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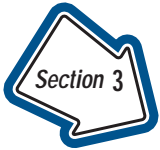
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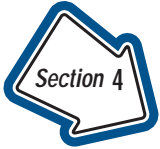
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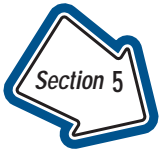
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How to Use this Manual

Many people read their owner's manual from beginning to end when they first receive their new vehicle. If you do this, it will help you learn about the features and controls for your vehicle. In this manual, you'll find that pictures and words work together to explain things quickly.

Safety Warnings and Symbols

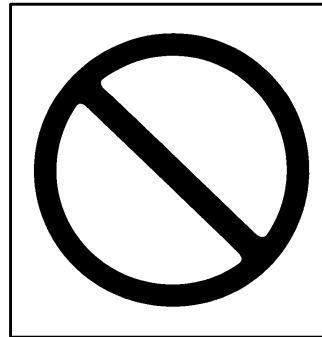
You will find a number of safety cautions in this book. We use a box and the word CAUTION to tell you about things that could hurt you if you were to ignore the warning.



CAUTION:

These mean there is something that could hurt you or other people.

In the caution area, we tell you what the hazard is. Then we tell you what to do to help avoid or reduce the hazard. Please read these cautions. If you don't, you or others could be hurt.



You will also find a circle with a slash through it in this book. This safety symbol means "Don't," "Don't do this" or "Don't let this happen."

Vehicle Damage Warnings

Also, in this book you will find these notices:

NOTICE:
These mean there is something that could damage your vehicle.


































In the notice area, we tell you about something that can damage your vehicle. Many times, this damage would not be covered by your warranty, and it could be costly. But the notice will tell you what to do to help avoid the damage.

When you read other manuals, you might see CAUTION and NOTICE warnings in different colors or in different words.

You'll also see warning labels on your vehicle. They use the same words, CAUTION or NOTICE.

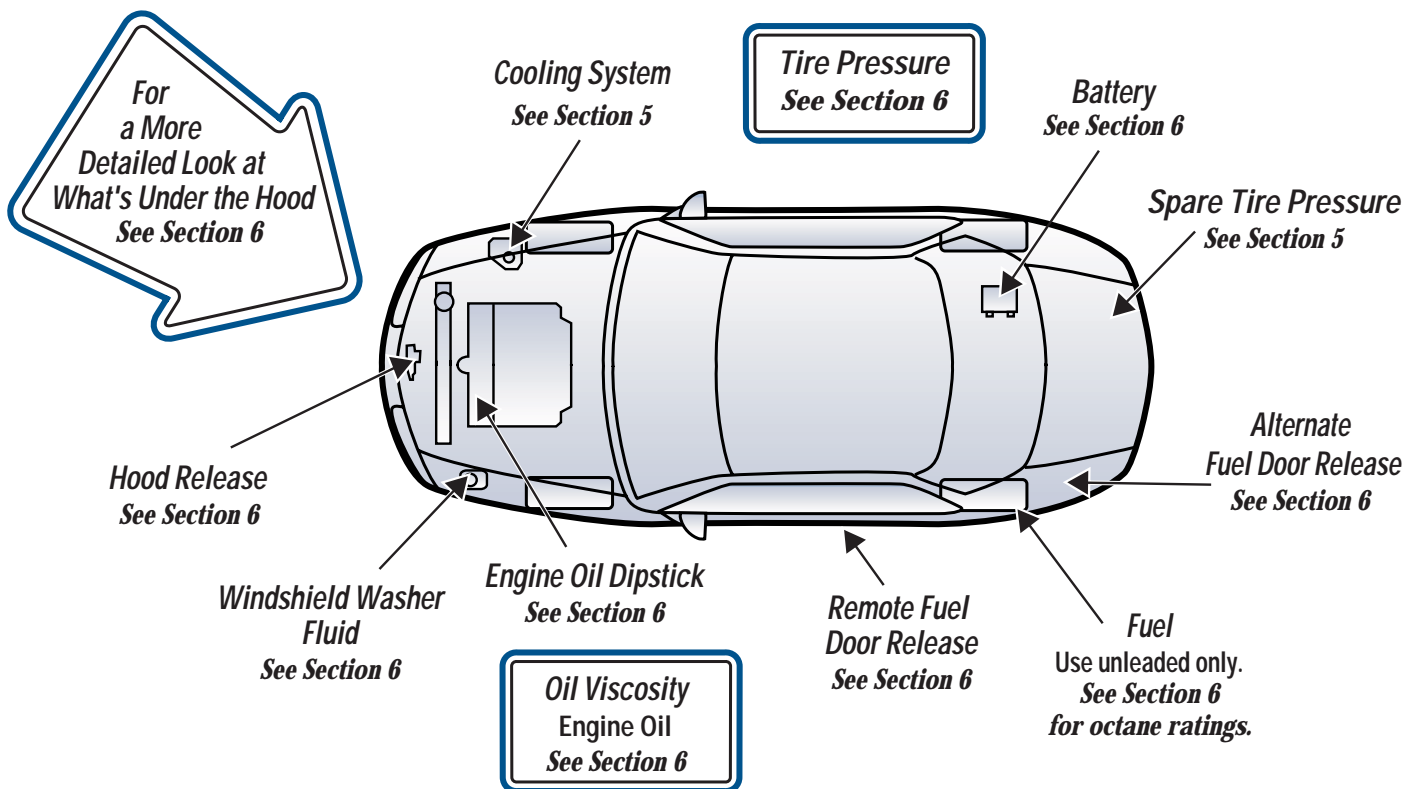
Vehicle Symbols

These are some of the symbols you may find on your vehicle. Also see “Warning Lights and Gages” in the Index.

