

**Study on vehicle transport and  
preparation charges for 2008**



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## **1. Context**

The 2008 study on transport and preparation charges was conducted by CAA-Quebec Automotive Advisory Services between May and June 2008, and covered all 2008 models available on the Canadian and U.S. markets.

In conducting the study, CAA-Quebec sought to provide an opportunity for its members to learn more about the charges levied by automakers so that they can make more informed decisions about new vehicle purchases.

## **2. New feature**

An interesting feature of this year's study is that it allows consumers to compare charges imposed on Canadian vehicle buyers to those paid by their U.S. counterparts.

Following are the key findings of the study:

- Overall, transport and preparation charges in effect in Canada are considerably higher than in the United States. The discrepancy ranges from 31% to 61%.
- Several automakers increased their charges over those of 2007. In some cases, the charges were nearly 10% higher.
- A trend is emerging: transport and preparation charges have risen constantly in recent years.
- In 2008, Toyota was the only manufacturer to lower its transport and preparation charges.
- Some automakers require consumers to pay the same charges regardless of whether the vehicle is assembled in Canada, the U.S. or Europe, while others adjust the amount depending on the country of manufacture.

### 3. Top ten

The ten vehicle makes with the highest transport and preparation charges are<sup>1</sup>:

Automakers	Charges	Models
BMW	\$1,995	All models
Mercedes-Benz	\$1,895	All models
Acura	\$1,855	MDX
Audi	\$1,850	A5, A6, A8
Infiniti	\$1,798	QX
Lexus	\$1,780	All models
Mini	\$1,695	Mini Cooper
Kia	\$1,650	Rondo, Sportage, Sedona, Sorento
Volvo	\$1,615	Majority
Hyundai	\$1,610	Santa Fe, Veracruz, Tucson, Entourage

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Price in Canada (canadian dollar):  
 Green: between \$1000 et \$1199  
 Blue: between \$1200 et \$1300  
 Brown: between \$1300 et \$1500  
 Red: more than \$1500

Price in USA (US dollar)

Acura	RL	TL	TSX	CSX	RDX	MDX	
Price in Canada	1825	1825	1725	1370	1825	1855	
2007 vs 2008	2.73% Rise	2.73% Rise	4.06% Rise	1.50% Rise	2.73% Rise	4.30% Rise	
Price in USA	715	715	715	N/A	715	715	Average
Difference can/us	60,82%	60,82%	58,55%	N/A	60,82%	61,46%	60,49%
Price in USA 2007	670	670	670	670	670	670	
2007 vs 2008 USA	6,72% Rise	6,72% Rise	6,72% Rise		6,72% Rise	6,72% Rise	
Manufacturing	Japan	Ohio, USA	Japan	Ontario, Canada	Ohio, USA	Ontario, Canada	

Audi	A3	A4	A5	A6	A8	R8	S Series	R54	TT	Q7	
Price in Canada	1650	1650	1850	1850	1850	2700	1850	1850	1850	1850	
2007 vs 2008	6.10% Rise	6.10% Rise	N/A	0%	0%	N/A	N/D	N/D	N/D	16.22% Rise	
Price in USA	775	775	775	775	775	1000	775	775	775	775	Average
Difference can/us	53,03%	53,03%	58,11%	58,11%	58,11%	62,96%	58,11%	58,11%	58,11%	58,11%	57,58%
Price in USA 2007	720	720	N/A	720	720	N/A	720	N/D	720	720	
2007 vs 2008 USA	7,64% Rise	7,64% Rise		7,64% Rise	7,64% Rise		7,64% Rise		7,64% Rise	7,64% Rise	
Manufacturing	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Hungary	Slovakia	

BMW	M Series	1 Series	3 Series	5 Series	6 Series	7 Series	Z4	X3	X5	X6	
Price in Canada	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	1995	N/D	
2007 vs 2008	0%	N/A	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	N/A	
Price in USA	775	775	775	775	775	775	775	775	775	775	Average
Difference can/us	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	61,15%	N/A	61,15%
Price in USA 2007	695	N/A	695	695	695	695	695	695	695	N/A	
2007 vs 2008 USA	11,51% Rise		11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise	11,51% Rise		
Manufacturing	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	South Carolina, USA	Germany	South Carolina, USA	South Carolina, USA	

