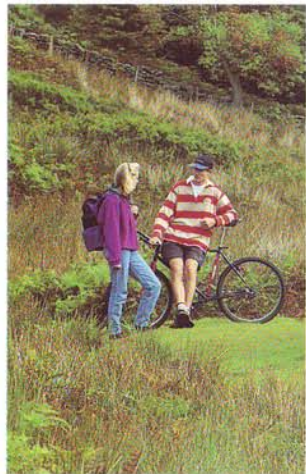




T H E A B B E Y C O L L E C T I O N 1 9 9 8

THE NAME FOR QUALITY



Abbey Caravans has perfected a combination of quality, value and prestige to create the 1998 range of County, Iona, GTS Vogue and Spectrum models. With over 30 years' specialist experience, each one of the 19 models has been developed with the finest comfort, style and safety features to give Abbey tourers their distinctive character.

Every detail of the design and build quality of an Abbey incorporates craftsmanship, uniting traditional skills with state of the art advanced technology.

Computer Aided Design techniques ensure precise weight distribution and aerodynamics as well as defining perfect use of internal space for maximum usability and comfort. Each model uses a lightweight Al-Ko galvanised steel chassis with bonded floor and sidewalls for extra strength, and is unsurpassed when it comes to safety and security features.

Developed by highly skilled engineers, Abbey tourers offer unrivalled quality and flexibility and are produced in one of the most advanced manufacturing facilities in Europe.



Abbey enjoys one of the most up to date factories in Europe. Computerised technology rubs shoulders with traditional craftsmanship for the best of both worlds.

T H E F I N E S T D E T A I L S

The exacting standards upheld by Abbey have gained the company the prestigious ISO 9001 award for the quality



systems used throughout all operations.

For 1998, Abbey has developed five attractive new models, a host of new layouts and a variety of exciting new rear end bathrooms and changing area options, right across the range.

Specifications on existing models have been upgraded in the key areas of furniture and electrical systems to create the ultimate Abbey range of tourers.

The Abbey commitment to quality extends beyond just



building caravans. Abbey dealers are carefully selected to ensure the highest standards of service and customer care. The Abbey After Sales complex is linked to dealers across the country through sophisticated computer networks which provide them with instant information and parts ordering facilities 24 hours a day.

Product knowledge and service training courses for dealers are held regularly to ensure they are able to advise on every aspect of your Abbey tourer.

Peace of mind is guaranteed when you leave the Abbey dealership thanks to the comprehensive three year Abbey SuperSure warranty. This can be extended to five years on the payment of a competitive single premium. The warranty is operated by the Swift Group in year one, and administered by the highly respected Warranty Holdings Group from year two onwards.

All you have to do to maintain the warranty cover is take your caravan back to an approved Abbey dealer once a year for an annual inspection and service, which is chargeable. All Abbey dealers offer a number of other professional services to help customers, such as a choice of finance schemes and comprehensive insurance cover to make your holiday happy and worry free. Abbey, leaders in helping you make the most of your leisure time.



Compare the Abbey three year warranty with the rest. We think it offers you the best long term level of cover and peace of mind.

Factory tours enable you to see the care and precision used to build every Abbey tourer. Simply call the number on the back of the brochure to reserve your place.



THE ABBEY COUNTY



Warwick

The **County range** has undergone some exciting developments. The Dorset has new front L shaped seating, the Somerset now has redesigned rear beds, whilst the Oxford boasts a top of the range NT layout washroom with separate shower and wardrobe, spacious changing area, domestic style swivel flush toilet and shaped vanity unit. Add a panoramic window in centre kitchen models, hardwood framed furniture doors and the latest Stoves oven with matching colour coded kitchen equipment and heater, and it's easy to see why the County is famed for offering exceptional value for money.



Dorset



Above and Below, Warwick

Right, Oxford







T H E A B B E Y I O N A



The Iona is the small caravan with the big appeal. Perfect for less powerful cars and a mere 6' 5" wide, it now enjoys the graphic exterior styling of the more expensive GTS Vogue. The washroom also features a window with blind, and the furniture has been upgraded to include a restyled welsh dresser. 1998 also sees the addition of a Carver Fanmaster and ducted blown air central heating system and deep hardwood edges to the kitchen work surfaces. The Iona, great things come in small packages.



THE ABBEY GTS VOGUE



GTS Vogue 517



Above, GTS Vogue 214. Below, GTS Vogue 517

Right, GTS Vogue 215

The **GTS Vogue range** has been totally transformed inside and out. On the outside, the body has been restyled with a fuel efficient front GRP panel, and new style polyplastic double glazed windows with concealed locks and stays. The restyled rear panel incorporates a new light cluster and high-level brake light.

