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The workshop documentation for the Boxster model has the designation "Boxster" Technical Manual and contains Technical Information as well as instructions on Repairs.

The integration of the technical information published in the "Boxster" Technical Manual with the descriptive matter on repairs provides the user with a complex reference work that combines into one book associated or cross-referenced material of relevance to workshops and originating from various information media.

The "Boxster" Technical Manual consists of 15 folders, subdivided into the following Groups

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- \*<sup>3</sup> The two folders with Group 1 are to be regarded as one folder; i.e. file the "Technical Information" notices only in front of the repair descriptions in the folder "Group 1 Engine, part 1" (up to Repair Group 13).
- \*<sup>4</sup> The **second folder** "Group 1 Engine, part 2" (as of Repair Group 15) includes the further Repair Groups belonging to Group 1.

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- \*<sup>5</sup> The two folders with Group 9 are to be regarded as one folder; i.e. file the "Technical Information" notices only in front of the repair descriptions in the folder "Group 9 Circuit diagrams, part 1" (up to the '99 model).
- \*<sup>6</sup> The **second folder** "Group 9 Circuit diagrams, part 2" (as of the '00 model) includes the further circuit diagrams belonging to Group 9.

The "Boxster" Technical Manual has the same structure in each folder, with the following breakdown for all Groups:

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#### - Title page: "Repair"

- > Repair Groups: overview
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- > General / technical data
- > Instructions on repairs

As can be seen from the breakdown, the published Technical Information is in the front part of each folder – numbered according to the Groups. The Table of Contents assigned to each Group will be periodically updated.

Following the Technical Information, separated by a title page, the instructions on repairs – assigned according to the Groups or broken down into Repair Groups – are included in the folder.

The instructions on repairs will be extended and updated by means of supplements.

#### Note

Sheets that already exist in the "Boxster" Technical Manual and are updated or revised and thereby exchanged by a supplement are designated "Replacement sheet". Revisions or technical modifications on pages of these replacement sheets are identified for the user with a vertical bar at the margin.

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#### Installation location, diagnostic socket

The diagnostic socket for the tester is located inside the vehicle near to the driver (left-hand drive vehicles) or the passenger (right-hand drive vehicles) below the instrument panel.



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#### **Operating instructions, Porsche System Tester 2**



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#### **General information**

#### Use

The Porsche System Tester 2 is a modular, portable diagnostic and measuring system. It can be used in any location to perform diagnostic tests on electronic control modules.

The Tester consists of a computer unit, a main memory, a hard disk, a VGA display panel, a nickel metal hydride battery and a measuring unit for measurement of current, voltage and resistance values.

The Porsche System Tester 2 can be operated with the built-in keys or using a connectable country-specific PS/2 keyboard (option).

Data and measured values can be printed out on one of the ten DIN A4 printers currently approved by Porsche.

The integrated LCD panel is used as the display. A monitor can also be connected (VGA connection).

If a printer or PS/2 keyboard is connected, the corresponding device type must be set under Configuration in the start-up screen.

The Tester thus can be used to check all systems that possess a diagnostic interface conforming with the ISO standard. The following tasks can be performed:

- Reading out the control-module identification
- Reading out the fault memory
- Erasing the fault memory
- Testing the drive links
- Testing the input signals
- Reading out actual values
- Control module programming
- Current, voltage and resistance measurements

#### Malfunctions

The Porsche System Tester 2 is a high-quality electronic device. In order to prevent damage to the unit due to improper use, please observe the operating instructions.

If the Tester no longer responds when any key is pressed, it must be set to a defined state:

- 1. Press the F1 and F8 keys in addition to the "ON/OFF" key.
- 2. Release the "ON/OFF" key, then the F1 and F8 keys.

Perform this switch-off procedure only if the unit no longer responds when any key is pressed. This procedure can damage the hard disk under certain circumstances if it is performed during normal operation. It may be necessary to repeat input of data created within this diagnostic application.

Problems during operation are indicated to the user via the information line (info line). Example: "Diagnosis Card not inserted".

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#### **Design of the Tester**

#### 1 9.5" LCD panel,

monochrome Resolution: 640 x 480 pixels (picture elements)



#### 2 Keypad

2.1 Jump key Used to change to the selection menu for control module-specific functions

2.2 On/Off switch

#### 2.3 Print key

To print out data, measured values, screen display (hardcopy), working log and warranty log

2.4 This key is used to jump to the beginning

2.5 Used in combination with key 2.4 or 2.6 to control the brightness

2.6 This key is used to jump to the end

2.7 Used to move the cursor up

2.8 Used to move the cursor to the left

2.9 Used to move the cursor to the right **and** to select drive links, input signals and actual values

2.10 Used to move the cursor down

2.11 Enter key

- 2.12 Used to change the active screen part
- 2.13 Back key

2.14 Continue key

2.15 Escape key

#### 3 Softkeys

Softkeys can be have different functions. The functions are displayed at the bottom edge of the screen.

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#### Connections



- 1 Ground connection
- 2 Connections for voltage and resistance measurements.
- 3 Connections for current measurements with a clamp-on ammeter.
- 4 Two slots for PCMCIA cards. The upper slot is for the Diagnosis Card.
- 5 Socket for mains power supply unit.
- 6 Serial port for connection of a mouse.
- 7 Connection socket for a PS/2 keyboard.
- 8 Socket for VGA monitor.
- 9 Parallel port for connection of a printer or a CD- ROM drive.

#### Note

Before current, voltage or resistance measurements: Use the ground

lead to connect the ground socket (1) to the vehicle ground point prior

to connecting the diagnosis lead.

#### **Diagnosis Card**



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The Diagnosis Card is the interface between the Porsche System Tester 2 and the vehicle.

The Diagnosis Card is responsible for the diagnosis reports, control-module programming voltage and for voltage supply to the Porsche

System Tester 2 via the vehicle battery.

The Diagnosis Card can be left in the Tester.

#### Voltage supply

Three types of voltage supply are possible for the Porsche System Tester 2:

- Internal rechargeable battery (operating time approx. 20 min)
- Vehicle battery (supply via plugged-on diagnosis lead, Diagnosis Card)
- Mains power supply.

Before putting the unit into operation, make sure that the mains voltage and the voltage specified on the mains power supply unit are the same.

#### Adjusting illumination of LCD panel

Press key 2.5 and key 2.4 ➡Display brighter

Press key 2.5 and key 2.6 ➡Display darker

#### Working log

During diagnosis, e.g. when the fault memory is being read out, a "save" symbol appears near the softkeys. This item is saved in the working log if the corresponding softkey is pressed. The working log can be printed out with key 2.3. It is thus possible to document all stored faults, for example.

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#### Starting diagnosis

- 1. Connect the Porsche System Tester 2 to the diagnostic socket (data link connector) in the vehicle.
- Switch on the Porsche System Tester 2 (it will be ready for operation in approx. 60 seconds).
- 3. Switch on the ignition.
- 4. Select the vehicle type and initiate diagnosis with key 2.14.

The Porsche System Tester 2 starts to search for control modules and then lists all control modules it finds. Control modules that are not installed (e.g. Tiptronic control module on vehicles with manual transmission) are displayed in grey.

#### Note

If no control modules are detected, check whether the ignition is on or whether terminal 15 is present on the diagnostic socket.

If faults are stored in a control module, this is identified with the **#** symbol as before.

#### Automatic switch-off

The Porsche System Tester 2 switches itself off after an Off-delay if

 no voltage is supplied via the mains power supply unit or via the vehicle battery

or

 no data are being transferred via an interface (no key pressed, no communication with control module). The Off-delay time can be changed in the Configuration menu. The default Off-delay time is 3 minutes.

Automatic switch-off is preceded by a rhythmic beeping

- sound (10 seconds). The Porsche System Tester 2 will remain
- switched on if the mains power supply is connected or a key is

pressed within this time.

#### Software update

The software can be updated using the supplied CD-ROM

- drive. 1. Connect CD-ROM drive with the Porsche System Tester 2.
- 2. Connect Porsche System Tester 2 and the CD-ROM drive to the

mains power supply unit.

- 3. Load CD-ROM in the drive and close the drive.
- 4. Switch on the Porsche System Tester 2.
- 5. Select "Software installation" in the Configuration menu.

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### **Diagnosis/Troubleshooting**

### DME

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#### Diagnosis

Monitoring of signals by the DME control module permits the system to perform reliable and exact diagnosis. Furthermore, certain additional functions such as the drive links test and input signals test can be activated and checked with the Porsche System Tester 2.

The fault memory can be read out and erased with the new Porsche System Tester 2. The data link connector is located below the knee guard on the driver's side.



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#### General

A further-developed Motronic (DME) system with the designation M 5.2.2 is installed to produce the injection signal, to calculate the ignition timing angle, to realise adaptive controls of various systems, and to perform diagnostic functions.

