

Signal® Mirror Installation Instructions 2007-2011 Silverado/Tahoe/Suburban/Avalanche/Sierra/Yukon



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INCLUDED ITEMS:

1-left and 1-right Signal® mirror

1-left and 1-right wire harness

2-wire taps

2-ring connectors

1-instruction manual

REQUIRED TOOLS:

Ratchet with extension or ratcheting screwdriver

10 mm socket

Socket wrench

Slotted screwdriver

Phillips screwdriver

Clip removal tool

Small pry bar (plastic)

Gopher rod (wire)

Electrical tape

Wire crimper and stripper

Needle nose pliers

Multimeter or wire tester

Sturdy gloves

Safety glasses or goggles

Utility knife

Heat gun

PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.

PROBLEMS OR QUESTIONS?

Technical Assistance is available by calling Muth Mirror Systems Technicians at:

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Door Panel Removal



















- 1) Start with opening the driver's side door and lowering the window. Remove lock lever **(1A).**
- 2) Using a plastic pry bar [slotted screwdriver], slowly pry plastic cover to reveal screw. <u>CAU-TION</u>: These plastic covers are fragile and break easily. Be very gentle in disengaging them.
- 3) Remove screw with a 10mm socket.
- 4) Slowly pry plastic cover using a plastic pry bar [slotted screwdriver].
- 5) Remove the (2) revealed screws with a 10mm socket.
- 6) Pry off the door panel controller using a plastic pry bar. Disconnect wiring and remove the controller.
- 7) With the plastic pry bar, pry around the triangular panel as shown.
- 8) Lift up and slowly pull door panel out partially.
- 9) Release the door lever rod with a needle nose pliers. Remove and set door panel aside.

Mirror Housing Removal



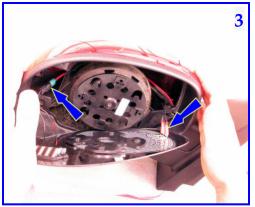


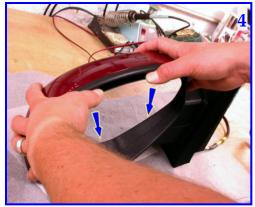
- 1) Carefully remove the (3) wire retention clips on door frame with a clip removal tool.
- 2) Secure the mirror housing with one hand, remove the (3) nuts holding the mirror housing to the door frame using a 10mm socket. <u>WARNING</u>: Not securing mirror housing with one hand before loosening the nuts could cause the mirror housing to fall and become damaged. Carefully remove mirror housing from door frame and set mirror housing on a cloth covered surface.

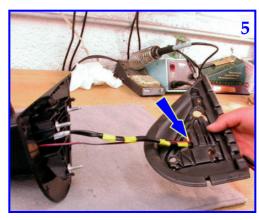
Mirror Replacement











WARNING: Safety glasses and sturdy gloves are required for mirror replacement.

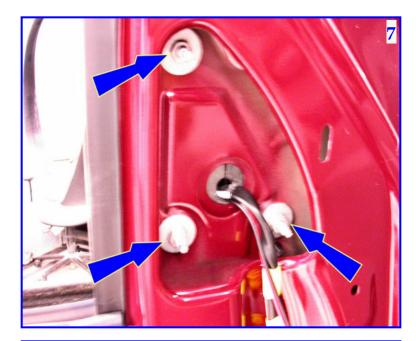
- 1) Push down on the lower edge of the mirror until mirror pivots fully inward. Insert a clip removal tool into the gap between mirror and mirror housing, slowly press to release mirror from motor actuator. If heated, disconnect heater wires from heater terminals and remove mirror.
- 2) Remove the foam insulation on the housing sail. Using the shorter of the two harnesses from the wiring kit, route the end without the connector starting from inside the outboard edge of housing, going behind motor actuator and thru to the housing sail.
- 3) Pull the *Signal*® mirror wire harness thru housing sail leaving about 4" to 6" of the wire harness inside mirror housing.

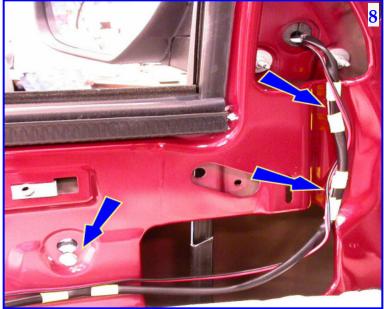
 Connect the mating connectors on the new *Signal*® mirror and the *Signal*® mirror wire harness. Using electrical tape, secure the two connectors together to prevent future disconnection. <u>If heated</u>, reconnect the heater wires to the heater terminals on the back of the new *Signal*® mirror. <u>NOTE</u>: There is no polarity so the wires may be interchanged.
- 4) Carefully tuck all wiring behind motor actuator. Not doing so, could result in wiring interfering with mirror travel. If anti-vibration tab is present, carefully tuck the anti-vibration tab within mirror housing. Align the Signal® mirror motor mount with the motor actuator in the mirror housing closest to the upper edge of the housing. Slowly push downward until motor mount snaps onto motor actuator. CAUTION:

 Press down on all sides to ensure the new Signal® mirror is fully seated and functional. Not doing so, could result in new Signal® mirror falling off.
- 5) Route all wires thru sail foam insulation. Replace foam insu-

Mirror Replacement Continued

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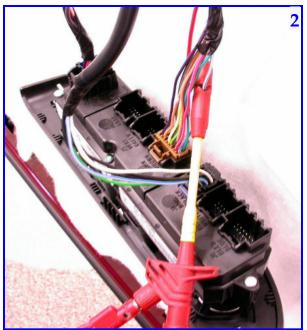




- 7) Guide all wire harnesses thru the access hole in the door frame and position the mirror housing assembly on the mirror mount. Attach the mirror housing to the mirror mount with three mirror mounting nuts. WARNING! Do not over tighten the mirror mounting nuts.
- 8) Replace the (3) retention clips on the OEM wire to the door frame. Route the *Signal*® mirror wire harness alongside OEM wire as shown.

