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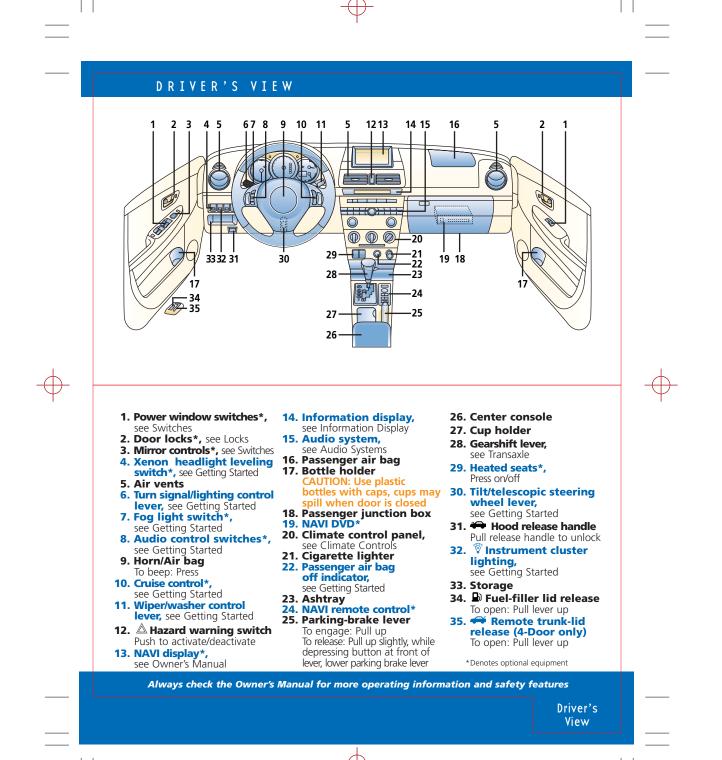
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The Driver's View tab is your index to the Quick Tips[®], locate the item you would like to learn more about and then turn to the listed tab

This Getting Started section contains important operating tips about your MAZDA3 Items identified in blue text call out important information



Remote entry system*

Functions only with ignition key not inserted To lock doors: Press

LOCK (1); pressing again within 5 seconds causes doors/liftgate to re-lock, horn to beep once and hazard warning lights to flash once if doors/liftgate properly closed To unlock: Press UNLOCK (2) for driver's door, hazard warning lights will flash twice, press again within 5 seconds for all other doors Panic alarm: Press (3); horn sounds, parking lights flash; press any button on transmitter to stop After unlocking with the transmitter, all doors or the liftgate will automatically lock if a door or the liftgate is not opened within about 30 seconds

Instrument panel lighting



With headlights ON: To brighten/dim turn thumbwheel up/down



Headlights/parking lights ON, ignition key must be ON: Illumination changes brightness when dimmer switch $(\mathbf{4})$ is pressed (if equipped with black-out meter)

With headlights OFF[†], key ON: Press instrument cluster dimmer select button (4) to select between 5 brightness settings for instrument cluster

HID headlights leveling switch



Adjusts headlight angle to compensate for weight of passengers and cargo, see Owner's Manual



Tilt/telescopic steering-wheel lever Pull lever (5)

down to unlock column, position tilt angle and length of steerina column position

steering wheel to be adjusted closer or farther according to driver's reach

WARNING: Do not adjust steering-wheel while driving Passenger air bag deactivation

indicator light Front air bag deactivation indicator light provides current status of front passenger air bag and pretensioner system If total seated weight on front passenger seat is less than

approximately 66 lb., front passenger air bag deactivation indicator light illuminates, air bag/pretensioner will not deploy/activate in an accident If the total seated weight is greater than approximately 93 lb., light does not illuminate, and the air bag/pretensioner will deploy/activate in an appropriate accident, see Owner's Manual for additional information on this feature and the air bag system Passenger sensing

operation See Driver's View

PAD indicator on dash will illuminate when passenger air bag is deactivated, child-restraint seat with child that weighs a combined total of 66 lbs. or less will deactivate front passenger air bag/pretensioner See Owner's Manual

