

May 5, 2025

IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL NHTSA Recall No. 25T006

Dear Cooper Discoverer Stronghold AT Customer:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company has determined that certain Cooper Discoverer Stronghold AT tires, size LT275/65R18 LRE, manufactured in week 0525 (February 2 – February 8, 2025) ("Subject Tires"), fail to conform to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 574 – Tire Identification and Recordkeeping. Goodyear is therefore conducting a voluntary tire recall. We are contacting you because records indicate that you may have purchased one or more of the subject tires.

What is the Problem?

Certain Cooper Discoverer Stronghold AT tires, size LT275/65R18 LRE, from week 0525, may have been manufactured with the date code portion of the tire identification number (TIN) not meeting the regulatory requirement to show week and year. The subject non-compliant tires were produced with a blank slug installed in the Tire Identification Number (TIN) in place of the required week and year code (0525), as required per FMVSS 574. Only these specific tires (the "subject tires") with noncompliant TINs are part of this recall.

This noncompliance may prevent consumers from making informed decisions related to the age of the tire which may lead to prolonged usage. This could increase the risk of a crash.

What Tires Are Affected?

This recall involves the following tires:

Size	Туре	Product Code	DOT Number
	Cooper Discoverer		
LT275/65R18 LR E	Stronghold AT	170-291-047	1UTB9D11V





Note:

The missing date code applies to the **White Lettered** sidewall of the tires only. Subject Tires with **compliant**TINs indicating production week 0525 are **not** eligible for free replacement.



Only tires that exhibit the noncompliant (missing) date code on the white lettered side of the tire, are being recalled. Tires from the 5th week of 2025 (0525) that exhibit a compliant date code portion of the TIN are not subject tires and are not eligible for free replacement.

What Should You Do?

If you own one or more of the subject tires, the tire(s) will be replaced at no charge to you with another LT275/65R18 LRE Cooper Discoverer Stronghold AT tire with a compliant TIN, including mounting and balancing. We recommend that you contact a Goodyear retailer as described below when you receive this letter. To be eligible for a free replacement, you must return your tires to an authorized dealer <u>on or before November 30, 2025</u>. Please take this letter to the dealer at the time of your appointment. The time required to determine if the tire is subject to recall is only a few minutes and approximately thirty (30) minutes per tire if replacement is required. The actual time at the dealership may vary depending on their workload.

Reimbursement

If you have already replaced any of the tires covered by this recall, you may be eligible for reimbursement. Reimbursements are limited to warranty transactions where you paid a portion of the total price of a tire to replace an affected tire. Documentation that adequately supports eligibility must be provided for reimbursement. Submit a copy of your replacement tire invoice/receipt and if available a copy of the tire adjustment claim form to the following address for reimbursement:

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company Attn: Dept. 728, Customer Assistance Center 200 Innovation Way Akron, OH 44316-0001

Contact the Goodyear retailer where you purchased the tires or contact your nearest authorized Goodyear retailer. To find the nearest retailer, go to www.goodyear.com and enter your location information in the Dealer Locator tab or call 1-800-592-3267. The retailer will inspect the tires and let you know if they fall within the scope of this recall and therefore qualify for free replacement as part of this recall.





Questions?

If further assistance is required for any reason, including difficulty in obtaining free replacement tires, please contact the Customer Assistance Center, D728 at 200 Innovation Way, Akron, Ohio 44316, or by calling toll free 1-800-321-2136.

If after attempting to have your tires replaced you believe you have not been able to have your recall remedied without charge and within a reasonable amount of time, you may submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave., S.E., Washington, D.C., 20590; or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-888-275-9171).

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you and thank you for your attention to this important matter. Your continued satisfaction is of the utmost importance to The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company. Sincerely,

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company