<p>For example, these symbols are used on an original battery:</p> <p>CAUTION POSSIBLE INJURY </p> <p>PROTECT EYES BY SHIELDING </p> <p>CAUSTIC BATTERY ACID COULD CAUSE BURNS </p> <p>AVOID SPARKS OR FLAMES </p> <p>SPARK OR FLAME COULD EXPLODE BATTERY </p>	<p>These symbols are important for you and your passengers whenever your vehicle is driven:</p> <p>CHILD RESTRAINT TOP STRAP ANCHOR </p> <p>DOOR LOCK UNLOCK </p> <p>FASTEN SEAT BELTS </p> <p>POWER WINDOW </p> <p>AIR BAG </p>	<p>These symbols have to do with your lamps:</p> <p>MASTER LIGHTING SWITCH </p> <p>TURN SIGNALS </p> <p>PARKING LAMPS </p> <p>HAZARD WARNING FLASHER </p> <p>DAYTIME RUNNING LAMPS </p> <p>FOG LAMPS </p>	<p>These symbols are on some of your controls:</p> <p>WINDSHIELD WIPER </p> <p>WINDSHIELD WASHER </p> <p>WINDSHIELD DEFROSTER </p> <p>REAR WINDOW DEFOGGER </p> <p>VENTILATING FAN </p>	<p>These symbols are used on warning and indicator lights:</p> <p>ENGINE COOLANT TEMP </p> <p>BATTERY CHARGING SYSTEM </p> <p>BRAKE </p> <p>COOLANT </p> <p>ENGINE OIL PRESSURE </p> <p>ANTI-LOCK BRAKES </p>	<p>Here are some other symbols you may see:</p> <p>FUSE </p> <p>LIGHTER </p> <p>HORN </p> <p>FUEL </p> <p>OWNER'S MANUAL </p> <p>SERVICE MANUAL </p>
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Service Station Guide





Section 1 Seats and Restraint Systems

Here you'll find information about the seats in your vehicle and how to use your safety belts properly. You can also learn about some things you should *not* do with air bags and safety belts.

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Seats and Seat Controls

This section tells you about the power seats -- how to adjust them, and also about the reclining front seatbacks, memory seats, lumbar adjustments and heated seats.

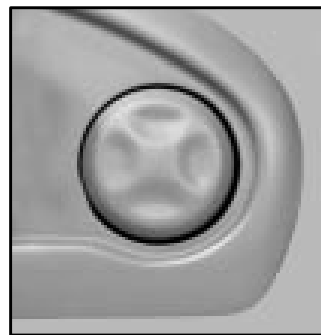
Power Seats



The power seat controls are located on the outboard side of the front seat cushions.

- Move the front of the seat control up or down to adjust the front portion of the cushion.
- Move the rear of the seat control up or down to adjust the rear portion of the cushion.
- Lift up or push down on the center of the seat control to move the entire seat up or down.
- To move the seat forward or rearward, slide the seat control forward or rearward.

Four Way Power Lumbar Control (If Equipped)

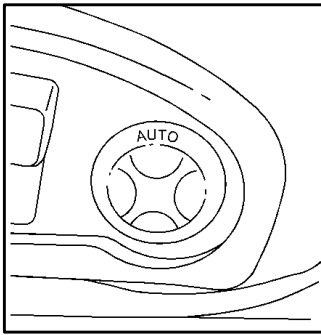


If you have this feature, the driver's and passenger's seatback lumbar support can be adjusted four ways by moving a single switch located on the outboard side of the seat.

To increase or decrease support, hold the switch forward or rearward. To move the lumbar up or down, hold the switch up or down.

Keep in mind that as your seating position changes, as it may during long trips, so should the position of your lumbar support. Adjust the seat as needed.

Massaging Lumbar (If Equipped)



Push the top of the lumbar control located on the outboard side of the seat where it is marked AUTO briefly to activate the massage feature.

The massage cycle will run continuously for up to 10 minutes and can be interrupted by pushing the lumbar control down briefly. The lumbar support can be adjusted during the massage cycle by moving the switch forward to increase support and rearward to decrease support. The massage cycle will continue to run even if the ignition is turned to OFF, unless interrupted.

