

## VOLKSWAGEN P1515: INTAKE MANIFOLD CHANGEOVER VALVE CIRCUIT SHORT TO GROUND

### OVERVIEW

Severity	:	<div><div></div></div> High
DIY Difficulty Level	:	<div><div>Intermediate</div></div>
Repair Cost	:	\$300-\$750
Can I Still Drive?	:	<b>Yes</b> (Short-term only)

### What Does The Volkswagen P1515 Code Mean?

Engine started, and the ECM detected the changeover valve circuit was shorting to ground during the continuous self test.

### What Are The Potential Causes Of The Volkswagen P1515 Code?

- Leaky vacuum reservoir, vacuum lines loose or damaged
- Vacuum solenoid or vacuum actuator is damaged
- IMRC actuator cable/gears are seized, or the cables are improperly routed or seized
- IMRC housing return springs are damaged or disconnected

### Reference Sources

[Volkswagen P1515](#), DTCDECODE.