

Starting the engine

SWITCHING ON THE IGNITION

To turn on the ignition, with the smart key in the vehicle:-

- Do not depress the brake/clutch pedal,
- Press the **START/STOP** button and hold until the warning lamps illuminate, then release the button.



If the brake/clutch pedal is applied when the **START/STOP** button is pressed, the engine will start.

ENGINE STARTING



Never start the engine, or leave it running, when the vehicle is in an enclosed space. Exhaust gasses are poisonous and can cause unconsciousness and death if inhaled.



If the engine fails to start, do not continue cranking as this will discharge the battery. It may also damage the catalytic converter due to unburnt fuel passing through the exhaust.

Note: For diesel engined vehicles the delay period before cranking begins will be longer in low ambient temperatures due to extended glow plug operation. During this extended delay the clutch pedal (manual transmissions) or brake pedal (automatic transmissions) must remain depressed.



The diesel engine glow plug warning lamp will remain illuminated while the glow plugs are operating.

ENGINE STARTING: AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

1. A valid Smart Key must be inside the vehicle.
2. Make sure the gear selector is in **P** or **N**.

3. Firmly depress the brake pedal.
4. Press and release the **START/STOP** button. The engine will crank automatically until it starts. For diesel engined vehicles there may be a delay while the glow plugs warm up, then the engine will crank automatically until it starts.

ENGINE STARTING: MANUAL TRANSMISSION

Note: Do not press the accelerator pedal when starting the engine.

1. A valid Smart Key must be inside the vehicle.
2. Fully depress the clutch pedal.
3. Press and release the **START/STOP** button. For diesel engined vehicles there may be a delay while the glow plugs warm up, then the engine will crank automatically until it starts.

IF THE ENGINE FAILS TO START

Note: If the engine fails to crank when the **START/STOP** button is pressed and there has been a recent collision, seek qualified assistance.

If the engine fails to crank, or fails to start, consult your Dealer/Authorised Repairer.

Diesel engines:

If the engine persistently fails to start, make sure the transmission is in **P** or **N** (neutral for manual transmission vehicles) then press the **START/STOP** button (with the brake pedal applied). Keep the **START/STOP** button and the brake pedal pressed until the engine starts, then release.

If the engine still fails to crank, or fails to start consult your Dealer/Authorised Repairer.