

ACURA P1203: CYLINDER 3 MISFIRE DETECTED

OVERVIEW

Severity	:	High
DIY Difficulty Level	:	Advanced
Repair Cost	:	\$100-\$1000
Can I Still Drive?	:	No

What Does The Acura P1203 Code Mean?

Engine runtime 10 seconds, engine under positive load conditions, and the PCM detected a random misfire condition in one cylinder during the 200 (Catalyst) or 1000 revolution (Emission) test range.

Note: If the misfire is severe, the MIL will flash on/of

What Are The Potential Causes Of The Acura P1203 Code?

- Air leaks (intake) or exhaust leaks affecting only one cylinder
- Base engine (compression) problem affecting only one cylinder
- Fuel metering (fuel injector dirty) problem affecting one cylinder
- Ignition system (spark plug or wire) fault affectin

Reference Sources

[Acura P1203](#), DTCDECODE.