



Service Bulletin

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Bulletin No.: PIC5657A

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PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

Subject: Condensation In Tail Lights Water In Trunk Or Spare Tire Well

Models: 2013 Chevrolet Malibu

This PI was superseded to update recommended field. Please discard PIC5657.

The following diagnosis might be helpful if the vehicle exhibits the symptom(s) described in this PI.

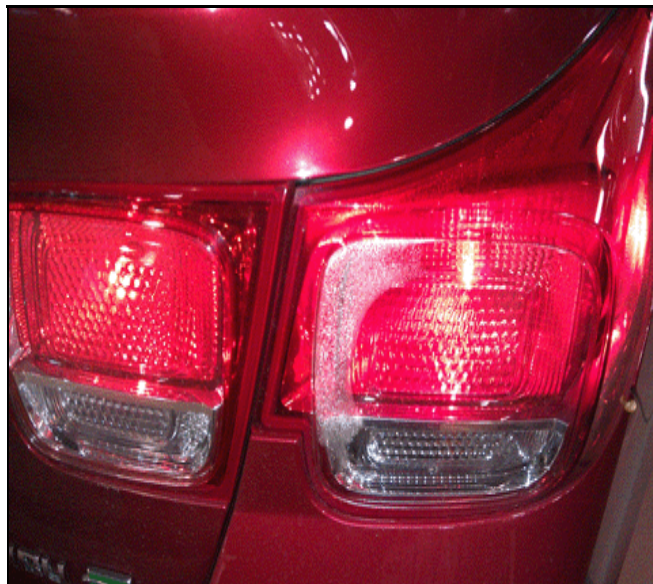
Condition/Concern:

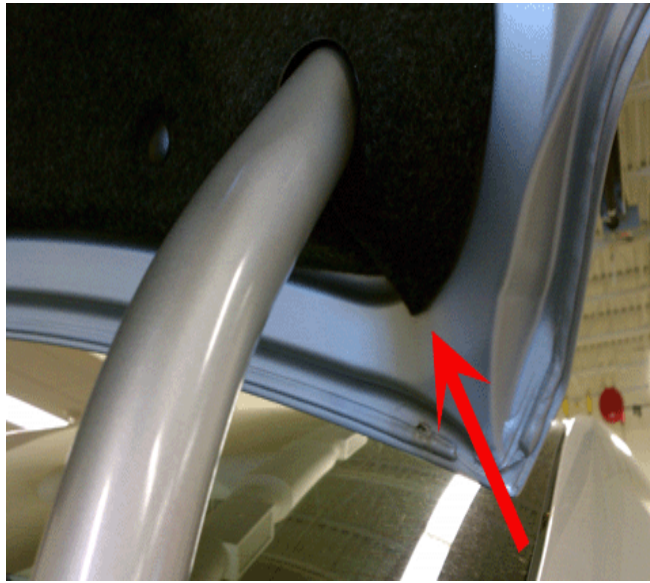
Condition: A customer or technician may indicate the tail lights have condensation in them, the trunk lining is wet or there is water in the spare tire well.

Cause: Mispositioned pressure relief valve, trunk lid liner, open seam or leaking wire harness retainer.

Recommendation/Instructions:

Correction: Check that both pressure relief valves are properly installed in openings. They should be snapped in from the outside. Check seam all around trunk opening and/or tail lamp pocket for skips in the sealer. Repair seams or reposition the pressure relief valve as needed. Check that the felt deck lid liner is not oversized and laying on the trunk opening seal when the trunk lid is closed. Check all wire harness retaining clips for signs of water intrusion and seal as needed. Clear tail light condensation by running the vehicle with park lamps on, this will by warm the lamps and clear the condensation. Photos below for reference.





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Please follow this diagnostic or repair process thoroughly and complete each step. If the condition exhibited is resolved without completing every step, the remaining steps do not need to be performed.