

Comparison of full-size countertop models for household use available in Canada with variable speeds. All these models can create smoothies, soups, frozen desserts, and more, and can chop, grind, whip, blend, heat, stir, and purée. They all feature a radial cooling fan & thermal protection system and a Variable Speed Control Dial in the base; a *Getting Started* Guide and *Let's Get Started* DVD; a tamper (or mini-tamper) to help blend very thick and/or frozen mixtures or to push down bits while grinding; and, with the possible exception of some Aspire models, their containers are made of BPA-free Eastman Tritan® copolyester. These are the main model names used by Vitamix themselves or their select Canadian outlets, but the first few may also be known as some variant of their U.S. base model number: 5200.

Model/prices as of Aug. 2016	Aspire (\$639/669/or \$799)	Super Total Nutrition Centre (\$600)	Total Nutrition Centre / Ultimate (\$500/\$700)	Professional Series 300 (mid-\$600s)	Vitamix 7500 Blender (\$639)	Elite 7500 Blender (\$914)	Professional Series 750 (\$759)	780 Touch-Screen Blender (\$879)
Platform	C-Series	C-Series	C-Series	G-Series	G-Series	G-Series	G-Series	G-Series
Motor & Base	2-peak HP motor, (propels blade up to 240 mph); 120 volt, 60 Hz 11.5 amps. Black, Red or White Plastic Finish to upper part of base -- or a Polished Stainless Steel base for \$30 more.	2 peak HP motor; 120 volt, 60 Hz 11.5 amps. Black, Red or White Plastic Finish to upper part of base.	2-peak HP motor, 120 volt, 60 Hz 11.5 amps. White Plastic Finish to upper part of base.	Next. Gen. 2.2-peak HP motor, 120 V, 50/60 Hz, 12 amps. Ruby Red or Onyx Black Plastic Finish to upper part of base.	Next. Gen. 2.2-peak HP motor, 120 V, 50/60 Hz, 12 amps. Red or Black Plastic Finish to upper part of base.	Next. Gen. 2.2-peak HP motor, 120 V, 50/60 Hz, 12 amps. Lemongrass (Green) Plastic Finish to upper part of base.	Next. Gen. 2.2-peak HP motor, 120 V, 50/60 Hz, 12 amps. Polished Stainless Steel Finish to upper part of base.	Next. Gen. 2.2-peak HP motor, 120 volt, 50/60 Hz 11.5 amps. Black Plastic Finish to upper part of base. Glass cover to touchscreen panel.
Other Speed Controls			High speed versus variable setting lever.	Pulse feature. Start/Stop lever.	Pulse feature. Start/Stop lever.	Pulse feature. Start/Stop lever.	Pulse feature, Start/Stop lever, plus 5 pre-programmed settings.	Pulse feature, Start/Stop lever, 5 pre-programmed settings, LED Touchscreen control panel
Illuminated Control Panel	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Weight	4.79 kg / 10.59 lbs	4.79 kg / 10.59 lbs	4.79 kg / 10.59 lbs	5.67 kg / 12.5 lbs	5.67 kg / 12.5 lbs	5.67 kg / 12.5 lbs	11 lb 11.2 ounces	5.67 kg / 12.5 lbs
Noise Level	Fairly Loud.	Fairly Loud.	Fairly Loud.	Much Quieter motor.	Much Quieter motor.	Much Quieter motor.	Much Quieter motor.	Quietest system.
Size w/ large container in (L x W x H)	8.8 in. x 7.3 in. x 20.5 in.	8.8 in. x 7.3 in. x 20.5 in.	8.8 in. x 7.3 in. x 20.5 in.	9.4 in. x 7.7 in. x 17.5 in.	9.4 in. x 7.7 in. x 17.5 in.	9.4 in. x 7.7 in. x 17.5 in.	9.4 in. x 7.7 in. x 17.5 in.	9.4 in. x 7.7 in. x 17.5 in.
Optimum batch size	Medium	Medium	Medium	Large, w/ 64 oz Container Med. w/Optional 32oz container	Large, w/ 64 oz Container Med. w/Optional 32oz container	Medium	Large, w/ 64 oz Container Med. w/Optional 32oz container	Large, w/ 64 oz Container Med. w/Optional 32oz container
Footprint (sq. in/cm)	63.4 / 409.0	63.4 / 409.0	63.4 / 409.0	72.4 / 467.1	72.4 / 467.1	72.4 / 467.1	72.4 / 467.1	72.4 / 467.1
Containers it can use	2.0 L (64 oz) container; Height: 34.04 cm (13.4 in.) ; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades	1.9 L (64 oz) container; Height: 34.0 cm (13.4 in.) ; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades	2.0 L (64 oz) container; Height: 34.04 cm (13.4 in.) ; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades	1.9 L (64 oz) low profile container; Height: 25.7 cm (10.1 in.): 10.2 cm diam. blades	1.9 L (64 oz) low profile container; Height: 25.7 cm (10.1 in.): 10.2 cm diam. blades	1.4 L (48 oz) low profile container; Height: 26.0 cm (10.1 in.): 7.6 cm diam. blades	1.9 L (64 oz) low profile container; Height: 25.7 cm (10.1 in.): 10.2 cm diam. blades	1.9 L (64 oz) low profile container; Height: 25.7 cm (10.1 in.): 10.2 cm diam. blades
	0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	1.4 L (48 oz) container; Height: 26.04 cm (10.3 in.) ; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades
		Flip Top Beverage Bottle 650 ml (22 oz)	0.9 L (32 oz) Dry Grains container; Height: 24.9 cm (9.8 in.) ; 7.1 cm diam. cutting blades	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Wet container; Height: 26 cm; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades. A 48 oz container is also available.	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Wet container; Height: 26 cm; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades. A 48 oz container is also available.	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Wet container; Height: 26 cm; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades. A 64 oz container is also available.	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Wet container; Height: 26 cm; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades. A 48 oz container is also available.	Optional: 0.9 L (32 oz) Wet container; Height: 26 cm; 7.6 cm diam. cutting blades. A 48 oz container is also available.
Warranty	5 years	7 years	7 years	7 years	7 years	5 years	7 years	7 years
Also Includes	<i>Recipes to Inspire &/or Whole Grains</i> cookbooks	<i>Chef-tested Recipes</i> Book	<i>Whole Foods Chef-tested Recipes</i> Book	<i>Create</i> recipe book & additional instructional DVD	<i>Simply Fresh</i> cookbook	Bilingual cookbook; <i>Whole Grains</i> recipe book	<i>Create</i> Recipe Book & an additional Instructional DVD	<i>Create</i> Recipe Book