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| <b>Model Year Start:</b> 2023   | <b>Model:</b> Prius Prime | <b>Prod Date Range:</b> [03/2023 - ] |
| <b>Title:</b> HYBRID / BATTERY CONTROL: HYBRID CONTROL SYSTEM (for PHEV Model): P1BAC1C; Hybrid/EV Battery Charging System Positive/Negative Contactor Enable Circuit Circuit Voltage Out of Range; 2023 - 2024 MY Prius Prime [03/2023 - ] |                           |                                      |

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| <b>DTC</b> | <b>P1BAC1C</b> | <b>Hybrid/EV Battery Charging System Positive/Negative Contactor Enable Circuit Circuit Voltage Out of Range</b> |
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## DTC SUMMARY

The hybrid vehicle control ECU has a function to disconnect the CHR via the WCEN circuit.

At the start of AC charging, the hybrid vehicle control ECU checks the integrity of the WCEN circuit by comparing the WCEN command value output by the hybrid vehicle control ECU and the WCEN recognition value of the battery ECU assembly.

If the command value and the recognition value do not match, a WCEN logic fault judgment is made.

The cause of this malfunction may be one of the following:

- Hybrid vehicle control ECU internal failure
- Battery ECU assembly internal malfunction
- WCEN signal harness malfunction

## DESCRIPTION

| DTC NO. | DETECTION ITEM  | DTC DETECTION CONDITION   | TROUBLE AREA  | MIL      | WARNING INDICATE         | DTC OUTPUT FROM | PRIORITY | NOTE            |
|---------|---|---|---|----------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------|-----------------|
| P1BAC1C | Hybrid/EV Battery Charging System Positive/Negative Contactor Enable Circuit Circuit Voltage Out of Range | WCEN command value output by hybrid vehicle control ECU and Battery ECU assembly WCEN recognition value do not match.<br><br>(1 trip detection logic) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hybrid vehicle control ECU</li> <li>• Battery ECU assembly</li> <li>• Wire harness or connector</li> </ul> | Comes on | Master Warning: Comes on | Hybrid Control  | A        | SAE Code: P1BAF |

### **Related Data List**

| DTC NO. | DATA LIST   |
|---------|---|
| P1BAC1C | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Status</li> <li>AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck Low Status</li> <li>AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck High Status</li> <li>AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Status (Hybrid/EV Battery)</li> </ul> |

## MONITOR DESCRIPTION

If the command value and the recognition value do not match, a WCEN logic fault judgment is made, it will illuminate the MIL and store a DTC.

## MONITOR STRATEGY

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| Related DTCs                | P1BAF (INF P1BAC1C): Battery Charging System Positive Contactor Enable Circuit Range/Performance |
| Required sensors/components | Battery ECU assembly   |
| Frequency of operation      | Continuous   |
| Duration                    | TMC's intellectual property  |
| MIL operation               | 1 driving cycle  |
| Sequence of operation       | None   |

## TYPICAL ENABLING CONDITIONS

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| The monitor will run whenever the following DTCs are not stored | TMC's intellectual property |
| Other conditions belong to TMC's intellectual property          | -                           |

## TYPICAL MALFUNCTION THRESHOLDS

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| TMC's intellectual property | - |
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## COMPONENT OPERATING RANGE

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| Hybrid vehicle control ECU | DTC P1BAF (INF P1BAC1C) is not detected |
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## CONFIRMATION DRIVING PATTERN

### HINT:

- After repair has been completed, clear the DTC and then check that the vehicle has returned to normal by performing the following All Readiness check procedure.

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- When clearing the permanent DTCs, refer to the "CLEAR PERMANENT DTC" procedure.

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- Clear the DTCs (even if no DTCs are stored, perform the clear DTC procedure).
- Enter the following menus: Powertrain / Hybrid Control / Data List.

3. Check that "Hybrid/EV Battery SOC" shows 70% or less.
4. Turn the ignition switch off and wait for 2 minutes or more.
5. Connect the electric vehicle charger cable assembly, and plug-in charge the vehicle for at least 30 seconds. [\*1]
6. Disconnect the electric vehicle charger cable assembly and wait for 10 seconds or more. [\*2]
7. Turn the ignition switch to ON. [\*3]

**HINT:**

[\*1] to [\*3]: Normal judgment procedure.

