

Service Bulletin

17-012

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2016–17 Civic Will Not Come Out of Park or Will Not Start and Sets DTC U0038 and/or U0101

AFFECTED VEHICLES

| Year | Model | Trim | VIN Range |
|------|-------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| 2016 | Civic | 2.0L CVT | ALL |
| 2016 | Civic | 1.5L CVT | ALL |
| 2017 | Civic | 2.0L CVT | 19XFC2FHE000072 thru 19XFC2FHE009819 |
| 2017 | Civic | 1.5L CVT | 19XFC1FHE000005 thru 19XFC1FHE006531 |
| 2017 | Civic | 2.0L CVT | 2HGFCHH500003 thru 2HGFCHH506844 |
| 2017 | Civic | 1.5L CVT | 2HGFCHH630002 thru 2HGFCHH353487 |

SYMPTOM

The vehicle will not come out of park, and will not crank and/or start. Additionally, multiple indicators are on with DTCs U0038 (TM-CAN Malfunction [TCM-PCM]) and sometimes U0101 (Lost Communication) stored.

POSSIBLE CAUSES

There is an internal malfunction with the transmission control module (TCM).

CORRECTIVE ACTION

2016 Models

Replace the TCM, and update the PCM to match the new TCM's software.

2017 Models

Replace the TCM.

PARTS INFORMATION

| Part Name | Part Number | Quantity |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------|
| Transmission Control Unit (2.0L CVT) | 28100-5DJ-A06 | 1 |
| Transmission Control Unit (1.5L CVT) | 28100-5CG-A07 | 1 |

CUSTOMER INFORMATION: The information in this bulletin is intended for use only by skilled technicians who have the proper tools, equipment, and training to correctly and safely maintain your vehicle. These procedures should not be attempted by "do-it-yourselfers," and you should not assume this bulletin applies to your vehicle, or that your vehicle has the condition described. To determine whether this information applies, contact an authorized Honda automobile dealer.

WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

The normal warranty applies.

| Operation Number | Description | Flat Rate Time | Defect Code | Symptom Code | Template ID | Failed Part Number |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| 2231A0 | 1.5L CVT - Replace the TCM. | 0.4 hrs | 03214 | 03217 | 17-012A | 28100-5CG-A04 |
| А | Update the PCM. | 0.2 hrs | | | | |
| 2231A2 | 2231A2 2.0L CVT – Replace the TCM. | | 03214 | 03217 | 17-012B | 28100-5DJ-A04 |
| А | Update the PCM. | . 0.2 hrs | | | | |

SOFTWARE INFORMATION

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

i-HDS Software Version: 1.002.017 or later

J2534 Software Information:

PC Application Version 1.0.1.15 or later Database update 19-JAN-2017 or later

Before beginning the repair, make sure that both the i-HDS and J2534 software are updated as listed above. Do only the update listed in this service bulletin.

You cannot apply the updates with the MVCI as a standalone tool. To update the vehicle you must use the MVCI or the DST-i interface in conjunction with the J2534 Rewrite PC application on the i-HDS.

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

REPAIR PROCEDURE

2016 Models

Follow the service information for removal and installation of the TCM. Update the PCM to match the TCM software if necessary.

2017 Models

Follow the service information for removal and installation of the TCM.

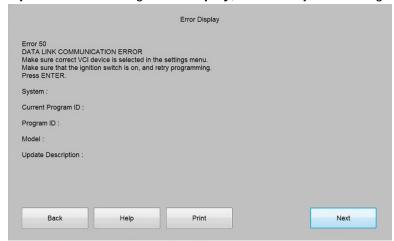
PCM Program IDs

| Model/Trim | Software System | KA Specification | KL Specification |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Civic 1.5L 4D EX-T, EX-L, 2D EX, EX-LT | PGM-FI | 37805-5AA-A570 or above | 37805-5AA-L570 or above |
| Civic 1.5L 4D EXT, EXTS, EX-L, TOURING, 2D TOURING | PGM-FI | 37805-5AA-A670 or above | 37805-5AA-L670 or above |
| Civic 2.0L 4D LX, 2D, LX | PGM-FI | 37805-5BA-A660 or above | 37805-5BA-L660 or above |
| Civic 2.0L 4D LXS | PGM-FI | 37805-5BA-A760 or above | 37805-5BA-L760 or above |
| Civic 2.0L 4D EX, 2D LX, LX-P | PGM-FI | 37805-5BA-A860 or above | 37805-5BA-L860 or above |
| Civic 2.0L 4D EX, EXS | PGM-FI | 37805-5BA-A960 or above | 37805-5BA-L960 or above |

NOTE: Depending on the software in the PCM on 2016 models, you may set DTC U0301 after the TCM is replaced.

NOTE:

- You cannot update the vehicle using the MVCI as a standalone tool.
- Do not use the MongoosePro VCI tool.
- Make sure the 12-volt battery is fully charged before starting an update.
- Connect a fully charged jumper battery to the vehicle, and leave it connected during the entire procedure to maintain steady voltage.
- Never turn the ignition to OFF or ACCESSORY during the update. If there is a problem with the update, leave the
 ignition turned to ON.
- To prevent PCM damage, do not operate anything electrical (headlights, audio system, brakes, A/C, power windows, door locks, etc.) during the update.
- If you see the following Error Display, check that you are using the correct tool (MVCI or DST-i) with the i-HDS.



To change this, click on either of the **SETTING** selection buttons at the bottom of the J2534 initial screens as shown.



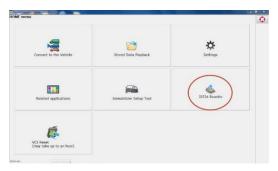


1. Update the PGM-FI or A/T software by selecting the **i-HDS Disagnostic System** icon. Refer to service bulletin 01-026, *Updating Control Units/Modules*.

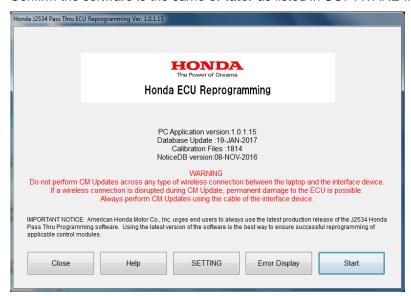
NOTE: Do not use the **Rewrite** icon on your desktop.



2. Select J2534 Rewrite.



3. Confirm the software is the same or later as listed in SOFTWARE INFORMATION.



4. Select Start, then follow the screen prompts.

NOTE:

- Do not enter a bulletin number.
- If you receive a message that the vehicle has been already updated or that no update is available, check the **PGM-FI Data List**. The header should indicate one of the following numbers (or later):

| 37805-5AA-A570 | 37805-5AA-L570 |
|----------------|----------------|
| 37805-5AA-A670 | 37805-5AA-L670 |
| 37805-5BA-A660 | 37805-5BA-L660 |
| 37805-5BA-A760 | 37805-5BA-L760 |
| 37805-5BA-A860 | 37805-5BA-L860 |
| 37805-5BA-A960 | 37805-5BA-L960 |

If the program part numbers do not match those listed above, the i-HDS software needs to be reinstalled.
 Contact the Special Tools Hotline at 800-346-6327 for assistance.

