



US Dept.
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

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

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Date Received

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OFFICE
DEFECTS INVS

Reference No.

552014

Daytime Telephone Number

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle?
In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner

Date

4.19.00

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN.) (17 Digits) KMHCF24K0VU829474		Make Hyundai	Model SONATA	Year 1997
Purchased Date 1997	Dealer's Name Capitol Imports		Engine Size (CID/CCAL) 4	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection
☒ New ☐ Used	Dealer's City Montgomery	State AL	Zip Code	No. Cylinders 4
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar)	Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☒ Automatic	Restraint System ☒ Driverside Air Bag ☐ Motorbelt ☒ Passengerside Air Bag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☐ 3-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No	Drivetrain ☒ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel
Vehicle Type ☒ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other		Body Style ☐ 2 Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other		

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s) TIRE S	Location ☒ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip ☐ Yes ☒ No
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TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Brand UNIROYAL	Tire Name Steel Belted Radial	Complete Tire Size 225/50R14
No. of Failures 2	Date(s) of Failure(s) 2.5.00 12.9.99	Failed Part(s) Available? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Mileage at Failure(s) 24,000 / 22,500	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 0/0	NHTSA Previously Contacted? ☐ Yes ☒ No

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies). Attach photos if available.)

Crash ☐ Yes ☒ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Reported to Manufacturer ☐ Yes ☒ No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

TIRE FAILURE

HAVE HAD TWO TIRES TO FAIL. BOTH MADE IN KOREA WITH UNIROYAL STEEL BELTED RADIAL ON THE SIDE WALL. ONE FAILURE AT ABOUT 22500 MILES, ONE AT ABOUT 24000 MILES.

Continue on back.

The Privacy Act of 1974 - Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to a49 U.S.C. Chapter 301. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist NHTSA in determining whether a manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If 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.

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