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**2001 BMW 3 SERIES 325 MODELS
STANDARD & OPTIONAL FEATURES**

Bold within table indicates new feature relative to corresponding 2000 323 model.

| PERFORMANCE & EFFICIENCY | 325i/xi sedan | 325i/xi sport | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 2.5-liter DOHC 24-valve inline 6-cylinder engine with – Double VANOS steplessly variable valve timing ¹ | S | S | S | S |
| Aluminum block & cylinder head | S | S | S | S |
| Dual resonance intake system with 3rd (turbulence) intake passages | | | | |
| Electronic throttle system | S | S | S | S |

¹ – VANOS = **V**ARiable **N**Ockenwellen Steuerung = variable camshaft control, or variable valve timing

| PERFORMANCE & EFFICIENCY (cont.) | 325i/xi sedan | 325i/xi sport | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Electronically controlled engine cooling | S | S | S | S |
| Direct ignition system with knock control | S | S | S | S |
| 5-speed manual transmission | S | S | S | S |
| 5-speed STEPTRONIC ² automatic trans- mission with Adaptive Transmission Control & Selectable Sport mode | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| HANDLING, RIDE & BRAKING | | | | |
| Strut-type front suspension with forged- aluminum lower arms, hydraulic cushions | S | S | S | S |
| Central Link rear suspension with aluminum upper transverse links | S | S | S | S |
| Rear subframe on 4 mounts, with acoustically decoupled mounting of suspension system | S | S | S | S |
| Acoustically decoupled final drive with hydraulic rear mount | S | S | S | S |
| Front & rear anti-roll (stabilizer) bars | S | S | S | S |
| Twin-tube gas-pressure shock absorbers | S | S | S | S |
| Sport suspension calibration | SP | SP | S | SP |
| Engine-speed-sensitive variable-assist power steering | S | S | S | S |

² – BMW's system of manual shift control for an automatic transmission.

| HANDLING, RIDE & BRAKING (cont.) | 325i/xi sedan | 325i/xi sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4-wheel ventilated disc brakes with antilock braking system (ABS) & electronic brake proportioning | S | S | S | S |
| Dynamic Stability Control (DSC) | S | S | S | S |
| Dynamic Stability Control for all-wheel drive (DSC-X) | S³ | S³ | NA | NA |
| All Season Traction | S | S | S | S |
| Fulltime all-wheel drive with All Season Traction | S³ | S³ | NA | NA |
| 16 x 7.0 cast-alloy wheels: | | | | |
| Star Spoke design | S | S | NA | S |
| Five Spoke design | NA | NA | S | NA |
| 17 x 7.0 cast-alloy wheels, Radial Spoke design | SPX³ | SPX³ | NA | NA |
| 17 x 8.0 cast-alloy wheels, Star Spoke design | SP | SP | SP | SP |
| 205/55R-16 91H all-season tires | S | S | S | S |
| 205/50R-17 91H all-season tires | SPX³ | SPX³ | NA | NA |
| 225/45R-17 91W performance tires | SP | SP | SP | SP |

³ - Specific data for 325xi sedan/sport wagon (All-wheel drive).

| EXTERIOR & AERODYNAMICS | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Front & rear body-color bumpers with hydraulic energy absorbers for low-speed impacts, deformable elements for more severe impacts | S | S | S | S |
| Halogen Free Form low-beam headlights | S | S | S | S |
| Xenon low-beam headlights w/ auto-leveling | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| Retractable, high-intensity headlight washers | CWP | CWP | CWP | CWP |
| Daytime running lamps | S ⁴ | S ⁴ | S ⁴ | S ⁴ |
| Halogen Free Form front foglights, heated outside mirrors & windshield-washer jets | OPT/SP/ SPX ³ | OPT/SP/ SPX ³ | S | S |
| 2-speed + intermittent windshield wipers, adjustable & car-speed-sensitive interval, single-wipe operation | S | S | S | S |
| Park Distance Control | NA | OPT | NA | NA |
| Metallic paint | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| Body-color cowl air intakes | NA | NA | S | S |
| Body-color roof-seam trim strips | NA | NA | S | S |
| Body-color trunk or tailgate lift grip | NA | S | S | S |
| Chrome side-window trim | NA | NA | S | NA |
| Body-color side moldings | NA | NA | S | S |
| Roof rails | NA | S | NA | NA |

⁴ - Selectable via Vehicle Memory System (programming by BMW Center.)