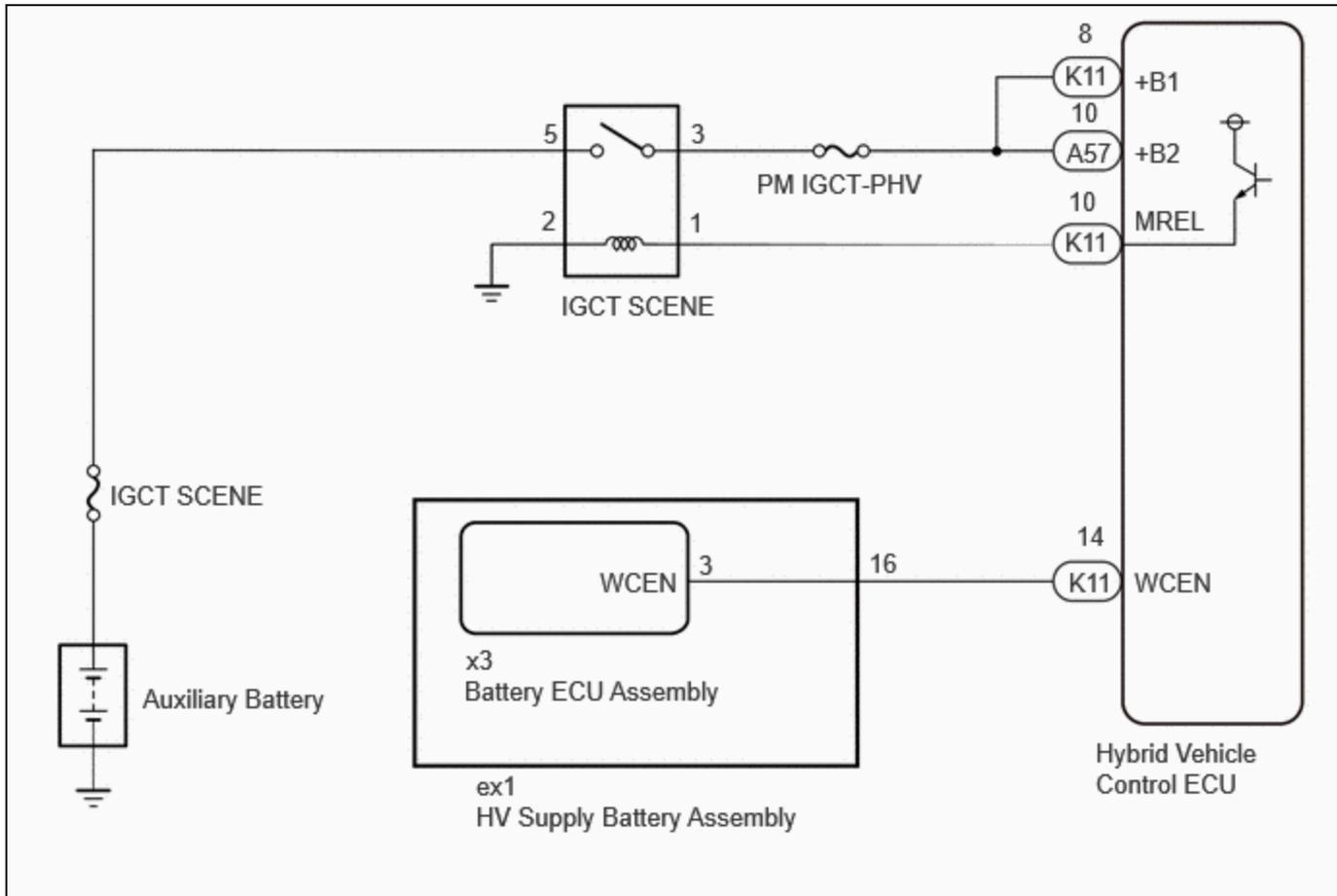
The normal judgment procedure is used to complete DTC judgment and also used when clearing permanent DTCs.

8. Enter the following menus: Powertrain / Hybrid Control / Utility / All Readiness.
9. Check the DTC judgment result.

**HINT:**

- o If the judgment result shows NORMAL, the system is normal.
- o If the judgment result shows ABNORMAL, the system has a malfunction.
- o If the judgment result shows INCOMPLETE or N/A, perform driving pattern again.

## WIRING DIAGRAM



## CAUTION / NOTICE / HINT

**CAUTION:**

Refer to the precautions before inspecting high voltage circuit.

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**NOTICE:**

- After the ignition switch is turned off, there may be a waiting time before disconnecting the auxiliary negative (-) battery terminal.

