

SERVICE BULLETIN



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TIRE VALVE

Purpose

The purpose of this Bulletin is to alert you to a potential problem with tire valve packaging.

General

The Harley-Davidson Tire Valve Kit part no. 40999-87 may contain either a 1-1/4 in. long tire valve (stamped 413 on valve bottom) or a 7/8 in. long tire valve (stamped 412 on valve bottom). The valve stamped 412 is the correct valve for Hayes brake equipped vehicles. The longer valve could come into contact with the Hayes rear brake caliper during normal operation.

WARNING

Repeated valve contact with rear brake caliper could cause valve failure resulting in loss of air pressure which would lead to handling difficulties.

Servicing

See Figure 1. If the rear tire valve has been replaced on Hayes braked equipped vehicles measure the valve from the wheel rim to the tip of the valve (dimension A). If the valve measures 1-1/4 in. replace it with the 7/8 in. valve.

NOTE

Vehicles not equipped with Hayes brakes may use either the 1-1/4 in. valve (413) or the 7/8 in. valve.

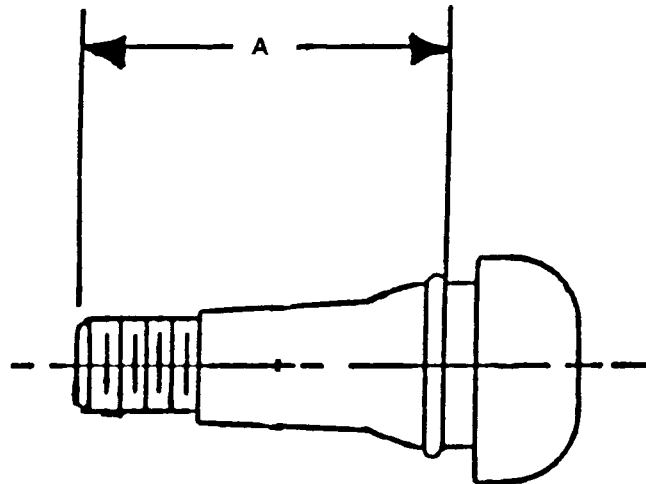


Figure 1. Measure valve

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