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### Setting Mechanical Computers to Price Below \$1.00/Gallon

In many areas of the country, gasoline has dropped below \$1.00 per gallon.

From time to time, it is reported by station operators that the computer appears to be "locked up" when they try to change the price to below \$1.00 (example .979) on a Veeder-Root 2002E or a PMP Model 4203. When the operator tries to move the dollar shift arm from \$1.00 to "zero," it won't move.

This problem is caused by the end of a gear tooth hitting exactly on a lockout pin as the dollar shift arm moves into the pin. (Once engaged, the pin keeps the gear from turning.)

The solution is very simple: Reach into the variator section and gently "jiggle" the cone gear or range gear back and forth a couple of times. This moves the end of the gear tooth off the pin and the \$1.00 shift arm will move smoothly to the "zero" position.

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