

# **Smart Key Battery Diagnostics**

Service

Category Vehicle Interior

Section Theft Deterrent/Keyless Entry Market USA



## **Applicability**

YEAR(S)	MODEL(S)	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
2005 – 2009	ES350, GS300,		
	GS350, GS430,		
	GS450H, GS460, IS F,		
	IS250, IS350, LS430,		
	LS600H, LX570		

#### Introduction

Some customers may experience limited battery life in their Smart Keys. The Smart Key "wakes up" by receiving a "ping" or electronic noise. Many electronic devices emit a "ping" or electronic noise, therefore the Smart Key(s) could wake up and, as a result, battery life could be reduced.

If the Smart Key(s) is stored near any of the following components, battery life may be reduced:

- TVs or computer monitors
- DVD or VCR units
- Desktop PCs or notebooks
- · Cordless phones or cell phones
- Microwave ovens or other electronic cooking appliances
- Modems
- Certain lighting fixtures

#### **NOTE**

It is recommended to keep the Smart Key(s) at least one meter (40 inches) from these electronic devices.

### **Warranty Information**

OP CODE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	OFP	T1	T2
N/A	Not Applicable to Warranty	_	-	_	_

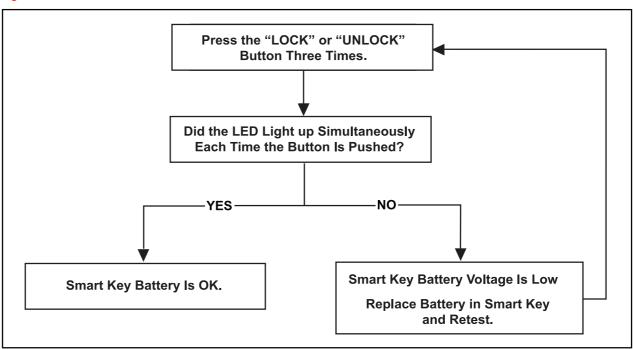
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#### **Diagnostic Procedure**

Use the following flowchart to test the battery inside the Smart Keys.

#### Figure 1.



#### **NOTE**

- · Check all Smart Keys.
- If the Smart Key(s) fails the retest after battery placement, refer to the appropriate repair manual section Smart Key Transponder and/or Smart Key Diagnostics.