

# Technical Service Bulletin



## 55 Hood release lever color does not match A-pillar trim panel

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Model(s)	Year	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment
Q7	2017 – 2024	All	Not Applicable
Q8	2019 – 2024		
SQ7, SQ8, and RS Q8	2020 – 2024		

## Condition

REVISION HISTORY		
Revision	Date	Purpose
4	-	Revised header (Added model years)
3	04/07/2022	Revised header (Added model years)
2	04/15/2020	Revised header (Added model years)

### Customer states:

- The hood release lever handle is not the same color as the A-pillar lower trim panel.

## Technical Background



Beginning with the 2019 model year, the available color variants for the hood release lever handle have been reduced from four colors:

- 4PK (Black).
- SF3 (Pistachio Beige).
- DS2 (Granite Grey).
- MG6 (Rock Grey).

To two colors:

- 4PK (Black).
- SF3 (Pistachio Beige).

The number of available interior colors for the A-pillar lower trim panel remain the same. As a result the hood release lever handle may be a different color than that of the A-pillar lower trim panel.



**Figure 1.** Hood release lever handle of a different color than the A-pillar lower trim panel.

## Production Solution

This is an intended change in production.

## Service



Do not replace the hood release lever handle for this appearance issue. Hood release lever handles replaced for this appearance reason will be denied.

## Warranty

This TSB is informational only and not applicable to any Audi warranty.

## Additional Information

All part and service references provided in this TSB (**2054719**) are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Department and/or ETKA for the latest information and parts bulletins. Please check the Repair Manual for fasteners, bolts, nuts, and screws that require replacement during the repair.

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