

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational 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

Date Received

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Reference No.

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Street

City

Dealing Telephone Number

560276

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

Date: 02/23/2001

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)
(17 Digits)(Located at bottom of
windshield on driver's side)

Make

Model

Year

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VOLKSWAGEN

BEETLE

2000

Purchased Date

MAY 18 2000

Dealer's Name

BILL COOK IMPRIS

Engine Size
(CID/CC/L)

1.8 TL

☒ Turbo☐ Diesel☐ Gas☐ Fuel Injector☐ New ☐ Used

Dealer's City

FARMINGTON HILLS

State

MI

Zip Code

48331

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☐ Sport Utility☐ Truck☐ Motorcycle

Body Style

☒ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door☐ Stationwagon☐ Pick Up Truck☐ Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s)

SIDE AIR BAG

Location

☐ Left☐ Front☐ Right☐ Rear

Failed Part(s)

☐ Original☐ Replacement

Handicap Adaptive Equip

☐ Yes☐ No

TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Brand

Tire Name

Complete Tire Size

No. of Failures

Date(s) of Failure(s)

Mileage at Failure(s)

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)

Failed Part(s)

Available?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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 & Rollover

Fire

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Fatalities

Reported to Manufacturer

☒ Yes ☐ No☐ Yes ☒ No

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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

ON 27, DECEMBER 2000 WHILE DRIVING IN WINDSOR, ONTARIO CANADA THRU HIGHWAY 401
I SLIPPED THROUGH A SUDDEN PATCH OF ICE & SNOW. THE CAR SWERVED TO THE LEFT
HIT AN ILE PILE ON THE LEFT SHOULDER THIS TRIGGERED A ROLLOVER ON THE
RIGHT SIDE. THE CAR ROLLED OVER 4-5 TIMES SIDEWAYS CROSSING THE DIVIDER.
THE CAR WAS HIT BY ANOTHER ONCOMING CAR IN THE RIGHT MARGING LANE.
THE CAR HIT THE DRIVER SIDE. THIS TRIGGERED A ROLL OVER ABOUT 4-5 TIMES
FORGET TO BACK. THE CAR CAME TO A STAND STILL ON ALL 4 WHEELS WITH

Continue on back.

The Privacy Act of 1974 - Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to 49 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 administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

Mail postage free or fax to 202-366-7882

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

THE DRIVER SIDE DOOR ASAR. THE TOP DRIVER SIDE DOOR CRASHED INSIDE
TO HIT THE DRIVER (MYSELF). THE TRUNK DOOR CAME OPEN AND ALL
WINDOW PANES CRASHED.
*THE OTHER CAR'S HIT WAS ON THE DRIVER'S SIDE AT THE FRONT
WHEEL.

* NONE OF THE AIRBAGS (2 SIDE & 2 FRONT) DEPLOY.

* THE CAR WAS TOTALLED

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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Washington, D.C. 20590

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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
Office of Defects Investigation, NSA-10.01
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Washington, DC 20590



Complete and return or place in your car manual for future use



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