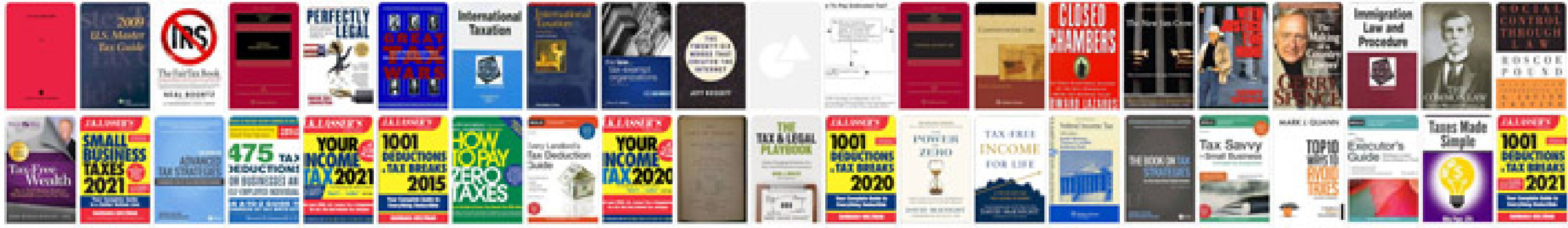

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Go to Page Please register to participate in our discussions with 2 million other members - it's free and quick! Some forums can only be seen by registered members. Just curious if it is legal to put a lock on your home fuse box? Seems it should be no problem since the meter can still be read. Also, what about the water main - also no problem to put a lock on this? This is in Mojave county. I still don't understand why the electric panel is outside accessible to anyone I put a lock on the box and kept the key where a flashlight is inside in case I needed to go check for a breaker in the dark, or I did where we lived before, as anyone could have access to the box and breakers, and the panel is separate from the meter for reading or whatever. Now the water Originally Posted by Grannysroost. I thought it was strange to have it accessible from the outside. What is stopping some one from opening it and flipping a few breakers I locked it the day after I took possession of the house. The real danger of an unlocked electrical box is allowing the bad guys to flip off your power just before they forceably break-in to your home which gives them the upper hand. You own the service panel breakers , no problem locking that. You do not own the water meter or meter valve. You can lock it but the water company may cut it off. You can put a valve inline from the meter that has a locking method. Originally Posted by kdog. Yup, you can lock up your breakers. You cannot put a lock on any utility maintained meter or meter box, but that should be a no-brainer. The reason there is a lock on the water main is so the utility company can lock water off, not so you can lock it on. Regarding the water, what Im thinking about locking probably isnt the water main I probably called it the wrong thing.. On the side of the house, there is a pipe comming from underground that has a valve that lets me shut off water to the house. In colder climates, this pipe and valve is usually inside the house because of freezing. Im pretty sure this valve is seperate and after the utility company water valve water main is on all year. I have great neighbors so this wont actually happen but right now someone could turn this valve on, run a fairly long hose and fill up for example a swimming pool Ill probably just put some sort of cheap lock on it that could be cut off - assume that if someone did cut it off, they had a good reason. The lockable water company shut-off is commonly located at the input side of your water meter. Please register to post and access all features of our very popular forum. It is free and quick. Additional giveaways are planned. Detailed information about all U. Posting Quick Reply - Please Wait. User-defined colors Preset color patterns. Opacity: Opacity. Most recent value. Based on data. Search this Thread Advanced Search. Well Water Bullhead City , Arizona, 3 replies. User Name. Remember Me. 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Chevy has a wide range of high-performance cars to offer. From family cars to SUVs to pickup trucks, the company specialises in all sorts of vehicles. Chevrolet cars are made for maximum comfort and long-lasting service. But in this post, we are to talk about the Chevrolet Silverado range of trucks. Chevrolet Silverado I is the first-generation range of trucks manufactured by General Motors under the Chevrolet brand. This model was first manufactured in and it continued till This is a fairly old truck model, but you can still spot some of them in the market. Chevrolet Silverado I is a full-size pickup truck that was first introduced in the late 90s. They featured a classy look and was made for light-duty purposes. These light-duty trucks were available in three cab lengths. For the first year, the company released only the regular cab and a 3-door extended cab model. This means the car had four doors. It was equipped with a 5. In , the makers introduced a rework version of the Silverado. This time they had to change the front and also made a few changes in the rear. In , the truck received a facelift which was similar to the HD version. Chevrolet Silverado trucks are powerful and come with a lot of features. The Silverado series are run across four generations, before the company stopped production. Pull off the cover to access the fuse block. You can remove fuses with a fuse extractor which is mounted to the fuse block access door. You may have spare fuses located behind the fuse block access door. These can be used to replace a bad fuse. However, make sure it is of the correct amperage. The center instrument panel utility block is located underneath the instrument panel, to the left of the steering column. You can remove fuses with a fuse extractor. The fuse extractor is located in the underhood electrical center. Login Register. Chevrolet Silverado I: to

