

## 1996 MY VSV for Vapor Pressure Sensor Monitor (P0446)

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### MONITOR STRATEGY

|                             |                        |                                                                                                                          |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Related DTCs                | P0446                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• VSV for vapor pressure sensor malfunction</li> <li>• Purge line leak</li> </ul> |
| Required sensors/Components | Main                   | Vapor pressure sensor                                                                                                    |
|                             | Sub                    | EVAP VSV, VSV for vapor pressure sensor, IAT sensor, ECT sensor and MAF sensor (or MAP sensor)                           |
| Frequency of operation      | Once per driving cycle |                                                                                                                          |
| Duration                    | Within 20 sec.         | Purge line leak                                                                                                          |
|                             | Within 10 sec.         | VSV for vapor pressure sensor malfunction                                                                                |
| MIL operation               | 2 driving cycles       |                                                                                                                          |
| Sequence of operation       | None                   |                                                                                                                          |

### TYPICAL ENABLING CONDITIONS

| Item                                                               | Specification                  |                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                                                                    | Minimum                        | Maximum               |
| The monitor will run whenever the following DTCs are not present   | See page <a href="#">In-39</a> |                       |
| IAT                                                                | -10°C (14°F)                   | –                     |
| (a) ECT at engine start                                            | 10°C (50°F)                    | 35°C (95°F)           |
| (b) IAT at engine start                                            | 10°C (50°F)                    | 35°C (95°F)           |
| Difference between (a) and (b)                                     | –                              | 7°C (45°F)            |
| Time after engine start                                            | 300 sec.                       | –                     |
| Intake air amount (MAF sensor equipped)                            | –                              | 0.6 g/rev.            |
| Intake manifold vacuum (MAP sensor equipped)                       | –                              | -200 mmHg (-26.7 kPa) |
| EVAP VSV duty signal                                               | 20 %                           | –                     |
| “Run” (7 km/h [4 mph] or more) and “stop” (3 km/h [2 mph] or less) | Once                           |                       |

## TYPICAL MALFUNCTION THRESHOLDS

| Engine Family | Detection Criteria                                                                                                                                                                                    | Threshold                                                                                      |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1MZ-FE        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                    |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2.9 mmHg (0.39 kPa)<br>Less than 1.08 mmHg (0.14 kPa)<br>1.9 mmHg (0.25 kPa) or more |
| 3RZ-FE        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3.5 mmHg (0.47 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                 |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2 mmHg (0.27 kPa)<br>Less than 0.83 mmHg (0.11 kPa)<br>1.1 mmHg (0.15 kPa) or more   |
| 3S-FE         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3.5 mmHg (0.47 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                 |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2.9 mmHg (0.39 kPa)<br>Less than 1.1 mmHg (0.15 kPa)<br>6.8 mmHg (0.90 kPa) or more  |
| 5S-FE         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                    |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2.9 mmHg (0.39 kPa)<br>Less than 1.1 mmHg (0.15 kPa)<br>2.6 mmHg (0.35 kPa) or more  |
| 1UZ-FE        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                    |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2.9 mmHg (0.39 kPa)<br>Less than 1.1 mmHg (0.15 kPa)<br>4 mmHg (0.53 kPa) or more    |
| 5VZ-FE        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after purge cut</li> <li>• Canister pressure at 7 to 12 sec. after purge cut</li> </ul>                                          | 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa) or more<br>Between –3 mmHg (–0.4 kPa) and 3 mmHg (0.4 kPa)                    |
|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change in canister pressure after VSV for vapor pressure sensor ON</li> <li>• Change in canister pressure</li> <li>• Change in fuel tank pressure</li> </ul> | Less than 2 mmHg (0.27 kPa)<br>Less than 0.55 mmHg (0.07 kPa)<br>0.7 mmHg (0.09 kPa) or more   |

## OBD MONITOR DRIVE PATTERNS

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## MODE 06 DATA (MONITOR RESULT)

- Checking monitor status (See page [In-43](#))
- Detecting Mode 06 data (See page [In-44](#))