

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

16V-301

Manufacturer Name : Chrysler (FCA US LLC)

Submission Date : NOV 04, 2016

NHTSA Recall No. : 16V-301

Manufacturer Recall No. : S32



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Chrysler (FCA US LLC)

Address : 800 Chrysler Drive
CIMS 482-00-91 Auburn Hills MI
48326-2757

Company phone : 1-800-853-1403

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 64

Estimated percentage with defect : 11 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2016-2016 RAM 1500

Vehicle Type :

Body Style : PICKUP TRUCK

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Certain 2016 Ram 1500 vehicles.

Production Dates : FEB 19, 2016 - MAR 03, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR **End :** NR

Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : Some Ram 1500 ("DS") vehicles may experience fractured halfshafts as a result of low case depth thickness.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : A broken halfshaft could potentially lead to road debris and damage to nearby underbody components.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Nexteer
Address : 3900 E. Holland Rd.
Saginaw MICHIGAN 48601
Country : United States

Chronology :

Please see the attached supplemental information titled "FCA US LLC Chronology (S32) – Halfshaft Case Depth – 05102016.pdf".

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : FCA US will conduct a Voluntary Safety Recall on all affected vehicles to replace both front halfshafts.
FCA US has a longstanding policy and practice of reimbursing owners who have incurred the cost of repairing a problem that subsequently becomes the subject of a field action. To ensure consistency, FCA US, as part of the owner letter, will request that customers send the original receipt and/or other adequate proof of payment to the company for confirmation of the expense.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

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

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : **2016 06 21 - Dealer Instructions on 6/30/2016 and Owner Notification on 7/5/2016.

FCA US will provide a dealer notification and owner notification schedule once established.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

* NR - Not Reported