Register entry, as of 28 October 2026 Listed for sale Record ID 01381243a495

2016 Hyundai Sonata GLS (Middle)

2.0 L, 4 cylinders · Sedan · Gasoline

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER [1]

KMH	E34L1	X	G	A	010169
WMI 1–3	DESCRIPTOR 4–8	CHECK 9	YEAR 10	PLANT 11	SERIAL 12–17
Hyundai Motor Co	Sonata · 2.0 L	Computes	2016	Asan	Build sequence

§1 IDENTITY [1]

Model year	2016	Engine	2.0 L, 4 cylinders
Make	Hyundai	Fuel	Gasoline
Model	Sonata	Drive	Not in the decode
Trim	GLS (Middle)	Maker	HYUNDAI MOTOR CO
Body	Sedan	Plant	Asan, South Korea

§2 OBLIGATIONS [2]

cardog.app/tools/recalls/hyundai/sonata/2016

12 recalls listed by Transport Canada for this model year

Engine

2022244 8 May 2022

Issue: Hyundai Auto Canada is conducting a Product Improvement Campaign that provides an update to the engine control module to detect potential problems before an engine fails. An engine failure would cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Note: This only affects certain vehicles equipped with a 2.0 L Nu GDI engine. For the Sonata model, only the Sonata Hybrid and Plug-In Hybrid (PHEV) models are affected by this campaign. This is an expansion of R0180 (Transport Canada #2021-575). Any vehicle that received a software update under campaign R0180 does not require this update. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of an accident. An engine failure could also create the risk of a fire. Corrective Actions: Hyundai will notify owners by mail and advise you to take your vehicle to a dealer to update the software for the engine control module. Note: Hyundai recommends that you should always follow the correct vehicle maintenance schedule, which is printed in the Owner's Manual. If you experience unusual engine noise, reduced power, or a check engine/oil warning light, Hyundai advises you to immediately visit a Hyundai dealership to have your vehicle diagnosed.

Lights and instruments

2021589 24 Sep 2021

Issue: On certain vehicles, an intermittent problem could cause the turn signals to activate in the opposite direction from what a driver intends. For example, when the driver uses the right turn signal, the left signal could turn on. Note: For 2016 and 2017 models, the Sonata Hybrid and Sonata Plug-In Hybrid (PHEV) models are also affected by this recall. Safety Risk: Turn signals that do not work properly may cause confusion and could increase the risk of a crash. Corrective Action: Hyundai will notify owners by mail and instruct you to bring your vehicle to a dealer to update the Smart Junction Box software.

Engine

2021575 17 Sep 2021

This recall was replaced by Transport Canada Recall No. 2022-244. Issue: Hyundai Auto Canada is conducting a Product Improvement Campaign that provides an update to the engine control module to detect potential problems before an engine fails. An engine failure would cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Note: This only affects certain vehicles equipped with a 2.0 L Nu GDI engine. For the Sonata model, only the Sonata Hybrid and Plug-In Hybrid (PHEV) models are affected by this campaign. All vehicles previously included in TC # 2021-034 are now part of this new campaign. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of an accident. An engine failure could also create the risk of a fire. Corrective Actions: Hyundai will notify owners by mail and advise you to take your vehicle to a dealer to update the software for the engine control module. Note: Hyundai recommends that you should always follow the correct vehicle maintenance schedule, which is printed in the Owner's Manual. If you experience unusual engine noise, reduced power, or a check engine/oil warning light, Hyundai advises you to immediately visit a Hyundai dealership to have your vehicle diagnosed.

Structure

2021495 6 Aug 2021

Issue: On certain vehicles, a part in the trunk release latch could fail. If this happens, the emergency trunk release located inside the trunk compartment may not work properly. This could prevent a person that is trapped inside the trunk from opening it. Note: For the 2016 model year Sonata, only the Sonata Hybrid is affected by this recall. Safety Risk: If a person is closed inside the trunk compartment, they may not be able to get out. This could create a risk of injury. Corrective Actions: Hyundai will notify owners by mail and instruct you to take your vehicle to a dealer to replace the trunk latch assembly.

