

# 2012 MX-5 Miata

## Engine & Mechanical



■ Standard 
 ■ Package Option 
 ■ Stand-Alone Option 
 ■ Accessory 
 --- Not Available



### MX-5 MIATA AT A GLANCE



#### ENGINE TYPE

167-hp†, MZR 2.0L DOHC 16-valve 4-cylinder engine with variable valve timing (VVT)



#### CONVERTIBLE OPTIONS

Choice of soft top or Power Retractable Hard Top (PRHT)



#### FUEL EFFICIENCY

22/28 city/hwy — 5-speed MT‡

21/28 city/hwy — 6-speed MT‡

21/28 city/hwy — 6-speed AT‡



#### SAFETY FEATURES

Standard advanced front air bags and side-impact air bags\*\*

2012 MX-5 Miata	Sport	Touring	Grand Touring
<b>Engine</b>			
Engine type	MZR 2.0L DOHC 16-valve 4-cylinder engine with VVT		
<b>Horsepower</b>			
- Manual transmission	167 hp @ 7000 rpm		
- Automatic transmission	158 hp @ 6700 rpm		
Torque	140 lb-ft @ 5000 rpm		
<b>Redline</b>			
- Manual transmission	7200 rpm		
- Automatic transmission	6700 rpm		
Displacement (cc)	1999		
Bore x stroke (mm)	87.5 x 83.1		
Compression ratio	10.8:1		
Fuel system	Electronically controlled multiport fuel injection with tuned air intake		
Recommended fuel	Premium unleaded		
Valve train	Chain-driven dual overhead cams, 4 valves per cylinder with variable intake valve timing (VVT)		
Ignition system	Direct coil-on-plug electronic ignition with platinum-tipped spark plugs		
Engine block	Aluminum alloy		
Cylinder head	Aluminum alloy		
Crankshaft	Forged steel		
Connecting rods	Forged steel		
Emission control type (Fed/Cal)	Tier2 - BIN5 / ULEV-2		
<b>Fuel Economy</b>			
Manual transmission (city/hwy)‡	22/28		21/28
Automatic transmission (city/hwy)‡		21/28	
<b>Drivetrain</b>			
Type	Rear-wheel drive (RWD)		
Manual transmission	5-speed with short-throw shifter		6-speed close-ratio with short-throw shifter
Automatic transmission	6-speed Sport with Adaptive Shift Logic and steering-wheel-mounted paddle shifters		
Differential	Available torque-sensing limited-slip (manual transmission only)		
<b>Gear Ratios (:1)</b>	5MT	6MT	6AT
1st	3.14	3.82	3.54
2nd	1.89	2.26	2.06
3rd	1.33	1.64	1.40

4th	1.00	1.18	1.00
5th	0.81	1.00	0.71
6th	--	0.79	0.58
Reverse	3.76	3.60	3.17
Final drive	4.10	4.10	4.10
<b>Chassis</b>			
Frame	Aluminum Power Plant Frame		
Brakes	4-wheel disc		
- Front	11.4-inch vented disc		
- Rear	11.0-inch solid disc with aluminum brake calipers		
- ABS	4-wheel, 4-channel with Electronic Brakeforce Distribution (EBD) and Brake Assist		
Steering type	Rack-and-pinion		
Power assist	Hydraulic Power Assist Steering (HPAS)		
Overall steering ratio	15.0:1		
Steering wheel turns, lock-to-lock	2.7		
Turning circle diameter, curb-to-curb (ft)	30.8		
Suspension	4-wheel independent		
- Front	Double wishbone, coil springs with stabilizer bar		
- Rear	Multilink with stabilizer bar		
- Stabilizer bar (front)	Hollow		
- Stabilizer bar (rear)	Solid		
- Springs	Available sport-tuned coil springs		
- Front strut tower brace	--	Standard	
Shock absorbers	Gas-filled, double acting; available Bilstein®		
Wheel size (in)	16 x 6.5	17 x 7.0	
Tire size	P205/50R16 V-speed-rated radial tires	P205/45R17 W-speed-rated radial tires	
<b>Weights &amp; Capacities</b>			
Curb weight (lbs)			
- Manual transmission	2447	2480	2511
- Automatic transmission	-	2542	2542
Weight distribution (front/rear)	52/48		
Fuel capacity (gallons)	12.7		

