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EU/ GERMANY	CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT: Motorcycle VMAX BRAND: Yamaha TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: RP2, EC type approval: e13*2002/24*0298*00 The vehicles in question were manufactured in 2009, 2010 and 2011. DESCRIPTION: Motorcycle COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Japan	INJURIES The oil pump may fail which could mean that oil no longer reaches the points of lubrication in the engine. A mechanical defect caused by this could lead to the engine stalling with the consequent risk of a road accident.	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.
EU/ GERMANY	No picture available. CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT: Passenger car 987 and 997 BRAND: Porsche TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL Concerns vehicles built between 31.05.2011 and 10.06.2011: Vehicle type 987, EG-type approval e13*2001/116*0141*12 and 13. Vehicle type 997, EG-type approval e13*2001/116*0137*15 und 16 (incl. Speedster, not incl. Turbo, Turbo S). Vehicle type 997, EG-type approval e13*2001/116*0177*09 (Turbo, Turbo S). Vehicle type 997, EG-type approval e13*KS07/46*0001*03 and 04 (911GT3RS4.0 DESCRIPTION: Passenger car COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany	INJURIES The diameter of the hole in the seatbelt end mount is too small. It is not possible to fully slide the mount onto the collar of the fastening screw. When the fastening screw is tightened, the belt end mount is pressed firmly against the vehicle body and cannot be rotated. This causes the reduced effectiveness of the restraint system in the event of a crash, increasing the seriousness of the injuries.	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.
EU/ GERMANY	No picture available. CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT: Centre stand for motorcycle BRAND: Triumph TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL Item number: A9778004 (for Tiger 800) A9778005 (for Tiger 800 XC) DESCRIPTION Triumph accessories: centre stands for Tiger 800 and Tiger 800 XC motorcycles. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United Kingdom No picture available.	INJURIES The retaining spring of the centre stands in question must be exchanged as otherwise the centre stand can swing out automatically and may touch the ground, which in the worst-case scenario can cause a fall.	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.

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EU/ GERMANY	CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT: Van "Sprinter" BRAND: Mercedes-Benz TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL Type: 906, EC type approval e1*2001/116*0353, 0354 and 0424, as well as e1*2007/46*0569, including all follow-up entries. DESCRIPTION Van. Vehicles concerned were produced between 11.4.2011 and 27.4.2011 and have a 3-seater bench seat. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany No picture available.	INJURIES The Isofix anchor points (for fitting child seats) on the passenger seat may become detached in the event of an accident involving a frontal impact.	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.	
EU/MALTA	CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT: Passenger car 207 BRAND: Peugeot TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type Approval No.: e2*2001/116*0340*06; e2*2001/116*0340*07; e2*2001/116*0340*08; e2*2001/116*0340*09; e2*2001/116*0340*11; e2*2001/116*0340*12; e2*2001/116*0340*13; e2*2001/116*0340*14; e2*2001/116*0340*15; e2*2001/116*0340*16; e2*2001/116*0340*19; e2*2001/116*0340*21; e2*2001/116*0340*20; e2*2001/116*0340*21; e2*2001/116*0340*22; e2*2001/116*0340*23; e2*2001/116*0340*24; e2*2001/116*0340*24; e2*2001/116*0340*24; e2*2001/116*0340*25; Chassis No.: VF3 WCKFVC 34425127 - VF3 WE9HPO BW029045 DESCRIPTION: Passenger car COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: France No picture available.	INJURIES Possible dislocation of the air conditioning (air) diffuser on the driver's side could interfere with access to the pedal board.	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.	

