Retrieving OBDII Fault Code Information

Meets ASE Task: A1 – A-2 – P-1

Name:_____   Date:_____   Time on Task:_____

Make/Model/Year:_____   VIN:_____

Evaluation (Enter number from 4, 3, 2, 1) :_____

☐ 1. A scan tool is required to retrieve diagnostic trouble codes from an OBD II vehicle. Every OBD II scan tool will be able to read all generic **Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE)** DTCs from any vehicle.

☐ Retrieve the DTCs using a scan tool. Specify which scan tool was used: _____
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☐ If no DTCs are displayed, set a DTC by disconnecting a sensor such as the throttle position (TP) sensor and then starting and running the engine.

☐ Did the scan tool display both a generic OBD II (Poxxx) code *and* a manufacturer's specific DTC (P1xxx) code? **Yes _____   No _____**

☐ 2. Record any stored freeze frame information. _____
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☐ 3. Clear the stored DTCs using the scan tool.