

The [2021 Chevy Silverado 1500](#) is bigger but lighter than its predecessors with an available towing capacity of 13,300 lbs. There are many new features on offer for 2021 from America's fastest-growing full-line brand.

2021 Chevy Silverado 1500: Towing Capacity, Features, and More

The Basics of the Silverado

Originally released in 1999, the Silverado was named after its predecessor's top trim, the Chevrolet C/K Silverado. The 2021 generation has eight trim levels, three bed lengths, three cab sizes, and five engines to choose from. This means that customizing your truck to your needs is made easy.

Pricing

The starting price for these trucks is \$28,500. If you choose the 6.2L EcoTec3 V8 engine in the 4WD Crew Cab with a standard bed, you could begin by spending \$61,790. There is a range of different packages you could add too, or even upgrade the exterior color.

Trailer and Towing

The 4.3L V6 has a gross combined weight rating (GCWR) of 12,800 lbs. In the crew cab short bed model with four-wheel drive, the maximum trailering is 7,400 lbs. The double cab standard bed RST 4x4 model, when fitted with the 6.2L V8 engine, Max Trailering Package, and 20-inch wheels has an awesome tow capacity of 13,300 lbs.

Advanced Trailering Technology

An in-vehicle app means you can set up customized trailer profiles and sync them to a mobile app. This option also has trailer tire pressure and temperature monitors, trailer light diagnostics, and pre-departure checklists. The integrated trailer brake controller has brake gain memory and electric parking brake hookup assist. There's also a trailer theft alert and a jack-knife alert. Standard features include hill start assist, trailer sway control, auto grade braking, and tow/haul mode.

New Multi-Flex Tailgate

The Silverado has the best-in-class volume for the standard bed. The new Multi-Flex Tailgate option has six different configurations to make it even more versatile for all different types of work. The primary gate load stop prevents extra-long items from sliding out whilst the primary gate is open. There's an inner gate for easy access. This inner gate makes entry easier with the

folding step and assist handle. The inner gate also opens outwards to provide a useful work surface.

Bed Features

The beds are constructed with steel floors. Being roll-formed instead of stamped means they're strong and lighter. Twelve tie-downs come as standard, with another nine available. The long bed models have a cargo volume of 89.1 cubic feet; the standard beds have 71.7 cubic feet; and short beds 62.9 cubic feet. The beds are the widest, deepest, and longest of any generation. The tailgate can be raised and lowered using the key fob, cabin button, or gate touchpad.

Not only will you look good but the Silverado 1500s all come with forward collision warning and automatic emergency braking. This means you'll be safe too; whichever model and trim level suits you best. [Call to book a test drive today at Mount Kisco Chevrolet](#) and experience it for yourself.

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