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EU/ PORTUGAL	CATEGORY: Motor vehicles PRODUCT Passenger car S80, V70, XC60 and XC70 BRAND: Volvo. TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL S80, V70, XC60 and XC70 vehicles, with diesel engine of model years 2009-2010. DESCRIPTION: Passenger car. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Sweden No picture available.	INJURIES Early wear on the belt tensioner may result in the belt slipping off the belt tensioner, which may lead to stalling of the vehicle and a sudden loss of power steering assistance. Since this may occur without any prior warning to the driver this may cause an unsafe driving situation in a worst case	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.	
AUSTRALIA	Triumph Australia Pty Ltd—Triumph Daytona 675 Motorcycle PRODUCT DESCRIPTION Daytona 675 motorcycle IDENTIFYING FEATURES Recall number: 433 TARGET NUMBER: 275 Traders who sold this product Triumph dealers SUPPLIER Triumph Australia Pty Ltd	HAZARDS The engine may stall during operation. DEFECTS The evaporative valve purge harness may not be secured properly and could lead to the harness becoming damaged.	Triumph Australia is writing to all affected owners. Owners can contact their local Triumph dealers for further information. A full list of Triumph dealers is available at www.triumphmotorcycles.com.au/triumph-world/find-adealer	
AUSTRALIA	No pictures available. BRP Australia Pty Ltd—Evinrude® E-TEC® 200–300 HP 90° V6 (3.3 L and 3.4 L) Outboards PRODUCT DESCRIPTION BRP Australia Pty Ltd—Evinrude E-TEC Outboard Motors 2011 Evinrude® E-TEC® 200–300 HP 90° V6 (3.3 L and 3.4 L) outboard motors within certain serial number ranges IDENTIFYING FEATURES E225HSLII-05302929 E250DHLII-05303495 E250DPXII-05303835 E200DHXII-05303927 E200DHXII-05303927 E200DHXII-05305175 TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT Evinrude outboard motor dealers SUPPLIER BRP Australia Pty Ltd SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE http://www.brp.com No picture available.	HAZARDS The outboard motor may have a fuel leak, potentially causing fire or an explosion. DEFECTS On some of the affected models, the clamp on the fuel outlet hose (3/8 inch diameter) of the fuel vapour separator may be loose or could have been installed incorrectly.	Contact the nearest authorized Evinrude/Johnson dealer at www.envinrude.com or contact the Australian office directly on (02) 9794 6600 and make an appointment to have this required engine update. This service will be performed at no charge. For your safety, please do not attempt to use this product until an authorized Evinrude/ Johnson dealer has completed the necessary service.	

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AUSTRALIA	Mercedes-Benz Australia Pty Ltd—ML 163 Passenger Vehicles PRODUCT DESCRIPTION Campaign number: 914 TARGET NUMBER: 7489 IDENTIFYING FEATURES Manufactured between August 1999 and June 2004 TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT Mercedes-Benz dealers SUPPLIER Mercedes-Benz Australia Pty Ltd No pictures available. CATEGORY: Motor vehicles	HAZARDS Failure of the cruise control to disengage may lead to a serious accident. DEFECTS A faulty brake light switch may lead to the cruise control not disengaging when tapping the brake pedal. The cruise control can still be disengaged via the cruise control lever or by applying the brakes fully. INJURIES	Letters will be sent to affected owners. Owners are advised to contact their authorised Mercedes-Benz dealer to have the the brake light switch replaced free of charge.
GERMANY	PRODUCT: Motorcycle "Tiger 800" and "Tiger 800 XC" BRAND: Triumph TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL Type A08 EC type approval: e11*2002/24*1048* Also imported vehicles from the USA. The vehicles in question are from model years 2011 to 2012 with vehicle identification numbers ranging from SMTTRE10B8B466334 to SMTTRE15B8C514869. DESCRIPTION: Motorcycle COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United Kingdom No picture available.	The engine can stall due to poor idling performance if the regulators are closed, which could lead to a fall.	taken by the manufacturer.
AUSTRALIA	Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd—Outboard Motor (Models F2.5, F4B, F5A, F6C, 2C and 3A) PRODUCT DESCRIPTION Yamaha outboard motors 2010-2011 Models F2.5, F4B, F5A, F6C, 2C and 3A IDENTIFYING FEATURES Campaign reference: FTC/OB Total units: 471 Models: F2.5AMHS/11, F4BMHS/11, F4BMHS/11, F5AMHL/11, F6CMHS/11, F6CMHS/11, T6CMHS/10 and 3AMHS/10 TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT Yamaha dealers SUPPLIER Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd No pictures available.	HAZARDS Fuel can leak past the cap, increasing the risk of fire. DEFECTS The fuel cap may have a gasket that is not fuel resistant. The gasket could deteriorate and lose its sealing properties.	Yamaha will write to all affected owners. Consumers should contact their local Yamaha dealer to set up an appointment to have the unit remedied free of charge. For further information, please call 02 9827 7500. For assistance in finding a Yamaha dealer, visit www.yamaha-motor.com.au/ dealers/all

