

Technical Service Information

FORD AOD 3-4 ACCUMULATOR ELIMINATED

The 3-4 shift accumulator used in prior model year "AOD" transmissions is no longer used in 1989 "AOD" transmissions except on vehicles that are equipped with 5.8L engines. The accumulator feed hole in the main control assembly has been blocked so a 3-4 shift accumulator can not be installed. Only use a 1989 control assembly to service a 1989 "AOD" transmission. The 1989 main control assemblies can be used to service all prior model year "AOD" transmissions even if the old main control assembly has a 3-4 shift accumulator.

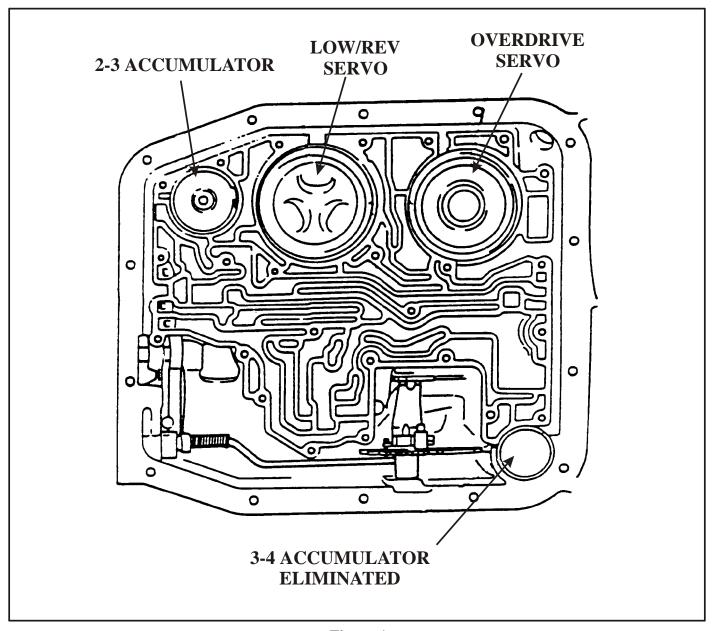


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