

High on performance, safe on the envirement

Tata Motors Range of CNG Buses

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The rapid industrialisation of India in recent years has triggered its high economic growth. This in turn has led to a boom in private and public transportation, leading to an increase in the number of cars and buses on road. The result is traffic congestion and, consequently, noise and air pollution, especially in cities.

The need of the hour is to reduce dependence on private vehicles by offering a clean and efficient means of public transportation that spends less on fuel. The Government of India is encouraging the manufacture of such vehicles, leading to a growing demand for CNG buses that are sleek, comfortable and highly fuel efficient. It is expected that more and more private car owners will switch to CNG buses for their daily commute, leading to a reduction in traffic congestion and pollution.

Moreover, a CNG bus offers several advantages over a regular bus. It is a cleaner means of transportation, thanks to higher fuel efficiency, lesser emission, and lesser running & maintenance costs. Above all, it is an environment-friendly vehicle.







CNG buses have come a long way

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In India, CNG buses are catching on in many cities as a means of cleaner and more fuel efficient transportation, especially with state transport undertakings. The first CNG bus introduced in India met BS II emission standards; thereafter, these buses evolved to meet BS IV standards. On its part, Tata Motors made its first contribution to the cause of clean transportation in 1999, when it introduced the 1510 CNG BS II Chassis in Delhi. Since then, the Company has constantly innovated and diversified its portfolio of CNG buses, manufactured at its modern, fully equipped plant in Lucknow, U.P.

Tata CNG Buses in India & abroad

A wide range of Tata CNG Buses are available in Low Floor and Semi Low Floor models, for Bus Rapid Transit System (BRTS) and public transportation in cities. What's more, these buses are being exported abroad in a big way. Today the CNG portfolio of Tata Motors has grown to include:

- CNG Chassis in 4-ton, 9-ton & 16-ton options
- Fully Built CNG Buses available in 24-seater to 40-seater capacities
- CNG City Buses with customised seating as per customer needs in standard floor height and low floor options

The latest addition to the Tata Motors CNG portfolio is **Starbus Hybrid** - the CNG Electric Parallel Hybrid Bus.



Continuing an innovative journey

Tata Motors has always been known for its track record of innovation, which has enabled it to offer vehicles that meet the needs of customers in various segments. The same tradition continues with its portfolio of CNG buses in which it has now incorporated the **Sequential Gas Injection (SGI)** technology.

Engine Technology - Sequential Gas Injection

A highly successful technology in cars, SGI is a first for commercial vehicles in India. This technology ensures better fuel economy, thanks to the use of two unique strategies:

- **Skip firing strategy** During idling, half the cylinders are de-activated, to save on fuel consumption.
- Fuel cut-off at deceleration Fuel cut-off during deceleration & zero pedal condition, to decrease fuel consumption.

This is besides other **engine features** that include separate intake runner and separate exhaust port for each cylinder. The prime one is based on drive-by-wire technology, also known as **electronic throttle control.**

New Gear-Driven Compressor

The new gear-driven compressor in the Tata Range of CNG Buses offers three major advantages. It increases fuel efficiency, reduces failures caused by belt warpage, and ensures the supply of air, unlike in belt-driven compressors where air supply is dependent on the condition of the belt.







Electronic Throttle Control



Gear-Driven Compressor

The bus to a world of customer benefits

With their innovative SGI technology and eco-friendly features, Tata CNG Buses offer many benefits to customers, such as:

- Better fuel economy
 Lower maintenance costs
 - Robust and reliable engines with better performance
 - Inbuilt vehicle road speed limiter (RSL)
- Better vehicle transient response & driveability
 - Onboard diagnostics
 Full electronic control

Features that stand apart





oil - On Plug & Stepper Moto





Fast Filling Points

Tata CNG Buses come with a host of features that make them stand out for their performance and eco-friendly advantages.

ACE - ECU: Controls the Stepper motor & pressure regulator, for efficient & effective performance.

Coil-On Plug: The coils are mounted directly on the spark plug, thereby reducing the electricals - for easy fault diagnosis system, with higher uptime and low maintenance.

Stepper Motor: This distribution-less ignition system ensures perfect gas-air mixing for maintenance-free efficient operation.

Catalytic Converter: Ensures safety with complete combustion of unburnt gases, if any, and also meets emission norms.

Clutch Booster: Reduces clutch pedal effort by 30%, leading to reduced driver fatigue and more clutch life.

Igniter ECU: The ignition is electronically controlled by the igniter ECU, leading to reliable & efficient engine performance.

High Pressure Filter & Solenoid: System fitted with high pressure CNG filter and high pressure solenoid, for additional safety.

Slow & Fast Filling Points: User-friendly options of slow & fast filling, to enable CNG filling at all CNG stations.

Swagelock Fittings: Superior leak proof and high reliability cylinder valves & piping fitted with safety device.

Battery Cut-Off: Battery cut-off switch to enhance safety standards as it disconnects the electricals from the system when the bus is stationary or at night halt.