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AUSTRALIA	Harley-Davidson Australia Pty Ltd—Touring Model PRODUCT DESCRIPTION All 2009-2011 and certain 2012 Touring model Harley-Davidsons motorcycles IDENTIFYING FEATURES Campaign number: 0145 TARGET NUMBER: 2259 TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT Harley-Davidson distributors SUPPLIER Harley-Davidson Australia Pty Ltd No pictures available.	HAZARDS The defects may result in a crash, which could cause injury or death to the rider. DEFECTS The affected model motorcycles may experience a nonfunctioning stop light and/ or cause brake fluid to leak through the rear stop light switch, affecting rear brake performance.	Harley-Davidson will write to owners of affected vehicles. Owners are advised to contact their authorised Harley-Davidson dealer who will determine whether the motorcycle is affected by this recall and, if affected, will replace the rear brake light switch at no charge to the customer.	
AUSTRALIA	Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd—Yamaha VMAX1700 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION VMAX1700 (2009-2010) IDENTIFYING FEATURES Recall reference number: OP/VMAX VIN range: RP214-0000006 to RP214-0000213 TARGET NUMBER: 119 TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT Yamaha dealers SUPPLIER Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd No pictures available.	HAZARDS The engine may seize and the operator may not be able to restart the motor. DEFECTS Abnormally high oil pressure may build up inside the oil pump. This may cause the oil pump to malfunction.	Yamaha will write to all affected owners. Consumers should contact their local Yamaha dealer to set up an appointment and have the bike remedied free of charge. For further information, please call 02 9827 7500. For assistance finding a Yamaha dealer visit www.yamahamotor.com.au/dealers/all	
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL jayco / greyhawk class c-2010-2011 MANUFACTURER jayco, inc. COMPONENT electrical system POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 502 SUMMARY Jayco is recalling certain model year 2010- 2011 greyhawk class c motor homes manufactured from May 28, 2009, through September 22, 2010 for an improper electrical connection at the buss bar on the affected transfer switches. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE This could lead to overheating and melting of the transfer switch, increasing the risk of a fire, injury or death.	REMEDY Dealers will replace the transfer switch free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact jayco at 1-800-283-8267.	

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USA	NAME OF PRODUCT	HAZARD	Voluntary recall.	
	Bad Boy Buggies off-road utility vehicles UNITS About 3,200 (Bad Boy Classic buggies were previously recalled in October 2009 and in December 2010) MANUFACTURER BB Buggies Inc., of Augusta, Ga. and Bad Boy Enterprises LLC, of Natchez, Miss. DESCRIPTION	The steering assembly arm can break and cause the driver to lose control, posing a crash hazard. INCIDENTS/INJURIES The firm has received 15 reports of the steering assembly arm breaking. No injuries have been reported.		
	This recall involves Bad Boy LT, Classic, XT, XTO and XT Safari model electric off-road utility vehicles. The utility vehicles have four wheels, bench seats for the operator and passengers and were sold in camouflage patterns, hunter green, red and black. "Bad Boy" is printed on the side or front of the vehicles. MANUFACTURED IN: United States			
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL jayco travel trailer / jay feather lgt-2008 jayco travel trailers / jay feather lgt-2007 MANUFACTURER jayco, inc. COMPONENT wheels POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 2,444 SUMMARY Jayco is recalling certain model year 2007-2008 jay feather lgt travel trailers manufactured from October 9, 2006, through April 17, 2008. These travel trailers may have insufficient clearance between the tires and the wheel well. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE This could allow the tires to contact the wheel well increasing the risk of a crash, injury, or death.	REMEDY Jayco will notify owners, and jayco dealers will add a spacer to increase the distance between the axle and the wheel well. This service will be performed free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact jayco at 1-800-283-8267.	

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL	CONSEQUENCE	REMEDY
	h-d / flhp-2009-2012	The excessive heat may	Harley-Davidson will notify
	h-d / flhpe-2009-2011	cause the switch to not activate the brake lamp or	owners, and dealers will a install a rear brake light
	h-d / flhr-2009-2012	activate the brake lamp	switch kit, free of charge.
	h-d / flhrc-2009-2012	when no brake is applied	The safety recall is expected
	h-d / flht-2009-2010	and/or cause a brake fluid leak at the brake light	to begin on or about Octobe 31, 2011. Owners may
	h-d / flhtc-2009-2012	switch, affecting rear	contact Harley-Davidson at 1
	h-d / flhtcuse4-2009	brake performance. Either	414-343-4056.
	h-d / flhtcuse5-2010	condition may increase the risk of a crash.	
	h-d / flhtcuse6-2011	risk of a crash.	
	h-d / flhtcuse7-2012		
	h-d / flhtcutg-2009-2012		
	h-d / flhtk-2010-2012		
	h-d / flhtp-2009-2012		
	h-d / flhx-2009-2012		
	h-d / flhxse-2010		
	h-d / flhxse2-2011		
	h-d / flhxse3-2012		
	h-d / flhxxx-2011		
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	h-d / fltru-2010-2012		
	h-d / fltruse-2011		
	h-d / fltrx-2010-2012		
	h-d / fltrxse-2012		
	MANUFACTURER		
	Harley-Davidson motor company		
	COMPONENT		
	exterior lighting: brake lights: switch		
	POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED		
	250,757		
	SUMMARY		
	Harley-Davidson is recalling certain model year 2009-2012 touring, cvo touring and trike vehicles manufactured from June 6, 2008, through September 16, 2011. See the above list for the models included in the recall. The rear brake light switch may be exposed to excessive heat from the exhaust system.		