Buick	Allure	Lucerne	Enclave	
Price in Canada	1250	1250	1200	
2007 vs 2008	0%	0%	N/A	
Price in USA	750	765	735	Average
Difference can/us	40,00%	38,80%	38,75%	39,18%
Price in USA 2007	685	750	N/A	
2007 vs 2008 USA	9,49% Rise	2% Rise		
Manufacturing	Ontario, Canada	Michigan, USA	Mexico	

Cadillac	CTS	Escalade	SRX	DTS	XLR	STS	Escalade EXT	
Price in Canada	1420	1420	1420	1420	1420	1420	1420	
2007 vs 2008	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Price in USA	745	900	775	870	840	775	900	Average
Difference can/us	47,54%	36,62%	45,42%	38,73%	40,85%	45,42%	36,62%	41,60%
Price in USA 2007	745	900	745	820	840	745	900	
2007 vs 2008 USA	0,00%	0,00%	4,03% Rise	6,10% Rise	0,00%	4,03% Rise	0,00%	
Manufacturing	Michigan, USA	Texas, USA	Michigan, USA	Michigan, USA	Kentucky, USA	Michigan, USA	Mexico	

Chevrolet	Aveo	Cobalt	Corvette	HHR	Impala	Malibu	Equinox	Express	Suburban	Tahoe	Trailblazer	Silverado	Colorado	Avalanche	Uplander	
Price in Canada	1095	1095	1420	1095	1250	1250	1150	1250	1250	1250	1220	1300	1300	1300	1300	
2007 vs 2008	4.57% Rise	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3.84% Rise	2.50% Rise	2.30% Rise	0%	
Price in USA	660	660	850	620	750	650	615	980	900	900	745	925	685	925	780	Average
Difference can/us	39,73%	39,73%	40,14%	43,38%	40,00%	48,00%	46,52%	21,60%	28,00%	28,00%	38,93%	28,85%	42,92%	28,85%	40,00%	36,98%
Price in USA 2007	565	615	825	590	685	650	615	N/D	900	900	735	900	685	900	765	
2007 vs 2008 USA	16,81% Rise	7,32% Rise	3,03% Rise	5,08% Rise	9,49% Rise	0,00%	0,00%		0,00%	0,00%	1,36% Rise	2,78% Rise	0,00%	2,78% Rise	1,96% Rise	
Manufacturing	South Korea	Ohio, USA	Kentucky, USA	Mexico	Ontario, Canada	Kansas, USA	Tennessee, USA	Missouri, USA	Texas, USA	Texas, USA	Ohio, USA	Ontario, Canada	Louisiana, USA	Mexico	Mexico	

Chrysler	PT Cruiser	Sebring	Town & Country	Crossfire	300	Aspen	Pacifica	
Price in Canada	1200	1300	1350	1400	1300	1300	1300	
2007 vs 2008	8.33% Rise	7.69% Rise	3.70% Rise	0%	7.69% Rise	3.70% Rise	0%	
Price in USA	670	690	770	970	700	800	730	Average
Difference can/us	44,17%	46,92%	42,96%	30,71%	46,15%	38,46%	43,85%	41,89%
Price in USA 2007	640	675	730	N/D	675	745	730	
2007 vs 2008 USA	4,69% Rise	2,22% Rise	5,48% Rise		3,70% Rise	7,38% Rise	0,00%	
Manufacturing	Mexico	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Germany	Ontario, Canada	Delaware, USA	Ontario, Canada	

