CHILTON User Guide



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Introduction to Chilton Library

Welcome to the user guide for the Chilton Library application. Here you will be able to research specific topics that will help answer any questions you may have on the use of the product.

Getting Started

The Chilton Library application allows you to browse through a robust list of vehicles in order to obtain vehicle specific information including:

- Repair Procedures
- Technical Service Bulletins/Recalls
- Vehicle specific Maintenance schedules and much more.

This application is setup with flexible toolbars and navigation which allows you to jump between the various areas listed above for each vehicle you are researching.

Browser Recommendations and System Requirements

The Chilton Library System Recommendations and Requirements are as follows:

Recommended:

- Internet Explorer 7.0 or above (recommended), Firefox 3.6 or later
- High-speed internet connection
- Adobe Reader ® Click here to be directed to the download site.
- Adobe Flash Player ® Click here to be directed to the download site
- Screen resolution that is greater than 1024 x 768 for optimum visual experience

Required:

JavaScript must be enabled on browser. Check your browser Help files for instructions on enabling JavaScript.

Adobe Flash Player ® is required to view the Animations and Videos which appear in the **Repair** section of this site.

Animations and Videos appear in various section headings within the Repair content and can be viewed by clicking the icon or the provided description for each. See the sample below.



Adobe Reader ® is required to view specific Technical Service Bulletin (Bulletins/Recalls) information as well as some drawings/photos in the Repair and Maintenance sections of this application. Any information will appear in a separate Adobe Reader® Window.

The following sample from the repair section of the Chilton Library application shows that a user can retrieve a larger view of an image using the **Adobe Reader**®.

By selecting on the "click to enlarge" as shown in Figure 1, the full size image will open in a new Adobe Reader ® window as shown in Figure 2.

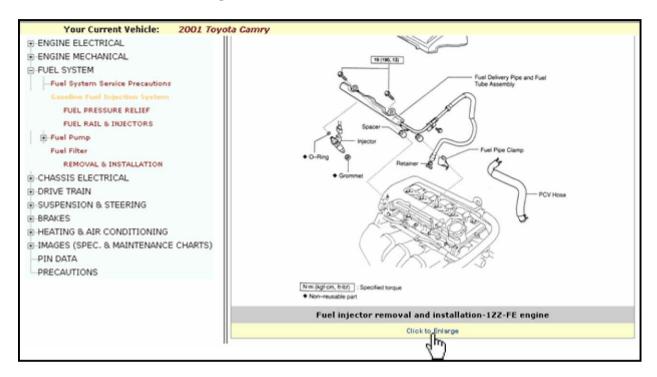


Figure 1

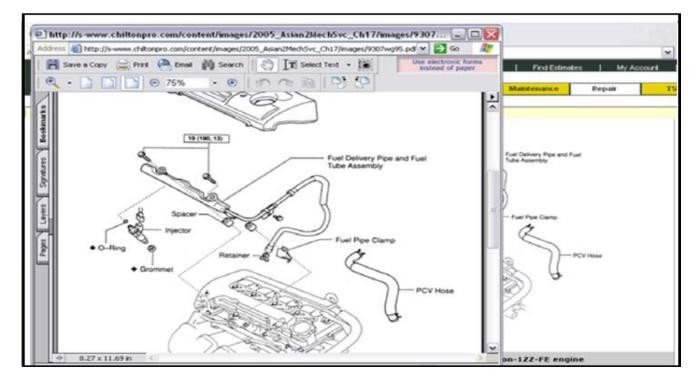


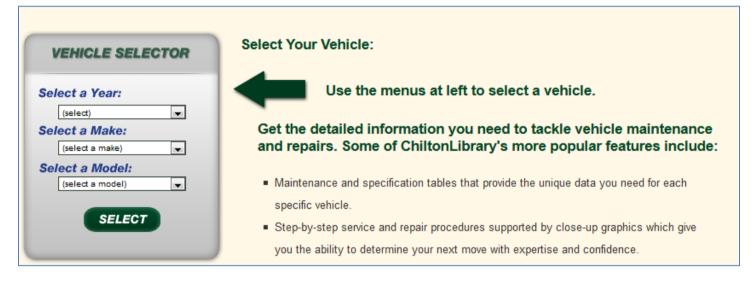
Figure 2

Chilton Library Functionality

Selecting a Vehicle

In order to examine any vehicle related information, you must first select the specific vehicle that you are interested in.

