



# Replace Front Passenger Air Bag

<b>Classification</b>	Recall Bulletin	<b>Section/Group</b>	20 - Safety and Restraint	<b>Country/Region</b>	United States
<b>Year</b>	2012	<b>Model</b>	Model S	<b>Version</b>	All

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## Condition

The propellant in the front passenger air bag inflator may degrade over time, which could cause the inflator body to rupture in the event the air bag is deployed.

## Correction

Replace the front passenger air bag with an updated part.

Required Part(s):	Part Number	Description	Quantity
	1005256-00-E	PASSENGER AIR BAG ASSY	1
	<b>If necessary:</b>		
	1004397-10-P	ASY, TOP PAD IP CMPLT, 12A PUR/PUR BLK	1
	1004397-11-P	ASY, TOP PAD IP CMPLT, 12A PUR/ALC BLK	1
	1007818-00-B	ERGO CLIP, 2.5-3 PNL,12W,16L,169 COATING	1-9

These part numbers were current at the time of publication. Use the revisions listed or later, unless otherwise specified in the Parts Manual.

Correction Description	Correction	Time
Replace Front Passenger Air Bag, 2012 Model S	S011720001	0.50

## Procedure

1. Replace the front passenger air bag (refer to Service Manual procedure 20010302).

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**Affected VIN(s)** Affected 2012 Model S vehicles sold in the United States built before approximately January 18, 2013.

**NOTE:** This is a simplified summary of the affected VIN list. Refer to the VIN/Bulletin Tracker or Customer/Vehicle profile to determine applicability of this bulletin for a particular vehicle.

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