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NHTSA Recalls of Interest August 16, 2021

Roof Rail Side Air Bags May Not Deploy Properly

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V611000

Manufacturer General Motors, LLC

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 34,157

Summary

General Motors, LLC. (GM) is recalling certain 2020-2022 Cadillac CT4 and CT5 vehicles. The roof rail side-curtain air bags may not have been installed correctly, which could result in an improper air bag deployment during a crash.

Remedy

Dealers will inspect both left and right-side roof rail air bags and reinstall the air bags, as necessary, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed September 20, 2021. Owners may contact Cadillac customer service at 1-800-458-8006. GM's number for this recall is N212342780.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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CADILLAC	CT4	2020-2022
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CADILLAC	CT5	2020-2022
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Seat Belt Locking Retractor Malfunction/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V606000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected 45,496

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2021 Volkswagen ID4, Audi A4 Allroad, A4 Sedan, A5 Cabriolet, A5 Coupe, A5 Sportback, A6 Allroad, A6 Sedan, A7, A8, E-Tron Quattro, E-Tron Sportback Quattro, Q3, Q5, Q5 Sportback, Q7, Q8, RS5 Sportback, RS5 Coupe, RS6 Avant, RS7, RSQ8, S4 Sedan, S5 Cabriolet, S5 Coupe, S5 Sportback, S6 Sedan, S7, S8, SQ5, SQ5 Sportback, SQ7, SQ8, and 2021-2022 S3 Sedan vehicles. The rear seat belt automatic locking retractors may deactivate early, which can prevent the child restraint system from securing properly. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect, and replace as necessary, the middle-rear seat belt assemblies, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed October 1, 2021. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298 and Audi customer service at 1-800-253-2834. Volkswagen's numbers for this recall are 69CR (VW) and 69CS (Audi).

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
AUDI	A4	2021
AUDI	A5	2021
AUDI	A5 CABRIOLET	2021
AUDI	A6	2021
AUDI	A6 ALLROAD	2021
AUDI	A7	2021
AUDI	A8	2021
AUDI	E-TRON	2021
AUDI	Q3	2021
AUDI	Q5	2021
AUDI	Q7	2021
AUDI	Q8	2021
AUDI	RS Q8	2021
AUDI	RS5	2021
AUDI	RS6	2021

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
AUDI	RS7	2021
AUDI	S3	2021-2022
AUDI	S4	2021
AUDI	S5	2021
AUDI	S5 CABRIOLET	2021
AUDI	S6	2021
AUDI	S7	2021
AUDI	S8	2021
AUDI	SQ5	2021
AUDI	SQ7	2021
AUDI	SQ8	2021
VOLKSWAGEN	ID.4	2021

Seat Belt Locking Retractor Malfunction/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V605000

Manufacturer Bentley Motors, Inc.

Components SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected 33

Summary

Bentley Motors, Inc. (Bentley) is recalling certain 2021 Bentley vehicles. The front passenger seat belt automatic locking retractors may deactivate early, which can prevent the child restraint system from securing properly. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicles Safety Standard number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect the front passenger seat belt assemblies, and if necessary, replace the seat belts free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed October 1, 2021. Owners may contact Bentley customer service at 1-800-777-6923. Bentley's number for this recall is RE21/31 (RC13).

Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
BENTLEY	BENTAYGA	2021

Incorrect Seat Belt Assemblies Installed/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V607000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected 12,060

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2021 ID4 vehicles. Incorrect rear outboard seat belt assemblies without an automatic locking retractor (ALR) function may have been installed, which can prevent the child restraint system from securing properly. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect, and replace as necessary, the rear outboard seat belt assemblies, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed October 1, 2021. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 69CQ.

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MAKE	MODEL YEAR
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VOLKSWAGEN ID.4	2021
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Seat Belt Locking Retractor Malfunction/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V608000

Manufacturer Porsche Cars North America, Inc.

Components SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected 4,924

Summary

Porsche Cars North America, Inc. (Porsche) is recalling certain 2021 911 Carrera Coupe, 911 Carrera S Coupe, 911 Carrera 4 Coupe, 911 Carrera 4S Coupe, 911 Turbo Coupe, 911 Turbo S Coupe, Panamera, Panamera 4 E-Hybrid, Panamera 4S, Panamera GTS, Panamera Turbo S, Taycan, Taycan 4S, Taycan Turbo, and Taycan Turbo S vehicles. The seat belt automatic locking retractors may deactivate early, which can prevent the child restraint system from securing properly. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect and replace the seat belt assemblies, as necessary, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed October 1, 2021. Owners may contact Porsche customer service at 1-800-767-7243. Porsche's number for this recall is AMB6.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
PORSCHE	911	2021
PORSCHE	PANAMERA	2021
PORSCHE	PANAMERA 4 E-HYBRID	2021
PORSCHE	PANAMERA 4S	2021
PORSCHE	PANAMERA GTS	2021
PORSCHE	PANAMERA TURBO S	2021
PORSCHE	TAYCAN	2021

Rear-view Camera Image May Not Display/FMVSS 111

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V599000

Manufacturer Nissan North America, Inc.

Components BACK OVER PREVENTION

Potential Number of Units Affected 3,569

Summary

Nissan North America, Inc. (Nissan) is recalling certain 2021 Infiniti Q50, Q60, and QX80 vehicles. A software error may deactivate the audio/video control unit screen, preventing the rear-view image from displaying. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 111, "Rear Visibility."

Remedy

Dealers will update the control unit software, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed September 14, 2021. Owners may contact Nissan customer service at 1-800-867-7669. Nissan's number for this recall is R21A9.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
INFINITI	Q50	2021

MAKE MODEL YEAR

INFINITI Q60 2021

INFINITI QX80 2021

Rear Axle Brakes May Fail

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V573000

Manufacturer Mack Trucks, Inc.

Components SERVICE BRAKES, AIR

Potential Number of Units Affected 124

Summary

Mack Trucks, Inc. (Mack) is recalling certain 2021 Granite, LR, and TerraPro vehicles. The rear drive axle may have the incorrect type of brake cam installed, which could result in inoperative rear axle brakes.

Remedy

Dealers will inspect the brake cams, and incorrect brake cams will be replaced, along with brake shoes, hardware, and wheel seals, as necessary, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed August 27, 2021. Owners may contact Mack customer service at 1-800-866-1177. Mack's number for this recall is SC0427.

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MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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MACK	GRANITE (GR)	2021
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MACK	LR	2021
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MACK	TERRAPRO (TE)	2021
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Engine Control Unit Software May Cause Stall

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V615000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components ENGINE AND ENGINE COOLING

Potential Number of Units Affected 5,087

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2022 Taos vehicles equipped with all-wheel drive. The engine control unit (ECU) software may cause a stall when coming to a stop.

Remedy

Dealers will update the ECU software, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed October 5, 2021. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 24HH.

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MAKE	MODEL YEAR
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VOLKSWAGEN TAOS	2022
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Tire Tread Separation

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21V612000

Manufacturer General Motors, LLC

Components TIRES

Potential Number of Units Affected 7,082

Summary

General Motors, LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2021-2022 Chevrolet Equinox and GMC Terrain vehicles equipped with certain Hankook tires. The tires may have been manufactured with an insufficient amount of curative agent, which could cause tread separation.

Remedy

Dealers will inspect the tire DOT numbers, and replace any affected tires, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed September 20, 2021. Owners may contact GMC customer service at 1-800-462-8782; and Chevrolet customer service at 1-800-222-1020. GM's number for this recall is N212343560.

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MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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CHEVROLET	EQUINOX	2021-2022
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GMC	TERRAIN	2021-2022
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