

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

www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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Date Received

11-JAN-2001

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Reference No.

878048

Work Number

Home Number

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

666377

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 Mak

FORD TRUCK

Vehicle Mode

F250

Vehicle Year

2000

Current Odometer Reading

Purchase Date

Dealer's Name

Engine Siz

(CID/CC/L

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

City

State

Zip Code

No Cylinders

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Restraint System

Cruise Control

Drive Train

Vehicle Type

Body Style

☐ Manual☒ Yes☒ 3-Point Belt☐ Motorbelt☒ Yes☐ Front☐ Sport Util☐ 2-Door☒ Automatic☐ No☐ Driverside Airbag☐ 2-Point Bel☐ No☒ 4-Wheel☐ Van☐ Truck☐ Stationwagon☐ Passengerside Airbag☐ Minivan☐ Motorcycle☒ Pick Up☐ Truck

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component:
15300000

Part Name(s)

EQUIPMENT: SPEED CONTROL

Location

☐ Left☐ Right☐ Front☐ 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)☐ Yes ☐ NoNHTSA
Previously☐ 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

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

WHILE DRIVING UP HILL CRUISE CONTROL ENGAGED, AND REAR WHEELS BEGAN TO SPIN OUT. TRUCK SUDDENLY STARTED ACCELERATING, AND THE CRUISE CONTROL WOULD NOT DISENGAGE. DEALER HAS BEEN CONTACTED. *AK

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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Up. # 52

Reference No.

6780484

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556377

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Date 2/8/01

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1FTNW21S4YED60810

Vehicle Make

FORD TRUCK

Vehicle Model

F250

Vehicle Year

2000

Current Odometer Reading

22,000

Purchase Date

5/17/00

Dealers Name Wade Ford

Engine Size

CID/CC/L 6.8L

☐ Turbo
☐ Diesel
☐ Gas
☒ Fuel Injection

No Cylinders

10

☒ New ☐ Used

City Smyrna State GA Zip Code

Transmission Type

☐ Manual☒ Automatic

Antilock Brakes

☒ Yes☐ No

Restraint System

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Cruise Control

☒ Yes☐ No

Drive Train

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☐ Car☐ Van☐ Minivan☐ Other☐ Sport Utl☒ Truck☐ Motorcycle

Body Style

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

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Component

16900000

Part Name(s)

EQUIPMENT: SPEED CONTROL

Location

☐ Left☐ Front☐ Right☐ Rear

Failed Part(s)

☒ Original☐ Replacement

No of Failures

1

Date(s) of Failure(s) 11/22/00

Mileage at Failure(s)

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 60 mph

Failed Part(s)

Available?

☒ Yes ☐ No

NHTSA Previously

Contacted?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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Crash

☒ Yes

Yes

Fire

☐ Yes ☒ No

Number of Persons Injured

0

Number of Fatalities

0

Estimated Property Damage

\$2500

Reported to Police

☒ Yes ☐ No

Yes

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While driving uphill on a wet road, with cruise control engaged, the transmission downshifted. Both rear wheels started spinning and the truck started fishtailing. It fishtailed twice and then spun 180 degrees and slid backwards down the shoulder and into a ditch.

The cruise control never let off the gas, causing the tires

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INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

TIRE IDENTIFICATION NO. *

D O T

MANUFACTURER/TIRE NAME

SIZE

* The identification number consists of 7 to 10 letters and numerals following the letters DOT. It is usually located near the rim flange on the side opposite the whitewall or on either side of a blackwall tire.

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

to continue spinning the whole time and the subsequent
loss of control.

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