Inside, the GTS Vogue 214 has dedicated L shaped front seating and a deep picture window, the GTS Vogue 215, 216 and 416 have a new end washroom with domestic style swivel toilet, separate shower and dressing area. All kitchens boast the latest Stoves oven in striking Midnight Blue, with matching hob, sink and drainer, and 3600 heater, unique to the Abbey range.



GTS Vogue 215









Left, Spectrum 419

Above and below, Spectrum 419



Spectrum 419



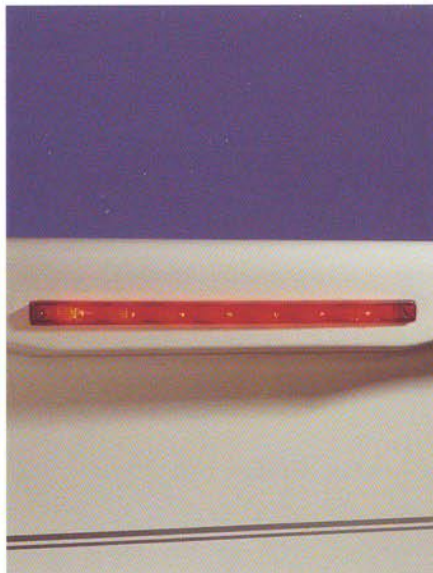
Spectrum 419

The flagship Spectrum twin axle has been dramatically redesigned both internally and externally. Externally, the Spectrum incorporates all the new features of the GTS Vogue range, the overall width has been increased by 3" to create more spacious front beds, and the 520 has a new exciting layout. Internally, the latest Midnight Blue Stoves oven adorns every kitchen with a matching flush fitting 4 burner hob and top of the range Electrolux 86 litre fridge with full width freezer. For year round touring, the wet locker has a GRP lining, external access and a waterproof mains socket. Just some of the smaller points of detail that make the Spectrum a very different twin axle tourer.

FEATURES



The Omnivent dual control fan on the Spectrum range



High level rear brake light



The very latest PMS 2000 electrical control console



An exterior door flyscreen for insect control is standard on most models



The latest Carver room heater. All models also have blown air central heating



The latest Stoves glass fronted oven and 4 burner hob in exclusive midnight blue



The exterior access wet locker with mains socket on the Spectrum

Note: Please check individual range pages for exact level of specification. Not all models have all features.



Hardwood furniture framed doors on all models



Mains reading lights for that night-time novel



Electrolux 86 litre refrigerator with full width freezer on some models

With Abbey you can choose a layout to suit your needs. All models except the Iona and GTS Vogue 214 have the option of parallel or L shaped front seating, some models feature wrap round front seating, and the Spectrum 520 also has the option of parallel rear seating.



Front parallel seating



Front L shape seating

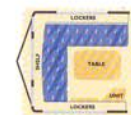


Front wrap round seating

ALTERNATIVE SEATING LAYOUTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOLLOWING MODELS :

Front L shape seating:

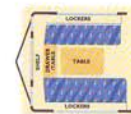
Standard on Dorset, Warwick, GTS Vogue 517, Spectrum 620
Optional on Lincoln, Somerset, Stafford, Oxford, GTS Vogue 212, 215, 216, 416, 417, 516



Front L

Front parallel seating with chest:

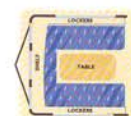
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Front parallel

Front parallel wrap round seating:

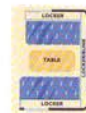
Standard on Spectrum 418, 419, 520
Optional on all models except GTS Vogue 214



Wrap round

Parallel rear seating:

Optional on Spectrum 520



Rear parallel

WASHROOMS

The 1998 Abbey range offers no fewer than five different styles and specifications of washrooms, providing the widest possible choice of options from integrated showers to separate showers, centre vanity units and corner vanity units, centre wardrobes or corner wardrobes. Many have changing areas. Select your style, then select your model.



