

Mazda 626

1995 Mazda 626 Owner's Manual

Your comprehensive guide to operating and maintaining your 1995 Mazda 626.

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INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed information regarding the operation, maintenance, and care of your 1995 Mazda 626. Familiarizing yourself with its contents will help ensure safe driving and prolong the life of your vehicle. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating your vehicle.

Keep this manual in your vehicle for quick reference. If you sell your vehicle, please leave this manual with it for the new owner.

SETUP AND INITIAL CHECKS

Before driving your Mazda 626, perform the following initial checks to ensure safe operation.

Pre-Drive Checklist

- **Tire Pressure:** Verify tire pressure is at recommended levels. Refer to the label on the driver's side door jamb.
- **Fluid Levels:** Check engine oil, coolant, brake fluid, and windshield washer fluid levels.
- **Lights:** Ensure all exterior lights (headlights, tail lights, turn signals) and interior lights are functioning.
- **Brakes:** Test brake pedal feel and parking brake engagement.
- **Mirrors:** Adjust rearview and side mirrors for optimal visibility.
- **Seat Belts:** Ensure all occupants are properly buckled.

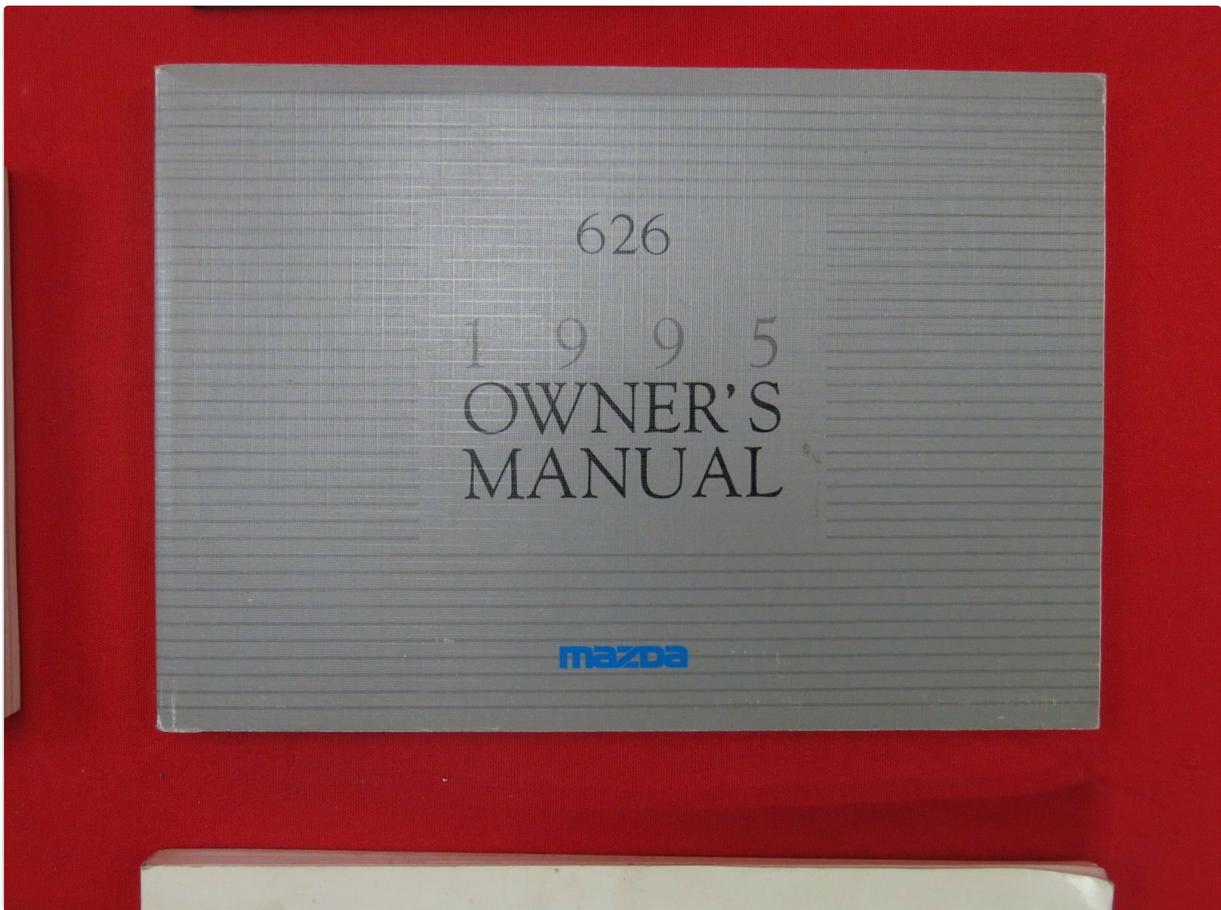


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OPERATING YOUR MAZDA 626

This section covers the basic operation of your vehicle's controls and features.

Starting the Engine

1. Ensure the transmission is in Park (P) for automatic or Neutral (N) for manual.
2. Insert the key into the ignition switch.
3. Turn the key to the "START" position and hold until the engine starts, then release. Do not crank for more than 10 seconds.

Dashboard Controls

- **Headlights:** Located on the left stalk. Rotate for parking lights, headlights, and high beams.
- **Wipers:** Located on the right stalk. Adjust for intermittent, low, and high speeds.
- **Climate Control:** Dials and buttons in the center console for temperature, fan speed, and air distribution.
- **Audio System:** Refer to the separate audio system manual for detailed instructions.

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE AND PROCEDURES

Regular maintenance is crucial for the longevity and performance of your Mazda 626. Adhere to the recommended service intervals.

Routine Checks (Every 5,000 miles or 6 months)

- Change engine oil and oil filter.
- Inspect tire rotation and balance.
- Check all fluid levels and top up as necessary.
- Inspect brake pads and discs.
- Check all lights and horn operation.

Detailed Service (Every 15,000 miles or 12 months)

- Replace air filter.
- Inspect spark plugs.
- Check suspension components.
- Inspect exhaust system.
- Perform a comprehensive vehicle inspection.

TROUBLESHOOTING COMMON ISSUES

This section provides guidance for common problems you might encounter with your vehicle.

Engine Will Not Start

- **Battery:** Check battery terminals for corrosion and ensure they are tight. If the battery is dead, jump-start the vehicle.
- **Fuel:** Ensure there is sufficient fuel in the tank.
- **Ignition:** Confirm the key is fully inserted and turned correctly.
- **Immobilizer:** If equipped, ensure the immobilizer system is not active (check dashboard indicator).

Warning Lights Illuminated

- **Oil Pressure Light:** Stop the vehicle immediately and check engine oil level. Do not drive with this light on.
- **Brake Warning Light:** Check brake fluid level. If low, add fluid. If the light persists, have the brake system inspected.
- **Check Engine Light:** This indicates an emission control system malfunction. While often safe to drive short distances, it is recommended to have the vehicle inspected by a qualified technician.

VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS

Key technical specifications for the 1995 Mazda 626.

Category	Specification
Engine Type	2.0L I4 DOHC (standard) / 2.5L V6 DOHC (optional)
Fuel Tank Capacity	15.9 US gallons (approx.)
Oil Capacity	4.0 US quarts (with filter)
Coolant Capacity	7.0 US quarts (approx.)
Tire Size (Standard)	P195/65R14

Category	Specification
Curb Weight	2,700 - 3,000 lbs (depending on configuration)

Note: Specific specifications may vary based on trim level and regional variations. Always refer to the vehicle's data plate for precise information.

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