Using the left navigation bar on the homepage of the application, there are a series of drop-down menus that will give you the ability to select the vehicle you would like to research.



To start any search you must first select from the highest menu and work your way down until a full vehicle specification is selected.

Each drop-down menu is populated based on the selection that is above it. For example, the "**Select a Make**" drop down list is populated based on the "**Select a Year**" value that you select before it. Similarly, the "**Select a Model**" list is populated based on the **Year** and **Make** that you selected.

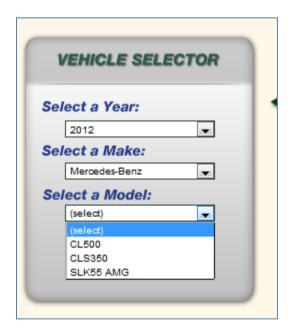
1. First, select the Year of the vehicle you would like to research



2. Next, select the vehicle Make



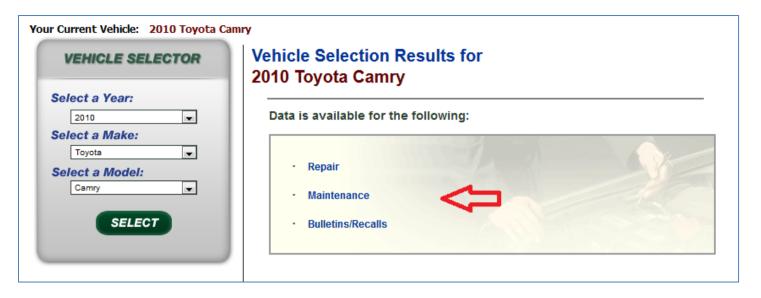
3. And finally, select the vehicle Model



Once the vehicle is selected, the Chilton Library application will compile your vehicle data and return with categories that are available.

Depending on what vehicle you research, you may return up to four categories of information. The bullet points below represent these possible categories which are **Repair**, **Maintenance**, and **Bulletins/Recalls**.

If a category does not appear for the selected vehicle it means that Chilton Library does not yet have this information available for that vehicle



4. Select a category from the vehicle selection results (shown above) to be navigated to that section of the Chilton Library application.

Note: Once you have selected your vehicle, any navigation on the application will be in relation to the vehicle you have selected. If you want to research a new vehicle you must click on the **Select Vehicle** tab again and select a new vehicle with the drop-down menus.

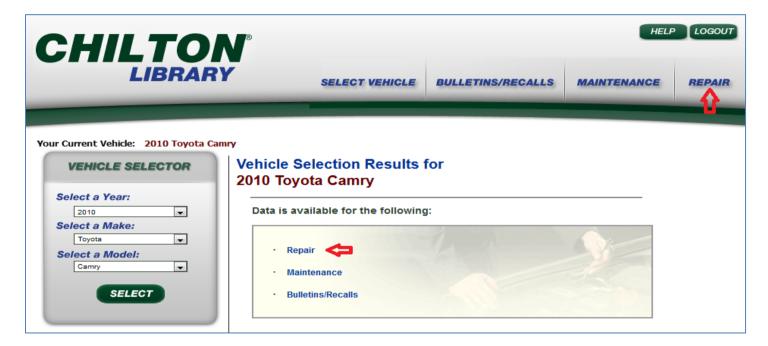
Repair

If the **Repair** category is available after initially <u>selecting a vehicle</u>, you can now select it to research the Repair information for the currently selected vehicle.

