1991 Lotus Elan M100

Lotus : Elan

Item number: 160212116856

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Item location:	Claremont, North Carolina, United States
History:	24 bids
Buyer:	matarat (173)
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Meet the seller

Seller: wallingenterprises (189)

Feedback: **99.0% Positive**

Member: since Oct-13-99 in United States

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Buy safely

- Check the seller's feedback
- Review the vehicle history report
- Get tips and advice in the Buyer Checklist

✓ This vehicle is eligible for up to $20,000 in Vehicle Purchase Protection

Seller's Description | History Report | Shipping | Financing | Buyer Checklist

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Print Version

Title:	Lotus Elan - Only 68 Yellow US Cars Made! Very Rare!
Mileage:	10,800 miles
Location:	Claremont, North Carolina

Vehicle Information

VIN:	SCCGA36B0MHF27647 | Get the Vehicle History Report
Warranty:	No
Vehicle Title:	Clear

Condition:	Used
For Sale By:	Private seller

Features

Body type:	Coupe	**Engine:**	4 Cylinder	**Exterior Color:**	Yellow
Transmission:	Manual	**Fuel type:**	Gasoline	**Interior Color:**	Black

Options

Leather seats	CD player	Convertible
Passenger airbag	Driver airbag	Anti-lock brakes
Air conditioning	Power windows	Power locks

Description (revised)

Vehicle Description

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MONEY BACK GUARANTEE!

I've provided quite a few pictures of this vehicle, however, if you would like something additional shot :
I am happy to take additional pictures of anything!

Does it run? and.. Vehicle History

Yes! This vehicle has been regularly serviced and driven by me (only). The car is a joy to drive.

I purchased this vehicle almost 4 years ago. This was my first Elan M100, and my fourth Lotus overall. A blast to drive, roughly equivalent to a go-cart in terms of handling! This is one of 68 Norfolk Mustard Yellow cars imported to the United States! **This car is in good overall condition with no mechanical faults, to back up that claim I'm including a money back guarantee**.

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Some of the differences between this car, and a stock Elan M100 for the US Market are:

- Euro/S4 Factory Wheels (Rare, and expensive to acquire in the US)
- 2.5" Exhaust, Performance Catalyst
- Blow-Off Valve and Performance Air-Intake Kit
- Oversize Factory-replacement intercooler
- "Everest" ECM Code

This car gets in the 30s (MPG) on the road, and performs with any other small car on the market today with these light modifications - not to mention, it is fun, and reliable! It is exceptionally fast and ridiculously fun to drive - I don't know how to put this into words properly.

Commonly asked questions and answers :

Q: How many miles does the car have on it?
A: 10,800 low miles at present. Note: The car is still mine, and that means I will drive it ! :)

Q: Does this car have a heavily worn completely flattened driver seat like most of the Elans I've looked at online and off?
A: No. Check it out - not bad at all for 17 year old seats.



Q: What is the condition of the tires and wheels, any curbing?
A: The tires have under 1000~ miles on them since new. The wheels look great, and should, I paid a pretty penny for them a couple of years ago (and shipped them from the UK.) The factory original US wheels are included as well, with.. yes.. factory tires on them! The tires on the new wheels, still look 100% new.

Q: Does the vehicle have any history of damage?
A: Not to my knowledge. The paint is still bright and glossy, with minimal blemishes on the body in general.

Q: Whats wrong with the vehicle?
A: **NOTHING**. This car starts, runs, and drives as a new Elan in 1991 would. I'm so confident in my description that I'm offering a money back guarantee!* Yes, it runs like a brand new car would - and its 17 years old. You don't have to believe me - come see for yourself.

Q: Has this vehicle been smoked in?
A: Not during my ownership, nor does it show any signs that it has been smoked in, in the past.

Q: Is there any reason not to pickup this vehicle in person and drive it home?
A: I don't see any reason not to. I'd trust the vehicle to a cross country trip without question. And it would be a GREAT TRIP with the top down! FUN!

Q: Hows the fabric top look?
A: Not bad at all. Overall the whole top is in great condition, afterall the car has been driven in sunny weather only and garaged the rest of the time. Even the plastic window in the back is clear, not discolored or cracking. One small place (2.5 inches long) on the passenger side has been repaired when a bolt became slightly loose in the top mechanism and resulted in overmovement on that side - slightly tearing the top in that small area.

Q: Who are you, why should I trust you to sell me a decent car - let alone an exotic car.
A: I am a private owner of the cars that you see on auction, NOT a dealer. I've sold and bought dozens of automobiles online. My feedback should give you an indication of how transactions are handled in general. **These cars are not just a piece of inventory to me, I have personal experience with all of the vehicles I list** and have a great deal of personal knowledge of how they have been maintained, driven, and treated throughout their life. And finally, of course, you have the option to come see the car in person - drop me an email if you'd like to. **The car is located only about 1 hour from Charlotte International Airport, and I'll pick up the high bidder in the car, FREE from the airport!**

A recently sold Bi-Turbo Mercedes S600 (Talk about a sad day when that car left my garage..... man!)