Central luxury washroom in the GTS Vogue with integral shower, cassette toilet and storage space

Note: Windows and window positions may vary from range to range. See individual model layouts

Luxury Washroom

Standard washroom in:
GTS Vogue 212, 214,
516, 517 &
Spectrum 620



The washroom in the County range has integral shower and cassette toilet

Washroom/Shower Room

Standard washroom in:
Lincoln, Somerset, Stafford &
Warwick



A new unique centre layout, separate shower and washroom with the latest swivel toilet

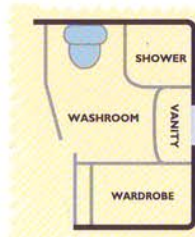
Washroom

Standard washroom in:
Spectrum 520



WT Washroom

Standard washroom in:
GTS Vogue 215, 416 &
Spectrum 418



RT Washroom

Optional washroom in:
GTS Vogue 216



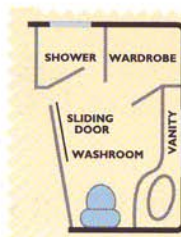
A WT washroom layout with separate shower, centre vanity unit and changing area and washroom with swivel cassette toilet and large wardrobe



An NT washroom with the latest swivel domestic style toilet, changing area and vanity unit on the nearside, leading to a wardrobe and separate shower on the offside

NT Washroom

Standard washroom in:
Oxford, Dorset,
GTS Vogue 216, 417 &
Spectrum 419



MODEL	LINCOLN	DORSET	SOMERSET	STAFFORD	WARWICK	OXFORD
Berths	2	2	4	5	5	4
Internal Length (at bed box height)	3.94m/12'11"	4.61m/15'2"	4.61m/15'2"	5.03m/16'6"	5.03m/16'6"	5.23m/17'2"
Overall Width	2.13m/7'0"	2.13m/7'0"	2.13m/7'0"	2.13m/7'0"	2.13m/7'0"	2.13m/7'0"
Overall Height	2.71m/8'11"	2.71m/8'11"	2.71m/8'11"	2.71m/8'11"	2.71m/8'11"	2.71m/8'11"
Overall Length	5.39m/17'8"	6.06m/19'10"	6.06m/19'10"	6.48m/21'3"	6.48m/21'3"	6.68m/21'10"
Ex-works Weight (See Note)	760kg/14.96cwt	850kg/16.73cwt	*875kg/17.22cwt	930kg/18.31cwt	930kg/18.31cwt	*960kg/18.90cwt
Maximum Authorised Weight	950kg/18.70cwt	1060kg/20.87cwt	*1100kg/21.65cwt	1160kg/22.83cwt	1160kg/22.83cwt	*1200kg/23.62cwt
Caravan Allowable Payload	167kg/3.29cwt	184kg/3.62cwt	198kg/3.90cwt	202kg/3.98cwt	202kg/3.98cwt	210kg/4.13cwt
Maximum Technical Permissible Weight	1060kg/20.87cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt
Awning Rail Size Ground to Ground	8.13m/26'8"	8.80m/28'10"	8.80m/28'10"	9.20m/30'3"	9.20m/30'3"	9.42m/30'11"
Tyre Size	175 R13 4ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply

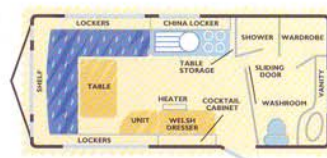
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LINCOLN

Bed sizes:

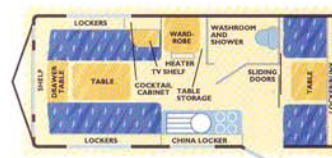
Front Double: 6'7" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"



DORSET

Bed sizes:

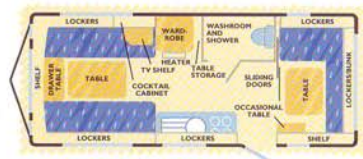
Front Double: 6'7" x 4'6"



SOMERSET

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'7" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Rear Single: 6'7" x 2'7" Rear Bunk: 6'7" x 1'11"



STAFFORD

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'7" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Rear Double: 6'7" x 3'11" Rear Bunk: 6'7" x 1'11"



WARWICK

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'7" x 4'6"
Rear Double: 6'7" x 3'11"
Rear Bunk: 6'7" x 1'11"



OXFORD

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'7" x 6'0"
or Front Single: 6'0" x 2'2"
and Front Single: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Side Single: 5'11" x 2'2" Side Bunk: 5'8" x 1'11"

EXTERIOR

- ▲ Magnolia aluminium exterior
- ▲ Al-Ko galvanised chassis with Euro-Axle
- ▲ Exterior door with window and blind
- ▲ Exterior access battery box (excluding battery)
- ▲ Top hinged gas bottle door ratchet stays
- ▲ Awning light
- ▲ Neutral density rear light clusters with stop/tail, fog, indicator and reversing lights.
- ▲ Side marker lights
- ▲ Colour co-ordinated bolt-on wheel trims
- ▲ Status TV aerial and booster

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New external graphics
- ▲ New Electrolux fridge vents for easy maintenance and inspection