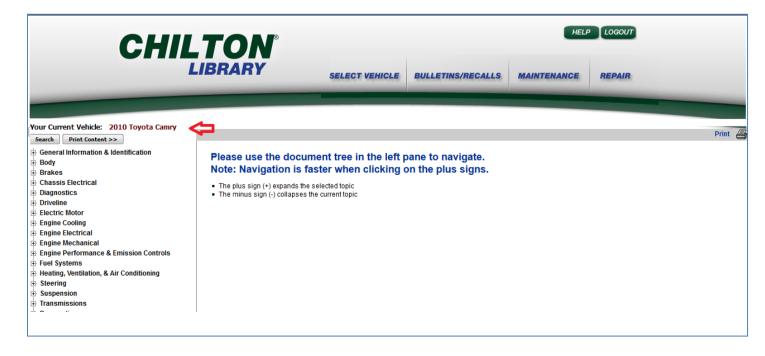
Note: This information will always be accessible even if you decide to research a separate category on this vehicle (i.e. **Estimating**, **Bulletins/Recalls** or **Maintenance**). Simply select the **Repair** tab on the top navigation bar from any screen in order to return to the **Repair** screen of your current vehicle.

The steps following will illustrate how to navigate in the Repair tab of the Chilton Library application.

1. After selecting the **Repair** option from your **Vehicle Selection Results**, the application will navigate you to the Repair manual of the specific vehicle you have selected.



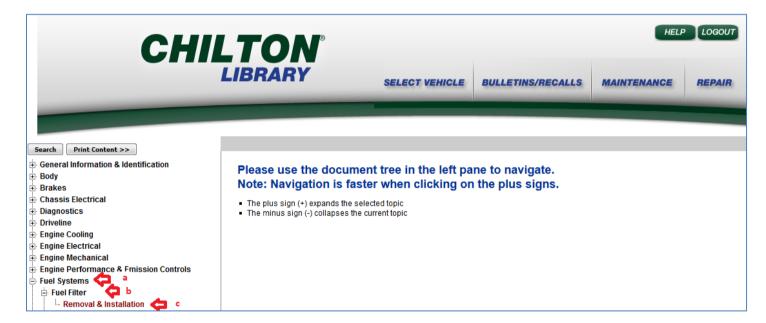
The window will be split into two separate panes. The left window will display all available **Repair** subcategories for the selected vehicle in a document tree layout. The right pane will display the documentation from the subcategory which was selected.



Note: Repair subcategories on the left navigation may differ based on the vehicle you are researching.

- 2. The tree display layout is highlighted and documented in the figure below. For sample purposes, we are going to obtain information on how to remove and install a fuel filter for a 2001 Toyota Camry:
 - a. Select the plus (+) symbol next to one of the categories of the vehicle that you would like information on. Using the figure below as a sample, the selection was **Fuel System.**
 - Once the selection has been made, a new series of selections under **Fuel System** will be displayed (i.e. Fuel System Service Precautions, Gasoline Fuel Injection System, Fuel Pump, and Fuel Filter).
 - These are displayed as children of the root category **Fuel System.** They will also be represented by the way they are indented under **Fuel System.**
 - b. Selecting the plus symbol next to the category **Fuel Filter**, which is a subcategory of **Fuel System**, will display any other categories that are associated with the **Fuel Filter i.e. Removal & Installation**.
 - Since there are no other plus symbols, **Removal and Installation** is the lowest subcategory.
 - c. Selecting **Removal and Installation** will now display information on how to Remove and Install a fuel filter in the right window pane.

The right pane will now display all the detailed information for removing and installing a 2001 Toyota Camry Fuel Filter.



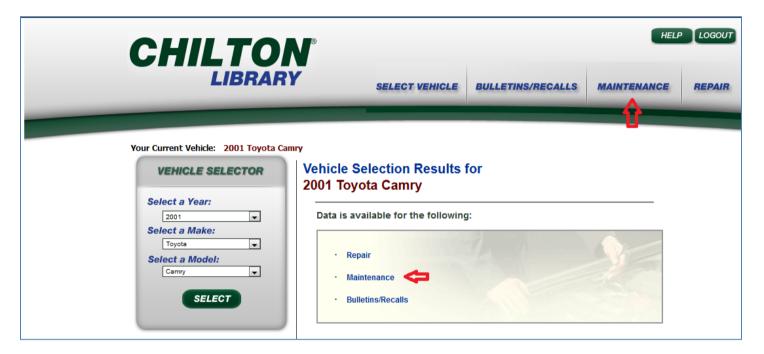
Vehicle Maintenance

If the **Maintenance** category is available after initially <u>selecting a vehicle</u>, you can now select it to research the maintenance information for the currently selected vehicle.

