



TECH TIPS

Dixie Part Numbers: S-8686 S-80019

Applications: 2003 – 2004 Honda Accord V6 Engine

Conditions: The operator of the vehicle may complain of excessive cranking or hard starting.

Cause: Potential causes for the above conditions are:

- a) Contamination in the fuel pressure regulator, resulting in the regulator sticking, causing a delay in pressure build up
- b) Exhaust gas back flow into the intake manifold when the engine is turned off. This may cause a poor fuel/oxygen ratio at the next start up.

Correction: The manufacture has identified that the fuel pressure switch may require replacing and the engine control module/powertrain control module may require updating. Follow the manufacturer's recommended diagnostic and repair procedures when required.