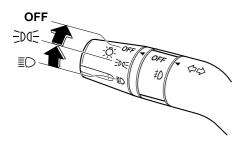
Lighting Control

▼Headlights

Type A (Without AUTO position)



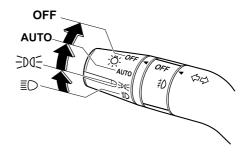
Turn the headlight switch to turn the headlights, other exterior lights and dashboard illumination on or off.

Switch Position	OFF	ED DE	≣D
Headlights	Off	Off	On
Taillights Parking lights License lights Side-marker lights Dashboard illumination	Off	On	On

NOTE

- If the light switch is left on, the lights will automatically switch off (if equipped) approximately 30 seconds after turning the ignition switch to the ACC or LOCK position.
- To prevent discharging the battery, do not leave the lights on while the engine is off unless safety requires them.

Type B (With AUTO position)



Turn the headlight switch to turn the headlights, other exterior lights and dashboard illumination on or off.

Switch Position	OFF	ED DE	≣D	AUTO
Headlights	Off	Off	On	
Taillights Parking lights License lights Side-marker lights Dashboard illumination	Off	On	On	Auto

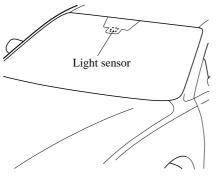
NOTE

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- To prevent discharging the battery, do not leave the lights on while the engine is off unless safety requires them.

AUTO (Auto-light control)

When the headlight switch is in the AUTO position and the ignition switch is in the ON position, the light sensor senses the surrounding lightness or darkness and automatically turns on or off the headlights, other exterior lights and dashboard illumination (see chart above).

Do not shade the light sensor by adhering a sticker or a label on the windshield. Otherwise the light sensor will not operate correctly.



The light sensor also works as a rain sensor for the auto-wiper control. Keep hands and scrapers clear of the windshield when the ignition switch is in the ON position as fingers could be pinched or the wipers and wiper blades damaged when the wipers activate automatically. If you are going to clean the windshield, be sure the wipers are turned off completely - this is particularly important when clearing ice and snow - when it is particularly tempting to leave the engine running.

NOTE

- The light may not turn off immediately even if the surrounding area becomes well-lit because the light sensor determines that it is nighttime if the surrounding area is continuously dark for several minutes such as inside long tunnels, traffic jams inside tunnels, or in indoor parking lots. In this case, the light turns off if the light switch is turned to the OFF position.
- The timing for turning on the headlights, other exterior lights and dashboard illumination can be delayed by adjusting the sensitivity of the light sensor. Consult an Authorized Mazda Dealer regarding sensor adjustment.
- The sensitivity of the AUTO lights may be changed by an Authorized Mazda Dealer.

Xenon fusion headlight bulbs *

The low-beam bulbs of the headlights have xenon fusion bulbs that produce a bright white beam over a wide area.

Do not replace the xenon fusion bulbs yourself:

Replacing the xenon fusion bulbs yourself is dangerous. Because the xenon fusion bulbs require high voltage, you could receive an electric shock if the bulbs are handled incorrectly. Consult an Authorized Mazda Dealer when the replacement is necessary.

NOTE

If the headlights flicker, or the brightness weakens, the bulb-life may be depleted and a replacement is necessary. Consult an Authorized Mazda Dealer.

▼Lights-On Reminder*

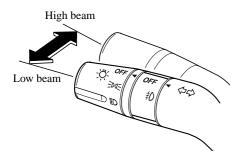
If lights are on and the key is removed from the ignition switch, a continuous beep sound will be heard when the driver's door is opened.

NOTE

When the advanced keyless function is used and the start knob is in the ACC position, the Start Knob Not in Lock Warning Beep (page 3-17) overrides the lights-on reminder.

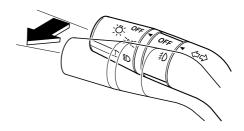
▼Headlight High-Low Beam

Push the lever forward for high beam. Pull back to original position for low beam.



▼ Flashing the Headlights

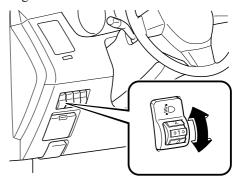
To flash the headlights, pull the lever fully toward you. The headlight switch does not need to be on, and the lever will return to the normal position when released.



▼Headlight Leveling*

The number of passengers and weight of cargo in the luggage compartment change the angle of the headlights.

The headlight leveling switch adjusts this angle.



From	Front seat		Rear seat		Switch
Driver	Passenger	Second- row	Third- row	Load	Position
×	_		_	—	0
×	×		_	—	0
×	×	_	×	_	1
×	×	×	×	_	1
×	×	×	×	×	2
×	_	_	_	х	3

Select the proper setting from the following chart.

×: Yes

—: No

▼Daytime Running Lights (Canada)

In Canada, vehicles must be driven with the headlights on during daytime operation.

For that reason, the daytime running lights automatically turn on when the ignition switch is turned to the ON position.

NOTE

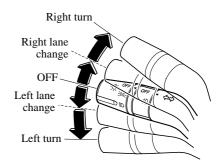
The Daytime Running Lights turn off when the parking brake is applied.

Turn and Lane-Change Signals

▼Turn Signal

Move the signal lever down (for a left turn) or up (for a right turn) to the stop position. The signal will self-cancel after the turn is completed.

If the indicator light continues to flash after a turn, manually return the lever to its original position.



Green indicators on the dashboard show which signal is working.

Lane-change signals

Move the lever slightly toward the direction of the change —until the indicator flashes— and hold it there. It will return to the off position when released.

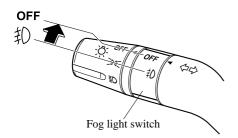
NOTE

If an indicator light stays on without flashing or if it flashes abnormally, one of the turn signal bulbs may be burned out.

Fog Lights*

Use this switch to turn on the fog lights. They help you to see as well as to be seen.

To turn the fog lights on, rotate the fog light switch to the \ddagger position. The headlight switch must be in the \equiv position to turn on the fog lights.



To turn them off, rotate the fog light switch to the OFF position or turn the headlight switch to the SOOS or OFF position.

NOTE

- The fog lights will turn off when the headlights are set at high beam.
- (With auto-light control)

If the fog light switch is in the ON position and the headlight switch is in the AUTO position, the fog lights will be turned on when the headlights, the exterior lights and dashboard illumination are automatically turned on.

Windshield Wipers and Washer

The ignition switch must be in the ON position.

Use only windshield washer fluid or plain water in the reservoir:

Using radiator antifreeze as washer fluid is dangerous. If sprayed on the windshield, it will dirty the windshield, affect your visibility, and could result in an accident.

Only use windshield washer fluid mixed with anti-freeze protection in freezing weather conditions:

Using windshield washer fluid without anti-freeze protection in freezing weather conditions is dangerous as it could freeze on the windshield and block your vision which could cause an accident. In addition, make sure the windshield is sufficiently warmed using the defroster before spraying the washer fluid.