

Media Information

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The all-new BMW X6 now available in Singapore. A leader with broad shoulders.

Singapore. BMW Asia, Performance Motors and Performance Munich Autos today announced the availability of the all-new BMW X6, a new edition of the model that lit the fuse for an innovative and highly distinctive breed of car: the Sports Activity Coupe (SAC).

The all-new BMW X6 blends the agile and versatile driving properties of a Sports Activity Vehicle with the head-turning looks of a coupe. The third-generation X6 employs a clean, exclusive design language to underscore its confident and commanding appearance. And advanced powertrain and chassis technology teams up with a wealth of innovations to deliver a uniquely sporting yet also luxurious driving experience. Like its predecessor, the all-new BMW X6 is produced in the US at BMW Group Plant Spartanburg.

Dynamically stretched proportions exude sporting prowess.

The all-new BMW X6 has grown by 26 millimetres in exterior length over the outgoing model (to 4,935 mm) and by 15 mm in width (to 2,004 mm). It now stands 6 mm lower (at 1,696 mm) and combines dynamically stretched proportions with exceptional visual muscularity. The car's wheelbase has increased by 42 mm to 2,975 millimetres. The large, single-frame BMW kidney grille is the most striking feature of the front end, the outer edges of the kidney grille now approaching the headlights at a clearly defined angle.

If the optional BMW Laserlight with Adaptive LED headlights (standard on the BMW X6 M50i) is specified, a BMW Laserlight spotlight with Selective Beam optimises the non-dazzling high beam function, whose range increases to around 500 metres. BMW Laserlight can be identified by the blue x-shaped elements inside the signature BMW twin headlights. The flanks of the all-new X6 are defined by familiar BMW proportions, a crisply drawn character line and the dynamic roofline. 21-inch (BMW X6 xDrive40i) and 22-inch (BMW X6 M50i) light-alloy wheels are fitted as standard.

Interior: an exclusive ambience imbued with sporting flair.

The interior of the all-new BMW X6 is geared squarely to deliver an exclusive and dynamic driving experience. Clear structures lend the cabin a modern and sporty appearance. The design of the cockpit, complete with the new arrangement and design of the control elements, represents a progressive re-interpretation of the driver focus for which BMW is renowned. The all-new BMW X6 comes as standard with Vernasca leather upholstery (BMW X6 xDrive40i) and BMW Individual full-leather trim Merino (BMW X6 M50i).

The interior offers a high degree of variability, thanks to 40:20:40 split rear seat backrests that can be folded down to increase boot capacity from 580 to 1,530 litres. Equipment features from the list of optional extras include multifunction seats with massage function for the driver and front passenger, four-zone automatic climate control (standard on both variants), thermoelectric cup holders, glass applications for selected controls (standard on BMW X6 M50i), the Panorama glass roof Sky Lounge, the Ambient Air interior fragrancing package (standard on BMW X6 M50i) and the Bowers & Wilkins Diamond+ 3D Surround Sound System.

Two powerful engines from launch.

The line-up of engines available for the all-new BMW X6 from launch includes two petrol units from the latest generation. The model line-up is spearheaded by a BMW M model with a newly developed 530 hp V8 petrol engine. The all-new BMW X6 M50i is joined in the range by a straight-six petrol unit with an output of 340 hp in the all-new BMW X6 xDrive40i. The M Sport exhaust system fitted as standard on both models gives the car an unmistakable and emotionally rich aural presence.

The all-new BMW X6 models come as standard with an eight-speed Steptronic transmission, while intelligent all-wheel drive maximises traction, agility and directional stability. The latest generation of the BMW xDrive system once again splits drive torque between the front and rear wheels variably and as the situation demands – only now, with even greater precision and speed. In situations which do not require all-wheel drive, drive can be channelled entirely to the rear wheels in the interest of efficiency. The xDrive system also maintains a rear-wheel bias in particularly dynamic driving situations. The car's sporting attributes are aided by the electronically controlled M differential lock at the rear axle, available as part of M Sport specification or in conjunction with the optional xOffroad package.

Perfectly tuned chassis systems enhance sporting responses, comfort levels and off-road prowess.

A double-wishbone front axle and five-link rear axle give the all-new BMW X6 the ideal suspension tools to deliver dynamism and ride comfort on the road, plus unshakable traction off the beaten track. Dynamic Damper Control is included as standard, the Adaptive M suspension Professional with active roll stabilisation and Integral Active Steering (standard on the BMW X6 M50i) endows the car with exceptionally agile and dynamic driving qualities, and the all-new BMW X6 is also available with two-axle air suspension including automatic self-levelling (standard on the BMW X6 xDrive40i). The car's height can be altered at the touch of a button in the cockpit to a maximum of 80 millimetres. An off-road package is available for the all-new BMW X6 xDrive40i, allowing the driver to choose from four modes that optimise progress over snow, sand, gravel or rocks respectively. At the press of a button, they can also activate the ideal settings for the vehicle's ride height, the xDrive system, accelerator response, transmission control and the DSC system's corrective inputs.

Innovative driver assistance systems offering new functions.

