



U.S. Department
of Transportation
**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

NATIONWIDE 1-800-424-9393
DC METRO AREA (202) 366-0123
INTERNET: <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>

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28-JUN-2002

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Reference No.

8012906

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☐ NO
In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner _____ Date ____/____/____

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) (Location at bottom of windshield and driver's side door)		Vehicle Make NISSAN	Vehicle Model MAXIMA	Vehicle Year 1994	Current Odometer Reading
Purchase Date	Dealer's Name _____		Engine Size (CID/CC/L) _____	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection	
☒ New ☐ Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____		No Cylinders _____		
Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☐ Yes ☐ No	Restraint System ☒ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel ☐ Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No	Drive Train ☐ 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 03240000	Part Name(s) BRAKES:HYDRAULIC:LINES:FITTINGS	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure	Dates of Failure(s) 02-JUN-2002	Failed Part(s) ☐ Yes ☐ No	NHTSA Previously ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Mileage at Failure(s) 92000		
	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) _____		

APPLICATION 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 of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalities	Estimated Property Damag	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☐ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

BRAKE LINE CORRODED, CONSUMER FOUND OUT ABOUT CORRODED BRAKE LINE WHILE DRIVING. CONTACTED DEALER, AND THE DEALER WAS NOT WILLING TO DO ANYTHING.*AK

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DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)

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DEFECTS INVESTIGATION

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Reference No.

8012906

Work Number

Home Number

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) A

KATNON

NY

10536

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Signature of Owner

Date 7/8/02

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN.) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side) **JN1HJ0IF6RT218137** Vehicle Mak **NISSAN** Vehicle Mode **MAXIMA** Vehicle Year **1994** Current Odometer Reading **92,800**

Purchase Date

1/94

Dealer's Name **GEIS**

Engine Siz
(CID/CC/L

☐ Turbo
☐ Diesel
☒ Gas
☐ Fuel Injection

☒ New ☐ UsedCity **PEEKSKILL** State **NY** Zip Code **10566**No Cylinders **6**

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Restraint System

Cruise Control

Drive Train

Vehicle Type

Body Style

☐ Manual
☒ Automatic

☒ Yes
☐ No

☒ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt
☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel
☐ Passengerside Airbag

☒ Yes
☐ No

☒ Front
☐ Rear
☐ 4-Wheel

☒ Car
☐ Van
☐ Minivan
☐ Other

☐ Sport Utr
☐ Truck
☐ Motorcycle

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

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component **03240000** Part Name(s) **BRAKES:HYDRAULIC: LINES: FITTINGS** Location ☒ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement
GAS LINES (CORRODED NOT LEAKING)

No of Failures

Date(s) of Failure(s) **02-JUN-2002**Mileage at Failure(s) **92000**

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)

Failed Part(s)

☒ Yes ☐ No

NHTSA

Previously

☐ Yes ☒ No

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Crash

☐ Yes ☐ No

Fire

☐ Yes ☐ No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Fatalities

Estimated Property Damage

Reported to Police

☐ Yes ☐ No

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

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Estimated damages at \$5,500. Needed to replace both brake lines and 3 gas lines (fuel, return and vent) due to corrosion. Brake line leaking at point under left front door.

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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

The corrosion is probably due to road salt. The problem would then be concentrated in northern states.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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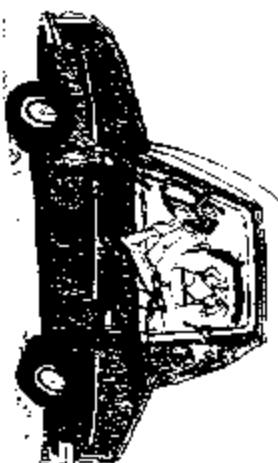
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