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- When disconnecting and reconnecting the auxiliary battery.

**HINT:**

When disconnecting and reconnecting the auxiliary battery, there is an automatic learning function that completes learning when the respective system is used.

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**PROCEDURE**

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>CHECK DTC OUTPUT (HYBRID CONTROL)</b> |
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Pre-procedure1

(a) None.

Procedure1

(b) Check for DTCs.

**Powertrain > Hybrid Control > Trouble Codes**

| RESULT  | PROCEED TO |
|---|------------|
| P1BAC1C only is output, or DTCs except the ones in the table below are also output. | A          |
| Any of the following DTCs including pending DTCs are also output.                   | B          |

| MALFUNCTION CONTENT              | RELEVANT DTC |   |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---|
| Microcomputer malfunction        | P060647      | Hybrid/EV Powertrain Control Module Processor Watchdog / Safety MCU Failure             |
|                                  | P060687      | Hybrid/EV Powertrain Control Module Processor to Monitoring Processor Missing Message   |
|                                  | P060A47      | Hybrid/EV Powertrain Control Module Monitoring Processor Watchdog / Safety MCU Failure  |
|                                  | P060A87      | Hybrid/EV Powertrain Control Module Processor from Monitoring Processor Missing Message |
| System malfunction               | P1C9E9F      | Hybrid/EV System Reset Stuck Off  |
| Communication system malfunction | U011187      | Lost Communication with Hybrid/EV Battery Energy Control Module "A" Missing Message     |

**HINT:**

P1BAC1C may be output as a result of the malfunction indicated by the DTCs above.

- The chart above is listed in inspection order of priority.

2. Check DTCs that are output at the same time by following the listed order. (The main cause of the malfunction can be determined without performing unnecessary inspections.)

Post-procedure1

(c) Turn the ignition switch off.

**B** ▶ GO TO DTC CHART (HYBRID CONTROL SYSTEM)

**A**



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| <b>2.</b> | <b>CHECK CONNECTOR CONNECTION CONDITION (HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU CONNECTOR)</b> |
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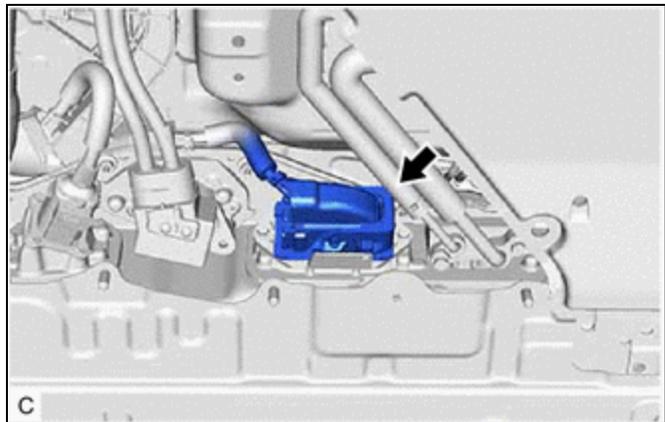
**NG** ▶ CONNECT SECURELY

**OK**



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| <b>3.</b> | <b>CHECK CONNECTOR CONNECTION CONDITION (FLOOR UNDER WIRE CONNECTOR)</b> |
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(a) Check the connection condition of the floor under wire connector and the contact pressure of each terminal. Check the terminals for deformation, and check the connector for water ingress and foreign matter.



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- OK:
- The connector is connected securely.
  - The terminals are not deformed and are connected securely.
  - No water or foreign matter in the connector.

| RESULT | PROCEED TO |
|--------|------------|
| OK     | A          |

| RESULT  | PROCEED TO |
|---|------------|
| NG (The connector is not connected securely.)   | B          |
| NG (The terminals are not making secure contact or are deformed, or water or foreign matter exists in the connector.) | C          |

**B** ► CONNECT SECURELY

**C** ► REPAIR OR REPLACE HARNESS OR CONNECTOR

**A**



#### 4. CHECK CONNECTOR CONNECTION CONDITION (BATTERY ECU ASSEMBLY CONNECTOR)

**CAUTION:**

Be sure to wear insulated gloves and protective goggles.

Pre-procedure1

(a) Check that the service plug grip is not installed.

**NOTICE:**

After removing the service plug grip, do not turn the ignition switch to ON (READY), unless instructed by the repair manual because this may cause a malfunction.

