Register entry, as of 29 October 2026 Listed for sale Record ID fb476c3ac426

2012 Kia Sportage GL(Middle-low grade)

2.4 L, 4 cylinders · 4WD · Sport Utility Vehicle · Gasoline

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER [1]

KND	PBCA2	7	C	7	211122
WMI 1–3	DESCRIPTOR 4–8	CHECK 9	YEAR 10	PLANT 11	SERIAL 12–17
Kia Corporation	Sportage · 2.4 L	Computes	2012	Gwangju	Build sequence

§1 IDENTITY [1]

Model year	2012	Engine	2.4 L, 4 cylinders
Make	Kia	Fuel	Gasoline
Model	Sportage	Drive	4WD
Trim	GL(Middle-low grade)	Maker	KIA CORPORATION
Body	Sport Utility Vehicle	Plant	Gwangju, South Korea

§2 OBLIGATIONS [2]

cardog.app/tools/recalls/kia/sportage/2012

8 recalls listed by Transport Canada for this model year

Label

2024549 15 Aug 2024

Issue: On certain vehicles, the compliance label may be missing information in French. The words listed on the label for "Tires", "Rims", "Front" and "Rear" appear in English only, when they should be listed as "Tires/Pneus", "Rims/Jantes", "Front/Avant" and "Rear/Arriere". Canadian regulations require this information to be listed on the label in both English and French. Safety Risk: These small errors do not affect vehicle safety. Corrective Actions: This is not a recall. Kia has corrected the compliance label for all new vehicles.

Brakes

2023529 26 Sep 2023

Issue: On certain vehicles, the brake hydraulic electronic control unit (HECU) could short circuit. Safety Risk: A short circuit could create a fire risk, even while the vehicle is parked and turned off. Corrective Actions: Kia will notify owners by mail and advise you to take your vehicle to a dealership to replace the fuse(s) for the HECU. Kia recommends that you should park your vehicle outdoors and away from other vehicles or structures until the recall repairs have been completed.

Engine

2021040 1 Feb 2021

Issue: Kia 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 could cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Note: This only affects vehicles equipped with a 2.4 L MPI engine. 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: Kia 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: Kia 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, Kia advises you to immediately visit a Kia dealership to have your vehicle diagnosed.

Engine

2020597 4 Dec 2020

Issue: On certain vehicles equipped with a 2.0 L NU GDI or 2.4 L Theta II MPI engine, an engine compartment fire could occur while driving. Kia is conducting this recall as a preventative measure to prevent fire risk due to potential fuel leaks, oil leaks and/or engine damage. In some situations, you may notice any of the following symptoms: there could be an abnormal knocking noise from the engine; the check engine light and/or the oil pressure warning light could turn on; you may smell fuel, burning or smoke; or you may notice oil leaks. If you continue to drive the vehicle with these symptoms, the engine could fail and/or a fire could occur. An engine failure can cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Note: For the Optima model, only the Optima Hybrid is affected by this recall. Safety Risk: An engine compartment fire can create a risk of injury. A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of a crash. Corrective Action: Kia will notify owners by mail and instruct you to take your vehicle to a dealer for an inspection of the engine and engine compartment. The dealer will inspect for fuel and/or engine oil leaks, perform an engine test and make any repairs, including engine replacement, if necessary. Kia will also perform a Knock Sensor Detection System (KSDS) software update free of charge, once it is available for your vehicle. This update will detect and prevent engine damage from worn connecting rod bearings.

Engine

2019153 21 Mar 2019

Issue: Kia 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 may cause a sudden loss of power with an inability to restart. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of engine power could increase the risk of a crash. 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 repaired under Service Campaign SC025 already have this software update.

Engine

2019099 27 Feb 2019

Issue: The engine oil pan seal could leak on some vehicles with a 2.4 L engine. If the leak is not repaired, over time this could lead to engine damage or an engine failure. An engine failure would cause a sudden loss of motive power with an inability to restart. Safety Risk: A sudden loss of motive power could increase the risk of a crash. In some cases, an engine failure may also result in a fire. Corrective Actions: Kia will notify owners by mail and instruct you to take your vehicle to a dealer to replace the oil pressure switch. If an oil leak is detected, the dealer will also replace the oil pan. Note: A driver may notice any of the following symptoms before an engine failure: an oil leak under the vehicle, a smell of hot or burning oil, a knocking sound from the engine, reduced power or hesitation, a check engine light, and/or an oil pressure warning light.

2 more on the model-year record, cardog.app/tools/recalls/kia/sportage/2012

> Listed for the model year, not checked against your VIN. Kia confirms which apply.
> Check your VIN with Kia Canada or call a Kia dealer with your VIN.
> www.kia.ca/en/owners/recalls

United States: 5 NHTSA records for this model year, kept apart from the Canadian listing.[3]

§3 VALUE [4]

This car asks $6,900[5], $2,095 under the median of $8,995[4].

Lowest ask	$5,495
Middle half	$6,298 – $9,750
Median ask	$8,995
This car	$6,900

Same model year · 7 live listings · as of 29 Oct 2026

OTHER 2012 KIA SPORTAGE LISTINGS [5]

Val-d'or, QC · 181,100 km	$8,995
Sainte-Rose, QC · 222,114 km	$5,695
Sainte-Rose, QC · 174,055 km	$5,495
Kelowna, BC · 106,308 km	$9,500

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Calgary, AB · 79,679 km	$9,999

§4 EVENTS

2012	Model year 2012[1] Assembly plant Gwangju, South Korea
7 Apr 2017	Transport Canada recall 2017199[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
28 Dec 2018	Transport Canada recall 2018742[2] Issued for the model year · Fuel system
27 Feb 2019	Transport Canada recall 2019099[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
21 Mar 2019	Transport Canada recall 2019153[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
4 Dec 2020	Transport Canada recall 2020597[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
1 Feb 2021	Transport Canada recall 2021040[2] Issued for the model year · Engine
26 Sep 2023	Transport Canada recall 2023529[2] Issued for the model year · Brakes
15 Aug 2024	Transport Canada recall 2024549[2] Issued for the model year · Label
26 Oct 2026	Listed for sale, Longueuil, QC[5] Club Auto Zone · asking $6,900
28 Oct 2026	Listing last updated[5] asking $6,900

§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, 7 live listings, as of 29 Oct 2026
[5] Live public dealer listings on Cardog, as of 29 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.