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ferrara / igniter-2009-2011 ferrara / inferno-2009-2011 MANUFACTURER ferrara fire apparatus, inc COMPONENT electronic stability control POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 104 SUMMARY Ferrara is recalling certain model year 2009-2011 inferno and igniter vehicles equipped with Meritor wabco electronic stability control (esc), manufactured from April 2009, through October 2011. The esc module may cause the esc system to activate unnecessarily when the vehicle is driven in a particular manner on certain unique road conditions and may adversely affect the slip angle calculation by the esc module.	This might cause the esc to perceive an over steering situation and therefore apply the front axle outer wheel service brake until the vehicle is perceived to be stable by the esc. These conditions could increase the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Ferrara will notify owners and replace the control module free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or before October 31, 2011. Owners may contact ferrara at 1-225-567-7100
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Collins / bantam-2006-2008 Collins / grand bantam-2006-2008 Collins / super bantam-2006-2008 MANUFACTURER Collins bus corporation COMPONENT equipment: electrical: air conditioner POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 11 SUMMARY Collins is recalling certain model year 2006 through 2008 bantam, grand bantam, and super bantam school buses manufactured from August 23, 2006, through February 1, 2008, equipped with carrier genv em-1 evaporator units. Due to time, temperature, and/or vibration, the fuse may loosen in the fuse holder resulting in high resistance and arcing. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE If sufficient arcing occurs, the fuse holder may melt, and a vehicle fire may occur.	REMEDY Collins will notify owners and provide information on how to obtain the retrofit kit from carrier along with repair instructions. This service will be performed free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about October 28, 2011. (See carrier's recall campaign 11e-003.) Owners may contact carrier at 1-800-793-4741 or Collins at 1-1-620-662-9000.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Thomas built buses / saf-t-liner c2-2005-2009 MANUFACTURER Daimler trucks North America COMPONENT service brakes, hydraulic POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 700 SUMMARY Daimler trucks (dtna) is recalling certain model year 2005 through 2009 Thomas built saf-t-liner c2 school buses manufactured from March 9, 2004, through January 2, 2008, equipped with caterpillar c7 engines, hydraulic brakes, and a fuel water separator. The fuel line going from the fuel water separator to the engine may rub on the hydraulic brake lines potentially resulting in brake fluid leak. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE A brake fluid leak may reduce braking performance increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Dtna will notify owners, and dealers will inspect the vehicles to ensure that there is the correct clearance between the fuel and brake lines. Damaged lines will be replaced. Repairs will be made by dtna authorized service facilities free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about December 15, 2011. Owners may contact dtna at 1-800-547-0712.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Thomas built buses / saf-t-liner c2-2005-2007 MANUFACTURER Daimler trucks North America COMPONENT electrical system POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 3,300 SUMMARY Daimler trucks (dtna) is recalling certain model year 2005 through 2007 Thomas built saf-t-liner c2 school buses manufactured from April 5, 2004 through December 26, 2005. The pass-through power cable connections located behind the driver's side kick panel may corrode potentially resulting in an electric fault or short circuit. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE An electric fault or short circuit of an un-fused power cable may result in a vehicle fire.	REMEDY The final remedy is being developed. Dtna will send owners an interim notice advising them to inspect their buses for corrosion in the area of the power terminals, and if excessive corrosion is found, to take their vehicle to an authorized service facility. Repairs will be made by dtna free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about December 15, 2011. Owners may contact dtna at 1-800-547-0712.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL startrans / mfsab-2007-2011 MANUFACTURER startrans bus corporation COMPONENT visibility: rearview mirrors/devices: interior POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 444 SUMMARY Certain model year 2007 through 2011 startrans mfsab school activity buses were produced without the required decal on the rear view mirror which warns the bus operator to use the cross view mirrors while the bus is stopped and not to use the cross view mirrors while the bus is moving. Accordingly, the buses fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 111, "rearview mirrors."	Images in cross view mirrors do not accurately show another vehicle's location, improper use of mirrors may reduce the clear and reasonably unobstructed view to the rear, increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Startrans will mail the required decal along with detailed instructions on where to place the decal. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact startrans at 1-877-258-1391.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL blue bird / all American-2012 blue bird / vision-2012 MANUFACTURER blue bird body company COMPONENT structure: body: door: hinge and attachments POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 59 SUMMARY Blue bird is recalling certain model year 2012 all American and vision school buses manufactured from August 2, 2011, through September 14, 2011, equipped with spectal industries vertical emergency exit windows. Incorrect rivets may have been used to attach the handles that an occupant would use to open the window in the event of an emergency. The part numbers for the blue bird buses are as follows: 129185, 129195, 129197, 129199, 129201, 129202, 129203, 129205, 129207, 129209, 129210, 129228, 129230, 129232, 129234, 129236, 129238, 129240, 129242, and 129243. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE If the handle is actuated during a non-emergency situation and detaches, the emergency window cannot be re-secured, posing a risk that children may fall or climb out. However, if the handle were to detach during an emergency, the exit window will open and egress through the window will not be hindered.	REMEDY Blue bird will notify owners, and provide repair kits, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about November 14, 2011. Owners may contact blue bird at 1-478-822-2242.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Mercedes Benz / e-2011 Mercedes Benz / gl-2011 Mercedes Benz / ml-2011 Mercedes Benz / r-2011 Mercedes Benz / s class-2012 MANUFACTURER Mercedes-Benz USA, Ilc. COMPONENT fuel system, diesel POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 6,872 SUMMARY Mercedes-Benz USA (mbusa) is recalling certain model year 2011 vehicles including e-class (212 platform), manufactured from July 2010 through February 2011, r-class (251 platform), manufactured from April 2010 through April 2011, ml-class (w164 platform), manufactured from January 2010 through march 2011, gl-class (x164 platform), manufactured from march 2010 through march 2011, and model year 2012 s-class (221 platform) vehicles. The diesel fuel filter may leak from the area around the heating component.	CONSEQUENCE Diesel fuel may be deposited onto the highway and create the potential for a crash. Fuel leakage, in the presence of an ignition source, could result in a fire.	REMEDY Mbusa will contact owners, and dealers will inspect and replace the diesel fuel filter if necessary, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact Mercedes-Benz USA at 1-800 -367-6372.
USA	No picture available. VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Hyundai / Santa fe-2009-2011 MANUFACTURER curt mfg. inc. COMPONENT equipment POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 2,254 SUMMARY Curt manufacturing is recalling certain tow package wiring harnesses, part number 55538, that connect tow vehicle lighting circuits to trailer lighting circuits sold for use on certain model year 2009 through 2011 Hyundai Santa fe vehicles. The units are not water-tight and moisture can seep into the converter module and defeat the module's internal circuit protection. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Without the circuit protection, the module can overheat possibly resulting in a fire.	REMEDY Curt manufacturing will notify owners and replace the tow package wiring harness. The remedy will be performed free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact curt manufacturing at 1-715 831-8713.

