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Term	Term Category	Submitted By:	Definition recommendation
Accident Related	Insurance	Michael Quinn	Specific damage sustained to a vehicle that is generally believed to be related to, or resulting from, the incident that caused the primary damage. Also may be termed “loss” related. May include one-time use parts or related repair procedures.
Feather, Prime and Block Sand	Body Repair, General	Barrett Smith	Operations following the panel repair process, which occurs after 150-grit (as defined by some Estimating Vendors) to bring the repaired panel to the condition of a new, undamaged panel for the purpose of refinish. The process allows for a finer sanding of the paint edge around the repaired area (feather), then a primer filler is applied to build back the depth of the feathered area (prime); then a final sanding process of the primer/filler allows for smoothing of imperfections (Block) bringing the area to an undamaged condition for painting.
<p>“A” Pillar <i>Use combined **Pillar definition below</i></p>	Body, General	Josh Cable	<p><i>This vertical, structural part of a vehicle is located on both sides of the body structure adjacent to the cowl area. This pillar is generally the mounting location for the [front] door hinges. Often vehicle makers design both an inner and an outer pillar and in some cases other reinforcements may be included.</i></p>
<p>“B” Pillar <i>**Pillar definition below</i></p>		Josh Cable	<p><i>This vertical, structural part of a vehicle is located on both sides of the body structure in the center of the side aperture/opening. This pillar is generally the mounting location for the [front] door striker/latch as well as the mounting location for the rear door hinges. It is sometimes referred to as the center pillar of the vehicle. Often vehicle makers design both an inner and an outer pillar and in some cases other reinforcements may be included.</i></p>
Vehicle Pillar	Body, General	Josh Cable	<p>Pillars are the vertical or near vertical supports of a vehicle’s window area or greenhouse—designated respectively as the A, B, C or (in larger cars) D-pillar, moving from the front to rear, in profile view.</p> <p>The consistent alphabetical designation of a car's pillars provides a common reference for design discussion and critical communication. As an example, rescue teams employ pillar nomenclature to facilitate communication when cutting wrecked vehicles, as when using the jaws of life.</p>

			The B pillars are sometimes referred to as "posts" (two-door or four-door post sedan). <i>From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia</i>
Road Test	General	Barrett Smith	<i>From submitter</i> - Operation of a vehicle to test systems for diagnostic functionality or possible remaining issues in need of correction and/or verification of proper function of systems, handling and performance under normal and anticipated driving conditions.
Diminished Value (DV)	Insurance	Barrett Smith	<i>From submitter</i> - Considered the loss in market value of a property (chattel) due to it having a history of damage. <i>Note:</i> some states may have specific diminished vehicle regulations, insurance code or language.