



## **AEC Europe – Press Release New 2013 SRT Viper at Geneva’s International Motor Show.**

**AEC Europe**, in part with Chrysler LLC and Fiat Group SpA, will present select **Dodge & RAM** models during the Geneva Motor Show. (March 7-17, 2013)

The visitors will have a unique opportunity to admire the brand-new **2013 SRT Viper**.

The new **Viper** is built for three things: speed, reliability and durability.

This car is all about winning endurance races, such as the Petit Le Mans, a 10-hour race at Road Atlanta in Georgia, and the 24-hours of Le Mans in France.

The **2013 SRT Viper** will compete this year as part of a two-car team in the American Le Mans Series (ALMS), the same series that Viper dominated in 2000.

**Improvements for 2013** include an ultra-high-flow, lightweight composite intake manifold; high-strength, forged pistons; sodium-filled exhaust valves; new catalysts to ease backpressure and an aluminum flywheel that reduces reciprocating losses.

**Performance ratings** for the SRT-engineered V-10 Viper are 640 horsepower and 272 kg.-ft. of torque – the most torque of any naturally aspirated sports-car engine in the world.

The Tremec TR6060 six-speed manual transmission has been improved with closer gear ratios and a final drive ratio that has been shortened to 3.55 from 3.07.

The shifter throw also is shorter. Its top speed of 331.52 km/h is now achieved through 6th gear with maximum engine speed at at 6,200 rpm.

For the first time, the **2013 SRT Viper** models carry LED taillamps that integrate stop-and-turn illumination in one element.

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Other models presented at the show:

- Iconic Charger SRT8, 6.4-liter Hemi V8 470 hp (346 kW) with cylinder deactivation, launch control, adaptive speed control and other technical highlights.
- Brand-new 2013 Ram 1500 model, which was recently named "Truck of the Year" by the "Motor Trend" magazine.
- Luxurious Dodge Durango Citadel and explore its variable 7-Seats-concept. Its elegant design, gleaming 20-inch aluminum chrome-clad wheels, extensive security system and the famous fuel efficient V6 Pentastar® engine make the Durango a truly unique family vehicle.

These vehicles will be presented by **AEC Europe** at the 83rd Geneva Motor Show in cooperation with Fiat Group Automotive on Stand **6440**.

**AEC Europe's** representatives will be delighted to speak with the media during the press days (March 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, 2013) and meet with anybody during the public days.

**About AEC Europe**

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