



Vehicle History Report™

1998 MERCEDES-BENZ SL-CLASS SL 500

VIN: WDBFA67F4WF167180
 CONVERTIBLE
 5.0L V8 F
 GASOLINE
 REAR WHEEL DRIVE



Branded Title: Rebuilt



24 Service history records



11 Previous owners



Personal vehicle



Last owned in California



164,983 Last reported odometer reading

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Ownership History

The number of owners is estimated

	Owners 1-9	Owner 10	Owner 11
Year purchased	1998	2012	2022
Type of owner	Personal	Personal	Personal
Estimated length of ownership	14 yrs. 3 mo.	9 yrs. 8 mo.	1 yr. 1 mo.
Owned in the following states/provinces	See Details	California	California
Estimated miles driven per year	See Details	3,103/yr	---
Last reported odometer reading	122,594	164,537	164,983




Title History

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	Owners 1-9	Owner 10	Owner 11
Damage Brands Salvage Junk Rebuilt Fire Flood Hail Lemon	No Problem	Alert! Problem Found	Alert! Problem Found
Odometer Brands Not Actual Mileage Exceeds Mechanical Limits	No Problem	No Problem	No Problem



ALERT! - Severe problems were reported by a state Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). This vehicle does not qualify for the CARFAX Buyback Guarantee.

 Additional History Not all accidents / issues are reported to CARFAX	Owners 1-9	Owner 10	Owner 11
Total Loss No total loss reported to CARFAX.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported
Structural Damage CARFAX recommends that you have this vehicle inspected by a collision repair specialist.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported
Airbag Deployment No airbag deployment reported to CARFAX.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported
Odometer Check No indication of an odometer rollback.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Indicated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Indicated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Indicated
Accident / Damage DMV title problems reported.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Issues Reported	Severe Damage	Severe Damage
Manufacturer Recall Check with an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer for any open recalls.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recalls Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recalls Reported	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recalls Reported
Basic Warranty Original manufacturer warranty likely voided by manufacturer.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warranty Active	Warranty Voided	Warranty Voided


**Detailed History**

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
 Owner 1 Purchased: 1998			Personal Vehicle 8,490 mi/yr
05/30/1998		Montana Motor Vehicle Dept. Kalispell, MT	Titled or registered as personal vehicle
07/10/1998	36	Montana Motor Vehicle Dept. Kalispell, MT Title #E344145	Title or registration issued - First owner reported - Loan or lien reported
10/20/2000	20,331	Dealer Inventory Billings, MT	Vehicle offered for sale

10/31/2000 20,641 Service Facility


**Vehicle serviced**

- Sunvisor(s) replaced/repaired
- Door check replaced
- Convertible top operation checked
- Body computer/module reprogrammed
- Airbag system checked
- Sunroof checked


 **Owner 2**
Purchased: 2000
Personal Vehicle
6,482 mi/yr

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
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11/17/2000	20,885	Arizona Motor Vehicle Dept. Scottsdale, AZ Title #MC7009C322188	Title or registration issued - New owner reported
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12/04/2000	21,632	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed - Sunroof checked - Seat(s) checked - Power seat switch replaced - Power seat checked/repaired - Front door adjusted - Door trim panel replaced/repaired
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12/22/2000	22,322	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Drivability/performance checked - Engine/powertrain computer/module checked - Fuel filter replaced - Fuel pump replaced
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02/05/2001	23,569	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Recommended maintenance performed - Maintenance inspection completed - Sunvisor(s) replaced/repaired - Tire(s) balanced - Cabin air filter replaced/cleaned
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02/15/2001	23,861	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Engine checked - Oil level sensor replaced - Body electrical system checked - Sunroof checked - Door sill plate/trim replaced
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04/27/2001	25,746	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed - Front door adjusted - Door trim panel replaced/repaired - Sunroof checked
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- Computer(s) checked
- Door lock actuator(s) replaced