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE			
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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL BMW / 5-series-2008-2011 BMW / 5-series gran turismo-2008-2011 BMW / 7-series-2008-2011 BMW / x5-2008-2011 BMW / x6-2008-2011 MANUFACTURER BMW of North America, Ilc COMPONENT engine and engine cooling: engine: other fuel types: turbo-charger POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 32,084 SUMMARY BMW is recalling certain model year 2008-2011 5 -series, 5-series gran turismo, 7-series, x5 sav, and x6 sav vehicles equipped with 8- or 12-cylinder, turbocharged, engines because the circuit board for the electric auxiliary water pump can overheat.	CONSEQUENCE This could lead to a smoldering of the pump or an engine compartment or vehicle fire.	REMEDY BMW will notify owners, and dealers will replace the auxiliary water pump free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact BMW customer relations and services at 1-800-525-7417.
USA	No picture available. VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL blue bird / all American-2006-2012 blue bird / vision-2006-2011 MANUFACTURER blue bird body company COMPONENT seats: barriers POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 54 SUMMARY Blue bird is recalling certain model year 2006 through 2012 all American, 2006 through 2011 vision, and 2006 conventional school buses manufactured between September 19, 2005, and May 3, 2011, equipped with 2-passenger seats installed forward of the 39" barrier. In the event of a crash, the barrier may make contact with the 2-passenger seat installed forward of the barrier. accordingly, these buses fail to conform with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 222, "school bus passenger seating and crash protection." No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE The seat occupants may be seriously injured in the event of a crash.	REMEDY Blue bird will notify owners, and dealers will repair the buses free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about November 28, 2011. Owners may contact blue bird at 1-478-822-2242.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL	CONSEQUENCE	REMEDY
	Spartan / diamond-2008 Spartan / furion-2008-2009 2011 Spartan / furion r/t-2010 Spartan / gladiator-2007-2012 Spartan / metrostar-2008-2012 Spartan / Spartan force-2012 MANUFACTURER Spartan chassis, inc. COMPONENT electronic stability control POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 799 SUMMARY Spartan chassis (Spartan), is recalling certain model year 2008 diamond, model year 2008-2009 furion along with model year 2011, model year 2010 furion r/t, model year 2007-2012 gladiator, model year 2008-2012 metrostar and model year 2012 spartan force emergency rescue transport vehicles equipped with an electronic stability control (esc) manufactured from April 12, 2007, through September 30, 2011. The esc module may cause the esc system to activate unnecessarily when the vehicle is driven in a particular manner on certain unique road conditions and may adversely affect the slip angle calculation by the esc module. No picture available.	This might cause the esc to perceive an over steering situation and therefore apply the front axle outer wheel service brake until the vehicle is perceived to be stable by the esc. These conditions could increase the risk of a crash.	Spartan will notify owners and replace the control module free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or before November 30, 2011. Owners may contact Spartan at 1-800-543-5008 option 5.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL keystone / passport-2012 MANUFACTURER keystone rv company COMPONENT equipment: recreational vehicle POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 30 SUMMARY Keystone is recalling certain model year 2012 passport travel trailers manufactured from September 15, 2011, through September 28, 2011. The rear living room is missing an egress window. No picture available.	In the event that an emergency evacuation is necessary, the absence of an egress window will increase the risk of personal injury.	REMEDY Dealers will replace the window currently installed with an egress window free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact keystone customer service at 1-866-425-4369.

