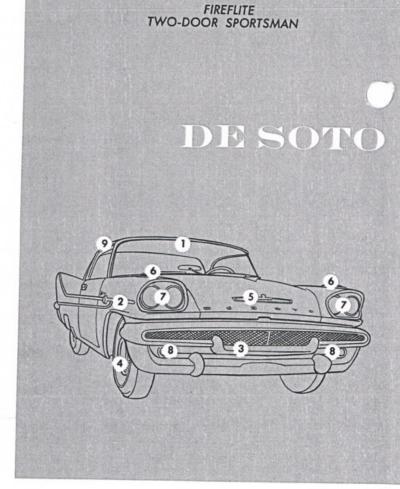
Many new features heighten the beauty and



STYLING HIGHLIGHTS FROM FRONT AND SIDE VIEWS

- 1. New "bubble canopy" windshield on all hardtops and convertibles curves back at top and around at sides.
- 2. New, full-length side molding and Color Sweep emphasize the long, low lines of De Soto. Upswept line of upper molding at rear gives accent of motion and accents rear fender line.
- 3. New grille-bumper styling makes the front end look wider and lower. Expanded metal in grille opening has hundreds of glittering facets. Optional bumper guards moved outboard for increased protection.
- 4. New wheel covers provide dynamic-looking vane effect.
- 5. New, thinner "air scoop" hood ornament adds to look of width and lowness.
- **6.** New, slim, blade-like fender-top ornaments of bright chrome.
- 7. New dual headlight units standard on all models. Headlight doors are a silvery metallic color.
- 8. New parking lights recessed for greater protection.
- **9.** Thin, tapered roof line emphasizes the De Soto's low look.
- 10. Luxurious looking aluminum framed windows on Fireflite and Firedome four-door sedans.



eye appeal of 1958 De Soto Flight-Sweep styling



FIREFLITE INTERIORS

FOUR-DOOR SPORTSMAN

- All-new seat and door panel designs feature luxurious new fabrics and saddle-grain vinyls in distinctive threetoned treatments. Inserts and bolsters are closely matched in color, thus creating a feeling of greater spaciousness, subdued refinement.
- Rich, leather-like vinyl at bottom of door panel resists scuffing and soiling.
- Two-tone steering wheel of the Fireflite harmonizes with interior color scheme. Upper half of wheel is open for easy reading of instruments. Recessed hub is an extra safety feature. Hand grips add sports car flavor.
- New left-of-center rear view mirror location allows unobstructed view of right fender and provides a 38 percent increase in the field of vision to the rear.
- Combination map and courtesy light is operated manually by switch to illuminate front compartment and glove box. In convertibles, this light is operated by either door.
- Roof-rail lights are lighted when either rear door is opened. A separate manual switch controls these lights.
- Built-in armrests and throttle-type door handles are smartly modern, and

add to convenience and comfort.

- Chrome rear-door-lock knob is hidden from outside view.
- Large, easily accessible ash receiver on back of front seat has built-in cigar lighter on all Fireflite models except 2-door Sportsman and convertible.
- Extra-wide, embossed aluminum door-sill plates add a touch of luxury.
- Sun visors fit snugly against roof contour. They are fully adjustable for desired tilt and sidewise movement.
- Window regulators located for easy, convenient operation.
- Luxurious, deep-pile wool carpeting covers front and rear compartment floors of Fireflite models.
- Headlining of leather-like vinyl retains its clean, new look.
- Package shelf covering is hardfinish, embossed hardboard.
- Smart notched design of front and rear seat-backs.
- Seat facing of long-wearing vinyl.
- Roof bows of bright chrome add sports flair to hardtop interior.

De Soto fabrics pretested for color stability and durability

New De Soto interior fabrics have passed the most rigorous of tests before final approval. Resistance to fade has been checked by subjecting fabrics to ultraviolet rays for 50 hours—equal to two years of intense sunlight. In addition, fade-resistance to severe humidity has been assured by exclusive "Weatherometer" tests. Wearing qualities were

tested by severe abrasion, flexure tests, fold tests and tensile-strength tests. To check color stability, samples were soaked in warm water for many hours. Other swatches were scrubbed by mechanical fingers in an attempt to rub out the color. Vinyls selected have a special "dry" finish for resistance to soiling, keep that new look longer.





for 1958

New

DOME styling highlights



- New "bubble canopy" windshield on all hardtops and convertibles — curves back at top and around at sides.
- New side molding and Color Sweep (shorter and no medallion) with upswept terminal point to emphasize the Flight-Sweep look of motion.
- New grille-bumper styling (same as Fireflite) makes the front end look wider and lower.
- New, thinner "air scoop" hood ornament accents the new, wider, lower look from the front.
- New dual headlight units set in silver, standard on all models.
- New parking lights recessed for protection.
- New "binocular" exhaust openings eject exhaust gases to the side.
- New De Soto name plate on rear deck lid.

BBP takes on distinctive

The Firesweep has firmly established itself as a popular favorite among discerning car buyers who want De Soto big-car prestige and quality at a low price. And for 1958, Firesweep takes on even more appeal. It sports a completely new grille, matching that of Fireflite and Firedome. But Firesweep's individuality is established by a graceful chrome leading edge extending across the front of the hood and around aluminum headlight doors. As with all 1958 De Sotos, dual headlights are standard equipment.

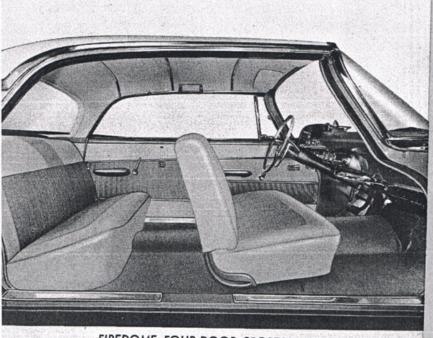
Firesweep hardtop models and the new Firesweep convertible (see page B-12) also feature the distinctive new "bubble canopy" windshield. From the side, Firesweep's slightly shorter chrome molding and chrome eyebrow distinguish it from Fireflite and Firedome models.

From the rear, Firesweep has the same handsome appearance as the senior De Sotos.