Chevrolet Silverado I is the first-generation range of trucks manufactured by General Motors under the Chevrolet brand. Ford Fiesta VI - : Fuse box. Volvo C30 I - : Fuse box. Years of production: Volkswagen is a renowned name in the automotive industry that has several brands in the same. It has provided some of the class apart cars that have been the milestones in the industry. Volkswagen Golf is also among those cars that have made its name through power-packed performance and different other features. One of the most scintillating ones is the fourth generation Volkswagen Golf that provides all-around functionalities. The fourth-generation Volkswagen Golf was not only famous for its looks but also holds class apart engineering. It has defined a new standard in the market segment. This model's production started in , and gradually it has gained different technological innovations that helped it gain maximum exposure. One of the innovative features equipped by this car is the Haldex clutch with the all-wheel-drive option. Apart from that, it also unveiled its first-ever six-speed transmission. With these, it has gained optimal performance that helps to attain value for money. The design aspect consists of a flattering front window, and the rear window is a bit steeper. Apart from that, the extension provided for the proof makes it quite attractive. The elegant yet logical profile of the overall body makes it a good car in the segment. Apart from all of the above, it is equipped with strong equipment levels and a high-quality interior, which lures the customer. This compact hatchback comes in three different ranges which are three-door, five-door, and estate. This vivid collection makes this car massively popular. It also has a top speed of mph and consists of a dual-clutch DSG gearbox when it comes to performance. For a compact hatchback, this car provides more than enough to the customers and helps them attain a good driving experience. Attain optimum performance with this elegant model from the house of Volkswagen. Login Register. Volkswagen Golf: Fourth generation The fourth-generation Volkswagen Golf was not only famous for its looks but also holds class apart engineering. For Example: Fuse S28 on fuse panel is listed as "S" in wiring diagram. Ford Fiesta VI - : Fuse box. Volvo C30 I - : Fuse box. If a fuse goes out, and you don't have any lights, it will be hard to find a key to open it. Also, if there is a fire, and the fire department needs to turn off the power, they may not be able to open the box if you have the key somewhere else. Businesses usually have their electric panels locked to prevent tampering. This is not a requirement for most residential units. I have not heard of an Insurance Company or Fire Department or Electrical Inspection Department inspection report insist or suggest that the Electric Panel to be locked on a residential unit. You may find the Main Switch and the Electric meter inside in some localities are locked. This Main Switch and the Electric meter would be the property of the Company which supplies the Electricity to the residience. Most of these have been removed as most Electric Supplies do not own the Main Switch any more and the Meters have been moved outside. In Ontario they started to transfer ownership of the Main Switch to the property owner and move the Meter Bases to the outside of the premisses in the 's. Another case may be if a residence has a large battery backup room. The Battery Room would likely require fireproofing with Locked Fire rated doors. Very rare. All of you who have answered this question and said the fire department has to access the fuse panel to turn the power off. Not correct. The Fire department usually puts an emergency call out to the company which distributes the power to the premisses. They cut the power off at the transformer or street. This way the fire department has no restrictions of water use because the municipal electric supply. They keep electric panel boxes locked in public places and factory's for safety reasons, and they have a lock made in the panel box. In your home they are about 4 ft. Outside the meter is about 5 ft off of the ground, or about eye level so the meter reader can stand in front of the meter and read it easy. Depending on the type of fuse panel or breaker box it is, it may be because there is the rare possiblity of an arc flash occuring so if it were to happen the box door can fly open freely, as opposed to the box just blowing up if locked. Where are you? I've never heard of any rule keeping you from locking your fuse panel in the US. The fire fighters disconnect your power outside, not inside the house. If you house has a fire the first thing the fire brigade do is pull your fuses and turn your mains power off. Also to have your meter read if your not home the meter box needs to be unlocked. Your meter box should be fit high enough according to building standards so young children can't reach. Let's say Tim the toolman is working on your dishwasher, he may need to access the fuse panel to turn off the breaker. If you need to make sure a certain breaker is not turned off there are single locks you can put on them. I have never heard of it's being an issue either on a fire inspection, of being an insurance company concern. Many branch circuit panels as they are called in industry are kept locked.. Reasons for not locking them would be to be able to disconnect a circuit in a hurry, and the possibility of not being able to find the key. If you can't get into it quickly, and there is a fire, water can't be used on it. The possibility of electrocution is too high. Trending News. Scalise says Biden is president, but there's a catch. Supreme Court delivers blow to Trump with tax ruling. Dylan Farrow says Woody Allen 'was always hunting