



# Vehicle History Report™

## 1997 MERCEDES-BENZ S420

VIN: WDBGA43G5VA363700  
 SEDAN 4 DR  
 4.2L V8 F  
 GASOLINE  
 REAR WHEEL DRIVE

**Damage reported: minor damage**

**MINOR**      MODERATE      SEVERE

**18** Service history records

**5** Previous owners

Personal vehicle

**95,680** Last reported odometer reading

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## Ownership History

The number of owners is estimated

	Owners 1-3	Owner 4	Owner 5
Year purchased	1997	2017	2017
Type of owner	Personal	Personal	Personal
Estimated length of ownership	19 yrs. 4 mo.	3 months	10 months
Owned in the following states/provinces	See Details	Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania, Connecticut
Estimated miles driven per year	See Details	---	---
Last reported odometer reading	73,802	76,000	95,680



## Title History

CARFAX guarantees the information in this section

	Owners 1-3	Owner 4	Owner 5
<b>Damage Brands</b> Salvage   Junk   Rebuilt   Fire   Flood   Hail   Lemon	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem
<b>Odometer Brands</b> Not Actual Mileage   Exceeds Mechanical Limits	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem	<b>Guaranteed</b> No Problem



**GUARANTEED** - None of these major title problems were reported by a state Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). If you find that any of these title problems were reported by a DMV and not included in this report, CARFAX will buy this vehicle back.  
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<b>CARFAX</b> Additional History Not all accidents / issues are reported to CARFAX	Owners 1-3	Owner 4	Owner 5
<b>Total Loss</b> No total loss reported to CARFAX.	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported
<b>Structural Damage</b> CARFAX recommends that you have this vehicle inspected by a collision repair specialist.	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported
<b>Airbag Deployment</b> No airbag deployment reported to CARFAX.	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported
<b>Odometer Check</b> No indication of an odometer rollback.	✔ No Issues Indicated	✔ No Issues Indicated	✔ No Issues Indicated
<b>Accident / Damage</b> Damage reported: 12/06/2017.	✔ No Issues Reported	✔ No Issues Reported	Minor Damage
<b>Manufacturer Recall</b> Check with an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer for any open recalls.	✔ No Recalls Reported	✔ No Recalls Reported	✔ No Recalls Reported
<b>Basic Warranty</b> Original warranty estimated to have expired.	Warranty Expired	Warranty Expired	Warranty Expired







**CARFAX** Detailed History

**Owner 1**  
Purchased: 1997


**Low mileage!** This owner drove less than the industry average of 15,000 miles per year.

Personal Vehicle  
3,807 mi/yr


Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
10/04/1997	71	Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Rillton, PA Title #51302397 01 SH	<b>Title or registration issued</b> - First owner reported - Titled or registered as personal vehicle
07/09/1999	8,802	Pennsylvania Inspection Station	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>

06/19/2001	12,401	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
09/21/2001	12,741	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Brakes checked - Radio/sound system checked - Interior lights checked
03/14/2002	13,386	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Headlights adjusted - Body electrical system checked - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
03/21/2003	16,345	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - 15,000 mile service performed - Two tires mounted - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
04/29/2005		Pennsylvania Inspection Station	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
04/29/2005		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Title #51302397 00	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/30/2005	25,663	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Antifreeze/coolant flushed/changed - Front brakes replaced - Brake system bled - Oil and filter changed - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
04/21/2006	32,757	Smail Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-4210 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 66 Verified Reviews ❤️ 51 Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - 7,500 mile service performed - Tire condition and pressure checked - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed

04/21/2006	Inspection Station	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
03/02/2007	Smal Auto Group Greensburg, PA 724-837-7000	<b>Vehicle sold</b>




**Owner 2**  
Purchased: 2007




**Low mileage!** This owner drove less than the industry average of 15,000 miles per year.

Personal Vehicle  
3,560 mi/yr

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
03/02/2007	36,002	Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept.	<b>Vehicle purchase reported</b>
03/08/2007		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Irwin, PA Title #51302397MA02	<b>Title issued or updated</b> - New owner reported
05/01/2007	36,435	Inspection Station	<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
05/01/2008	39,499	Inspection Station	<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
01/27/2009		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Irwin, PA Title #51302397MA02	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/07/2009	43,227	Inspection Station	<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
05/30/2009	44,396	Inspection Station	<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
01/21/2010		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Irwin, PA Title #51302397MA02	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
03/13/2010		Dealer Inventory	<b>Vehicle offered for sale</b>
03/26/2010	46,926	Inspection Station	<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>