LOUNGE, DINING AREA

- ▲ Free standing table with dedicated storage location
- ▲ Chest of drawers with occasional table (not L shape fronts)
- ▲ Cocktail cabinet with glass and bottle holders
- ▲ Superior quality traditional velour domestic style sprung bedding and backrests (except side dinettes and bunks)
- ▲ Two scatter cushions and pillow bolsters

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Traditional style velour upholstery
- ▲ Green cotton print fully lined curtains
- ▲ Matching cotton print pleated pelmets
- ▲ Washable vinyl wall and ceiling covering
- ▲ Front bed base cushions split 60/40 for easy bed make up

KITCHEN

- ▲ Electrolux 70 litre refrigerator with piezo ignition
- ▲ Four burner green Stoves enamel hob with FFD (Flame Failure Device) and grill
- ▲ Stoves thermostatic green glass fronted oven
- ▲ Green high impact polycarbonate bowl and drainer
- ▲ Chinchilla hob work top and cutting surface

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Green kitchen equipment with matching heater front

HEATING & PLUMBING

- ▲ Carver 1800 space heater (Lincoln, Dorset and Somerset)
- ▲ Carver 3600 space heater with auto ignition (Stafford, Warwick and Oxford)
- ▲ Fanmaster with ducted blown air
- ▲ Fully fitted washroom with vanity unit
- ▲ Fully fitted shower compartment with mixer taps
- ▲ Thetford cassette toilet
- ▲ Carver rapide gas/electric water heater
- ▲ Inboard rigid piped pressurised fresh water system

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Large bore underslung rigid waste pipes
- ▲ New washroom in the Oxford
- ▲ Washable vinyl toilet room wall covering

ELECTRICAL

- ▲ Full mains electric with two 230v mains sockets
- ▲ Full 12v electrical system with one 12v socket and plug
- ▲ TV station with 230v/12v/aerial connection point
- ▲ 12v and 230v mains reading lights
- ▲ Switchmode charger transformer with ELCB
- ▲ Modular electrical control panel
- ▲ 25 metre on site mains connection lead

FITTINGS & EQUIPMENT

- ▲ Fully double glazed windows with night latch ventilation
- ▲ Full night blinds and flyscreens
- ▲ Pull-out roller slatted bed
- ▲ Solid ash framed furniture doors
- ▲ Secure furniture fixings using concealed metal plates and timber rails

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Multi directional roof lights with sliding blind and flynet

SECURITY

- ▲ High security single key operated locks
- ▲ Identity number etched to windows and chassis

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Concealed security data chip within the caravan's construction

MODEL	IONA
Berths	2
Internal Length (at bed box height)	3.55m/11'8"
Overall Width	1.96m/6'5"
Overall Height	2.71m/8'11"
Overall Length	5.04m/16'6"
Ex-works Weight (See Note)	728kg/14.35cwt
Maximum Authorised Weight	920kg/18.11cwt
Caravan Allowable Payload	170kg/3.34cwt
Maximum Technical Permissible Weight	950kg/18.70cwt
Awning Rail Size Ground to Ground	7.65m/25'1"
Tyre Size	165 R13 4ply

Note: A tolerance of 3% in the ex-works weight has been allowed for in the calculation of payload margins (i.e. Maximum Authorised Weight = Payload + Ex-works weight plus 3%).

EXTERIOR

- ▲ Magnolia aluminium exterior
- ▲ Only 6'5" (1.96m) exterior width
- ▲ Al-Ko galvanised chassis with Euro-Axle
- ▲ Exterior door with window and blind
- ▲ Three opening front windows
- ▲ Exterior access battery box (excluding battery)
- ▲ Top hinged gas bottle door ratchet stays
- ▲ Awning light
- ▲ Neutral density rear light clusters with stop/tail, fog, indicator and reversing lights
- ▲ Colour co-ordinated bolt-on wheel trims
- ▲ Status TV aerial and booster

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New external graphics
- ▲ New Electrolux fridge vents for easy maintenance and inspection

LOUNGE, DINING AREA

- ▲ Free standing table with dedicated storage location
- ▲ Chest of drawers with occasional table
- ▲ Cocktail cabinet with glass and bottle holders
- ▲ Superior quality traditional velour domestic style sprung bedding and backrests
- ▲ Two scatter cushions and bolsters

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Washable vinyl wall and ceiling covering
- ▲ Improved quality carpet
- ▲ Restyled sculptured bedding and backrests

