

## HONDA P1361: TOP DEAD CENTER SENSOR INTERMITTENT SIGNAL

### OVERVIEW

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|----------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Severity             | : | <div><div>High</div></div>         |
| DIY Difficulty Level | : | <div><div>Intermediate</div></div> |
| Repair Cost          | : | \$150-\$250                        |
| Can I Still Drive?   | : | No                                 |

### What Does The Honda P1361 Code Mean?

Engine running, and the PCM detected an unexpected or intermittent interruption of the Top Dead Center (TDC) sensor signal.

### What Are The Potential Causes Of The Honda P1361 Code?

- TDC signal circuit is open or shorted to ground
- TDC signal circuit is shorted to VREF or system power
- TDC pickup assembly or its pulse rotor is damaged
- PCM has failed

### Reference Sources

[Technical Service Bulletins 01-083 for P1361](#) - Honda Motor Co., Ltd., 2001 Civic EX