

Clattering Sound at Seatbelt Height Adjuster in B-Pillar Trim (SA Code 580)

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Validity	Applies to BR 214 vehicles with SA code 580 (THERMO-TRONIC automatic climate control) since SOP
Reason for change	

Complaint

Clattering noise at seat belt height adjuster in B-pillar trim

Cause

Play between seat belt adjuster and guide rail

Remedy

Installing a 70x60x3 mm felt pad below the seat belt adjuster.
The felt is supplied by the meter and must be cut to the specified dimension.

Procedure:

- 1) Set the seat belt height adjuster to the highest position
- 2) Position the felt (long side, 70 mm) centrally along the folded adhesive edge of the fabric trim (see picture)

Note:

Bond the felt so that the height adjuster always slides over it. Otherwise, there is a risk that the felt will be pushed off when adjusting the seat belt height adjuster.
Do not position the felt too high, as it may become visible on the opposite side.

Attachments	
File	Description
BR214_B-Säule_Filz_580.png	Position of felt



WIS-References		
Document number	Title	Note
AR68.30-P-4700WT	Remove/install trim on B-pillar	

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Symptoms
Body > Interior equipment > Interior trim > Noise

XENTRY Tips

Parts						
Part number	ES1	ES2	Designation	Quantity	Note	EPC
A 000 983 89 10			Felt strip	1	Material sold by the meter	X

Operation numbers/damage codes				
Op. no.	Operation text	Time	Damage code	Note
		H	69A15	Please refer to GI in the warranty claim.
		H	69N15	Please refer to GI in the warranty claim.