

PRODUCT SAFETY

Snap-on Incorporated

ADVISORY -- FOR REPAIR

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PRODUCTS AFFECTED:

PART NAME & DESCRIPTION:

Repair of 1/4 "drive Ratchet

PART NUMBER(s):

T72, TL72, TF72, THLF72, TX72, THL72

Note: This does not affect use of ratchet. There is no need to contact your customers since this is only a possible issue during ratchet repair.



HAZARD:

Risk of serious personal injury to your hand could occur if you hold the ratchet head in your hand when applying final torque to ratchet screws during ratchet repairs. In those cases where the screw holes are drilled too deep, any foreign objects in one of those screw holes could break through the back of the ratchet housing.

ACTIONS:

Do not place hand on backside of ratchet when applying final torque to ratchet screws during ratchet repair. Place ratchet on a hard surface or hold in vise during final tightening. Be sure that the screw hole is free of any ball or obstructions.

If you encounter any of these ratchets where there is a break through the back of the ratchet housing, return the ratchet for full warranty.

QUESTIONS:

If you have questions on this advisory or need assistance contact: Dan Eggert, 262-656-5806.