



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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23-JUL-2001

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Reference No.

893123

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 door)		Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
JT3VN39W5N8043441		TOYOTA TRUCK	4 RUNNER	1992	
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 Belt		☐ Sport Utl ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle	Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☒ Other _____

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 05150021	Part Name(s) ENGINE:GASKETS:VALVE COVER	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure 0	Date(s) of Failure(s) 07-JUL-2001 36000 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)

VEHICLE WOULD NOT START. ONCE CAR WAS STARTED WHITE STEAM CAME OUT OF TAIL PIPE DUE TO A BLOWN ENGINE GASKET. HEADGASKET REPAIRS WERE DONE IN 1997.*AK

COPIES OF THIS FORM ARE:

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DOT Auto Safety Hotline

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NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT

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DEFECTS OFFICE
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

703497

Work Num

Home Num

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State

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☒ No

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☐ Passengerside Airbag

Cruise Control

☐ Yes
☒ No

Drive Train

☐ Front
☒ Rear
☒ 4-Wheel

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

Body Style

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☐ 4-Door
☐ Stationwagon
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☒ Other

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Component
85160021

Part Name(s)
ENGINE:GASKETS:VALVE COVER

Location

☐ Left ☐ Right
☐ Front ☐ Rear

Failed Part(s)

☐ Original
☒ Replacement

No of Failures

0

Date(s) of Failure(s) 07 JUL 2001

Mileage at Failure(s) 20000 / 137772

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 0

Failed Part(s)
Available?

☒ Yes ☐ No

NHTSA Previously
Contacted?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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Number of Fatalities

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Estimated Property Damage

Reported to Police

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WE CONTACTED TOYOTA MOTOR CO. AND THEY INFORMED US
THAT THERE WAS A RECALL AND THAT THE VEHICLE WAS REPAIRED
IN 1997 AND HAD A ONE YEAR WARRANTY.
IF WE WANTED TO HAVE THE TOYOTA DEALER CHECK IF THE FAILURE
WAS BECAUSE OF FAULTY PARTS, THEY MIGHT SEE WHAT
THEY COULD DO FOR ME. HOWEVER THE COST OF THIS WAS
TO BE PAID BY ME. APPROX \$1200 TO \$1800, IF OTHER
PARTS ARE DAMAGED IT MIGHT COST UP TO \$2000.
SINCE IT IS APPARENT THAT THIS GARAGE FAILS AROUND 4 YEARS
THIS IS A RATHER EXPENSIVE PROPOSITION.

I APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS AND HOPE ON THIS MATTER

Yours truly

INFORMATION ON THIS PAGE (IF APPLICABLE)									
THE IDENTIFICATION NO.									
MANUFACTURER/TIRE NAME									
SIZE									
* The identification number consists of 7 to 10 letters and numbers following the letters DOT. It is usually located near the rim flange on the side of the tire.									
NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)									

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