FIRESWEEP
FOUR-DOOR SPORTSMAN

New Firedome interiors combine beauty, luxury, durability



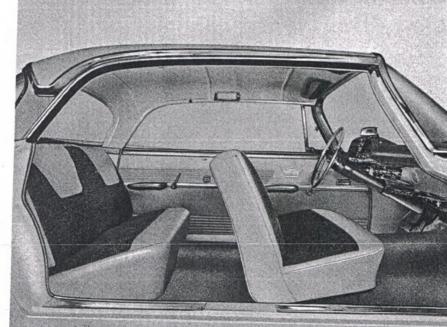
FIREDOME FOUR-DOOR SPORTSMAN

- Completely new interior designs, with new fabrics, patterns and three-toned color effects to create distinctive eye appeal with long-lasting durability. Seat facing and seat-backs are covered with saddle-grained vinyls in harmonizing colors. Vinyl piping sets off the attractive Jacquard fabric, which covers the balance of seats and seat-backs. Door trim combines leather-like, scuff-resistant vinyls and panels of chrome-like Mylar.
- De luxe two-tone plastic steering wheel available as optional equipment with TorqueFlite. Standard wheel is of hard rubber. Both have hand grips and safety-recessed hub.
- Roof-rail lights on each side of rear compartment are operated automatically by rear doors, manually by separate switch.
- Firedome interior hardware is styled in keeping with Flight-Sweep theme designed and located for maximum convenience.
- Luxurious deep-pile wool carpeting covers front and rear compartment floors of Firedome models.

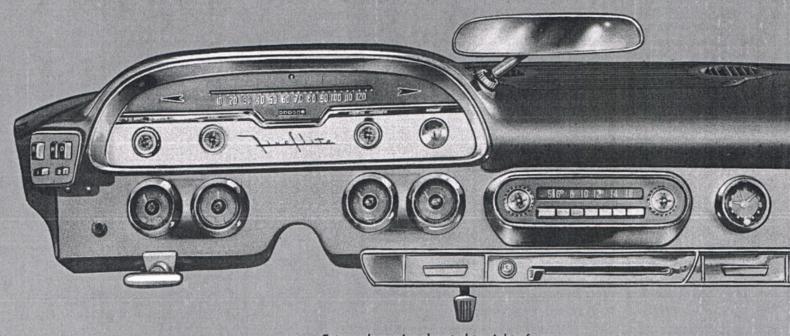
new beauty for 1958

- Firesweep interiors for 1958 have been newly styled to give the 'Sweep a personality of its own, in keeping with De Soto big-car luxury. Fabrics and colors are new, with seat base, seat front, and split bolsters covered in durable, leather-like vinyl. Rich-looking tweed-patterned fabric covers balance of seats and seat-backs. Harmonizing door-panel trim uses two textures of scuff-resistant vinyl.
- Firesweep hardware and other appointments are full-size and luxurious in appearance. Floor covering is neatly fitted, easily cleaned rubber matting (carpet is optional). Wide, embossed aluminum door sills add a gleam of bright metal to top off an over-all impression of tasteful luxury.

FIRESWEEP FOUR-DOOR SPORTSMAN



1958 DESOTO INSTRUMENT designed for maximum PANEL



NEW FEATURES:

Extra ash receiver located to right of center.

Rear view mirror moved left to expose right front fender and offer better view to rear.

New eagle motif on aluminum background panel.

NEW "BUBBLE CANOPY"

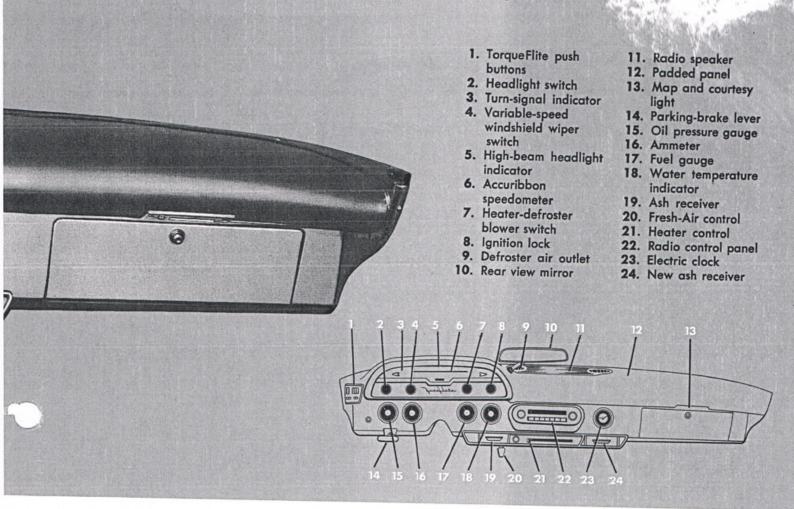
adds distinctive beauty to all 1958 DeSoto

First introduced in 1957 De Soto convertibles, this graceful "bubble canopy" windshield offers many benefits. It is ten percent larger in glass area than 4-door sedan windshields. Its greater wraparound area — curving upward and back to the leading edge of the roof provides "control tower" visibility — especially helpful for overhead traffic lights. The full wraparound at the sides of the windshield provides visibility to the right and left that is superior to competitive windshields.

This newest conception of windshield shape, combined with swept-back corner posts, is beautifully integrated with De Soto's over-all styling theme of aerodynamic motion. Its practical visual benefits clearly show that De Soto is still ahead of the field in styling features that are keyed to function as well as to eye-compelling beauty of form.

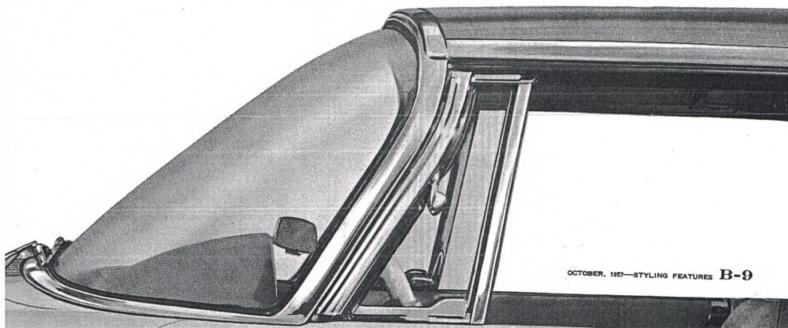
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safety, convenience, and eye appeal