| EXTERIOR & AERODYNAMICS (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Tailgate with separately opening window, spoiler, wiper/washer & electric release from interior, exterior or remote | NA | S | NA | NA |
| Fully lined softtop w/ magnesium hard cover | NA | NA | NA | S |
| Fully lined, fully automatic power softtop with heated rear window, opening from remote | NA | NA | NA | PP |
| Convertible wind deflector | NA | NA | NA | C |
| Removable hardtop | NA | NA | NA | OPT |
| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE | | | | |
| Aluminum/rubber door-sill trim plates with BMW lettering | NA | NA | S | S |
| Vehicle & Key Memory | S | S | S | S |
| Keyless entry with multi-function remote control: | S | S | S | S |
| Selective unlocking | S | S | S | S |
| Remote trunk/tailgate release | NA | S | S | S |
| Dual power outside mirrors | S | S | NA | NA |
| Dual power/heated outside mirrors ⁵ | OPT/SP/SPX | OPT/SP/SPX | S | S |
| Automatic-dimming inside rearview mirror | PP | PP | PP | PP |
| BMW Universal Transceiver | C | C | C | PP |

⁵ – Included with foglights, whether stand-alone or in Package.

| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Courtesy lights with fade-in/fade-out feature, actuation from remote control, automatic switch-on when engine is turned off | S | S | S | S |
| Upgraded interior lighting ⁶ | PP | PP | S | S |
| BMW Ambiance Lighting | S | S | S | S |
| Locking glove compartment with rechargeable take-out flashlight | S | S | S | S |
| Leather tilt/telescopic steering wheel: With fingertip cruise, audio & phone ⁷ controls, 385 mm/4 spokes | S | S | S | S |
| With fingertip cruise, audio & phone ⁸ controls, 375 mm/3 spokes | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | NA | NA |
| 6-way adjustable front seats | SP/SPX ³ | SP/SPX ³ | S | S |
| 6-way power front seats with 3-position driver's-seat & outside-mirror memory ⁹ | S | S | S | NA |
| 8-way power front seats with 3-position driver's-seat & outside-mirror memory ⁹ | PP | PP | PP | NA |
| 10-way front sport seats | NA | NA | NA | S |
| | SP | SP | SP | NA |

⁶ - Includes separately controlled left/right front & rear reading lights, front footwell lighting & illuminated visor vanity mirrors.

⁷ - When vehicle is equipped with BMW Cellular Phone System (BMW Center-installed).

⁸ - Includes fingertip controls only in combination with cruise-control option or Premium Package

⁹ - Also includes automatic tilt-down of right outside mirror for backing up.

| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 8-way power + 2-way manual front sport seats with 3-position driver's- seat & outside-mirror memory | OPT/PP ¹⁰ | OPT/PP ¹⁰ | OPT/PP ¹⁰ | NA |
| 10-way power + 2-way manual front sport seats with 3-position driver's-seat & outside-mirror memory ¹⁰ | NA | NA | NA | SP |
| Easy-entry feature for rear seating | NA | NA | S | S (power) |
| Fold-up front center armrest with storage compartment | S | S | S | S |
| 2-stage, thermostatically controlled heated front seats | OPT/CWP | OPT/CWP | OPT/CWP | OPT/CWP |
| Electronic analog instrumentation with servo-motor operation | S | S | S | S |
| LCD main & trip odometers | S | S | S | S |
| Service Interval Indicator with miles-to-service readout | S | S | S | S |
| Check Control monitor system (pictogram display) | S | S | S | S |
| 4-function Onboard Computer | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | S | S |
| BMW Onboard Navigation System ¹¹ (requires Premium Package) | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |

¹⁰ - When Premium & Sport Packages are combined (325i/xi models & 325Ci coupe), or when stand-alone power-seats option & Sport Package are combined (325Ci coupe only).

¹¹ - Navigation System & in-dash single-disc CD player not available in combination with each other.

| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Montana leather upholstery (seating surfaces, door trim, handbrake grip & boot, manual shift-lever boot) | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| Leather shift knob | S ¹² | S ¹² | S | S |
| Color-keyed high-gloss interior trim | S | S | S | S |
| Genuine Myrtle wood interior trim | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | OPT/PP |
| Power windows with 1-touch open/close ¹³ , anti-trapping feature, opening from remote, opening & closing from exterior lock | S | S | S | S |
| All-window switch with 1-touch open | NA | NA | NA | S |
| Manual climate control with microfilter ventilation | S | S | S | S |
| Automatic climate control with microfilter ventilation & automatic recirculation control | PP | PP | PP | PP |
| 2-way power moonroof with sliding interior shade, wind deflector, 1-touch open/close, opening from remote, opening & closing from exterior lock | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | OPT/PP | NA |

¹² – Leatherette knob standard with manual transmission, leather with automatic; with leather upholstery and/or any optional steering wheel, knob is leather whether manual or automatic transmission.