Wire Routing



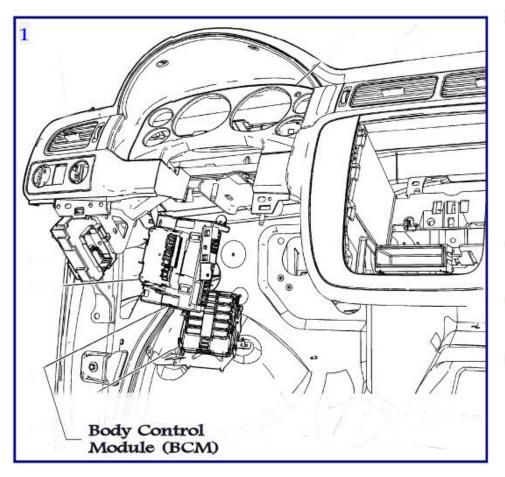


- 1) Locate the grounding bolt shown on the door frame. Cut and split the red w/ black stripe wire and the black wire on the *Signal®* mirror wire harness. Route the black wire to the grounding bolt location. Cut the black wire to length, making sure enough slack is left for splicing. Splice the black wire and attach it to one of the supplied grounding rings. Attach the grounding ring to the grounding bolt on the door frame.
- 2) The wiring location for the driver side turn directional is located in the driver side door panel control module. Replace all wiring onto the door panel control module. Locate the LIGHT BLUE w/ WHITE stripe wire within the wire loom shown. Turn the ignition key so that electrical power is on and activate the driver side turn indicator. Probe the wire with the wire tester to verify that flashing turn directional power is present. Label that wire as 'driver side indicator'.
- * Before proceeding, please read remainder of instructions for information regarding wiring identification and options*
- ** Repeat all of the previous steps to replace the factory mirror on the passenger side door with the new Signal® mirror.
- 3) The wiring location for the passenger side turn directional is located in the passenger side door panel control module. Replace all wiring onto the door panel control module. Locate the DARK BLUE w/ WHITE stripe wire within the wire loom. Turn the ignition key so that electrical power is on and activate the passenger side turn indicator. Probe the wire with the wire tester to verify that flashing turn directional power is present. Label that wire as 'passenger side indicator'.

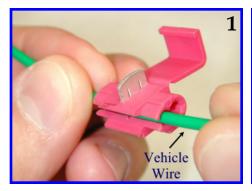
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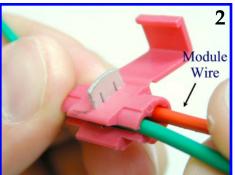
NOTE: If for some reason you cannot find the turn indicator wires, in the door panel areas, as specified above. Please see next page for additional wire routing and locating information.

Wire Routing Continued



- The wiring location for the driver side and passenger side turn directional is located in the "Body Control Module (BCM)" behind the knee panel, under the steering column. Remove the kick panels and the knee panel to gain access to route wires.
- 2) Continued routing the black w/ red trace wire inside door frame, thru rubber boot, and into vehicle. Route the black w/ red trace wire to the BCM location under the steering column. Make sure there are enough slack in the wire for splicing. Find the connector X5 (25-Way F HIT Series, Color: Brown) within the BCM. Locate the LIGHT BLUE w/ WHITE stripe wire (pin 4) in the BCM. Turn the ignition key so that electrical power is on and activate the driver side turn indicator. Probe the wire with the wire tester to verify that flashing turn directional power is present. Label that wire as 'driver side indicator'.
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- *** Continued routing the, passenger side, black w/ red trace wire inside door frame, thru rubber boot, and into vehicle. Route the wire under the dash across to the BCM location under the steering column. Make sure there are enough slack in the wire for splicing. Find the connector X4 (25-Way F HIT Series, Color: Black) within the BCM. Locate the DARK BLUE w/ WHITE stripe wire (pin 5) in the BCM. Turn the ignition key so that electrical power is on and activate the driver side turn indicator. Probe the wire with the wire tester to verify that flashing turn directional power is present. Label that wire as 'passenger side









USE THE INCLUDED WIRE TAPS AND FOLLOW THE FOUR STEPS ABOVE TO SPLICE INTO THE TURN INDICATOR WIRES

- A. Make sure the harnesses are routed securely and enough slack is left for splicing.
- B. Splice the RED wire from the driver side harness into the wire previously labeled 'driver side indicator'.
- C. Splice the RED wire from the passenger side harness into the wire previously labeled 'passenger side indicator'.
- D. Activate each turn indicator to verify that the *Signal*® mirrors are working properly.
- E. Reconnect all original wiring. Turn the ignition power to on, check to verify all features are working properly.
- F. Replace the plastic door frame moldings, trim, door panels, and all accessories.

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