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## Exterior

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2012 MX-5 Miata	Sport	Touring	Grand Touring
<b>Body</b>			
Halogen headlights	■	■	■
Xenon High-Intensity-Discharge (HID) low-beam headlights	--	--	■
Halogen fog lights	■††	■	■
Chrome grille surround	--	■	■
Lightweight aluminum-alloy hood and trunk lid	■	■	■
Variable-intermittent windshield wipers	■	■	■
Vinyl convertible top	■	■	--
Cloth convertible top	--	--	■
Dual power side mirrors	■	■	■
Body-color door handles	■	■	■
Glass rear window with defogger	■	■	■
Rear-fender-mounted antenna	■	■	■
Dual exhaust outlets with chrome tips	■	■	■
<b>Wheels &amp; Tires</b>			
16-inch aluminum-alloy wheels	■	--	--
17-inch aluminum-alloy wheels	--	■	■
P205/50R16 high-performance radial tires	■	--	--
P205/45R17 high-performance radial tires	--	■	■
Tire puncture repair kit (includes compressor, tire sealant, injection hose, spare valve core, valve core tool)	■	■	■
<b>Exterior Dimensions</b>			
Wheelbase (in)		91.7	
Track, front (in)		58.7	
Track, rear (in)		58.9	
Length (in)		157.3	
Width (in)		67.7	
Height (in)		49.0	
Minimum ground clearance, laden (in)		4.6	

Interior

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2012 MX-5 Miata	Sport	Touring	Grand Touring
<b>Comfort &amp; Convenience</b>			
Air conditioning	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>
Automatic climate control	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Power windows with driver's one-touch-down feature	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Passenger window one-touch-down feature	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Power door locks with 2-stage unlocking	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Cruise control with steering-wheel-mounted controls	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Bluetooth® hands-free phone capability††	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span>
Remote keyless entry with retractable key	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Mazda Advanced Keyless Entry & Start System	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span>
Auto-dimming rearview mirror with HomeLink®	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Tilt steering wheel	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Interior illumination — dome light, ignition switch and trunk	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Driver and passenger visor vanity mirrors	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Retractable wind blocker	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
12-volt power outlet	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Rear window defogger with timer	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
<b>Storage</b>			
Lockable glove compartment	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Center console storage with cup holder	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Door net pockets with bottle holders	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Lockable rear storage	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Driver and passenger behind-seat storage — covered	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Driver's seatback storage pocket	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
<b>Seating &amp; Trim</b>			
2-passenger seating	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
6-way adjustable driver's seat	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
4-way adjustable passenger seat	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Heated seats	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Cloth-trimmed seats	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>
Leather-trimmed seats	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Leather-wrapped steering wheel	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Leather-wrapped shift knob	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Leather-wrapped parking brake handle	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Silver interior accents	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Silver seatback bar accents	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Padded center console and door armrests	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Carpet floor mats	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
<b>Audio</b>			
AM/FM/CD/MP3-compatible stereo with 6 speakers	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>
AM/FM/in-dash 6-disc CD/MP3-compatible changer with 6 speakers	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>
Bose® audio system with AudioPilot® 2, AM/FM/in-dash 6-disc CD/MP3-compatible changer and 7 speakers	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #95a5a6;">--</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
SiriusXM Satellite Radio-compatible audio system***	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
SiriusXM Satellite Radio with free 4-month subscription	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span>	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span>	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span>
Auxiliary-audio input jack	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Steering-wheel-mounted audio controls	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
<b>Instrumentation</b>			
Speedometer, tachometer, oil pressure, coolant temperature and fuel gauge	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Dual trip odometers	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
Trip computer	<span style="color: #2980b9;">D</span> ††	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>	<span style="color: #e67e22;">S</span>
<b>Interior Dimensions &amp; Capacities</b>			

Headroom (in)	37.4
Shoulder room (in)	53.2
Hip room (in)	50.6
Legroom (in)	43.1
Cargo volume (cu ft)	5.3

Safety & Security

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<b>Safety</b>			
Advanced front air bags** with seat belt-use, passenger-weight and driver's seat-position sensors and passenger-side deactivation switch	■	■	■
Side-impact air bags**	■	■	■
3-point seat belts with pretensioners and force limiters	■	■	■
Anti-lock Brake System (ABS) with Electronic Brakeforce Distribution (EBD) and Brake Assist	■	■	■
Dynamic Stability Control (DSC)+++ and Traction Control System (TCS)	■	■	■
Side-impact door beams	■	■	■
Collapsible steering column	■	■	■
<b>Security</b>			
Engine-immobilizer antitheft system	■	■	■
Antitheft alarm system	--	--	■
Keyless remote panic button (on key fob)	■++	■	■
Tire-Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)	■	■	■
Tire puncture repair kit (includes compressor, tire sealant, injection hose, spare valve core, valve core tool)	■	■	■