¹³ – Sedan & sport wagon – all door windows 1-touch open/close; coupe – door windows 1-touch open/close, rear side windows 1-touch open; convertible – driver's window 1-touch open/close, all other windows 1-touch open.

| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Anti-theft AM/FM stereo radio/cassette audio system with 10 speakers, Radio Data System & diversity antenna system | S | S | S | S |
| Harman Kardon audio system with upgraded speakers including subwoofer(s) & vehicle-speed-sensitive equalization ¹⁴ | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| In-dash single-disc CD player in place of cassette deck ¹¹ | OPT | OPT | OPT | OPT |
| Pre-wiring for CD changer | S | S | S | S |
| 6-disc CD changer | C | C | C | C |
| Pre-wiring for BMW Cellular Phone System | S | S | S | S |
| BMW Cellular Phone System | C | C | C | C |
| Dual front cupholders | S | S | S | S |
| Console storage compartment | S | S | S | S ¹⁵ |
| Seatback storage nets | OPT ¹⁶ | OPT ¹⁷ | S | S |
| Fold-up center rear armrest | OPT ¹⁷ | S ¹⁸ | S | NA |
| Split folding rear seats | OPT | S | S | NA |
| Ski bag | OPT ¹⁹ /CWP | CWP | CWP | CWP |

¹⁴ – Includes all features of standard audio system; speaker configuration & number of speakers vary according to model.

¹⁵ – Configured as sunglasses compartment.

¹⁶ – Included with leather upholstery.

¹⁷ – Included with leather upholstery and/or folding rear seats.

¹⁸ – Includes storage compartment, dual cupholders & center head restraint.

¹⁹ – Included with optional folding rear seats.

| ERGONOMICS, LUXURY & CONVENIENCE (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Fully finished trunk: | S | NA | S | S |
| Reversible floormat | S | NA | S | NA |
| Drop-down toolkit | S | NA | S | S |
| Fully finished, carpeted variable cargo com- partment with floor straps, retractable cover, cargo net & accessory electrical outlet | NA | S | NA | NA |
| Variable softtop compartment | NA | NA | NA | S |
| Full-use spare wheel & tire (alloy wheel) | S | OPT | S | NA |
| SAFETY & SECURITY | | | | |
| Dual-airbag Supplementary Restraint System with 2-stage airbags (Smart Airbags) | S | S | S | S |
| Height-adjustable front safety belts with automatic tensioners & force limiters | S | S | S | S ²⁰ |
| Seat-integrated front safety belts | NA | NA | NA | S |
| Automatic-locking retractors (ALR) on all passenger safety belts (for installation of child restraint seats) | S | S | S | S |
| Interlocking door anchoring system for side impacts | S | S | S | S |
| Front-seat Head Protection System (HPS) | S | S | S | NA |
| Rollover Protection System (RPS) | NA | NA | NA | S |

²⁰ – Combined power adjustment of head-restraint & belt height.

| SAFETY & SECURITY (cont.) | 325i sedan | 325i sport wagon | 325Ci coupe | 325Ci convertible |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Front-seat side-impact airbags | S | S | S | S |
| Rear-seat side-impact airbags | OPT ²¹ | OPT ²¹ | NA | NA |
| Integrated deployment logic for safety-belt tensioners, airbags & post-impact safety measures | S | S | S | S |
| Battery Safety Terminal | S | S | S | S |
| Central locking system with double-lock anti-theft feature, selective unlocking | S | S | S | S ²² |
| Coded Driveaway Protection | S | S | S | S |
| Pathway Lighting | S ⁴ | S ⁴ | S ⁴ | S ⁴ |
| Pre-wiring for alarm system | S | S | S | S |
| Alarm system with operation from keyhead remote, motion detector | C | C | C | C |

S – Standard OPT – Optional NA – Not available or not applicable C – BMW Center-installed

PP – Premium Package SP – Sport Package SPX – All-Wheel-Drive Sport Package

CWP – Cold Weather Package

²¹ – Special order.

²² – Includes glove compartment.