

1983 CHEVROLET MALIBU



MALIBU 4-DOOR SEDAN



Malibu CL Custom Interior with 55/45 split front seats and folding centre armrest.

The 1983 Malibu is both a beautiful and practical choice for those who prefer six-passenger room in a trim size. Malibu has all of the credentials to back up that statement.

There's a smooth, solid ride thanks to Full Coil suspension, front stabilizer bar and full-perimeter frame. There's proven performance from a 3.8 Litre V6. There's optional V8 and Diesel power. And

Malibu gives you an automatic transmission with torque-converter clutch, power front disc brakes and radial ply tires for added operating efficiency. You'll enjoy the family-sized

room and trunk space, the ease of manoeuvring in city traffic and tight parking places due to Malibu's smart size and standard power steering. There's four-door convenience in sedan or

wagon, an impressive list of standard features, and what we believe an attractive Chevrolet price.

Malibu, great way to meet your family's needs - and do it with style.

Shown above and on front cover: Malibu Sedan.

MALIBU STATION WAGON



Malibu Station Wagon.



1. Tailgate window opens independently for quick access.
2. Tailgate opens down for wide-open loading and unloading.

3. Electric rear window defroster is available to help keep the rear window clear of frost and mist.
4. Out-of-sight floor storage is roomy, located below the floor in the rear cargo area.

5. Malibu optional CL Custom Interior with notchback bench seat and folding centre armrest.

Malibu Wagon is big in everything but price. Though trim on the outside, the Malibu Wagon will seat six people. Lower the second seat, and you've got a spacious 72.4 cubic feet of cargo room at

your disposal. Big car features like automatic transmission, power steering, power front disc/rear drum brake system and radial ply tires are standard.

In addition, extensive anti-corrosion treatments help keep your Malibu looking good for years to come. 1983 Malibu Wagon. Family-sized and priced.

MALIBU FACTS



Malibu instrument panel shown with available CL steering wheel, cruise control and electric clock.



Note: Speedometers in Canada have major scale in km/h, secondary in MPH and odometer in kilometres.



Automatic speed control with resume feature.



Rally Wheels.

OPTIONS

Malibu offers many options to help satisfy your personal tastes and needs. Look them over.

PERFORMANCE

Axles: Limited slip differential. Performance axle ratio
• Gauge Package • Heavy-duty battery • Heavy-duty cooling
• Suspension • Heavy-duty front and rear suspension (Not available with V-6 or V-8).

APPEARANCE AND PROTECTION

Body pin striping • Bumper equipment, front and rear: Bumper guards, Bumper bar strips • Custom Two-Tone paint
• Body Equipment (with V-6 or V-8) • Custom Two-Tone paint, front and rear: Bumper guards, Bumper bar strips, floor mats • Halogen hi-beam headlamps • Interior trim: CL, Custom • Mirrors: Remote control, outside, LH Sport, LH remote and RH manual • Moldings: Deluxe body side, Door edge and front fender • Window reveal, Wheel opening • Security Package (wagon) • Tinted glass.

COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE

Air conditioning • Automatic speed control • Auxiliary lighting (includes luggage/cargo compartment light, under-dash light, interior light, rear reading light, glove box light, rear reading light) • Dual horns • Electric rear window defroster • Intermittent windshield wiper system • Power door lock system • Power tailgate window release (wagon) • Power windows • Power door locks • Electric clock • Quiet Sound Group • Rear window air deflector (wagon) • Roof carrier (wagon).

AUDIO EQUIPMENT

GM-Delco Radio Equipment: (All radios include dual front speakers; all stereos include dual rear speakers)

- 4.3 Litre** • AM/FM radio • AM/FM stereo radio • AM/FM stereo radio with stereo cassette tape • Dual rear speakers (monaural radios).

TIRES

All are radial ply: • P185/75R-14 fiberglass-belted white-striped • P195/75R-14 fiberglass-belted white-striped • P195/75R-14 steel-belted blackwall • P205/75R-14 steel-belted white-striped.

WHEEL EQUIPMENT

Full wheel covers • Rally wheels • Sport wheel covers • Wire wheel covers • Locking package, wheel covers • Wire wheel covers (monaural radios).

CONTINUOUS PROTECTION PLAN

The GM Continuous Protection Plan offers coverage protection in addition to the standard GM's new-vehicle limited warranty. Ask your Chevrolet dealer about it. Coverage available only in the U.S.A. and Canada. Also, see your Chevrolet dealer for details and information about GM's 24-month/40,000 kilometres (24,000-mile) Power-Protection-Plus Limited Warranty.