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<b>Dodge</b>	Caliber	Avenger	Magnum	Grand Caravan	Sprinter	Charger	Nitro	Ram	Dakota	Durango	Viper	Challenger 2009	Journey 2009		
Price in Canada	1200	1300	1300	1350	1990	1300	1300	1350	1200	1300	1400	N/D	1300		
2007 vs 2008	8.30% Rise	7.69% Rise	7.69% Rise	3.70% Rise	40.20% Rise	7.69% Rise	7.69% Rise	3.70% Rise	8.33% Rise	3.85% Rise	0%	N/A	N/A		
Price in USA	700	690	700	770	980	700	695	900	645	800	880	675	625	Average	
Difference can/us	41.67%	46.92%	46.15%	42.96%	50.75%	46.15%	46.54%	33.33%	46.25%	38.46%	37.14%	N/D	51.92%	44.02%	
Price in USA 2007	560	N/D	675	730	N/D	675	660	900	645	745	850	N/A	N/A		
2007 vs 2008 USA	25% Rise		3.70% Rise	5.48% Rise		3.70% Rise	5.30% Rise	0.00%	0.00%	7.38% Rise	3.53% Rise				
Manufacturing	Illinois, USA	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Ontario, Canada	Germany, North Carolina, USA	Ontario, Canada	Ohio, USA	Mexico, Missouri, USA	Michigan, USA	Delaware, USA	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Toluca, Mexico		
<b>Ford</b>	Escape	Focus	Taurus	Taurus X	Fusion	Shelby	Mustang	Expedition	Ranger	E Series	F-150	F-250/350/450	Edge	Explorer	Flex 2009
Price in Canada	1250	1150	1250	1250	1250	1250	1250	1250	1200	1250	1250	1300	1250	1250	N/D
2007 vs 2008	0%	4.35% Rise	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4.17% Rise	0%	0%	3.85% Rise	0%	0%	N/A
Price in USA	665	670	800	800	725	795	795	900	660	870	925	925	755	735	700
Difference can/us	46.80%	41.74%	36.00%	36.00%	42.00%	36.40%	36.40%	28.00%	45.00%	30.40%	26.00%	28.85%	39.60%	41.20%	N/D
Price in USA 2007	665	595	N/D	N/D	700	N/D	745	820	635	N/D	925	N/D	675	695	N/A
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	12.61% Rise			3.57% Rise		6.71% Rise	9.76% Rise	3.94% Rise		0.00%		11.85% Rise	5.76% Rise	
Manufacturing	Michigan, USA	Michigan, USA	Illinois, USA	Illinois, USA	Mexico	Michigan, California, USA	Michigan, USA	Michigan, USA	New Jersey, Minnesota, Kentucky, USA	Ohio, USA	Ontario, Canada	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Kentucky and Missouri, USA	Ontario, Canada
<b>GMC</b>	Envoy	Canyon	Savana	Yukon	Acadia	Sierra									
Price in Canada	1220	1200	1250	1250	1220	1300									
2007 vs 2008	0%	2.50% Rise	0%	0%	0%	3.85% Rise									
Price in USA	745	685	980	900	735	925	Average								
Difference can/us	38.93%	42.92%	21.60%	28.00%	39.75%	28.85%	33.34%								
Price in USA 2007	735	685	N/D	900	735	900									
2007 vs 2008 USA	1.36% Rise	0.00%		0.00%	0.00%	2.78% Rise									
Manufacturing	Ohio, USA	Louisiana, USA	Missouri, USA	Texas, USA	Mexico	Ontario, Canada									
<b>Honda</b>	Fit	Civic	Accord	CRV	Pilot	S2000	Ridgeline	Element	Odyssey						
Price in Canada	1295	1295	1390	1540	1540	1540	1540	1540	1540						
2007 vs 2008	1.50% Rise	1.50% Rise	2.20% Rise	2.27% Rise	2.27% Rise	2.27% Rise	2.27% Rise	2.27% Rise	2.27% Rise						
Price in USA	635	635	635	635	635	635	635	635	635	Average					
Difference can/us	50.97%	50.97%	54.32%	58.77%	58.77%	58.77%	58.77%	58.77%	58.77%	56.54%					
Price in USA 2007	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	N/D					
2007 vs 2008 USA	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise	6.72% Rise						
Manufacturing	Japan	Ontario, Canada	Ohio, USA	Ohio, USA	Ontario, Canada	Japan	Ontario, Canada	Ohio, USA	Alabama, USA						
<b>Hummer</b>	H2	H3													
Price in Canada	1250	1220													
2007 vs 2008	0%	1.64% Rise													
Price in USA	900	745	Average												
Difference can/us	28.00%	38.93%	33.47%												
Price in USA 2007	900	590													
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	26.27% Rise													
Manufacturing	Indiana, USA	Louisiana, USA													
<b>Hyundai</b>	Accent	Sonata	Elantra	Tiburon	Azera	Santa Fe	Tucson	Veracruz	Entourage						
Price in Canada	1345	1415	1345	1415	1415	1610	1610	1610	1610						
2007 vs 2008	0%	1.41% Rise	0%	1.41% Rise	1.41% Rise	0.93% Rise	0.93% Rise	0.93% Rise	0.93% Rise						
Price in USA	620	675	620	620	695	695	660	695	700	Average					
Difference can/us	53.90%	52.30%	53.90%	56.18%	50.88%	56.83%	59.01%	56.83%	56.52%	55.15%					
Price in USA 2007	580	650	600	600	660	650	600	600	700						
2007 vs 2008 USA	6.90% Rise	3.85% Rise	3.33% Rise	3.33% Rise	5.30% Rise	6.92% Rise	10% Rise		0.00%						
Manufacturing	South Korea	Alabama, USA	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea						
<b>Infiniti</b>	G	M	EX	FX	QX										
Price in Canada	1650	1715	1650	1650	1798										
2007 vs 2008	1.21% Rise	1.17% Rise	N/A	1.21% Rise	0%										
Price in USA	715	715	715	760	815	Average									
Difference can/us	56.67%	58.31%	56.67%	53.94%	54.67%	56.05%									
Price in USA 2007	700	700	N/A	700	800										
2007 vs 2008 USA	2.14% Rise	2.14% Rise	N/A	8.57% Rise	1.88% Rise										
Manufacturing	Japan	Japan	N/D	Japan	Mississippi, USA										

