

HYBRID AND ENERGI—COLD WEATHER CHARGING IMPROVEMENTS

TSB 13-6-23

FORD:
2013 C-MAX, Fusion

LINCOLN:
2013 MKZ

The article supersedes TSB **13-5-1** to update the Title, Issue Statement and Service Procedure.

ISSUE

Some 2013 C-Max Hybrid/Energi vehicles built on or before 4/9/2013 and Fusion Hybrid/Energi and MKZ Hybrid vehicles built on or before 6/12/2013 may exhibit a 12-volt battery which is unable to maintain a charge or becomes discharged when the vehicle is operated with maximum electrical loads for short drive cycles and then left unattended for several hours during cold weather temperatures, less than 0 degrees Celcius (32 degrees Fahrenheit).

ACTION

Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition.

SERVICE PROCEDURE

1. Does the concern occur only when the ambient temperature is below 0 °C (32 °F)?
 - a. Yes - proceed to Step 2.
 - b. No - this article does not apply. Refer to Workshop Manual, Section 414-01 for normal diagnosis.
2. Reprogram the Direct Current/Direct Current (DC/DC) Converter Control Module to the latest calibration using IDS release 84.02 and higher. Calibration files may also be obtained at www.motorcraft.com.

WARRANTY STATUS: Eligible Under Provisions Of New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage
Warranty/ESP coverage limits/policies/prior approvals are not altered by a TSB.
Warranty/ESP coverage limits are determined by the identified causal part and verified using the OASIS part coverage tool.

OPERATION	DESCRIPTION	TIME
130623A	2013 C-MAX, Fusion Hybrid, Fusion Energi and MKZ Hybrid: Reprogram The Direct Current/Direct Current Converter Module (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operation)	0.2 Hr.

DEALER CODING

BASIC PART NO.	CONDITION CODE
14B227	04

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