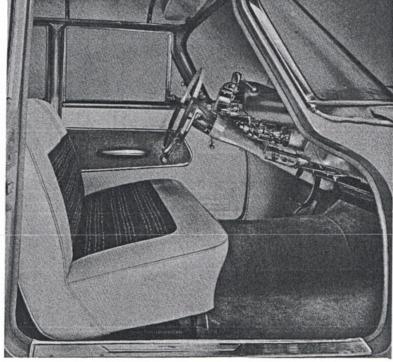
WINDSHIELD

nardtops and convertibles



Size, convenience and comfort are tops





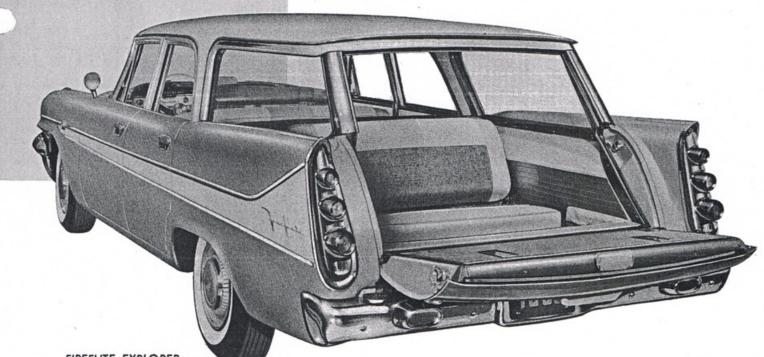
Interior, Fireflite Explorer

1958 De Soto station wagon interiors are newly styled, with handsome, durable, all-vinyl interior trims—also cloth and vinyl combinations are available at no extra cost. All Fireflite wagons have deep-pile carpeting, as does the Firesweep Explorer. The Firesweep Shopper has rubber floor mat with carpeting available as optional equipment. On all Explorer models, four Captive-Air tires are standard equipment (no spare tire required). On Shopper models, not equipped with optional Captive-Air tires, the spare tire is carried beneath rear floor area.

Flight-Sweep styled for work or play

DE SOTO STATION WAGONS

- Distinctive, youthful appearance matches other De Soto models
- Lowest, longest, widest station wagon in its field
- Cargo floor 18" longer than Buick or Olds wagons
- More passenger room than any other wagon in its field
- Looks like a station wagon not a reworked hardtop
- Easy entry to third seat not necessary to move second seat
- Two dome lights for ample interior lighting
- Fuel tank mounted in left fender to provide extra legroom for third-seat passengers
- One-piece tailgate window manually or electrically operated
- All-vinyl interior trims in handsome color combinations
- Captive-Air tires standard on Explorer models

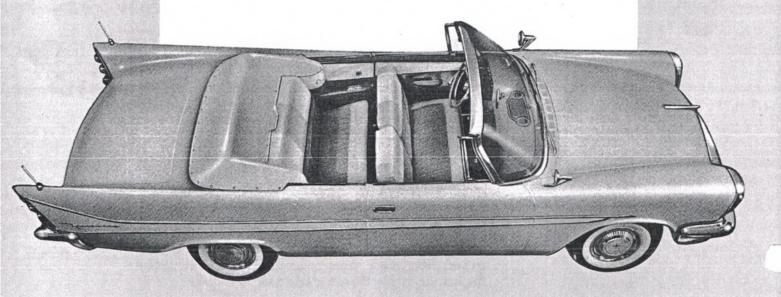


FIREFLITE EXPLORER
4-DOOR, 3-SEAT STATION WAGON

Rearward-facing "observation car" third seat folds into floor to provide extra cargo space when needed. Tailgate when open is supported by rear bumper—no external brackets or other supports necessary. Power lift lowers rear window into tailgate. It can be controlled from dash, from rearward-facing seat inside the car, or by key from outside rear of the car.



This model, has the advantage of the low Firesweep price plus the historic prestige of a De Soto convertible previously offered only in its higher priced models.



Unbelievably
smooth and quiet,
more economical
to operate, with more
power and torque for
extra-safe reserve
performance

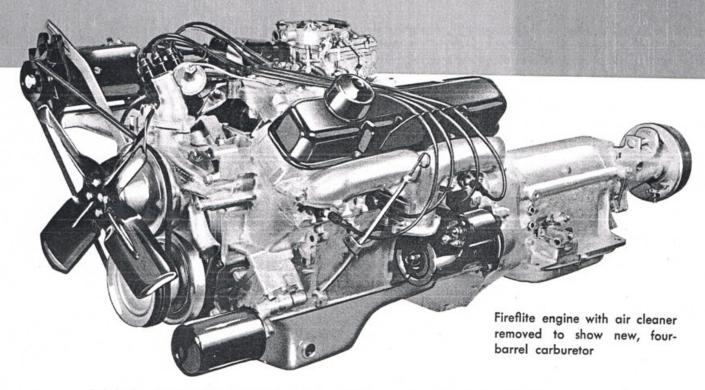
NEW... for quietness, smoothness, greater durability...

- Most rugged crankshaft in De Soto's history
- Bearing areas increased by one-fourth
- Crankshaft overlap area doubled
- Deep-skirt block provides more solid support for crankshaft
- Crankshaft, pistons and rods balanced individually, and when assembled
- Off-center spool-type mounts float engine on more rubber
- Full-flow oil filter is removed and replaced without use of tools
- Externally mounted, high-capacity rotarytype oil pump

PACKED WITH NEW FEATURES...

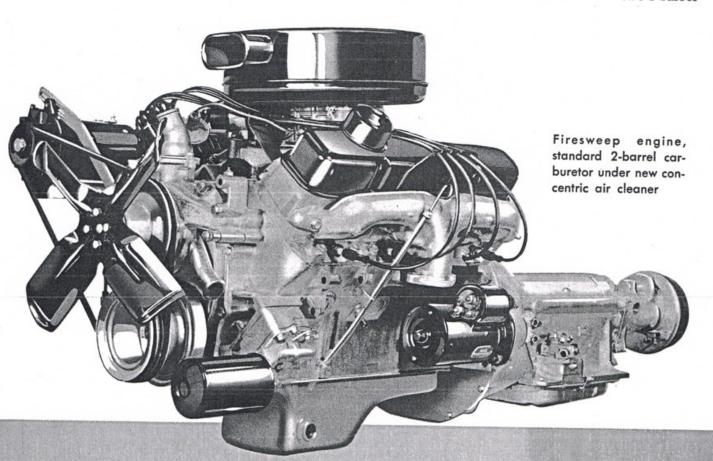
NEW... for better all-around performance

- Increased cubic-inch displacement
- Increased compression ratio
- Lighter weight, stamped rocker arms
- Faster acting, manifold-located automatic choke
- High-velocity, series-flow cooling system
- More easily accessible, forward-located distributor
- Improved two- and four-barrel carburetors with concentric air cleaner
- Increased torque starter motor



BASIC SPECIFICATIONS FOR ALL DESOTO Turboflash SERIES

_	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep	Firesweep Power Package	Adventurer
Horsepower	305 @ 4600 r.p.m. 400 lbft. @ 2800 r.p.m.	295 @ 4600 r.p.m. 390 lbft. @ 2400 r.p.m.	280 @ 4600 r.p.m. 380 lbft. @ 2400 r.p.m.	295 @ 4600 r.p.m. 385 lbft.	400 lbft.
Displacement Bore and stroke Compression ratio	361 cu. in.	361 cu. in. 4.12" x 3.38" 10 to 1	350 cu. in. 4.06" x 3.38" 10 to 1	@ 2800 r.p.m. 350 cu. in. 4.06" x 3.38" 10 to 1	@ 3600 r.p.m. 361 cu. in. 4.12" x 3.38" 10.25 to 1
Carburetor	4-barrel	2-barrel	2-barrel	4-barrel	two 4-barrel







