

Service Bulletin



Applies To: See VEHICLES AFFECTED

May 9, 2008

Warranty Extension: Vehicle Warranty Mileage

(Supersedes 06-085, dated January 22, 2008, to update the information marked by the black bar)

BACKGROUND

On December 29, 2007, a federal court provided final approval of the settlement of a class action lawsuit alleging that the odometers on certain 2002 through 2006 Honda models, and some 2007 Fit models, were overstating mileage. As part of the settlement, American Honda is extending the mileage-based coverage period of all warranties, Honda Care Service Contracts, and Honda Certified Used Vehicles by 5 percent on the above referenced vehicles.

The time limits for all warranties are unchanged.

VEHICLES AFFECTED

The vehicles affected by this settlement include certain 2002 through 2006 Honda models and some 2007 Fit models purchased or leased between April 13, 2002, and November 7, 2006. The affected region is the United States (including the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands). Affected vehicles registered to customers with a military or a NATO address are also included in this settlement.

The most effective way to check a vehicle's warranty coverage is by a VIN status inquiry.

CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION

American Honda notified affected customers by mail or publication. The notices were sent to original registered purchasers, informing them of the terms of the settlement. Notice was also published in a national newspaper.

To view the content of the mailed notice, as well as other documents regarding the settlement, or for additional information, please refer to these sources:

Website: www.odosettlementinfo.com Information Center: (888) 888-3082

CORRECTIVE ACTION

On affected vehicles, the settlement requires you to honor a 5 percent increase in the mileage coverage period for all warranties, all Honda Certified Used Vehicles, and those Honda Care Service Contracts purchased only by the original owners.

WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

Use the chart below as a reference for converting most standard warranty mileage limits to the extended mileage coverage.

Use the chart on page 2 as a reference to all service bulletins affected by the extended mileage coverage.

In addition to the 5 percent mileage increase in warranty coverage, any repair performed after warranty expiration may be eligible for goodwill consideration by the District Parts and Service Manager or your Zone Office. You must request consideration, and get a decision, before starting work.

WARRANTY MILEAGE CONVERSION

NOTE: Follow normal warranty claim coding when submitting a claim.

If the <i>Previous</i> Warranty Mileage Was	The <i>New</i> Warranty Mileage Is	
12,000	12,600	
36,000	37,800	
50,000	52,500	
60,000	63,000	
70,000	73,500	
80,000	84,000	
100,000	105,000	
150,000	157,500	

SERVICE BULLETINS AFFECTED BY EXTENDED MILEAGE COVERAGE

Service Bulletin Number/Title	Year(s) and Model(s)*	Covered Part(s)	Previous Warranty Mileage	<i>New</i> Warranty Mileage
04-027 Warranty Extension: Audio-HVAC Display Is Dim or Dark	2003–04 Accord 2-dr 4-dr	Audio unit printed circuit board (PCB)	100,000	105,000
05-026 Warranty Extension: EGR Valve Contamination or EGR Port Clogging May Cause DTC P0401, DTC P1491, or Engine Hesitation/Surge	2002–03 Odyssey 2003 Pilot	EGR port, EGR valve	80,000	84,000
06-009 Warranty Extension: OPDS Unit or OPDS Sensor Triggers SRS DTC(s) 15-1, 15-2, 15-3	2002 Accord 2002–04 Civic 2-dr 3-dr 4-dr 2003–04 Civic Hybrid 2002–04 CR-V 2003 Element 2002 Odyssey 2003–04 Pilot	OPDS unit, OPDS sensor	150,000	157,500
06-027 Warranty Extension: IMA Battery	2002-04 Insight	IMA battery	150,000	157,500
06-026 Product Update: Premature IMA Battery Module Failure	2002-04 Insight	IMA battery condition monitor, IMA motor control module	150,000	157,500
06-057 Warranty Extension: Insight IMA Battery Module	2002–04 Insight	IMA battery condition monitor, IMA motor control module	150,000	157,500
06-084 Warranty Extension: 2003–04 Element Windshield	2003–04 Element	Windshield	60,000	63,000
07-049 Warranty Extension: CVT Start Clutch Judder	2002–05 Civic GX w/CVT 2002–05 Civic HX w/CVT 2003–05 Civic Hybrid w/CVT 2002–05 Insight w/CVT	CVT start clutch	100,000	105,000
07-050 Warranty Extension: CVT Drive Belt Slippage	2002–05 Civic GX w/CVT 2002–05 Civic HX w/CVT 2003–05 Civic Hybrid w/CVT 2002–05 Insight w/CVT	CVT drive belt	100,000	105,000

^{*} To verify vehicle eligibility for the extended warranty mileage coverage, do a VIN status inquiry.

NOTE: When submitting a warranty claim, follow the warranty claim coding from the specific service bulletin you're working with.

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