

DTC	P1120/19	Accel. Position Sensor circuit (Open/Short)
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CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

The accelerator pedal position sensor is mounted at the accelerator pedal and detects the accelerator pedal opening angle. When the accelerator pedal is fully closed, a voltage of approximately 1.0 V is applied to terminals VA, VAS of the engine ECU. The voltage applied to the terminals VA, VAS of the engine ECU increases in proportion to the opening angle of the accelerator pedal and becomes approximately 3.8 V when the accelerator pedal is fully opened. The engine ECU judges the vehicle driving conditions from these signals input from terminals VA, VAS and uses them as one of the conditions to control the injection volume and diesel throttle valve position. The idle switch is mounted in the accelerator pedal position sensor and sends the IDL signal to the engine ECU when the accelerator pedal is fully depressed.

This system has 2 way accelerator pedal position sensor and accelerator pedal closed position switch for fail safe.

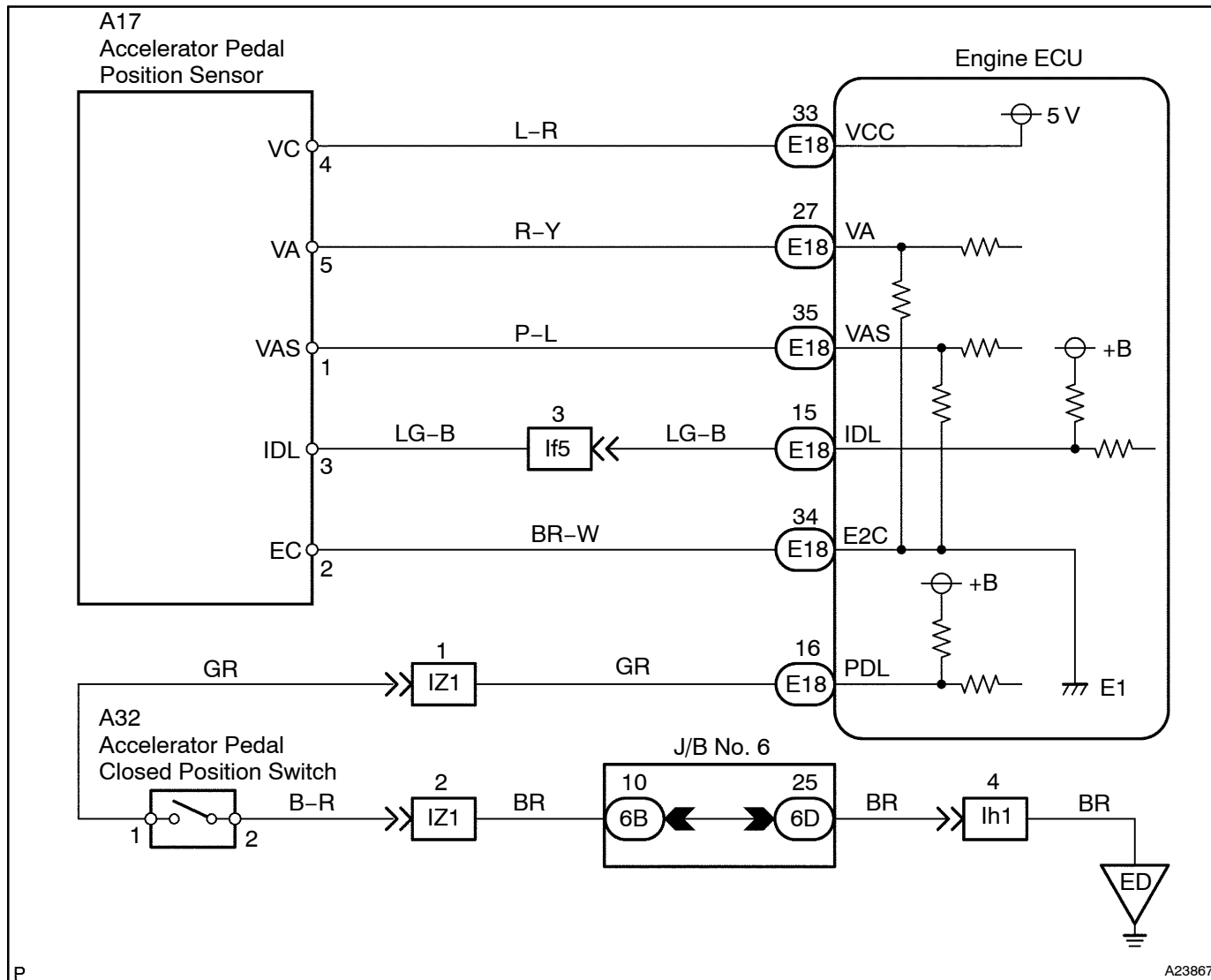
DTC No.	DTC Detection Condition	Trouble Area
P1120/19	Open or short in accelerator pedal position sensor circuit for 0.05 sec. or more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open or short in accelerator pedal position sensor circuit • Accelerator pedal position sensor • Engine ECU

HINT:

After confirming DTC P1120/19 use the intelligent tester II to confirm the accelerator pedal opening percentage and accelerator pedal close position switch condition.

