

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

23V-671

Manufacturer Name : Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Submission Date : OCT 04, 2023

NHTSA Recall No. : 23V-671

Manufacturer Recall No. : 69FK



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Address : 3800 Hamlin Road
Auburn Hills MI 48326

Company phone : 1-800-893-5298

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 2

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2019-2019 VOLKSWAGEN ATLAS

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined by a review of production records. The recalled products differ from products that were not included in the recall because the airbags potentially containing the defect have been manufactured with a side airbag that could have been incorrectly welded .
ATLAS: 2

Production Dates : NOV 05, 2018 - DEC 27, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin : 1V2NR2CA0KC514524 End : 1V2ER2CA0KC530948 ☐ Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : The driver's side impact airbag may be missing a welding seam at the side airbag housing.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : During a crash with side impact airbag deployment, the driver's side impact airbag could deploy improperly or separate, increasing the risk of injury to vehicle occupants.

Description of the Cause : The affected side impact airbags may be missing a welding seam at side impact airbag housing.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Side Airbag

Component Description : Side airbag driver side

Component Part Number : 3CN.880.241.M

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : iSi Automotive Holding GmbH

Address : Scheydgasse 30 - 32

Vienna

Foreign States 1210

Country : Austria

Chronology :

July 28, 2023: The supplier informed Volkswagen about potentially incorrectly manufactured side airbags. Analysis started.

August-September 2023: Internal review, identification of potentially affected vehicles and risk assessment initiated.

September 28, 2023: The topic was presented to Volkswagen's Product Safety Committee and a recall was decided.

Topic was a self-report of the supplier, no known field claims.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The driver's side impact airbag will be replaced.
Volkswagen will not offer a reimbursement plan under this recall, as the affected vehicles are still under the New Vehicle Limited Warranty period.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The recall remedy component is manufactured with correct welding seams.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Query of the presence of welding data before assigning OK status in all system modes (Implemented in June 2023)

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Dealers: On or before October 06, 2023 / Owners: On or before December 01, 2023

Planned Dealer Notification Date : OCT 06, 2023 - OCT 06, 2023

Planned Owner Notification Date : DEC 01, 2023 - DEC 01, 2023

* NR - Not Reported