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE			
NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL freightliner / cascadia-2005-2011 freightliner / classic xl-2005-2011 freightliner / Columbia-2005-2011 freightliner / coronado2005-2011 freightliner / coronado2005-2011 MANUFACTURER Daimler trucks North America COMPONENT steering: rack and pinion POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 9,906 SUMMARY Daimler trucks is recalling certain model year 2005-2011 freightliner cascadia, Columbia, century, Coronado, and classic xl trucks manufactured from November 1, 2004, through June 15, 2010 for the rack and pinion steering system. The lower pinion bearing may corrode and fail. A failed bearing may lead to damage of the spool valve seals. A damage spool valve seal may allow hydraulic fluid to flow to the right or left turn port instead of flowing to the return port. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE The steering could unexpectedly turn left or right, making the vehicle more difficult to control and increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Daimler trucks has not yet provided the agency with a remedy plan. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about December 6, 2011. Owners may contact Daimler trucks toll-free at 1-800-547-0712.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL cruiser rv / shadow cruiser-2011 cruiser rv / viewfinder-2011 MANUFACTURER cruiser rv COMPONENT equipment: other: labels POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 1,362 SUMMARY Cruiser rv is recalling certain model year 2011 shadow cruiser and viewfinder recreational vehicles, manufactured from April 21, 2011, through September 6, 2011. These vehicles have the incorrect federal id tag, gross vehicle weight rating (gvwr) information labels which fails to comply with the requirements of part 567, "certification." No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Failure to follow proper vehicle loading specifications because of a misprinted label could increase the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Cruiser rv will mail to consumers the corrected label or the customer will have the option for dealers to install the label free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact cruiser rv at 1-574-457-6472.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Volvo / c70-2006-2012 Volvo / s60-2011-2012 MANUFACTURER Volvo cars of n.a. Ilc. COMPONENT equipment: other: labels POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 19,600 SUMMARY Volvo is recalling certain model year 2006-2012 c70 vehicles manufactured from November 15, 2005, through July 31, 2011, and model year 2011-2012 s60 vehicles manufactured from July 14, 2010, through April 16, 2011, that were equipped with optional accessory spare tire kit. These vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard number. 110, "tire selection and rims." These vehicles do not contain the correct information for vehicles equipped with the	CONSEQUENCE A misprinted label could lead to improper tire inflation which could result in a tire failure, increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Volvo will notify owners and dealers will inspect the vehicle and install the label as necessary, free of charge. the manufacturer has not yet provided an owner notification schedule. Owners may contact Volvo at 1-201-768-7300.
USA	optional accessory spare tire and wheel kit. No picture available. VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL American lafrance / eagle-2010 MANUFACTURER American lafrance llc COMPONENT electronic stability control POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 17 SUMMARY American lafrance (alf) is recalling certain model year 2010 and 2011 eagle fire trucks manufactured from October 21, 2010, through August 25, 2011, equipped with a meritor wabco electronic stability control (esc) system, manufactured from April 2009 through October 2011. The esc module may cause the esc system to activate unnecessarily when the vehicle is driven in a particular manner on certain unique road conditions and may adversely affect the slip angle calculation by the esc module. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE This might cause the esc to perceive an over steering situation and therefore apply the front axle outer wheel service brake until the vehicle is perceived to be stable by the esc. If the driver is slow to react during this esc intervention, the vehicle may deviate from the intended line of travel, increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY Alf will notify owners and replace the control module free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact alf at 1-843-486-7703.

