

## HONDA B1239: OPEN OR SHORT IN THE DRIVERS MODE CONTROL MOTOR CIRCUIT

### OVERVIEW

Severity	:	<div><div>Medium</div></div>
DIY Difficulty Level	:	<div><div>Intermediate</div></div>
Repair Cost	:	\$300-\$400
Can I Still Drive?	:	<b>Yes</b> (Short-term only)

### What Does The Honda B1239 Code Mean?

Poor communication between the Drivers Mode Control Motor and the Climate Control Unit – (“Short or “Open””) condition.

### What Are The Potential Causes Of The Honda B1239 Code?

- Loose wires or poor connections on the Drivers Mode Control Motor circuit
- Perform the HVAC self-diagnostic function with the HDS
- “Short or “Open” in the wires between the Climate Control Unit and the Drivers Mode Control Motor
- Faulty Drivers Mode Control Motor
- Faulty Climate Control Unit

### Reference Sources

[Body Electrical Repair Information for B1239](#) - American Honda Motor, page 89.