KITCHEN

- ▲ Sandstone kitchen equipment with matching heater front
- ▲ Electrolux 60 litre refrigerator with piezo ignition
- ▲ Four burner sandstone Stoves enamel hob with FFD (Flame Failure Device) and grill
- ▲ Stoves thermostatic sandstone glass fronted oven
- ▲ Sandstone vitreous enamel bowl and drainer
- ▲ Chinchilla hob worktop and cutting surface

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Extending pullout worksurface

HEATING & PLUMBING

- ▲ Carver 1800 space heater
- ▲ Fully fitted washroom with vanity unit and tip up wash basin
- ▲ Fully fitted shower compartment with mixer taps
- ▲ Thetford cassette toilet
- ▲ Carver rapide gas/electric water heater
- ▲ Inboard rigid piped pressurised fresh water system

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New shower room window and blind
- ▲ Fanmaster with ducted blown air
- ▲ Washable vinyl toilet room wall covering

ELECTRICAL

- ▲ Full mains electric with three 230v mains sockets
- ▲ Full 12v electrical system with one 12v socket and plug
- ▲ TV station with 230v/12v/aerial connection point

- ▲ 12v and 230v mains reading lights
- ▲ Switchmode charger transformer with ELCB
- ▲ Modular electrical control panel
- ▲ 25 metre on site mains connection lead

FITTINGS & EQUIPMENT

- ▲ Fully double glazed windows with night latch ventilation
- ▲ Full night blinds and flyscreens
- ▲ Pull-out roller slatted bed
- ▲ Solid ash framed furniture doors
- ▲ Quartz Clock
- ▲ Doormat and tray with brush out facility
- ▲ Exterior door flyscreen
- ▲ Secure furniture fixings using concealed metal plates and timber rails

NEW FOR 1998

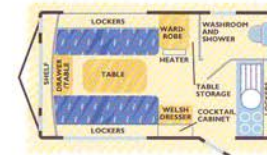
- ▲ Multi directional roof lights with sliding blind and flynet
- ▲ Deep hardwood edges to work surfaces

SECURITY

- ▲ High security single key operated locks
- ▲ Identity number etched to windows and chassis
- ▲ Exterior road lighting isolator (isolating stop, tail and fog lights)

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Concealed security data chip within the caravan's construction



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Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'0" x 5'11"
or Two Singles: 5'11" x 2'0"

CONVERSION TABLE

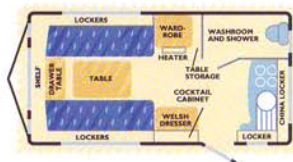
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69cm - 2'3"	184cm - 6'1"
79cm - 2'7"	189cm - 6'2"
119cm - 3'11"	190cm - 6'3"
135cm - 4'5"	193cm - 6'4"
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173cm - 5'8"	206cm - 6'9"



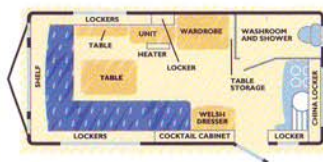
At only 1.96m (6'5") wide, the Iona is a dream to tow wherever your holiday takes you.

MODEL	212	214	215	216	416	417	516	517
Berths	2	2	2	2	4	4	5	4 (5 opt)
Internal Length (at bed box height)	3.97m/13'0"	4.52m/14'10"	4.70m/15'5"	4.70m/15'5"	5.30m/17'5"	5.30m/17'5"	5.23m/17'2"	5.23m/17'2"
Overall Width	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"	2.15m/7'1"
Overall Height	2.75m/9'0"	2.75m/9'0"	2.76m/9'1"	2.76m/9'1"	2.78m/9'2"	2.78m/9'2"	2.77m/9'1"	2.77m/9'1"
Overall Length	5.52m/18'1"	6.07m/19'10"	6.25m/20'6"	6.25m/20'6"	6.85m/22'5"	6.85m/22'5"	6.78m/22'2"	6.78m/22'2"
Ex-works Weight (See Note)	872kg/17.16cwt	930kg/18.30cwt	945kg/18.6cwt	*940kg/18.50cwt	*1020kg/20.07cwt	*1020kg/20.07cwt	1009kg/19.86cwt	1009/19.86cwt
Maximum Authorised Weight	1120kg/22.05cwt	1160kg/22.83cwt	1220kg/24.02cwt	1200kg/23.62cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt
Caravan Allowable Payload	221kg/4.35cwt	202kg/3.97cwt	246kg/4.84cwt	231kg/4.55cwt	249kg/4.90cwt	249kg/4.90cwt	260kg/5.11cwt	260kg/5.11cwt
Maximum Technical Permissible Weight	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt	1300kg/25.59cwt
Awning Rail Size Ground to Ground	8.27m/27'1"	8.82m/28'11"	9.00m/29'6"	9.00m/29'6"	9.60m/31'6"	9.60m/31'6"	9.53m/31'3"	9.53m/31'3"
Tyre Size	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply	175 R13 6ply