#### **Essential characteristics of the DME**

- Electronic map-based ignition with stationary high-voltage distribution
- Sequential injection
- Mixture controlled separately for each cylinder bank
- Adaptive stereo oxygen sensor closed-loop control
- Floating oxygen sensors

Oxygen sensor heating controlled via ground side

• Hall-effect sensor installed on inlet camshaft for cylinder bank 1 - 3

Control of VarioCam valves for cylinder banks 1 - 3 and 4 - 6  $\,$ 

- New hot film mass air flow sensor
- Intake air temperature sensor installed in hot film mass air flow sensor

Cylinder-charging control with new two-winding IACV (positioner)

Adaptive throttle potentiometer

Adaptive knock regulation

- Oil temperature measurement
- New temperature sensor for engine temperature measurement and analogue display in the instrument cluster

- Engine compartment temperature sensor to control the engine compartment purge fan
- Radiator fan control by the DME control module
- Starting relay activation and disabling
- Control of the A/C compressor relay

Activation of the Check Engine light in the event of misfires damaging to the catalytic converter

Torque reduction upon Traction Control demand by means of ignition timing retardation and injection suppression

- Electronically controlled ventilation of the carbon canister
- Airbag control module switches off fuel pump in the event of an accident
- Programmed idle speed changed in the case of Tiptronic vehicles and engaged transmission range
- Torque reduction during shifting operations of the Tiptronic transmission
- Facility to inject disturbances for testing the oxygen sensor control loop (e.g. for inspection and maintenance)

#### Additionally for USA vehicles:

- Complete scope of OBD II functions with activation of the Check Engine light
- Secondary air system
- Two additional oxygen sensors behind the catalytic converters
- Additional Hall-effect sensor for camshaft of cylinder bank 4 - 6

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#### Overview of the possible menus

The following menus can be called up with the Porsche System Tester 2:

- Identification
- Fault memory
- Erase fault memory
- Drive links
- Input signals
- Actual values
- Coding

#### Identification

The diagnosis software number and the control module part number are displayed here.

#### Fault memory

All faults detected by the control module are stored in the fault memory according to the fault code.

#### Erase fault memory

The fault memory can be erased with this menu.

The following drive links can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2:

passive (only ignition on)

IACV (idle speed positioner)

A/C compressor

Fuel evaporative valve

Engine compartment purge fan

Secondary air fan (USA)

Check Engine

Engine fan stage 1 + 2

Fuel pump relay

Rpm signal pulse (e.g. at tachometer)

active (engine running) Deactivation of injection valves Switch of the VarioCam system, cylinders 1 - 3 Switch of the VarioCam system, cylinders 4 - 6

#### Input signals

The following input signals can be tested:

Idle detection	Air mass in kg/h	
Wide open throttle detection	Spec. air mass in kg/h	
A/C compressor switch	Adaptation values, Range 1 (TRA)	
Reference mark signal	Adaptation values, Range 2 (FRA)	
Transmission range switch (with Tiptronic)	Adaptation values during tank ventilation (FTEA)	
Fuel reserve signal	Ignition timing angle in °crk	
Start enable switch (with manual transmission)	Oxygen sensing	
	Oxygen sensor voltages ahead of catalytic con- verter	
Actual values	Oxygen sensor voltages behind catalytic conver-	
The following actual values can be tested:	ter (USA)	
	Ambient pressure in mbar	
Supply voltage in V	Signal from airbag control module	
Hot film mass air flow sensor voltage in V		
Engine temperature in °C	CO adjustment	
Intake air temperature in °C	CO adjustment is possible only on vehicles with-	
Engine compartment temperature in °C	out catalytic converter.	
Engine oil temperature in °C		
Engine speed in rpm	Vehicle data	
Vehicle speed in km/h		
Load signal in ms/revolution	Control module programming	
Throttle potentiometer in %		

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#### DME component arrangement in the vehicle



#### Components

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- 1 Control modules
  - A DME control module
  - B Tiptronic control module
- 2 Relay support 1 (on left in driver's footwell)
- 3 Fuse carrier (on left in driver's footwell)
- 4 Relay carrier 2 (on left rear in luggage compartment)

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#### Assignment on relay support and on fuse support

#### Relay carrier 1 (in the footwell)

Fuel pump Relay at connection point 13

Radiator fan 1 - Stage 1 Relay at connection point 19

Radiator fan 1 -Stage 2 Relay at connection point 20

Radiator fan 2 - Stage 1 Relay at connection point 21

Radiator fan 2 - Stage 2 Relay at connection point 22

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#### Relay carrier 2 (in the rear)

DME relay at connection point 1

Ignition/oxygen sensor relay at connection point 2

A/C compressor relay at connection point 4

Start-inhibit relay at connection point 7

Engine compartment fan relay at connection point 8

Secondary air pump relay at connection point 10

Secondary air pump fuse on fuse support 13



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#### **Components on the engine**

Front view





- 1 Injection valve
- 2 Temperature switch for engine temperature
- 3 Tensioning element (camshaft adjuster VarioCam)
- 4 Hall-effect sensor
- 5 Knock sensor
- 6 Oil temperature sender/oil level sensor
- 7 Knock sensor
- 8 Tank vent (fuel evaporative valve)
- 9 Individual coil/spark plug connector
- 10 Tensioning element (camshaft adjuster VarioCam)
- 11 Hall-effect sensor
- 12 Temperature sender (coolant)

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#### **Function of components**

#### 1. Injection valves

The valve coils consist of brass and have an internal resistance of approximately 12  $\Omega$ . The injection valves are activated sequentially, and the electrical leads therefore must not be swapped. The change in the quantity injected is controlled by the DME control module via variable valve opening times.

### 2. Temperature switch for the engine compartment fan

An NTC thermistor is installed between the intake pipes of cylinders 1 and 2 in order to measure the engine compartment temperature. The DME control module activates the engine compartment fan depending on the respective engine compartment temperature and various additional factors.

### 3. Tensioning element (camshaft adjuster VarioCam)

In order to increase torque and improve cylinder charging, the engine is equipped with two Vario-Cam drive links installed in the chain tensioners of the camshafts.

The two drive links are actuated via solenoid valves, which are in turn activated by the DME control module.

#### 4. Hall-effect sensor

A plug-in Hall-effect sensor is installed in the cylinder head at the 3rd cylinder of cylinder bank 1 - 3 in order to detect the ignition TDC of the 1st cylinder. The Hall signal is produced by a rotor fastened on the inlet camshaft of cylinder bank 1 - 3.

In addition to detection of ignition TDC of the 1st cylinder and the associated allocation of injection signals (sequential), ignition signals (stationary high-voltage distribution) and knock-sensor signals (knock regulation), the Hall signal is also used for diagnosis of the VarioCam system in the Boxster.

#### 5. Knock sensor

#### Function

If the knock-sensor voltage, in combination with an amplification factor calculated by the control module, reaches a maximum voltage threshold, the DME control module interprets this as "knocking". When knocking is detected, the calculated ignition timing angle is retarded by a crankshaft angle of 2.25° at the corresponding cylinder (cylinder selective). The maximum retardation per cylinder depends on the engine rpm and can be up to 15° crk behind the nominal ignition timing angle.

When knocking is no longer detected, the ignition timing angle is returned to its optimum value in small increments.

#### Safety function

If the DME control module detected a fault on knock sensor 1, knock sensor 2, the Hall-effect sensor, or an error in calculation of the engine load signal, the DME control module will retard the calculated ignition timing angle by 9° crk as from the condition "Knock regulation active" and as from a fixed engine and intake air temperature.

#### 6. Oil temperature sender

The DME control module uses the oil temperature to calculate the switching rpm for the Vario-Carn system. The oil temperature sender and oil level sender form a single component that is screwed into the crankcase.

#### 7. Knock sensor

See Item 5.

#### 8. Fuel evaporative valve

A solenoid valve is installed in the line between the intake housing and carbon canister. The flow direction of the one-way valve is stamped into the plastic housing. The valve is fitted below the intake pipe for cylinder 5.

The fuel evaporative valve is closed when de-energised. When the ignition is switched on, the DME control module applies positive voltage to the fuel evaporative valve via terminal 54. When the engine has started and the operating conditions listed beside this column have been reached, the fuel evaporative valve is connected to ground by the DME control module as well (but via terminal 61) and opens.

#### 9. Individual ignition coil

The individual ignition coil and the spark plug are connected via a spark plug connector with an internal resistance of approx. 2.5 k $\Omega$ . The individual ignition coil is provided with positive voltage (terminal 3) and negative voltage (terminal 2) via the electrical lead on the keyed 3-pole plug contact. Terminal 1 on the individual ignition coil leads to the ignition driver. The coils are energised when the injection, ignition and oxygensensor relay is closed.

#### 10. Tensioning element (camshaft adjuster)

See under Item 3.

#### 11. Hall-effect sensor

See under Item 4.

#### 12. Engine coolant temperature sensor

The engine temperature sender is designed as a double NTC thermistor. The control module uses the temperature sender signal to calculate the injection signal during the warm-up phase in order to enrich the mixture when the engine is started, to calculate the ignition timing angle during the warm-up phase and to control the electric fans. One temperature-dependent resistance (resistance measured between contacts 2 and 3 in the connector housing) provides the signal for indication of the engine coolant temperature-dependent resistance (resistance for the engine coolant temperature in the instrument cluster, and the other temperature-dependent resistance (measured between contacts 1 and 4 in the connector housing) informs the

DME control module about the coolant temperature.

The engine coolant temperature sensor is screwed into the coolant guide housing.