me'. Deion Sanders says his office robbed while he coached. Kate Winslet: Weight jibes were 'straight-up cruel'. Eyewitnesses recall horror of Denver airplane incident. UCLA gymnast tearful as music superstar reaches out. Supreme Court rebuffs porn star's bid to revive Trump suit. How is this related to fire inspection and insurance rates? Update: How is this related to insurance? Update 2: How this this related to insurance? Answer Save. Matt Lv 4. Comp-Elect Lv 7. Even the individual units do not have lockable Electric Panels. Clarrification: about the need of the fire department to access the Fuse Breaker Panel. They still cannot use water around the panel if the power is switched off at the panel. The is still live wires inside the panel coming from the meter base. How do you think about the answers? You can sign in to vote the answer. John himself Lv 6. Uncle Red Lv 6. Ed Lv 6. The reason for locking them would be to keep finger pokers from messing with them. If you have a main switch on the outside of the box, then it is okay. Still have questions? Get your answers by asking now. It locks out circuit breakers by locking out the entire electrical panel. It attaches to the panel cover screws and keeps the panel door locked. The device encapsulates two screws which prevents the panel cover from being removed. The circuit breakers remain locked out while work is being done. The tag has the contact information of the electrician in case access to the panel is needed. The Panel Lockout locks any size, brand or type breaker. Several breakers can be locked out with one padlock. The Panel Lockout comes with a padlock and reusable tagout. In addition, you can choose between a brass padlock with three keys or a red nylon safety padlock with one key. Either lock can be ordered keyed alike or keyed differently. Order direct from our USA factory and save! If your panel has no screws exposed on the panel cover please check out our clips for panels without screws in our web store. The Panel Lockout can also used to prevent accidental shutdowns of critical equipment. It stops unauthorized persons from accessing electrical circuit breaker panels, security panels and data center panels. Lock the panel so that only those that are authorized have the key. Therefore, circuit breakers remain locked on. Save time. Use the only circuit breaker device you will ever need. Save money. Purchase directly from our factory store. The Electrical Panel Lockout is only 13 inches long when retracted and fits into a tool bag. Use it on panels 14 inches to 20 inches wide. It is constructed of sturdy, non-conductive plastic and installs in seconds. The Panel Lockout includes a polished brass padlock with 3 keys, or a red nylon padlock with one key, and a reusable tag out. Quantity discounts are available and are automatically calculated in our web store. The Panel Lockout tagout device is more secure and versatile than those little red circuit breaker lockouts. For instance, it can lock out several breakers with one lock. In addition, the panel door is locked closed with the Panel Lockout. However, the panel door remains ajar with the red circuit breaker lockouts. The Panel Lockout is universal for most panels while circuit breaker lockouts require a different type for each kind of breaker. Also, breaker lockouts can fall off and are difficult to install because there is a chance of tripping an adjacent breaker. But the Panel lockout is sturdy and can not fall off. There is no chance of inadvertently tripping another breaker. It installs in seconds. In conclusion, the Panel Lockout is a faster, safer and less expensive way to lockout out a circuit breaker! While it is least expensive to purchase directly from our factory store. The Panel Lockout is superior to a red circuit breaker lockout tagout The Panel Lockout tagout device is more secure and versatile than those little red circuit breaker lockouts. While it is least expensive to purchase directly from our factory store if you prefer you can find our products on Amazon or on Walmart A Local 3, IBEW electrician with 35 years of field experience developed the Panel Lockout. Easy Installation. Previous Next. We ship all over the world. We ship immediately for fast delivery! We pride ourselves on our customer service. Feel free to contact us anytime! If something electrical in your vehicle stops working, check for a blown fuse first. Determine from the chart, or the diagram on the fuse box lid, which fuse or fuses control that device. Check those fuses first, but check all the fuses before deciding that a blown fuse is the cause. Replace any blown fuses, and check if the device works. Located near the brake fluid reservoir. Push the tabs to open the box. Necessary cookies are absolutely essential for the website to function properly. This category only includes cookies that ensures basic functionalities and security features of the website. These cookies do not store any personal information. Any cookies that may not be particularly necessary for the website to function and is used specifically to collect user personal data via analytics, ads, other embedded contents are termed as non-necessary cookies. It is mandatory to procure user consent prior to running these cookies on your website. Notice Replacing a fuse with one that has a hi

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