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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Chevrolet / equinox-2012 gmc / terrain-2012 MANUFACTURER general motors llc COMPONENT tires: pressure monitoring and regulating systems POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 33,964 SUMMARY General motors (GM) is recalling certain model year 2012 Chevrolet equinox and gmc terrain vehicles, manufactured from July 18, 2011, through September 6, 2011, for failing to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard number 138, "tire pressure monitoring system" (tpms). The tire pressure monitoring system is designed to illuminate the tire pressure warning light when the pressure in a tire is 25% below the recommended cold tire pressure. On these vehicles, the light will not illuminate until the tire pressure is more than 25% below the recommended cold tire pressure. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Underinflated tires can result in tire overloading and overheating, which could lead to a blowout and possible crash. The resulting crash could cause serious injury. Underinflated tires can also result in premature or irregular wear, poor handling, and poor fuel economy.	REMEDY GM dealers will update the body control module free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact Chevrolet at 1-800-630-2438 and gmc at 1-866-996-9463.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL lotus / elise-2005-2006 lotus / exige-2005-2006 MANUFACTURER lotus cars USA, inc. COMPONENT engine and engine cooling POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 5,037 SUMMARY Lotus is recalling certain model year 2005-2006 elise and exige vehicles manufactured from June 1, 2004, through November 30, 2006. The oil cooler line may become detached from its fitting. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE A detached oil line could spray oil on a tire, increasing the risk of a crash, or it could spray oil throughout the engine compartment increasing the risk of a fire.	REMEDY Lotus will notify owners, and dealers will repair the vehicles as necessary free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided an owner notification schedule. Owners may contact lotus at 1-800-245-6887.

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE				
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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL altec / ah100-2010 altec / ah75-2010 altec / ah85-2010 MANUFACTURER altec industries inc. COMPONENT equipment POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 22 SUMMARY Altec is recalling certain model year 2010 ah75, ah85 and ah100 aerial devices manufactured from June 29, 2010, through December 26, 2010, for failure of the platform leveling system. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Failure of the platform leveling system can result in unintended platform movement increasing the risk of death or serious injury.	REMEDY Altec will notify owners, and altec dealers will modify the platform leveling system as necessary free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact altec at 1-877-go-altec (1-877-462-5832) for more information.	
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL pj trailers / dd-pj-2011 pj trailers / dd-2011 pj trailers / dd-2011 pj trailers / ly-2011 pj trailers / td-2011 pj trailers / td-2011 MANUFACTURER pj trailers COMPONENT power train: axle assembly POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 1,917 SUMMARY Pj trailers is recalling certain model year 2011 flatbed trailers equipped with a 15 3/4" or a 21 3/4" equalizer for 10k/12k spring axles. The welds on the top of the equalizer that hold the bushing through which the equalizer bolts to the trailer were not properly welded and can fail causing the axle to detach from the trailer. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Axle detachment could result in a vehicle crash.	REMEDY Pj trailers will notify owners and repair the trailers free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact pj trailers at 1-903-669-0213.	

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE			
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USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Spartan / k2-2010-2011 Spartan / mm-2010-2011 Spartan / su-2010-2011 MANUFACTURER Spartan chassis, inc. COMPONENT vehicle speed control POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 651 SUMMARY Spartan is recalling certain model year 2010 and 2011 k2, k3, mm, and su incomplete recreational vehicle chassis manufactured from January 4, 2010, through January 26, 2011, equipped with an electronic control module, part number 2791-nn2e-001 or 2791-nn2e-002. When the brake is applied, the cruise control may not cancel. Additionally, these vehicles may exhibit an inadvertent, moderate increase in vehicle speed until the vehicle's cruise control is set. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE If the driver attempts to cancel the cruise control by applying the brake or if the vehicle speed increases and the driver is unaware, they may have reduced control of the vehicle, increasing the risk of a crash.	REMEDY The manufacturer is in the process of developing a remedy for this issue. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule for this campaign. Owners may contact Spartan at 1-517-543-6400.

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT			
NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. challenger door / rear emergency exit door MANUFACTURER challenger door, Ilc COMPONENT latches/locks/linkages: doors: latch POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 1,579 SUMMARY Challenger door is recalling certain rear emergency exit doors, model number 1251 and 1252, produced from 2009 through 2011 and sold as original equipment for certain starcraft school buses. Due to insufficient lubrication on the rear door handle latch mechanism, the handle may bind. No picture available.	In the event of an emergency, the vehicle occupants may be unable to open the rear door, which would hinder egress of the bus, possibly resulting in injury to the vehicle occupants.	REMEDY Challenger door is working with starcraft to identify and notify owners of the affected buses. Owners may contact challenger door at 1-574-773-8115 or starcraft for more information.
USA	EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. sure power / 1314 sure power / 1314-b sure power / 1315-b sure power / 1315-hm sure power / 1318 sure power / 1319 MANUFACTURER sure power industries, inc. COMPONENT equipment POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 14,990 SUMMARY Sure power is recalling certain battery separators, models 1314, 1314-b, 1314bp-d, 1315, 1315-b, 1315nm, 1318 and 1319, shipped from February 2009 through June 2011 to aftermarket customers and to various vehicle manufacturers to be installed as original equipment. Some of the subject units may experience an internal circuit board capacitor failure. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE This could lead to overheating, smoke, and, possibly, a fire during or following use.	REMEDY Sure power will notify, and work with, it's dealers/ distributors to identify and notify any known owners who purchased the battery separators as aftermarket equipment. The units will be replaced free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during November 2011. Owners may contact sure power at 1-855-450-3594.

