

User instructions

Opel/Vauxhall child seat with transponders

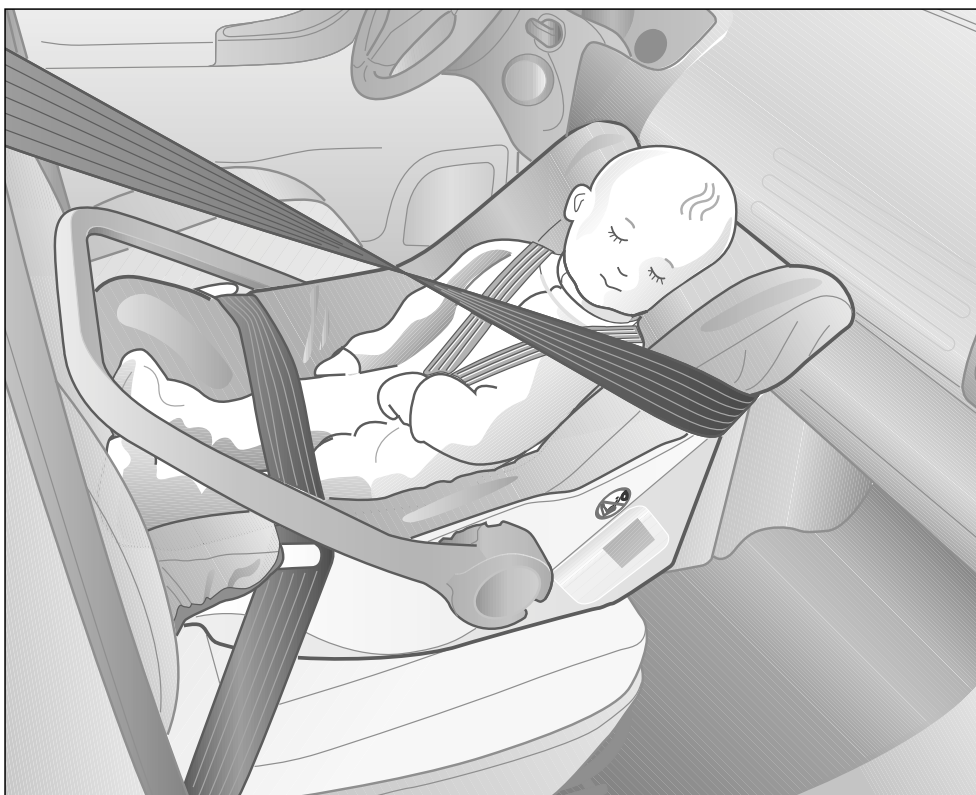
Weight category: 0
(up to body weight of 10 kg, aged 0 to approx. 10 months old)

As specified in ECE Regulation No. 44 03, this child safety system is approved for use in Opel/Vauxhall vehicles on the rear seat or passenger seat with seat occupied detection facing against the direction of travel.

The vehicle seats must be fitted with 3-point safety belts with automatic retractor and lock which are approved as specified in ECE Regulation No. 16 or in other comparable standards.

The child seat can be fitted to the passenger seat in the following Opel/Vauxhall vehicles:

Astra G, Omega B, Zafira A
with seat occupied detection in each model as of Model Year 2000



Caution:

When using the Opel/Vauxhall child seat in other vehicles without seat occupied detection, the child seat must under no circumstances be installed on the passenger seat if airbag systems are located on the passenger side.

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Important safety measures

This child safety system is approved as specified in the European standard for child restraint systems, ECE Regulation No. 44.03. The certification mark and the registration number can be found on the orange label. Opel/Vauxhall child safety systems with transponders can be identified by the label on the child seat.

Caution:

The standard languages on the label are English, German and French. If necessary, a label in the respective national language must be adhered over the label supplied (illus. 9). Appropriate labels are provided.

