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Shopping for Car Insurance

One significant factor in the cost of car ownership is insurance.

Most states have a minimum insurance coverage you must carry, even on used cars and even if they aren't financed.

If the vehicle is financed, you must carry insurance mandated by the bank, credit union or other agency that holds the loan.

TYPES OF COVERAGE

Liability coverage protects

policyholders from incurring costs if you are at fault in an accident that harms people or property. It usually comes in threes, meaning a trio of numbers that represents individual injuries/total injuries/property damage. Liability coverage does not pay for injuries you or your passengers sustain; that comes with full-coverage insurance.

Additional coverages included in full-coverage policies include things such as personal injury protection, uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage, medical payments, collision coverage, GAP coverage and roadside



usually part of full-coverage plans. This covers your vehicle against physical damage not related to an accident, such as hail damage, being hit by your neighbor's tree, hitting a deer and more.

COMPARISON SHOPPING

Several websites offer comparison shopping for auto insurance, such as The Zebra and Insurify. They can show you premiums from different companies to help you locate the best coverage and rate. You can contact a local agent to have them comparison shop for you. Often, an agent will know what coverages are best in your area and which

companies are easiest to work with where you are.

INFORMATION NEEDED

Once you find a policy, you'll need some information to get started. This may include:

- The date of birth of all driv-

for all drivers on the policy.

- Driver's records for all drivers.
- Insurance history for all drivers.
- The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of all vehicles to be insured.
- The address where the vehicle is kept.

LOWERING COSTS

Everyone will incur some sort of insurance costs because all cars need to have insurance by state law. But there are some ways to secure lower rates, including raising your deductible, installing anti-theft devices, having good credit, bundling insurance policies with renter's or homeowner's policies, taking defensive driving courses and driving less. Try asking for discounts for memberships in certain professional organizations, pay-in-full discounts, good driving discounts and more.

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How Much Can You Afford?

The first step to determining which used car to buy is determining how much you have to spend. There's not one right answer, but here are some rules of thumb that can keep you in the black.

Experts at Edmunds say a payment on a used car should be no more than 10% of your monthly take-home pay. That's because you'll also need to factor in fuel, insurance and other costs of ownership.

Start by adding up what you spend every month, including rent or mortgage, groceries, child expenses, savings and entertainment. Subtract that total from

your take-home pay and see what you can afford.

TOTAL COST OF OWNERSHIP

Then, determine your fuel expenses and cost of insurance. You can use the EPA's [FuelEconomy.gov](https://www.epa.gov/fueleconomy) website to find out annual fuel costs for many vehicles.

Contact your insurance company about the vehicle you're

interested in or get an online quote to determine how much that's going to be.

If you're paying over time, you'll also need to figure in financing costs, including interest rates and other fees. Also look at your state's registration fees, sales tax and any other costs from the transaction. Bear in mind that some registration fees aren't one-time purchases.

You may want to opt into additional purchases, such as GAP insurance, warranties and maintenance plans. The total, remember, should be no more than 10% of your monthly take-home pay.

DETERMINING THE WORTH OF YOUR TRADE

If you're planning to trade in a vehicle, figure in how much that vehicle is worth and subtract it from the new-to-you car's price. There are many websites to help you value your vehicle, but view it as a range. Different areas have different in-demand vehicles, and the value depends on the local market.

You can use some of the same calculators to tell you whether the price of the car you're considering is fair, too. Again, remember these calculators often don't capture the full scope of a used car purchase, but it's a good place to start.



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STK# 25428X



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STK# 25638



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STK# 24466



2013 VW JETTA
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STK# 21418X



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AWD • 3.7L • AT • 3RD ROW
STK# 25660



2015 CHEVY COLORADO
4WD • 2.5L • AT
STK# 25526



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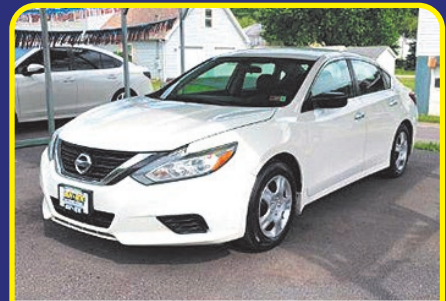
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What Are Lemon Laws?

Lemon laws protect car buyers from getting stuck with cars that don't work properly.