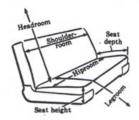
Firedome



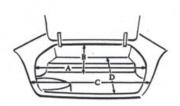
Firesweep

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Cigar lighter, rear	35	37.4	F.A.
Fender ornament	. 4	A 7.8	A.A.
Floor covering	va. j.	Carpet	Rubber
Foam rubber seat cushion			
front	Sta.	Std.	Extra
rear	Std.	Extra	Extra
Interior light door switches	All Doors	All Doors	Front Doors
Light, ash tray	Std.	Extra	Extra
Lights, backup	Std.	Std.	Extra
Light, hand-brake warning	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, luggage compartment	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, map and glove box	Std.	Std.	Extra
Medallion, front fender	Std.	NA	NA
Panel, upper door-extruded			
aluminum	Std.	Std.	NA
Spare-tire cover	Std.	Std.	NA
Steering wheel, plastic	Std.	Extra	Extra
Transmission, TorqueFlite	Std.	Extra	Extra
Wheel covers	Std.	Extra	Extra
Windshield wiper, electric	Variable	Variable	Single
	Speed	Speed	Speed

4-DOOR SEDANS



Seat height—front:10	
—rear12	2.0"
Seat depth—front18	3.6"
—rear17	7.5"
Headroom-front35	5.7"
—rear34	1.5"
Legroom—front45	5.5"
—rear43	3.0"
Hiproom—front	3.0"
—rear	2.7"
Shoulder-room—front60	.5"
	14"



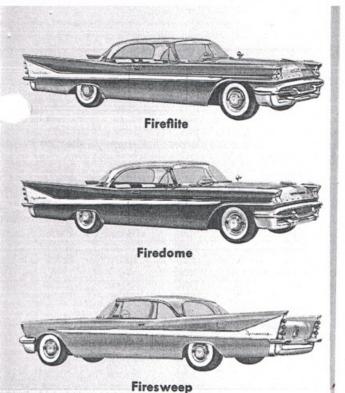
A.	Width of opening
	Height of opening20.7"
	Internal width74.0"
D.	Floor depth

BASIC SPECIFICATIONS

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Wheelbase	126"	126"	122"
Over-all length	218.6"	218.6"	216.5"
Over-all width	78.3"	78.3"	78.3"
Over-all height	57.1"	57.1"	56.8"
Tread-front	60.9"	60.9"	60.9"
—rear	59.8"	59.8"	59.8"
Axle ratio (TorqueFlite)	3.15	3.15	3.15
Tire size	8.50 x 14"	8.50 x 14"	8.00 x 14"
Rim width	6"	6"	5.5"
Shipping weight (est.)	3930	3965	3660
Ground clearance	5.5"	5.5"	5.6"
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	251	251	230

ENGINE DIFFERENCES

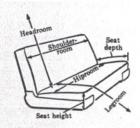
	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Horsepower	305	295	280
Torque (lbft.)	400	390	380
Bore and stroke		4.12" x 3.38"	4.06" x 3.38"
Displacement (cu. in.)		361	350
Compression ratio	10 to 1	10 to 1	10 to 1
Taxable horsepower	54.4	54.4	52.7
Carburetor	4-barrel	2-barrel	2-barrel
Exhaust	Single	Single	Single



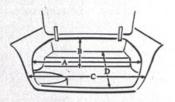
	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Colorsweep two-tone paint	Std.	Extra	Extra
Fender ornament	Std.	Extra	NA
Floor covering	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber
Foam rubber seat cushion		o.m.por	
front	Std.	Std.	Extra
rear	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, ash tray	Std.	Extra	Extra
Lights, backup	Std.	Std.	Extra
Light, hand-brake warning	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, luggage compartment	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, map and glove box	Std.	Std.	Extra
Medallion, front fender	Std.	NA	NA
Moldings, drain trough †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Moldings, roof side †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Molding extensions, rear window			
upper†	Std.	Extra	Extra
Roof quarter plates †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Spare tire cover	Std.	Std.	NA
Steering wheel, plastic	Std.	Extra	Extra
Transmission, TorqueFlite	Std.	Extra	Extra
Vista-Sweep rear window	Std.	NA	NA
Wheel covers	Std.	Extra	Extra
Windshield wiper, electric	Variable	Variable	Single
	Speed	Speed	Speed

†Available only as roof molding package No. 2.

2-DOOR SPORTSMAN



Seat height—front10.8"
—rear10.2"
Seat depth—front
—rear17.7"
Headroom—front34.4"
—rear*34.7"
Legroom—front
—rear38.0"
Hiproom—front
—rear56.0"
Shoulder-room—front
—rear60.5"
*33.7 on Fireflite



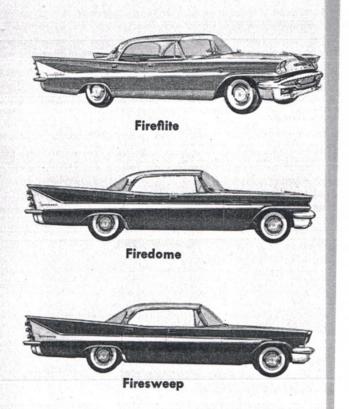
A.	Width of opening										.51.4"
B.	Height of opening										.20.7"
C.	Internal width										.74.0"
D.	Floor depth										.65.5"

BASIC SPECIFICATIONS

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Wheelbase	126" -	126"	122"
Over-all length	218.6"	218.6"	216.5"
Over-all width	78.3"	78.3"	78.3"
Over-all height	55.0"	55.1"	54.8"
Tread—front	60.9"	60.9"	60.9"
—rear	59.8"	59.8"	59.8"
Axle ratio (TorqueFlite)	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1
Tire size	8.50 x 14"	8.50 x 14"	8.00 x 14"
Rim width	6"	6"	5.6"
Shipping weight (est.)	3920	3825	3660
Ground clearance	5.5"	5.5"	5.6"
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	251	251	230

ENGINE DIFFERENCES

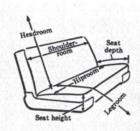
	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Horsepower	305	295	280
Torque (lbft.)	400	390	380
Bore and stroke	4.12" x 3.38"	4.12" x 3.38"	4.06" x 3.38"
Displacement (cu. in.)	361	361	350
Compression ratio	10 to 1	10 to 1	10 to 1
Taxable horsepower	54.4	54.4	52.7
Carburetor	4-barrel	2-barrel	2-barrel
Exhaust	Single	Single	Single



