

FORD P1385: VARIABLE CAM TIMING SOLENOID B MALFUNCTION

OVERVIEW

Severity	:	High
DIY Difficulty Level	:	Advanced
Repair Cost	:	\$250-\$350
Can I Still Drive?	:	No

What Does The Ford P1385 Code Mean?

Key on or engine running; and the PCM detected an unexpected voltage condition on the Variable Cam Timing signal circuit. Note that this code is due to an electrical fault (not a mechanical fault).

What Are The Potential Causes Of The Ford P1385 Code?

- VCT solenoid circuit is open or shorted
- VCT solenoid is damaged or has failed
- PCM has failed

Reference Sources

[Ford P1385](#), DTCDECODE.