If you purchase a car and something goes wrong, and it can't be repaired after a reasonable number of attempts, you could possibly invoke the state or federal lemon law to be made whole. This may include either replacing or refunding the cost of your vehicle.

FEDERAL LEMON LAW

The federal lemon law is the called the Magnuson Moss Warranty-Federal Trade Commission Improvements Act. It governs warranties on consumer products, including vehicles, and requires manufacturers and sellers to provide detailed information about warranty coverage to buyers. Warranties must clearly state what is covered, who is covered and how to make a claim. Warranties may not contain misleading or deceptive language. It also prevents manufacturers from requiring consumers to use specific parts or services to maintain coverage.

STATE LEMON LAWS

Lemon laws vary from state to state. For instance, in Alaska, lemon law does not cover used vehicles. In Arkansas, the lemon law doesn't cover mopeds or motorcycles,

and may or may not cover used vehicles. For California buyers, their state's law covers a vehicle during the duration of the manufacturer's written warranty. Louisiana's law covers personal watercraft and all-terrain vehicles provided they are sold for exclusive personal use.

REASONABLE NUMBER OF ATTEMPTS

Each law has a different definition of a reasonable number of attempts at repairing a vehicle. The Better Business Bureau says there is no one definition of reasonable in the law, but there is a presumption that a reasonable

number of attempts has been made if, within 18 months of delivery or 18,000 miles, whichever comes first, you have taken the vehicle in for repair by the manufacturer or its agents four or more times for the same problem and it's still not fixed or two or more times for the same problem if

it could cause death or serious injury and is still not fixed.

A reasonable number of attempts may also be fulfilled by a vehicle being out of service for repair for more than 30 days and, if required by the warranty or owner's manual, the manufacturer was notified about the problem.



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Understanding Safety Ratings

Car safety ratings are issued by the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration, which was established in 1970 by the Highway Safety Act.

Its mission is to reduce deaths, injuries and economic losses resulting from car crashes. NHTSA began testing and rating vehicles for frontal impact protection, using crash test dummies. In 1993, it began using a five-star safety rating system and, in 1996, it began testing and rating vehicles for side crash protection.

Since 2006, NHTSA has required window labels on new cars include five-star safety rating information from the agency, and that information can also be found on SaferCar.gov.



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WHAT DOES NHTSA TEST?

The administration tests several crash scenarios:

- **Frontal crash.** This is a head-on collision. The agency tests an average-sized adult male in the driver seat, a small adult female in the front passenger seat. All crash test dummies used are wearing a seatbelt. The crash represents two similar vehicles with the same weight. The dummies are evaluated for injuries to the head, neck and leg.

- **Side crash.** The agency tests

the impact of a crash to the side of the vehicle using an average-sized adult male in the driver seat, a small adult female in the rear passenger seat on the driver's side. All dummies are wearing a seat belt. The test is designed to simulate an intersection-type collision, and the dummies are evaluated for injuries to the head, chest, abdomen and pelvis.

- **Side pole crash.** This simulates a car careening into a pole on the driver's side. It uses a small-sized adult female secured with a seat belt in the

driver's seat. The vehicle is angled at 75 degrees and pulled sideways at 20 mph into a 25-centimeter pole near the driver's seat. The dummy is then evaluated for injuries to the head, chest, lower spine, abdomen and pelvis.

- **Rollover test.** This test simulates a vehicle rolling over. It is based on an at-rest lab measurement called the Static Stability Factor (SSF) that determines how top-heavy a vehicle is and how vulnerable a vehicle is to tipping over in a severe maneuver.

NHTSA RATINGS

After a slew of tests, NHTSA assigns each vehicle a star rating, from one to five, with one being the least safe and five being the most safe. As the agency says, "more stars equal safer cars."

- Five stars means the overall injury risk for this vehicle is much less than average.

- Four stars means the overall injury risk for this vehicle is less than average to average.

- Three stars means the overall injury risk for this

vehicle is average to greater than average.

- Two stars means the overall injury risk for the vehicle is greater than average.

- One star means the overall injury risk is much greater than average.

Sometimes, a warning signal of an exclamation point in a triangle appears on a safety rating. That means there is something the government is concerned about with that vehicle. It could be a structural failure or unintended performance.



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