## Sierra trailering tech enhances safety and performance

Six in 10 full-size pickup owners use their trucks for trailering, according to General Motors' survey data.

Along with class-leading trailing capacities, the all-new 2014 GMC Sierra 1500, offers that majority of customers a full suite of trailering technologies that aid everything from acceleration to safety and braking. Before the 2014 Sierra is even in mo-

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On any grade of about five per cent or higher, Hill Start Assist automatically engages the Sierra's brakes for 1.5 seconds or



Hauling heavy loads in the 2014 GMC Sierra will be greatly enhanced with a complete range of trailering technologies.

until the gas pedal is pressed. This keeps the truck from rolling rearward and helps in trailering situations like

climbing a boat launch.

Tow/Haul mode, activated by a button on the shift lever, modifies the standard sixspeed transmission's shift mapping to take full advantage of the Sierra's powerful new EcoTec3 engines.

For drivers who prefer full control over their truck's shifting, improved TapShift controls on the shift lever are backed by a patent-pending shift algorithm that improves shift response time by up to 60 per cent compared to previous systems.

When the TapShift controls are in use, Sierra's Trailer Grade Braking is deactivated because the driver is manually controlling gearshifts.

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