

## ACURA B1957: REAR MICU LOST COMMUNICATION WITH COMBINATION SWITCH CONTROL UNIT (HLSW MESSAGE)

### OVERVIEW

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

### What Does The Acura B1957 Code Mean?

This code indicates poor communication between the rear MICU and the Combination Switch Control Unit.

### What Are The Potential Causes Of The Acura B1957 Code?

Below are some possible causes of this DTC:

- Loose or poor connections between the rear MICU and the Combination Switch Control Unit.
- Blown fuse in the main under-hood fuse box
- Blown fuse in the under-dash fuse/relay box
- "Open" or "Short" Condition between the rear MICU and the Combination Switch Control Unit
- Faulty Combination Switch Control Unit
- Faulty Rear MICU, replace the rear fuse/relay box

### Severity Description

Check possible solutions below:

- If you are troubleshooting multiple DTCs, be sure to follow the instructions in B-CAN System

Diagnosis Test Mode A.

- If DTCs [B1007](#), [B1062](#), [B1063](#), [B1155](#), [B1156](#), [B1957](#), [B1958](#), and/or [B2969](#) are indicated, perform the Combination Switch Control Unit input test.
- If no codes are present, perform the rear MICU input test.

## Reference Sources

[Acura B1957](#), DTCDECODE.