

Car Solutions Insurance

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What cover do I have?

Your Zurich Insurance plc Comprehensive Solutions policy will cover you for any damage to your vehicle (sustained in an accident, by malicious damage, fire, theft or attempted theft). In addition if you are involved in an accident you are covered for damage you cause to other people's vehicles or property or for injuries they sustain.

Your policy is governed by the law that applies to where you reside within the United Kingdom, Channel Islands or Isle of Man. If there is any disagreement about which law applies, English law will apply, in which case you agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in England and Wales. Unless agreed otherwise, we will communicate to you in English.

How long is it for?

Your policy cover will normally run for 12 months and is renewable annually unless you or we choose to cancel.

This leaflet provides a summary of the significant features, benefits and limitations of the cover provided by the Zurich Insurance plc Car Solutions Insurance policy. The full terms, conditions and exclusions are shown in the policy document.

A copy of the policy is available on request.

Standard Cover

Features and Benefits	Exclusions or Limitations	Policy Section Reference
Damage caused to your car by accident or malicious damage	Refer to section "How much must I pay if I have a claim".	Section 5
Legal liability to Third Parties	Property damage is limited to £20 million plus a further £5 million for legal expenses. Death, injury or damage to property resulting from terrorism is excluded except as necessary to meet the requirements of the Road Traffic Acts.	Section 1
Driving other cars	Only if included on certificate of insurance. Cover is limited to Third Party only while you are driving another car not belonging or hired to you. Valid separate Road Traffic Act insurance must be in force for other vehicle.	Section 2
Loss or damage to insured car by Fire or Theft	No cover if keys left in or on car; car is unoccupied and not locked; or unoccupied and left with engine running.	Section 4
New Car Replacement	The cost of repairs must exceed 60% of the manufacturers retail price during the first year of registration as new.	Section 6
Entertainment, communication, navigation and other electronic equipment up to £500 (unlimited if fitted by vehicle manufacturer as standard for the insured car)	The equipment must be permanently fitted to your car or only work when connected to a car's electrical system.	Sections 4, 5
Replacement locks following loss or theft of keys up to £500		Section 5
Personal effects in the insured car up to £250	No cover for items stolen left in plain sight or from unlocked car or for money (including cash/debit cards) or business goods and tools.	Section 9
Child's car seat	Limit any one claim £150.	Section 9

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Medical and vets expenses up to £200 per person or pet	Cover for maximum of two pets for any one claim.	Section 11
Personal Accident benefits up to £10,000 per person	Only available to insured or member of family living with them.	Section 10
Windscreen/sunroof repair or replacement	Refer to section "How much must I pay if I have a claim" on next page.	Section 13
Free foreign use up to 60 days in any one trip	Applies to European Union and associated countries only.	Section 14
Courtesy car if insured car being repaired following accident, fire or theft	Only available from Zurich approved repairer. All courtesy cars are 'Group A' vehicles (e.g. small hatchback) with a manual gearbox. Available only in the UK.	Zurich HelpPoint Booklet
Uninsured Loss Recovery and Legal Expenses (up to £100,000)		Part B
Breakdown Assistance and Recovery	No cover if breakdown occurs less than 1/4 mile from home.	Part C

Optional Additional Cover

Features and Benefits	Exclusions or Limitations	Policy Section Reference
Protected No Claim Discount (only available if you have 4 years NCD or more)	2 claims in 5 years without loss of No Claim Discount.	Endt 11
*Home-Call Breakdown Service	Breakdown must occur at or less than 1/4 mile from your home.	Part D
Nationwide Breakdown Recovery Service	No cover if breakdown occurs less than 1/4 mile from home.	Part E
European Breakdown and Accident Assistance		Part F

* Note: Home-call Breakdown Service forms part of the standard cover under our Solutions Plus Policy.

Zurich Motoring Assistance & Rescue Service is provided by Green Flag Limited and underwritten by UK Insurance Limited.

Claim Settlement

Unless required by a vehicle warranty we may use parts which are not made or supplied by the vehicle maker when we repair your car. They will be of equal quality to the parts being replaced.

If your car is damaged beyond economical repair or stolen and not recovered we will keep your policy in force for 42 days from the date we settle your claim to enable you to find a replacement vehicle. We will cancel the policy after this time with no refund of premium if you have not advised any new vehicle details to us.

