

Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator On After Recent Tire Replacement?

AFFECTED VEHICLES

2014–16 CR-V

If you get any vehicles coming in because the Low Tire Pressure/TPMS indicator is on after a recent tire replacement, the issue could be a mismatched tire. The original tires (**CN5L**) were made in France and have a **1-ply** sidewall construction. Those tires have been discontinued and are now made in Portugal. The Portugal-made tires (**AF5L**) have a **2-ply** sidewall construction.

Manufacturing Location:

France



Portugal



DOT ID:

"CN5L"



"AF5L"



Ply Information

1 Ply



2 Ply



This difference in sidewall construction means the Portugal-made tire has different rolling characteristics than the one made in France. Because of the way indirect TPMS works, that difference will cause the Low Tire Pressure/TPMS indicator to come on.

The online owner's manual recommends replacing all four tires at the same time. But if that's not practical, the tires should be replaced as a set (right and left front tires, right and left rear tires). If the mismatched tire happens to be a Portugal-made tire, your customer will have to replace the opposite side of the set with another Portugal-made tire since the France-made tires are no longer available.

This is something that the service advisor needs to explain to your customer, so wait until you hear from the advisor before taking any action.

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