

ACURA B1189: GAUGE CONTROL MODULE LOST COMMUNICATION WITH ACTIVE DAMPER SYSTEM CONTROL UNIT (ADS MESSAGE)

OVERVIEW

Severity	:	Medium
DIY Difficulty Level	:	Intermediate
Repair Cost	:	\$75-\$200
Can I Still Drive?	:	Yes

What Does The Acura B1189 Code Mean?

Poor communication between the Gauge Control Module and the Active Damper System Control Unit.

What Are The Potential Causes Of The Acura B1189 Code?

- Check for active damper system DTCs first, then retest
- Loose or poor connections between the gauge control module and the active damper control unit
- "Open" Circuit between the Gauge Control Module and the Active Damper Control Unit
- Faulty Gauge Control Module
- Faulty Active Damper Control Unit

Reference Sources

[Acura B1189](#), DTCDECODE.