An extensive selection of standard and optional driver assistance systems mark out the all-new BMW X6 as an exceptionally innovative Sports Activity Coupe. Fresh from the addition of myriad new functions, the systems do an extremely effective job in enhancing comfort and safety. Standard specification for the all-new BMW X6 includes Cruise Control with braking function and the Collision and Pedestrian Warning with City Braking function, which also alerts the driver when a cyclist is detected. The Active Cruise Control system with Stop & Go function is available as an option. The Driving Assistant Professional (standard on the BMW X6 M50i) can also be found on the options list for the all-new BMW X6. This complete package of safety- and comfort-enhancing technology includes both the steering and lane control assistant with Traffic jam assistant and lane keeping assistant with active side collision protection. The Evasion Assistant is another component of the Driving Assistant Professional, as are the rear collision warning, road priority warning and wrong-way driving warning systems, crossing traffic warning, Lane Change Warning and the Emergency Stop Assistant. The innovative Reversing Assistant, which helps the driver when exiting parking spaces and manoeuvring within a confined space, represents another step en route to automated driving.

BMW Intelligent Personal Assistant is on hand to help the driver.

The BMW Live Cockpit Professional in the all-new BMW X6 combines a new display and operating concept with unbeatable connectivity. It includes a high-resolution instrument cluster and a Control Display, both with a screen diagonal of 12.3 inches. The all-new BMW X6 comes with the BMW Intelligent Personal Assistant, an intelligent digital character who responds to the prompt “Hey BMW”. One unique feature over other digital assistants is that drivers can choose their own name for him. The arrival of the BMW Intelligent Personal Assistant ensures there is always a genuine BMW professional on board. He is able to explain all sorts of different functions, provide up-to-date information and assist the driver. The range of functions and skills available will be constantly expanded as part of regular updates, which can be carried out seamlessly on a smartphone and in-car via Remote Software Upgrade.

The all-new BMW X6 is now available for viewing at the Performance Motors and Performance Munich Autos showrooms.

Additional information enclosed:

1. The all-new BMW X6 prices.
2. The all-new BMW X6 specifications.

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The BMW Group

With its four brands BMW, MINI, Rolls-Royce and BMW Motorrad, the BMW Group is the world's leading premium manufacturer of automobiles and motorcycles and also provides premium financial and mobility services. The BMW Group production network comprises 31 production and assembly facilities in 15 countries; the company has a global sales network in more than 140 countries.

In 2018, the BMW Group sold over 2,490,000 passenger vehicles and more than 165,000 motorcycles worldwide. The profit before tax in the financial year 2018 was € 9.815 billion on revenues amounting to € 97.480 billion. As of 31 December 2018, the BMW Group had a workforce of 134,682 employees.

The success of the BMW Group has always been based on long-term thinking and responsible action. The company has therefore established ecological and social sustainability throughout the value chain, comprehensive product responsibility and a clear commitment to conserving resources as an integral part of its strategy.

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About Performance Motors Limited (PML)

Performance Motors Limited (PML) is a member of the Sime Darby Group and has been the dealer of BMW cars and BMW motorcycles in Singapore since 1979.

PML has achieved various accolades in the area of sales achievement and service excellence in its 39-year history in the luxury segment.

2002 - In an industry first, PML initiated a customer lifestyle and rewards programme which evolved into the 'BMW 7 Series Privileges Programme Plus' – a distinctive lifestyle and rewards programme that is exclusively available to owners of new BMW 7 Series in Singapore. Exclusive premium experiences covering golfing, driver training, chauffeur services and lifestyle have been specially designed with the discerning taste of the BMW 7 Series customers in mind.

2003, 2004 - PML received awards from BMW Asia in recognition of the BMW 7 Series' segment leadership.

2005 - PML sales powered to the top of the Singapore luxury car market. PML added to its collection of BMW awards the Best Sales performance in the Asian region. PML sales established BMW as the leading premium car brand in Singapore.

2006, 2007- PML claimed market leadership among premium car brands in Singapore for three consecutive years. The flagship BMW 7 Series limousines used to transport world leaders during the 2006 World Bank meetings and all key government events was once again reaffirmed as the choice for leaders as the official car for various high-profile events such as Barclays Singapore Open, the ASEAN Ministerial Meetings and the Singapore Airshow.

2008 - PML opened the new Sime Darby Performance Centre, the benchmark BMW Sales and Aftersales facility in Asia in September. The two existing premises at the Sime Darby Centre and in East Coast Centre continue to serve BMW customers and strengthen PML's service excellence in conjunction with this new Performance Centre at 303 Alexandra Road.

2009 - BMW continued to be the limousine of choice for the APEC meetings. PML was honoured as one of the Top 3 entries in the Conquest BMW 7 series of BMW Excellence in Sales 2009 categories, the international competition for outstanding sales performance.

2010 - PML broke the 4,000 unit sales record and set a new milestone in its retail history with a remarkable achievement of being the Top Luxury Car Brand in Singapore. PML reopened its refurbished Aftersales facility in East Coast Centre (ECC) at 280 Kampong Arang Road.