Jeep	Commander	Liberty	Compass	Patriot	Wrangler	Grand Cherokee
Price in Canada	1300	1300	1250	1250	1300	1300
2007 vs 2008	7.69% Rise	7.69% Rise	12% Rise	12% Rise	7.69% Rise	7.69% Rise
Price in USA	730	695	580	580	660	730
Difference can/us	43.85%	46.54%	53.60%	53.60%	49.23%	43.85%
Price in USA 2007	665	665	N/A	665	665	
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
Manufacturing	England	England	England	England	England	England

Kia	Rio	Amanti	Spectra	Sportage	Sedona	Sorento	Rondo	Magentis
Price in Canada	1455	1455	1455	1650	1650	1650	1650	1455
2007 vs 2008	7.22% Rise	7.22% Rise	7.22% Rise	9.39% Rise	9.39% Rise	9.39% Rise	9.39% Rise	7.22% Rise
Price in USA	625	700	625	625	725	700	600	640
Difference can/us	57.04%	51.89%	57.04%	62.12%	56.06%	57.58%	63.64%	56.01%
Price in USA 2007	580	680	600	595	700	670	600	600
2007 vs 2008 USA	7.76% Rise	2.94% Rise	4.17% Rise	5.04% Rise	3.57% Rise	4.48% Rise	0.00%	6.67% Rise
Manufacturing	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea	South Korea

Land Rover	LR2	LR3	Range Rover
Price in Canada	1195	1195	1195
2007 vs 2008	16.74% Rise	16.74% Rise	16.74% Rise
Price in USA	715	775	775
Difference can/us	40.17%	35.15%	35.15%
Price in USA 2007	N/D	715	715
2007 vs 2008		8.39% Rise	8.39% Rise
Manufacturing	England	England	England