**Owner 3**  
Purchased: 2010










**Low mileage!** This owner drove less than the industry average of 15,000 miles per year.


Personal Vehicle  
4,089 mi/yr

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
05/03/2010	47,822	Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Oakmont, PA Title #51302397ZA03	<b>Vehicle purchase reported</b> - Title issued or updated - New owner reported

03/03/2011		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Oakmont, PA Title #51302397ZA03		<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/13/2011	51,175	Inspection Station		<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
05/03/2011		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. State College, PA Title #51302397ZA03		<b>Title issued or updated</b> - Registration updated when owner moved the vehicle to a new location
03/07/2012		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. State College, PA Title #51302397ZA03		<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/11/2012	53,503	Karch Auto State College, PA 814-238-2886  ★ 4.4 / 5.0 8 Verified Reviews ❤️ 4 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Oil and filter changed
04/11/2012		Inspection Station		<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
05/22/2012	53,649	Karch Auto State College, PA 814-238-2886  ★ 4.4 / 5.0 8 Verified Reviews ❤️ 4 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b>
06/14/2012		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Sewickley, PA Title #51302397ZA03		<b>Title issued or updated</b> - Registration updated when owner moved the vehicle to a new location
03/06/2013		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Sewickley, PA Title #51302397ZA03		<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/26/2013	56,433	Flynn's Tire & Auto Service Plum Boro Pittsburgh, PA 724-733-1144  ★ 4.9 / 5.0 179 Verified Reviews ❤️ 641 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Oil and filter changed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
04/26/2013		Inspection Station		<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>



03/18/2014		Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Sewickley, PA Title #5130239703 ZA		<b>Registration issued or renewed</b>
04/24/2014	61,075	Flynn's Tire & Auto Service Plum Boro Pittsburgh, PA 724-733-1144  ★ 4.9 / 5.0 179 Verified Reviews ❤️ 641 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Oil and filter changed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
04/24/2014		Inspection Station		<b>Exempt from emissions inspection</b>
05/15/2014	61,136	Flynn's Tire & Auto Service Plum Boro Pittsburgh, PA 724-733-1144  ★ 4.9 / 5.0 179 Verified Reviews ❤️ 641 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Emissions or safety inspection performed
05/20/2015	64,283	Flynn's Tire & Auto Service Plum Boro Pittsburgh, PA 724-733-1144  ★ 4.9 / 5.0 179 Verified Reviews ❤️ 641 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Oil and filter changed - Tire(s) balanced - Tires rotated - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
05/20/2015		Inspection Station		<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
06/23/2015	64,347	Michael's Auto Service Monroeville, PA 724-327-0037		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Emissions or safety inspection performed
09/29/2015	65,190	Michael's Auto Service Monroeville, PA 724-327-0037		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Two tires balanced
09/07/2016	73,802	Steubenville Pike Auto Sales MC Kees Rocks, PA 412-787-9800  ★ 4.8 / 5.0 31 Verified Reviews ❤️ 10 Customer Favorites		<b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Air filter replaced - Oil and filter changed
09/07/2016		Inspection Station		<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>