MWARNINGS: Never place rear-facing infant-safety seat in front of any air bag, an infant is in serious danger of being injured or killed If you must install a forward-facing child-safety seat in the front seating position, move vehicle seat as far back as possible

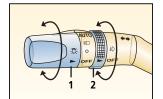
(!) Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)*

Warning light illuminates for a few seconds with ignition on If tire pressure is low, warning light illuminates with audible beep sound, adjust tire pressure to correct specifications, perform tire pressure adjustment before driving, a digital tire pressure gauge is recommended Flashing warning light may indicate malfunction, dealer inspection required *Denotes optional equipment [†]See Owner's Manua

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Turn signal/lighting control lever

OFF = Lights off O = Tail, parking and dashboard lights on: Rotate knob (1) to first notch

■ = Tail, parking, dashboard and headlights on: Rotate knob (1) to second notch

AUTO* = With ignition switch in ON position; headlights and exterior lights automatically turn ON/OFF depending on surrounding darkness/lightness; rotate knob (**1**) to third notch

High beams on/off: Push forward/pull back to detent To flash high beams: Pull back slightly and release Turn signals right/left: Move

lever up/down $\mathfrak{D} = \text{Fog lights}^* \text{ on: Rotate } (\mathbf{2});$

functions only with headlight low beams on

Tip: Headlights switch off, parking lights remain on, if lights are left on and switch is in lock position or key removed

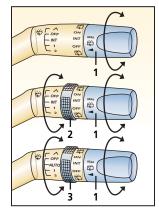


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> Operates above 19 mph Press MAIN (3) to turn system

To set speed: Accelerate to desired speed and press SET/COAST (5) To accelerate: Press and hold RES/ACCEL (**4**); release button at desired speed To decelerate: Press and hold SET/COAST (5); release button at desired speed Incremental acceleration: Press and

release (**4**); each tap = plus 1 mph Incremental deceleration: Press and release (5); each tap = minus 1 mph To cancel: Press CANCEL (6) or MAIN (**3**); tap brake pedal or depress clutch pedal*



Wiper/washer control lever Single wipe: Push lever up Washer: Pull back, also operates wipers

Intermittent wiper: One click down To change interval speed: Rotate inner ring* (**2**) Normal wiper speed: Two clicks down High-speed wiper: Three clicks down Auto*: One click down Rain sensor senses rain amount on windshield, then controls wiper automatically

Rain sensor sensitivity is adjusted from high sensitivity (+) to less sensitivity (-) by rotating ring (3)

Rear window wiper/washer (5-Door only)

To activate rear interval wiper: Rotate knob (1) up to INT To activate rear normal speed wiper: Rotate knob (1) up to ON To activate rear washer: Rotate knob ($\mathbf{1}$) to $\mathbf{\Omega}$ and release



Steeringwheel audio controls* To increase/

decrease volume: Press (4)

Radio: Press ▲ / ▼(5) less than one second to select next/previous preset station, press \blacktriangle / \checkmark (5) more than one second until beep sound is heard to seek next/previous station Cassette*/CD: Press ▲ (5) to select next selection/track, press **v** (5) to repeat current selection/track