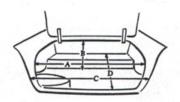
	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Cigar lighter, rear	Std.	NA	NA
Colorsweep two-tone paint	Std.	Extra	Extra
Fender ornament	Std.	Extra	NA
Floor covering	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber
Foam rubber seat cushion		carper	2440001
front	Std.	Std.	Extra
rear	Std.	Extra	Extra
Interior light door switches	All Doors	All Doors	Front Doors
Light, ash tray	Std.	Extra	Extra
Lights, backup	Std.	Std.	Extra
Light, hand-brake warning	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, luggage compartment	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, map and glove box	Std.	Std.	Extra
Medallion, front fender side	Std.	NA	NA
Moldings, drain trough †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Moldings, roof side †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Molding extensions, rear window			
upper†	Std.	Extra	Extra
Roof quarter plates †	Std.	Extra	Extra
Spare-tire cover	Std.	Std.	NA
Steering wheel, plastic	Std.	Extra	Extra
Transmission, TorqueFlite	Std.	Extra	Extra
Wheel covers	Std.	Extra	Extra
Windshield wiper, electric	Variable	Variable	Single
	Speed	Speed	Speed
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†Available only as roof molding package No. 2.

4-DOOR SPORTSMAN



Seat height—front
—rear10.3"
Seat depth—front18.6"
—rear18.4"
Headroom—front34.4"
—rear34.1"
Legroom—front
—rear40.0"
Hiproom—front
—rear62.7"
Shoulder-room—front
-rear60.4"



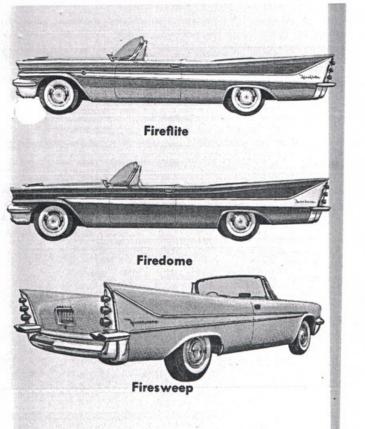
A.	Width of opening51.4"
B.	Height of opening
C.	Internal width74.0"
D.	Floor depth63.1"

ENGINE DIFFERENCES

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Horsepower	305	295	280
Torque (lbft:)	400	390	380
Bore and stroke	4.12" x 3.38"	4.12" x 3.38"	4.06" x 3.38"
Displacement (cu. in.)	361	361	350
Compression ratio	10 to 1	10 to 1	10 to 1
Taxable horsepower	54.4	54.4	52.7
Carburetor	4-barrel	2-barrel	2-barrel
Exhaust	Single	Single	Single

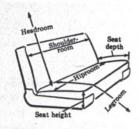
BASIC SPECIFICATIONS

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Wheelbase	126"	126"	122"
Over-all length	218.6"	218.6"	216.5"
Over-all width	78.3"	78.3"	78.3"
Over-all height	55.1"	55.1"	54.9"
Tread—front	60.9"	60.9"	60.9"
—rear	59.8"	59.8"	59.8"
Axle ratio (TorqueFlite)	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1
Tire size	8.50 x 14"	8.50 x 14"	8.00 x 14"
Rim width	6"	6"	5.5"
Shipping weight (est.)	3940	3910	3720
Ground clearance	5.5"	5.5"	5.6"
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	251	251	230

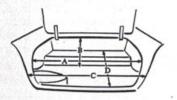


	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Colorsweep two-tone paint	Std.	Extra	Extra
Fender ornament	Std.	Extra	NA
Floor covering	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber
Foam rubber seat cushion	•	•	
front	Std.	Std.	Extra
rear	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, ash tray	Std.	Extra	Extra
Lights, backup	Std.	Std.	Extra
Light, hand-brake warning	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, luggage compartment	Std.	Extra	Extra
Light, map and glove box	Std.	Std.	Extra
Medallion, front fender side	Std.	NA	NA
Steering wheel, plastic	Std.	Extra	Extra
Spare-tire cover	Std.	Std.	NA
Transmission, TorqueFlite	Std.	Extra	Extra
Wheel covers	Std.	Extra	Extra
Windshield wiper, electric	Variable	Variable	Single
	Speed	Speed	Speed

CONVERTIBLE COUPES



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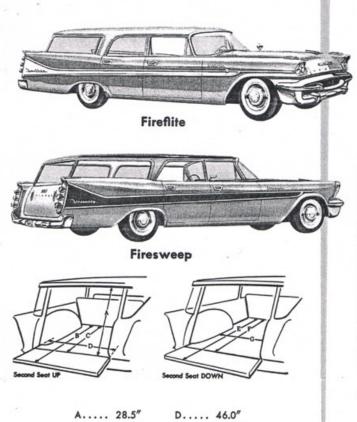
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		Height of opening											
(C.	Internal width											74.0"
r	1	Floor depth											4 5 E#

ENGINE DIFFERENCES

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Horsepower	305	295	280
Torque (lbft.)	400	390	380
Bore and stroke	4.12" x 3.38"	4.12" x 3.38"	4.06" x 3.38"
Displacement (cu. in.)	361	361	350
Compression ratio	10 to 1	10 to 1	10 to 1
Taxable horsepower	54.4	54.4	52.7
Carburetor	4-barrel	2-barrel	2-barrel
Exhaust	Dual	Dual	Dual

BASIC SPECIFICATIONS

	Fireflite	Firedome	Firesweep
Wheelbase	126"	126"	122"
Over-all length	218.6"	218.6"	216.5"
Over-all width	78.3"	78.3"	78.3"
Over-all height	55.5"	55.5"	55.2"
Tread—front	60.9"	60.9"	60.9"
—rear	59.8"	59.8"	59.8"
Axle ratio (TorqueFlite)	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1	3.15 to 1
Tire size	8.50 x 14"	8.50 x 14"	8.00 x 14"
Rim width	6"	6"	5.5"
Shipping weight (est.)	4105	4055	3850
Ground clearance	5.1"	5.1"	5.2"
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	251	251	230



D..... 46.0"

E....119.7"

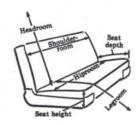
F..... 98.6"

EQUIPMENT DIFFERENCES

	Fireflite Shopper, Explorer	Firesweep Shopper, Explorer
Cigar lighter, rear	Std.	NA
Cornerpost, chrome, rear	Std.	NA
Fender ornament	Std.	NA
Floor covering	Carpet	Rubber (1)
Foam rubber seat cushion, front	Std.	Extra
Interior light door switches	All Doors	Front Doors
Light, ash tray	Std.	Extra
Lights, backup	Std.	Extra
Light, dome, cargo compartment	Std.	Extra (2)
Light, hand-brake warning	Std.	Extra
Light, map and glove box	Std.	Extra
Medallion, front fender side	Std.	NA
Molding, rear quarter window	Std.	NA
Steering wheel, plastic	Std.	Extra
Transmission, TorqueFlite	Std.	Extra
Wheel covers	Std.	Extra
Windshield wiper, electric	Variable	Single
	Speed	Speed
Panel, upper door—extruded aluminum	Std.	NA

- (1) Rubber in Shopper; carpet in Explorer.
- (2) Extra cost in Shopper only, standard in Explorer.