Accelerator pedal opening position expressed as percentage		Trouble area
Accelerator pedal fully closed	Accelerator pedal fully open	
0%	0%	VCC line open VA, VAS line open or short
Approx. 100%	Approx. 100%	E2C line open

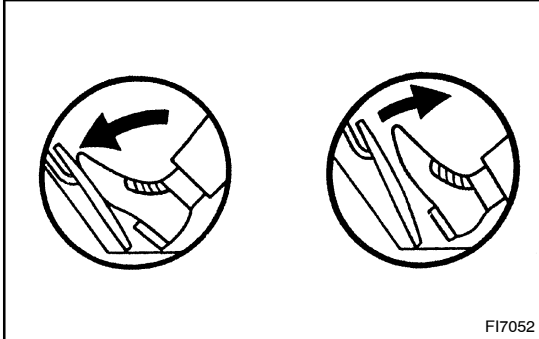
WIRING DIAGRAM



INSPECTION PROCEDURE

When using Intelligent Tester II:

- 1 Connect Intelligent Tester II, and read accelerator pedal opening percentage.



PREPARATION:

- (a) Connect the Intelligent Tester II to the DLC3.
- (b) Turn the ignition switch ON and push the Intelligent Tester II main switch ON.
- (c) Depress and release the accelerator pedal.

CHECK:

- (a) Read the accelerator pedal opening percentage.

Result:

Condition	Proceed to
Value changes in accordance with accelerator pedal position	A
Value is fixed at 100%	B
Value is fixed at 0%	C

A

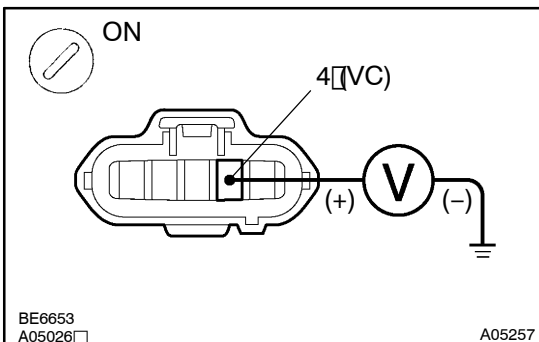
Check for intermittent problems
(See page DI-4)

B

Go to step 6.

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- 2 Check voltage between terminal 4 of wire harness side connector and body ground.



PREPARATION:

- (a) Disconnect the accelerator pedal position sensor connector.
- (b) Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminal 4 of wire harness side connector and body ground.

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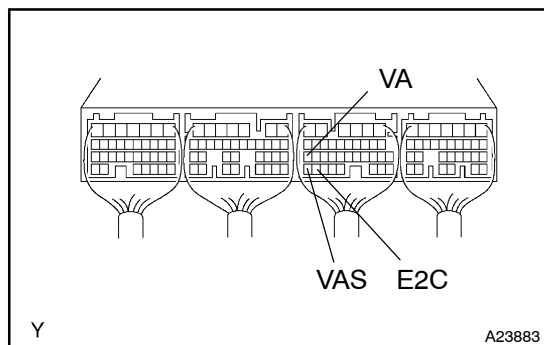
Voltage: 4.5 to 5.5 V

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Go to step 5.

OK

3 Check voltage between terminals VA, VAS and E2C of engine ECU.



PREPARATION:

- Remove the glove compartment door.
- Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminals VA, VAS and E2C of the engine ECU.

OK:

Accelerator pedal	Voltage
Fully closed	0.6 to 1.3 V
Fully open	2.8 to 4.5 V

OK

Check and replace engine ECU
(See [page IN-19](#)).

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4 Check for open and short in harness and connector between engine ECU and accelerator pedal position sensor (VA, VAS line) (See [page IN-19](#)).

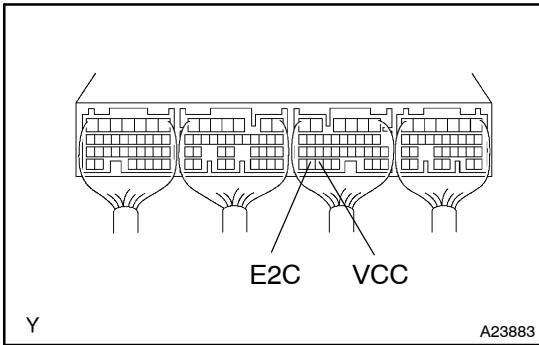
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Repair or replace harness or connector.

OK

Replace accelerator pedal position sensor.

5 Check voltage between terminals VCC and E2C of engine ECU.



PREPARATION:

- (a) Remove the glove compartment door.
- (b) Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminals VCC and E2C of the engine ECU connector.

