

GROUP: 09 - Engine

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THE wITECH SOFTWARE IS REQUIRED TO BE AT THE LATEST RELEASE BEFORE PERFORMING THIS PROCEDURE.

SUBJECT:

6.2L Knock Sensor Heat Shield Loose/Missing

OVERVIEW:

This bulletin involves inspecting and if necessary, replacing the knock sensor connector back cover and installing a new heat shield.

MODELS:

2018

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Jeep Grand Cherokee (Trackhawk)

- NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles within the following markets/countries: NAFTA, APAC, EMEA and LATAM.
- NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles built on or before December 06, 2017 (MDH 1206XX) equipped with a 6.2L Supercharged Hemi V8 SRT Engine (Sales Code ESD).

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

Some customers may experience a Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) illumination due to damage to the knock sensor from exposure to high heat conditions. Upon further investigation, a technician may find one of the following Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTCs):

• P0330 - Knock Sensor 2 Circuit

DIAGNOSIS:

If a customer's VIN is listed in VIP or your RRT VIN list, perform the repair. This RRT only applies to vehicles on the RRT VIN list.

- 1. Raise and support the vehicle. (Refer to the detailed service procedures available in DealerCONNECT> TechCONNECT under: 04 Vehicle Quick Reference/Hoisting/Standard Procedure).
- 2. With vehicle on a hoist, remove the heat shield and inspect knock sensor heat shield (Fig. 1) .

If vehicle's exhaust system is hot, wait for engine to cool down or wear a protective sleeve to protect against burns.



Fig. 1 Sensor Locations

- 1 Knock Sensor
- 2 Crankshaft Position Sensor
- 2 RH Engine Mount
- 3. Was the knock sensor heat shield (Fig. 1) loose, missing or is there any damage to the harness connector back cover?
 - YES>>> Continue to the Repair Procedure. Proceed to Step 1 of the Repair Procedure.
 - NO>>> This bulletin has been completed. Use inspection LOP (25-01-85-93) to close the active RRT.

PARTS REQUIRED:

Qty.	Part No.	Description
1	68352976AA	Knock Sensor Heat Shield
1	68426892AA	Harness Connector Backshell

REPAIR PROCEDURE:

- 1. Remove knock sensor connector and crankshaft position sensor connectors, move branch rearward over the exhaust catalyst to ease removal of backshell. See (Fig. 1) for locations.
- 2. Remove the backshell from the knock sensor (Fig. 2) .



Fig. 2 Original Knock Sensor Backshell Attachment Points (Knock Sensor Shown Off Engine)

- 1 Backshell attachment points
- 3. Install new backshell (P/N 7806995) on knock sensor (Fig. 3) .



Fig. 3 New Knock Sensor Backshell

4. Reinstall the connectors for crank sensor and knock sensor. Ensure the connectors are fully seated.



Fig. 4 Crankshaft Position Sensor Heat Shield

1 - Crankshaft Position Sensor Heat Shield

- 6. Install the knock sensor heat shield (Fig. 5).
- NOTE: Whether the heat shield is damaged or good, replace the heat shield with the new part provided.



Fig. 5 Knock Sensor Heat Shield

- 1 Knock Sensor Heat Shield
 - Press down toward the connector to clip the heat shield onto the connector cover. You should hear or feel it clip on.

- 7. Confirm that the heat shield is fully seated.
 - Do an up or down motion on the heat shield on the connector/wiring harness axial direction to confirm the lower clip is in position.

NOTE: There should be a slight amount of movement allowed. About 1 mm to 1.5 mm (1/16 inch).

• Verify that the lower clips are fully engaged or use a flashlight to see the clip is secured on the connector backshell (Fig. 6) .



Fig. 6 Knock Sensor Heat Shield Attached to Back Cover (Knock Sensor Shown Off Engine)

- 8. Start the vehicle. Allow it to run for 10 seconds, then increase the RPM to 2500 for 5 seconds.
- 9. Using a scan tool (WiTech), check vehicle for Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs).
- 10. Are there any DTCs present?
 - YES>>> repair and retest. Normal diagnosis should be performed.
 - NO>>> This bulletin has been completed.
- 11. Clear any DTCs that may have been set in any module.

POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
25-01-65-93	Knock Sensor Electrical Connec- tor and Heat Shield - Inspect (2 - Skilled)	1 - Engine Repair and Performance	0.2 Hrs.
25-01-65-94	Knock Sensor Electrical Connec- tor and Heat Shield - Inspect and Replace (2 - Skilled)	1 - Engine Repair and Performance	0.4 Hrs.

FAILURE CODE:

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