

# 5 Reasons Why You Should Junk Your Car Now

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Naturally, a car reaches the end of its lifespan. That includes your old car. But, some people become attached to their cars and have difficulty letting them go, even when it's past time to replace them with safe and reliable vehicles. To complicate things further, sometimes it can be unclear when is the appropriate time to call a recycling company for [junk car removal](#). It may be uncomfortable to think of replacing an old car that has served you well for so long. But there are important reasons why you should let go of your old junk car at the right time and go forward with a better vehicle.

## How Can You Tell if Your Car is Junk?

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According to industry estimates, [how long cars last](#) varies. On average, the lifespan of a car is around 11 to 12 years in the United States. The actual life expectancy for a car varies a lot, depending on the brand, the region, the highway vs. city miles totals, driver and roadway specifics, and other factors.

Some cars last more than 20 years, but they are likely to need frequent repairs, more expensive kinds of repairs, and still not function as well as a newer car. If you are unsure about how to sell a totaled car, don't worry. You can still get top dollar for the junk vehicle!

If the car is wrecked, you can sell your damaged car for cash to [Junk Car Cash Out](#), and we will tow it away at no charge to you.

## What Classifies a Car as Junk?

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<b>It looks like a junk car.</b>	A junk car is typically deteriorated, dented, rusted, paint faded due to a crash or bad body repairs.
<b>It's very old.</b>	After just three years, a vehicle can be classed as a junk car, based on various points of evaluation. But a very old car is more likely to be junk.
<b>It has very little value.</b>	If no one thinks your car is worth buying, then it's probably a junk vehicle. A car with super low value is, by definition, junk.
<b>It's undrivable.</b>	A <u>broken down car</u> or one that is too unreliable to take it out of the driveway is a junk vehicle. Also, a car that is so beaten up by weather and driving incidents loses so much value that it can become junk.
<b>The title is lost.</b>	Older vehicles without titles are those most often viewed as junk cars.

Having a junk vehicle cluttering up your driveway or yard can make you feel like you're stuck with an eyesore and a burden of how to get rid of it without losing what you believe it's worth. But, there's good news — you *can* junk your old car for a surprisingly good amount of cash!

## 5 Reasons Why You Should Junk Your Car

If one or more of these reasons applies to your situation with your old car, then you should probably consider junking your car and using the cash you get for the sale toward a down payment for a better vehicle:

1. Repairing the car will cost more than the vehicle is worth.
2. Driving the car is unsafe and unreliable.
3. It's time to upgrade to a better car that offers you a better experience driving it.
4. The car is a health and safety hazard that may attract mosquitoes, rodents, and snakes.
5. The car is an eyesore, making you unhappy when it's parked at your home or workplace.

## Junk Your Car for Top Dollar at Junk Car Cash Out

The reasons listed above can help you recognize your old car as a junk vehicle that needs to be removed from your property. If it no longer serves a car's purpose, then at least it can get you a surprisingly good amount of cash for your junk car to go with a little savings for a down payment on a much better vehicle. There are many other reasons why people junk their old cars. The important message here is you should realize when it's time to replace your old car and move into your future with a good car that really serves your needs.

We pay cash for junk cars and trucks every day. Even if your old car title is lost, we can still buy your vehicle from you, and we will tow it away free of charge. You don't need to bring your junk car to us.

If it's time to have a junk car removed from your property, call Junk Car Cash Out at (801) 441-2766 or just fill in our quote request form to get the price we'll pay for your car today.

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