

# Airbags


This list is not exhaustive and it remains the responsibility of the driver and passengers to ensure that the airbags are not obstructed in any way.

The SRS is not designed to operate as a result of:

- Rear impacts.
- Minor front impacts.
- Minor side impacts.
- Heavy braking.
- Driving over bumps and pot holes.


Therefore, it follows that considerable superficial damage to the vehicle can occur, without causing the airbags to deploy.


 **High speed impacts may cause serious injury or death irrespective of safety features fitted to a vehicle.**

 **The airbag SRS cannot provide protection in some types of impact. Under these circumstances the only protection will be provided by a correctly worn seat belt.**

## SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONERS

The seat belt pre-tensioners activate in conjunction with the Supplementary Restraint System (SRS) to provide additional protection in the event of a severe frontal impact. They automatically reduce any slack in a seatbelt to reduce forward movement of a front seat occupant.

 **The seat belt pre-tensioners will activate only once and then must be replaced. Failure to replace them will reduce the effectiveness of the SRS in reducing the risk of serious injury or death in the event of an accident.**

 **After any impact, have the seat belts and pre-tensioners checked and, if necessary, replaced by a Jaguar Dealer/Authorised Repairer.**

## FRONT AIRBAGS

The front passenger and driver airbags are able to deploy in two stages, depending on the severity of the frontal impact. In a severe impact, the airbags inflate fully to stage two giving maximum protection. In a lesser impact, full inflation may not be required, so the airbags will only inflate to stage one.

## SIDE AIRBAGS

These are designed to protect the head and thorax region of the torso and will deploy only in the event of a side impact and then, only on the side of the impact.

## AIRBAG DEACTIVATION INDICATOR



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The airbag indicator, on the centre console, is associated with the deployment conditions for front seat passenger airbags only.

Whenever the passenger air bag deactivation indicator is illuminated, the front passenger airbags will not be deployed in the event of an impact. Where the airbags are not deployed, protection is provided by the seat belts.

**Note:** *The air bag deactivation indicator will illuminate for approximately 6 seconds as a bulb check when the ignition is switched on.*