Use on the front passenger's seat:

An additional label on the passenger seat (illus. 7) indicates that your passenger seat is fitted with a seat occupied detection system. Opel/Vauxhall child safety systems with transponders are automatically detected when correctly installed on the passenger seat and deactivate the airbag systems for the passenger side. It is important to note the telltale for seat occupied detection.

Caution: Ensure correct installation position (illus. 10).

An Opel/Vauxhall child safety system with transponders is indicated by constant illumination of the telltale once the ignition is switched on and as soon as the seat occupied detection has detected the child seat. If the child safety system is not correctly installed or the transponders are defective, the telltale flashes. Check correct installation of the child safety system with transponders. If the fault is not rectified by checking the installation position, install the child safety system on the rear seat. Consult an authorised Opel/Vauxhall workshop to eliminate the cause of the fault. If the telltale does not illuminate during travel, the airbag systems have not been deactivated for the passenger. Install child safety system on rear seat. Consult an authorised Opel/Vauxhall workshop to eliminate the cause of the fault.

See vehicle Owner's Manual for seat occupied detection, telltale for Opel/Vauxhall child safety systems with transponders and operation of airbag system deactivation.

To avoid malfunctions, do not place objects (e.g. foil, stickers, heater mats or seat covers) under the child safety system when on the passenger seat.



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For daily use

The user instructions must be strictly observed. It is not permitted to modify the child safety system in any way as this will impair the degree of safety offered. Never use the child safety system without the specified child seat cover or upholstery material. Do not replace these materials with others which have not been specified by the manufacturer. The cover or upholstery materials are important components for the safety function of the child safety system.

Never leave your child unsupervised in the child safety system.

Give your child short breaks when driving on long journeys and ensure that your child never gets out of the vehicle on the driver's side when unsupervised. Use the child locks on the rear vehicle doors.

Installing the child safety system

Please note that all belts for fastening the child safety system must always be securely tensioned. The belts restraining the child must also be pulled tight and must not be twisted. Slack belts considerably reduce the degree of safety offered and experience demonstrates that this subjects the child's body to considerably greater forces in the event of an accident. Keep the accessory components for the child safety system in a safe place and ensure that individual parts are not lost during the installation procedure. Hard and plastic components of the child safety system must be located so they cannot be trapped in vehicle doors or by adjustable seats during daily use.

Securing objects

Objects must be sufficiently secured - see information in vehicle Owner's Manual. Do not place objects on the rear shelf - they can become dangerous projectiles in the event of an accident. If you transport the child safety system in the car without a child, it must be secured with a safety belt.

Securing passengers

Always ensure that all passengers are wearing a seat belt. Passengers not wearing a seat belt can present a considerable hazard to children secured in the child safety system.

Following an accident

Replace your child safety system if it is subjected to an accident.

Environment

All materials are free from HCFCs.



Adapting Opel/Vauxhall child seat to the child

Adjusting the size (illus. 1)

The four-point belts on the child seat are suitable for smaller children. If your child is older, the belt must be adjusted to the child's size. Use the belt slots located nearest to your child's shoulder. To adjust height, pull both shoulder belts backwards through the slots. Guide shoulder belts through slots into requisite position. The belts must not be twisted.



Securing the child

Step 1: Securing with the 4-point seat belt (illus. 2)

Open the seat-belt buckle for the 4-point seat belt and place the child in the child seat. Check whether the 4-point seat belt is adjusted to the size of the child. Lay the upper sections of the belt over the child's shoulders. Pull the crotch belt upwards between the child's legs by pulling on the seat-belt buckle. Fit both buckle latches together precisely and insert this assembly in the seat-belt buckle so that it audibly engages.

Step 2: Adjusting the length of the 4-point seat belt (illus. 3)

To adjust length, pull belt at the back of the child seat or press and release the metal tab. The belt must sit firmly on the body without being too tight. The closer the belt is against the child, the more protection it offers in the event of an accident.



Installing Opel/Vauxhall child seat in the vehicle

Fastening the child seat (illus. 4)

Place tilting handle for child seat in upright position. Place child seat with child (strapped in) on seat facing against the direction of travel. Align child seat – as shown in illustration 10.