06/05/2001	27,067	Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Engine/powertrain computer/module checked - ABS system checked - Steering angle sensor replaced - Tire condition and pressure checked - Wheels checked
06/21/2001		Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed - Console repaired - Door check replaced - Door trim panel replaced/repared - Trunk latch replaced - Instrument cluster replaced/repared - Doors checked - Door weatherstrip replaced - Convertible top operation checked - Radio/sound system checked - Interior trim checked - Wipers/washers checked - Lights checked
07/18/2001	28,679	Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed - Door trim panel replaced/repared
07/30/2001	29,352	Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Noise checked
11/23/2001	29,441	Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Engine/powertrain computer/module checked
03/15/2002	29,463	Service Facility		Vehicle serviced - Battery/charging system checked



Owner 3

Purchased: 2002

Personal Vehicle


Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
04/08/2002		Arizona Motor Vehicle Dept. Phoenix, AZ Title #A53631E098015	Title or registration issued - New owner reported
05/17/2002	33,020	Service Facility	 Vehicle serviced - Recommended maintenance performed - Maintenance inspection completed - Engine checked

- Engine/powertrain computer/module checked
- Engine replaced
- Oxygen sensor replaced
- A/C and heating temperature control checked
- A/C and heating system checked
- A/C refrigerant recharged
- A/C receiver/dryer replaced

07/22/2002 36,716 Service Facility

**Vehicle serviced**

- Recommended maintenance performed
- Fluids checked
- Oil and filter changed

 **Owner 4**
Purchased: 2002

Personal Vehicle


Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
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08/23/2002	39,813	Arizona Motor Vehicle Dept. Gilbert, AZ Title #452M002235003	Title or registration issued - New owner reported
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09/03/2002 40,693 Service Facility

**Vehicle serviced**

- Recommended maintenance performed
- ABS system checked
- Parking brake system checked
- Brakes checked
- Vehicle washed/detailed

 **Owner 5**
Purchased: 2002

Personal Vehicle

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
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09/26/2002	42,243	Arizona Motor Vehicle Dept. Gilbert, AZ Title #454M002269015	Title or registration issued - New owner reported
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01/14/2003 45,540 Service Facility

**Vehicle serviced**

02/14/2003 45,542 Service Facility

**Vehicle serviced**

- Maintenance inspection completed

04/21/2003	45,809	California Inspection Station Encinitas, CA	Passed emissions inspection
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**Owner 6**

Purchased: 2003

Personal Vehicle

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
05/01/2003	45,980	California Motor Vehicle Dept. Long Beach, CA	Title issued or updated - New owner reported

**Owner 7**

Purchased: 2004

Personal Vehicle

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
06/01/2004		California Motor Vehicle Dept. Long Beach, CA	Title issued or updated - New owner reported
04/06/2005	72,753	California Inspection Station	Passed emissions inspection
10/03/2005	84,000	Dealer Inventory	Vehicle offered for sale
09/12/2006	93,000	Online Listing	Vehicle offered for sale

**Owner 8**

Purchased: 2006

Personal Vehicle

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
10/25/2006	93,050	California Motor Vehicle Dept. Corona del Mar, CA	Title issued or updated - New owner reported
11/08/2006	93,332	California Inspection Station	Passed emissions inspection



**Owner 9**

Purchased: 2007

Personal Vehicle

5,189 mi/yr



Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
02/22/2007	93,947	California Motor Vehicle Dept. Newport Beach, CA	Title issued or updated - New owner reported
02/23/2007	93,951	California Inspection Station	Passed emissions inspection
05/04/2007	94,950	California Inspection Station	Passed emissions inspection




10/05/2007	95,529	Grand Automotive Lake Forest, CA 949-454-1449 ★ 4.9 / 5.0 15 Verified Reviews ♥ 29 Customer Favorites	 Vehicle serviced - Tire(s) replaced - Four tires balanced - Four tires mounted
06/04/2009	104,858	California Inspection Station Newport Beach, CA	Passed emissions inspection
05/03/2011	116,492	California Inspection Station Costa Mesa, CA	Passed emissions inspection
03/28/2012	121,367	Linos Independent Mercedes Service Inc. Palm Desert, CA 760-773-4707 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 8 Verified Reviews ♥ 2 Customer Favorites	 Vehicle serviced - Battery/charging system checked - Battery replaced
08/29/2012	122,594	California Inspection Station Costa Mesa, CA	Passed emissions inspection