Note: This information will always be accessible even if you decide to research a separate category on this vehicle (i.e. **Estimating**, **Bulletins/Recalls's** or **Repair**). Simply select the **Maintenance** tab on the top navigation bar from any screen in order to return to the **Maintenance** screen of your current vehicle.

The steps following will illustrate how to navigate in the Maintenance tab of the Chilton Library application.

1. After selecting the **Maintenance** option from the **Vehicle Selection Results**, the application will navigate you to the Maintenance Chart for the specific vehicle you have selected.



2. Once opened, you will be provided with a **Vehicle Configuration Filter**. This will allow you choose the following characteristics for the vehicle configuration you are interested in.

Each selection you make will filter the available choices in the following selections. For example, if you select "LE" for the Sub Model on the sample vehicle shown, the Fuel Type filter will only contain those values that are valid for the "LE" Sub Model.

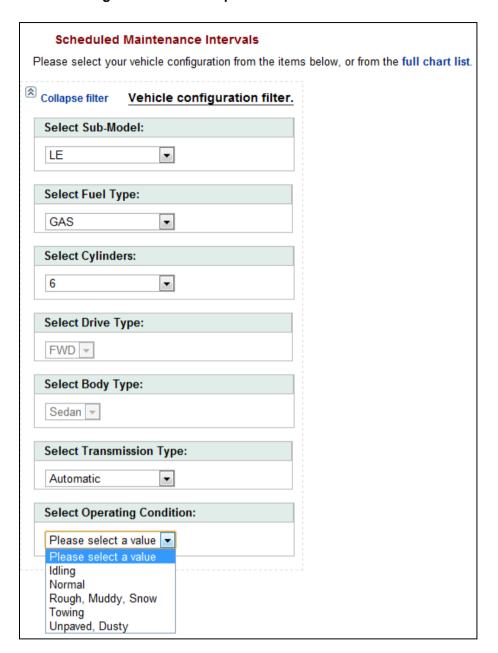
As you choose each vehicle you will only be presented with values in the following filter that are valid for the filters you have already selected.

Alternatively, if you want to see all of the available vehicle configurations that are available you can select the "full chart list" link that is provided next to the **Vehicle Configuration Filter.**

From the full chart list you can simply select the vehicle configuration you are interested in to view the maintenance schedules.

Samples of the Vehicle Configuration Filter and Full Chart List are below.

Vehicle Configuration Filter Sample



Full Chart List Sample

| Submodel | Liter | Cylinders | Body | Drive | Fuel Type | Transmission | |
|----------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|-----------|--------------|------------|
| CE | 2.2 | 4 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Automatic | View Chart |
| CE | 2.2 | 4 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Standard | View Chart |
| LE | 2.2 | 4 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Automatic | View Chart |
| LE | 3.0 | 6 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Automatic | View Chart |
| LE | 3.0 | 6 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Standard | View Chart |
| XLE | 2.2 | 4 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Automatic | View Chart |
| XLE | 3.0 | 6 | Sedan | FWD | GAS | Automatic | View Chart |

Once a chart is selected you will be presented with mileage based service recommendations for that vehicle configuration and selected operating conditions.

To scroll back and forth between the different mileage intervals you can use the "<< Look Back" and "Look Ahead >>" links. These will move you backward or forward to the next recommended service interval.

You can also enter the vehicles current mileage in the "Enter Mileage" box and then select "Show Services". This will bring you to the recommended service interval for the mileage entered. This usually rounds up the mileage to the next recommended service interval.

If you want to see the full maintenance chart with all defined service intervals you can select the "View Full Chart" link.

