description	4 way, manual, cloth
Head restraint type	static
Geometric assessment	1 pts
TESTS	
- High severity	2,2 pts
- Medium severity	1,4 pts
- Low severity	2,1 pts

CHILD OCCUPANT

Total 42 pts | 85%

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18 MONTH	OLD CHILD	FRONTAL IMPACT	
Restraint	BRITAX RÖMER BABYSAFE+	Head forward movement	protected
Group	0, 0+	Head acceleration	good
Facing	rearward	Chest load	good
Installation	Adult seatbelt		
		SIDE IMPACT	
\bigcirc	PERFORMANCE 11,3 p	ts	
		Head containment	protected
	INSTRUCTIONS 4 p	ts Head acceleration	good
V	INSTALLATION 2 p	ts	
3 YEAR OLI	D CHILD	FRONTAL IMPACT	
Restraint	BRITAX RÖMER DUO+	Head forward movement	protected
Group	1	Head acceleration	good
Facing	forward	Chest load	fair
Installation	ISOFIX anchorages and top tether		
		SIDE IMPACT	
	PERFORMANCE 11,4 p	ts	
		Head containment	protected
	INSTRUCTIONS 4 p	ts Head acceleration	good
	INSTALLATION 2 p	ts	
VEHICLE BA		ts Airbag warning Label	Pictogram and text warning label premanently attached to both sides of the passenger sun visor



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DETAILS OF TESTED CAR

SPECIFICATIONS

Tested model	С
Body type	5
Year of publication	20
Kerb weight	12
VIN from which rating applies	ap

Citroen C4 1.6 Hdi, LHD 5 door hatchback 2010 1205kg applies to all C4s of the specification tested

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Front seatbelt pretensioners Front seatbelt load limiters Driver frontal airbag Front passenger frontal airbag Side body airbags

Side head airbags

COMMENTS

Adult occupant

In the frontal impact, the passenger compartment remained stable. Dummy readings indicated good protection for the knees and femurs of both the driver and passenger and there were no structures in the dashboard likely to pose a risk of injury to occupants of different sizes or those sat in different seating positions. In the barrier side impact the chest protection was adequate. However, in the pole side impact the chest protection was only rated as weak and the abdominal protection was adequate. The assessment for whiplash protection in a rear impact was rated as marginal.

Child occupant

In the frontal impact, forward movement of the head of the 3 year dummy was not excessive. The 18 month dummy was sat in a rearward facing restraint which also provided good protection to the head. In the side impact test, both dummies were properly contained by the protective shells of their restraints. The passenger's airbag can be disabled by means of a switch in the glove box, allowing a rearward facing child restraint to be used in that seating position. Clear information is presented to the driver regarding the status of the airbag and the system was rewarded.

Pedestrian

The bumper area scored maximum points for the protection offered to a pedestrian's lower leg. The front edge of the bonnet, where a pedestrian's upper leg would impact, offered mostly poor protection. The bonnet top where a child or small adult head would impact offered mixed levels of protection. However, the protection offered to adults was extremely poor over the entire area.

Safety assist

Electronic Stability Control (ESC) is fitted as standard to all variants in most European countries. In some countries, ESC is an option on the base specification but standard on others. Sales of ESC as standard equipment are expected to be sufficiently high for the system to be rewarded by Euro NCAP. A driver-set speed limitation device is standard across the model range as is a front and rear seat belt reminder system.