



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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13-JUL-2001

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Reference No.

892775

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) <small>(Location at bottom of and/or above windshield)</small>	Vehicle Make <b>FIRESTONE</b>	Vehicle Model <b>FIRESTONE</b>	Vehicle Year <b>1900</b>	Current Odometer Reading		
Purchase Date <input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Used	Dealer's Name _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____	Engine Size (CID/CC/L) _____ No. Cylinders _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Turbo <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Fuel Injectio			
Transmission Type <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input type="checkbox"/> Automatic	Antilock Brakes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Restraint System <input type="checkbox"/> 3-Point Belt <input type="checkbox"/> Motorbelt <input type="checkbox"/> Driverside Airbag <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Point Bel <input type="checkbox"/> Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Drive Train <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type <input type="checkbox"/> Car <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Util <input type="checkbox"/> Van <input type="checkbox"/> Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Minivan <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Body Style <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Door <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Door <input type="checkbox"/> Stationwagon <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Truck <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other _____

### FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 02740000	Part Name(s) <b>TIRES:TREAD</b>	Location <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part's <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement
No of Failure	Date(s) of Failure(s) 01-JUL-2001 Mileage at Failure(s)	Failed Part(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	NHTSA Previously <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalities	Estimated Property Damag	Reported to Polic <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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### NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

**FIRESTONE, P185 65 R14, ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, 13,000K MILES, MOUNTED ON A 2000 MAZDA PROTEGE. WHLE CONSUMER WAS DRIVING AT 70 MPH FRONT LEFT TIRE HAD TREAD SEPARATION.PLEASE PROVIDE INFORMATION.\*AK**

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# Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)

DOT Auto Safety Hotline  
NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT  
1-888-327-4236  
www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

## OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

702553  
[Redacted]  
[Redacted]

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle?  
 YES  NO  
In the absence of an authorized signature, please provide the name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.  
Signature of Owner: [Redacted]  
Date: 8/11/2001

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) [Redacted]  
Vehicle Make: FIRESTONE  
Vehicle Model: FIRESTONE  
Vehicle Year: 1999  
Current Odometer Reading: 300016.07

Purchase Date: 11-24-2000  
Dealer's Name: Land Miller  
City: Hendersonville, NC  
Zip Code: 28752  
Engine Size (CID/Gal): 1.6L  
No. of Cylinders: 4  
Fuel Injection:  Turbo  Diesel  Gas  Fuel Injection

Transmission Type:  Automatic  Manual  
Antilock Brakes:  Yes  No  
Restraint System:  3-Point Belt  Motor Belt  2-Point Belt  Passenger Side Airbag  
Cruise Control:  Yes  No  
Drive Train:  Front  Rear  4-Wheel  
Vehicle Type:  Car  Van  Minivan  Other  
 Sport Utl  Truck  Motorcycle  
Body Style:  2-Door  4-Door  Stationwagon  Pick Up Truck  Other

Failed Component(s)/Part(s) Information  
Part Name(s): Tires/Tread  
Location:  Front  Left  Right  Rear  
Failed Part(s):  Original  Replacement  
Tires/Tread: 02740000

Application Incident Information  
No. of Failures: 1  
Date(s) of Failure(s): 01-JUL-2001  
Mileage at Failure(s): 13,300  
Vehicle Speed at Failure(s): 70  
Failed Parts?  Yes  No  
Available?  Yes  No  
NHTSA Previously Contacted?  Yes  No

Narrative Description of Failure(s), Incident(s), Injury(ies)  
Crash:  Yes  No  
Number of Persons Injured: 0  
Number of Fatalities: 0  
Estimated Property Damage: [Redacted]  
Reported to Police:  Yes  No

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Photo Attached

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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Reference No.: B92775  
Work Number: [Redacted]  
Home Number: [Redacted]

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INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

TIRE IDENTIFICATION NO.\*

DOT H406JDN1300

MANUFACTURER/TIRE NAME

Firestone

SIZE

P185/16SR14 85S

\* 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)

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