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#### **Components on the engine**

**Rear view** 



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- 1 Secondary air pump
- 2 Vacuum reservoir (only on Tiptronic and OBD II)
- 3 Overflow valve
- 4 Check valve
- 5 Vacuum valve
- 6 Check valve
- 7 Throttle part
- 8 IACV (idle speed positioner)
- 9 Throttle potentiometer
- 10 Hot film mass air flow sensor with intake air temperature sensor
- 11 Oxygen sensors ahead of the catalytic converter
- 12 Oxygen sensors behind the catalytic converter
- 13 Pulse sender (reference mark sensor/rpm sender)

Components No. 1, 3, 4, 6, 12 are installed only on OBD II vehicles.

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#### 1. Secondary air fan

USA vehicles are equipped with a secondary air system in order to reduce pollutants in the exhaust gas during the warm-up phase and to fulfil the emissions limits.

An electric air pump is mounted on the body in the engine compartment for this purpose. It is activated by the DME control module and, via air lines, injects the secondary air behind the exhaust valves.

#### 6. Check valve

#### 7. Throttle plate part

#### 2. Vacuum reservoir

Ensures the function of vacuum-operated components.

#### 3. Pneumatic switch-over valve

A pneumatic switch-over valve is fitted between the air pump and exhaust valve. It is closed when the secondary air system is inactive and thereby prevents the induction of additional air as a result of flow conditions.

#### 4. Check valve

5. Vacuum valve

#### 8. IACV (idle speed positioner)

A two-winding positioner that is screwed directly to the throttle plate part without additional air guide hoses.

#### 9. Throttle potentiometer

The throttle position is determined via a potentiometer fitted on the throttle-plate shaft. The DME control module supplies the potentiometer with a controlled voltage (5 V). Depending on the position of the potentiometer (throttle-plate angle), there is a greater or lesser voltage drop across the potentiometer. The DME also recognises the smallest opening angle of the throttle via the voltage drop or the corresponding current. This is defined as the "idle position". DME diagnosis

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#### 10. Hot film mass air flow sensor

A new hot film mass air flow sensor with the designation HFM 5 is used on the Boxster. Its housing shape permits installation in one direction only. It is fastened with M 5 Torx screws. As with the previous mass air flow sensors, the manufacturer performs laser calibration on the new HFM 5 in a so-called "master tube". In other words, a corresponding air mass produces an exactly defined voltage signal.

The hot film mass air flow sensor is fitted in the air cleaner housing at the outlet of the air cleaner. The operating voltage range is 9 - 7 Volt, and the output voltage of the mass air flow sensor (voltage to the DME control module) lies between 0 and 5 Volt. The actual measuring element is supplied with a controlled voltage of 5 Volt from the control module in addition to the voltage supplied by the vehicle electrical system to the mass air flow sensor. This prevents fluctuations in the vehicle voltage, e.g. when loads are switched on, from influencing the measuring process.

#### Intake air temperature sensor

The intake air temperature sensor is installed in the mass air flow sensor housing and is thus located in the intake air flow. It is supplied with voltage by the DME control module via terminal 43, and is connected together with the HFM 5 on the ground side. The intake air temperature sensor functions according to the NTC principle. The DME control module uses the signal from the intake air temperature sensor to calculate the substitute load signal if the mass air flow sensor fails. The load calculated by the control module, which depends on the throttle potentiometer, is corrected by the IATS signal. A negative correction is applied to the substitute load signal at high air temperatures.

At the same time, the decreasing air density is compensated. Furthermore, the risk of knocking increases with increasing intake air temperature. The ignition timing is therefore retarded at a high engine temperature (> 90 °C) and high intake air temperature (> 30 °C).

#### 11./12. Oxygen sensors

These sensors are floating, i.e. the DME control module connects ground to the oxygen sensors. The sensors are located in the exhaust-gas flow ahead of the catalytic converter; two sensors are additionally installed behind the catalytic converter on OBD II vehicles.

#### Oxygen sensor heating

Besides being heated by the exhaust gas, the oxygen sensors are also heated electrically. For this purpose, the oxygen sensor, injection and ignition relay is activated and applies positive voltage to the oxygen sensor heaters after operation of the DME relay.

The DME control module connects ground to the heating resistors.

#### Pulse sender (reference mark sensor/ rpm sender)

The DME measures the crankshaft rotation with an inductive sender. A pulse wheel is mounted on the flywheel for this purpose. This pulse wheel is a toothed ring stamped from sheet steel and spot-welded on the flywheel. It has 60 teeth. A gap produced by the omission of two teeth is defined as the reference mark and is located 84° ahead of TDC of the 1st or 4th cylinder. The pulse sender is fitted in a bore on the crankcase. The distance is **not** adjustable. DME diagnosis

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#### Tools

The following equipment is required for troubleshooting:

1. Porsche System Tester 2





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3. Commercially available digital multimeter



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2. Test adapter 9616

#### Note

The test adapter is connected between the pulledoff DME control module connector and the DME control module. It protects the contacts of the control module connector and helps the user to find the individual pins. 4. Relay extractor 9235



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### **DME** connector assignment

- 1 Oxygen sensor heating behind catalytic converter
- 2 IACV make winding
- 3 Injector valve, cylinder 1
- 4 Injector valve, cylinder 3
- 5 Injector valve, cylinder 5
- 6 Ground, terminal 31
- 7 Carbon canister shutoff valve
- 8 Check Engine MIL
- 9 EX lamp
- 10 Free
- 11 Free
- 12 Electric fuel pump shutoff
- 13 Knock sensor 1
- 14 Medium pressure switch (A/C)
- 15 Intake temperature in HFM
- 16 NTC engine compartment temperature
- 17 Hot film mass air flow sensor signal
- 18 Signal, oxygen sensor 2 ahead of catalytic converter
- 19 Signal, oxygen sensor 1 ahead of catalytic converter
- 20 Ground, rpm sender
- 21 Signal, Hall-effect sensor
- 22 Ignition coil, igniter 4
- 23 Ignition coil, igniter 5
- 24 Ignition coil, igniter 6
- 25 Camshaft adjuster 2
- 26 Terminal 30
- 27 DME relay
- 28 Electronics ground
- 29 IACV break winding
- 30 Oxygen sensor heating ahead of catalytic converter

- 31 Injector valve, cylinder 2
- 32 Injector valve, cylinder 4
- 33 Injector valve, cylinder 6
- 34 Ground, sensors
- 35 Radiator fan
- 36 Radiator fan
- 37 Secondary air pump
- 38 Version coding
- 39 Indicator light, reserve
- 40 Free
- 41 Knock sensor 2
- 42 Automatic I/M test
- 43 Free
- 44 Signal, throttle potentiometer
- 45 Ground, hot film mass air flow sensor
- 46 Ground, oxygen sensors
- 47 5 Volt supply hot film mass air flow sensor
- 48 Spec. engine torque
- 49 Ignition coil, igniter 1
- 50 Ignition coil, igniter 2
- 51 Ignition coil, igniter 3
- 52 Camshaft adjuster 1
- 53 5 Volt supply for throttle potentiometer
- 54 Voltage output to loads
- 55 Ground, ignition
- 56 Terminal 15
- 57 Diagnosis tank pump
- 58 Actual engine torque
- 59 Free

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- 62 Activation, A/C compressor on
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- 64 Free
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- 66 Activation, start inhibit
- 67 Signal, knocking Yes/No
- 68 Start enable
- 69 A/C request
- 70 Free
- 71 Ground, knock sensors
- 72 Free
- 73 Oil temperature
- 74 Double NTC thermistor (water temperature)
- 75 Free
- 76 Signal, oxygen sensor 2 behind catalytic converter
- 77 Signal, oxygen sensor 1 behind catalytic converter
- 78 Signal, rpm sender
- 79 Rpm sensor output, rear
- 80 Rpm signal
- 81 Free
- 82 Fan monitoring
- 83 Fuel consumption display
- 84 Free
- 85 Serial data transfer LOW
- 86 Serial data transfer HIGH
- 87 Free
- 88 Diagnosis lead



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## 2470 Programming DME control module

### General

When a DME control module is replaced, the new DME control module must be programmed. This sets the new DME control module to the catalytic converter version installed, among other things.

Four catalytic converter versions are available in the Porsche System Tester 2:

1. OBD II control module (W-range)

2. RoW control module (bi-metal catalytic converter)

3. OBD II control module (V-range)

4. OBD II control module (tri-metal catalytic converter, X-range)

Note:

The OBD II control modules (V, W or X-range) are installed in **USA vehicles**.

### Work preparation

The following vehicle data must be provided before programming of the new DME control module can begin:

- Vehicle Ident. No.
- Catalytic converter Item No. corresponding to the catalytic converter version used
- DME and immobilizer programming codes (from the Porsche IPAS system)

With the information about the Vehicle Ident. Number and catalytic converter item number, the associated programme can be selected from the allocation table.

Figure 308\_98 shows where the catalytic converter item number can be found on the vehicle.



Catalytic converter item number

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### Programming

- 1. Connect and switch on the Porsche System Tester 2 and switch on the ignition.
- 2. Select **Boxster** in the Vehicle type menu.
- 3. Select **DME** in the *Control unit* menu and press the double arrow key [>>].
- 4. Select *Program control unit* in the *DME function selection* menu and press the double arrow key [>>].

