



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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Date Received

22-MAY-2001

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Reference No.

888844

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)		Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
2G1WX12X3T9173536		CHEVROLET	MONTE CARLO	1996	
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	Antilock Brakes	Restraint System	Cruise Control	Drive Train	Vehicle Type
☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ 3-Point Belt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ Passengerside Airbag	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	☐ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other _____
		☐ Motorbelt ☐ 2-Point Bel			☐ Sport Util ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other _____
					Body Style
					☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 08210000	Part Name(s) ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:ALTERNATOR:GENERATOR	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure 3	Date(s) of Failure(s) C1-FEB-1998 90000 Mileage at Failure(s) 0	Failed Part(s) ☐ Yes ☐ No	NHTSA 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 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Estimated Property Damag 0	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

ALTERNATER HAS BEEN REPLACED 3 TIMES. DEFECTIVE ALTERNATER WOULD NOT ALLOW ENGINE TO COOL. *AK

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U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration		Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ) NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT 1-888-327-4236 www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) 		Date Received <u>FEB 11 2001</u> 22-MAY-2001 Reference No. <u>888844</u>	
Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? in the <u>Signal</u> <u>_____</u> and address to the vehicle manufacturer. Date <u>12/28/01</u>		YES ☒ NO ☐	
VEHICLE INFORMATION			
Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year
<u>2G1WX12X3T9173536</u>	<u>CHEVROLET</u>	<u>MONTE CARLO</u>	<u>1996</u>
Current Odometer Reading <u>97,000</u>			
Purchase Date <u>Jan 1998</u>	Dealer's Name <u>Huffines Chevrolet</u>		Engine Size (CID/CC) <u>3.4L</u>
☐ New ☒ Used	City <u>Louisville</u> State <u>Ky</u> Zip Code <u>_____</u>		No Cylinders <u>6</u>
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 ☐ Sport Utility ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other	Body Style ☒ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other	
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION			
Component <u>08210000</u>	Part Name(s) <u>ELECTRICAL SYSTEM: ALTERNATOR: GENERATOR</u>	Location ☐ Left ☒ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original and ☒ Replacement
No of Failures <u>3</u>	Date(s) of Failure(s) <u>01-FEB-1998, Aug 2000, May 2001</u> Mileage at Failure(s) <u>40,000 - 60,000 - 80,000</u> Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) <u>0</u>	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 <u>0</u>	Number of Fatalities <u>0</u>
Estimated Property Damage <u>0</u>		Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No	
NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)			
ALTERNATER HAS BEEN REPLACED 3 TIMES. DEFECTIVE ALTERNATER WOULD NOT ALLOW ENGINE TO COOL. *AK Alternator located @ bottom side of engine up near the passengers dash area. Because of its location it does not get cooled off properly. To get to the part the engine must be dropped. It was a poor design that was only used for 95 + '96 models.			
CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED			
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