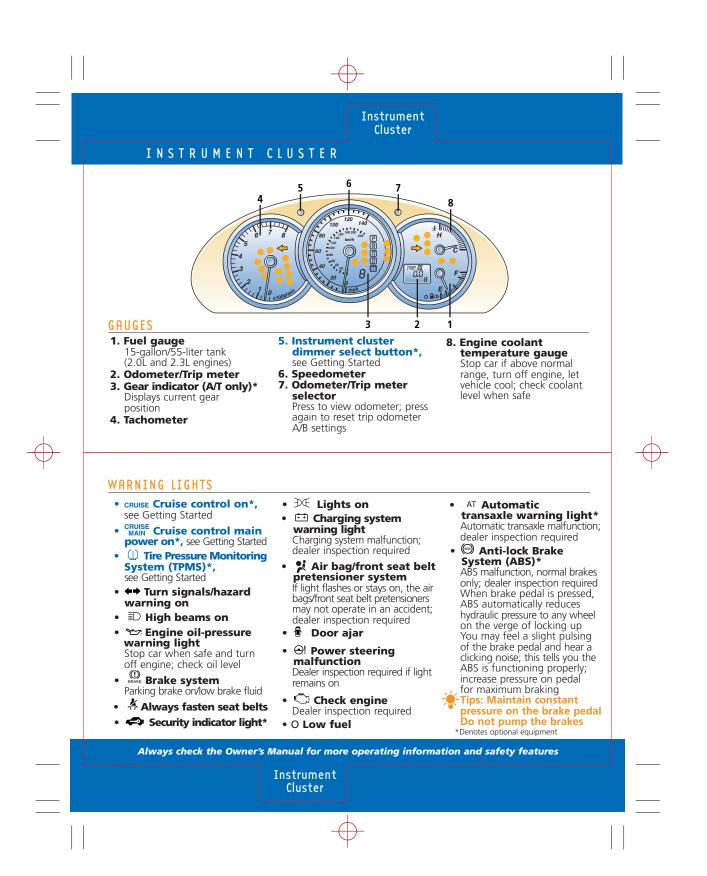
Press (6) to select FM1, FM2, AM, SAT 1*, 2*, 3*, CD and Cassette* Press (7) to mute audio/NAVI system



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Locks

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Operates ignition and alİ locks - Tip: Use key number plate to purchase a new key; store in safe place



Illuminated entry system Activates interior lights when dome light switch set to DOOR position; lights off after driver's door is locked or ignition in ON position



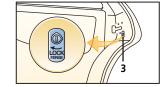
locks* Master front door locks switches

To lock/unlock all doors: Press bottom/top of switch (1) To lock doors without key: With door open, press bottom of door lock switch, exit car, close doors

To unlock: Use key to unlock driver's front door, rotate key to counterclockwise position for more than one second to unlock \triangle WARNINGS: Since children other doors

Manual door locks Lock button To lock: Press front of button

(2) toward door handle To unlock: Pull front of button away from door handle



Child-safety locks Located at the edge of rear doors To activate: Rotate childproof lock (3) in direction of arrow using key tip (doors open from outside only); rotate in opposite direction to deactivate

may access either rear door, child-safety locks for both rear doors should be activated Never leave a child in car with key in ignition

3. Power window lockout switch:

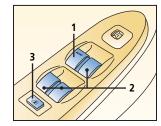
driver's window operates;

press again and passenger

Press down until it clicks, only

window switches function again

2. Passenger window switches: Push down and hold to open, pull back and hold to close



Power windows*

Ignition must be on All windows controlled from the driver's armrest; passenger doors have separate switches

1. Driver's window: One-touchdown; push down firmly and release, window goes down all the way; pull switch back briefly to stop; press lightly and hold for normal operation

Dual power mirrors* Ignition must be in ACC or ON

To adjust left/right mirror: Press control switch (1) left/right. press switch (2) in direction of desired mirror movement Tip: To lock mirrors in place, move control switch to center position



Manual mirrors To adjust: Move knob (**3**) on door

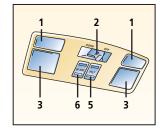
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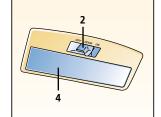
Interior Lights

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1. Map/reading light switch* Press on/off

- 2. Interior light switch DOOR = light on when door open ON = light always on OFF = light always off
- 3. Front interior light
- 4. Rear interior light



- 5. Sunroof tilt switch* Press rear of switch to tilt rear of sunroof Press front of switch to close
- 6. Sunroof slide switch* Press rear of switch to open sunroof Press front of switch to close



