

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24V-512

Manufacturer Name : Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)**Submission Date :** SEP 12, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24V-512**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 81B**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 : 9,037

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2021-2024 Alfa Romeo Stelvio

Vehicle Type :

Body Style : SUV

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Some 2021 and 2023-2024 MY Alfa Romeo Stelvio vehicles may have been built with a tire label and/or manufacturer label reporting incorrect nominal tire pressure values and/or incorrect tire size.

The suspect period began on February 3, 2021, when the first vehicle with incorrect information was produced, and ended on November 20, 2023, when the label was updated to reflect the correct content. Vehicle assembly plant records were used to determine the suspect period.

Similar vehicles not included in this recall were built before or after the suspect period.

The total affected vehicles for this model is 5,126.

Production Dates : FEB 03, 2021 - NOV 20, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2017-2024 Alfa Romeo Giulia

Vehicle Type :

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Some 2017-2018 and 2021-2024 MY Alfa Romeo Giulia vehicles may have been built with a tire label reporting incorrect nominal tire pressure values and/or incorrect tire size.

The suspect period began on September 23, 2016, when the first vehicle with incorrect information was produced, and ended on November 21, 2023, when the label was updated to reflect the correct content. Vehicle assembly plant records were used to determine the suspect period.

Similar vehicles not included in this recall were built before or after the suspect period.

The total affected vehicles for this model is 3,911.

Production Dates : SEP 23, 2016 - NOV 21, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard ("FMVSS") 571.110 S4.3(c) requires "Vehicle manufacturer's recommended cold tire inflation pressure for front, rear and spare tires" to be printed on the tire placard. Additionally, some vehicles may be non-compliant to FMVSS 571.110 S4.3(d) "Tire size designation, indicated by the headings "size" or "original tire size" or "original size," and "spare tire" or "spare," for the tires installed at the time of the first purchase for purposes other than resale". Subject vehicles are equipped with a tire placard label that does not correctly define the tire inflation pressure and/or the tire size designation.

Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 571.110 S4.3.3 "Additional Labeling Information for Vehicles Other Than Passenger Cars" requires "Each vehicle shall show the size designation and, if applicable, the type designation of rims (not necessarily those on the vehicle) appropriate for the tire appropriate for use on that vehicle, including the tire installed as original equipment on the vehicle by the vehicle manufacturer" to be printed on the manufacturer label. Subject vehicles are equipped with a manufacturer placard label that does not correctly define the tire inflation pressure and/or the tire size designation.
(Stelvio Only)

FMVSS 1 : 110 - Tire selection and rims

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : A driver may rely on the incorrect tire pressure and/or tire size designation, which can increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Manufacturer Label

Component Description : Label

Component Part Number : Manufacturer Label Stelvio p/n: 50542701

Component Name 2 : Tire Placard Label

Component Description : Label

Component Part Number : Tire label Giulia and Stelvio p/n: 51953282

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Component manufactured by FCA

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

- On March 25, 2024, Stellantis Europe S.p.A organization opened an investigation into a potential noncompliance related to tire placard information.
- From March 25, 2024, through June 5, 2024, Stellantis Europe Customer Experience ("CX") department reviewed production data and assembly plant records and determined that some vehicles were built with a tire label and/or manufacturer label reporting incorrect nominal tire pressure values and/or incorrect tire size.
- On June 20, 2023, the Stellantis Europe S.p.A organization recognized that the tire placard and/or

manufacturer label was reporting incorrect information on certain vehicles, potentially resulting in a noncompliance with FMVSS No. 110.

- On June 27, 2024, Stellantis Europe S.p.A determined, through the Vehicle Regulations Committee, to conduct a voluntary safety recall of the affected vehicles.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall to apply a tire placard and/or manufacturer overlay label with corrected information.

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 : This recall is not related to a part defect, but rather a manufacturing issue where the tire placard and/or manufacturer label printed on the vehicle assembly was reporting incorrect information.

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

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : **09/12/2024: FCA US began notifying owners of 2021-2024 Alfa Romeo Giulia and 2021 and 2023-2024 Alfa Romeo Stelvio vehicles not equipped with 255/40R21 tires or a spare tire on 08/05/2024 with Final Owner letters. FCA US sent Interim Letters to owners of 2017-2018 Alfa Romeo Giulia and 2023-2024 Alfa Romeo Stelvio vehicles equipped with 255/40R21 tires and without a spare tire beginning 08/27/2024. Owners of 2023-2024 Alfa Romeo Stelvio vehicles equipped with 255/40R21 tires and without a spare tire will be notified of final remedy on or about 09/19/2024. Owners of 2017-2018 Alfa Romeo Giulia vehicles will be notified of final remedy on or about 11/14/2024.

**07/03/2024: FCA US will notify dealers and begin notifying owners on or about 08/22/2024.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : AUG 22, 2024 - AUG 22, 2024

Planned Owner Notification Date : AUG 22, 2024 - AUG 22, 2024

* NR - Not Reported