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- 5. Select "Read control units" and press the double arrow key [>>].
- 6. Install new DME control module.
- 7. Select **Program control unit** in the *Control unit programming* menu and press the double arrow key [>>].
- 8. Ensure that all requirements requested on the screen are fulfilled and then press the double arrow key [>>].
- The following message appears on the screen: "Input Vehicle Ident. Number". Use the double arrow key [>>] to accept the number displayed on the screen.
- The following message appears on the screen: "Please confirm input" Confirm input with the [F7] key.
- 11. The following message appears on the screen: "Input old DME programming code" Input DME programming code and press the double arrow key [>>].
- 12. The following message appears on the screen: "Please confirm input" Confirm input with the [F7] key.
- The following message appears on the screen: *Input new programming code*" Input new DME programming code and press the double arrow key [>>].
- 14. The following message appears on the screen: "Please confirm input" Confirm input with the [F7] key.

- 15. The following message appears on the screen: Input new immobilizer code" Input immobilizer code and press the double arrow key [>>].
- The following message appears on the screen: "Please confirm input" Confirm input with the [F7] key.
- The following message appears on the screen: "Select data record " Select data record according to the allocation table and press the double arrow key [>>].

The control module will now be programmed. Programming will take approx. 5 minutes.



## Warning:

> Never interrupt the programming process

 The following message will appear after the programming time has elapsed: "Programming was completed successfully" Press the double arrow key [>>], switch the

This completes programming of the DME control module.

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ignition off and then on again.

Risk of damage if allocation is incorrect!

> Ensure correct allocation of the data record in the control module to the installed catalytic converter (refer to the allocation table).

Catalytic converter version	Vehicle Ident. Number	Catalytic converter item number
OBD II control module (V-range)	WP0xx <b>2</b> xxx <b>V</b> xxxxxxx	996.113.031.06
		996.113.032.06
RoW control module (bi-metal	WPOZZZXXXVXXXXXX	996.113.021.06
catalytic converter)		996.113.022.06
		996.113.921.01
		<b>996.113.922.01</b>
RoW control module (bi-metal	WPOZZZXXX WXXXXXXX	996.113.021.08
catalytic converter)		996.113.022.08
		996.113.021.09
		996.113.022.09
		996.113.921.01
		996.113.922.01
OBD II control module (W-range)	WP0xx <b>2</b> xxx <b>W</b> xxxxxxx	996.113.021.05
		996.113.022.05
		<b>996</b> .113.021.06
		996.113.022.06
		996.113.021.08
•		996.113.022.08
		996.113.021.09
		996.113.022.09
RoW control module (tri-metal	WP0 <b>ZZZ</b> xxx <b>X</b> xxxxxxx	996.113.021.10
catalytic converter, X-range)		996.113.022.10
OBD II control module (tri-metal	WP0xx2xxxXxxxxxxx	996.113.021.10
catalytic converter, X-range)		996.113.022.10
		996.113.931.00
		996.113.932.00

Allocation table

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### Information:

The DME control module can also be reprogrammed using the Porsche System Tester 2. In this case, the old data record will be overwritten by a new record.

*Program map/data* must be selected in Step 7 if reprogramming is necessary.

## **General test point**

### No communication with the Porsche System Tester 2.

Test

1. Test voltage supply at the 16-pole data link connector (on the left in the driver's footwell).

### Note

The alarm system must be deactivated.



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## **General test point**

Continuous positive voltage (terminal 30)	Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter 9616 (test box) pin 6 (ground) and pin 26.
	Display: 12.5 V with ignition "OFF"
	Connect voltmeter to pin 6 (ground) and pin 54
	Display: 12.5 V with ignition "ON" (connected via DME relay) If there is no display: Check current path according to wiring diagram.

## Test point 1

Oxygen sensor heater 2 and
oxygen sensor heater 1
ahead of cat. converter
DTC 5, 13

1. Pull off relay (ignition/oxygen sensors) from relay support 2 with the special tool "relay extractor 9235". Connect ohmmeter to relay base pin 87 and to control module connector pin 30 Ignition "OFF" (pull off one sensor connector in each case) Required measured value:  $1 - 15 \Omega$ 

### Note

Both sensor heaters are connected in parallel.

 Pull off the sensor connector and connect voltmeter to pin 1 and ground Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 12 Volt



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If there is no display: Check current path according to wiring diagram.

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Continuous positive voltage (terminal 30)

Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter 9616 (test box) pin 6 (ground) and pin 26.

Display: 12.5 V with ignition "OFF"

Connect voltmeter to pin 6 (ground) and pin 54

Display: 12.5 V with ignition "ON" (connected via DME relay) If there is no display: Check current path according to wiring diagram.

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Oxygen sensor heater 2 and oxygen sensor heater 1 ahead of cat. converter DTC 5, 13 1. Pull off relay (ignition/oxygen sensors) from relay support 2 with the special tool "relay extractor 9235". Connect ohmmeter to relay base pin 87 and to control module connector pin 30 lgnition "OFF" (pull off one sensor connector in each case) Required measured value:  $1 - 15 \ \Omega$ 

#### Note

Both sensor heaters are connected in parallel.

2. Pull off the sensor connector and connect voltmeter to pin 1 and ground lgnition "ON"

Display: approx. 12 Volt



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If there is no display: Check current path according to wiring diagram.

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### Test point 2

O2 sensor ahead of cat. conv., cylinders 1 - 3 O2 sensor ahead of cat. conv., cylinders 4 - 6 DTC 10, 18 Oxygen sensor of cylinders 1 - 3 Connect voltmeter to control module connector pin 19 (+) and pin 46 (-). Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 450 mV

Start engine. With the engine warm, the voltage fluctuates between approx. 0.1 and 0.9 V.

Oxygen sensor of cylinders 4 - 6 Connect voltmeter to control module connector pin 18 (+) and pin 46 (–). Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 450 mV

Start engine. With the engine warm, the voltage fluctuates between approx. 0.1 and 0.9 V.

#### Note

If a fault is stored, there may also be a leak in the intake system. Before replacing the oxygen sensors, check that the oil filler cover and the oil dipstick are seated correctly and check the entire intake system for leaks.

## Test point 3

Oxygen sensor ageing ahead of cat. conv., cylinders 1 - 3 Oxygen sensor ageing ahead of cat. conv., cylinders 4 - 6 **DTC 15, 16, 21, 22** 

#### Note

Check whether additional faults are stored in the memory, and remedy these faults **first**.

- 1. Erase fault memory.
- 2. Heat the oxygen sensors (test drive under load, run engine without load at high rpm).
- 3. Perform test drive.
- 4. Read out the fault memory and check whether the fault was stored again. If the fault re-appears, the corresponding oxygen sensor must be replaced.

## **Test point 4** Oxygen sensing Fault: Lean limit range 2 and range 1, Mixture is so rich that the control is at its lean limit. cylinders 1 - 3 DTC 26, 27, 28 Fault area: Fuel pressure too high or injection valve leaks. Remedy: 1. Check fuel pressure. 2. Check fuel pressure regulator, vacuum connection and fuel return line. Fault: Rich limit Mixture is so lean that the control is at its rich limit. Fault area: - Intake system leaks - Fuel pressure too low - Injection valves fouled - Fuel pump delivery too low **Remedy:** 1. Check exhaust system for leaks. 2. Check intake system for leaks. 3. Check fuel pressure. 4. Check fuel pump delivery. 5. Clean injection valves in ultrasound cleaning device or replace.

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### **Test point 5**

Engine compartment temperature sensor **DTC 30** 

Connect ohmmeter to adapter terminal 16 and terminal 34. The control module connector must be disconnected from the adapter during the measurement. Display:  $2.4 \text{ k}\Omega$ 

Pull off the temperature sensor connector and connect voltmeter to terminal 1 and terminal 2. Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 5 V



## **Test point 6**

Idle control at stop DTC 32 Possible faults: IACV (idle speed positioner) defective

Intake system leaks

Oxygen sensing range 2 and range 1, cylinders 4 - 6 DTC 34, 35, 36

### Fault: Lean limit

Mixture is so rich that the control is at its lean limit.

Fault area: Fuel pressure too high or injection valve leaks.

- **Remedy:** 1. Check fuel pressure.
  - 2. Check fuel pressure regulator, vacuum connection and fuel return line.

### Fault: Rich limit

Mixture is so lean that the control is at its rich limit.

### Fault area: – Intake system leaks

- Fuel pressure too low
- Injection valves fouled
- Fuel pump delivery too low

**Remedy:** 1. Check exhaust system for leaks.

2.Check intake system for leaks.

- 3. Check fuel pressure.
- 4. Check fuel pump delivery.
- 5. Clean injection valves in ultrasound cleaning device or replace.

