

STARTING THE ENGINE

WARNING

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

NOTICE

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 when inside a laptop bag), game console, etc. Keep the Smart key clear of such devices when attempting Passive 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. Automatic transmission: Press the brake pedal firmly.
Manual transmission: Press the clutch pedal firmly.
4. Press and release the engine **START/STOP** button.

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

SWITCHING OFF THE ENGINE

While the vehicle is stationary:

1. Make sure Park (P) is selected for vehicles with an automatic transmission or neutral for a manual transmission vehicle. Apply the Electric Parking Brake (EPB).

2. Press and release the engine **START/STOP** button.

While the vehicle is moving:

NOTICE

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

1. Press and hold the engine **START/STOP** button for 2 seconds, or
2. Press and release the engine **START/STOP** button twice within 3 seconds.

SWITCHING ON THE IGNITION

To switch on the ignition without starting the engine:

1. With a valid Smart key inside the vehicle:
 - On automatic transmission vehicles, make sure the brake pedal is NOT pressed.
 - On manual transmission vehicles, make sure the clutch pedal is NOT pressed.
2. Press and hold the engine **START/STOP** button until the warning lamps illuminate. See **242, DRIVER CONTROLS**.
3. Release the engine **START/STOP** button.

NOTICE

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

ROLLING RE-START

Note: The engine **START/STOP** button will be inhibited for 2 seconds after the engine has been switched off.

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