Lexus	ES	IS	GS	SC	LS	LX	GX	RX
Price in Canada	1780	1780	1780	1780	1780	1780	1780	1780
2007 vs 2008	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise	0.28% Rise
Price in USA	765	765	765	765	765	765	765	765
Difference can/us	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%	57.02%
Price in USA 2007	715	715	695	715	715	715	715	715
2007 vs 2008 USA	6.99% Rise	6.99% Rise	10.07% Rise	6.99% Rise	6.99% Rise	6.99% Rise	6.99% Rise	6.99% Rise
Manufacturing	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan

Lincoln	MKZ	Navigator	Mark LT	MKX	MKS 2009	Town car 2007
Price in Canada	1250	1250	1250	1250	N/D	1250
2007 vs 2008	0%	0%	0%	0%	N/A	0%
Price in USA	740	925	950	775	N/D	920 (2008)
Difference can/us	40.80%	26.00%	24.00%	38.00%	N/A	26.40%
Price in USA 2007	715	820	900	675	N/A	870
2007 vs 2008 USA	3.50% Rise	12.80% Rise	5.56% Rise	14.81% Rise		
Manufacturing	Mexico	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Ontario, Canada	Illinois, USA	Michigan, USA

Mazda	3	6	5	MX-5	RX-8	CX-9	CX-7	Tribute	B Series
Price in Canada	1275	1325	1390	1275	1325	1390	1390	1390	1390
2007 vs 2008	3.92% Rise	3.77% Rise	0%	3.92% Rise	3.77% Rise	0%	0%	0%	0%
Price in USA	635	635	635	635	635	635	635	635	635
Difference can/us	50.20%	52.08%	54.32%	50.20%	52.08%	54.32%	54.32%	54.32%	54.32%
Price in USA 2007	560	595	595	560	595	N/D	560	590	635
2007 vs 2008 USA	13.39% Rise	6.72% Rise	13.39% Rise	13.39% Rise	13.39% Rise		13.39% Rise	7.63% Rise	0.00%
Manufacturing	Japan	Michigan, USA	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Michigan, USA	N-J, Mn, KY, USA

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Mercedes	SLK	B Class	C Class	E Class	R Class	M Class	G Class	GL Class	S Class	CL	CLK	CLS	SL	SLR	
Price in Canada	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	1895	N/D
2007 vs 2008	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	5.28% Rise	N/D
Price in USA	825	N/A	825	825	825	825	825	825	775	825	825	825	775	2750	Average
Difference can/us	56.46%	N/A	56.46%	56.46%	56.46%	56.46%	56.46%	56.46%	59.10%	56.46%	56.46%	56.46%	59.10%	N/A	56.90%
Price in USA 2007	775	N/A	775	775	775	775	N/D	775	775	775	775	775	775	N/D	
2007 vs 2008 USA	6.45% Rise		6.45% Rise	6.45% Rise	6.45% Rise	6.45% Rise		6.45% Rise	0.00%	6.45% Rise	6.45% Rise	6.45% Rise	0.00%		
Manufacturing	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	Alabama, USA	Alabama, USA	Austria	Alabama, USA	Germany	Alabama,	Germany	Germany	Germany	Germany	United Kingdom

Mini	Mini Cooper	
Price in Canada	1695	
2007 vs 2008	11.80% Rise	
Price in USA	650	Average
Difference can/us	61.65%	61.65%
Price in USA 2007	650	
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	
Manufacturing	England	

Mitsubishi	Eclipse	Galant	Lancer	Lancer EVO	Endeavor	Outlander	
Price in Canada	1495	1495	1495	1495	1595	1595	
2007 vs 2008	16.72% Rise	16.72% Rise	16.72% Rise	N/A	15.67% Rise	15.67% Rise	
Price in USA	625	625	625	650	650	675	Average
Difference can/us	58.19%	58.19%	58.19%	56.52%	59.25%	57.68%	58.00%
Price in USA 2007	625	625	625	N/D	625	625	
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		4% Rise	8% Rise	
Manufacturing	Illinois, USA	Illinois, USA	Japan	Japan	Illinois, USA	Japan	

