

BUSINESS CLASS

The Corolla Altis has proved to be a major success for Toyota in the Indian market. This month we have two brothers from Delhi who share their experiences with us.

Amarjeet Singh and Avtar Singh are brothers and businessmen from Delhi. They love their Corolla Altis. They had a midsize saloon but wanted to upgrade to a bigger and better car. Avtar's obvious choice was the Corolla Altis and although initially Amarjeet was not completely convinced, Avtar managed to change his brother's opinion. "My brother was a little unsure, but when I took him out for a test drive of the Corolla, he was completely bowled over," Avtar said. Now, Amarjeet just can't stop praising his new car. "The Altis looks and feels much more expensive than its price tag. It also offers a fantastic driving, ride and handling experience."

According to Avtar, the gorgeous flowing lines of the shape and the nice-looking front headlamp cluster are the finest features of the exteriors. We then shift to the plush cabin of the Corolla. The brothers just love the interiors of the Corolla. "I simply love the rear seat comfort and the wonderful air-conditioning in the car, says Avtar. According to Amarjeet, the rear seat space is admirable. "It is so roomy and comfortable that even after long journeys we hardly feel any strain or weariness. Amarjeet is also mighty impressed by the splendidly appointed dashboard. "The pretty



control dials and the overall quality is extraordinary." The silky smooth performance of the capable VVT-i engine and intelligent transmission (Super ECT) make the Altis great to drive. Its stellar performance is simply awe inspiring. "A lot of people we know who have bought other cars in the same price range now repent not buying the Altis, says a proud Avtar.

Amarjeet is also a huge fan of the steering wheel of the Altis. "It has got an excellent grip and is very light as well,

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The car has been a favourite at the Singh household.



but what I really like is the steering-mounted audio controls. "In heavy traffic, when it is hard to take your eyes off the road, these audio controls are a big boon." The convenient storage compartments and cup-holders are of great benefit to the family. "We listen to a lot of music and so all our CDs neatly fit in the storage spaces," says Avtar.

Both brothers are health conscious and can't do without their daily glasses of juice. This is where the cup-holders come in full use. "While driving, sipping juice is quite easy now." Amarjeet said. The sunglasses holder in the front is also a favourite feature of the brothers. We often fight as to who gets to keep his sunglasses in there," says Avtar.

It's clear that both Avtar and Amarjeet are totally in love with their Altis, and the icing on the cake for them has been Toyota's legendary service and reliability. The car has been perfect till now. "We both want to drive it, and so as a solution we are considering buying another Altis. Now this is one loyal Toyota family.