

ACURA B1383: POWER TAILGATE CLOSER UNIT RATCHET SWITCH CIRCUIT MALFUNCTION

OVERVIEW

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| 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 B1383 Code Mean?

This code indicates poor communication between the Power Tailgate Control Unit and the Power Tailgate Closer Unit.

What Are The Potential Causes Of The Acura B1383 Code?

Below are some possible causes of this DTC:

- Loose or poor connections between the Power Tailgate Control Unit and the Power Tailgate Closer Unit
- "Open" or "Short" between the Power Tailgate Control Unit and the Power Tailgate Closer Unit
- Faulty ratchet switch, replace the Power Tailgate Closer Unit
- Faulty Power Tailgate Control Unit

Reference Sources

[POWER TAILGATE TROUBLESHOOTING for B1383](#) - Pages 44-51.