



Applies To: **2014 Accord Plug-In** – Check the iN VIN status for eligibility

May 23, 2013

Product Update: PCU Coolant Temperature Sensor Fails (Supersedes 13-039, dated April 24, 2013; see REVISION SUMMARY)

REVISION SUMMARY

Under REPAIR PROCEDURE, the information about California Vehicle Emissions Recall was deleted.

BACKGROUND

If the power control unit (PCU) coolant temperature sensor fails, the gasoline engine will start unnecessarily while driving in battery electric mode, but the malfunction indicator lamp (MIL) will not come on.

CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION

Owners of affected vehicles will be notified of this product update starting in May 2013.

Before doing work on a vehicle, verify its eligibility by doing an iN VIN status inquiry.

Some vehicles affected by this product update may be in your new or used vehicle inventory. Repair these vehicles before they are sold.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

Update the HEV generator motor software.

SOFTWARE INFORMATION

NOTE: Unnecessary or incorrect repairs resulting from a failure to update the MVCI or HDS are not covered under warranty.

MVCI Control Module (CM) update:

Application version 3.01.27 **or later**

Database Update 16 April 2013 **or later**

HDS Software Version:

3.009.011 **or later**

Before beginning the repair, make sure that both the HDS and the MVCI are updated as listed above.

Do only the update listed in this service bulletin.

Check that the MVCI indicates the applicable program ID listed below (or a later program ID) as the Recommended Update when the update begins.

If the MVCI displays "This vehicle does not need an update at this time" during the update, the software for this service bulletin is already installed.

Year/Model	Program ID (or later)	Program P/N (or later)
2014 Accord Plug-In	K0A070	K022-5K0-A07

For more information about updating the HDS, the MVCI, and vehicle systems, refer to Service Bulletin 01-023, *Updating Control Units/Modules*.

WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

Operation Number: 1185A7

Flat Rate Time: 0.3 hour

Failed Part: P/N 1B000-5K0-A01

Defect Code: 5YZ00

Symptom Code: S9400

Skill Level: Repair Technician

REPAIR PROCEDURE

Update the HEV generator motor software using the MVCI. Refer to Service Bulletin 01-023, *Updating Control Units/Modules*.