How much must I pay if I have a claim?

Accidental damage

When the vehicle is not being driven £100*

When the vehicle is being driven;

Driver aged 25 or over who has held a full UK driving licence for at least 12 months £100*

An additional deduction will apply as below when the driver is:

Aged under 21 years of age £350

Aged 21 – 24 years of age £250

Aged 25 or over who has not held a full UK driving licence for 12 months £150

* This amount may vary:

- due to specific deductions for type of car
- where a higher voluntary deduction has been selected.

Fire, theft or attempted theft

(unless loss or damage occurs while car is in your garage) £100

Windscreen/windows/sunroof

Replaced (using approved repairer) £60

Replaced (not using approved repairer) £100

The maximum we will pay for any one claim after the £100 deduction is £150.

Repaired (any repairer) Nil

How do I make a claim?

You should contact us on the following numbers if you wish to report a claim or accident:

In the United Kingdom

claim or accident **0800 400 641**
replacing/repairing glass **0800 400 641**

In Europe

claim or accident **00 800 4000 6000**

Our Complaints Procedure

We value the opportunity to investigate any concerns you may have about any aspect of our service and are committed to handling all complaints fairly, thoroughly and promptly.

Who to contact in the first instance

Many concerns can be resolved straight away, therefore, in the first instance, please get in touch with your usual contact as they will generally be able to provide you with an immediate response to your satisfaction.

Contact details are provided on correspondence that Zurich or our representatives have sent to you.

You will find them:

- on your welcome or renewal letter pack
- on claim acknowledgement letters

If we cannot resolve your complaint straight away, we will aim to resolve your concerns as soon as possible and we will keep you informed of progress whilst our enquiries are continuing.

The majority of complaints we receive that are not resolved straight away are resolved within four weeks of receipt.

Complaint Procedure Leaflet

A leaflet containing full details of our complaint procedure will be provided during the complaint handling process and is available on request.

The Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS)

If we are unable to resolve your complaint to your satisfaction within eight weeks, or if you remain dissatisfied following receipt of our final response letter, you can ask the FOS to formally review your case. You must contact the FOS within six months of our final response.

The FOS contact details are as follows:

Financial Ombudsman Service
South Quay Plaza
183 Marsh Wall
London
E14 9SR

You can telephone for free on:
08000 234 567 for people phoning from a "fixed line" (for example, a landline at home)

0300 123 9 123 for mobile-phone users who pay a monthly charge for calls to numbers starting 01 or 02
Or e-mail: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

This is a free and impartial service and will not affect your legal rights. You are entitled to contact the FOS at any stage of your complaint.

Can I receive compensation if Zurich cannot meet its obligations to me?

Zurich Insurance plc is covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). You may be entitled to compensation should we be unable to meet our obligations. Further information is available on www.fscs.org.uk or you may contact the FSCS on **0800 678 1100**.

If I take out cover but then change my mind can I get my premium refunded?

If you decide that you do not want to accept the policy (or any future renewal of the policy by us), please surrender the Certificate of Insurance to us or your insurance advisor using the contact details provided on the covering letter within 14 days of receiving it (or for renewals, within 14 days of your policy renewal date). We will only charge you on a pro rata basis for the time we have been on cover subject to a minimum premium of £20 (excluding insurance premium tax). The balance of the premium will be returned to you when you have surrendered your certificate but there will be no refund where you are cancelling the policy following a claim where the vehicle is a total loss and not being replaced.

Can I cancel the policy at any other time?

You may cancel the policy at any time by telling us, either in writing or over the phone. We may cancel the policy by giving you seven days' written notice to your last known address. We will give you a refund in proportion to the time left until your current period of insurance is due to run out. We will add £50 to your time on risk premium if you cancel your policy within the first year. We will not pay a refund if we have paid a claim or one is outstanding at the time you cancel your policy. By law, you must surrender the certificate of motor insurance to us.

Please see Condition 5 of the policy for full details of all cancellation conditions and charges.

Your Zurich broker:



Zurich Insurance plc

A public limited company incorporated in Ireland. Registration No. 13460.
Registered Office: Zurich House, Ballsbridge Park, Dublin 4, Ireland.
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UK Branch Head Office: The Zurich Centre, 3000 Parkway, Whiteley, Fareham,
Hampshire PO15 7JZ.

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