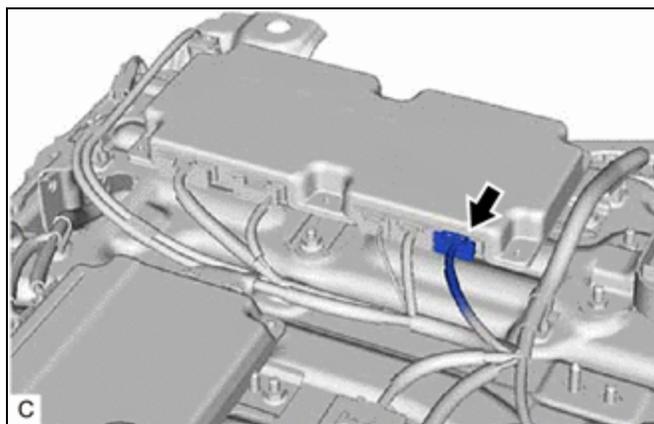
Procedure1

(b) Check the connector connections and contact pressure of the relevant terminal of the battery ECU assembly connector.

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OK:

The connectors are connected securely and there are no contact pressure problems.



Post-procedure1

(c) None.

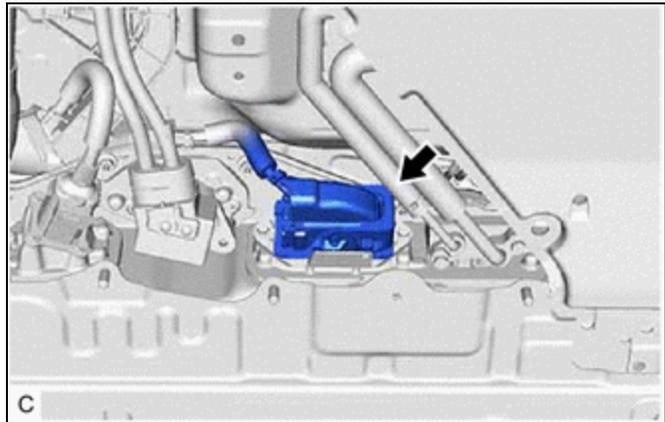
**NG** ► CONNECT SECURELY

**OK**  
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**5. CHECK HARNESS AND CONNECTOR (HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU - HV SUPPLY BATTERY ASSEMBLY)**

Pre-procedure1

(a) Disconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector.



(b) Disconnect the No. 2 traction battery wire connector.

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Procedure1

(c) Measure the resistance according to the value(s) in the table below.

Standard Resistance:



[Click Location & Routing\(K11,ex1\)](#)

[Click Connector\(K11\)](#)

[Click Connector\(ex1\)](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION  | CONDITION           | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| K11-14 (WCEN) - ex1-16 (WCEN)                                    | Ignition switch off | Below 1 Ω           |
| K11-14 (WCEN) or ex1-16 (WCEN) - Other terminals and body ground | Ignition switch off | 10 kΩ or higher     |

Post-procedure1

(d) Reconnect the No. 2 traction battery wire connector.

(e) Reconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector.

**NG** ► **REPAIR OR REPLACE HARNESS OR CONNECTOR**

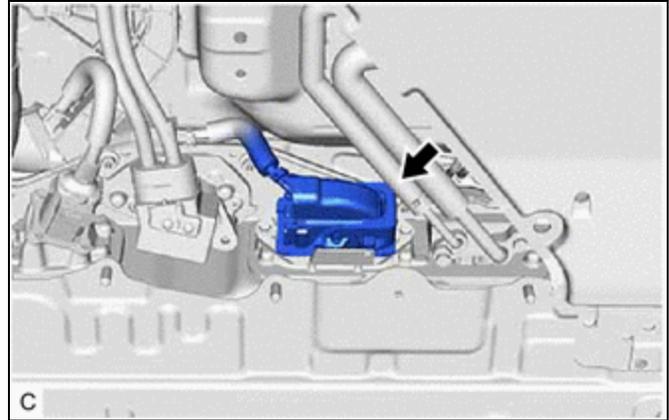
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| <b>6.</b> | <b>CHECK HARNESS AND CONNECTOR (HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU - HV SUPPLY BATTERY ASSEMBLY)</b> |
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Pre-procedure1

(a) Disconnect the No. 2 traction battery wire connector.

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(b) Disconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.

Procedure1

(c) Measure the resistance according to the value(s) in the table below.