**Owner 10**

Purchased: 2012

Personal Vehicle
3,103 mi/yr



Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
09/05/2012		California Motor Vehicle Dept. Newport Beach, CA	 New owner reported - REBUILT TITLE ISSUED
05/01/2014	139,784	California Inspection Station Costa Mesa, CA	Passed emissions inspection
02/12/2016	147,424	Grand Prix Performance Costa Mesa, CA 949-645-7022 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 11 Verified Reviews ♥ 21 Customer Favorites	 Vehicle serviced - Tire(s) replaced - Tire(s) mounted - Tire(s) dismounted - Tire(s) balanced - Tire condition and pressure checked
05/04/2016	148,565	California Inspection Station Costa Mesa, CA	Passed emissions inspection

04/03/2017	154,798	Allen Tire Company Costa Mesa, CA ★ 4.7 / 5.0 23 Verified Reviews ❤️ 32 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced - Tire condition and pressure checked - Tire(s) replaced - Tire(s) balanced
04/27/2018	159,266	California Inspection Station Costa Mesa, CA		Passed emissions inspection
03/11/2019	163,428	Grand Prix Performance Costa Mesa, CA 949-645-7022 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 11 Verified Reviews ❤️ 21 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced - Tire(s) replaced - Tire(s) mounted - Tire(s) dismantled - Tire(s) balanced - Tire condition and pressure checked
04/20/2022	164,537	Coast MBZ/BMW Service Costa Mesa, CA 714-957-1507 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 29 Verified Reviews ❤️ 17 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed - Recommended maintenance performed - Battery replaced - Battery/charging system checked - Brake fluid flushed/changed - Drive belts checked - Fluids checked - Oil and filter changed - Tire condition and pressure checked - Light bulb(s) replaced - Idler pulley replaced - Brakes checked
05/16/2022		California Inspection Station Glendale, CA		Passed emissions inspection

**Owner 11**

Purchased: 2022

Personal Vehicle

Date	Mileage	Source		Comments
05/16/2022	164,546	California Motor Vehicle Dept. Los Angeles, CA		New owner reported - REBUILT TITLE ISSUED
06/01/2022	164,983	Goodyear at Laguna Beach Laguna Beach, CA 949-494-7111 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 8 Verified Reviews ❤️ 2 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced - Tire(s) mounted - Alignment checked - Tire condition and pressure checked - Steering/suspension checked

08/09/2022

California
Motor Vehicle Dept.
Los Angeles, CA**Registration updated when owner
moved the vehicle to a new location**Have Questions? Please visit our Help Center at www.carfax.com.

Glossary

First Owner

When the first owner(s) obtains a title from a Department of Motor Vehicles as proof of ownership.

New Owner Reported

When a vehicle is sold to a new owner, the Title must be transferred to the new owner(s) at a Department of Motor Vehicles.

Ownership History

CARFAX defines an owner as an individual or business that possesses and uses a vehicle. Not all title transactions represent changes in ownership. To provide estimated number of owners, CARFAX proprietary technology analyzes all the events in a vehicle history. Estimated ownership is available for vehicles manufactured after 1991 and titled solely in the US including Puerto Rico. Dealers sometimes opt to take ownership of a vehicle and are required to in the following states: Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania and South Dakota. Please consider this as you review a vehicle's estimated ownership history.

Rebuilt/Reconstructed Title

A Rebuilt/Reconstructed vehicle is a salvage vehicle that has been repaired and restored to operation. These vehicles are often severely damaged before they are rebuilt and refurbished parts are typically used during reconstruction. In most states, an inspection of the vehicle is required before the vehicle is allowed to return to the road.

Title Issued

A state issues a title to provide a vehicle owner with proof of ownership. Each title has a unique number. Each title or registration record on a CARFAX report does not necessarily indicate a change in ownership. In Canada, a registration and bill of sale are used as proof of ownership.

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