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<b>Test point 8</b> Anti-drive-off feature <b>DTC 39</b>	<ul> <li>Possible faults:</li> <li>1. Transponder (wrong key)</li> <li>2. DME control module was replaced but not yet reprogrammed with the System Tester.</li> <li>3. Fault in the alarm system; read out fault memory of the alarm system.</li> <li>4. Check wire from DME control module pin 88 to alarm control module</li> </ul>
<b>Test point 9</b> Misfire detection DTC 50 - 55, 62 - 68 and 75	<ol> <li>Measure resistance: Connect ohmmeter to pin 1 and pin 15 of the ignition coil Display: 0.7 Ω</li> </ol>
62 - 68 and 75	<ul> <li>2. Measure voltage:</li> <li>Pull off ignition coil connector and measure between pin 2 (-) and pin 3 (+)</li> <li>Ignition "ON"</li> <li>Display: approx. 12 V</li> </ul>
	<ol> <li>Pull spark plug connector off the ignition coil Measure resistance at the spark plug connector Display: 2.5 kΩ</li> </ol>
Test point 10 Fuel evaporative valve DTC 98	<ol> <li>Pull off valve connector and connect voltmeter to pin 2 (+) and engine ground lgnition "ON" Display: approx. 12 V</li> <li>Ignition "OFF" Pull off control module connector Connect ohmmeter between pin 61 and pin 54 Display: In temperature range between 18 and 28 °C = 22 - 30 Ω</li> </ol>

Control module faulty DTC 101, 102, 103, 104, 105 If DTC 101, 102, 103 or 105 is displayed, replace the DME control module.

If DTC 104 is displayed, erase the fault memory.

Perform a test drive. If DTC 104 is stored again, replace the DME control module.

### Test point 12

Supply voltage **DTC 107** 

Connect voltmeter with control module connector pin 6 and pin 54. Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 12.5 V

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### Test point 13

Continuous positive voltage **DTC 108** 

### Test procedure:

Pull off the control module connector and connect voltmeter with pin 6 (–) and pin 26 (+) Ignition "OFF" Display: Battery positive voltage

If there is no display, check the current and ground path according to the wiring diagram.

## Test point 14

Reference mark sensor (rpm sender) DTC 111 Perform test with an oscilloscope.

Connect tester lead with control module connector pin 20 (rpm sender ground) and pin 78 (rpm sender signal).

Start engine. A sinusoidal trace must be visible on the screen. A briefly higher amplitude identifies the reference mark signal.



A – Reference mark signal B – Rpm signal

Hall-effect sensor 1 Hall-effect sensor 2 (only on OBD II vehicles) DTC 112, 113 1. Connect voltmeter with control module connector pin 53 (+) and pin 34 (-).

Ignition "ON"

Display: approx. 5 V

 Check Hall signal with an oscilloscope.
 Connect oscilloscope with pin 21 for this purpose. Start engine. The following signal must be displayed.



## Test point 16

Hot film MAF sensor **DTC 115** 

Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter 9616 (test box)

pin 47 (+) and pin 45 (-) Ignition "ON" Display: 5 V

Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter 9616 (test box) pin 17 (+) and pin 45 (-) Ignition "ON" Display: 1 V

Pull connector off hot film mass air flow sensor Ignition "ON" Connect voltmeter to pin 2 (connector side) and engine ground Display: Battery positive voltage

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Test point 17 Throttle potentiometer DTC 117	Connect voltmeter to control module connector pin 53 (+) and pin 34 (–) Ignition "ON" Display: 5 V
	Connect voltmeter to control module connector pin 44 (+) and pin 34 (-) Ignition "ON" <sup>-</sup> Display: in idle position approx. 0.55 V with wide open throttle approx. 4.5 V
	Measure resistance Ignition "OFF" Pull control module connector off the adapter, as otherwise the meas- urement result will be falsified. Connect ohmmeter to pin 44 and pin 34 Display: Idle position Wide open throttle

## Test point 18

Vehicle speed **DTC 120** 

Test signal with an oscilloscope. To do this, connect oscilloscope with terminal 79. Ignition "ON" Rotate right rear wheel by hand. This must produce a square-wave signal of variable frequency.



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### Note

After remedying the fault, erase the ABS/TC fault memory.

Load detection DTC 121

Possible fault causes:

- Incorrect cruise control adjustment
- Throttle potentiometer defective
- Engine drawing in secondary air

## Test point 20

Engine temperature sensor (double NTC thermistor, coolant temperature) DTC 123 Measure resistance: Pull control module connector off the adapter, as otherwise the measurement result will be falsified. Connect ohmmeter to pin 74 and pin 34. Display: approx. 2395  $\Omega$  at 25 °C at 90 °C: 242.5 ± 13.2  $\Omega$ 

## Test point 21

Intake air temperature **DTC 124** 

### Note

The intake air temperature sensor is integrated in the hot film mass air flow sensor.

Measure resistance: Pull control module connector off the adapter, as otherwise the measurement result will be falsified. Connect ohmmeter to pin 15 and pin 45. Display:  $1.5 - 3.5 \text{ k}\Omega$  at  $15 - 30^{\circ}$ 



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Test point 22	
Oil temperature	Measure resistance
DTC 125	Pull control module connector off the adapter, as otherwise the meas- urement result will be falsified.
	Connect ohmmeter to adapter terminal 34 and terminal 73
	Display: 15.4 k $\Omega$ at an ambient temperature of approx. 25 °C
	Measure voltage
	Push control module connector onto the control module.
	Pull connector off the oil temperature sender.
	Connect voltmeter to pin 1 and pin 2
	Display: approx. 5 V

## Test point 23

Injector valve, cylinder 123456 DTC 150 - 155

#### Check voltage supply

Pull off valve connector Connect voltmeter to connector pin 1 and ground (engine) Display: Battery positive voltage



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#### Measure coil resistance

Connect ohmmeter to the contacts of the injection value Test value: 12  $\pm$  0.3  $\Omega$ 

#### Injection driver

Adjust oscilloscope according to the manufacturer's instructions. Connect auxiliary cable (1 684 463 093) from Messrs. Bosch between the injection valve and connector. Connect oscilloscope with the auxiliary cable according to the manufacturer's instructions.

## Important: The Tester cables must not come into contact with ground.

Start engine. The following signal must be visible if the injection driver is functioning properly and the Tester connections are correct:



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Test point 24 Check Engine MIL DTC 165

Check wire from DME control module connector terminal 8 to instrument cluster terminal III/2 for short to ground, short to B+ and open circuit.



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Test point 25 Fuel pump relay driver DTC 167	<ol> <li>Measure voltage Connect voltmeter to fuel pump relay terminal 30 Display: 12 V If there is no display, check fuse in row C, No. 4.</li> <li>Connect voltmeter to fuel pump relay terminal 86 Display: 12 V If there is no display, check DME relay.</li> <li>Check wire between fuel pump relay pin 85 and DME control module connector pin 63 for continuity and short circuit.</li> </ol>
Test point 26 IACV break winding IACV make winding DTC 168, 169	<ol> <li>Connect voltmeter to control module connector terminal 54 (+) and terminal 6 (-) Ignition "ON" Display: 12 V</li> <li>Measure resistance of windings Pull off control module connector Connect ohmmeter to break winding terminal 29 and terminal 54 Display: 15.8 Ω Connect ohmmeter to make winding terminal 2 and terminal 54 Display: 18.4 Ω</li> </ol>

A/C compressor control DTC 170 Connect voltmeter to A/C compressor relay terminal 86 and ground (activated via DME relay) Ignition "ON" Display: 12 V

Connect voltmeter to relay terminal 30 and ground Ignition "ON" If voltage not present: Check heater relay No. 18 (in the driver's footwell). Check wire from relay terminal 85 to DME control module connector pin 62 for continuity.

### Check A/C request

Connect voltmeter to control module connector pin 69 and ground lgnition "ON" Switch on A/C request Display approx. 10 V

## **Test point 28**

Camshaft adjustment, bank 1 and bank 2 DTC 174, 178

## Measure voltage

Bank 1, cylinders 1 - 3

Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter pin 52 and pin 54 Ignition "ON" Display: Battery positive voltage

## Measure voltage

Bank 2, cylinders 4 - 6

Connect voltmeter to control module connector or adapter pin 25 and pin 54 Ignition "ON" Display: Battery positive voltage

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Pull off valve connector and measure voltage between pin 1 (+) and ground (engine) Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 12 V



### Note

Power is supplied via the DME relay

## Test point 29

Knock sensors 1 and 2 DTC 210, 211, 212, 213

- 1. Check fastening of the knock sensors (torque and type of hexagon head bolts)
- Check wiring harness and plug connections according to the wiring diagram Allocation: Knock sensor 1, pin 13 on the control module connector Knock sensor 2, pin 41 on the control module connector Ground of knock sensors, pin 71 on the control module connector
- 3. Loosening and re-tightening the knock sensors may eliminate any excess contact resistance.

Read out the fault memory of the Tiptronic and remedy the fault if present.
Check wiring for continuity, short to B+ and short to ground.
<ol> <li>DME control module connector pin 85 to Tiptronic control module connector pin 85. Ignition "OFF"</li> </ol>
<ol> <li>DME control module connector pin 86 to Tiptronic control module connector pin 86. Ignition "OFF"</li> </ol>
Measure resistance
Pull the control module connector off the adapter before measurement, as otherwise the measurement result will be falsified. Connect ohmmeter to pin 85 and pin 86 Display: approx. 121 $\Omega$

Driver, engine compartment purge fan DTC 251	<ol> <li>Connect voltmeter to fan relay (connection point 8 in the rear) termi- nal 30 and ground.</li> <li>Display: approx. 12 V</li> <li>If nothing is displayed, check fuse B 4.</li> </ol>
	2. Connect voltmeter to fan relay terminal 86 and ground.

