



BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) (USA)

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Years of Production 2025
Market Availability EU

Country of Manufacture China

Current Status Produced

Body Style Hatchback

Price USA (New/Used) \$No data/No data

Range and Efficiency

Range EPA No data
Range WLTP 193 mi
Range GCC 164 mi
Battery (Usable/Nominal) 43.2/46 kWh
Efficiency (Energy/Range) 26.3 kWh/100 mi
Efficiency (Range/Energy) 3.8 mi/kWh

Charging

Architecture 400 V
Max AC Charging 11 kW
Max DC Charging 85 kW
Charge Port CCS Type 2

Performance

Drive Type FWD PMSM

Motor (Power/Torque) 115 kW (154 hp)/162 lb-ft

Acceleration 0-60 mph 8.7 s

Top Speed 93 mph

Dimensions

Length 157.1 in Width (with Mirrors/no Mirrors) 77.6/67.7 in Height 62.6 in Wheelbase 98.4 in

Cargo and Towing

Number of Seats 4
Curb Weight 3064 lb
Cargo Volume (Trunk/Max/Frunk) 10.9/36.6/No data ft3
Towing Capacity No data

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About BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...)

Overview

The 2025 BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort is shaping up to be a funky electric hatchback, potentially swimming into the US scene to shake things up in the affordable EV pool. This Comfort trim, part of the new "Surf" line, aims to blend BYD's distinctive "Ocean Aesthetics" design with practical city-friendly performance. Key highlights include its compact footprint, a tech-forward cabin, and what promises to be wallet-friendly running costs. While official US pricing hasn't been dropped, expect it to be seriously competitive if it lands stateside, making EV ownership more accessible.

What's New for 2025?

For 2025, BYD introduces the "Dolphin Surf" lineup, and this Comfort trim is fresh out of the box. While the Dolphin itself isn't entirely new globally, this "Surf" variant, specifically the Comfort configuration, marks a new chapter for the model, likely bringing refreshed styling cues and potentially updated tech features. Built on BYD's e-Platform 3.0 with the renowned Blade Battery, it's geared for efficiency and safety. This specific trim targets buyers looking for a balanced package of features and value, making its 2025 debut a notable one in its available markets.

Design & Exterior

Rocking BYD's "Ocean Aesthetics," the Dolphin Surf Comfort is a cheeky-looking hatchback that's sure to turn heads. Its compact dimensions – measuring 157.1 inches long, 67.7 inches wide (excluding mirrors), and 62.6 inches tall – make it a proper city slicker. The "Surf" design language likely adds some unique flair, perhaps with distinct wave-inspired lines or cool two-tone paint options often seen on Dolphins. Expect smart LED lighting and alloy wheels specific to the Comfort trim, giving it a modern vibe without breaking the bank. It's got character, that's for sure!

Interior, Tech & Cargo

Step inside the Dolphin Surf Comfort, and you'll find an interior that continues the ocean theme, likely with some quirky design touches and eco-friendly materials. It's designed to seat four, offering a surprisingly airy cabin for its size. For your stuff, there's 10.9 cubic feet of trunk space, expanding to a useful 36.6 cubic feet with the rear seats folded down. No frunk, though! Tech-wise, BYD's signature rotating central touchscreen is expected, alongside a digital driver display, and standard Apple CarPlay/Android Auto to keep you connected on the go.

Performance & Driving Experience

Don't expect supercar speed, but the Dolphin Surf Comfort offers nippy performance perfect for city driving. It zips from 0-60 mph in a respectable 8.7 seconds thanks to its front-wheel-drive setup powered by a single Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor. This motor churns out around 154 horsepower and 162 lb-ft of torque, giving it enough poke for daily duties. The ride should be comfortable, soaking up urban bumps, and with selectable regenerative braking modes, you can tailor how much energy it claws back when you lift off the throttle.

