

Title (en)

Torque control device and method for internal combustion engine

Title (de)

Drehmomentsteuerungsvorrichtung für Verbrennungsmotor

Title (fr)

Dispositif de contrôle de couple et procédé pour moteur à combustion interne

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Abstract (en)

A torque control device for an internal combustion engine, capable of properly suppressing the vibration of a vehicle by controlling torque output from the engine such that no large variation in the output torque is caused, when the vehicle has a torque converter having a lockup clutch. The torque control device calculates a basic value of a demanded torque for determining the output torque, according to detected operating conditions of the engine, and calculates a filtering characteristic for determining an average torque, and a filtering characteristic for determining a torque correction term, according to a detected degree of engagement of the lockup clutch. The torque control device calculates the demanded torque by filtering correction of the basic value using the filtering characteristics, and calculates a fuel injection amount based on the demanded torque. Torque corresponding to the fuel injection amount is output from the engine.

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