STATION WAGONS



B..... 85.6"

C.... 64.5"

Seat height—front10.8"
—rear13.5"
—third seat15.5"
Seat depth—front
—rear18.0"
—third seat
Headroom—front
-rear35.0"
—third seat34.0"
Legroom—front45.5"
-rear41.0"
—third seat38.0"
Hiproom—front63.0"
—rear62.0"
—third seat
Shoulder-room—front
-rear59.5"
—third seat

IGIN				

Fireflite	Firesweep
305	280
400	380
4.12" x 3.38"	4.06" x 3.38"
361	350
10 to 1	10 to 1
54.4	52.7
4-barrel	2-barrel
Single	Single
	305 400 4.12" x 3.38" 361 10 to 1 54.4 4-barrel

BASIC SPECIFICATIONS

	Fireflite	Firesweep
Wheelbase	126"	122"
Over-all length	220.2"	218.1"
Over-all width	78.2"	78.2"
Over-all height	57.4"	57.1"
Tread—front	60.9"	60.9"
—rear	59.8"	59.8"
Axle ratio (TorqueFlite)	3.31 to 1	3.31 to 1
Tire size	8.50 x 14"	8.00 x 14"
Rim width	6.5"	6"
Shipping weight (est.)	4295	3980
Ground clearance	5.9"	5.8"
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	251	230

ACCESSORY GROUPS

FIRESWEEP GROUPS

BASIC GROUP: (Available only with Groups 1, 2, or 3)

- *Glove Box-Map Light
- *Ash Tray Light
- *Trunk Light
- *Vanity Mirror
- Hand-Brake Light
- Outside Mirror-Left
- Prismatic Mirror
- License-Plate Frame

GROUP 1: Basic Group plus:

- †Heater-Fresh Air
- Windshield Washer
- Special Steering Wheel

GROUP 2: Group I (incl. Basic Group) plus:

- Radio-Push-Button
- Electric Clock
- Windshield Wiper-Variable-Speed

GROUP 3: Group 2 (incl. Group 1 and Basic Group) plus:

- Padded Instrument Panel
- Rear Seat Speaker
- Backup Lights

GLAMOUR GROUP #6: (4-door sedan and station wagons)

- Wheel Covers
- Bumper Guard Package
- Roof Molding Package #1

GLAMOUR GROUP *7: (2-door and 4-door Sportsman)

- Wheel Covers
- Bumper Guard Package
- Roof Molding Package #2

CUSTOM TRIM

- PACKAGE:
 - (NA station wagons, std. conv. coupe)
 - Special Upholstery
 - Carpets in Front and Rear
 - Foam Rubber Cushions (Front and Rear)

FIREDOME GROUPS

BASIC GROUP: (Available only with Groups 1, 2, or 3)

- *Ash Tray Light
- *Trunk Light
- *Vanity Mirror
- Hand-Brake Light
- Outside Mirror-Left
- Prismatic Mirror
- License-Plate Frame

GROUP 1: Basic Group plus:

- †Heater-Fresh Air Windshield Washer
- Electric Clock
- Foam Rubber Cushion-Rear

GROUP 2: Group 1 (incl. Basic Group) plus:

- Radio-Push-Button
- Rear Seat Speaker
- Padded Instrument Panel
- Special Steering Wheel
- Dual Exhausts

GROUP 3: Group 2 less Radio (incl. Group 1 and Basic Group) plus:

- Radio-Electro-Touch Tuner
- Dual Radio Antenna

GLAMOUR GROUP #6: (4-door sedan only)

- Wheel Covers
- Bumper Guard Package
- Fender Ornament
- Roof Molding Package #1

GLAMOUR GROUP *7: (2-door and 4-door Sportsman)

- Wheel Covers
- Bumper Guard Package
- Fender Ornament
- Roof Molding Package #2

FIREFLITE GROUPS

BASIC GROUP: (Available only with Groups 1 or 2)

- *Vanity Mirror
- Outside Mirror-Left
- Prismatic Mirror
- License-Plate Frame

GROUP 1: Basic Group plus:

- †Heater—Fresh Air
- Windshield Washer
- †Electric Clock
- Radio-Push-Button
- Padded Instrument Panel
- **Dual Exhausts**
- Rear Seat Speaker
- Stone Deflectors

GROUP 2: Group 1 less Radio (incl. Basic Group) plus:

- Radio-Electro-Touch Tuner
- Dual Antenna
- Triad Horn

GLAMOUR GROUP #6: (4-door sedan and station wagons)

- Bumper Guard Package Roof Molding Package #1
- *Available only in Accessory Groups.
- †Instantaneous heater may be substituted for Fresh-Air type.
- ‡Steering Wheel Clock may be substituted for instrument-panel clock or both may be included in this group.

EXTERIOR COLORS

FIREFLITE AND FIREDOME MODELS ONLY

SINGLE COLORS

Color	Shade
Seacoast AquaFrench Turquoise	Light
Smoke Gray	Light
*Steel Gray	Dark
*Spanish Gold	Light

TWO-TONE COLOR COMBINATIONS

Upper and Sweep	Lower	Upper and Sweep	Lower
*Spanish Gold Smoke Gray *Steel Gray Seacoast Aqua French Turquoise *Steel Gray Wed Smoke Gray Wed Smoke Gray Wed Smoke Gray M Smoke Gray M Steel Gray M Steel Gray M Steel Gray M Steel Gray Spanish Gold S Smoke Gray S Steel Gray S	Black Black Black Black Black Black gewood Blue Haze Blue idnight Blue idnight Blue Willow Green Spruce Green	Pearl White	Smoke Gray Smoke Gray Smoke Gray Smoke Gray Steel Gray Steel Gray Steel Gray Steel Gray Steel Gray Steel Gray Agacoast Aqua Seacoast Aqua



