



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 KISSIMEE	State FL	Zip Code

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle?
In the absence of a signature, address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner _____ Date 04/25/2009 YES NO

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side KMHDN46D15U	Make HYUNDAI	Model ELANTRA	Model Year 2005
Date Purchased <u>03-30-2009</u>	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number <u>Universal Nissan/ Hyundai</u>		Engine: No: Cylinders <u>4</u>
Original Owner <input type="checkbox"/>	Dealer's City <u>Orlando</u>	State <u>FL</u>	Zip Code <u>32827</u>
Transmission Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cruise Control		Incident Date(s) 24-APR-2009

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Vehicle Component Code: 030000 SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC	Failure Mileage 47000	Failure Speed 30
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ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make	Tire Model (Name or Number)	Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)
DOT No. (Example: DOTM19ABC036)	<input type="checkbox"/> Original Equipment <input type="checkbox"/> 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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured 1	Number of Deaths 0	Reported to Police Y
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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).

TL*- THE CONTACT OWNS A 2005 HYUNDAI ELANTRA . ON APRIL 24, 2009 WHILE SHE WAS DRIVING AT APPROXIMATELY 30 MPH, THE PRECEDING VEHICLE BRAKED UNEXPECTEDLY. WHEN SHE APPLIED HER BRAKE THEY FAILED TO WORK AND SHE CRASH INTO THE BACK OF THE VEHICLE. SHE EXPERIENCED MINOR INJURIES, BUT HER CHILDREN WHO WERE PASSENGERS WERE UNHARMED. SHE HAS NOT HAD PREVIOUS ISSUES WITH THE VEHICLE. SHE DID HOWEVER MENTION HEARING A SQUEAKING NOISE ABOUT TWICE PRIOR TO THE CRASH, BUT WAS NOT SURE IF IT WAS RELATED TO THE BRAKE FAILURE. THE CURRENT MILEAGE WAS 47000.

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.