



U.S. Department of Transportation
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)
INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Address

Evening Telephone Number

City

PLANTATION

State FL

Zip Code

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? YES NO
In the absence of a signature, NHTSA will NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner _____ Date 4/9/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Make

CHEVROLET

Model

CORVETTE

Model Year

1998

Date Purchased

5/11/95

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

ROGER DEAN 561-683-8100

Engine:

No. Cylinders

8

Fuel Type:

GAS

Original Owner

Dealer's City

W. PALM BEACH

State

FL

Zip Code

33409

Transmission Type

AUTO

Antilock Brakes

Cruise Control

Powertrain

RW

Vehicle Component Code

98000 OTHER

Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)

11-MAR-2003

Failure Mileage

18,000

Failure Speed

ALL SPEEDS

FUEL SEND/VE UNIT MALFUNCTIONS

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make

Tire Model (Name or Number)

Tire Size (Example P215/86R15)

DOT No. (Example: DOTM15ABC036)

Original Equipment
 Prior Repair

Failure Location:

Tire Component Code

Tire Failure Type

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make:

Date Manufactured:

Model No./Name:

Seat Type:

Installation System:

Child Seat Component Code:

Failed Part:

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies).)

Crash

Yes No

Fire

Yes No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

N

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure; i.e., parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

WHILE DRIVING THE SHIFT INDICATOR READ THE WRONG READING WHICH CAUSED THE VEHICLE TO RUN OUT OF FUEL. *NLM

FUEL

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

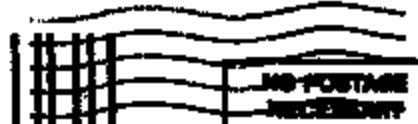
The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579) This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a Manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies)

MOST LS MODEL CORVETTES HAVE FUEL GAUGE PROBLEMS. THIS RESULTS IN CAR RUNNING OUT OF FUEL WITHOUT NOTICE. FUEL GAUGE GIVES DRIVER FALSE INFO AS TO AMOUNT OF FUEL IN TANK.

DRIVER SAFETY IS AT RISK WHEN THE MAJOR CIV INTERSTATE WITH HIGH TRAFFIC. THE CAR ALSO BECOMES A TRAFFIC HAZARD CAUSING UNSAFE CONDITIONS FOR ALL CARS DRIVING IN AREA. GM. REFUSED TO FIX FUEL GAUGE PROBLEM

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NO POSTAGE
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Traffic Safety
Administration

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Washington, D.C. 20590

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Penalty for Private Use \$300

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