Anti-Roll Bar: Prevents rolling tendency of the bus, thereby adding to safety & stability at high speeds, ghat sections & rough roads.



Battery Cut-off





Additional safety measures

Tata CNG Buses are equipped with additional safety features that ensure peace of mind, such as:

CNG Cylinder Valve

CNG High Pressure Service Shut-off Valve

NGV Receptacles

CNG High Pressure Regulator

CNG Pipelines (High Pressure)





Unmatched offering from two renowned names

Tata Marcopolo Motors Limited (TMML), the company that brings you Starbus, is a joint venture between Tata Motors Ltd. and Marcopolo S.A., Brazil. Tata Motors needs no introduction as India's largest automobile company and the world's second largest bus manufacturing company. Today, Tata Motors has a significant presence in Asia, Europe, Africa and Latin America, with over one million buses running on Indian and foreign roads. On the other hand, Marcopolo S.A., Brazil is the world leader in body building for buses and coaches.

Together, Tata Motors and Marcopolo S.A., Brazil have brought a unique blend of customised features to Starbus. These features make Starbus the best-in-class bus that's suited for different applications, including transportation of office staff and school children, and transfers of hotel guests.

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CNG

LP 407/34

Engine	Tata 3.8 SGI BS IV Engine;
	Water-cooled naturally-aspirated,
	direct injection CNG engine
Max. Power	62 Kw (85 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	270 Nm @ 1200-1500 rpm
Gearbox	GBS-27 synchromesh; 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	280 mm single plate dry friction type
Suspension	Semi-elliptical leaf spring at front and rear;
	hydraulic double acting telescopic type
	at front and rear; anti-roll bar (front & rear)
Tyre Size	7.5 x 16 - 16 PR Radial
Steering	Power steering
Brakes	Vaccum-assisted dual circuit hydraulic
	with tandem master cylinder
CNG Cylinder Capacity	310 litres / 245 litres / 180 litres
Wheelbase	3400 mm
Front Overhang	1275 mm
Rear Overhang	1940 mm
Overall Length	6615 mm
Max. Width	2140 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	12.3 m
Max. Speed	94 kmph
GVW	6520 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 120 Ah;



LP 909/49

Engine	Tata 3.8 SGI BS IV Engine;
	Water-cooled naturally-aspirated,
	direct injection CNG engine
Max. Power	62 Kw (85 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	270 Nm @ 1500-1800 rpm
Gearbox	GBS-27 synchromesh, 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	280 mm single plate dry friction type
Suspension	Semi-elliptical leaf spring at front and rear;
	hydraulic double acting telescopic type at front
	and rear; anti-roll bar (front & rear)
Tyre Size	8.25 x 16 -16 PR
Steering	Power steering
Brakes	Dual circuit full air S-Cam brake
CNG Cylinder Capacity	480 litres / 390 litres / 300 litres
Wheelbase	4920 mm
Front Overhang	1275 mm
Rear Overhang	2700 mm
Overall Length	8895 mm
Max. Width	2140 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	17.5 m
Max. Speed	84 kmph
GVW	9400 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 150 Ah;
	Alternator capacity: 65 Amps



LPO 1613/55

Engine	Tata 5.7 SGI BS IV;
	Water-cooled, Stoichiometric,
	naturally-aspirated CNG Engine
Max. Power	96 Kw (130 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	405 Nm @ 1250-1500 rpm
Gearbox	G-40 synchromesh; 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	330 mm single plate dry friction type
Suspension	Front - Weveller semi-elliptical leaf spring;
	Rear - leaf spring / pneumatic suspension;
	anti-roll bar at front & rear
Tyre Size	11 R 22.5 - 16 PR
Steering	Power-assisted hydraulic
Brakes	Dual circuit full air S-cam NGT brake system
CNG Cylinder Capacity	5 cylinders - 650 litres
Wheelbase	5545 mm
Front Overhang	2250 mm
Rear Overhang	3325 mm
Overall Length	11120 mm
Max. Width	2434 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	20.4 m
Max. Speed	75 kmph
GVW	16200 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 150 Ah;
	Alternator capacity: 90 Amps



Starbus 24 CNG & Starbus Skool 26 CNG

Chassis Platform	LP 407 / 34 BS IV CNG
Engine	Tata 3.8 SGI BS IV Engine;
	Water-cooled naturally-aspirated,
	direct injection CNG engine
Max. Power	62 Kw (85 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	270 Nm @ 1200-1500 rpm
Gearbox	GBS-27 synchromesh; 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	280 mm single plate dry friction type
Suspension	Semi-elliptical leaf spring at front and rear;
	hydraulic double acting telescopic type
	shock absorber at front and rear; anti-roll bar (front & rear)
Tyre Size	7.5 x 16 -16 PR Radial
Steering	Hydraulic power steering
Brakes	Vaccum-assisted dual circuit hydraulic
	with tandem master cylinder
CNG Cylinder Capacity	310 litres / 245 litres / 180 litres
Wheelbase	3400 mm
Front Overhang	1430 mm
Rear Overhang	2040 mm
No. of Seats	24/26
Max. Width	2200 mm
Passenger Door	1 jack knife type
Overall Length	6870 mm
Overall Height in Laden Condition	2865 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	12.3 m
Max. Speed	94 kmph
GVW	6520 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 120 Ah; Alternator Capacity: 65 Amps



