

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

DOT Auto Safety Hotline
TO REPORT VEHICLE SAFETY DEFECT
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
1-888-327-4236
INTERNET: <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>

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Reference No.

550559

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Daytime Telephone Number
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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 No name or address, too many lawyers Date 1/1

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN.) (17 Digits) <u>5T2AL32W0H029495</u>	(Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)	Vehicle Make <u>TOYOTA</u>	Vehicle Model <u>Tercel</u>	Vehicle Year <u>87</u>	Current Odometer Reading <u>99000</u>
Purchased Date <u>3/99</u>	Dealer's Name	Engine Size (CID/CC/L) <u>Gas</u>	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☒ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection		
☐ New ☒ Used	Dealer's City <u>Mpls</u>	State <u>MN</u>	Zip Code	No. Cylinders	
Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☒ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☐ Yes ☒ No	Restraint System ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ Passengerside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☐ 2-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☐ Yes ☐ No	Drivetrain ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type ☒ Car ☐ Sport Util. ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other
Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other					

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component <u>4 wheel drive</u>	Part Name(s) <u>(R) Front axle + Tire</u>	Location ☐ Left ☒ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement
No. of Failures <u>1</u>	Date(s) of Failure(s) <u>June 20, 99</u>	Mileage at Failure(s) <u>99,000</u>	Failed Part(s) Available? ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) <u>40-45 mph</u>		NHTSA Previously Contacted? ☐ Yes ☒ No

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies) on the back of this form)

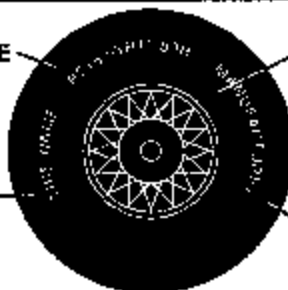
Crash ☒ Yes ☐ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number Persons Injured <u>0</u>	Number of Fatalities <u>0</u>	Estimated Property Damage <u>\$1,800.00</u>	Reported to Police ☒ Yes ☐ No
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INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

To report defective or failed tires provide the following: DOT Number, Tire Manufacturer, Tire Name, Tire Size (include all numbers and letters).
Note: This information not required for normal operation tires.

DOT										Manufacturer	Tire Name	Complete Tire Size
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TIRE SIZE

TIRE
NAMETIRE
MANUFACTURER

U.S. DOT safety standard code

The number may be on the inner side of the tire and have up to 11 letters and numbers. Usually located near rim flange on side opposite whitewall or on either side of blackwall tire.

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 administration enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

I heard a loud noise. The right front wheel locked up. The car spun to the right and slammed against the curb after swerving around (just taking) a few seconds. It blocked the lane. Someone called the police. The car was not drivable from then on. The policeman told me he also had experienced the same problem with his 4 wheel drive optioned vehicle. We summoned a Flatbed tow who had a party driver. [REDACTED]



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