Service Bulletin

15-038

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Hesitation, Surge, High Idle, or Auto Idle Stop Does Not Work

AFFECTED VEHICLES

Year	Model	Trim	VIN Range
2015	TLX	V6 with A/T	ALL

SYMPTOM

The vehicle hesitates, surges, idles high, shifts hard, or auto idle stop does not work.

POSSIBLE CAUSE

The idle learn is unable to relearn its parameters when the CAN system is interrupted during an ECM, TCM, or control unit update.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

Update the PGM-FI software.

SOFTWARE INFORMATION

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

MVCI Control Module (CM) Update:

Application Version 3.01.42 or later

Database update 25-JUN-2015 or later

HDS Software Version:

3.016.033 or later

Before beginning the update, make sure that both the HDS and 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 **Available 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.

For more information about updating the HDS, the MVCI, and vehicle systems, refer to Service Bulletin 01-026, *Updating Control Units/Modules*.

Year/Model	Program ID (or later)	Program P/N (or later)	
2015 TLX AWD Tech	J2A750	37805-5J2-A750	
2015 TLX AWD Advanced	J2A850	37805-5J2-A850	
2015 TLX 2WD Tech	J2A560	37805-5J2-A560	
2015 TLX 2WD Advanced	J2A660	37805-5J2-A660	

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WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

Operation Number	Description	Flat Rate Time	Template ID	Failed Part Number
125517	Update the PGM-FI software	0.2 hr	15-038N	37820-5J2-A84
Н	Idle Learn - Add	0.1 hr		

Defect Code: 03214 Symptom Code: 03217

Skill Level: Repair Technician

REPAIR PROCEDURE

1. Update the PGM-FI software with the MVCI. Refer to Service Bulletin 01-026, Updating Control Units/Modules.

2. Do the idle learn procedure.

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