Technical Bulletin



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NATS SECURITY - VBC LOGIC

APPLIED VEHICLE: 2009 – 2011 All Nissan with NATS / Immobilizer System

SERVICE INFORMATION

All model year 2009 – 2011 Nissan vehicles equipped with NATS / Immobilizer system have the new VBC (Validate Before Crank) starter relay logic.

VBC (Validate Before Crank) Logic:

- The BCM will make sure that a valid (registered) key is being used before engaging the starter relay. If the key is not authenticated the starter will not operate.
- If the engine cranks, the issue is not related to NATS. Do not replace NATS
 components (BCM, I-Key, FOB Reader or RF Receiver). Refer to ASIST for further
 diagnostic information as needed.

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