Starbus 40 CNG & Starbus Skool 40 CNG

Chassis Platform	LP 909 / 49 BS IV CNG
Engine	Tata 3.8 SGI BS IV Engine;
	Water-cooled direct gas injection
	CNG engine; 3784 cc
Max. Power	62 Kw (85 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	270 Nm @ 1500-1800 rpm
Gearbox	GBS-27 synchromesh; 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	280 mm; single plate dry friction type
Suspension	Semi-elliptical leaf spring at front and rear;
	hydraulic double acting telescopic type
	at front and rear; anti-roll bar (front & rear)
Tyre Size	8.25 x 16 -16 PR
Steering	Hydraulic power steering
Brakes	Dual circuit full air S-Cam brake
CNG Cylinder Capacity	480 litres / 390 litres / 300 litres
Wheelbase	4920 mm
Front Overhang	1430 mm
Rear Overhang	2952 mm
No. of Seats	40
Max. Width	2200 mm
Passenger Door	1 jack knife type
Overall Length	9300 mm
Overall Height In Laden Condition	2870 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	17.5 m
Max. Speed	84 kmph
GVW	9400 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 150 Ah;
	Alternator Capacity: 65 Amps



CNG Low Entry City Bus on LPO 1623

Chassis Platform	LPO 1623 BS IV Rear Engine CNG
Engine	BG + 230 Cummins BS IV; Water-cooled,
	turbo-charged inter-cooled CNG Engine;
	in-built hydrodynamic retarder
Max. Power	172 Kw (231 HP) at 2800 rpm
Max. Torque	678 Nm at 1600 rpm
Gearbox	Allison's automatic transmission; T 270 R Deep Sump
Clutch Diameter	NA
Suspension	Pneumatic suspension at front & rear;
	hydraulic double acting telescopic type shock absorber
	at front and rear
Tyre Size	11 R 22.5 Radial
Steering	Hydraulic power steering
Brakes	Dual circuit, full air S-CAM brake at rear,
	disc brake at front
No. of CNG Cylinders	9 nos. of CNG cylinders, 80 litres water capacity
Wheelbase	6300 mm
Front Overhang	2490 mm
Rear Overhang	3150 mm
No. of Seats	Standard - 35; customised options available
Max. Width	2600 mm
Passenger Door	Inswing front door, outswing rear door
Overall Length	12000 mm
Overall Height in Laden Condition	3350 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	20200 mm
Max. Speed	72 kmph
GVW	16000 kg
Electricals	2 x 12 V, 150 Ah; Alternator Capacity 75 Amps



CNG City Bus on LPO 1613

Chassis Platform	LPO 1613 BS IV CNG
Engine	Tata 5.7 SGI Bharat Stage IV.
	Water-cooled, Stoichiometric,
	naturally-aspirated, CNG Engine
Max. Power	96 Kw (130 HP) @ 2500 rpm
Max. Torque	405 Nm at 1250-1500 rpm
Gearbox	G-40 synchromesh; 5 forward + 1 reverse
Clutch Diameter	330 mm
Suspension	Front - Weveller semi elliptical leaf spring,
	Rear - leaf spring / pneumatic suspension;
	anti roll bar at front & rear
Tyre Size	11 R 22.5 - 16 PR
Steering	Power-assisted hydraulic
Brakes	Dual circuit full air S-cam
	NGT brake system
CNG Cylinder Capacity	5 cylinders - 650 L
Wheelbase	5545 mm
Front Overhang	2250 mm
Rear Overhang	3325 mm
No. of Seats	Standard - 35; customised options available
Max. Width	2434 mm
Passenger Door	Inswing front door, outswing rear door
Overall Length	11120 mm
Overall Height In Laden Condition	3350 mm
Turning Circle Diameter	20400 mm
Max. Speed	75 kmph
GVW	16200 kg
Electricals	Battery: 12 Volts, 150 Ah; Alternator Capacity: 90 Amps



24-seater





35-seater



40-seater



Tata Bus Terminus

A single source for a range of services

Interaction with multiple vendors and agencies in building a bus and subsequent servicing of the body and chassis can often become a nightmare. Tata Motors, with its range of fully-built buses, offers a one-stop solution for bus buyers - the Tata Bus Terminus.

Services include:

- Easy Finance Schemes that facilitate hassle-free purchase
- Choice of a range of fully-built buses, along with spares and accessories, not only for the chassis but also for the complete bus
- The **Sampoorna Seva Package** provides maintenance facilities, including repair services, overall maintenance, genuine spares and breakdown services for the bus
- A Nationwide Service Network enables you to access our nearest service partners, Tata Motors channel partners or Tata Motors branches conveniently, wherever you are

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