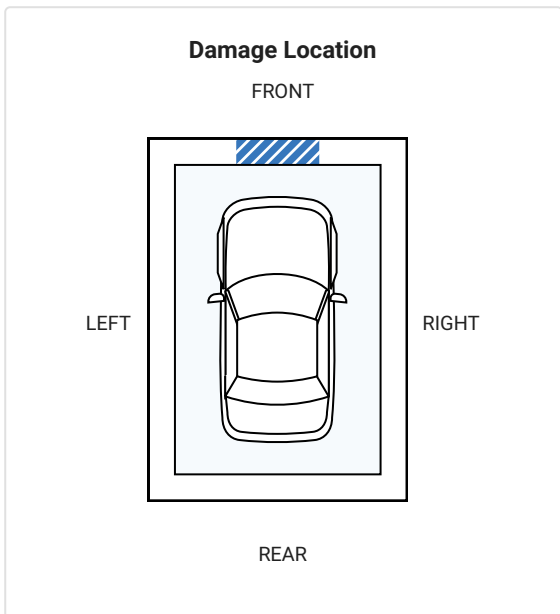
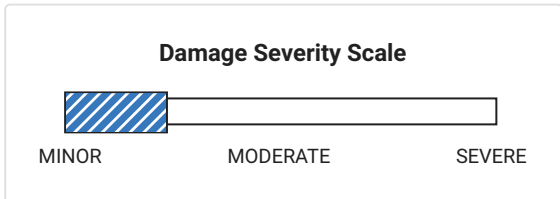
09/12/2016	Foreign Fix MC Kees Rocks, PA 412-787-5181 ★ <b>5.0 / 5.0</b> 10 Verified Reviews	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Air filter replaced - Safety inspection performed - Rear brake pads replaced - Oil and filter changed - Body lubricated - Rear brake rotor(s) replaced - Brake rotor(s) replaced - Wheel bearings repacked - Emissions inspection performed - Emissions or safety inspection performed
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 <b>Owner 4</b> Purchased: 2017	Personal Vehicle
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Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
02/27/2017	76,000	Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Hollidaysburg, PA Title #5130239704 GE	<b>Vehicle purchase reported</b> - Title issued or updated - New owner reported

 <b>Owner 5</b> Purchased: 2017	Personal Vehicle
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Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
06/22/2017	77,600	Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dept. Johnstown, PA Title #5130239705 PO	<b>Vehicle purchase reported</b> - Title issued or updated - New owner reported
07/10/2017	78,085	Bud Smail Motorcars, LTD. Greensburg, PA 724-798-0318 ★ <b>4.7 / 5.0</b> 85 Verified Reviews ❤️ <b>138</b> Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Maintenance inspection completed - Front brake pads replaced - Vehicle washed/detailed
09/14/2017	78,461	Inspection Station	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
12/06/2017	Damage Report	 <b>Damage reported: minor damage</b> - Damage to front	



Minor damage is usually cosmetic, including dents or scratches to the vehicle body.

04/23/2018

Auto Auction

**Listed as a dealer vehicle**  
- Vehicle sold



Millions of used vehicles are bought and sold at auction every year.

04/23/2018    78,990

Spangler Subaru  
Johnstown, PA  
814-266-9794

**Vehicle offered for sale**

★ **4.2 / 5.0**  
31 Verified Reviews  
♥ **24** Customer Favorites


04/26/2018

Spangler Subaru  
Johnstown, PA  
814-266-9794

**Vehicle sold**

★ **4.2 / 5.0**  
31 Verified Reviews  
♥ **24** Customer Favorites



02/20/2019	79,334	Connecticut Inspection Station Wallingford, CT	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
03/07/2019		Connecticut Motor Vehicle Dept. Wallingford, CT	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b> - Vehicle color noted as White
01/15/2021		Connecticut Motor Vehicle Dept. Wallingford, CT	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b> - Vehicle color noted as White
02/12/2021	87,263	Connecticut Inspection Station Wallingford, CT	<b>Passed emissions inspection</b>
09/26/2022		Connecticut Motor Vehicle Dept. New Britain, CT	<b>Registration issued or renewed</b> - Vehicle color noted as White
11/13/2022	95,680	Pep Boys Berlin, CT 860-829-6800  ★ <b>4.4 / 5.0</b> 138 Verified Reviews ♥ <b>156</b> Customer Favorites	 <b>Vehicle serviced</b> - Maintenance inspection completed - Alignment performed

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## Glossary

### Damage Indicator

Damage can be a result of many different types of events. Examples include contact with objects (other cars, trees, traffic signs, road debris, etc), vandalism, or weather-related events. Not every damage event is reported to CARFAX. As details about the damage event become available, those additional details are added to the CARFAX Vehicle History Report. CARFAX recommends that you have this vehicle inspected by a qualified mechanic.

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### Damage Severity

Damage events result in one of the following severity levels:

- **Minor:** Generally, minor damage is cosmetic (including dents or scratches), may only require reconditioning, and typically does not compromise a vehicle's operation and/or safety.
- **Moderate:** Moderate damage may affect multiple components of the vehicle and may impair the vehicle's operation and/or safety.
- **Severe:** Severe damage usually affects multiple components of the vehicle and is likely to compromise the vehicle's operation and/or safety.

CARFAX recommends getting a pre-purchase inspection at a certified collision repair facility.

### 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.

**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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