# CorkSport LED 3rd Brake light

2010+ Mazda 3 Hatchback



Thank you for purchasing the CorkSport Mazda 3 Hatchback LED 3<sup>rd</sup> Brake Light. This LED brake light replacement is a premium quality light assembly that includes ten LED lights in the lens and has been built for durability and reliability. Precision manufactured to match the OEM factory specifications, the CorkSport LED Brake Light is easy to install is the perfect addition to your Mazda 3 hatchback. Please let us know your feedback by submitting a review of this product at http://www.corksport.com/corksport-2010-mazda-3sedan-brake-light.html

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## **Pre-Installation Notes:**



**These instructions were written for reference only** and the use of a factory service manual is recommended. Please read these instructions thoroughly prior to starting installation



These installation instructions were written using a 2012 Mazda 3 Hatchback.

## Materials and Time:



General Info. Part #: AxI-8-062 Time Est: ½ Hour Wrench Rating: 1/5



**Tooling List** Flathead Screwdriver Parts List LED Third Brake Light

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# Part # Ax1-8-062

### **Detailed Instructions**

These instructions are made for 2010+ Mazda 3 Hatchback

#### 1. Removing Factory Brake Light

a) Remove the 3<sup>rd</sup> brake light cover. Open the rear hatchback and from inside the car pull the cover off the top of the rear hatch back. (Shown in Figure 1a)

The cover requires a bit of force. Be sure not to bend or damage the cover when removing it.

b) Remove the lens on the 3<sup>rd</sup> brake light. Using a flat head screwdriver, pry the two tabs out slightly (circled in Figure 1c) and pull up on the lens. It will come out easily. Figure 1b shows the cover and Figure 1c shows the corner you will pry on.



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Figure 1a



Figure 1c



#### Figure 1b

- c) Remove the plug (circled in Figure 1b). Twist the plug away from you and it will come out with the bulb attached.
- d) Remove the Light bulb. Twist the light bulb to remove it.
- 2. Installing the CorkSport LED 3rd Brake Light
  - a) Install the CorkSport LED 3<sup>rd</sup> brake light. Place the LED brake light in through the top letting the black and red wires hang through the opening the bulb came out of (shown in Figure 2a). Making sure the tabs are aligned, push down on the LED until it clips into place.



Figure 2a

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#### 2. Installing the CorkSport LED 3 rd Brake Light Continued...

#### b) Plug the two wires into the grey connector (circled in Figure 2a).

The LED's will only work when the plug is connected correctly. Test the brake light with everything plugged together and verify that it works. If it does not illuminate, unplug the Grey connector and the wires coming from the LED, then reverse the wiring and check that the LED illuminates.

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c) Reinsert the grey connector into the 3<sup>rd</sup> brake light assembly (shown in Figure 2b).



Figure 2b

d) Reconnect the plastic from the hatch. The plastic should push down and clip in easily with a pop.

This completes the installation of your LED Mazda 3 Hatchback 3<sup>rd</sup> brakelight. Check out our <u>knowledgebase</u> for additional install information

### What's Next:

#### CorkSport License Plate Bracket Relocation Kit For 2010+ Mazda 3



**Give your 2010+ Mazda 3 a visual boost and improve airflow** with the CorkSport License Plate Relocation Kit. By offsetting your factory license plate and moving it to the drivers side, the CorkSport license plate relocation kit will allow for better airflow and improve the overall look of your 2010+ mazda 3.

#### CorkSport LED Fog Light Kit

Add a functional modern style to your Mazda with the CorkSport LED Fog Lighting Kit. With an output similar to that of most HID light kits in the 6000k color range, the CorkSport LED Fog kit replaces the fog lights with the modern sleek look of blue/white LED's.



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