Very Accommodating & Trustworthy seller!	Buyer: poeneboy (22 ★)	Nov-08-07 08:39
• **Reply** by wallingenterprises (Nov-08-07 16:34): Enjoy the Mercedes S-600, a great buy at $49,000! Thanks.		
Mercedes-Benz : S-Class (#160168862666)	US $49,000.00	View Item

A recently sold SUV:

great truck just as advertised. thanks again.	Buyer: gonhom (8)	Jul-16-07 19:30
Ford : Excursion (#150129247766)	US $15,995.00	View Item

My really clean Porsche 911, another one that was a real tear-jerker to see go ....

Smooth deal. Easy check out and title work in. Pick up easy.	Buyer: 2007steveg (1)	Mar-08-07 05:11
• **Reply** by wallingenterprises (Mar-08-07 07:55): Thanks Steve - Enjoy the Porsche 911. It will be missed!		
Porsche : 911 (#150090548661)	US $20,601.00	

More vehicle transactions,

Good smooth transaction. Excellent vehicle.	Buyer: shoto2526 (6)	Jan-31-07 08:58
• **Reply** by wallingenterprises (Jan-31-07 17:04): Enjoy the GMC Jimmy! Thanks for the business.		
-- (#150074633575)	--	
Better than described... great ebay seller!!!	Buyer: cbrracer (135 ★)	Dec-02-06 19:33
• **Reply** by wallingenterprises (Dec-03-06 18:43): Enjoy the diesel Suburban!		
-- (#150056229616)	--	

Q: Why are you selling this car?
A: I don't take the sale of this particular vehicle lightly. Put simply, I love this car, just as I do my Esprit thats listed now as well. I do have 8 automobiles in total however, and a new interest in rotorcraft aviation that is requiring a substantial amount of spending to indulge my interest in it! Understand, I am selling this car because I'd like to get some cash back out of an asset I don't use a whole lot, not because I actually WANT to sell it, this is also not a "fire sale" so don't expect to buy this car for the price of an average Elan with much higher mileage. I am a Lotus fanatic - this is my fourth Lotus in general.

On to the PHOTOS!

I will be posting a higher-resolution group of pictures for anyone thats interested here:
Hi-Res Images: Click Here


LOTUS






TZE-3176
NORTH CAROLINA




DOHC 16V


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Only 10k miles on this car!



I am happy to take additional pictures of anything you desire - simply make the request.

Thanks for looking!

Money Back Guarantee Terms :

The terms are simple on this.

If for any reason you believe my description has been deficient and you wish to return the vehicle for a refund one will be honored provided a few simple conditions are followed.

1) The vehicle is not driven more than **10** miles. Mileage will be recorded at the time of pickup or shipment.

2) No damage whatsoever has been caused to the vehicle inside, out, or mechanically (this includes damage related to shipping). I cannot be held responsible for shipping damage, period, shipping issues are not an acceptable reason to execute this guarantee. You must use a quality enclosed transporter that WE approve to transport the vehicle. The money back guarantee is void should you use an open carrier or any other unapproved carrier.

3) No items are removed from the vehicle, including incidentals such as manuals, spare tire, etc.

Provided these conditions are followed we will honor a refund minus the following items :

1) Expenses related to your purchase are non refundable, such as transport to you, taxes, titling fees, etc - all expenses related to your purchase are fully at your expense.
2) The full expense of transporting the vehicle in an enclosed transport of our choice back to us fully insured (my preference is typically Exotic Auto Transport out of Florida)
3) The expense of re-titling, tagging, ebay fees, credit card or paypal processing fees and any applicable taxes that I may incur related to taking the vehicle back into my posession or related to it's initial sale to you.



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Knowing your credit score is important. See Yours From Experian.

Questions from other members

Q: How is the body in regards to dings, scratches, chips, scuffs, etc? Answered on Feb-27-08

A: Nothing notable!

Q: FYI - your car is actually a little rarer than you think, they only brought in 45 yellow cars, and only 42 green cars, and the rarest were the black only...more Answered on Feb-25-08

A: Thanks -

Ask seller a question

Shipping, payment details, and return policy

Pickup & Shipping

See item description for shipping details.

Seller's payment instructions

Payment is due very promptly, remittance must clear prior to the vehicle and/or title being released. Sorry- Fraud is rampant on Ebay. Shipping is the responsibility of the buyer, however, I will assist in any way I can to insure that the vehicle is shipped via a reliable carrier in a prompt cost effective manner if you need my assistance, in addition, if you choose to drive the car back I will pick you up free at Charlotte International Airport - or at your choice of nearby regional airports

Deposit via PayPal

US $500.00 within 48 hours of auction close.

This seller, wallingenterprises, **prefers PayPal**.

Payment methods accepted

- Personal check
- Cashier's Check (certified from US or Canadian bank) or money order
- Loan check
- Cash (in person)

Full payment

Marketplace Safety Tip

eBay Motors - Safe Buying Tips for Vehicles

1. **NEVER** pay for a vehicle by instant cash transfer, such as Western Union or Moneygram
2. **ALWAYS** use My Messages to confirm an email asking for account information is from eBay.
3. **GET** a Vehicle History Report before purchasing a used car (1981 or later).

Be Safe - Get all the tips!

eBay recommended services

- History Report - get a vehicle history report and protect yourself from hidden problems
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- Financing - learn about lending choices
- Buyer Checklist - review steps to take to make a safe, successful purchase

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