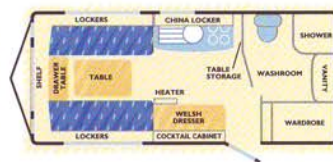
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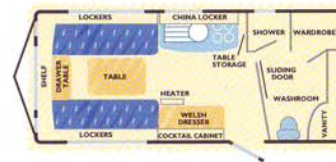
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Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"



214
Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 4'6"
or Front Single: 6'2" x 2'2"
and Front Single 6'7" x 2'2"



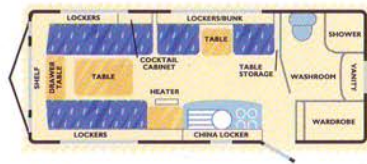
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or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"



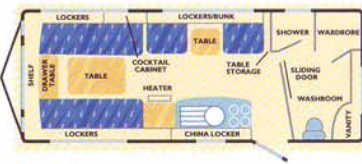
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or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"



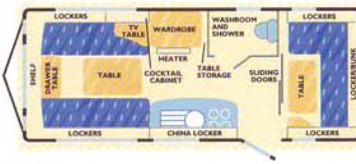
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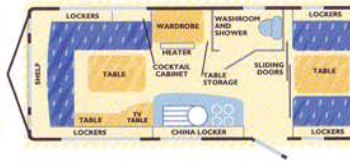
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Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Side Single: 5'11" x 2'2"
Side Bunk: 5'8" x 1'11"



417
Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Side Single: 5'11" x 2'2"
Side Bunk: 5'8" x 1'11"



516
Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Rear Double: 6'1" x 3'11"
Rear Bunk: 6'1" x 1'11"



517
Bed sizes:
Front Double: 6'6" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'2"
Rear Double: 6'6" x 3'11"
Optional Bunk: 6'6" x 1'11"

EXTERIOR

- ▲ Magnolia aluminium exterior
- ▲ Al-Ko galvanised chassis with Euro-Axle
- ▲ Exterior door with window and blind
- ▲ Exterior access battery box (excluding battery)
- ▲ Top hinged gas bottle door with gas strut operation
- ▲ Gas bottle compartment courtesy light
- ▲ Awning light
- ▲ Colour co-ordinated bolt-on wheel trims
- ▲ Status TV aerial and booster
- ▲ Optional external access wet locker incorporating 230v socket

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Totally new exterior with restyled GRP front and rear panels
- ▲ New style Polyplastic windows with concealed locks and stays
- ▲ New layout in GTS Vogue 214
- ▲ Easy access gas bottle storage with gas strut
- ▲ Stylish rear light cluster
- ▲ High level slimline high intensity rear brake light
- ▲ Side repeater indicators

LOUNGE, DINING AREA

- ▲ Free standing table with dedicated storage location
- ▲ Chest of drawers with occasional table (not L shaped or GTS Vogue 214)
- ▲ Cocktail cabinet with glass and bottle holders
- ▲ Superior quality traditional velour domestic style sprung bedding and sculptured backrests
- ▲ Lined velvet curtains, pelmets and curtain retainers
- ▲ Two reversible scatter cushions and bolsters
- ▲ Large 6'3½" (1.92m) single beds (not L shapes)
- ▲ Hook on occasional table (L shapes only)

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Washable vinyl wall and ceiling covering
- ▲ Superior quality carpet
- ▲ Improved soft shut seal on locker doors

KITCHEN

- ▲ Electrolux 77 litre refrigerator with electronic ignition and full width freezer compartment
- ▲ Domestic style flush fitting Stoves midnight blue four burner hob, oven and grill with FFD (Flame Failure Device) and electronic ignition
- ▲ High impact midnight blue polycarbonate bowl/drain
- ▲ Green kitchen equipment and matching heater front optional on all GTS Vogues
- ▲ Pull-out worksurfaces on all centre kitchens

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Unique midnight blue kitchen equipment with matching heater front

HEATING & PLUMBING

- ▲ Carver 3600 auto ignition space heater
- ▲ Fanmaster with ducted blown air
- ▲ Fully fitted luxury washroom with vanity unit
- ▲ Fully fitted shower compartment with mixer taps
- ▲ Thetford electronic cassette toilet
- ▲ Carver rapide gas/electric water heater
- ▲ Inboard rigid piped pressurised fresh water system