- 7. Cargo light* (5-Door) ON = Light always on OFF = Light always off Cargo light* (4-Door)
- Light on with trunk open See Trunk/Cargo Area **Driver/passenger**

covered visor mirrors To access mirror: Lower visor



Automatic Transaxle* Gearshift must be in Park or Neutral to start engine; it must be in Park to remove ignition key



To move gearshift from Park: Press firmly on brake pedal then move the shift lever out of P

R = Reverse N = Neutral No gear engaged

D Drive (Overdrive) For normal driving: Shifts through all forward gears automatically



M (Sport A/T manual shift mode) Move shifter from D to M to engage manual shift mode, M will be illuminated for manual mode on

shift position indicator located in the instrument panel Manual shifting of transmission is achieved by moving shifter back to upshift and forward to

back to upshift and forward to downshift, move shifter from M to D to engage automatic shift mode

Gear indicator (A/T only)* Illuminated numeral of gear indicator located in the instrument panel displays current gear in Automatic and Manual shift modes



Manual transaxle Depress clutch pedal to start engine and change gears



Ignition key release button (M/T only) Press button (1) to remove key from ignition

Tips: Do not shift into 1st above 20 mph or clutch failure could occur

Resting your foot on clutch pedal while driving or using the clutch to hold your vehicle at a standstill while waiting on a hill may reduce clutch life

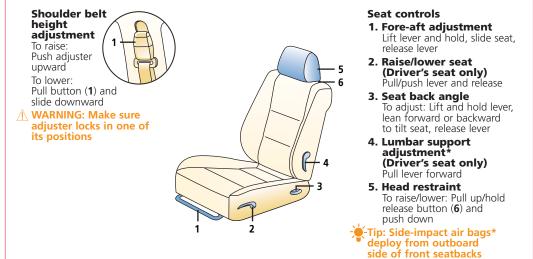
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Transaxle

Seats

SEATS



A WARNINGS: Do not adjust seats while driving

Safety belts must always be worn when vehicle is in motion Air bags are supplemental and do not replace safety belt usage

Always wear your safety belt and properly secure children 12 and under in the rear seat Never place rear-facing infant-safety seat in front of any air bag, an infant is in serious danger of being injured or killed

If you must install a forwardfacing child-safety seat in the front seating position, move vehicle seat as far back as possible Use age appropriate child restraints, see Owner's Manual and state or province laws

Child-safety seat

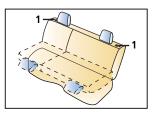
To install in rear outboard seats: Use dual locking mode retractor seat belts; see Owner's Manual for proper installation and child seat tether and LATCH system instructions

Safety belt emergency

locking mode Belts lock only on hard acceleration, braking, cornering or impacts of about 5 mph or more

Automatic locking mode (front passenger and all rear safety belts only) Must be used when installing

child-safety seat To activate: Pull belt fully out of retractor, allow belt to retract until click is heard; belt will only tighten To disengage: Unbuckle belt and allow belt to retract fully



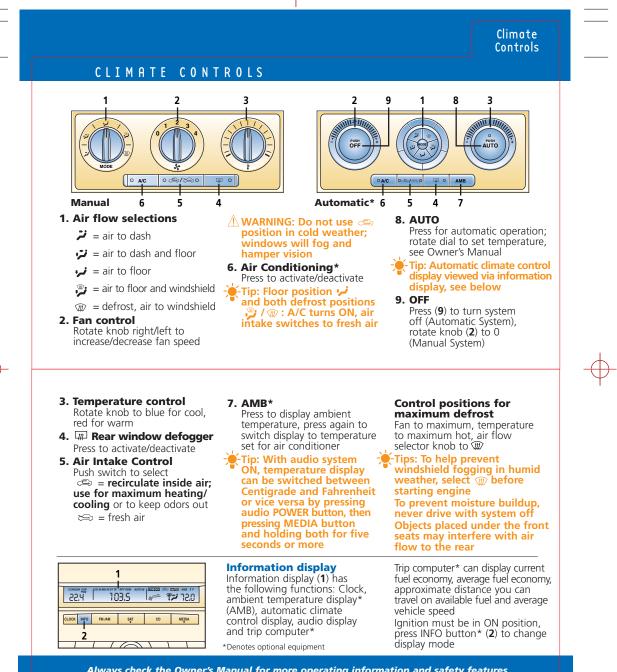
Split fold-down rear seatbacks To fold: Push release knob (**1**), push seatback down To return and lock: Push seatback firmly until latched, make sure seatbelts are returned to original positions