Display: approx. 12 V If nothing is displayed, check the DME relay.

3. Check the fan relay On the relay base, jumper terminal 30 and terminal 87 with a test cable. Fan starts: Relay defective

Signal from airbag

DTC 301

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Test point 32	
Driver, fans DTC 253	1. Perform drive link diagnosis with the System Tester.
	2. Check fuse C 8 for fan 2 and fuse C 10 for fan 1.
	3. Connect voltmeter to terminal 30 of the individual relays and ground. Display: approx. 12 V
	<ol> <li>Connect voltmeter to terminal 86 of the individual relays and ground. Ignition "ON" Display: approx. 12 V</li> </ol>
	5. Fan function test: On the relay base, jumper terminal 30 and terminal 87 with a test cable. The fan must start, otherwise the fan or lead is defective.
Test point 33	

In the event of an accident, the DME control module receives the signal "fuel pump off" from the airbag control module.

Test the airbag signal with an oscilloscope. To do this, connect the oscilloscope with pin 12 of the control module connector and ground.

The following signal must be visible.



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PWM interface, actual engine torque **DTC 302** 

### Check actual engine torque

1. Connect oscilloscope. Connect the Tester cable with DME control module connector or adapter terminal 58 and ground. The following signal must be visible with ignition "ON".



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2. Start engine. The following signal must be visible.



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 If signal is not visible, check wire between DME control module connector pin 58 and ABS control module connector pin 27 for continuity and short circuit.

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### Check actual engine torque

1. Connect oscilloscope. Connect Tester with DME control module connector or adapter pin 48 and ground. The following signal must be visible with ignition "ON".



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2. Start engine. The following signal must be visible.



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 If signal is not visible, check wire between DME control module connector pin 48 and ABS control module connector pin 13 for continuity and short circuit.

Timing chain out of position, bank 1 and bank 2 **DTC 322, 325** 

Possible fault cause:

Allocation of exhaust camshaft and inlet camshaft does not agree.

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Boundary conditions	
– Ambient temperature approx. 20° C	
– Engine temperature 90 - 105° C	

- All loads switched off
- Engine idling

### Nominal values

	Value	Unit	Deviation
Idle speed	740	rpm	±40
Load signal	1.0	ms	±0.25
Mass air flow	15	kg/h	±1.25
Hot air mass air flow sensor	1.4	V	±0.1
Voltage	13.6	V	±0.5
Engine temperature	90	°C	±5.0
Throttle plate angle	0.0	%	±0.5
Ignition timing	5.3	°crk	±0.5
Spec. air mass	15.5	kg/h	±0.25
Spec. air adaption	1.5	kg/h	±0.05
Injection time	2.2	ms	±0.1
Exhaust gas temperature behind catalytic converter	270	°C	±50
Oil temperature	90.0	°C	±5



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			Deviation	
	Value	Unit	Deviation	
Oxygen sensing, cylinder 1 - 3	1.0	-	±0.05	
Oxygen sensing, cylinder 4 - 6	1.0	<b>_</b> ****	±0.05	
Range 2, cylinder 1 - 3 (FRA)	0.96	-	±0.03	
Range 2, cylinder 4 - 6 (FRA 2)	0.96	-	±0.03	
Range 1, cylinder 1 - 3 (TRA)	0.00	-	±0.06	
Range 1, cylinder 4 - 6 (TRA 2)	0.00	•	±0.06	
O2 sensor voltage ahead of cat. conv.	$0.07 \leq U_L \leq 0.79$	V	-	
O2 sensor voltage 2 ahead of cat. conv.	$0.07 \leq U_{L2} \leq 0.79$	V	•	
* 02 sensor voltage behind cat. conv.	$0.64 \le U_L \le 0.79$	V	•	
* O2 sensor voltage 2 behind cat. conv.	$0.64 \le U_{L2} \le 0.79$	V	•	
Camshaft position 1 deviation	0.0	°crk	<u>±</u> 4	
* Camshaft position 2 deviation	0.0	°crk	±4	
Rough-running threshold	6.3	1/s <sup>2</sup>	±1.5	
Rough running	0.0	1/s <sup>2</sup>	±1.5	
Segment (A)	0.01			
Segment (B)	1.0	-	-	
Learning progress, sensor wheel adaptation	0.000		-	
Misfire detection	0.0		-	

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	Value	Unit	Deviation
Engine compartment temperature	63.0	°C	±8.0
Oxygen sensor heat resistance ahead of cat. conv.	3.1	Ω	±0.3
* Oxygen sensor heat resistance behind cat. conv.	3.1	Ω	±0.3

## \* Only for OBDII vehicles

### Note:

The stated values are the result of measurements of vehicles with different mileages and in perfect condition. Different values can result from diagnosis in the workshop because of mileage and environmental influence. For DME diagnosis, it is important to look at several values simultaneously and in a collective group during troubleshooting.

### Example:

An important collective group is formed by the following values:

Group	Values in normal state	Change caused by secondary air (oil filler cap)	
Range 2 cylinder 1 - 3 (FRA)	0.96	0.96	
Range 2 cylinder 4 - 6 (FRA 2)	0.96	0.96	
Range 1 cylinder 1 - 3 (TRA)	0.00	0.2	
Range 1 cylinder 4 - 6 (TRA 2)	0.00	0.2	
Ignition timing	5.3 °crk	3.8 °crk	
Mass air flow	15 kg/h	12.25 kg/h	

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## **Diagnosis/troubleshooting**

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## System G 40

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Tiptronic diagnosis

# Notes on on-board diagnostic

An on-board diagnostic system with fault memory is integrated in the Tiptronic control module. It can detect and store certain faults on the electronic transmission control system (see fault overview on Page 37 - D 17).

If a fault is present, it is first stored as a **static** fault. If the fault no longer exists, it first becomes a **sporadic** fault and "Fault not present" appears in the display of the Tester. The counter is set to 40 in this case.

Sporadic faults are deleted automatically after 40 cold starts of the engine (followed by transmission warm-up).

# Tools

#### Porsche System Tester 2



#### Note

The test adapter must be used for all tests on electrical leads (e.g. transmission control module - connector/sensors).

It does not damage the plug-in contacts and facilitates location of the individual pins.

Test adapter 9616



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# Function selection with the Porsche System Tester 2 (software G 40)

The following menus can be called up with the Tester:

- Identification
- Fault memory
- Erase fault memory
- Drive links
- Input signals
- Actual values
- Coding

#### Identification

The diagnosis software number and the control module - part - number are displayed here.

#### Fault memory

All faults detected by the control module are stored in the fault memory according to the respective fault code.

#### Erase fault memory

The fault memory can be erased with this menu.

#### **Drive links**

Drive links can be controlled with this menu. Functions of the drive links can be determined very quickly in this way.

#### Note

Drive link diagnosis can be performed only if the selector lever is in position "P", the engine is not running and the vehicle is stationary.

The following drive links can be controlled:

- Solenoid valve 1
- Solenoid valve 2
- Solenoid valve 3
- Coolant shutoff valve

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#### Input signals

Input signals can be checked and read out with this menu:

- Selector lever position
- Selected gear
- Multi-function switch
- Kick-down switch
- Downshift switch
- Upshift switch
- Manual program switch
- Stop light switch
- Traction Control

#### **Actual values**

The following actual values can be read out with this menu:

- Rpm
- Transmission input speed
- Speed, front right
- Speed, front left
- Speed signal, transmission
- Throttle plate angle
- Transverse acceleration
- Transmission temperature
- Supply voltage

### Coding

Control modules can be coded to the prescribed country version with this menu.

Three country versions are available:

- RoW/USA
- Taiwan
- Korea

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### Function of individual components

#### 1. Upshift and downshift switches

Installation position: In the steering wheel.

In the manual gate, they connect ground to the Tiptronic control module, which initiates upshifting or downshifting, depending on the speed.

#### 2. DME control module

Installation position: On the rear wall in the rear luggage compartment.

The DME control module is connected with the Tiptronic control module. It transmits the following information via a control line (CAN bus):

Rpm,

torque,

throttle position,

engine temperature.

#### 3. Tiptronic control module

Installation position: On the rear wall in the rear luggage compartment.

The Tiptronic control module is the information and command centre of the entire system. From a large volume of incoming information (measured variables), which are compared with stored driving and shifting programs, the Tiptronic control module selects the characteristic suitable for the type of driving and sends commands to the transmission to shift or not to shift.

#### 4. Coolant changeover valve

Installation position: On the engine (transport eye).

Depending on the ATF and coolant temperature, the changeover valve is activated by the Tiptronic control module and routes vacuum to the shutoff valve, which opens or closes the transmission coolant circuit.

#### 5. Multi-function switch

Installation position: On the transmission.

The multi-function switch is actuated directly by the selector lever via a cable and transfers the selector lever position to the transmission control module. It controls the reversing lights and disables the starter when a transmission range is selected.

The "reduced driving program" is activated if this signal is faulty.

#### 6. Solenoid valves (SV)

Installation position: On the hydraulic control unit in the transmission.