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New washrooms in GTS Vogue 215 and 416
- ▲ Large bore underslung rigid waste pipes
- ▲ Washable vinyl toilet wall covering

ELECTRICAL

- ▲ Full mains electric with three 230v mains sockets
- ▲ Full 12v electrical system with one 12v socket and plug
- ▲ TV station with 230v/12v aerial connection point
- ▲ 12v and 230v mains reading lights
- ▲ Switchmode charger transformer with ELCB
- ▲ PMS 2000 Modular electrical control panel
- ▲ 25 metre on site mains connection lead

FITTINGS & EQUIPMENT

- ▲ Full night blinds and flyscreens
- ▲ Pull-out roller slatted bed
- ▲ Solid ash framed furniture doors
- ▲ Quartz clock
- ▲ Doormat and tray with brush out facility
- ▲ Exterior door flyscreen
- ▲ Vent boards to back rests
- ▲ Secure furniture fixings using concealed metal plates and timber rails
- ▲ Deep hardwood edges to work surfaces

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Multi directional roof lights with sliding blind and flynet
- ▲ New screen printed double glazed windows with night latch ventilation
- ▲ New hardwood furniture doors

SECURITY

- ▲ High security key operated locks
- ▲ Identity number etched to windows and chassis
- ▲ Exterior road lighting isolator (isolating stop, tail and fog lights)

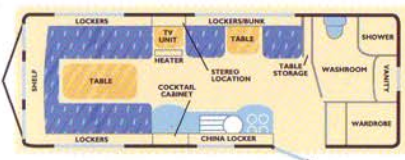
NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Concealed security data chip within the caravan's construction

THE ABBEY SPECTRUM

MODEL	418	419	520	620
Berths	4	4	5	4 (6 opt)
Internal Length (at bed box height)	5.85m/19'2"	5.85m/19'2"	6.35m/20'10"	6.35m/20'10"
Overall Width	2.22m/7'3"	2.22m/7'3"	2.22m/7'3"	2.22m/7'3"
Overall Height	2.78m/9'2"	2.78m/9'2"	2.78m/9'2"	2.78m/9'2"
Overall Length	7.40m/24'3"	7.40m/24'3"	7.90m/25'11"	7.90m/25'11"
Ex-works Weight (See Note)	*1198kg/23.58cwt	*1180kg/23.22cwt	*1290kg/25.39cwt	*1280kg/25.19cwt
Maximum Authorised Weight	1500kg/29.53cwt	1500kg/29.53cwt	1600kg/31.50cwt	1600kg/31.50cwt
Caravan Allowable Payload	266kg/5.24cwt	284kg/5.59cwt	271kg/5.33cwt	281kg/5.53cwt
Maximum Technical Permissible Weight	1600kg/31.50cwt	1600kg/31.50cwt	1600kg/31.50cwt	1600kg/31.50cwt
Awning Rail Size Ground to Ground	10.15m/33'3"	10.15m/33'3"	10.65m/34'11"	10.65m/34'11"
Tyre Size	155 R13 4ply	155 R13 4ply	155 R13 4ply	155 R13 4ply

Note: A tolerance of 3% in the ex-works weight has been allowed for in the calculation of payload margins (i.e. Maximum Authorised Weight = Payload + Ex-works weight plus 3%).



418

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'9" x 6'3½" or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'3"
Side Single: 5'11" x 2'2" Side Bunk: 5'8" x 1'11"



419

Bed sizes:

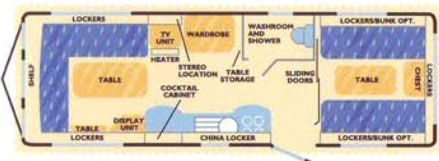
Front Double: 6'9" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'3"
Side Single: 5'11" x 2'2" Side Bunk: 5'8" x 1'11"



520

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'9" x 6'3½"
or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'3"
Rear Double: 6'4" x 4'6" Rear Bunk: 6'4" x 1'11"



620

Bed sizes:

Front Double: 6'9" x 6'3½" or Two Singles: 6'3½" x 2'3"
Rear Two Singles: 5'10" x 2'3"
Optional 5th and 6th Bunks: 5'6" x 1'9"

NOTE: PAYLOADS ON ALL 1998 ABBEY CARAVANS

Maximum Authorised Weight (MAW) - is the maximum weight all caravans are plated to by the manufacturer to include normal payload.
Maximum Technical Permissible Weight (MTPW) - if you require extra payload, in some cases it may be possible to increase the MAW to the MTPW.
To do this, you must contact your dealer who will arrange to have a new weight plate supplied by the manufacturer for a charge. If you exceed the MAW plated on your Abbey tourer, you could be liable to prosecution.