-Tip: 4-Door has seatback locks as part of trunk security

Æ WARNING: Lower seatback slowly using both hands, seatback is heavy and could cause personal injury *Denotes optional equipment

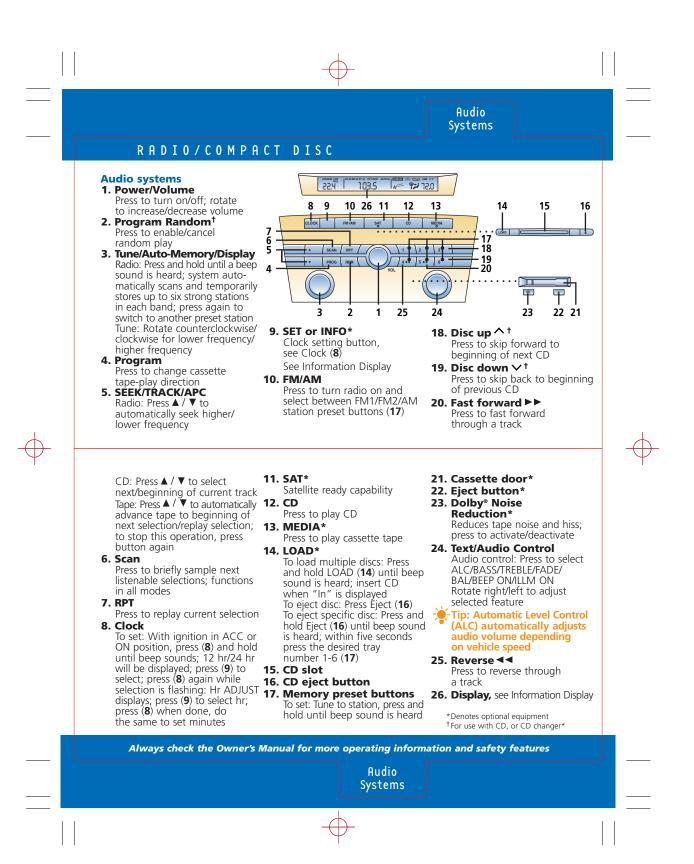
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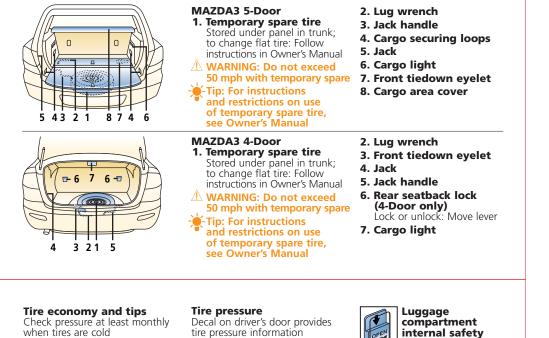
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Information Display



Trunk/ Cargo Ar<u>ea</u>

TRUNK/CARGO AREA



Tires should be of the same make, kind and dimension Maintain correct front-end alignment and tire balance; rotate tires at 7,500-mile intervals; see Owner's Manual for rotation chart

tire pressure information

Tire chains*† Use only SAE Class "S" chains; install on front tires as tightly as possible and re-tighten periodically; do not use chains on dry roads, aluminum wheels, or with tire pressure monitor system, damage may occur, use on steel wheels only



Allows you to escape should you become locked in trunk Slide illuminated release lever in direction of arrow; lever will glow if it has been exposed to light Located on interior trunk lid

*Denotes optional equipment [†]See Owner's Manual

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