Range, Battery & Charging

The Dolphin Surf Comfort packs a 43.2 kWh usable battery, delivering a Green Cars Compare estimated real-world range of 164 miles – decent for daily commutes and city adventures. It sips energy at a rate of 3.8 mi/kWh. For charging, its 11 kW onboard AC charger can top up the battery overnight in around 4-5 hours. When you're out and about, it supports DC fast charging at up to 85 kW, which should get you from a low state to 80% in about 30-35 minutes. For the US market, it would likely feature a CCS Type 1 port.

Safety & Driver-Assistance Features

While official US safety ratings from NHTSA for the 2025 Dolphin Surf Comfort are not yet available, BYD typically equips its vehicles with a solid suite of safety tech. Expect the Comfort trim to come standard with essentials like automatic emergency braking, lane-keeping assist, and a rearview camera. Higher-spec features like adaptive cruise control and blind-spot monitoring might also be included or available, ensuring peace of mind whether you're navigating tight city streets or cruising on the highway. Always check final US specs if it arrives.

Warranty & Maintenance Coverage

If the BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort splashes into the US, expect warranty coverage competitive with other EVs. This would likely include a comprehensive vehicle warranty of around 4 years/50,000 miles and a dedicated battery warranty, potentially 8 years/100,000 miles, covering against significant degradation. Powertrain coverage might mirror the battery terms. Details on complimentary maintenance would be confirmed upon a US launch, but BYD's Blade Battery is known for its durability, hinting at potentially lower long-term maintenance concerns. Reliability should be solid, given BYD's growing global reputation.

How powerful is it? How fast does it accelerate?

The BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) achieves a 0 to 60 mph acceleration in 8.7 seconds (placing it at Nº71 out of 119 ranked positions, among 987 electric vehicles, with some cars sharing positions) and attains a maximum speed of 93 mph.

Its powertrain provides a power output of up to 115 kW (154 hp) and a torque of 162 lb-ft.

How far can it go on single charge? What is the real-world range?

BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) achieves a real-world range of 164 miles, placing it at №206 among 268 ranked positions. However, this range is subject to several influences:

- Speed: Traveling at higher speeds reduces battery life.
- Temperature: Extreme cold or hot weather can affect range.
- Terrain: Hilly or mountainous landscapes decrease range.
- Driving habits: Aggressive driving with frequent acceleration and braking consumes more energy.
- Feature usage: Climate control and media systems also influence range.

It's important to acknowledge that these are estimations, and your actual driving range may differ. Consider these factors when planning your trip and be ready for potential charging stops.

Utilize the interactive EV Navigation map for trip planning assistance.

What charging options are available? How long does it take to

charge it?

The BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) in the USA comes with a CCS Type 2 charging port. It can be charged at home using a standard domestic socket or at any public AC charging station with the compatible cable. It's important to note that the car's on-board charger (inverter) limits the maximum AC charging rate to 11 kW, resulting in approximately 38 miles of range added per hour of charging.

For significantly faster charging, public DC fast-charging stations are available. Although the car can achieve a maximum DC charging rate of 85 kW, factors such as battery temperature and charge level may affect the actual charging speed.

Use EV Charging Calculator to estimate charging time, rate, and cost.

How big is it? What are the dimensions (length, width, height)?

The size and weight specifications for BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) are as follows:

• Length: 157.1 in

• Width: 77.6 in (including side mirrors) or 67.7 in (excluding side mirrors)

• Height: 62.6 in

• Wheelbase: 98.4 in (distance between the center of the front and rear wheels)

• Curb weight: 3064 lbs (weight of the empty car, no people or cargo)

How much cargo space does it offer? Does it have a front trunk?

The rear cargo area of the BYD Dolphin Surf Comfort (2025-...) provides 10.9 cubic feet of space when the rear seats are upright (Nº140 out of 168 ranked positions, among 987 electric vehicles, with some cars sharing positions).

Folding these seats down unlocks a maximum cargo capacity of 36.6 cubic feet (Nº168 out of 202 ranked positions, among 987 electric vehicles, with some cars sharing positions).

The car doesn't have a "frunk" (front trunk).

Is it suitable for towing? What is the maximum towing capacity?

The car isn't officially rated for towing.

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