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The stunning Plaxton Elite range has now reached another level with the new Elite *i*, a coach designed to offer even greater capacity and operational efficiency to your business.

Elite *i* is unmistakable. Its stylish, distinctive profile and innovative interdeck design are guaranteed to impress, delivering exceptional new levels of passenger comfort and operating possibilities.



- Increases the capacity of the Elite family to an entirely new level.
- Iconic Elite styling and comfort for a premium passenger experience.
- Intelligent technology delivering efficient operation and effortless performance, designed to maximise fuel efficiency and increase available payload.
- Innovative design for maximum seating up to 75 (71 to upper cabin and maximum 3 plus 1 wheelchair in lower saloon)



### Styling to turn heads

Elite *i* has all the charm and style which has made the Elite range such a distinctive icon.



### A powerful and flexible choice

Operators will relish the power and economy of the latest in drive-train technology. The innovative interdeck design with its lower deck driver position, allows for full length upper deck seating, offering flexible configurations and floor layouts to satisfy a variety of operational requirements. Combine this with the build quality and aftercare for which Plaxton have become renowned and Elite *i* presents a compelling case.



### Outstanding passenger experience

For passengers, the kerb appeal and stature of the Elite *i* is instant. Once they step aboard, they'll appreciate the extensive standard specification. Reclining seats with 3 point seatbelts; smooth finish interior racks with stylish lighting and ventilation to each seat and a high quality audio and video system is offered to entertain them along the way.



### Efficient ergonomics

Elite is already a real favourite with drivers, intelligent ergonomics present a cockpit which not only looks every inch a luxury vehicle, it presents controls in the best possible manner, ensuring a stress free working environment for the driver on today's busy roads. New features include individual air conditioning and electrically operated driver's blind.

Elite *i* may be all new but we've worked meticulously to ensure its lost none of the virtues which have made the Elite family such a favourite with those who recognise something particularly special when they see it. Take a look at one for yourself.

# Elitei Specification

## Dimensions

Length 15m, width 2.55m, Height – 3.960m

## Framing

Jig built, 12% Chromium Steel, welded stainless steel structure. All frame surfaces below the waistrail are treated with a primary anti-corrosion protection and the vehicle is undersealed in a two stage process.

## Exterior Panels

Single piece composite main side panels, bonded to the main structure. Pneumatically operated, parallel lift main locker door to nearside, manual parallel lift to offside, hinged side access panels and wheelarches. All locker doors aluminium framed with single piece aluminium skins. GRP front and rear panels, bonded to the main structure. GRP front corner panels.

## Exterior Features

Wide, power operated twin leaf main entrance door. Primary entrance through outward opening, parallel leaf, door. Wheelchair entry through second leaf. Double glazed upper glass.

## Glazing

Tinted, double glazed, curved glass side windows. Two piece horizontally split laminated front screens, incorporating destination displays where fitted. Double glazed rear window. Double glazed driver side window with power operated single glazed signalling window. Two roof mounted escape hatches.

## Exterior Lighting

Halogen pinpoint headlamps, combined LED indicator and sidelamp unit with daytime running lights. Single, side mounted LED indicator repeater lamps. LED cantrail markers to front and rear roof dome corners. LED Rear lights.

## Interior Comfort

Vinyl, anti-slip floor covering throughout. Soft touch coated dash. Fabric soft trim to side casings and parcel racks (option of wipe-clean surfaces), Centre ceiling panels trimmed in contrasting soft fabric; Deep interior parcel racks with option of aircraft style doors trimmed in soft touch material. Individual passenger service units supplying ventilation, reading lights and optional call buttons.

Full length LED interior lighting with nightlight facility and additional LED entrance area and stepwell lighting. Perimeter convector heating to saloon. Maximum 75 (71 to main cabin and up to 4 in lower saloon) reclining Gala 970 seats trimmed in moquette with leather inserts and piping and adjustable footrests, retractable armrests and three point inertia reel seatbelts; Removable single seat on lower deck in wheelchair location; Full climate control to passenger cabin.

## Passenger Features

Wide opening, twin leaf entrance door; Floor level entrance compliant with wheelchair accessibility requirements; Sunken centre mounted washroom, fresh water W/C, handwash and hot-air dryer.

## Driver Comfort

New design driver's environment; dashboard area in GRP with coated finish; ergonomically designed instrument layout incorporating chassis manufacturers standard instrument binnacle; positive location electrical switchgear controlling vehicle functions. Premium audio system, AM/ FM tuner, CD player, driver microphone on flexible mounting and crew microphone – Further options available; driver drinks holder and storage tray; air-suspended driver's seat; Dash mounted storage box; Individual air-conditioning for the driver; electrically operated driver's blind; Driver and crew 12v accessory socket.

## Additional Features\*

Front foglights; LED Digital clock and W/C status indicator.

\* Items subject to individual vehicle specification.

## Optional Items

Enhanced Entertainment – Further options to tailor the system to meet your exact requirements. Please contact your distributor for further details.

Seats – Tailor the seats to your exact requirements, please ask for details.

Servery – Various layouts available according to seating configuration, please ask for details.

Accessibility – Compliant for use on scheduled service, including front and side destination and rear TRN; Additional handrails in contrasting colours where required; Wheelchair location to front entry platform. Provision for ticket issuing equipment.

Lighting – Variable colour interior lighting.

CCTV and reverse camera systems.

## We're with you all the way

When you invest in a new Plaxton coach, you're also investing in top-quality after sales service.

Plaxton Customer Support is dedicated to keeping your vehicles where they belong - on the road, earning money. The Plaxton Customer Support operation is staffed by people who understand the coach business. They realise the importance of a prompt response, whether it's ensuring that a vital part is delivered promptly to your workshop, or attending to a vehicle breakdown.

Roadside support is provided 24/7 by a network of UK and European service agents, managed and monitored from a dedicated control centre.

We also offer an unrivalled glass replacement service with teams covering the UK.

For parts and service Plaxton Customer Support provides the back-up you need, when you need it. Fast.

Plaxton policy is one of continuous development.

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