

Wheels: An e-mail from Glenn says, "Some years ago I bought a scan tool that was good for up to 1995 model GM cars. That was okay for then because the newest car I had was a 1995. Recently, I looked at scan tools in a store and found that they were still only good for up to 1995 model cars. Is it now impossible to check your car's computer codes yourself unless you own an older car?"

Halderman: All 1996 and newer vehicles use OBD-II, which require another scan tool from that used for your OBD-I GM vehicle. The good news is that one scan tool can be used to retrieve information from any 1996 and newer vehicle. I have one that uses a Palm and costs about \$300. This is a lot less than the factory OBD-II, which costs over \$2000. Try www.aeswave.com, www.obdii.com, or www.obd-2.com for additional information.

