



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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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 front of windshield or driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
WDBLJ70G9YF161521	MERCEDES BEN	CLK430	1999	

Purchase Date	Dealer's Name _____	Engine Size (CID/CCL) _____	☐ Turbo
☒ New ☐ Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____	No. Cylinders _____	☐ Diesel
			☐ Gas
			☐ Fuel Injection

Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☐ Yes ☒ No	Restraint System ☐ 3-Point Belt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ Passengerside Airbag ☐ Motorized ☐ 2-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☐ Yes ☒ No	Drive Train ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other	Body Style ☐ Sport Vlt ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle ☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other
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FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 10310000 10110000	Part Name(s) VISUAL SYSTEMS:WINDSHIELD WIPER VISUAL SYSTEMS:GLASS:WINDSHIELD	Location ☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Right ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
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

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)

WHILE WINDSHIELD WIPERS ARE IN USE AND IT'S RAINING THERE IS A GLARE ON WINDSHIELD WHICH MAY CAUSE VISUAL DIFFICULTIES, AND MAY RESULT A CRASH. DEALER REPLACED WINDSHIELD AND WINDSHIELD WIPERS, BUT PROBLEM STILL OCCURS. PLEASE PROVIDE FURTHER INFORMATION.*AK

CONTINUE 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.



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DOT Auto Safety Hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

856918

Work Number

Home Number

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Signature of Owner

Date 02/13/01

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Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN)

(Located at bottom of
windshield on driver's side)

WDBLJ70G9YF161521

Vehicle Make

MERCEDES BENZ

Vehicle Model

CLK430

Vehicle Year

1996 2000

Current Odometer Reading

4,585

Purchase Date

7-03-2000

Dealer's Name

Contemporary Mercedes

Engine Size

(CID/CC/L)

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

City

Little Silver

State

NJ

Zip Code

Transmission Type

☐ Manual☒ Automatic

Antilock Brakes

☒ Yes☒ No

Restraint System

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

Cruise Control

☐ Yes☒ No

Drive Train

☐ Front☐ Rear☐ 4-Wheel

Vehicle Type

☐ Car☐ Van☐ Minivan☐ Other☐ Sport UT☐ Truck☐ Motorcycle

Body Style

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

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Component

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