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## Packages & Options

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<b>Packages &amp; Options</b>			
<b>Convenience Package</b> - Fog lights - Remote keyless entry and retractable key - Power door locks - Cruise control - Steering-wheel-mounted audio and cruise controls - One-touch-down passenger window - Trip computer - Silver seatback bars	□ ††	■	■
<b>Suspension Package</b> - Sport-tuned suspension - Bilstein® shock absorbers - Limited-slip differential (manual transmission only)	--	□	□
<b>Premium Package</b> - Xenon High-Intensity-Discharge (HID) low-beam headlights - Mazda Advanced Keyless Entry & Start System - Bluetooth® hands-free phone capability †† - SiriusXM Satellite Radio with free 4-month subscription - Antitheft alarm	--	--	□
<b>Exterior</b>			
<b>Appearance Package</b> (not available with splash guards) - Front air dam - Side sill skirts - Rear under skirt	□	□	□
Door edge guards	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
Chrome fuel-filler door	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
Splash guards front and rear (not available with Appearance Pkg)	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
Rear spoiler	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
Wheel locks	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
<b>Interior</b>			
Carpet Floor mats	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
All-weather floor mats	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■
Cargo net	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■ †††
Antitheft alarm with shock sensor	□ / ■ ††	□ / ■	□ / ■ †††
<b>Audio</b>			
In-Dash 6-disc CD/MP3-compatible changer	□ / ■	--	--
SiriusXM Satellite Radio with free 4-month subscription	□ / ■	□ / ■	□ / ■ †††

## Warranty

Every new Mazda comes with a comprehensive limited warranty that provides coverage in the unlikely event a repair is needed in the first years after your vehicle's purchase. We'll be right there with you all the time, wherever you go by providing warranty coverage and roadside assistance so that the total enjoyment of driving a Mazda never stops.

2012 Mazda Vehicles:  
Mazda Limited Warranty Coverage:

3-year/36,000-mile*	"Bumper-to-Bumper" Limited Warranty
5-year/60,000-mile*	Limited Powertrain Warranty
3-year/36,000-mile*	24/7 Roadside Assistance Program

\*Whichever comes first.

### BUMPER-TO-BUMPER LIMITED WARRANTY

Mazda warrants that new Mazda cars and trucks will be free of defects with normal use and prescribed maintenance for 36 months or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first. Ordinary maintenance items or adjustments, parts subject to normal wear and replacement and certain other items are excluded. This transferable "limited warranty" is included on all new Mazda vehicles sold and serviced in the United States.

### POWERTRAIN LIMITED WARRANTY

Mazda warrants that the [Powertrain Components](#) of new Mazda cars and trucks will be free of defects with normal use and prescribed maintenance for 60 months or 60,000 miles, whichever comes first. Ordinary maintenance items or adjustments, parts subject to normal wear and replacement and certain other items are excluded. This "limited warranty" is transferable during the warranty period on all new Mazda vehicles sold and serviced in the United States.

### 24/7 ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE

If Mazda vehicle is not driveable due to a warranted part failure during the coverage period of the New Vehicle Limited Warranty (36 months/36,000 miles), towing service will be covered to the nearest Mazda Dealer. In addition, if a Mazda vehicle is not driveable due to the failure of a warranted powertrain component, then towing service will be covered during the coverage period of the Powertrain Limited Warranty (60 months/60,000 miles).

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† 158 hp — 6-speed Sport automatic transmission.

‡ EPA-estimated mileage. Actual results may vary.

\*\* Always wear your seat belt and deactivate passenger-side air bag when using a child- or infant-safety seat.

†† Requires Convenience Package on MX-5 Sport with 5-speed manual transmission. Standard on MX-5 Sport with 6-speed Sport automatic transmission.

‡‡ The Bluetooth® system functions only with select manufactured devices. Please consult [www.MazdaUSA.com/bluetooth](http://www.MazdaUSA.com/bluetooth) for device compatibility.

\*\*\* SiriusXM Satellite Radio-compatible audio system requires additional dealer-installed hardware and subscription.

††† Dynamic Stability Control (DSC) is an electronic system to help the driver maintain control under adverse conditions. It is not a substitute for safe driving practices. Factors including speed, road conditions and driver steering input can all affect whether DSC will be effective in preventing loss of control. Please see the Owners Manual for further details.

‡‡‡ Not available with Premium Package.