



The Q5 launched in 2009 and is Audi's 2-row crossover that fits between the smaller Q3 and larger 3-row Q7. It is available with a choice of three trim levels, Premium, Premium Plus and Prestige. It comes with the choice of a 2.0-liter turbocharged 4-cylinder or 3.0-liter supercharged V-6 engine. An 8-speed automatic transmission and quattro® all-wheel drive is standard on all models.

The RDX competes with both the Q5 2.0 TFSI (4-cylinder) and Q5 3.0 TFSI (V-6) models. The RDX offers more standard and available features along with a 2-wheel-drive version for clients who don't need all-wheel drive. While the Q5 offers many similar technologies, they are extra-cost items that add significantly to the price of the vehicle.

Acura RDX advantages over Audi Q5 3.0 TFSI quattro®

- The RDX uses a larger-displacement V-6 engine that doesn't require an expensive turbocharger or supercharger to generate power.
- Standard Variable Cylinder Management™ (VCM®) for improved fuel efficiency
- More horsepower vs. Q5 2.0 (279 hp vs. 220 hp)
- The RDX offers both 2-wheel drive and all-wheel drive (vs. AWD only).
- More front and rear shoulder room (58.7/57.2 inches vs. 57.7/56.4 inches)
- More front and rear legroom (42.0/38.3 inches vs. 41.0/37.4 inches)
- More rear cargo room with the second-row seats folded (61.3 cu. ft.¹ vs. 57.3 cu. ft.)
- Better powertrain warranty (6 years/70,000 miles vs. 4 years/50,000 miles)
- The RDX comes with a host of standard and available features that you won't find on the Q5:
 - Standard LED headlights
 - Available GPS-linked² climate control when equipped with navigation
 - Available remote engine start
 - Standard Active Sound Control
 - Available Forward Collision Warning (FCW) system³
 - Available Lane Departure Warning (LDW) system⁴
 - Available Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)⁵
 - Available Rear Cross Traffic Monitor⁶
 - Available Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)⁷
 - Standard Pandora®⁸
 - Available Song By Voice® and standard Aha™⁹ compatibility
 - Standard Traffic Rerouting™¹⁰ when equipped with navigation
 - Standard SMS text message¹¹
 - Available On Demand Multi-Use Display™ (ODMD™)
- In addition, you'll have to pay extra on the Q5 to get these standard RDX features:
 - Paddle shifters
 - Multi-view rear camera⁶ (vs. single-view)
 - Bluetooth® Streaming Audio¹²

Audi Q5 advantages over Acura RDX

- More torque on Q5 3.0 (295 lb-ft vs. 252 lb-ft)
- Standard 8-speed automatic transmission (vs. 6-speed)
- Standard panoramic moonroof (vs. standard moonroof)
- Available 12-way power front seats
- Standard 3-zone climate control (vs. dual-zone)
- More cargo room¹ with the second-row seats up (29.1 cubic feet vs. 26.1 cubic feet)
- Larger fuel capacity (19.8 gallons vs. 16.0 gallons)
- Higher towing capacity (4400 lb. vs. 1500 lb.)
- Longer corrosion warranty (12 years/unlimited miles vs. 5 years/unlimited miles)

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- 1 Based on SAE J1100 cargo volume measurement standard.
- 2 Acura Navigation System and related features available only in the United States, Puerto Rico and parts of Canada. See your local Acura dealer for information regarding navigation system area coverage.
- 3 FCW cannot detect all objects ahead and may not detect a given object; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed and other factors. System operation affected by extreme interior heat. FCW does not include a braking function. Driver remains responsible for safely operating vehicle and avoiding collisions.
- 4 LDW only alerts drivers when lane drift is detected without a turn signal in use. LDW may not detect all lane markings or lane departures; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed and road condition. System operation affected by extreme interior heat. Driver remains responsible for safely operating vehicle and avoiding collisions.
- 5 LKAS only assists driver in maintaining proper lane position when lane markings are identified without a turn signal in use and can only apply mild steering torque to assist. LKAS may not detect all lane markings; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed and road condition. System operation affected by extreme interior heat. Driver remains responsible for safely operating vehicle and avoiding collisions.
- 6 Always visually confirm that it is safe to drive before backing up, as the rearview camera and Rear Cross Traffic Monitor (if present) may not provide complete information about conditions at the rear of your vehicle.
- 7 The CMBS™ is designed to reduce the severity of an unavoidable collision. It does not prevent all collisions nor stop the vehicle automatically. CMBS cannot detect all objects ahead and may not detect a given object; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed and other factors. System operation affected by high interior heat. Driver remains responsible for safely operating vehicle and avoiding collisions. The system has three alert stages for a possible collision. Depending on the circumstances or CMBS settings, CMBS may not go through all of the stages before initiating the last stage.
- 8 Compatible with select smartphones. Your wireless carrier's rate plans apply.
- 9 Compatible smartphone required. All Aha platform feeds are audible, not visual in nature. Vehicle does not provide any feeds. Some state laws prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle. Launch smartphone applications only when the vehicle is safely parked. Aha is a trademark of HARMAN International Industries, Inc. Your wireless carrier's rates may apply.
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