2011 - PML became the first ever luxury car brand and dealer to surpass the competition, in a highly competitive car market that has traditionally been dominated by volume driven marques. This is the first ever situation anywhere in the world where BMW is the leading car brand.

2012 - PML continued its trailblazing success and retained pole position as the Number One car brand in Singapore for a second consecutive year. PML's Motorrad division proudly recorded a year-on-year increase in sales of 50%. BMW continued to be the official limousine brand for the Barclays Singapore Open for the sixth consecutive year.

2013 - BMW was appointed the official limousine brand of the 2013 International Maritime Defence Exhibition and Conference. Performance Motors sponsored a fleet of 220 units of BMW 5 and 7 Series for the high-profile conference dedicated to maritime defence. BMW Motorrad achieved remarkable growth to become the top selling luxury bike brand in Singapore for the second consecutive year.

2014 - PML announced the official inauguration of a new BMW facility at 315 Alexandra Road, which integrated a new BMW Motorrad showroom and an Aftersales facility dedicated to BMW Fast Lane services. BMW fleets continued to be the choice limousines for the Singapore Airshow 2014, BNP Paribas WTA Finals 2014 and Louis Vuitton High Jewellery event.

2015 - BMW was the preferred limousine brand to chauffeur delegates for the World Engineers Summit 2015 and the Asia Pacific Homeland Security 2015. PML also welcomed the launch of BMW ConnectedDrive, as well as, the all-new BMW 7 Series.

2016 - PML recorded an all-time high for new car registrations and was named the 'Best Dealer in Sales – Importer Region B4' at BMW Group's Excellence in Sales Awards 2016. PML also won the 'Best Lifestyle Dealership' from BMW Group Asia. PML launched the Future Retail concept at the newly renovated BMW showroom at Sime Darby Performance Centre, which sets new standards in the automotive industry through the use of innovative digital tools and engaging retail environment. As a leading luxury car brand in Singapore, BMW remained the preferred limousine brand for the Singapore Airshow 2016, SMBC Singapore Open 2016 and Louis Vuitton High Jewellery Event 2016. BMW was also proudly designated as the limousine brand of choice for the Singapore Beach Polo Championship 2016, Singapore International Water Week 2016 and National Gallery Singapore Gala 2016.

2017 - PML continued to trailblaze and achieved yet another sterling record of high performance in a second consecutive year. PML was recognised at BMW Group's Excellence in Sales Awards 2017 as 'Best Retailer in Sales in the Importer Region Asia Pacific'. In addition, PML was accorded the 'Point Of Sales Award for Aftersales Marketing Excellence - Second Place' and 'Best Accessories Performance' awards by BMW Group Asia. The introduction of five new BMW iPerformance models and an updated BMW i model saw PML cementing its position as the industry leader for plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEVs) and electric vehicles (EVs) in Singapore. BMW was appointed the official car brand for numerous high-profile events including ASEAN Tourism Forum 2017, SMBC Singapore Open 2017, Singapore Yacht Show 2017, IMDEX Asia 2017, Miss Universe Singapore 2017 and Singapore International Energy Week 2017.

2018 – In another record-breaking year of new car registrations, PML had for the first time surpassed the 5,000-unit mark. BMW cars also continued to be the favoured limousines for various prestigious events throughout the year, namely SMBC Singapore Open 2018, Singapore Airshow 2018, 32nd ASEAN Summit and Singapore International Film Festival 2018.

About Performance Munich Autos

Performance Munich Autos is the world's first dedicated BMW M dealership in Singapore that holds the retail rights to a full range of BMW M and BMW M Performance Automobiles.

Performance Munich Autos Showroom is located at 315 Alexandra Road Singapore 159944.

Showroom opening hours are Monday to Saturday, 8am - 7pm, Sunday and Public Holidays, 10am – 6pm.

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1. The all-new BMW X6 prices.

Model	VES Band	Retail price (at press time)
BMW X6 xDrive40i	C2	\$367,888
BMW X6 M50i	C2	\$482,888

2. The all-new BMW X6 specifications.

BMW X6 xDrive40i

Six-cylinder petrol engine, BMW TwinPower Turbo technology: two twin-scroll turbochargers, High Precision Injection, VALVETRONIC fully variable valve timing, Double-VANOS variable camshaft timing

Capacity: 2,998 cc.

Output: 340 hp at 5,500 – 6,500 rpm.

Torque: 450 Nm at 1,500 – 5,200 rpm.

Acceleration (0 – 100 km/h): 5.5 seconds.

Top speed: 250 km/h.

Fuel consumption (combined): 9.0 l/100 km.

BMW X6 M50i

V8 petrol engine, M Performance TwinPower Turbo technology: twin-scroll turbocharger, High Precision Injection, VALVETRONIC fully variable valve timing, Double-VANOS variable camshaft timing

Capacity: 4,395 cc.

Output: 530 hp at 5,500 – 6,000 rpm.

Torque: 750 Nm at 1,800 – 4,600 rpm.

Acceleration (0 – 100 km/h): 4.3 seconds.

Top speed: 250 km/h.

Fuel consumption (combined): 11.5 l/100 km.