

A ring around a Rem. Mod. 721bolt

Discussion Thread

Response (Chris)
Dear Mr. Thomas,

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Thank you for your patience. The ring could be caused by the bolt movement locking into the action and the action touching behind the lugs causing this ring over time.

We recommend that you discontinue use and take or ship the firearm to one of the following Remington Premier Repair Centers for inspection.

Send to J & G if you live in the following states: CA, NV, UT, AZ
J & G Gunsmithing
625 Vernon St
Roseville, CA 95678
916-786-9200

Send to Allison & Carey if you live in the following states: OR, WA, ID, MT, AK
Allison & Carey Gun works, Inc.
17311 SE Stark
Portland, OR 97233
Phone: 503-256-5166

Send to Sportsman's Haven if you live in the following states: OH, PA, WV, VA, VT, NH, MD, DE
Sportsman's Haven, Inc.
14695 East Pike Rd.
Cambridge, OH 43725
Phone: 740-432-7243
Fax: 740-432-3204

Send to Mann & Son if you live in the following states: IL, IN, MS, AR, WI
Mann & Son Sporting Goods
515 W Water St.
Pinckneyville, IL 62274
Phone: 618-357-2911
Fax: 618-357-3658

Send to Ahlman's if you live in the following states: MN, IA, MO, KS, IN, SD, ND, WY, NE
Ahlman's, Inc.
9525 W. 230th Street
Morristown, MN 55052
Phone: 507-685-4244
Fax: 507-685-4280
<http://www.ahlmans.com/>

Send to Sports World if you live in the following states: OK, TX, NM, CO, LA
Sports World, Inc.
6841 East 41st St.
Tulsa, OK 74145
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Paducah Shooters Supply, Inc.
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Paducah, KY 42001

Phone: 270-442-3242
Fax: 270-442-5022

Send to Williams Gun Sight if you live in the following states: MI, NY, CT, RI, NJ, MA, ME
Williams Gun Sight & Outfitters
7389 Lapeer Rd., Route #1
P.O. Box 329
Davidson, MI 48423
Phone: 810-653-2131
Fax: 810-658-2140

You can find additional Remington Warranty Centers for the US and internationally at the following section of our site.

<http://www.remington.com/repairsvc/modelselection.asp>

To view the warranty for Remington firearms, go to:

<http://www.remington.com/support/warranty.htm>

Your rifle was originally installed with a bolt-lock, which means you have to put the safety switch on fire before you can open the bolt. We are offering a conversion at a special price if you would like your firearm converted, so that you can open the bolt at anytime with the safety on safe. To view more details regarding this modification, go to:

http://www.remington.com/Safety_Modification_Program/remington_safety.htm

Customer (Floyd Thomas III)

4/18/2005 9:31:13 PM

Hi,
I have a Remington Mod. 721 in .270 win. cal. that has a ring/cut all the way around the bolt body 5/16" behind the bolt locking lugs. I am unable to measure the depth but a piece of thread will fit flush into this groove. It would seem to me that this is where the bolt body and locking lugs/bolt head are welded. This cut is even and equal all the way around the bolt so I do not believe this to be any kind of a crack. The fact that the cut is well behind the locking lugs leads me to feel that this is not a safety issue as I do not feel that it could separate on firing. It seems to me that this bolt was made by Remington this way. What can you folks tell me about this? or what are you folks willing to tell me? Should I be worried about this condition? Please talk to me about this.

Respectfully

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PS Any information on this rifle would be appreciated, year and month made and so forth.