

VOLKSWAGEN DEALER COMMUNICATION

Advance Notice - Safety Recall 87H4 / A/C Water Drain Tube

This notice is for:

- ✓ Dealer Principal
- ✓ Service Manager
- Warranty Administrator

- ✓ General Manager
- ✓ Parts Manager
- ✓ Service Consultant
- ✓ Technicians

✓ Sales ManagersNovember 23, 2021

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Date:

The water drain tube of the air conditioning system could become blocked. If this happens, water can accumulate and leak inside the vehicle, and may contact the airbag control module. This can cause airbag system malfunctions, including unwarranted airbag deployment. This may increase the risk for an injury or may lead to a crash without warning. If this condition is present in the vehicle, the airbag warning light may illuminate if a malfunction is detected.

Repair:

- REPAIR NOT YET AVAILABLE
- Check daily campaign open inventory report or OMD for affected vehicles in inventory.

Affected Vehicles

Country	Beginning Model Year	Ending Model Year	Vehicle	Vehicle Count
USA	2021	2021	ATLAS	35,449
USA	2020	2021	ATLAS CROSS SPORT	18,980
CAN	2021	2021	ATLAS	2,685
CAN	2020	2021	ATLAS CROSS SPORT	1,299

^{*}Counts reflect overall population; some vehicles may have already been repaired. Check Campaigns/Actions screen in Elsa <u>on the day of repair</u> to verify that a VIN qualifies for repair under this action. Elsa is the <u>only</u> valid campaign inquiry & verification source.

Notes:

IMPORTANT REMINDER: VEHICLES AFFECTED BY SAFETY & COMPLIANCE RECALLS

New Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: It is a violation of federal law for a dealer to deliver a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by this notification under a sale or lease until the defect or noncompliance is remedied. By law, dealers must correct, prior to delivery for sale or lease, any vehicle that fails to comply with an applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard or that contains a defect relating to motor vehicle safety.

<u>Pre-Owned Vehicles in Dealer Inventory:</u> Dealers should not deliver any pre-owned vehicles in their inventory which are involved in a safety or compliance recall until the defect has been remedied.

-END OF MESSAGE-

Ensure all dealership personnel are aware of this notice so they are able to address customer questions. Contact Warranty if you require additional assistance. Direct press inquiries to Volkswagen Public Relations.