

CARFAX Report

1997 Mercedes-Benz SL-Class SL 500

32,127 mi | VIN: WDBFA67F0VF146745

Convertible | 5.0L V8 F | Gasoline | Rear wheel drive



NO ACCIDENTS REPORTED
 ✓ No Accidents or Damage Reported to CARFAX

4 Service History Records

3 Previous Owners

Personal Vehicle

Last Owned in California

30 Detailed Records Available

This CARFAX Vehicle History Report is based only on information supplied to CARFAX and available as of 6/3/26 at 8:38:01 AM (CDT). Other information about this vehicle, including problems, may not have been reported to CARFAX. Use this report as one important tool, along with a vehicle inspection and test drive, to make a better decision about your next used car.


Additional History Not all accidents / issues are reported to CARFAX	Owner 1	Owner 2	Owner 3
Total Loss No total loss reported to CARFAX.	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported
Structural Damage No structural damage reported to CARFAX.	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported
Airbag Deployment No airbag deployment reported to CARFAX.	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported
Odometer Check No indication of an odometer rollback.	✓ No Issues Indicated	✓ No Issues Indicated	✓ No Issues Indicated
Accident / Damage No accidents or damage reported to CARFAX.	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported	✓ No Issues Reported
Manufacturer Recall No open recalls reported to CARFAX.	✓ No Recalls Reported	✓ No Recalls Reported	✓ No Recalls Reported
Basic Warranty Original warranty estimated to have expired.	Warranty Expired	Warranty Expired	Warranty Expired

Title History	Owner 1	Owner 2	Owner 3
Damage Brands Salvage Junk Rebuilt Fire Flood Hail Lemon	No Problem	No Problem	No Problem
Odometer Brands Not Actual Mileage Exceeds Mechanical Limits	No Problem	No Problem	No Problem

Ownership History The number of owners is estimated	Owner 1	Owner 2	Owner 3



Year purchased	1997	2016	2020
Type of owner	Personal	Personal	Personal
Estimated length of ownership	19 yrs. 10 mo.	3 yrs. 5 mo.	5 yrs. 11 mo.
Owned in the following states/provinces	Illinois	California	California
Estimated miles driven per year	740/yr	3,841/yr	548/yr
Last reported odometer reading	14,791	27,571	32,127


 **Detailed History**


 **Owner 1**
Purchased: 1997


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


Personal Vehicle
740 mi/yr

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
01/31/1997	53	Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Decatur, IL	Title issued or updated - First owner reported - Titled or registered as personal vehicle
05/28/1998	334	Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Saint Charles, IL	Title issued or updated
06/07/2000	1,996	Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL	Title issued or updated - Title or registration issued
09/06/2001		Illinois Inspection Station Aurora, IL	Passed emissions inspection
09/16/2003		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL	Passed emissions inspection
03/15/2005		Mercedes-Benz of Naperville Naperville, IL 630-537-0312 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 384 Verified Reviews ♥ 5,712 Customer Favorites	 Vehicle serviced - Maintenance inspection completed
09/21/2005		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL	Passed emissions inspection
12/14/2005		Mercedes-Benz of Naperville Naperville, IL 630-537-0312 ★ 4.6 / 5.0 384 Verified Reviews ♥ 5,712 Customer Favorites	 Vehicle serviced
09/28/2007		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL	Passed emissions inspection
04/16/2009		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL	Passed emissions inspection
06/09/2009		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL	Registration issued or renewed
05/20/2010		Illinois	Registration issued or renewed

		Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		
04/12/2012		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL		Passed emissions inspection
04/13/2012		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		Registration issued or renewed
05/17/2012		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		Registration issued or renewed
06/05/2014		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL		Passed emissions inspection
06/05/2014		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		Registration issued or renewed
04/14/2015		Illinois Inspection Station Naperville, IL		Passed emissions inspection
06/25/2015		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		Registration issued or renewed
08/18/2015	10,619	Star European Imports, Inc Yorkville, IL 630-553-6555 ★ 5.0 / 5.0 90 Verified Reviews ♥ 17 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced
06/16/2016		Illinois Motor Vehicle Dept. Batavia, IL		Registration issued or renewed
12/27/2016	14,791	California Inspection Station Poway, CA		Passed emissions inspection

 Owner 2 Purchased: 2016	Low mileage! This owner drove less than the industry average of 15,000 miles per year.	Personal Vehicle 3,841 mi/yr
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Date	Mileage	Source		Comments
12/28/2016	14,825	California Motor Vehicle Dept. Poway, CA		Title issued or updated - New owner reported
01/13/2017		Mercedes-Benz of Escondido Escondido, CA 760-233-5160 ★ 4.4 / 5.0 947 Verified Reviews ♥ 6,367 Customer Favorites		Vehicle serviced
12/10/2018	23,778	California Inspection Station Poway, CA		Passed emissions inspection
04/22/2020	27,571	California Inspection Station Poway, CA		Passed emissions inspection

 Owner 3 Purchased: 2020	Low mileage! This owner drove less than the industry average of 15,000 miles per year.	Personal Vehicle 548 mi/yr
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miles per year.

Date	Mileage	Source	Comments
06/12/2020		California Motor Vehicle Dept. La Jolla, CA	Title issued or updated - New owner reported
12/04/2021	29,904	California Inspection Station San Diego, CA	Passed emissions inspection
12/18/2023	31,121	California Inspection Station San Diego, CA	Passed emissions inspection
12/23/2025	32,127	California Inspection Station San Diego, CA	Passed emissions inspection

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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.

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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