

ACURA B1173: GAUGE CONTROL MODULE LOST COMMUNICATION WITH THE TPMS CONTROL UNIT (TPMS MESSAGE)

OVERVIEW

Severity	:	<div><div>Medium</div></div>
DIY Difficulty Level	:	<div><div>Intermediate</div></div>
Repair Cost	:	\$75-\$200
Can I Still Drive?	:	Yes (Short-term only)

What Does The Acura B1173 Code Mean?

This code indicates poor communication between the Gauge Control Module and the TPMS Control Unit.

What Are The Potential Causes Of The Acura B1173 Code?

Below are some possible causes of this DTC:

- Check for TPMS DTCs first, then retest
- Loose or poor connections between the Gauge Control Module and the TPMS Control Unit
- "Open or "Short" between the Gauge Control Module and TPMS Control Unit
- Faulty Gauge Control Module
- TPMS Control Unit

Reference Sources

[Acura B1173](#), DTCDECODE.