

**Part 573 Safety Recall Report****15V-486****Manufacturer Name :** Nissan North America, Inc.**Submission Date :** OCT 14,2015**NHTSA Recall No. :** 15V-486**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Nissan North America, Inc.

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Company phone : (999) 999-9999

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 46,846

Estimated percentage with defect : 0

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle : 2016-2016 Nissan Maxima

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : Nissan is adding certain Altima 3.5 vehicles (equipped with a V6 engine) produced prior to June 2, 2015 to this recall. The model years and manufacturing ranges are still under investigation and we will provide further additional updates to NHTSA as quickly as possible.

The number of affected Altima 3.5 vehicles is under investigation and will be supplemented.

Production Dates : MAR 19, 2015 - JUN 02, 2015

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2013-2016 Nissan Altima 3.5

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : Nissan is providing the production range and the number of potentially affected Altima 3.5 (equipped with a V6 engine) vehicles.

Production Dates : MAR 30, 2012 - AUG 18, 2015

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Nissan has determined that certain Model Year 2016 Maxima and certain Model Year 2013-2016 Altima 3.5 (equipped with a V6 engine) vehicles might contain fuel tanks with an out-of-specification dimension at the opening for the fuel sending unit. As a result, if this condition is present, the H-seal between the sending unit and fuel tank can possibly displace during a severe frontal crash.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If this condition is present, it can increase the potential risk of a fuel leak in the event of a crash, increasing the risk of injury to vehicle occupants.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

**Supplier Identification :****Component Manufacturer**

Name : Plastic Omnium-Anderson

Address : Auto Inergy Division

5100 Old Pearman Dairy Road Anderson SOUTH CAROLINA 29265

Country : United States

**Chronology :**

Updated detailed chronology provided in the attached amended Part 573.

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Nissan will begin remediating the subject vehicles by installing a retainer ring in the sending unit/tank interface to help the H-seal to seat properly between the fuel tank and the fuel sending unit. This will prevent potential H-seal movement in a crash.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : All affected vehicles have received or will receive Owner Notifications within 60 days of the applicable Part 573 notification dates.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

\* NR - Not Reported