

Recall Date: October 7, 2014 Recall Number: 15-701

KYMCO Recalls ATVs Due to Burn, Fire Hazards (Recall Alert)

Recall Summary

Name of product: All-terrain vehicles

Hazard: In hot environments or high elevations, the fuel cap can fail to vent properly, causing the fuel to heat up and pressure to build up in the tank. The pressure can cause the fuel tank to rupture or the fuel to boil out of the tank onto the operator or hot engine, resulting in burns to the operator or a fire.

Remedy: Repair

Consumer Contact: KYMCO USA toll-free at (888) 235-3417 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email <u>info@kymcousa.com</u>, or online at <u>www.kymcousa.com</u> and click on Recall Information for more information.

Recall Details

Units: About 540

Description: The recall involves model year 2013, 2014 and 2015 KYMCO MXU 700 all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) including standard, LE and Camo versions. The vehicles came in black, camouflage, gold, green, red and silver. The words KYMCO and MXU 700, MXU 700 LE or MXU 700 Camo are on the front of the hood and on each rear fender. The vehicle identification number (VIN) in the format RFBLU45U*xBxxxxx is located on the frame behind the right front wheel. The 10th digit of the VIN indicates the model year: D = 2013, E = 2014 and F = 2015. ATVs with the last six VIN digits in the following ranges are being recalled:

Model year	VIN RANGE (VINs begin with RFBLU45U*)
2013	DB120111 through DB130158
2014	EB120203 through EB130204
2015	FB120315 through FB320123

* represents a check digit that varies in each VIN

Incidents/Injuries: None reported

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled ATVs and contact an authorized KYMCO dealer for a free repair. The original gas caps must be collected by the dealer to confirm the repair.

Sold at: KYMCO dealers nationwide from April 2013 to August 2014 for about \$9,000.

Importer: KYMCO USA Inc., of Spartanburg, S.C. **Manufactured in:** Taiwan

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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.

To report a dangerous product or a product-related injury go online to <u>www.SaferProducts.gov</u> or call CPSC's Hotline at (800) 638-2772 or teletypewriter at (301) 595-7054 for the hearing impaired. Consumers can obtain news release and recall information at <u>www.cpsc.gov</u>, on Twitter <u>@OnSafety</u> or by subscribing to CPSC's <u>free e-mail newsletters</u>.

Photos

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



Photo 1 Caption: KYMCO MXU 700 model years 2013 through 2015 came in black, green and red.



Photo 2 Caption: KYMCO MXU 700 LE model years 2013 and 2014 came in silver. Model year 2015 came in gold.



Photo 3 Caption: Model Year 2015 KYMCO MXU 700 Camo.

<u>Right Rail:</u>

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 <u>report unsafe products</u>.

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