

* It took from Dec. 24, 2004 until April 19, 2005 for Subaru/Yokohama to get me compatible replacement tires. (from Tire Rack (2 more tires needed w/ 2 weeks) Indiana)

 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		FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100248	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)		Date Received 24-MAR-2005 2005 MAY 16		Repository ☐ Reference No. 10115797 AM 7:42	
Name [REDACTED]		Daytime Telephone Number [REDACTED] 10-7pm		E-mail Address	
Address [REDACTED]		Evening Telephone Number			
City LOS ANGELES		State CA		Zip Code [REDACTED]	
Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☒ NO In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer. Signature of Owner [REDACTED] Date 04/28/2005					
VEHICLE INFORMATION					
17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side JF1SF65671H [REDACTED]		Make SUBARU		Model FORESTER	
Model Year 2001		Engine: No: Cylinders 4		Fuel Type: Gas	
Date Purchased 12/27/00 Christmas 2000		Dealer's Name and Telephone Number Robert Horton SANTAMONICA SUBARU (310) 398-9881		Original Owner ☒	
Dealer's City SANTAMONICA		State CA		Zip Code [REDACTED]	
Transmission Type AUTOMATIC		☒ Antilock Brakes ☒ Cruise Control		Powertrain ALL WHEEL DRIVE	
Vehicle Component Code WWF-89 060000 ENGINE AND ENGINE COOLING		Multiple Failure: 2			
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION					
Incident Date(s) 09-FEB-2004		Failure Mileage 43,000 2004		Failure Speed 5 mph 25 mph - slide into garage station (BANNING PASS) Hydroplaning down mountain Rd. (79) CA	
ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE					
Tire Make YOKOHAMA		Tire Model (Name or Number) 600Lender 35 UNKNOWN P21560R-94H		Tire Size (Example P215/65R15) Geo 35 P21560R16/24H 94H	
DOT No. (Example: DOTM19ABC036)		☒ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair		Failure Location: Hwy 79 / my garage (Building)	
Tire Component Code 190000 TIRES		(4 months to get replacement tires)		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 0	
Number of Deaths 0		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). Claim # TMCs File 05020012-Yokohama					
RECALL WW-99 WAS ISSUED BY THE MANUFACTURER THAT WAS NOT FOUND AT THIS TIME. THERE WAS EXTERNAL COOLANT LEAK INTO THE HEAD GASKET, WHICH COULD CAUSE THE VEHICLE TO OVERHEAT. DEALER WAS ONLY FLUSHING THE SYSTEM, AND WAS UNABLE TO REMEDY THE PROBLEM. ALSO, YOKOHAMA TIRES THAT WERE UNDER THE PROPER INFLATION FOR THE VEHICLE AND CAUSED IT TO SLIP AND SLIDE EVEN THOUGH IT WAS ALL WHEEL DRIVE. *AK					
3 1/2 front 4/32 / 4/32 rear 2/32 / 2/32					
① only a conditioner additive for Head gasket, that must be continuously repeated at owners expense... ② Yokohama / Subaru are requiring under inflation 28 front / 36 rear (irregular tire wear) on door panel / in manual (AWD) from policy					
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 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.					

No
Geo 35
Tires
are
stocked
15 places
called

③ same year 2001 Subaru Forester *Paul - Red for transmission * Recall. I have asked 3 Subaru dealerships to test my car for this 3rd Recall and they have not complied - I have experienced trans. Slippage while in Park !!

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

- ① I do not have estimates for paint scraped off of the left-side of my car as it has not been safe to drive around w/o safe tires... * 4 months to replace 2 tires - another 2 weeks to get 2 more tires 4/28/05 - (From Indiana)
- ② Conditions added for 2nd time at my expense (Regarding 2nd Recall 4/19 Head Gasket Leak - I reported to Subaru the 4/20/05 following day that my car began to run irregularly (off timing - sluggish)
- ③ Visible precipitation - Turquoise crystals at plastic coolant overflow where it meets metal for 3 years (2001)
- ④ pawl Replaced on other 2001 Subaru foresters - Rod-trans. Slippage
- ⑤ Paid for Leather - Heated Seats - Plether bubbled, stretched with first 2 months of ownership - installed dangerously against the seat heaters - Fake FABRIC not cut / fitted touching heater
Paid for leather got PLEther (Propley)

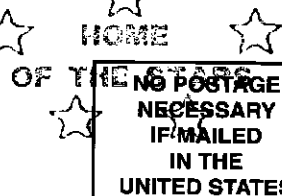
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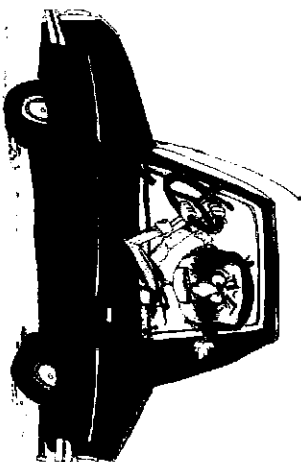
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