STANDARD FEATURES

	Malibu Sedan	Malibu Wagon
EXTERIOR FEATURES		
Chrome-plated grille	S	S
Front and rear inner fenders	S	S
Quad rectangular headlamps	S	S
Corrosion Protection:		
• Seven-stage zinc-phosphate rust-proofing process	S	S
• Hot-melt-wax submersion of entire body	S	S
• Liberal use of pre-coated steels and zinc-rich primers	S	S
Double panel door, hood, and deck lid or wagon tailgate construction	S	S
Fluidic windshield washer system	S	S
INTERIOR FEATURES		
Centre dome light	S	S
Cigarette lighter	S	S
Colour-keyed cut-pile carpeting	S	S
Day/night rearview mirror	S	S
Colour-keyed seat and shoulder belts	S	S
Full-width full-foam front bench seat	S	S
Glove compartment lock	S	S
Multi-function turn signal/wiper/washer/dimmer switch	S	S
Recessed stowage pockets in cargo area trim panels	NA	S
S—Standard NA—Not Available		

SAFETY FEATURES

OCCUPANT PROTECTION

Manual lap/shoulder belts with push-button buckles for driver and right front passenger (includes shoulder belt visual and audio reminder system); manual lap belt at center position • Manual lap belts with push-button buckles at rear passenger positions including centre • Energy-absorbing steering column • Passenger guard headrest • Headlight high-strength safety door latches • Headrests • Energy-absorbing instrument panel and front seat back tops • Laminated safety glass windshield/tempered safety glass side and rear window • Safety armrests • Standardized identification symbols for controls and displays • Front seat head restraints for driver and front passenger (adjustable or integral)

ACCIDENT AVOIDANCE

Side marker lights and reflectors • Parking lamps that illuminate with headlamps • Four-way hazard flasher • Backup lights • Lane-change feature in direction signal controls • • Windshield defroster, washer and defroster wipers • Vinyl door panels • Inside mirror • Outside outside left-rearview mirror • Dual master cylinder brake system with warning light • Starter safety switch • Dual-action safety hood latch

ANTI-THEFT

Audible anti-theft key reminder • Anti-theft steering column lock • Inside hood release.

POWER TEAMS

Engine	Ordering code	Displace-ment (cubic inches)	Engine Availability		Automatic transmission
			Sedan	Station Wagon	
3.8 Litre	LD5	231	Std.	Std.	Std.
5.0 Litre	LG4	305	EC	EC	Std.
4.3 Litre	LT6	260	EC	NA	Std.
Diesel V8 (C)	LF9	350	EC	EC	Std.

(A) Produced by GM—Buick Motor Division, U.S.A.
 (B) Produced by GM—Chevrolet Motor Division, U.S.A. and GM of Canada.
 (C) Produced by GM—Oldsmobile Motor Division, U.S.A.
 Std—Standard EC—Optional at Extra cost
 NA—Not Available
 See your Chevrolet salesperson for Transport Canada approved fuel consumption estimates for Malibu

DIMENSIONS: MILLIMETRES (INCHES)

Sedan Wagon

Wheelbase	2745 (108.1)	2745 (108.1)
Length (overall)	4485 (176.1)	4485 (176.1)
Width (overall)	1837 (72.3)	1826 (71.9)
Height (loaded)	1414 (55.7)	1417 (55.8)

Interior

Head Room—Front	983 (38.7)	985 (38.8)
Head Room—Rear	957 (37.7)	985 (38.8)
Leg Room—Front	1096 (42.8)	1096 (42.8)
Leg Room—Rear	965 (37.9)	912 (35.9)
Hip Room—Front	1326 (52.2)	1326 (52.2)
Hip Room—Rear	1412 (55.6)	1412 (55.6)
Shoulder Room—Front	1454 (57.2)	1454 (57.2)
Shoulder Room—Rear	1450 (57.1)	1450 (57.1)
Luggage Cargo Capacity:		
Litres (cu. ft.)	469 (16.6)	2049 (72.4)
Fuel Tank Capacity:		
Litres (gals.)	69 (15.0)	69 (15.1)

A WORD ABOUT ENGINES

Some Chevrolets are equipped with engines produced by other GM divisions, subsidiaries or affiliated companies worldwide. See your dealer for details.