The electronic transmission controls the transmission functions via the SVs. SVs 1, 2 and 3 are On-Off valves. Their task is to switch over valves in the hydraulic system.

The SVs (pressure regulators 1 ... 4) are electronic pressure-control valves. They convert an electric current into a proportional hydraulic pressure, and actuate the valves of the shifting elements.

### 7. Sender for ATF temperature

Installation position: The sender is integrated in the transmission wiring harness. If it is damaged, the entire wiring harness must be replaced.

The sender controls the modulation pressure of the transmission in accordance with the ATF temperature. This keeps shifting operations very comfortable across the entire temperature range.

It the ATF temperature is too high, the control module selects a map with the least power loss possible and closes the torque converter clutch. In addition, downshifting takes place at higher engine speed values. This reduces converter slip, and the ATF can cool down.

The sender is regarded as defective if the signal voltage exceeds or falls below the prescribed signal voltage range. Shifting then takes place with a substitute value of 80 °C.

#### 8. Sender for transmission input speed

Installation position: On the hydraulic control unit in the transmission.

The sender (inductive pickup) transfers the transmission input speed to the transmission control module.

#### 9. Sender for transmission speed

Installation position: Beside the hydraulic control unit in the transmission.

The sender (inductive pickup) transfers the transmission speed (output speed) to the transmission control module.

#### 10. ABS control module

Installation position: In the front luggage compartment.

The ABS control module is connected with the Tiptronic control module. It transfers the front wheel speeds, which are required for slip monitoring and for calculation of the transverse acceleration.

Furthermore, on vehicles with traction control (TC), the Tiptronic control module is signalled whether TC is active. The Tiptronic control module goes to a special map when this information is received.

### 11. Stop light switch

Installation position: In front of the brake pedal.

The transmission control module requires the stop light switch signal in order to initiate downshifting before curves and for activation of the shiftlock lift solenoid.

### 12. Kick-down switch

Installation position: In the accelerator pedal box in front of the accelerator.

#### Note

As the accelerator pedal box must not be opened, the complete accelerator pedal box must be replaced if the kick-down switch is defective.

The kick-down switch detects when the accelerator pedal is floored past the full-throttle position. It connects ground to the Tiptronic control module, which shifts the shifting times for faster acceleration. The transmission shifts down immediately, depending on the engine speed, and shifts

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up again only when the highest permissible engine speed is reached. Kick-down is not performed if the switch is defective.

#### 13. Selector lever with manual switch

The selector lever transmits the selector lever positions to the transmission and the multi-function switch via a cable.

In the manual gate, the manual switch connects ground to the Tiptronic control module, which enables manual tip shifting.

#### 14. Instrument cluster

The respective selector lever position and the engaged gear are displayed in the instrument cluster.

In the "Reduced driving program", the position display flashes alternately with the 4th gear.

# **Connector diagrams and ground points**

# Transmission plug



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**Transmission socket** 





### Ground point 4

Ground point 4 is located in front of the instrument cluster on the dashboard support frame.



1 = Ground point 4

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#### Ground point 9

Ground point 9 is located on the rear wall in the rear luggage compartment, between the DME control module and Tiptronic control module.



1 = Ground point 9

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## **Tiptronic connector assignment**

1 - Pressure regulator 2	22 - ATF temperature
2 - Shiftlock solenoid	23 - Shield, turbine speed
3 - Free	24 - Free
4 - Pressure regulator 4	25 - Display, manual mode
5 - Pressure regulator 1	26 - Terminal 30
6 - Power ground	27 - Cruise control
7 - Free	28 - Electronics ground
8 - Multi-function switch, line 2	29 - Pressure regulator 3
9 - Multi-function switch, line 4	30 - Solenoid valve 1
10 - Brake light	31 - Free
11 - Free	32 - Solenoid valve 3
12 - Pin code 1	33 - Solenoid valve 2
13 - Manual program switch	34 - Power ground
14 - Output shaft speed ( - )	35 - Free
15 - Shield, output shaft speed	36 - Multi-function switch, line 1
16 - Turbine speed ( + )	37 - Multi-function switch, line 3
17 - Free	38 - Front-wheel speed, left
18 - Kick-down	39 - Front-wheel speed, right
19 - TC active	40 - Free
20 - Free	41 - Free
21 - Sensor ground	42 - Output shaft speed ( + )

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- 43 Free
- 44 Ground, turbine speed
- 45 Free
- 46 Upshift
- 47 Downshift
- 48 Pin code 2
- 49 Free
- 50 Free
- 51 Coolant shutoff valve
- 52 Plus pressure regulator, solenoid valves
- 53 Plus pressure regulator, solenoid valves, shiftlock
- 54 Terminal 15
- 55 Terminal 15
- 56 ... 84 Free
- 85 CAN low
- 86 CAN high
- 87 Free
- 88 K-line



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# **Fault overview**

Test point	DTC Porsche	OBD II	Fault text	Page
1	43	P1746	Control module faulty (relay)	37 - D 21
2	44	P0602	Control module faulty (watchdog)	37 - D 21
3	49	P0603	Control module faulty (EEPROM)	37 - D 22
4	42	P0605	Control module faulty (checksum)	37 - D 22
5	31 32 33	P0753 P0758 P0743	Solenoid valve 1 Solenoid valve 2 Solenoid valve 3	37 - D 22
6	63	P1762	Shiftlock P/N lock	37 - D 23
7	80 81 82 83	P1813 P1818 P1823 P1828	Pressure regulator 1 Pressure regulator 2 Pressure regulator 3 Pressure regulator 4	37 - D 24
8	55 62	P1710 P1715	Speed signal front right/front left	37 - D 25
9	93	P1656	Coolant shutoff valve	37 - D 26
10	35	P0706	Multi-function switch	37 - D 26
11	21	P0727	Rpm signal from DME control module	37 - D 28
12	46	P0725	Governor	37 - D 29
13	36	P0722	Speed sensor	37 - D 29

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Test point	DTC Porsche	OBD II	Fault text	Page
14	90	P0722	Gear sel. monitor, output drive	37 - D 30
15	91	P0717	Stall speed, transmission input	37 - D 31
16	92	P0717	Gear sel. monitor, transmission input speed	37 - D 33
17	72 73 74 75	P0732 P0733 P0734 P0735	Gear sel. monitor, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th gear	<b>37</b> - D 34
18	22	P1770	Load signal from DME control module	37 - D 35
19	23	P1765	Throttle information fault	37 - D 35
20	53	P1704	Kick-down switch	37 - D 36
21	56	P1790	Instrument cluster activation	37 - D 36
22	11	P1750	Voltage to control module	<b>37 -</b> D 38
23	12	P1602	Terminal 30, open circuit	37 - D 38
24	51	P1744	Manual program switch	<b>37 -</b> D 39
25	37	P0710	Transmission temperature sensor	37 - D 39
26	70	P0740	Solenoid valve, torque converter clutch	37 - D 41
27	100	P0600	CAN timeout	37 - D 42
28	101	P0600	CAN bus fault	37 - D 42

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Test point	DTC Porsche	OBD II	Fault text	Page
29	61	P1749	Version coding	37 - D 43

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### **Fault overview**

#### **General information**

- Never pull off or push on the control module connector with the ignition switched on.
- Stored faults can be erased only with the Porsche System Tester 2.
- Faults may be stored under certain circumstances if, for troubleshooting purposes, electrical connections are loosened or disconnected with the ignition switched on.
- If terminal 15 (pin 54/55) fails, the "Reduced driving program" will be activated. It is not possible to start diagnosis in this case.
- Erase the fault memory with the Porsche System Tester 2 and perform a test drive each time after performing troubleshooting or repairs. During the test drive, drive the vehicle under different loads and at different speeds so that all shift operations (manual and automatic programs) take place at least once.
- After the test drive, read out the fault memory with the Porsche System Tester 2.

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#### Possible causes, elimination, notes

Test point 1 Control module faulty (relay) DTC 43

Fault effect: Reduced driving program. Replace control module.

Test point 2

Control module faulty (watchdog) DTC 44 Fault effect: Reduced driving program. Replace control module.