Nissan	350Z	Altima	Sentra	Maxima	Versa	GT-R 2009	Murano	Rogue	Armada	X-Terra	Pathfinder	Frontier	Quest	Titan	
Price in Canada	1375	1300	1225	1325	1175	N/D	1400	1400	1480	1400	1400	1350	1450	1385	
2007 vs 2008	1.82% Rise	1.92% Rise	2.04% Rise	1.89% Rise	2.13% Rise	N/A	0.36% Rise	N/A	1.01% Rise	1.07% Rise	1.07% Rise	1.11% Rise	2.22% Rise	1.08% Rise	
Price in USA	625	625	625	625	625	N/D	745	745	745	745	745	745	745	745	Average
Difference can/us	54.55%	51.92%	48.98%	52.83%	46.81%	N/A	46.79%	46.79%	49.66%	46.79%	46.79%	44.81%	48.62%	46.21%	48.58%
Price in USA 2007	615	615	615	615	615	N/A	650	735	650	650	650	650	650	735	
2007 vs 2008 USA	1.63% Rise	1.63% Rise	1.63% Rise	1.63% Rise	1.63% Rise		14.62% Rise		1.36% Rise	14.62% Rise	14.62% Rise	14.62% Rise	14.62% Rise	1.36% Rise	
Manufacturing	Japan	Tennessee, USA	Mexico	Tennessee, USA	Mexico	Tochigi, Japan	Japan	Japan	Mississippi, USA	Tennessee, USA	Japan	Tennessee, USA	Mississippi, USA	Mississippi, USA	

Pontiac	Wave	Vibe 2009	Solstice	G5	Torrent	G6	Grand Prix	Montana	
Price in Canada	1095	1160	1045	1095	1150	1250	1250	1300	
2007 vs 2008	4.57% Rise	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Price in USA	N/A	585	620	660	685	650	750	N/A	Average
Difference can/us	N/A	49.57%	40.67%	39.73%	40.43%	48.00%	40.00%	N/A	43.07%
Price in USA 2007	N/A	585	600	615	615	650	685	N/A	
2007 vs 2008 USA		0.00%	3.33% Rise	7.32% Rise	11.38% Rise	0.00%	9.49% Rise		
Manufacturing	South Korea	California, USA	Delaware, USA	Ohio, USA	Tennessee, USA	Michigan, USA	Ontario, Canada	Delaware, New-York, USA	

SAAB	9-3	9-5	9-7x	
Price in Canada	1400	1400	1220	
2007 vs 2008	0%	0%	0%	
Price in USA	745	775	745	Average
Difference can/us	46.79%	44.64%	38.93%	43.45%
Price in USA 2007	745	745	745	
2007 vs 2008 USA	0.00%	4.03% Rise	0.00%	
Manufacturing	Sweden and Austria	Sweden	Ohio, USA	

Saturn	Astra	Aura	Outlook	Sky	VUE	
Price in Canada	1300	1250	1220	1045	1200	
2007 vs 2008	N/A	0%	1.64% Rise	0%	0%	
Price in USA	620	650	735	620	625	Average
Difference can/us	52.31%	48.00%	39.75%	40.67%	47.92%	45.73%
Price in USA 2007	N/D	650	735	600	625	
2007 vs 2008 USA		0.00%	0.00%	3.33% Rise	0.00%	
Manufacturing	Belgium	Kansas, USA	Mexico	Delaware, USA	Mexico	

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Smart	Fortwo	Fortwo cabrio
Price in Canada	1295	1295
2007 vs 2008	N/D	N/D
Price in USA	600	600
Difference can/us	53,67%	53,67%
Price in USA 2007	N/D	N/D
2007 vs 2008 USA		
Manufacturing	France	France