Standard Resistance:



[Click Location & Routing\(ex1,x3\)](#)

[Click Connector\(ex1\)](#)

[Click Connector\(x3\)](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION  | CONDITION           | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| ex1-16 (WCEN) - x3-3 (WCEN)                                    | Ignition switch off | Below 1 Ω           |
| ex1-16 (WCEN) or x3-3 (WCEN) - Other terminals and body ground | Ignition switch off | 10 kΩ or higher     |

Post-procedure1

(d) Reconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.

(e) Reconnect the No. 2 traction battery wire connector.

**NG** ► **REPAIR OR REPLACE HARNESS OR CONNECTOR**

**OK**



**7. CHECK HARNESS AND CONNECTOR (HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU - BODY GROUND)**

Pre-procedure1

- (a) Disconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector.
- (b) Turn the ignition switch to ON.

Procedure1

- (c) Measure the voltage according to the value(s) in the table below.

Standard Voltage:

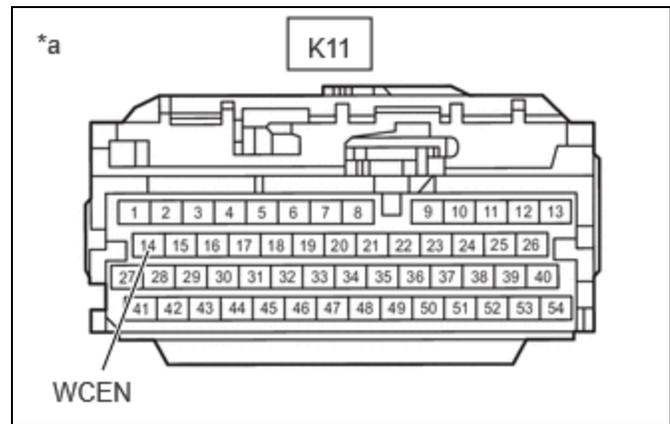


[Click Location & Routing\(K11\)](#)  
[Click Connector\(K11\)](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION           | CONDITION          | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| K11-14 (WCEN) - Body ground | Ignition switch ON | Below 1 V           |

**NOTICE:**

Turning the ignition switch to ON with the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector disconnected causes other DTCs to be stored. Clear the DTCs after performing this inspection.



\*a Front view of wire harness connector (to Hybrid Vehicle Control ECU)

Post-procedure1

- (d) Turn the ignition switch off.
- (e) Reconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector.

**NG** ▶ REPAIR OR REPLACE HARNESS OR CONNECTOR

**OK**



**8. READ VALUE USING FREEZE FRAME DATA (AC CHARGING RELAY PERMISSION SIGNAL STUCK LOW STATUS, AC CHARGING RELAY PERMISSION SIGNAL STUCK HIGH STATUS)**

Pre-procedure1

(a) None.

Procedure1

(b) Read the freeze frame data of DTC P1BAC1C.

**Powertrain > Hybrid Control > DTC(P1BAC1C) > Freeze Frame Data**

|   |
|---|
| TESTER DISPLAY  |
| AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck Low Status  |
| AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck High Status |

| <b>Result</b>   | PROCEED TO |
|---|------------|
| "AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck High Status" is ON | A          |
| "AC Charging Relay Permission Signal Stuck Low Status" is ON  | B          |

Post-procedure1

(c) Turn the ignition switch off.

**B**  **GO TO STEP 10**

**A**



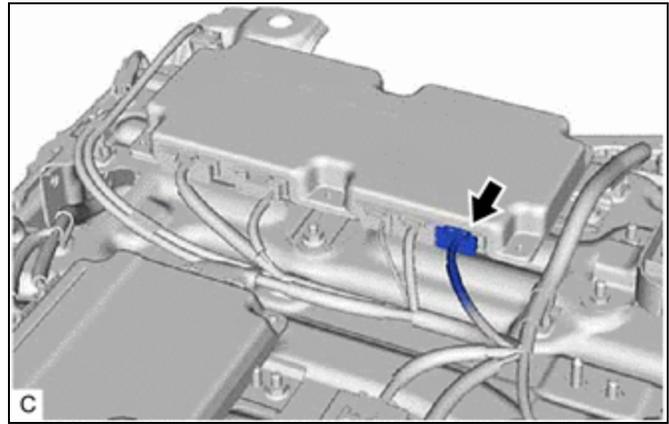
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| <b>9.</b> | <b>CHECK HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU</b> |
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Pre-procedure1

(a) Connect the SST.

