

Bulletin No.: PIP5342B

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PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

Subject: Chuggle Or Shudder While Driving At Low Speeds

Models: 2015-2016 Chevrolet Colorado

2015-2016 GMC Canyon

Equipped with 3.6L LFX gasoline engine and 6L50 RPO (MYB) automatic transmission.

This PI was superseded to include only the 3.6L LFX gasoline engine gasoline engine. Please discard PIP5342A.

The following diagnosis might be helpful if the vehicle exhibits the symptom(s) described in this PI.

Condition/Concern

Some customers may comment on a shudder or chuggle when accelerating at low speeds of 12 to 15 MPH (19-24 km/h) in second gear.

Customers may also comment on the same shudder or chuggle when accelerating at speeds of 30 to 40 MPH (48-64 km/h) when accelerating in 6th gear.

These conditions are most likely to occur when driving on a smooth road up a slight or moderate grade when accelerating.

Recommendation/Instructions

Please refer to the latest version of PIP5303 New Service Calibrations For the ECM and TCM That Effects a Variety of Concerns.

Update the ECM and TCM as instructed.

Note: Performing this calibration update may not totally address shudder or chuggle concerns.

No additional repair attempts should be attempted to address the concerns listed above.

These concerns are due to normal operation of the automatic transmission and the torque converter clutch.

Please follow this diagnostic or repair process thoroughly and complete each step. If the condition exhibited is resolved without completing every step, the remaining steps do not need to be performed.

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