

Bosch Angle Grinder Recall

Background

The Health and Safety Authority and Bosch Power Tools have advised of a safety-related product recall by Bosch for certain angle grinders. Due to a faulty component, the cutting or grinding disc together with the fastening fixture (spindle) could become detached during operation on certain angle grinder models. This could lead to serious injury to operators or others. Bosch have decided to recall all potentially affected products with immediate effect.

How do I Identify the Affected Products?

Affected Products can be identified using the model, device and serial numbers.

- Photo 1 below shows the location of the type-plate and the format of the information contained on it.
- Table 1 shows the Model, Device Numbers and Serial Numbers of the affected tools.

Photo 1:

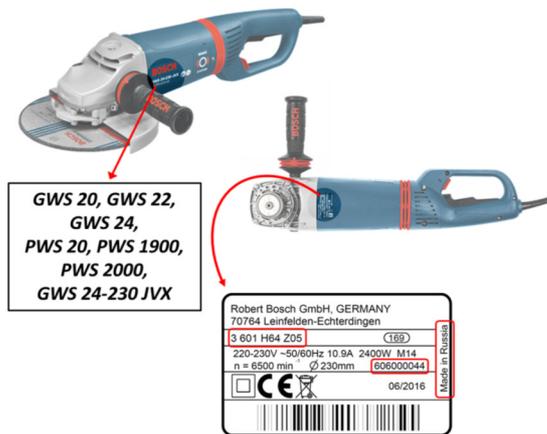


Table 1:

Model	Device Number	Serial Number
GWS 20-230 H	3601H50102 / 3601H50L01 / 3601H50L03 / 3601H50L62 / 3601H50L72 / 3601H50L73	606... - 608...
GWS 20-230 JH	3601H50M01	606... - 608...
GWS 22 - 180 H	3601H81102 / 3601H81L02 / 3601H81L62 / 3601H81L72	606... - 608...
GWS 22-180 JH	3601H81M02	606... - 608...
GWS 22 - 230 H	3601H82103 / 3601H82L03 / 3601H82L63 / 3601H82L73	606... - 608...
GWS 22 - 230 JH	3601H82202 / 3601H82M03 / 3601H82M32	606... - 608...
GWS 24-180 H	3601H83101	606... - 608...
GWS 24-180 JH	3601H83M01	606... - 608...
GWS 24-230 H	3601H84101 / 3601H841P1 / 3601H84L01	606... - 608...
GWS 24-230 JH	3601H84201 / 3601H84M01	606... - 608...
GWS 24-230 JVX	3601H64505 / 3601H64U07 / 3601H64Z05	602... - 610...
PWS 20-230	3603C59W09	606... - 608...
PWS 1900	3603C59W08	606... - 608...
PWS 2000-230JE	3603CC6000 / 3603CC6030	606... - 608...

You can check online whether your angle grinder is affected on the www.anglegrindercare.com website. If affected, owners should call Bosch @ 00800 83 646 704 or E-Mail: boschservicecentre@bosch.com
Affected devices will be repaired or exchanged free of charge.

What should I do?

Managers & Supervisors

Ensure all staff receive a copy of this alert

All Staff

Effective immediately, these devices must be tagged as defective and no longer be used or provided to others.

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