Subaru	Impreza	Legacy	Tribeca	Outback	Forester
Price in Canada	1495	1495	1495	1495	1495
2007 vs 2008	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Price in USA	645	645	645	645	645
Difference can/us	56,86%	56,86%	56,86%	56,86%	56,86%
Price in USA 2007	625	625	625	625	625
2007 vs 2008 USA	3,20% Rise	3,20% Rise	3,20% Rise	3,20% Rise	3,20% Rise
Manufacturing	Japan	Indiana, USA	Indiana, USA	Indiana, USA	Japan

Suzuki	Swift+	SX4	Grand Vitara	XL-7 2007
Price in Canada	1195	1250	1395	1395
2007 vs 2008	8,37% Rise	12,4% Rise	7,17% Rise	7,17% Rise
Price in USA	N/A	625	650	650
Difference can/us	N/A	50,00%	53,40%	53,40%
Price in USA 2007	N/A	595	620	635
2007 vs 2008 USA		5,04% Rise	4,84% Rise	2,36% Rise
Manufacturing	South Korea	Hungary	Japan	Tennessee, USA

Toyota	Avalon	Camry 2009	Corolla 2009	Matrix 2009	Solara	Yaris	Prius	Tundra	Highlander	4Runner	Sequoia	Tacoma	FJ Cruiser	RAV4	Sienna
Price in Canada	1090	1090	1090	1090	1090	1090	1090	1390	1390	1390	1390	1390	1390	1390	1390
2007 vs 2008	12,10% Drop	12,10% Drop	4,39% Drop	4,39% Drop	12,10% Drop	0%	18,35% Drop	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Price in USA	660	660	660	660	660	660	660	685	685	685	685	685	685	685	685
Difference can/us	39,45%	39,45%	39,45%	39,45%	39,45%	39,45%	39,45%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%	50,72%
Price in USA 2007	620	620	620	620	620	620	620	645	645	645	645	645	645	645	645
2007 vs 2008 USA	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,45% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise	6,20% Rise
Manufacturing	Kentucky, USA	Kentucky, USA	Ontario, Canada	Ontario, Canada	Kentucky, USA	Japan	Japan	Indiana, Texas, USA	Japan	Japan	Indiana, USA	Kentucky, California, USA	Japan	Japan	Kentucky, USA

VW	EOS	Golf City Jetta City	Jetta	New Beetle	Passat	Rabbit	Touareg 2
Price in Canada	1335	1335	1335	1335	1335	1335	1550
2007 vs 2008	9,36% Rise	9,36% Rise	9,36% Rise	9,36% Rise	9,36% Rise	9,36% Rise	21,94% Rise
Price in USA	690	N/A	650	650	690	650	690
Difference can/us	48,31%	N/A	51,31%	51,31%	48,31%	51,31%	55,48%
Price in USA 2007	630	N/A	630	630	630	630	670
2007 vs 2008 USA	9,52% Rise		3,17% Rise	3,17% Rise	9,52% Rise	3,17% Rise	2,99% Rise
Manufacturing	Portugal	Brazil	Mexico	Mexico	Germany	Germany	Portugal

Volvo	C30	C70	S40	S60	S80	V50	V70	XC70	XC90
Price in Canada	1615	1990	1615	1615	1615	1615	1615	1615	1615
2007 vs 2008	0%	18,84% Rise	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Price in USA	745	745	745	745	745	745	745	745	745
Difference can/us	53,87%	62,56%	53,87%	53,87%	53,87%	53,87%	53,87%	53,87%	53,87%
Price in USA 2007	N/D	695	695	695	N/D	695	695	695	695
2007 vs 2008 USA		7,19% Rise	7,19% Rise	7,19% Rise		7,19% Rise	7,19% Rise	7,19% Rise	7,19% Rise
Manufacturing	Belgium	Sweden	Belgium	Belgium	Sweden	Belgium	Sweden	Sweden	Sweden

Legend :

N/A : Not applicable

N/D : Information not available at the time of publishing

2007 vs 2008 : Difference between price in 2007 versus 2008