

STARTING THE ENGINE

 **Never start the engine or leave it running, when the vehicle is in an enclosed space. Exhaust gases 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: *The Smart key may not be detected if it is placed within a metal container or if it is shielded by a device with a back-lit LCD screen such as a smart phone, laptop (including laptop bag), games console etc. Keep the Smart key clear of such devices when attempting Keyless entry or Keyless starting.*

To start the engine:

1. Make sure that a valid Smart key is inside the vehicle.
2. Make sure that Park (P) or Neutral (N) is selected.
3. Firmly press the brake pedal.
4. Press and release the engine **START/STOP** button.

Note: *For diesel engined vehicles, the delay period before cranking begins is longer in low ambient temperatures, due to extended glow plug operation. During this extended delay, the brake pedal must remain pressed.*

Once the engine has started, the brake pedal can be released, if it is safe to do so.

Note: *For vehicles with Active exhaust, see 108, ACTIVE EXHAUST*

SWITCHING OFF THE ENGINE

While the vehicle is stationary:

1. Make sure that Park (P) is selected and the Electric parking brake is applied.
2. Press and release the engine **START/STOP** button.

While the vehicle is moving:

 It is not advisable to switch the engine off while the vehicle is moving. However, if a situation arises where engine switch off is urgent, then either of the following procedures applies:

- Press and hold the engine **START/STOP** button for 2 seconds.
- Alternatively, press and release the engine **START/STOP** button twice within 3 seconds.

With either method, **Engine Stop Button Pressed** displays in the Message centre.

SWITCHING ON THE IGNITION

To switch the ignition on without starting the engine:

1. Make sure that the brake pedal is not pressed and that a valid Smart key is inside the vehicle.
2. Press and hold the engine **START/STOP** button until the warning lamps illuminate.
3. Release the engine **START/STOP** button.

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

ROLLING RE-START

A rolling re-start can be initiated by selecting Neutral (N) and pressing the engine **START/STOP** button.