Illustration 11 shows incorrect installation position.

Adjust the backrest of the passenger seat, as recommended in the vehicle Owner's Manual. Adjust the seat surface as horizontal as possible on vehicles with inclination-adjustable passenger seats.

Note the telltale for Opel/Vauxhall child safety system with transponders, see vehicle Owner's Manual.

If applicable, adjust the vehicle safety belt height adjuster to the lowest position. Pull vehicle seat belt out of retractor and guide lap belt through both guide tabs to side bolster of child seat.

Insert belt lock.

Open tab on back of child seat to one side (illus. 5). Guide shoulder belt of vehicle seat belt around the outside of the backrest of the child seat and through the open tab. Pull vehicle seat belt taught and close tab.

Press tilting handle downwards to disengage and fold in direction of vehicle seat back (illus. 6).

The vehicle seat belt must be pulled tight after each adjustment of the vehicle seat.

This concludes the installation procedure.

Finally, check once again whether the child seat is properly secured.

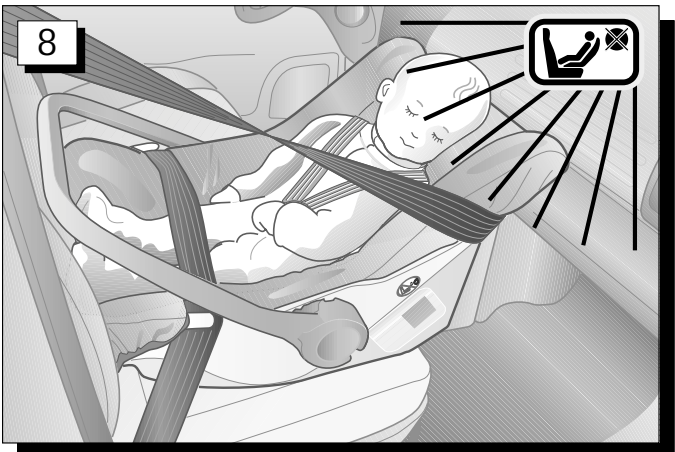
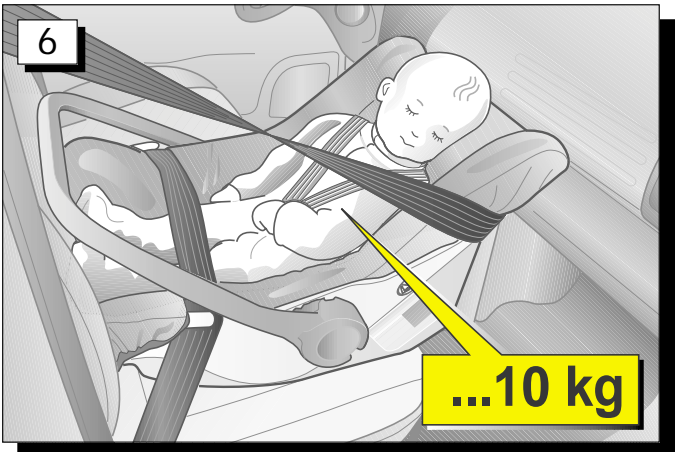
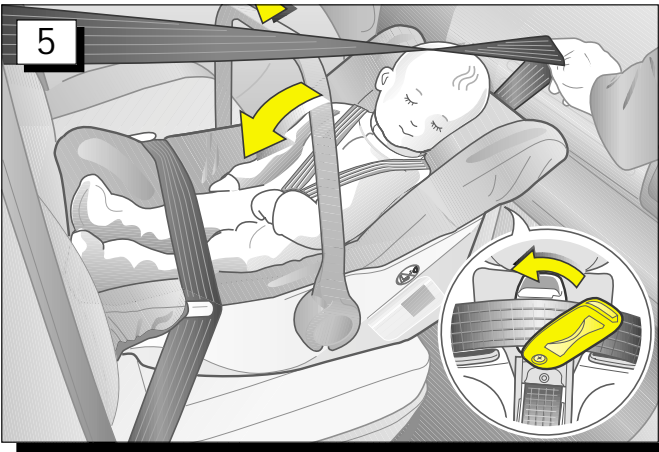
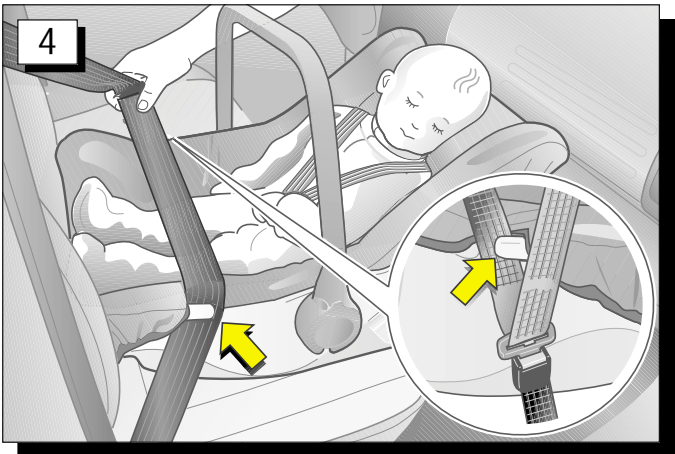
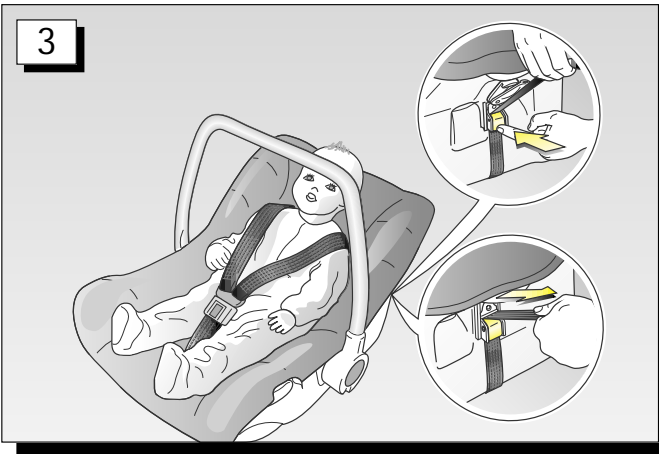
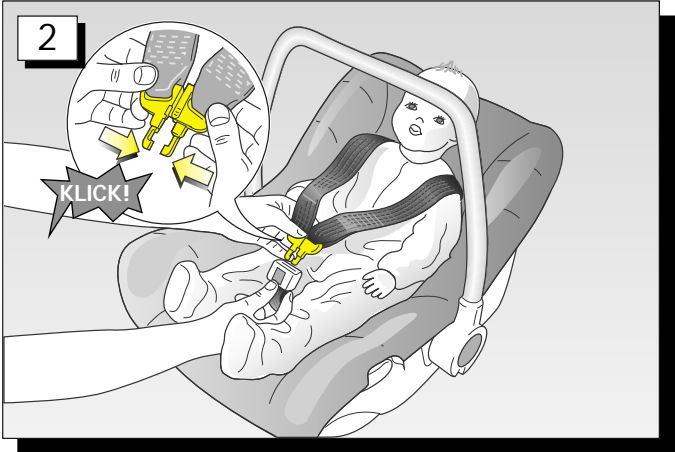
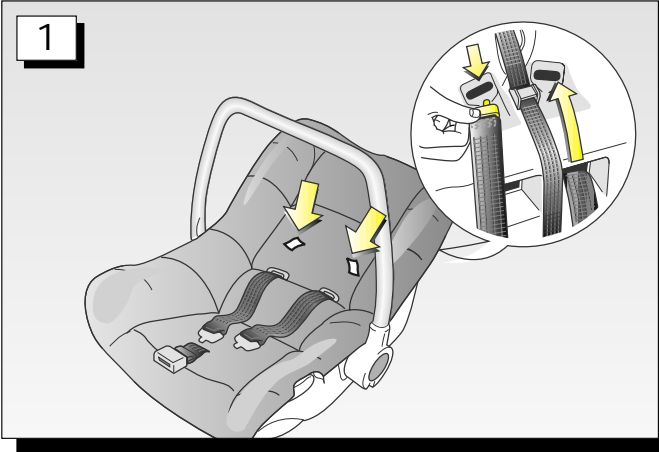
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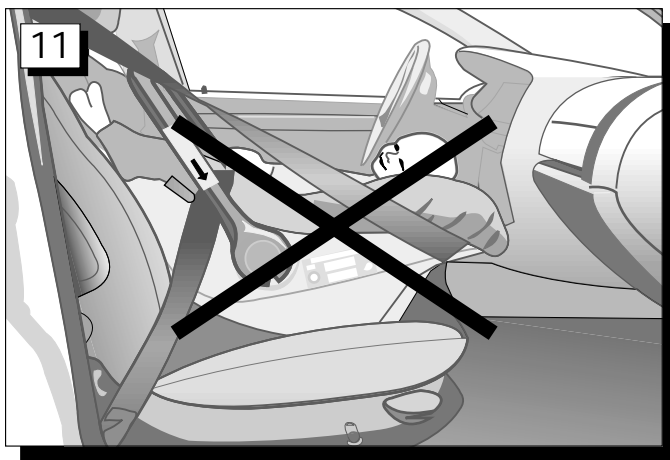
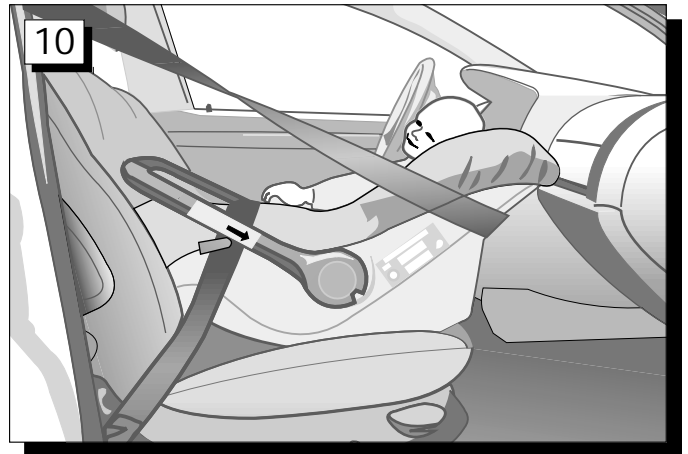
Basic stain removal:

