

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)

NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT

1-888-327-4236

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Reference No.

872025

Work Number

Home Number

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

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) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
1FTHF38F3VED1183	FIRESTONE	STEEL TEX	1900	

Purchase Date

Dealer's Name

Engine Size
(CID/OCL)
☐ Turbo
☐ Diesel
☐ Gas
☐ Fuel Injection

No Cylinders

☒ New ☐ Used

City State Zip Code

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Restraint System

Cruise Control

Drive Train

Vehicle Type

Body Style

☐ Manual☐ Yes☐ 3-Point Belt☐ Motorbelt☐ Yes☐ Front☐ Car☐ Sport Ut☐ 2-Door☐ Automatic☒ No☐ Driverside Airbag☐ 2-Point Belt☒ No☐ Rear☐ Van☐ Truck☐ 4-Door☐ Passengerside Airbag☐ 4-Wheel☐ Other☐ Motorcycle☐ Stationwagon☐ Pick Up Truck☒ Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 02740000	Part Name(s) TIRES:TREAD	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
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No of Failures

Date(s) of Failure(s)

Mileage at Failure(s)

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)

18

Failed Part(s)
Available?☐ Yes ☐ NoNHTSA Previously
Contacted?☐ Yes ☐ No

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 Damage	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

PE-00-020 ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT ON A 1997 FORD F350, TIRE SIZE P23585R18, DOT NUMBER VDOR1XK, EXPERIENCED TIRE BLEW OUT AT 12 THOUSANDS AND 18 THOUSANDS MILES. TWO INCIDENTS WITH BLEWOUTS. WHEN DRIVING AT 60-65 MPH RIGHT REAR TIRE TREAD BLEWOUT AT THE SIDEWALL. ALSO, WHEN DRIVING AT 50-55 MPH THE RIGHT REAR TIRE TREAD BLEW OUT FROM THE SIDEWALL, BOTH INCIDENTS HAPPENED IN THE SUMMER ON VERY HOT DAYS. BOTH TIRES HAD ABOUT 75% OF TREAD LIFE AVAILABLE. PLEASE PROVIDE ANY FURTHER DETAILS.*AK

COPY THIS ON BACK IF NEEDED

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