Engine

2020592 2 Dec 2020

Issue: On certain vehicles equipped with a 1.6 L GDI, 2.0 L GDI, or 2.4 L MPI engine, the connecting rod bearings could wear prematurely. As a result, there could be an abnormal knocking noise from the engine and/or the oil pressure warning light may turn on. If you continue to drive the vehicle with worn connecting rod bearings, the engine could fail. An engine failure would cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. In some cases, a damaged connecting rod could puncture the engine block and cause an oil leak. Note: For the Sonata model, only the Sonata Hybrid and Plug-In Hybrid (PHEV) models are affected by this recall. Additional Note: Engine compartment fires can happen for many different reasons. In some cases, there is too much damage to find the cause of a fire. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of a crash. Oil that leaks onto a hot component could cause a fire. Corrective Actions: Hyundai will notify owners by mail and instruct you to take your vehicle to a dealer for an engine inspection test, to determine if there is bearing damage. If damage is found, the engine will be replaced. Dealers will also update the software for the engine control module. Note: Hyundai recommends that you should always follow the correct vehicle maintenance schedule, which is printed in the Owner's Manual.

Engine

2019640 16 Dec 2019

Issue: Hyundai Auto Canada is conducting a Product Improvement Campaign that provides an update to the engine control module to detect potential problems before an engine fails. An engine failure would cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Note: This affects Sonata and Santa Fe Sport equipped with a 2.4 L GDI or 2.0 L Turbo GDI engine, as well as Tucson equipped with a 2.4 L GDI engine. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of an accident. Corrective Actions: The company will notify owners by mail. Owners will be instructed to take their vehicle to a dealer to update the software for the engine control module. Note: Vehicles previously repaired under Product Improvement Campaign R0153 (TC # 2019-130) do not require this software update. Owners can find additional information at www.hyundaiengineinfo.ca.

6 more on the model-year record, cardog.app/tools/recalls/hyundai/sonata/2016

> Listed for the model year, not checked against your VIN. Hyundai confirms which apply.
> Check your VIN with Hyundai Canada or call a Hyundai dealer with your VIN.
> www.hyundaicanada.com/en/owners-section/recalls

United States: 8 NHTSA records for this model year, kept apart from the Canadian listing.[3]

§3 VALUE [4]

This car asks $19,995[5], $9,023 over the median of $10,972[4].

Lowest ask	$4,480
Middle half	$9,771 – $13,717
Median ask	$10,972
This car	$19,995

Same model year · 34 live listings · as of 28 Oct 2026

OTHER 2016 HYUNDAI SONATA LISTINGS [5]

Whitby, ON · 104,894 km	$11,995
Whitby, ON · 112,213 km	$10,900
Vaudreuil-Dorion, QC · 125,506 km	$9,988
Lloydminster, AB · 105,007 km	$12,850
Laval, QC · 101,886 km	$9,995
Toronto, ON · 182,358 km	$4,480

§4 EVENTS

2016	Model year 2016[1] Assembly plant Asan, South Korea
29 Oct 2015	Transport Canada recall 2015516[2] Issued for the model year · Brakes
21 Sep 2016	Transport Canada recall 2016460[2] Issued for the model year · Airbag
17 Oct 2016	Transport Canada recall 2016507[2] Issued for the model year · Structure
16 Mar 2018	Transport Canada recall 2018135[2] Issued for the model year · Powertrain
10 Jan 2019	Transport Canada recall 2019012[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
11 Mar 2019	Transport Canada recall 2019130[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
16 Dec 2019	Transport Canada recall 2019640[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
2 Dec 2020	Transport Canada recall 2020592[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
6 Aug 2021	Transport Canada recall 2021495[2] Issued for the model year · Structure

17 Sep 2021	Transport Canada recall 2021575[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
24 Sep 2021	Transport Canada recall 2021589[2] Issued for the model year · Lights and instruments
8 May 2022	Transport Canada recall 2022244[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
24 Nov 2025	Listed for sale, London, ON[5] Samozain Autos · asking $19,995
28 Oct 2026	Listing last updated[5] asking $19,995

§5 DOCUMENTS

Window sticker We have not collected this label yet.

SOURCES

[1] Cardog identity register, decoded from the VIN

[2] Transport Canada recall database, listed for the model year

[3] NHTSA recall records (United States), listed for the model year

[4] Cardog market quote, same model year, 34 live listings, as of 28 Oct 2026

[5] Live public dealer listings on Cardog, as of 28 Oct 2026

STATEMENT OF SCOPE

This record is what public sources held about this vehicle when Cardog read it, each fact cited to its source. It read the VIN decode, Transport Canada's recall listing, NHTSA's recall records, Cardog's market quote and live public dealer listings. Recalls are listed for the model year, not checked against this VIN; the manufacturer confirms which apply. It is not a vehicle history or ownership report, and it carries no owner information.