Standard Two-Tone Combination



Colorsweep Two-Tone Combination

TWO-TONE COLOR COMBINATIONS

FIRESWEEP MODELS ONLY

SINGLE COLORS

Color	Shad	e
Arctic Gray	Ligh	t
Cruiser Gray	Dar	k
Rose Beige	Ligh	t
Suede Brown	Mediur	n
Sand Dune Yellow		-

Sand Dune Yellow Black Arctic Gray Black Cruiser Gray Black Cruiser Gray Wedgewood Blue Arctic Gray Wedgewood Blue Arctic Gray Wedgewood Blue Arctic Gray Midnight Blue Arctic Gray Spruce Green Cruiser Gray Arctic Gray Arctic Gray Arctic Gray Arctic Gray Arctic Gray Sand Dune Yellow Spruce Green Cruiser Gray Arctic Gray Sand Dune Yellow Arctic Gray Pearl White Arctic Gray

Upper and Sweep	
Sweep	Lower
Holly Red	Arctic Gray
Autumn Rust	.Arctic Grav
Pearl White	Cruiser Grav
Holly Red	Cruiser Grav
Autumn Rust	Cruiser Gray
Sand Dune Yellow	Cruiser Gray
Rose Beige	Cruiser Grav
Rose Beige	utumn Rust
Pearl White	Rose Beige
Suede Brown	Rose Beige
Pearl White	Suede Brown
Pearl White Sand	Dune Yellow

ALL MODELS

SINGLE COLORS

Color	Shade
*Black	
*Holly Red	
*Pearl White	
*Wedgewood Blue	Light
*Haze Blue	Medium
*Midnight Blue	Dark
Willow Green	Light
*Spruce Green	Medium
*Autumn Rust	Light

TWO-TONE COLOR COMBINATIONS

Upper and Sweep	Lower	Upper and Sweep	Lower
*Holly Red *Autumn Rust Willow Green *Midnight Blue *Haze Blue *Pearl White	Black Black Black Black Black Wedgewood Blue Wedgewood Blue Wedgewood Blue Haze,Blue	*Midnight Blue *Pearl White Spruce Green Pearl White *Pearl White *Pearl White *Pearl White	. Midnight Blue . Willow Green . Willow Green . Spruce Green . Autumn Rust

Fireflite station wagon standard colors are indicated by asterisk (). Colors other than those specified as standard are available at special paint charge.

NOTE: All of the above paint combinations can be reversed. In other words, the "lower" colors can be had on the upper section and in the colorsweep panel; and the "Upper and

Sweep" colors can be had on the lower section.

Also, standard two-tone combinations are available (upper and lower two-toned without colorsweep) and all of the colors listed above are available as such—either as listed or reversed. ("Upper and Sweep" colors are used for roof area and "Lower" colors for lower area.)

INTERIOR TRIM

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			SEAT	BOLSTER	
	4-door sedan	"Primitive Tweed" pattern Jacquard Fabric	Med. Blue Med. Green Black	Lt. Blue { Plain Vir Lt. Green } Plain Vir Lt. Beige Metallic V	
	2-door and 4-door Sportsman	"Modern Tweed" Metallic-Threaded Fabric	Med. Blue Med. Green Beige-Black	Lt. Blue { Plain Viny Lt. Beige Metallic V	
		for Firedome 4-door sedan, 2-door sedan, 2-door Sportsman and 4-door		Sportsman are available at extra cost on the nyl is used in Firesweep.)	he
RESWEEP		"Frontier Homespun"	Med. Blue Med. Green Sand Neutral Sand Neutral	Lt. Blue & White Lt. Green & White Black & White Med. Red	yl
	Convertible Coupe	Metallic Vinyl	Med. Blue Med. Green Lt. Beige	Lt. Blue & White Lt. Green & White Black & White	yl
		Plain Vinyl	Black-Beige	Med. Red Plain Viny	yl
		Ventilating Vinyl	Black	Lt. Beige Metallic V	Vinyl
	Station Wagons	"Modern Tweed" Metallic- Threaded Fabric	Beige-Black	Lt. Beige Metallic V	/inyl
	4-door sedan	"Spice Box Tweed" Metallic-Threaded Nylon Jacquard Fabric	Med. Blue Med. Green Multi-Color	Lt. Blue Plain Viny Lt. Green Metallic V	5310
TIREDOME	2-door and 4-door	"Frontier Homespun" Striped Fabric	Med. Blue Med. Green Med. Turquoise Sand Neutral Sand Neutral	Lt. Blue & White Lt. Green & White Lt. Turquoise & White Med. Red Dk. Gray & White* Metallic V	
	Sportsman & Convertible	Metallic Vinyl	Med. Blue Med. Green Med. Turquoise Dark Gray Light Gray	Lt. Blue & White Lt. Green & White Lt. Turquoise & White Med. Red Dk. Gray & White* Metallic V	
	4-door sedan	"Metallic Damask" Metallic-Threaded Nylon Jacquard Fabric	Med. Gray-Blue Med. Gray-Green Med. Gray-Black		d"
	2-door and 4-door	"Nugget Tweed" Metallic-Threaded Jacquard Fabric	Med. Blue Med. Green Med. Turquoise Med. Gray Med. Gray	Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Metallic V Plain Viny	
I Padi ni bi ki ni bi	Sportsman & Convertible	Metallic Vinyl	Med. Blue Med. Green Med. Turquoise Med. Gray Med. Gray	Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Lt. Gray Metallic Vi	
		"Star Dust" Ventilating and Cleanable Vinyl	Med. Gray	Lt. Gray & White Metallic Vi	inyl
	Sidilon Wagons	"Westminster Tweed" Fabric	Med. Gray	Lt. Gray & White Metallic Vi	