Finally, if you want to see the **Vehicle Configuration Filter** selections again click on the "Expand Filter" link and it will reappear so you can change your selections. To collapse it again selects the "Collapse Filter" link.

Scheduled Maintenance Recommendations Sample

| Scheduled Mai | ntenance Intervals | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Please select your veh | icle configuration from th | ne items below, or fro | m the full chart list. |
| Expand filter | Enter Mileage: 15 | 000 | Show Services |
| | << Look back | Look ahead >> | View Full Chart |
| Your 15000 mile servi | ce under "Normal" conditi | ons includes: | |
| Inspect/Service | e Ball joints & dust covers | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Brake lines & hoses | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Brake linings & drums | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Brake pads & discs | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Differential oil | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Drive shaft boots | | |
| Replace Engin | ne oil & filter | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Steering gear box | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Steering linkage | | |
| Rotate Tires | | | |
| These recommendati | ons also apply: | | |
| Inspect/Service | e Drive belts At 60,000 mil | es, then every 15,000 i | miles thereafter |
| Replace Timin | g belt Every 90,000 miles | | |

Note: In some cases we may only have the full chart for a vehicle especially if it is an older model. When the full chart is the only choice available it will automatically be displayed without any selections required by the user.

Maintenance recommendations for each interval are shown along with footnotes that list any exceptions based on the vehicle configuration or operating conditions.

Maintenance Intervals

SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE INTERVALS

| To be serviced | Type of service | Vehicle mileage interval (x1000) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|----------------------------------|----|------|----|------|----|------|----|------|----|------|------|-----|--|
| | | 7.5 | 15 | 22.5 | 30 | 37.5 | 45 | 52.5 | 60 | 67.5 | 75 | 82.5 | 90 9 | 7.5 | |
| Engine oil & filter | R | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | |
| Drive belts | S/I | | | | | | | | X | Х | X | X | X | X | |
| Automatic transaxle fluid & filter | Sil | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | |
| Ball joints & dust covers | Sil | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | |
| Bolts & nuts on body & chassis | Sil | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ♬ | |
| Brake line pipes & hoses | SI | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | |
| Brake linings & drums | Sil | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ╗ | |
| Brake pads & discs (front & rear if equipped) | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | Х | ♬ | |
| Differential oil | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ♬ | |
| Drive shaft boots | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | Х | ♬ | |
| Manual transaxle oil | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ♬ | |
| Steering gear housing oil | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ♬ | |
| Steering linkage | SA | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | | X | ♬ | |
| Air filter | R | | | | Х | | | Π | X | Ι | | | X | ◱ | |
| Rear wheel bearings | R | | | | X | | | | X | | | | X | ♬ | |
| Spark plugs | R | | | | X | | | | X | | | | X | ♬ | |
| Spark plugs (platinum tip) | R | | | | | | | | X | | | | | ♬ | |
| Exhaust system | SI | | | | X | | | | X | | | | X | ♬ | |
| Fuel lines & connections | Sil | | | | X | | | | X | | | | X | ♬ | |
| Valve clearance | SI | | | | X | | | | X | | | | X | Ī | |
| Engine coolant | R | | | | | | X | | | | X | | | Ī | |
| Fuel tank cap gasket | R | | | | | | | | X | | | | | Ī | |
| Charcoal canister | SA | | | | | | | Ī | X | I | | | | Ī | |

R: Replace S/I: Service or Inspect

FREQUENT OPERATION MAINTENANCE (SEVERE SERVICE)

If a vehicle is operated under any of the following conditions it is considered severe

Service:

-50% or more of the vehicle operation is in 32C (90F) or higher temperatures, or constant

Technical Service Bulletins (Bulletins/Recalls)

