



U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission – Fast Track Recall – Recall Alert

Recall Date: February 22, 2018

Recall Number: 18-725

Yamaha Recalls Golf Cars and Personal Transportation Vehicles Due to Crash Hazard (Recall Alert)

Recall Summary

Name of Product: Yamaha Golf Cars and Personal Transportation Vehicles (PTVs)

Hazard: The brake cables on the golf cars and PTVs can fail, posing a crash hazard.

Remedy: Repair

Consumers should immediately stop using these recalled Golf Cars and PTVs and contact a local Yamaha Golf Car dealer to schedule a free repair. Yamaha is contacting all registered owners directly.

Consumer Contact:

Yamaha at 800-962-7926 anytime or online at www.yamahagolfcar.com and click on the Recall Tab located at the bottom of the page for more information.

Recall Details

Units: About 161,000

Description:

This recall involves the following model year 2015 through 2018 gas and electric-powered golf cars, PTVs and utility vehicles. The vehicles were sold in various colors including blue, green, red, white, tan and silver. The model and serial numbers can be found on a label under the seat on the left or right side.

Model Name	Model Year	Model Number	Serial Number Range
The DRIVE Models YDRA (Gas)	2015	JC0	0600101~0606900
		JC2	0200101~0211800
		JW8	0500101~0516400
	2016	JC0	0700101~0706598
		JC2	0300101~0312000
		JW8	0600101~0614300
The DRIVE Models YDRE (Electric)	2015	JC1	0600101~0603300
		JW9	0500101~0518300
	2016	JC1	0700101~0703500
		JC3	0000101~0004700
		JW9	0600101~0618100
	The DRIVE ² Models DR2A (Gas)	2017	J0A
J0B			0000101~0016900
J0D			0000101~0007200
2018		J0A	0100101~0105300
		J0B	0100101~0107287
		J0D	0100101~0104700
The DRIVE ² Models DR2E (Electric)	2017	J0C	0000101~0011400
		J0E	0000101~0002900
		J0J	0000101~0001999
	2018	J0C	0100101~0105482
		J0E	0100101~0101300
		J0J	0100101~0100798

Incidents/Injuries: The firm has received 285 reports of brake cables failing. No injuries have been reported.

Sold At: Yamaha Golf Car dealers nationwide from November 2014 through December 2017 for between \$5,900 and \$7,700.

Manufacturer: Yamaha Motor Manufacturing Corporation of America, of Newnan, Ga.

Distributor: Yamaha Golf-Car Company, of Kennesaw, Ga.

Manufactured in: Assembled in United States

Photos



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2015 YDRA PTV "The DRIVE PTV"



2016 YDRE "The DRIVE"



2018 DR2A "The DRIVE²"



2017 DR2E “The DRIVE² Concierge 6”



2018 DR2E “Adventurer Sport 2+2”



This recall was conducted, voluntarily by the company, under CPSC's Fast Track Recall process. Fast Track recalls are initiated by firms, who commit to work with CPSC to quickly announce the recall and remedy to protect consumers.

About U.S. CPSC:

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Federal law bars any person from selling products subject to a publicly-announced voluntary recall by a manufacturer or a mandatory recall ordered by the Commission.

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CPSC Consumer Information Hotline

Contact us at this toll-free number if you have questions about a recall:
800-638-2772 (TTY 301-595-7054)

Times: 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. ET; Messages can be left anytime

Call to get product safety and other agency information and to [report unsafe products](#).

Media Contact

Please use the phone numbers below for all media requests.

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