Example workshop

Technician: Example inspector

REPORT

I/M Readiness & Pre-Smog Check

10/26/2026

EXAMPLE

Honda Civic · 2018

Date	Mileage	Customer
10/26/2026	**45,000 mi**	**Example customer**

4 items need attention
We recommend addressing them soon.

6	4	0
OK	Needs attention	Critical

Summary

- **OBD codes identified: 0**
- **Module scan: partial · 1/5**
- **Inspector conclusion: Needs attention**
- **Recommended action: Record the status before clearing anything. Check the local rule and exact OEM procedure, then rescan after the steps applicable to the vehicle.**

Scanner and scanned modules

Scanner: OBD-II scanner · example
Scan scope: Engine only

- **Engine ECU / PCM: Scanned · 0 faults**
- **ABS / ESP: Not checked**
- **Airbag: Not checked**
- **Automatic transmission: Not checked**
- **Comfort / body: Not checked**
- **Malfunction indicator lamp (MIL): Off**

Lamp off does not exclude stored historic codes.

Fault codes found: 0

No codes were entered. Check each module status; missing codes do not confirm a complete scan.

Mechanic's recommendation

Record the status before clearing anything. Check the local rule and exact OEM procedure, then rescan after the steps applicable to the vehicle.

Free text (notes, photo captions, work performed) is shown exactly as the inspector entered it, in their own language.

Calculated summary

CHECK	VALUE / NOTE	STATUS
Preliminary forecast	Monitors not ready - check jurisdiction requirements	Needs attention
Vehicle-specific procedure	Manufacturer drive-cycle reference not recorded	Needs attention

Recorded monitors
6 ready · 2 not ready · 3 unsupported · 0 unknown / not recorded

Official inspection eligibility	Not evaluated - verify local rules and vehicle exceptions

Pending monitor guidance
Monitors: catalyst, evap. Follow the OEM procedure for this VIN/powertrain and its enabling conditions. Do not clear codes; rescan after safe, permitted driving. No universal drive cycle is guaranteed.

Context and applicable rule

Jurisdiction / I/M program	Example I/M programme - jurisdiction requires confirmation.
Model year	2018
Fuel / powertrain	Petrol / gasoline

Local criteria and limitations
Acceptance criteria are not configured in this example. The result is a readiness observation, not an official prediction.

Scan and MIL

Scan date	2026-10-26
Scan tool / software version	OBD-II / EOBD
OBD communication	Connected
Observed MIL status	Off
ECU commanded MIL	Off
Confirmed DTC count	0
Pending DTC count	0
Permanent DTC count	0

DTC codes and scan observations
No codes were reported in the three categories during this example readout.

The 11 monitors

CHECK	VALUE / NOTE	STATUS

Catalyst	Not ready	Needs attention
Evaporative system (EVAP)	Not ready	Needs attention
Misfire	Ready	OK
Fuel system	Ready	OK
Comprehensive components	Ready	OK
Heated catalyst	Unsupported	
Secondary air	Unsupported	
Oxygen sensor	Ready	OK
Oxygen sensor heater	Ready	OK
EGR / variable valve timing	Ready	OK
NOx / SCR	Unsupported	
Monitor notes and tool naming	Unsupported and incomplete statuses are kept separate.	

Conditions and next steps

Recent code clear / battery disconnect	Unknown

OEM procedure conditions and notes
No universal drive cycle is provided. Select the procedure from the exact vehicle documentation.

Next steps and recheck
Confirm the local programme requirements, check for conditions or faults preventing completion and rescan after the applicable procedure.

Monitor status is an observation at scan time. Acceptance depends on jurisdiction, model year, fuel and the applicable rule. Obtain a vehicle-specific drive cycle from its OEM source; this report provides no universal drive cycle.

Inspector conclusion

Verdict: Needs attention

Catalyst and EVAP monitors were incomplete at scan time. No official test-pass guarantee is issued.

CUSTOMER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The customer received the findings and, where relevant, risks of critical defects. Signature acknowledges receipt, not repair authorization or waiver of rights.

CUSTOMER - ACKNOWLEDGED

Example customer

10/26/2026, 9:10:00 AM

Signed by: Example customer · Signed at: 10/26/2026, 9:10:00 AM

PHOTOS



Photo 1 - Vehicle identification - Generated illustrative image; not an inspected vehicle.

Not enough photos for a full inspection (2-4 real photos recommended).
Codes are explained according to documented OBD-II definitions. The final diagnosis must be confirmed by checks on the vehicle.

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