STANDARD AND

	FIREFLITE	FIREDOME	FIRESWEEP
Air Cleaner, Replaceable Element. Air Conditioning (incl. Fresh Air Heater) Antenna, Dual Manual (Rear) Antenna, Single Power (Rear) Armrests, Front and Rear, Side.	Extra (1) Extra (1)	Std. Extra Extra Extra Std.	Std. Extra Extra (1) Extra (1) Std.
Armrest, Rear Seat Center Ash Receiver(s), Front and Rear Bumper Guards, Special (Front) Bumper Guards, Special (Rear) Cigar Lighter, Front	Extra (2) Std. Extra Extra (1) Std.	NA Std. Extra Extra Std.	NA Std. Extra Extra (1) Std.
Cigar Lighter, Rear	Std. (2) Extra Extra	NA Extra Extra	NA Extra NA
Colorsweep (Two-tone)	Extra (3)	Extra	Extra
Colorsweep Molding Only. Crankcase Air Vent Cleaner. Defroster, Rear Window. Differential, Non-Slip. Directional Signals.	Extra (3) Extra Extra (4) Extra Std.	Extra Extra Extra (4) Extra Std.	Extra Extra Extra (4) Extra Std.
Dual Exhausts Dual Headlamps Fender Top Ornament, Front Floor Covering, Front and Rear—Carpet Floor Covering, Front and Rear—Rubber	Extra (5) Std. Std. Std. NA	Extra (5) Std. Extra Std. NA	Extra (5) Std. NA Extra (6) Std. (7)
Foam Rubber Cushion, Front Foam Rubber Cushion, Rear Hand Brake Safety Signal Heater, Fresh Air Heater Booster, Fresh Air	Std. Std. (1) Std. Extra Extra	Std. Extra Extra Extra Extra	Extra Extra (1) Extra Extra NA
Heater, Instantaneous (NA with Air Conditioner) Horn, Triad License Plate Frame Light, Ash Tray (avail. Accessory Group only) Lights, Backup	Extra Extra Extra Std. Std.	Extra Extra Extra Extra Std.	NA NA Extra Extra Extra
Light(s), Dome or Quarter operated by all doors Light, Second Dome (Station Wagons only) Light, Luggage Compartment	Std. Std.	Std. NA	Std. (8) Std. (9)
(avail. Accessory Group only) Light, Glove Box-Map (avail. Accessory Group only)	Std. (1) Std.	Extra Std.	Extra (1) Extra
Mirror, Outside Rear View, Left or Right. Mirror, Outside Rear View—Left Remote Control. Mirror, Prismatic (Non-Glare). Mirror, Vanity (avail. Accessory Group only)	Extra Extra Extra	Extra Extra Extra	Extra Extra Extra
(with Standard Visor only)	Extra	Extra	Extra

PTIONAL EQUIPMENT

	FIREFLITE	FIREDOME	FIRESWEEP
Power Brakes (with Automatic Trans. only). Power Package, Engine. Power Seat Adjuster (6-way). Power Steering (with Automatic Trans. only). Power Tailgate Window Lift (Station Wagons only).	NA Extra Extra	Extra NA Extra Extra NA	Extra Extra Extra Extra Std. (9)
Power Window Lifts (4 Windows) Oil Filter, Replaceable Element, Full-Flow Radio, Push-button Radio, Electro-touch Radio Speaker, Rear Seat	Std.	Extra Std. Extra Extra Extra (4)	Extra Std. Extra NA Extra (4)
Roof Molding Package No. 1 (see page G-12). Roof Molding Package No. 2 (see page G-12). Safety Cushion Dash Panel. Solex Glass. Solex Glass Windshield only (Shaded Type).	Extra (10)	Extra (10)	Extra (10)
	Std. (11)	Extra (11)	Extra (11)
	Extra	Extra	Extra
	Extra	Extra	Extra
	Extra (15)	Extra (15)	Extra (15)
Solex Glass with Shaded Windshield. Solex Glass with Tinted Rear Window and Shaded W/S Steering Wheel, Special Plastic Stone Deflectors, Rear Fender. Sun Visors, Tinted Plastic (NA Conv. Coupes)	Extra (15)	Extra (15)	Extra (15)
	Extra (12)	NA	NA
	Std.	Extra	Extra
	Extra	Extra	Extra
	Extra	Extra	Extra
Tires, Captive-Air (four or five) Tires, Rayon Cord White Sidewall 8.00 x 14" (five) Tires, Rayon Cord White Sidewall 8.50 x 14" (five) Tires, Nylon Cord White Sidewall 8.00 x 14" (five) Tires, Nylon Cord White Sidewall 8.50 x 14" (five)	Extra (13)	Extra	Extra (13)
	NA	NA	Extra (14)
	Extra (14)	Extra	NA
	NA	NA	Extra (14)
	Extra (14)	Extra	NA
Trim, Custom Interior (NA Station Wagons) Transmission, PowerFlite Transmission, TorqueFlite Undercoating Wheel Covers, Stainless Steel	NA NA Std. Extra Std.	NA NA Extra Extra Extra	Extra (5) Extra Extra Extra Extra Extra
Window, Vista-Vision Rear. Windshield Washer. Windshield Wipers, Single-speed Electric. Windshield Wipers, Variable-speed Electric.	Std. (12)	NA	NA
	Extra	Extra	Extra
	NA	NA	Std.
	Std.	Std.	Extra

(1) NA station wagons

(2) Avail. only on 4-door sedan and 4-door Sportsman

(3) Standard on Fireflite 2-door Sportsman, 4-door Sportsman and convertible

- (4) NA station wagons or convertible coupes
- (5) Standard only on convertible coupes
 (6) Standard on Explorer station wagon
 (7) NA on Explorer station wagon
- (8) Front doors only
- (9) Standard only on Explorer; extra cost on Shopper
- (10) Available only on 4-door sedan and station wagons

- (11) Available only on 2-door and 4-door Sportsman models
- (12) Available on 2-door Sportsman only
- (13) Four Captive-Air Tires standard on all Explorer Station Wagons, no fifth tire
- (14) NA on Explorer station wagon as Captive-Air Tires are standard
- (15) NA 4-door sedan or station wagons
- Std.-Standard equipment at no extra cost. Extra-extra-cost factory-installed optional equipment.

NA-Not available as factory-installed equipment.

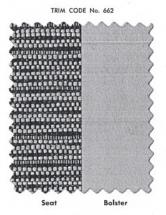
FireSweep

2 & 4-DOOR SPORTSMAN CUSTOM TRIM (CONVERTIBLE STANDARD TRIM



SOLID: AAA-BBB-CCC-DDD-KKK-LLL-XXX
*TWO TONE: XAX-KAK-LAL-DBD-CBC-XBX-LBL-KBK-XCX-DCD-KCK-XDX-KDK-LKL-XKX-XLX

*All Two Tone colors are reversible



SOLID: AAA-EEE-FFF-KKK-LLL-UUU-XXX

*TWO TONE: XAX-UAU-EAE-KAK-LAL-FEF-XEX-XFX-UFU-KFK-LKL-XKX-XLX-ULU-XUX-



SOLID: AAA-KKK-LLL-MMM-NNN-OOO-PPP-UUU-XXX

*TWO TONE: XAX-PAP-OAO-UAU-KAK-LAL-LKL-XKX-PKP-OKO-XLX-PLP-OLO-ULU-XPX XOX-XUX-MAM-UKU-MLM-MOM-XMX-NMN-XNX



SOLID: AAA-KKK-LLL-PPP-XXX

*TWO TONE: XAX-PAP-KAK-LAL-LKL-XKX-PKP-XLX-PLP-XPX