TECHNICAL TIP TT-671

Step 1: Check for Proper Battery Voltage:

- Set your voltmeter to V-DC
- Connect the black lead to the negative battery post and the red lead to the positive battery post as shown in figure 1.
- 3. Turn the ignition key to the start position and read the meter.
- If measurement is less than 10.5 volts have the battery tested.
- If greater than 10.5 volts proceed to step 2

Step 2: Check Ignition signal to Starter Relay:

- Connect the black lead to the starter relay mounting bolt and the red lead to the starter relay S terminal as shown in figure 2
- 2. Turn the key to the start position.
- If the measurement is less than 10.5 volts repair the relay ground, ignition switch, neutral switch, or wiring.
- If 10.5 volts or greater proceed to step 3

Step 3: Check Starter Relay Contacts:

- Connect the black lead to the output post of the starter relay and the red lead to the input post of starter relay as shown in figure 3.
- 2. Turn the key to the start position.
- If measurement is less than .5 volts go to step 4.
- If measurement is greater than .5 volts replace the starter relay and retest.

Step 4: Check Voltage to the Starter:

- Connect the black lead to the starter housing and the red lead to the B+ terminal on the starter as shown in figure 4.
- 2. Turn the key to the start position
- If the measurement is less than 10.5 volts, test and replace the positive and/or negative battery cables.
- If the measured voltage is 10.5 volts or greater have the starter bench tested and verify no internal engine damage or flywheel damage.







