

Technical Service Bulletin

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Subject: BLIND SPOT MONITORING (BSM) SYSTEM INDICATES VEHICLE IN RIGHT OR LEFT SIDE BLIND SPOT AREA WHEN NO VEHICLE IS THERE	Bulletin No.: 15-003/18
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APPLICABLE MODEL(S)/VINS

2017-2018 Mazda3 (Japan built) 5 Door vehicles with VINs lower than JM1BN*****197268 (produced before August 20, 2018)

2017-2018 Mazda3 (Mexico built) 5 Door vehicles with VINs lower than 3MZBN*****249155 (produced before August 8, 2018)

NOTE: This service information is NOT applicable for 4-door sedans (4SD).

DESCRIPTION

Some customers may complain that the Blind Spot Monitoring (BSM) system indicates that there is a vehicle in the right or left side blind spot area after the vehicle passes and is no longer there. This may be caused by the BSM control module falsely detecting a vehicle within the alert area.

REPAIR PROCEDURE

1. Verify customer concern.
2. Replace the affected side BSM control module. Refer to MGSS online BLIND SPOT MONITORING (BSM) CONTROL MODULE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION.
3. Verify repair.

PARTS INFORMATION

Parts Number	Description	Qty.	Notes
GRT6-67-Y30D	Monitor, Blind Spot	1 or 2	Japan built vehicles
BANE-67-Y30D	Monitor, Blind Spot	1 or 2	Mexico built vehicles

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WARRANTY INFORMATION

NOTE:

- This warranty information applies only to verified customer complaints on vehicles eligible for warranty repair.
- This repair will be covered under Mazda's New Vehicle Limited Warranty term.
- Only replace the affected side BSM control module.
- Additional diagnostic time cannot be claimed for this repair.

Warranty Type	A
Symptom Code	65
Damage Code	9W
Part Number Main Cause	GRT6-67-Y30D or BANE-67-Y30D
Quantity	1 or 2
Operation Number / Labor Hours:	XXP8XARX / 0.8 Hrs.

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