Only wipe from the outer edge of the stain towards the centre of the stain in order to prevent it leaving permanent traces.

Stain removal table for special types of stains:

Type of stain	Procedure
Blood	Treat with cold saline solution (mixture: 2 teaspoons of cooking salt to 1 litre of water), dab with a cloth and treat with a mild, commercially available upholstery shampoo if necessary. Wash out with clean water.
Butter	Lift off using blunt side of a knife blade. Dab off the remaining residue and remove with a commercially available stain remover if necessary.
Vomit	Wash off with cold water.
Fruit or berry stains	Wash off with commercially available upholstery shampoo and rinse with clean water.
Chewing gum	Remove using blunt side of a knife blade. Spray any remaining stain with a commercially available freezing spray and remove by brushing or through abrasion.
Ketchup	Lift off using blunt side of a knife blade, dab off residue and treat with a commercially available upholstery shampoo if necessary.
Mud	Lift off using blunt side of a knife blade. Allow residue to dry and remove with vacuum cleaner. Treat with a commercially available upholstery shampoo if necessary.
Soft drinks	Dab the liquid off immediately with an absorbent cloth, tissue or sponge.
Drinking chocolate or coffee	Wash out with commercially available upholstery shampoo and rinse with water.
Urine, mucus, or sweat	Dab off. Remove residue with a commercially available upholstery shampoo. Wash out with water.





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