

TRANSMISSION SERVICING - M/T

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ARTICLE BEGINNING

2000-01 TRANSMISSION SERVICING
General Motors Manual Transmission - Cars

APPLICATION

MANUAL TRANSAXLE/TRANSMISSION APPLICATIONS

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Application Trans. Model

Chevrolet

Camaro

- 3.8L Borg-Warner T5 5-Speed (M49)
- 5.7L Borg-Warner T56 6-Speed (MM6)

Cavalier

- 2.2L Getrag 5-Speed (M94)
- 2.4L Getrag 5-Speed (M86)

Corvette Borg-Warner T56 6-Speed (MM6)

Metro

- 1.0L Suzuki 5-Speed (M58)
- 1.3L Suzuki 5-Speed (M42)

Pri z m Toyota 5-Speed (MB4)

Pontiac

Firebird

- 3.8L Borg-Warner T5 5-Speed (M49)
- 5.7L Borg-Warner T56 6-Speed (MM6)

Grand Am Getrag 5-Speed (M86)

Sunfire

- 2.2L Getrag 5-Speed (M94)
- 2.4L Getrag 5-Speed (M86)

Saturn

"S" & "L" Series

- 1.9L (SOHC) Saturn 5-Speed (MP2)
- 1.9L (DOHC) Saturn 5-Speed (MP3)
- 2.2L & 3.0L Saab 5-Speed (F25)

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LUBRICATION

SERVICE INTERVALS

Metro

Replace transaxle fluid every 12,000 miles under short trip driving conditions. Under long trip driving conditions, change fluid every 30,000 miles.

Pri z m

Under normal driving conditions, no fluid changes are necessary. Under severe driving conditions, change fluid every 30,000 miles or 24 months.

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All Other Models
Fluid replacement is not required. Check fluid level at each engine oil change.

CHECKING FLUID LEVEL

Saturn (MP2 & MP3)
Park vehicle on level surface. Check fluid level when cold. Fluid should be at FULL mark on dipstick. Drain plug is below dipstick tube.

CAUTION: On Camaro and Firebird T5 (M49) 5-speed transmission, DO NOT mistake reverse shift lever pivot bolt (located on left side of transmission case) with filler plug. Drain and fill plugs are located on right side of transmission case. If reverse pivot bolt is loosened, return spring may fall into case, causing a 2nd gear rattle.

All Other Models
Check lubricant level at fill plug hole on side of transmission. Lubricant should be level with bottom of fill plug hole. Add lubricant as necessary. Install fill plug and tighten to specification. See TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS.

RECOMMENDED FLUID

Metro and Prizm models use GM Synthetic Manual Transmission Gear Oil (GM 12346190), or equivalent SAE 75W-90 GL4 gear oil. All other models use Dexron-III automatic transmission fluid.

FLUID CAPACITIES

MANUAL TRANSAXLE/TRANSMISSION FLUID CAPACITIES
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Application (1) Qts. (L)

Camaro & Firebird	4.1 (3.9)
Cavalier, Grand Am & Sunfire	1.8 (1.7)
Corvette	4.1 (3.9)
Metro & Prizm	2.5 (2.4)
Saturn	
F25	2.0 (1.9)
MP2 & MP3	2.6 (2.5)

(1) - Fluid capacities listed are approximate. Always use procedure specified under CHECKING FLUID LEVEL when filling transaxle/transmission.

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DRAINING & FILLING

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All Models

Raise and support vehicle. Remove drain plug. Allow fluid to drain for 5 minutes. Install drain plug and tighten to specification. See TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS. Fill transaxle/transmission with proper fluid to capacity. See RECOMMENDED FLUID and

FLUID CAPACITIES. Install fill plug and tighten to specification. See TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS.

TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS

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Application Ft. Lbs. (N.m)

Drain & Fill Plug

Alero, Cavalier, Grand Am & Sunfire 28 (38)

Camaro, Corvette & Firebird 20 (27)

Metro & Prizm 15 (20)

Saturn

F25 37 (50)

MP2 & MP3 22 (30)

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