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GROUP: Cooling

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SUBJECT:

Coolant Weepage At The Coolant Reservoir Hose

OVERVIEW:

This Bulletin involves inspection of the coolant reservoir hose at the reservoir bottle.

MODELS:

2011	(LC)	Challenger	
2011	(LD)	Charger	
2011	(LX)	300	

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles equipped with the 3.6L engine (Sales Code ERB) built between December 7, 2010 (MDH1207XX) and February 3, 2011 (MDH0203XX).

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

Some customers may notice coolant weepage from the reservoir hose.

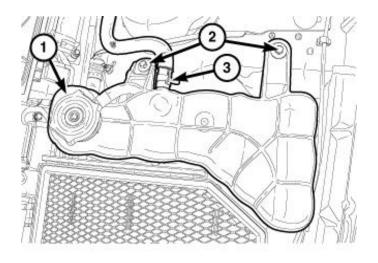
This condition may be caused by the coolant reservoir hose connection at the reservoir bottle.



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DIAGNOSIS:

1. Open the hood and gain access to coolant reservoir bottle (Fig. 1).



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Fig. 1 Coolant Reservoir Bottle

- 1 Container Pressure Cap
- 2 Mounting Screws
- 3 Coolant Reservoir hose

2. Measure distance from end of the coolant recovery hose to the coolant reservoir bottle (Fig. 2).



Fig. 2 Hose Measurment

1 - Measure Distance

- 3. Is the distance 7 mm or less?
 - a. Yes >>> Repair Complete. If coolant is leaking further diagnosis is required b. No >>> Perform Step #4.
- Partially drain cooling system using the draincock only. Following the detailed procedures found in DealerCONNECT>TechCONNECT > 07 Cooling > Draining Standard Procedure. Drain system below level of the coolant recovery pressure container.
- 5. Loosen the hose clamp at the coolant reservoir bottle.
- 6. Push the hose onto the bottle as far as it will go.
- 7. Tighten the clamp at the coolant reservoir bottle.
- 8. Measure distance from end of the coolant reservoir hose to the coolant reservoir bottle (Fig. 2).
- 9. Is the distance 7 mm or less?
 - a. Yes >>> Repair Complete. If coolant is leaking further diagnosis is required
 - b. No >>> Perform the repair procedure.

PARTS REQUIRED:

Qty.	Part No.	Description
1	68142046AA	Hose, Coolant Reservoir

REPAIR PROCEDURE:

- 1. Remove the coolant reservoir hose (Fig. 1).
- 2. Remove protective sleeve from old hose.
- 3. Remove clamp at end of hose where it connects to the heater tubing.
- 4. Install protective sleeve onto new hose.

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- Install clamp 5 mm from the end of hose where it connects to the heater tubing.
 Fill cooling system. Following the detailed procedures found in DealerCONNECT>TechCONNECT > 07 Cooling > Standard Procedure Adding Additional Coolant.

POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Amount
07-30-40-92	Hose, Coolant Reservoir Inspect - (C)	0.2 Hrs.
07-30-40-93	Hose, Coolant Reservoir Inspect And Adjust - (C)	0.3 Hrs.
07-30-40-94	Hose, Coolant Reservoir Inspect And Adjust And Replace - (C)	0.4 Hrs.

FAILURE CODE:

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