



U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission – Recall

Recall Date: January XX, 2013

Recall Number: 13-Clearance Copy

Specialized Bicycle Components Recalls Bicycles Due to Fall Hazard

WASHINGTON, D.C. - *Consumers should stop using this product, which is being recalled voluntarily, unless otherwise instructed. It is illegal to resell or attempt to resell a recalled consumer product.*

Recall Summary

Name of product: Bicycles and frame sets

Hazard: The steerer tube in the front fork can break, posing a fall hazard.

Remedy: Repair

Consumer Contact: Specialized Bicycle Components toll-free at (877) 808-8154 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, or website at www.specialized.com for more information and click on Support and then Safety Notices.

Recall Details

Units: About 12,200

Description: The 2012 and 2013 model road bicycles and framesets come in various colors and have the brand name "Specialized" on the frame. The model name "Tarmac SL4," "Crux" or "Secteur" is also located on the frame. The recall includes all models of the 2012 Tarmac SL4, 2013 Tarmac SL4, 2013 Crux and 2013 Secteur Disc. The model year and style names are on the sales documents.

Incidents/Injuries: Two incidents were reported, one involving a fall with facial injuries and lacerations requiring stitches.

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using the bicycles and take them to an authorized dealer for free inspection and, if needed, a free repair.

Sold at: Authorized Specialized dealers nationwide from July 2011 through January 2013 for between \$990 to \$11,000.

Importer: Specialized Bicycle Components Inc., of Morgan Hill, Calif.

Manufacturer: Topkey, of Taiwan for the forks; and Merida Industry Co. Ltd., of Taiwan for the bicycles

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) is still interested in receiving incident or injury reports that are either directly related to this product recall or involve a different hazard with the same product. Please tell us about your experience with the product on

SaferProducts.gov.

CPSC is charged with protecting the public from unreasonable risks of injury or death associated with the use of the thousands of consumer products under the agency's jurisdiction. Deaths, injuries, and property damage from consumer product incidents cost the nation more than \$900 billion annually. CPSC is committed to protecting consumers and families from products that pose a fire, electrical, chemical, or mechanical hazard. CPSC's work to ensure the safety of consumer products—such as toys, cribs, power tools, cigarette lighters, and household chemicals—contributed to a decline in the rate of deaths and injuries associated with consumer products over the past 30 years.

Under federal law, it is illegal to attempt to sell or resell this or any other recalled product.

To report a dangerous product or a product-related injury, go online to: SaferProducts.gov, call CPSC's Hotline at (800) 638-2772 or teletypewriter at (301) 595-7054 for the hearing and speech impaired. Consumers can obtain this news release and product safety information at www.cpsc.gov. To join a free e-mail subscription list, please go to www.cpsc.gov/cpsclist.aspx.

Photos

Photos will display in a slideshow at the top right of the recall.

2012 Tarmac SL4 Pro Mid Compact



2012 Tarmac SL4 Pro Red Mid Compact



2012 S-Works Tarmac SL4 DI2



2012 S-Works Tarmac SL4 SRAM New Red



2012 S-Works Tarmac SL4



2012 Tarmac SL4 Pro Mid Compact



2012 Tarmac SL4 Pro OSBB Frameset



2012 Tarmac SL4 Pro UI2 Mid Compact



2013 S-Works Tarmac SL4 SRAM Red.



2013 Tarmac Pro SL4 OSBB Framset



2013 Tarmac SL4 Expert



2013 Tarmac SL4 Pro SRAM



2013 Tarmac SL4 Pro



2013 Crux Pro Carbon



2013 Crux Comp Carbon



2013 Crux Elite Disc Apex



2013 Crux Elite



2013 Crux Pro Carbon Disc OSBB Frameset



2013 S-Works Crux Carbon OSBB Frameset



2013 Secteur Expert Disc Compact



2013 Secteur Sport Disc Compact



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Box #1 (This box does not change):

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](#).

Box #2 (This box does not change):

Media Contact

Please use the phone numbers below for all media requests.

Phone: (301) 504-7908

Spanish: (301) 504-7800

Link Text: [View CPSC contacts for specific areas of expertise](#)

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