

BMW 5 Series

BMW 530d, LHD











ADULT OCCUPANT

CHILD OCCUPANT









PEDESTRIAN

SAFETY ASSIST

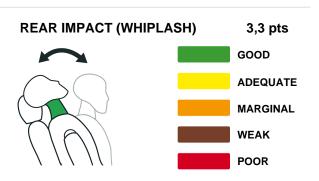
ADULT OCCUPANT

Total 34 pts | 95%

Passenger 15,5 pts Driver Passenger

SIDE IMPACT CAR 8 pts SIDE IMPACT POLE 7,4 pts

Pole



Car

FRONTAL IMPACT

HEAD	
Driver airbag contact	stable
Passenger airbag contact	stable
CHEST	
Passenger compartment	stable
Windscreen Pillar rearward	1mm
Steering wheel rearward	none
Steering wheel upward	7mm
Chest contact with steering wheel	none

UPPER LEGS, KNEES AND PELVIS

Stiff structures in dashboard	none
Concentrated loads on knees	none
LOWER LEGS AND FEET	
Footwell Collapse	none
Rearward pedal movement	brake - 38mm
Upward pedal movement	none

SIDE IMPACT

Head protection airbag	Yes
Chest protection airbag	Yes

WHIPLASH

Seat description	Standard, cloth 6 way electric/manual
Head restraint type	Active
Geometric assessment	1 pts
TESTS	
- High severity	2,5 pts
- Medium severity	2,3 pts
- Low severity	2,3 pts



CHILD OCCUPANT

Total 41 pts | 83%

18 MONTH OLD CHILD

Restraint Fair G0/1S ISOFIX

Group 0, 0+**Facing** rearward

Installation ISOFIX anchorages and support



PERFORMANCE 11,8 pts

INSTRUCTIONS 4 pts

INSTALLATION 2 pts

FRONTAL IMPACT

Head forward movement	protected
Head acceleration	good
Chest load	good

SIDE IMPACT

Head containment	protected
Head acceleration	good

3 YEAR OLD CHILD

Fair G0/1S ISOFIX Restraint

Group 1

Facing forward

Installation ISOFIX anchorages and support

frame



PERFORMANCE 12 pts

INSTRUCTIONS 4 pts

INSTALLATION 2 pts

FRONTAL IMPACT

Head forward movement	protected
Head acceleration	good
Chest load	good

SIDE IMPACT

Head containment	protected
Head acceleration	good

VEHICLE BASED ASSESSMENT

5 pts

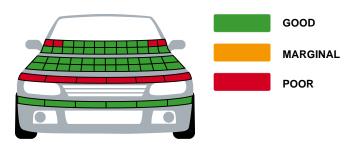
Airbag warning Label

Text and pictogram warning label permanently attached to both sides of the passenger sun visor

PEDESTRIAN

Total 28 pts | 78%

SAFETY ASSIST Total 7 pts | 100%



HEAD	22 pts
PELVIS	0 pts
LEG	6 pts

SPEED LIMITATION ASSISTANCE

1 pts

- active, standard

ELECTRONIC STABILITY CONTROL 3 pts (ESC)

- standard

SEATBELT REMINDER	3 pts

- driver	1 pts
- passenger	1 pts
- rear	1 pts



DETAILS OF TESTED CAR

SPECIFICATIONS

Tested model BMW 530d, LHD

Body type 4 door saloon

Year of publication 2010

Kerb weight 1790kg

VIN from which rating applies applies to all 5 series of the specification tested

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Front seatbelt pretensioners driver: double passenger: single

Front seatbelt load limiters

Driver frontal airbag

Front passenger frontal airbag

Side body airbags

Side head airbags

COMMENTS

Adult occupant

The passenger compartment remained stable in the frontal impact. Dummy readings indicated good protection of the knees and femurs of both the driver and front seat passenger. BMW were able to demonstrate that occupants of different sizes, and those sat in different positions, would be similarly well protected. Maximum points were scored in the side barrier test. In the more severe side pole impact, the head and pelvis were well protected, the chest and abdomen adequately so. Good protection was provided against whiplash injuries in the event of a rear impact.

Child occupant

Based on dummy readings in the dynamic tests, the 5 series was awarded maximum points for protection of the 3 year dummy in the frontal and side impacts. Forward movement of the dummy's head was not excessive in the frontal impact and both the 3 year and 18 month dummies were properly contained by their respective child restraints in the side impact. The passenger airbag can be disabled to allow a rearward facing child restraint to be used in that seating position. However, information provided to the driver regarding the status of the airbag is not sufficiently clear. A permanently attached label warns clearly of the dangers of using a rearward facing restraint in the passenger seat without first disabling the airbag.

Pedestrian

The 5 series is fitted with an 'active bonnet'. When a pedestrian is struck, actuators lift all four corners of the bonnet away from hard structures underneath. This creates more space to absorb the energy of a struck pedestrian, lowering injury values. The bonnet has scored maximum points in the areas likely to be struck by the head of a child and has scored very highly in those areas likely to be struck by an adult. The front edge of the bonnet did not score any points for the protection provided to pedestrians' legs but the bumper scored maximum points.

Safety assist

Electronic Stability Control is standard equipment on the 5 series, together with a driver-set speed limitation device. A seatbelt reminder system is also standard equipment and covers all seating positions.