

What is a CarProof® Verified report?

A CarProof Verified Report contains important up-to-date vehicle information — including Canadian registration history, insurance records (excluding BC), Canadian lien information, import/export data, and much more. CarProof also searches Experian Automotive's record database to include U.S. information regarding the vehicle.

CarProof Verified Reports are available for any vehicle that is self-propelled (excludes trailers, fifth wheels, etc.) and has been licensed to operate on the road. Searches on Canadian registered motorcycles will return full records while searches on U.S. motorcycles may not contain full details. Searches on RVs require the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) that has been registered on prior ownership documents to retrieve historical records. If searching a trailer (tow-behind), CarProof records will be limited to registered lien information. As digital records were not kept when classic cars were first produced, CarProof is limited to recent accident claims and registration information. As a general rule, classic cars have fewer than 17 digits in their VIN.

For more information on the data available for a classic vehicle:

- Call CarProof at 1-866-835-8612 or email support@carproof.com
- For a comparison of vehicle history searches available at AMA, click [here](#).

How to Read a CarProof® VERIFIED report

Section 1 – Vehicle Information and Report Summary

VIN decode, vehicle description, summary of data contained within the report, and report details.

Section 2 – Report Findings in Chronological Order

A detailed chronology identifying a vehicle's history based on information provided to CarProof. This section includes locations, type of record, record details, and reported odometer readings.

Section 3 – Accident and Collision Estimate Data

Accident information from numerous sources across Canada and the U.S. — including body shops, public and private insurers and police departments. Information on accidents and collisions is not available from British Columbia and not included in a CarProof Verified Report, but can be retrieved by purchasing a BC Verified Report. The same accident data is reported under three subheadings as available: Police Data, Accident/Damage Estimates, and Insurance Claims.

Section 4 – Canadian Vehicle Lien Status

Reports if enforceable liens are registered against the VIN in any Province or Territory in Canada. Detailed lien information for found liens is recorded at the end of the report.

Section 5 – Registration and Branding (Canadian Vehicle Registration Information)

Cross-Canada current vehicle registration information including vehicle status (normal, salvage, rebuilt, non-repairable and stolen) applied by provincial/territorial Ministries of Transportation.

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Section 6 – Stolen Vehicle Check

Current stolen records status check against the Canadian Police Information Centre (CPIC).

Section 7 – Import Records

Data gathered from Transport Canada's Registrar of Imported Vehicles (RIV) as well as from the U.S. Department of Transportation, reporting whether a vehicle has been legally imported and import details.

Section 8 – United States

A live connection to Experian Automotive's database of more than 2 billion records — as provided in Experian's AutoCheck report. This information addresses various U.S. title matters including damages or major accidents, vehicle uses, and more.

Section 9 – Other Records

Information about aftermarket anti-theft system installations, independent inspections and other various maintenance records, and Buyback Records from CAMVAP (Canadian Motor Vehicle Arbitration Plan).

For a more information regarding CarProof reports see the [glossary of terms](#) or the list of [FAQs](#).

Approved Auto Repair Service (AARS)

When purchasing a used car, AMA recommends that members have an AARS provider do a mechanical inspection on a car before handing over any money. The AARS program helps assure that members receive quality workmanship at a fair price from repair facilities. AARS facilities have formally trained and qualified staff, fair pricing policies and adequate and clean customer reception and washroom facilities. Garages displaying the AARS sign are inspected regularly by AMA's motoring services personnel. Approved facilities back their work with a 12 month/20,000 km guarantee for AMA members. To locate an AARS provider near you visit ama.ab.ca.

For additional information, please contact AMA Registries at 1-866-989-6390



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