

VT Inspection manual

Reject if: #4 If more than 1/2 inch of rust (cumulative per braking surface) exists on any contact surface of the rotor/drum (Page 38)

[https://dmv.vermont.gov/sites/dmv/files/documents/VN-113-Periodic Inspection Manual.pdf](https://dmv.vermont.gov/sites/dmv/files/documents/VN-113-Periodic%20Inspection%20Manual.pdf)

Vermont DMV 2022 Overview Page 14 reference to failure rate

<https://legislature.vermont.gov/Documents/2022/WorkGroups/Senate%20Transportation/Agency%20of%20Transportation%202022%20Update/W~Wanda%20Minoli~Department%20of%20Motor%20Vehicles%202022%20Overview~1-27-2022.pdf>

Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Inspection provision for Rust

[https://www.dot.state.pa.us/public/dvspubsforms/BMV/BMV%20Safety%20Inspection%20Bulletins/Safety Bulletin B111-1.pdf](https://www.dot.state.pa.us/public/dvspubsforms/BMV/BMV%20Safety%20Inspection%20Bulletins/Safety%20Bulletin%20B111-1.pdf)

United States Government Accountability Office Vehicle Safety Inspections Report

NHTSA officials told GAO they have adopted a hands-off approach to state vehicle inspection programs because the agency devotes its resources primarily to areas that contribute more heavily to crashes, such as driver behavior. (Page 2)

Among the three studies of U.S. vehicle inspection programs, none were able to establish a statistically significant effect of safety inspection programs on crashes involving either fatalities or injuries. Specifically, the studies examined crash rates in all 50 states and did not find statistically significant differences in crash rates in states with inspection programs compared to those without. Page 9 GAO-15-705 Vehicle Safety Inspections (Page 13)

<https://www.gao.gov/assets/gao-15-705.pdf>

Vermont Public Radio Programs dedicated to VT Vehicle Inspections

What You'll Need To Know About The State's New Vehicle Inspection System

"In regard to eliminating the inspection program One of the issues is the financial implications to transportation fund" DMV Commissioner Robert Ide

January 26,2017

Pass, Fail Or 'Advisory': New Rules Coming For Vt. Vehicle Inspections

April 17, 2018

No More 'Conditional Passes': What You Need To Know About Vermont Vehicle Inspections

January 15, 2019

<https://www.vermontpublic.org/tags/vehicle-inspections>