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(b) Disconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.



(c) Turn the ignition switch to ON.

Procedure1

(d) Measure the voltage according to the value(s) in the table below.

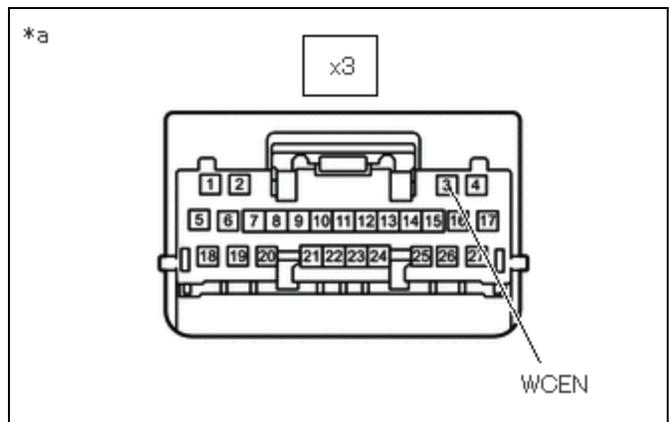
Standard Voltage:



[Click Location & Routing\(x3\)](#)

[Click Connector\(x3\)](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION         | CONDITION          | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| x3-3 (WCEN) - Body ground | Ignition switch ON | Below 1 V           |



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| *a | Front view of wire harness connector (to Battery ECU Assembly) |
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**NOTICE:**

Turning the ignition switch to ON with the battery ECU assembly connector disconnected causes other DTCs to be stored. Clear the DTCs after performing this inspection.

Post-procedure1

(e) Turn the ignition switch off.

(f) Reconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.

(g) Disconnect the SST.

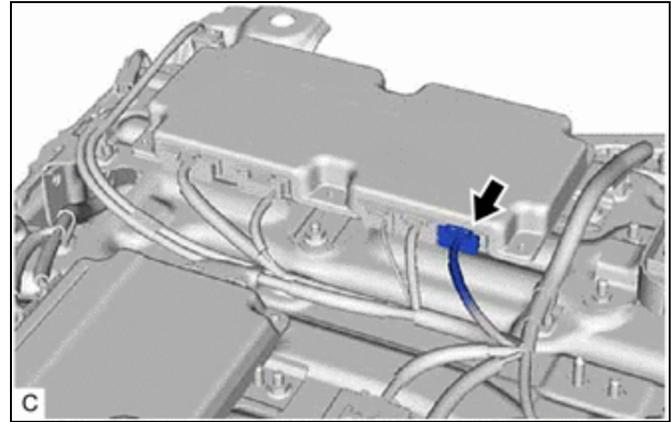
**OK** ► REPLACE BATTERY ECU ASSEMBLY

**NG** ► REPLACE HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU

## 10. CHECK HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU (BATTERY ECU ASSEMBLY - BODY GROUND)

Pre-procedure1

(a) Disconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.



Procedure1

(b) Measure the resistance according to the value(s) in the table below.

Standard Resistance:



[Click Location & Routing\(x3\)](#)

[Click Connector\(x3\)](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION         | CONDITION           | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| x3-3 (WCEN) - Body ground | Ignition switch off | 10 kΩ or higher     |

Post-procedure1

(c) Reconnect the battery ECU assembly connector.

**NG** ▶ **REPLACE HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU**

**OK**



## 11. CHECK HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU (HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU - BODY GROUND)

Pre-procedure1

(a) Disconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU

(b) Turn the ignition switch to ON.

Procedure1

(c) Measure the voltage according to the value(s) in the table below.

Standard Voltage:



[Click Location & Routing\(K11,A57\).](#)

[Click Connector\(K11\).](#)

[Click Connector\(A57\).](#)

| TESTER CONNECTION          | CONDITION          | SPECIFIED CONDITION |
|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| K11-8 (+B1) - Body ground  | Ignition switch ON | 8 V or more         |
| A57-10 (+B2) - Body ground | Ignition switch ON | 8 V or more         |

**NOTICE:**

Turning the ignition switch to ON with the hybrid vehicle control ECU connector disconnected causes other DTCs to be stored. Clear the DTCs after performing this inspection.

Post-procedure1

(d) Turn the ignition switch off.

(e) Reconnect the hybrid vehicle control ECU

**OK** ► REPLACE BATTERY ECU ASSEMBLY

**NG** ► REPLACE HYBRID VEHICLE CONTROL ECU

