

# KENWORTH SMARTWHEEL

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Kenworth's SmartWheel is an innovative design that boosts driver convenience and safety by integrating several essential controls directly into the steering wheel.

This feature allows drivers to operate frequently used functions with ease, helping to stay focused on the road. For those who value efficiency and comfort, the SmartWheel offers a modern solution to make every journey smoother and safer.



## KEY FEATURES

### INTEGRATED CONTROLS

The SmartWheel includes buttons and switches for cruise control, audio adjustments, and driver assistance features. This design allows drivers to handle these functions while both hands remain on the wheel.

### USER-FRIENDLY DESIGN

The buttons are strategically placed for easy thumb access, letting drivers make adjustments quickly and safely. This layout minimizes the time spent looking away from the road to operate the various controls.

### DRIVER ASSISTANCE

Depending on the Kenworth model, the SmartWheel may feature controls for adaptive cruise control and lane departure assistance. These features can help drivers in maintaining a safe following distance, keeping the truck centered in its lane, and receiving alerts about potential hazards.

### CUSTOMIZABLE DISPLAY

In many Kenworth models, the SmartWheel is paired with a digital dashboard display that shows information related to the selected functions, like current cruise control, audio settings, or incoming calls. The display allows drivers to easily monitor essential information at a glance.

### SAFETY ENHANCEMENT

By placing these key features within reach, the SmartWheel can reduce the risk of accidents due to driver distraction, particularly during long hauls. This accessibility not only enhances safety but also improves overall driver comfort. SmartWheel allows drivers to concentrate on the road without the need to reach for buttons on the dashboard.

## LEFT AND RIGHT BUTTON CONTROLS

SmartWheel controls are located on the outer left and right sections of the wheel, placing them at the driver's fingertips. Drivers are able to control certain functions without having to remove their hands from the steering wheel. As a result, it eliminates the need for drivers to take their eyes off the road to visually confirm their switch choices. The functionality of these "smart" controls provides more than just simple on/off selections.



## LEFT

The left group controls driver assistance and cruise control. With these buttons, you can easily activate and adjust the cruise control setting to increase or decrease your truck's speed. Drivers can set the control to a current speed or resume the previous speed after stopping.

Additionally, the SmartWheel may include adaptive cruise control and lane departing warning. For trucks equipped with adaptive cruise control, there are buttons that adjust the truck's following distance to the vehicle in front. Some models also feature lane departure warnings, with buttons to enable or disable alerts that notify you when you may be drifting out of your lane.

## RIGHT

The right group controls audio and phone functions. Buttons for volume adjustment, track and station selection, and mute allow drivers to easily manage their audio settings. Many SmartWheel controls include buttons for phone functions, like accepting or ending a call when connected via Bluetooth. Some models are equipped with a voice command button, enabling the driver to use hands-free voice-activated functions for added convenience.



## STAY SAFE & COMFORTABLE WITH SMARTWHEEL

Prioritize efficiency, comfort, and safety with the Kenworth SmartWheel. The Next Gen SmartWheel features intuitive, driver designed controls for the innovative 15-inch Digital Display. Easily scroll between display screens to your preference or driving conditions, or use the shortcut button to jump to the driver favorites view.

By integrating these essential controls directly into the steering wheel, it allows drivers to operate frequently used functions without directing their attention away from the road. With its user-friendly design, enhanced assistance features, and intuitive controls, the SmartWheel is an invaluable tool. Whether on long hauls or daily routes, it improves the driving experience, making every mile safer and easier.