OK:

Voltage: 4.5 to 5.5 V

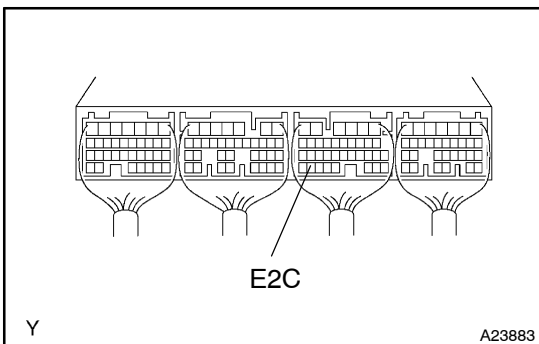
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Check and replace engine ECU
(See [page IN-19](#)).

OK

Check for open in harness and connector between engine ECU and accelerator pedal position sensor (VCC line) (See [page IN-19](#)).

6 Check resistance between terminals E2C of engine ECU and body ground.



PREPARATION:

- (a) Remove the glove compartment door.

CHECK:

Measure the resistance between terminals E2C of the engine ECU connector and body ground.

OK:

Resistance: Below 1 Ω

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Check and replace engine ECU
(See [page IN-19](#)).

OK

7 Check for open and short in harness and connector between engine ECU and accelerator pedal position sensor (E2C line) (See [page IN-19](#)).

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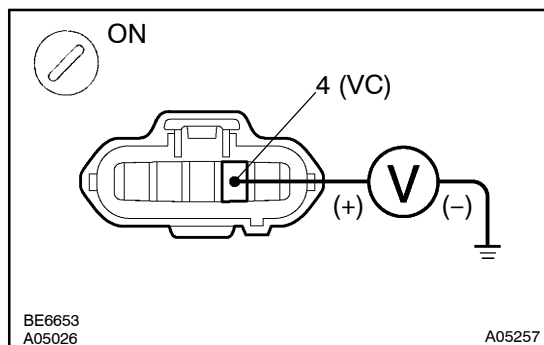
Repair or replace harness or connector.

OK

Replace accelerator pedal position sensor.

When not using intelligent tester II:

- 1 Check voltage between terminal 4 of wire harness side connector and body ground.**



PREPARATION:

- (a) Disconnect the accelerator pedal position sensor connector.
(b) Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminal 4 of wire harness side connector and body ground.

OK:

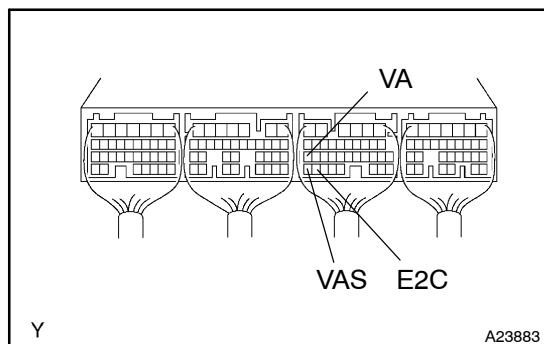
Voltage: 4.5 to 5.5 V

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Go to step 4.

OK

- 2 Check voltage between terminals VA, VAS and E2C of engine ECU.**



PREPARATION:

- (a) Remove the glove compartment door.
(b) Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminals VA, VAS and E2C of the engine ECU.

OK:

Accelerator pedal	Voltage
Fully closed	0.6 to 1.3 V
Fully open	2.8 to 4.5 V

OK

Check and replace engine ECU
(See [page IN-19](#))

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- 3** Check for open and short in harness and connector between engine ECU and accelerator pedal position sensor (VA, VAS line) (See page N-19).

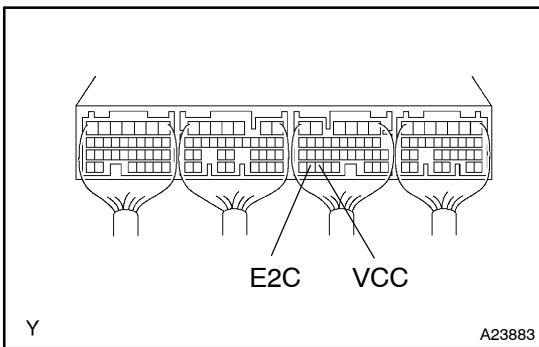
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Repair or replace harness or connector.

OK

Replace accelerator pedal position sensor.

- 4** Check voltage between terminals VCC and E2C of engine ECU.

**PREPARATION:**

- (a) Remove the glove compartment door.
- (b) Turn the ignition switch ON.

CHECK:

Measure the voltage between terminals VCC and E2C of the engine ECU connector.

OK:

Voltage: 4.5 to 5.5 V

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Check and replace engine ECU
(See page N-19).

OK

Check for open in harness and connector between engine ECU and accelerator pedal position sensor (VCC line) (See page N-19).