

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

21V-836

Manufacturer Name : Yamaha Motor Corporation, USA

Submission Date : OCT 25, 2021

NHTSA Recall No. : 21V-836

Manufacturer Recall No. : 990151



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Yamaha Motor Corporation, USA

Address : 6555 Katella Avenue

Cypress CA 90630-5101

Company phone : 800-962-7926

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 16

Estimated percentage with defect : 1 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2021-2021 Yamaha MTT9GTM

Vehicle Type : MOTORCYCLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : In certain 2021 model MTT9GTM (Tracer 900 GT) motorcycles that fail to conform to the requirements of 49 CFR Part 567, "Certification." In affected vehicles, the Vehicle Certification Label may not match the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) stamped into the frame.

Production Dates : FEB 15, 2021 - FEB 16, 2021

VIN Range 1 : Begin : JYARN74E0MA000308 **End :** JYARN74YXMA000309 Not sequential

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : Certain 2021 MTT9GTM (Tracer 900 GT) motorcycles, approximately 16, may have an incorrect VIN printed on the vehicle certification label. During assembly workers inadvertently only confirmed the last few characters of the stamped VIN with the printed VIN on the vehicle certification label instead of confirming the complete 17 digit VINs.

FMVSS 1 : 567 - Certification

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : The official stamped VIN is correct, the issue is that the printed VIN on the vehicle certification label may not match. With an incorrect VI label, the customer may not recognize if their vehicle is involved in a safety recall, and may not get the remedy performed. Which could increase the risk of injury, fire, or a crash.

Description of the Cause : Factory worker failed to compare all 17 digits of VIN with the 17 digits of the printed vehicle certification label.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : Error is easily identifiable with visual / comparison of official stamped VIN and the VIN printed on the vehicle certification label

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Vehicle Certification Label

Component Description : Vehicle Certification Label

Component Part Number : N/A

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

Yamaha Motor Corporation USA was informed of the potential for this issue by the manufacturer, Yamaha Motor Co., LTD that such a contrition could exist. This was determined pursuant to quality control review, sample vehicle inspection and testing in August 2021.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program :

Affected units will have the the Motor Vehicle Certification Label inspected and if it does not match the stamped VIN the certification label will be replaced with a correctly printed label. All register owners of affected product will receive a notification letter informing them of this issue and the free repair campaign available at Yamaha Motorcycle dealers in the USA. All unsold units will be inspected / modified by Yamaha motorcycle dealers in the USA prior to retail sale. Yamaha dealers will be reimbursed for parts and labor for this repair campaign.

How Remedy Component Differs

No difference in form function or fit. Only difference, on affected units, will be the VIN on the Vehicle Certification Label will match the official

from Recalled Component : stamped VIN

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The Assembly plant implemented the following safeguards in September of 2021 1. Check 100% of all 17 digits of the VIN plate before ASSY on motorcycle , 2. assembler will double check all 17 digits of VIN plate at final inspection, 3. Inspector will check & record by camera

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : We anticipate commencing dealer/owner notification shortly after the owner's notification letter is approved by NHTSA, the affected VIN range is ascertained and the Technical Bulletin service procedure is confirmed and finalized by Yamaha service staff. Assuming the Agency can approve the letter within 5 working days of receipt (perhaps October 29) we will have the letter and Technical Bulletin printed. Normal turn-around time is 3 working days for such printing. Hence the materials will be ready for mailing approximately November 5h. Final copies of these notification documents will be forwarded to the Agency as soon as possible.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NOV 05, 2021 - NOV 08, 2021

Planned Owner Notification Date : NOV 05, 2021 - NOV 08, 2021

* NR - Not Reported