

Search Request: Fuel Filler Flap Protrudes From Body Side or Does Not Open

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Complaint

- Fuel filler flap protrudes from side wall
- Fuel filler flap not opening

Cause

Under analysis

Remedy

Create TIPS case with the below information and send to the Body/Chassis/Entertainment Inbox:

Open the flap and take a detailed photo of the fuel tank strap attached at the hinge arm. Is the attachment bent or kinked? Are there pressure marks in the recess where the retaining strap is located when closed?

Check position of the fuel tank strap in the closed state - is it being pinched?

Check if the clipping is correct to see if the attachment surfaces are damaged. Removal of the recess to check the seal whether it is folded down.

Detach the fuel tank strap from the fuel filler neck at the hinge arm and place it in the recess, then close the flap again and check the protrusion. Is the protrusion better? Does the flap open with less force?

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Symptoms
Body > Door/Flap > Fuel filler flap > Inaccurate fit
Body > Door/Flap > Fuel filler flap > Jammed

Operation numbers/damage codes				
Op. no.	Operation text	Time	Damage code	Note
	Tank filler recess	H	63126	
	Fuel filler flap cover	H	75101	
	Fuel filler flap central locking motor	H	82627	
		H	8850A	
		H	820HY	
		H	8840D	