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Preliminary Information

PIT5648A Trailer Disconnected Check Connection Message on DIC Without a Trailer Connected

Models

Brand:	Model:	Model Years:	VIN:		Engine:	Transmissions:
			from	to		
Chevrolet	Silverado 1500 (New Model)	2019	All	All	All	All
GMC	Sierra 1500 (New Model)	2019	All	All	All	All

Involved Region or Country | North America

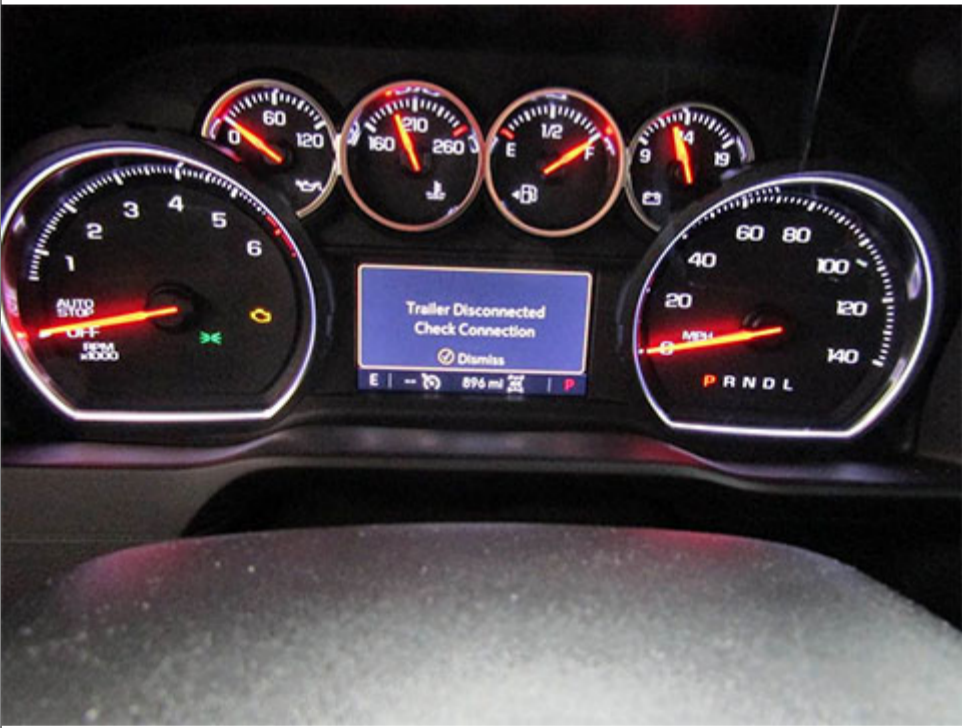
Additional Options (RPO) | With U1D - Advanced Trailering System

Some customers may comment on a "Trailer Disconnected Check Connection" message being displayed on the DIC without a trailer ever being connected, message shown below. In addition to this message, there may also be the following messages depending on the vehicle content:

- Rear Park Assist Off
- Lane Change Alert System Off
- Rear Cross Traffic Alert Off

This condition is more likely to occur with colder ambient temperatures.

Condition



Cause | GM Engineering is working on the root cause.

Correction:

The Trailer Lighting Control Module monitors the trailer tail lamp, trailer Rt stop/turn lamp, and trailer Lt stop/turn lamp circuits to determine if a trailer is connected. If the Trailer Lighting Control Module detects enough of a load on any one of these circuits, it may determine that a trailer has been connected. If moisture/corrosions/etc. gets into either the trailer receptacle, or the Trailer Lighting Control Module connector, or if anything is left plugged into the trailer receptacle, like trailer adapters with built in test-LEDs, it may cause the module to think that a trailer is connected when there actually is not.

At this time, remove anything that has been left plugged into the trailer receptacle, such as a trailer adapter plug. If the concern persists, inspect the following areas for any moisture, corrosion, etc.:

- The 7-way / 4-way trailer receptacle X88, located at the rear bumper.
- The chassis harness connector X1 that plugs into the trailer receptacle X88.
- The Trailer Lighting Control Module K68 connector.

Clean and dry, repair and/or replace any connection issues which have moisture/corrosion present. If, after performing these checks and the condition is not repaired, do not replace the Trailer Lighting Control Module. Engineering is currently working on a correction.

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