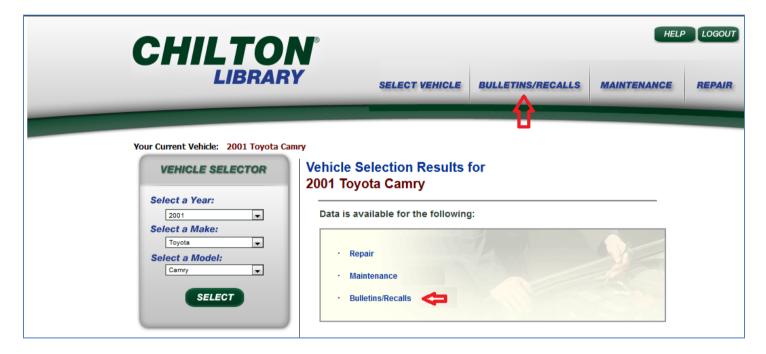
If the **Technical Service Bulletin (Bulletins/Recalls)** category is available for your selected vehicle, you will have the ability to research any released technical service documentation about it.

This information is updated in the system on an ongoing basis, ensuring that you will have the most up-to-date data on your selected vehicle.

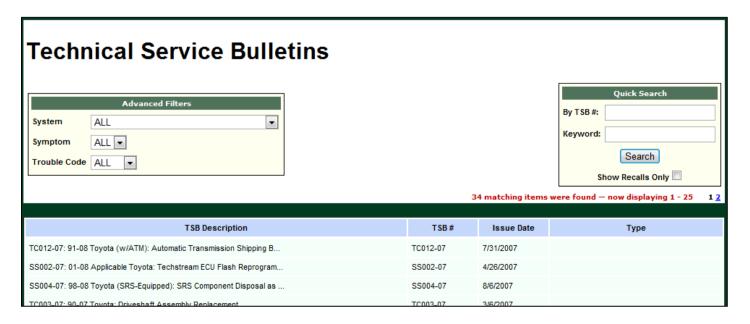
The following steps will show you how to navigate in **Bulletins/Recalls** tab of Chilton Library.

 After selecting your vehicle you will be presented with the Vehicle Selection Results which show the available categories for you vehicle. If the "Bulletins/Recalls" link is available just click on it.

Note: You can always get to the Bulletins/Recalls by clicking on the **Bulletins/Recalls** tab at the top of the page. This will take you directly from whatever other section of coverage you are using to the Bulletins/Recalls coverage.

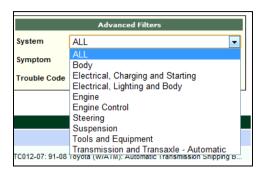


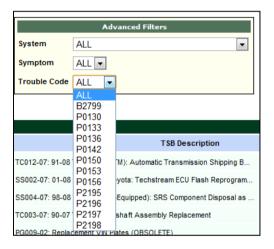
2. Once you click on the Bulletins/Recalls link or tab you will see the search results page. Initially it will contain the first page of unfiltered results for your selected vehicle.



To narrow down the items displayed you can use the Advanced Filters or the Quick Search boxes at the top of the page.

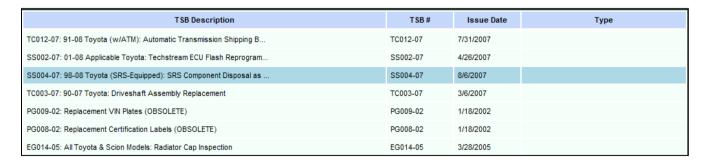
The **Advanced Filters** will let you search for Bulletins/Recalls by the affected System, vehicle operating Symptoms or a Diagnostic Trouble code. The values for these drop downs are populated based on the Bulletins/Recalls assigned to this vehicle so only valid values are listed.





The **Quick Search** box will allow you to enter a Bulletins/Recalls number if you already know it or any keyword that you want to search on. You can also search for just Recalls by selecting the "**Show Recalls Only**" checkbox. Once your criteria is entered click on the search button to get your results.

4. After your filtering has been done you will be presented with a list of Bulletins/Recalls matching that criteria. To view the Bulletins/Recalls simply point your mouse at the Bulletins/Recalls you want to view and click anywhere on the highlighted line.



5. The select Bulletins/Recalls will now open up in a separate Adobe Reader® window for you to view.

A sample Bulletins/Recalls is on the following page.

