

64 Frameless window auto-drop function inoperative in freezing weather

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Model(s)	Year	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment
A3 Cabriolet	2015 – 2019		
A5 Cabriolet	2010 – 2024		
A5, A5 Sportback, S5, S5 Cabriolet, S5 Sportback	2018 – 2024		
RS 5	2018 – 2019 2021 – 2024		
RS 5 Sportback	2019 2021 – 2024		
A7	2012 – 2024		
A7 e quattro	2021 – 2022	All	Frameless Windows
S7	2014 - 2018 2020 - 2024		
RS 7	2014 – 2018 2021 – 2024		
e-tron GT, and RS e-tron GT	2022 – 2023		
Q8	2019 – 2023		
SQ8, and RS Q8	2020 – 2023		
TT, TTS, and TT Roadster	2016 – 2023		
TT RS	2018 - 2022		

Condition

REVISION HISTORY				
Revision	Date	Purpose		

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4	-	Revised header (Add MY19-23 Q8 models, correct Elsa display issue)
3	11/10/2023	Revised header (Add model and model years)
2	04/16/2022	Revised header (Add model years)

Customer states:

• Front and/or rear doors cannot be opened or closed in freezing weather.

Workshop findings:

- The windows are frozen to the outer window slot seals. The windows cannot drop when trying to open/close the doors.
- The window auto-drop function is inoperative due to snow and ice build-up.

Technical Background

If snow and ice collect on the windows and the outer window slot seals, the function that lowers/raises the windows when opening/closing the doors may not operate, even if the window slot seal is of the latest generation. In freezing weather, the window auto-drop function can be blocked by snow and ice building up between the windows and the outer window slot seals (Figure 1).

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Figure 1. Snow and ice build-up on window and window slot seal surfaces.

Due to snow and ice adhesion the window and window slot seal can be bonded, resulting in a blockage that can render the window auto-drop function inoperative (Figure 2).



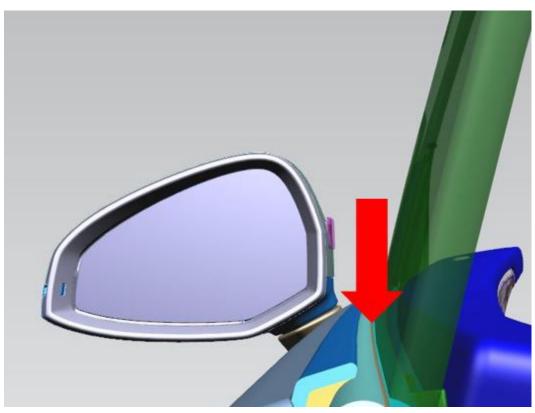


Figure 2. Area where snow and ice can adhere, disabling window operation.

Production Solution

Not applicable.

Service

1. With a plastic scraper, remove snow and ice from the windows as described in the owner's manual.

2. If needed, spray an Audi approved solvent-free de-icer on the windows to remove any snow/ice from the contact area of the outer window slot seal to the window (Figure 3).

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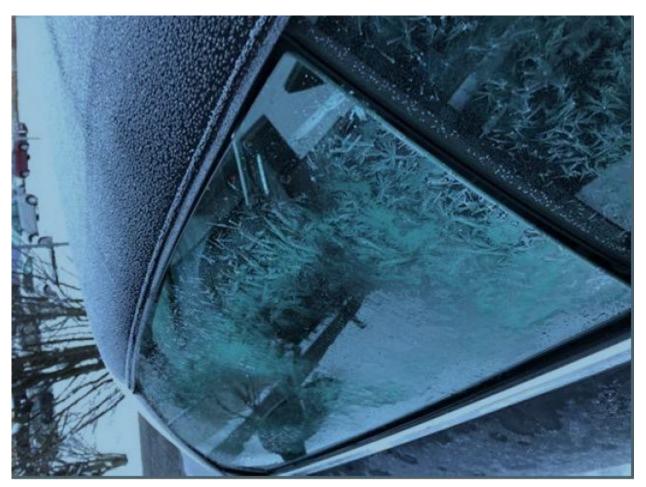


Figure 3. Solvent-free de-icer spray melts snow and ice to eliminate blockages.

3. Check the operation of doors and windows to ensure proper functionality of the window auto-drop function when opening and closing the doors.

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Parts replacement does not solve this issue. Claims for replaced parts will be subject to review.

Warranty

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

Additional Information

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More information on this system can be found in the following resources:

• Owner's Manual: chapter "Care and cleaning".

All part and service references provided in this TSB (**2062618**) 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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