STAGE 2 - INVESTIGATION

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Investigation and investigation conclusion

Include Objective links to supporting data and the F-625 problem solving methodology document if used.

- 1. These devices were found temperature consistently stuck at 100°C.
- 2. Wiggling the wires/connector did not show poor contact issue.
- 3. Temperature sensor leads to Main board connection did not show discontinuity/poor contact issue.
- 4. A03021 Control Temperature sensor, batch C19577 was begun to use on 25 Jan 2022, lot 424. Failure rate reported was 4.2%. (From lot 424 -lot 427, 10 reported failed out of 240 A03021 temperature sensor used)
- 5. Temperature sensor were confirmed faulty by Bencol.



Testing results:

Reference	Resistance		V	oltage		
	VCC-GND (Red to black)	Output -GND (Yellow to black)	VCC-GND (Red to black)	Output -GND (yellow to black)	Pass	Marking code 03ARxxxxx
	0.5-0.6 M			0.2-0.3V (20 C)		
S1	48k	41k	5V	4.9V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S2	0.56M	46k	5V	4.6V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S3	0.54M	44k	5V	4.3V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S4	0.55M	43k	5V	4.3V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S5 (S/N 490563-008)	0.60M	43k	5V	0.25V	Pass	03ARxxxxx
S6	0.60M	39k	5V	4.3V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S7	0.52M	39k	5V	4.3V	Error	15ANxxxxx
S8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	14AKxxxxx
S9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	14AKxxxxx
S10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	14AKxxxxx
S11	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	14AKxxxxx
S12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	14AKxxxxx
S13	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	15ANxxxxx
S14	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	15ANxxxxx
S15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Pass(T2)	15ANxxxxx
S16	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Error(T2)	15ANxxxxx
S17	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Error(T2)	15ANxxxxx







Analysis:

- 1> All the failed parts are from Marking code "15ANxxxxx". Output voltage presents the 4.3V-4.9V, which means very high (more than 100 C) temperature.
- 2> 5 samples from Marking code "14AKxxxxxx" are tested without problem, also no failure from production with this Marking code.
- 3> 5 samples with Marking code "15ANxxxxx" screening from stock were tested, 2 out of them were failed at the same issue. Roughly 40% failure rate. However, the sample number is low.

Root cause:

LM35D IT temperature sensor with Marking code "15ANxxxxx" components faulty.

Root cause										
Faulty IC component of A03031 Temperature sensor										
Root cause category:	Materials External Comments:									
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