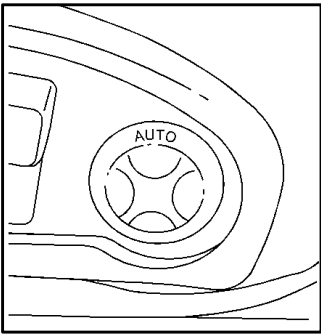
Four-Way Rear Power Lumbar (If Equipped)



Four-way lumbar, without the massage feature, is also available for the outboard rear seating positions.

To activate the rear lumbar feature, push forward on the switch located on the rear door trim to increase support or rearward to decrease support. The lumbar switch can also be moved up and down to adjust the location of the support.

Adaptive Seat Control (Option)



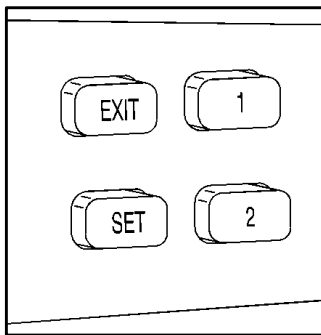
The adaptive seat control is located on the outboard side of the driver's seat. Use the power seat control first to get the proper position.

When the ignition is turned to ON, press the top of the power lumbar control where it is marked AUTO to activate the adaptive feature. The seatback and cushion will inflate to adjust to the driver's body positioning in four-minute cycles.

To reshape the lower seatback, press the lumbar control forward to increase support and rearward to decrease support.

To turn off the adaptive seat feature, press the control down. The seat will deflate when the adaptive seat control or the ignition is turned off.

Memory Seat, Mirrors and Steering Wheel (Option)



The controls for these features are located on the driver's door panel, and are used to program and recall memory settings for the driver's seating positions.

Adjust the driver's seat (including the seatback recliner, lumbar and shoulder belt height adjustments), both the outside mirrors and steering wheel to a comfortable position and then press the MEMORY SET button. Within five seconds, press button "1" (for driver 1).

A second mirror, seating and steering wheel position can be programmed by repeating the above steps and pressing button "2" (for driver 2). Each time a memory button is pressed, a single beep will sound. Each time button 1 or 2 is pressed and released while the vehicle is in PARK (P), the memory positions will be recalled. Each time button 1 or 2 is pressed and held while the vehicle is out of PARK (P), the memory positions will be recalled.

To stop recall movement of the memory seat and steering wheel at any time, press one of the power seat, steering wheel or mirror controls.

Two personalized exit positions can be set by first recalling the driving position (by pressing 1 or 2), then positioning the steering wheel and seat in the desired exit positions and then pressing and releasing the MEMORY SET button and, within five seconds, pressing the EXIT button. With the vehicle in PARK (P), the exit position for either previously set driver can be recalled by pressing the EXIT button. The mirrors, power lumbar and shoulder belt height positions will not be stored or recalled for the exit positions.

If you use the remote keyless entry transmitter to enter your vehicle, automatic seat and mirror movement will occur. The numbers on the back of the transmitters, 1 and 2, correspond to the numbers on the buttons on the door panel.

When the key is placed in the ignition in OFF or when the unlock button is pressed on the remote keyless entry transmitter, the seats and mirrors will automatically adjust to the programmed position.

Programming for automatic seat, steering wheel and mirror movement is done through the Driver Information Center (DIC). You can choose to either select or not select automatic seat and mirror movement using the remote keyless entry transmitter, placing your key in the ignition, or by exiting the vehicle. For programming information, see “Vehicle Programming and Personalization Features” in the Index.

Heated Seats (If Equipped)



Your vehicle may have heated front and rear seats. The buttons are located on the armrests. The HEAT/OFF button controls the temperature settings HI, MED and LO. The other button is to choose BACK ONLY heating. The LO setting warms the seatback and cushion until the seat approximates body temperature. The MED and HI settings heat the seatback and seat cushion to a slightly higher temperature, and the BACK ONLY heats only the seatback. The temperature can be adjusted by pushing the button from HI to LO or, until the desired setting is reached. You will be able to feel heat in approximately two minutes. To heat just the seatback, push the BACK ONLY button once, after first activating the heated seat feature. To turn off the heat in the seatback, push the button again. The feature will also shut off when the ignition is turned to OFF.

Reclining Front Seatbacks



Press the recliner control located on the outboard side of the seat, forward or rearward to adjust the seatback.

Push the recliner control up or down to adjust the shoulder belt height. See “Shoulder Belt Height Adjuster” in the Index for more information.



But don't have a seatback reclined if your vehicle is moving.

⚠ CAUTION:

Sitting in a reclined position when your vehicle is in motion can be dangerous. Even if you buckle up, your safety belts can't do their job when you're reclined like this.

The shoulder belt can't do its job. In a crash you could go into it, receiving neck or other injuries.

The lap belt can't do its job either. In a crash the belt could go up over your abdomen. The belt forces would be there, not at your pelvic bones. This could cause serious internal injuries.

For proper protection when the vehicle is in motion, have the seatback upright. Then sit well back in the seat and wear your safety belt properly.