

## **Service Bulletin**

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# **TECHNICAL**

Subject: Audio Muting When Listening to Some SiriusXM Channels Due to Interference in Some Geographic Locations

Brand:	Model:	Model Year:		VIN:		Engino	Transmission:
		from	to	from	to	Engine:	Transmission:
Buick	Enclave*	2013	2017		All	All	All
	Encore	2017	2017				
	Envision	2016	2017				
	LaCrosse	2014	2017				
	Regal	2014	2017				
	Verano	2016	2017				
	ATS	2013	2017	]			
	CT6	2016	2017	All			
	CTS	2014	2017				
	ELR	2015	2016				
Cadillac	Escalade	2015	2017				
Caulliac	Escalade ESV	2015	2017				
	SRX	2013	2016				
	XT5	2017	2017				
	XTS	2013	2017				
	Camaro	2016	2017	]			
	Colorado	2015	2017				
	Corvette	2015	2017				
	Cruze	2016	2017				
	Impala	2014	2017				
Chevrolet	Malibu	2016	2017				
	Silverado	2014	2017				
	Suburban	2015	2017				
	Tahoe	2015	2017				
	Traverse*	2013	2017				
	Volt	2016	2017				
	Acadia*	2013	2017				
GMC	Canyon	2015	2017				
GMC	Sierra	2014	2017				
	Yukon	2015	2016				

Involved Region or Country	North America
Additional Options (RPOs)	ONLY with Infotainment System RPOs IO3, IO4, IO5, IO6 or UI2, UI4, UI5, UI6, UI7, UI8 (UIX programs designated above with *) Also equipped with SiriusXM Satellite Radio (RPO U2K)
Condition	Some customers may comment on the audio muting when listening to some SiriusXM channels, but if they change channels they will find others that experience normal audio. They may also comment that the concern appears to happen in some geographic locations but not others. If they experience this concern, they should continue to listen to the currently tuned channel and observe if the condition clears after approximately 1.6 km (1 mile).
Cause	The cause of the condition may be the result of interference from transmitting sources outside of SiriusXM's frequency range.
Correction	If you encounter a vehicle with the above concern, check the vehicle for any codes and repair them as necessary.  If no codes are present and the customer is experiencing muting at the dealer's location, perform the following Service Procedure steps.

#### **Service Procedure**

**Note:** The following steps are intended to be performed in an area where muting is or has been experienced.

- 1. Tune to SXM Channel 1.
- 2. Note if muting is experienced or not experienced.
- 3. Tune to SXM Channel 2.
- 4. Note if muting is experienced or not experienced.
  - If both channels experience muting, the SXM filter is most likely not an appropriate correction for the condition. It is unlikely that the customer's concern is a result of the interference described above. The technician should follow SI diagnostics and repair as necessary.
  - If channel 1 is not muting and channel 2 is muting, there is most likely interference from transmitting sources outside of SXM's frequency range. The SXM filter is most likely an appropriate correction for the condition.
     Install the SXM filter inline between the coaxial antenna connection at the back of the radio (or radio tuner) and coaxial cable connector.

**Note:** If adding SXM filter, follow the *Radio Replacement* in SI to get to the coaxial.

#### **Parts Information**

Causal Part	Description	Part Number	Qty
	SXM Filter	84601829	1

### **Warranty Information**

For vehicles repaired under the Bumper-to-Bumper coverage (Canada Base Warranty coverage), use the following labor operation. Reference the Applicable Warranties section of Investigate Vehicle History (IVH) for coverage information.

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time
	Buick Enclave Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	Buick Encore Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	Buick Envision Install SXM Flter	0.7 hr
	Buick Lacrosse Install SXM Fiter	0.9 hr
	Buick Regal Install SXM Flter	0.4 hr
	Buick Verano Install SXM Flter	0.4 hr
	Cadillac ATS Install SXM Flter	0.5 hr
3486868*	Cadillac CT6 Install SXM Flter	0.8 hr
	Cadillac CTS Install SXM Flter	1.0 hr
	Cadillac ELR Install SXM Flter	1.3 hrs
	Cadillac Escalade Install SXM Flter	1.0 hr
	Cadillac Escalade ESV Install SXM Flter	1.0 hr
	Cadillac SRX Install SXM Flter	0.9 hr
	Cadillac XT5 Install SXM Flter	1.5 hrs

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time
	Cadillac XTS Install SXM Flter	0.6 hr
	Chevrolet Camaro Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	Chevrolet Colorado Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	Chevrolet Corvette Install SXM Fiter	1.6 hrs
	Chevrolet Cruze Install SXM Fiter	0.4 hr
	Chevrolet Impala Install SXM Fiter	1.6 hrs
	Chevrolet Malibu Install SXM Flter	0.4 hr
	Chevrolet Silverado Install SXM Flter	0.5 hr
	Chevrolet Suburban Install SXM Fiter	1.0 hr
	Chevrolet Tahoe Install SXM Fiter	1.0 hr
	Chevrolet Traverse Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	Chevrolet Volt Install SXM Fiter	1.4 hrs
	GMC Acadia Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	GMC Canyon Install SXM Fiter	0.6 hr
	GMC Sierra Install SXM Flter	0.5 hr
	GMC Yukon Install SXM Fiter	1.0 hr

<sup>\*</sup>This is a unique Labor Operation for Bulletin use only.

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