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USA	EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. Meritor / tl series MANUFACTURER Meritor, inc COMPONENT power train: axle assembly POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 43 SUMMARY Meritor is recalling certain 16 mm c89-3121-2024 and c61-3121-2025 housings assembled in to rd-23-164 drive axles produced from December 1, 2010, through February 14, 2011. These axles are installed as original equipment on certain Mack and Daimler trucks vehicles. The weld that attaches a bracket to the housing may crack as a result of improper welding procedures. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE This may cause bracket detachment resulting in potential loss of vehicle control.	REMEDY Meritor is working with the vehicle manufacturer to identify and notify the vehicle owners. Repairs will be done by the vehicle manufacturer's dealers, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact Meritor at 1-800-535-5560 or their vehicle manufacturer.	
USA	EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. webasto / hollandia 600 webasto / hollandia 700 webasto / hollandia tvs 900 MANUFACTURER custom vehicle outfitters COMPONENT visibility: sun roof assembly POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 13 SUMMARY Webasto product North America, inc. (webasto) is recalling certain hollandia 700 and 600 series and hollandia tvs 900 series sunroofs installed as original equipment by custom vehicle outfitters on various passenger vehicles. The adhesive bond between the glass and the metal frame can debond increasing the risk that the sunroof glass would separate from the vehicle. Complete glass -to-frame debonding can develop gradually and may be evidenced by metal corrosion around the sunroof frame, wind noise, vibration, visual bond separation and/or water leakage. No picture available.	In the event of a separation, the falling glass could create a road hazard or strike a trailing vehicle, and cause a crash.	REMEDY Webasto, the manufacturer of the sunroofs, will be performing the safety recall campaign. Owners who have been identified as having an affected sunroof installed in their vehicle will receive a safety recall notice from webasto. The safety recall began on October 8, 2010. In order to determine if your vehicle is affected, please review the list of vehicles provided to us by custom vehicle outfitters by clicking on the hyperlink affected vehicle list or you may visit webasto's website at www.sunroofcheck.com. You can also call webasto toll-free at 1-888-749-8632.	

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT			
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USA	EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. spectal / emergency exit window MANUFACTURER spectal industries COMPONENT equipment POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 440 SUMMARY Spectal industries is recalling certain vertical emergency exit windows manufactured from July 18, 2011, through August 5, 2011, sold for use as original equipment on blue bird and Thomas built school buses. Incorrect rivets may have been used to attach the handles that an occupant would use to remove the window in the event of a crash. The part numbers for the blue bird buses are as follows: 129185, 129195, 129197, 129199, 129201, 129202, 129203, 129205, 129207, 129209, 129210, 129228, 129230, 129232, 129234, 129236, 129238, 129240, 129242, and 129243. the part numbers for the thomas built buses are as follows: 167977, 167982, 167985, 167990, 168005, 168006, 168025, 168027, 168028, and 168035. No picture available.	If the handle is actuated during a non-emergency situation and detaches, the emergency window cannot be re-secured, posing a risk that children may fall or climb out. However, if the handle were to detach during an emergency, the exit window will open and egress through the window will not be hindered.	REMEDY Owner notification will be handled by the vehicle manufacturers. Spectal will provide repair kits to the vehicle manufacturers, who will instruct owners that repairs can be performed, at the owner's option, by an authorized dealer, by a local repair facility, or by the owner. Repairs will be made free of charge. Owners may contact spectal at 1-450-378-6722 or their vehicle manufacturer.
USA	VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL curt / 55538-2009-2011 MANUFACTURER curt mfg. inc. COMPONENT equipment POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 2,254 SUMMARY Curt manufacturing is recalling certain tow package wiring harnesses, part number 55538, that connect tow vehicle lighting circuits to trailer lighting circuits sold for use on certain model year 2009 through 2011 Hyundai Santa fe vehicles. The units are not water-tight and moisture can seep into the converter module and defeat the module's internal circuit protection. No picture available.	CONSEQUENCE Without the circuit protection, the module can overheat possibly resulting in a fire.	REMEDY Curt manufacturing will notify owners and replace the tow package wiring harness. The remedy will be performed free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during October 2011. Owners may contact curt manufacturing at 1-715 831-8713.

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