

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24V-859

Manufacturer Name : Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)**Submission Date :** NOV 14, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24V-859**Manufacturer Recall No. :** See Comments**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

Address : 1919 Torrance Blvd.

Torrance CA 90501

Company phone : 1-888-234-2138

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 121

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2023-2024 Honda Accord

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : JUL 21, 2023 - DEC 20, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2023-2024 Honda Accord Hybrid

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : HYBRID ELECTRIC

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : APR 04, 2023 - DEC 14, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 3 : 2023-2024 Honda Civic Sedan

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : APR 27, 2023 - DEC 01, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 4 : 2023-2024 Honda Civic Hatchback

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : HATCHBACK

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : APR 19, 2023 - JAN 04, 2024

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR Not sequential

Vehicle 5 : 2024-2024 Honda HR-V

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : SUV

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : JUN 06, 2023 - JUN 07, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR Not sequential

Vehicle 6 : 2024-2024 Acura Integra

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : HATCHBACK

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : MAY 02, 2023 - OCT 13, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR Not sequential

Vehicle 7 : 2024-2024 Acura Integra Type S

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : HATCHBACK

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : NOV 09, 2023 - NOV 09, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR Not sequential

Vehicle 8 : 2023-2024 Honda Pilot

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : SUV

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The production range reflects all possible vehicles that could experience the problem.

Production Dates : MAR 01, 2023 - NOV 16, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : During production of the driver's seat cushion frame, some bolts were improperly torqued and over time could loosen and fall off.

FMVSS 1 : 207 - Seating systems

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If a bolt falls off, the driver's seat may become unsecured and rock or wobble during use, increasing the risk or severity of an injury in the event of a crash.

Description of the Cause : Due to a software error in the robotic bolt fastener for the driver's seat height adjuster links, the torque tool controller and torque tool robotic arm controller lost synchronization and loosened bolts that previously were tightened to proper torque specifications.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : The driver's seat may rock or wobble during use.

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Description : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Part Number : 81536-30A-A71

Component Name 2 : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Description : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Part Number : 81536-3S5-A21

Component Name 3 : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Description : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Part Number : 81536-3W0-A51

Component Name 4 : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Description : Frame Comp L, Fr Cush

Component Part Number : 81536-T20-A61

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Adient US LLC

Address : 205 Douglas Ave
Holland Michigan 49424

Country : United States

Chronology :

July 31, 2023

Honda received the first warranty claim of the issue and began to investigate.

December 14, 2023

The part supplier and Honda confirmed the returned part was missing a bolt.

August 28, 2024

Honda found 2 incidents where the missing bolt may have fallen off during use of the vehicle and continued to investigate.

October 15, 2024

Honda received a market quality report of the issue and continued to investigate. The supplier advised the issue could create a FMVSS 207 non-compliance.

November 7, 2024

Honda determined that a defect related to motor vehicle safety and FMVSS noncompliance existed and decided to conduct a safety and noncompliance recall.

As of November 7, 2024, Honda has had 5 warranty claims, and no reports of injuries or deaths related to this

issue from March 1, 2023, through November 5, 2024.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Registered owners of all affected vehicles will be contacted by mail and asked to take their vehicle to an authorized Honda or Acura dealer. The dealer will replace the driver's seat cushion frame with a properly assembled part.

Owners who have paid to have these repairs completed at their own expense may be eligible for reimbursement, in accord with the recall reimbursement plan on file with NHTSA.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The remedy components have properly torqued seat height adjuster links.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The supplier changed the software program to the bolt tightening equipment on February 2, 2024, and implemented a torque inspection process on January 15, 2024.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Dealer notification is scheduled to begin and end on or about 11/15/2024. Owner notification is scheduled to begin and end on or about 1/6/2025.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NOV 15, 2024 - NOV 15, 2024

Planned Owner Notification Date : JAN 06, 2025 - JAN 06, 2025

* NR - Not Reported