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**FOR HELP WITH USING wiTECH FOR ECU FLASH REPROGRAMMING, CLICK ON THE APPLICATION'S "HELP" TAB.**

**THE wiTECH SOFTWARE IS REQUIRED TO BE AT THE LATEST RELEASE BEFORE PERFORMING THIS PROCEDURE.**

***SUBJECT:***

Flash: 2.4L Powertrain Diagnostic and System Improvements

***OVERVIEW:***

This bulletin involves reprogramming the Powertrain Control Module (PCM) with the latest available software.

***MODELS:***

2016 (UF) Chrysler 200

**NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles within the following markets/countries: NAFTA and EMEA.**

**NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles built on or before **\*\*April 14, 2016 (MDH 0414XX)\*\*** equipped with a 2.4L Engine (Sales Codes ED6 or ED8).**

***SYMPTOM/CONDITION:***

A small number of customers may experience a Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) illumination. Upon further investigation the technician may find the following Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs) set in the PCM memory:

- **\*\*P0101 - Mass Air Flow Sensor "A" Circuit Performance.**
- P050D - Cold Start Rough Idle.
- P0335 - Crankshaft Position Sensor Circuit.
- P2610 - PCM Internal Engine Off Timer Performance.
- P1607 - PCM Internal Shutdown Timer Rationality.
- P0133 - O2 Sensor 1/1 Slow Response. **\*\***

- U0402 - Implausible Data Received From TCM.
- U1424 - Implausible Engine Torque Signal Received.
- P0456 - EVAP System Small Leak.
- P0480 - Cooling Fan 1 Control Circuit/Open.

In addition, the customers may experience the following:

- A slight bump may be felt during the 4-5 shift, under light acceleration.

**DIAGNOSIS:**

Using a Scan Tool (wiTECH) with the appropriate Diagnostic Procedures available in TechCONNECT, verify all vehicle systems are functioning as designed. If DTCs or symptom conditions, other than the ones listed above are present, record the issues on the repair order and repair as necessary before proceeding further with this bulletin.

If the customer describes the symptom/condition listed above or if the technician finds the DTC, perform the Repair Procedure.

**REPAIR PROCEDURE:**

**NOTE: The Transmission Control Module (TCM) must be updated to the latest available software at the conclusion of this repair procedure. Refer to all applicable published service bulletins for detailed repair procedures and labor times regarding updating the TCM software.**

**NOTE: Install a battery charger to ensure battery voltage does not drop below 13.2 volts. Do not allow the charging voltage to climb above 13.5 volts during the flash process.**

**NOTE: If this flash process is interrupted/aborted, the flash should be restarted.**

1. Reprogram the PM with the latest software. Detailed instructions for flashing control modules using the wiTECH Diagnostic Application are available by selecting the application's "HELP" tab.
2. **After PCM reprogramming, the following must be performed:** Clear any DTCs that may have been set in any module due to reprogramming. The wiTECH application will automatically present all DTCs after the flash and allows them to be cleared.
3. Verify the TCM is programmed with the latest available software. Refer to all applicable published service bulletins for detailed repair procedures and labor times regarding updating the TCM software.

**POLICY:**

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

**TIME ALLOWANCE:**

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
**18-19-06-JK	Module, Powertrain Control (PCM) - Reprogram (0 - Introduction)	1 - Engine Repair and Performance	0.2 Hrs**

**NOTE: The expected completion time for the flash download portion of this procedure is approximately 6 minutes. Actual flash download times may be affected by vehicle connection and network capabilities.**

***FAILURE CODE:***

**The dealer must choose which failure code to use. If the customer came in with an issue and if the dealer finds a software update to correct that issue, use failure code CC, for all other use failure code RF.**

- If the customer's concern matches the SYMPTOM/CONDITION identified in the Service Bulletin, failure code CC is to be used.
- If an available flash is completed while addressing a different customer concern, failure code RF is to be used.

CC	Customer Concern
RF	Routine Flash