EXTERIOR

- ▲ Magnolia aluminium exterior
- ▲ Al-Ko galvanised chassis with twin Euro-Axles
- ▲ Exterior door with window and blind
- ▲ Exterior access battery box (excluding battery)
- ▲ Top hinged gas bottle door with gas strut operation
- ▲ Awning light
- ▲ Gas bottle compartment courtesy light
- ▲ Colour co-ordinated bolt-on wheel trims
- ▲ Status TV aerial and booster
- ▲ External access wet locker incorporating 230v socket

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Increased external width to 7'3" (2.22m)
- ▲ Totally new exterior with restyled GRP front and rear panels
- ▲ New style Polyplastic windows with concealed locks and stays
- ▲ New layout in Spectrum 520
- ▲ Easy access gas bottle storage with gas strut
- ▲ New stylish rear light cluster
- ▲ High level slimline high intensity rear brake light
- ▲ Side repeater indicators

LOUNGE, DINING AREA

- ▲ Free standing table with dedicated storage location
- ▲ Front wrap round seating (not L shapes)
- ▲ Cocktail cabinet with glass and bottle holders
- ▲ Stereo location housing with supply feed (excluding stereo & speakers)
- ▲ Superior quality modern domestic style sprung bedding and sculptured backrests
- ▲ Lined velvet curtains, pelmets and curtain retainers
- ▲ Reversible scatter cushions and corner blocks
- ▲ Large 6'3½" (1.92m) single beds (not L shapes)
- ▲ Hook on occasional table (L shapes only)

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New washable vinyl wall and ceiling covering
- ▲ Superior quality carpet
- ▲ Improved soft shut seal on locker doors
- ▲ New modern Belgian fabrics

KITCHEN

- ▲ Domestic style flush fitting Stoves midnight blue four burner hob, oven and grill with FFD (Flame Failure Device) and electronic ignition
- ▲ High impact midnight blue polycarbonate bowl/drain
- ▲ Green kitchen equipment and matching heater front optional on all Spectrums

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Unique midnight blue kitchen equipment with matching heater front
- ▲ Large ergonomically designed sink unit

- ▲ Electrolux 86 litre refrigerator with electronic ignition and full width freezer compartment

HEATING & PLUMBING

- ▲ Carver 3600 auto ignition space heater
- ▲ Fanmaster with ducted blown air
- ▲ Fully fitted luxury washroom with vanity unit
- ▲ Fully fitted shower compartment with mixer taps
- ▲ Thetford electronic cassette toilet
- ▲ Exterior toilet filler point and pump (Spectrum 620)
- ▲ Carver rapide gas/electric water heater
- ▲ Underslung fully insulated fresh water tank (12 gallon/53 litre)
- ▲ Inboard rigid piped pressurised fresh water system

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ New washroom in Spectrum 418
- ▲ Large bore underslung rigid waste pipes
- ▲ New washable vinyl toilet wall covering

ELECTRICAL

- ▲ Full mains electric with four 230v mains sockets (including wet locker socket)
- ▲ Full 12v electrical system with one 12v socket and plug
- ▲ TV station with 230v/12v aerial connection point
- ▲ 12v and 230v mains reading lights
- ▲ Dimmer switch control of mains lights
- ▲ Switchmode charger transformer with ELCB
- ▲ PMS 2000 modular electrical control panel
- ▲ 25 metre on site mains connection lead

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Al-Ko side mounted jack

FITTINGS & EQUIPMENT

- ▲ Full night blinds and flyscreens
- ▲ Omnivent three speed 12v fan and skylight
- ▲ Pull-out roller slatted bed
- ▲ Solid ash framed furniture doors
- ▲ Quartz clock
- ▲ Doormat and tray with brush out facility
- ▲ Exterior door flyscreen
- ▲ Vent boards to back rests
- ▲ Secure furniture fixings using concealed metal plates and timber rails
- ▲ Deep hardwood edges to work surfaces
- ▲ Spare wheel and tyre with Al-Ko side mounted jack

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Multi directional roof lights with sliding blind and flynet
- ▲ New screen printed double glazed windows with night latch ventilation
- ▲ New hardwood furniture doors

SECURITY

- ▲ High security key operated locks
- ▲ Identity number etched to windows
- ▲ Exterior road lighting isolator (isolating stop, tail and fog lights)
- ▲ IDM 2000 passive infra-red security alarm

NEW FOR 1998

- ▲ Concealed security data chip within the caravan's construction

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