

JE: Integrated Ignition Coil Pack A, B, or C Failure

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JE1 CHECK FOR DIAGNOSTIC TROUBLE CODES (DTCs)

Are DTCs P0350, P0351, P0352, or P0353 present?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE2 . | For all other DTCs, GO to Section 4, Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) Charts and Descriptions . |

JE2 DETERMINE WHICH COIL IS NOT FIRING PROPERLY

Note: Electronic ignition engine timing is entirely controlled by the PCM. Electronic ignition timing is NOT adjustable. Do not attempt to check base timing. You will receive false readings.

- Determine which coil is not firing properly using the information from Pinpoint Test JB or a DTC and the table at the beginning of this pinpoint test.
- Record the suspect cylinder, coil and PCM pin number from the table.

Is the suspect cylinder number, coil driver and PCM pin number recorded?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE3 . | To obtain the required information, REPEAT step, GO to JE2 . |

JE3 DTC P0351, P0352, P0353: CHECK IGN START/RUN VOLTAGE TO THE COIL PACK

- Suspect coil connector disconnected.
- Ignition ON, engine OFF.
- Measure the voltage between:

| (+) Coil Pack Assembly Connector, Harness Side | (-) |
|--|--------|
| IGN START/RUN | Ground |

Is the voltage greater than 10 V?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE4 . | <p>The IGN START/RUN has a circuit concern. CHECK the condition of the related fuses/fuse links. If OK, REPAIR the open circuit. If the fuse/fuse link is damaged, CHECK the IGN START/RUN circuit for a short to ground. REPAIR as necessary. CARRY OUT the misfire monitor drive cycle. REFER to Section 2, On Board Diagnostic (OBD) Drive Cycle.</p> <p>CLEAR the DTCs. REPEAT the self-test.</p> |

JE4 CHECK THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE SUSPECT COIL DRIVER (CD) CIRCUIT

- Ignition OFF.
- Remove the fuel pump fuse to disable the fuel pump.
- Connect a test lamp between IGN START/RUN and the suspect CD circuit (determined from the table) at the coil pack harness connector.
- Observe the test lamp while cranking the engine.

Does the test lamp blink consistently?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE8 . | GO to JE5 . |

JE5 CHECK THE SUSPECT CD CIRCUIT FOR AN OPEN IN THE HARNESS

- Ignition OFF.
- PCM connector disconnected.
- Measure the resistance between:

| (+) Coil Pack Assembly Connector, Harness Side | (-) PCM Connector, Harness Side |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| Suspect coil driver | Suspect coil driver |

Is the resistance less than 5 ohms?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE6 . | REPAIR the open circuit. CARRY out the misfire monitor drive cycle. REFER to Section 2, On Board Diagnostic (OBD) Drive Cycle . CLEAR the DTCs. REPEAT the self-test. |

JE6 CHECK THE SUSPECT CD CIRCUIT FOR A SHORT TO VOLTAGE IN THE HARNESS

- Ignition ON, engine OFF.
- Measure the voltage between:

| (+) PCM Connector, Harness Side | (-) |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Suspect coil driver | Ground |

Is any voltage present?

| Yes | No |
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| REPAIR the short circuit. CARRY out the misfire monitor drive cycle. REFER to Section 2, On Board Diagnostic (OBD) Drive Cycle . CLEAR the DTCs. REPEAT the self-test. | GO to JE7 . |

JE7 CHECK THE SUSPECT CD CIRCUIT FOR A SHORT TO GROUND IN THE HARNESS

- Ignition OFF.
- Measure the resistance between:

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|-----------------------------------|--------|
| (+) PCM Connector, Harness Side | (-) |
| Suspect coil driver | Ground |

Is the resistance greater than 10K ohms?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to JE9 . | REPAIR the short circuit. CARRY out the misfire monitor drive cycle. REFER to Section 2, On Board Diagnostic (OBD) Drive Cycle . CLEAR the DTCs. REPEAT the self-test. |

JE8 CHECK THE SUSPECT COIL FOR DAMAGE

- Ignition OFF.
- Remove the spark plug wire from the suspect coil tower (as determined from the table).
- Connect the Air Gap Spark Tester 303-D037 (D81P-6666-A) or equivalent to the suspect spark plug wire.
- Observe the spark tester while cranking the engine.

Is a bluish-white spark present?

| Yes | No |
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| GO to Pinpoint Test Z . | INSTALL a new coil pack as needed. REFER to the Workshop Manual Section 303-07, Engine Ignition. CARRY out the misfire monitor drive cycle. REFER to Section 2, On Board Diagnostic (OBD) Drive Cycle . CLEAR the DTCs. REPEAT the self-test. |

JE9 CHECK FOR CORRECT PCM OPERATION

- Disconnect all the PCM connectors.
- Visually inspect for:
 - pushed out pins
 - corrosion
- Connect all the PCM connectors and make sure they seat correctly.
- Carry out the PCM self-test and verify the concern is still present.

Is the concern still present?

| Yes | No |
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| INSTALL a new PCM. REFER to Section 2, Flash Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory (EEPROM) , Programming the VID Block for a Replacement PCM. | The system is operating correctly at this time. The concern may have been caused by a loose or corroded connector. |

