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Part 573 Safety Recall Report

26V325

Manufacturer Name: General Motors, LLC

Submission Date: Aug 13, 2026

NHTSA Recall No.: 26V325

Manufacturer Recall No.: N262557310

Manufacturer Information

Population

Manufacturer Name: General Motors, LLC

Address: 29427 Louis Chevrolet
Road
MAIL CODE 480-210-2V
WARREN MI, 48093

Total number of potentially involved: 4,315

Estimated percentage with defect: 1%

Vehicle Information

Vehicle 1: 2018-2018 GMC SIERRA 3500

Product Category: Light Vehicles

Product Type:

Fuel / Propulsion: Spark Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: Nov 17, 2017 - Nov 22, 2017

Number of potentially involved: 17

Descriptive Information:

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 2: 2018-2018 GMC SIERRA 2500

Product Category: Light Vehicles

Product Type:

Fuel / Propulsion: Spark Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: Nov 17, 2017 - Nov 22, 2017

Number of potentially involved: 61

Descriptive Information:

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

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Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 4: 2018-2018 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 2500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:** Light Truck**Fuel / Propulsion:** Spark Ignition Fuel**Production Dates:** Nov 17, 2017 - Dec 06, 2017**Number of potentially involved:** 72**Descriptive Information:**

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 5: 2019-2019 GMC SIERRA 2500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:****Fuel / Propulsion:** Spark Ignition Fuel**Production Dates:** Oct 08, 2018 - Oct 23, 2018**Number of potentially involved:** 56**Descriptive Information:**

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 6: 2019-2019 GMC SIERRA 3500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:**

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Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 7: 2019-2019 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 2500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:****Fuel / Propulsion:** Spark Ignition Fuel**Production Dates:** Oct 08, 2018 - Oct 23, 2018**Number of potentially involved:** 236**Descriptive Information:**

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 8: 2019-2019 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 3500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:****Fuel / Propulsion:** Spark Ignition Fuel**Production Dates:** Oct 08, 2018 - Oct 23, 2018**Number of potentially involved:** 59**Descriptive Information:**

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 9: 2018-2018 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 1500**Product Category:** Light Vehicles**Product Type:****Fuel / Propulsion:** Spark Ignition Fuel**Production Dates:** Nov 11, 2017 - Oct 24, 2018**Number of potentially involved:** 2,433

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Descriptive Information:

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Vehicle 10: 2018-2018 GMC SIERRA 1500

Product Category: Light Vehicles

Product Type:

Fuel / Propulsion: Spark Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: Nov 11, 2017 - Oct 24, 2018

Number of potentially involved: 1,336

Descriptive Information:

Part traceability data was used to identify the affected vehicles. Vehicles produced with parts outside the supplier's suspect production window are not included in this recall.

Defect / Noncompliance Description

Description of the defect or noncompliance:

General Motors has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety may exist in certain 2018 model year Chevrolet Silverado 1500 and GMC Sierra 1500 vehicles and 2018-2019 model year Chevrolet Silverado 2500/3500 and GMC Sierra 2500/3500 vehicles. In these vehicles, the roof-rail airbag ("RRAB") inflators, which are located on the left- and right-side roof rails above the headliner, may contain a manufacturing defect that may result in inflator end cap separation or inflator sidewall split.

FMVSS1:

FMVSS2:

Description of the safety risk, including crash, fire, death, injury:

If the end cap separates from the RRAB inflator or a sidewall rupture occurs, the compressed gas will escape from the inflator and the end cap or other components can be propelled into the vehicle, potentially causing an occupant injury if the vehicle is occupied.

Description of the cause:

GM believes the root cause relates to two potential supplier manufacturing defects occurring together—a small crack in the inflator canister introduced during manufacturing along with a small amount of water inadvertently being left in the canister after the washing process which allows for stress corrosion cracking over time, weakening the structural integrity of the pressurized canister.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

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Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier:
Supplier Type:
Name: Joyson Safety Systems

Address: Parque Industrial, Valle Hermoso 89,
Lote 4 y 5 S/N, Cd. Valle Hermoso
Tamaulipas Foreign States, 87500

Country: Mexico

Involved Components

Component Name 1: AIRBAG ASM-FRT & RR ROW R/RAIL

Component Description: Roof Rail Airbag

Component Part Number: 84487867, 84487868

Chronology

On April 13, 2026, a GM investigator submitted a report to GM's Speak Up For Safety (SUFS) program following a report from a dealer that a 2019 Chevrolet Silverado experienced a potential rupture of the right-side roof-rail airbag (RRAB) while the vehicle was parked and unattended. Photographs provided by the dealer show the end cap of the inflator is missing and the headliner and vehicle roof are damaged.

GM is not aware of any other inflator ruptures associated with this inflator lot. On May 14, 2026, GM's Safety Field Action Decision Authority (SFADA) decided to conduct a safety recall of RRAB containing inflators from the same supplier production lot (D273A) as the Silverado field incident.

On June 22, 2026, GM become aware of a potential rupture of the left-side RRAB in a 2018 Chevrolet Silverado while the vehicle was parked and unattended. On August 6, 2026, GM's SFADA decided to expand the prior safety recall to include vehicles built with RRABs containing inflators from supplier production lot C314B. GM is not aware of any other inflator ruptures associated with this inflator lot.

Related NHTSA Recall Number: This filing expands 26V325 by including an additional inflator production lot

Description of Remedy

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Remedy Type: Replace

Consumer Advisories: ☐ Do Not Drive ☐ Park Outside

Description of remedy program:

Dealers will replace left and right side roof-rail airbag modules.

How remedy component differs from recalled component:

Remedy parts were produced outside the supplier's suspect production window.

Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:

Reimbursement Plan

Manufacturer used general reimbursement plan on file.

Recall Schedule

Description of recall schedule:

Dealers were notified on May 21, 2026. Owner notification of an available remedy mailed on July 24, 2026. Dealers were notified of the expanded recall population on August 13, 2026. Owner notification for the expanded population is estimated to start mailing on August 31, 2026.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: May 21, 2026 - Aug 31, 2026 ☐ No Dealers

Planned Interim Owner Notification Date: ☐ No Owners

Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date: Jul 06, 2026 - Aug 31, 2026 ☐ Phased Recall

Date when VIN will be searchable: May 21, 2026