# AUDI P1420: SECONDARY AIR INJECTOR VALVE CIRCUIT ELECTRICAL MALFUNCTION

#### **OVERVIEW**

Severity : Medium

DIY Difficulty Level : Intermediate

**Repair Cost** : \$250-\$300

Can I Still Drive? : Yes

## What Does The Audi P1420 Code Mean?

The Engine Control Module activates the secondary air injection solenoid valve, but the Heated Oxygen Sensor (HO2S) does not detect secondary air injection.

**Note**: Solenoid valve is closed when no voltage is present.

## What Are The Potential Causes Of The Audi P1420 Code?

- Connector to the secondary air injection valve is loose or disconnected
- Secondary air injector valve circuit short
- Secondary air injector valve circuit is open
- Faulty secondary air injector valve
- ECM has failed

## **Reference Sources**

Audi P1420, DTCDECODE.