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	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 3	
Control module faulty	Fault effect:
(EEPROM) <b>DTC 49</b>	Reduced driving program.
	Replace control module.
Test point 4	
Control module faulty	Fault effect:
(checksum) <b>DTC 42</b>	Reduced driving program.
	Replace control module.
Test point 5	
Solenoid valves 1, 2, 3	Fault effect:
Open circuit/short to ground,	Reduced driving program.
short to B+	Note
DTCs 31, 32, 33	The functions of the solenoid valves (SVs) can be checked with the Por- sche System Tester 2 (Drive links/ Solenoid valves 1, 2, 3). The activa- tion pulses of the valves can be heard as a clicking sound near the transmission.
	1. Check function of the SVs with the Tester.
	2. Check SV with wiring. To do this, connect ohmmeter to the control module connector and measure the resistance:
	SV1 = Pin 52 and pin 30 SV2 = Pin 52 and pin 33 SV3 = Pin 52 and pin 32
	Nominal value: 24 36 $\Omega$

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	Possible causes, elimination, notes				
	3. Check wiring from the control module connector pins 30, 32 and 33 to the 16-pole transmission connector pins 8, 4 and 9 for continuity, short to ground and short to B+.				
	<ol><li>Check SV. To do this, remove the ATF pan, disconnect plug connec- tion on the SV and measure the resistance.</li></ol>				
	Nominal value: 24 36 $\Omega$				
Test point 6					
Shiftlock P/N lock Open circuit/short to	Fault effect:				
ground,	Fault is only entered in the fault memory.				
short to B+ DTC 63	Note				
	When the ignition is on, a transmission range can be selected from the selector lever position P or N only if the foot brake is pressed in addi- tion.				
	<ol> <li>Check lifting solenoid with wiring. To do this, connect an ohmmeter to control module connector pins 2 and 53 and measure the resist- ance.</li> </ol>				
	Nominal value: 60 90 $\Omega$				
	2. Check wire from control module connector pin 2 to the lifting sole- noid connector pin 5 for continuity, short to ground and short to B+.				
	Note				
	The lifting solenoid connector is accessible only if the centre console				

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes				
Test point 7					
Pressure regulators	Fault effect:				
1, 2, 3, 4 Open circuit/short to ground,	Reduced driving program.				
short to B+ DTCs 80, 81, 82, 83	If there is a short to $B+$ on pressure regulator 4, the torque converter clutch will always stay open.				
	Note				
	The pressure regulators (DRs) are pressure-control solenoid valves. They convert an electrical current to a proportional hydraulic pressure.				
	<ol> <li>Check pressure regulator with wiring. To do this, connect an ohmmeter to the control module connector and measure the resist- ance:</li> </ol>				
	DR1 = Pin 52 and pin 5 DR2 = Pin 52 and pin 1 DR3 = Pin 52 and pin 29 DR4 = Pin 52 and pin 4				
	Nominal value: 5 10 $\Omega$				
	<ol> <li>Check wiring from the control module connector pins 1, 4, 5 and 29 to the 16-pole transmission connector pins 3, 11, 2 and 7 for conti- nuity, short to ground and short to B+.</li> </ol>				
	<ol> <li>Check the pressure regulator. To do this, remove the ATF pan, pull off plug connection on the pressure regulator and measure the resist- ance.</li> </ol>				
	Nominal value: 5 10 $\Omega$				
	Note				
	The hydraulic control unit must be removed before the DR4 (modula- tion pressure) can be tested.				

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#### Possible causes, elimination, notes

#### **Test point 8**

Speed signal front right/left Signal implausible DTCs 55, 62 Fault effect:

No manual program. Upshifting is not prevented during braking. No downshifting during braking. Substitute value for transverse acceleration.

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The wheel speeds can be checked with Porsche System Tester 2 (Actual values/Speed signal (FR)/(FL)).

To do this, raise the vehicle and spin the right or left front wheel by hand.

- 1. Check wheel speed with the Tester.
- 2. Read out fault memory of the ABS/TC control module and remedy the fault according to the ABS test plan.
- Check wiring from the Tiptronic control module connector pin 38 (or 39) to the ABS/TC control module connector pin 25 (or 26) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.



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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes		
Test point 9			
Coolant shutoff valve	Fault effect:		
Open circuit/short to ground, short to B+ DTC 93	The reduced driving program is activated if there is an open cir- cuit/short to ground. The fault is only entered in the fault memory in the event of a short cir- cuit to plus.		
	Note		
	The function of the coolant shutoff valve can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Drive links/Coolant shutoff valve).		
	1. Test valve with the Tester.		
	2. Check internal resistance of the valve. To do this, pull off plug connec- tion on the valve and connect ohmmeter to pin 1 and pin 2.		
	Nominal value: 25 35 $\Omega$		
	3. Check wire from the Tiptronic control module connector pin 51 to the coolant shutoff valve connector pin 1 for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.		
Test point 10			
Multi-function switch	Fault effect:		
Signal implausible DTC 35	Reduced driving program.		
	Note		
	The multi-function switch (MFS) can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Input signals/Multi-function switch).		
	1. Test the MFS with the Tester. To do this, shift through all selector lever positions in steps and check whether the position display in the		

instrument cluster and the display on the Tester agree.

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#### Possible causes, elimination, notes

#### Note

As the Tester display appears after a delay due to the functional principle of the unit, do not shift through the positions too quickly.

2. Check MFS with wiring.

To do this, pull off the Tiptronic control module connector and test the MFS for continuity according to the Table.

	Pin 8	Pin 9	Pin 36	Pin 37
Р	-	-	0	_
R	0	-	-	-
N	0	<b>–</b> `	0	0
D	-	0	0	0

ohmmeter display:

- = Open circuit

O = Continuity

3. Check MFS without wiring.

To do this, disconnect the MFS connector and test the MFS for continuity according to the Table.

	Pin E - A	Pin E - B	Pin E - C	Pin E - D
Р	0	-	-	-
R	<b>-</b>	0	-	-
N	0	0	0	-
D	0	-	0	0

ohmmeter display:

– = Open circuit

0 = Continuity

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes			
	<ol> <li>Check wiring from the Tiptronic control module connector pin 8, 9, 36 or 37 to the MFS connector pin B, D, A or C for continuity, short to ground and short to B+.</li> </ol>			
	5. Check the selector lever cable adjustment (refer to Volume 3, Page 34 - A 9).			
<b>Fest point 11</b> Speed signal	Fault effect:			
DME control module	Reduced driving program.			
Signal implausible DTC 21	Notes			
	<ul> <li>The DME control module signals a fault directly to the Tiptronic con- trol module via a data line (CAN bus).</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>The rpm signal can be checked with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Actual values/Rpm).</li> </ul>			
	1. Check rpm signal with the Tester.			
	2. Read out fault memory of the DME control module and remedy the fault according to the DME test plan.			
	3. Check wiring from the Tiptronic control module connector pin 86 (or			

3. Check wiring from the Tiptronic control module connector pin 86 (or 85) to the DME control module connector pin 86 (or 85) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.

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#### Possible causes, elimination, notes

### Test point 12

Governor Signal implausible DTC 46 Fault effect: Reduced driving program.

#### Note

The "Governor" function is activated to prevent overrevving of the engine in the event of false rpm signals.

Possible faults:

Wrong transmission speed signals. Stuck spool valves in the transmission.

#### Test point 13

Speed sensor Signal implausible **DTC 36** 

Fault effect: Reduced driving program.

#### Note

The ratio of transmission output speed/engine speed is monitored.

1. Check sender for transmission speed on Tiptronic control module connector pin 14 and pin 42 with an ohmmeter.

Nominal value: 0.80 ... 1.2 kΩ

- Check wiring from the control module connector pin 42 (or 14) to the 16-pole transmission connector pin 10 (or 1) for open circuit, short circuit to ground and short to B+.
- 3. Check shield on control module connector pin 15.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
	4. Check sender on transmission socket pin 10 and pin 1 with an ohmmeter.
	Nominal value: 0.80 1.2 k $\Omega$
	Note
	The ATF pan must be removed before the sender can be replaced.
	5. If items 1 4 are OK and no other faults are stored, there is a mechanical/hydraulic fault in the transmission (e.g. ATF level not OK, defective converter, slipping clutches or brakes).
Test point 14	Fault effect:
Gear sel. monitor, output drive	Reduced driving program.
Signal implausible DTC 90	
	The ratio of transmission input speed/transmission output speed is moni tored.
	1. Test sender for the transmission speed on Tiptronic control module connector pin 14 and pin 42 with an ohmmeter.
	Nominal value: 0.80 1.2 k $\Omega$
	2. Check wiring from control module pin 42 (or 14) to the 16-pole trans- mission connector pin 10 (or 1) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.
	3. Check shield on control module connector pin 15.

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
	4. Test sender on transmission socket pin 10 and pin 1 with an ohmmeter.
	Nominal value: 0.80 1.2 k $\Omega$
	Note
	The ATF pan must be removed before the sender can be replaced.
	<ol> <li>If items 1 4 are OK and no other faults are stored, there is a mechanical/hydraulic fault in the transmission (e.g. ATF level not OK, slipping clutches or brakes).</li> </ol>
<b>Test point 15</b> Stall speed,	Fault effect:
transmission input	Reduced driving program.
Signal implausible DTC 91	Note
	The ratio of transmission input speed/engine speed is monitored.
	1. Test sender for the transmission input speed on Tiptronic control mo- dule connector pin 16 and pin 44 with an ohmmeter.
	Nominal value: 230 300 $\Omega$
	2. Check wiring from control module pin 16 (or 44) to the 16-pole trans- mission connector pin 5 (or 6) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes		
	3. Check shield on control module connector pin 23.		
	4. Check sender on transmission socket pin 5 and pin 6 with an ohmmeter.		
	Nominal value: 230 300 $\Omega$		
	Note		
	The hydraulic control unit must be removed before the sender can be replaced.		
	5. If items 1 4 are OK and no other faults are stored, there is a		

mechanical/hydraulic fault in the transmission (e.g. ATF level not OK,

defective converter, slipping clutches or brakes.)

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#### Possible causes, elimination, notes

### Test point 16

Gear sel. monitor, transmission input speed Signal implausible **DTC 92**  Fault effect:

Reduced driving program.

#### Note

The ratio of transmission input speed/transmission output speed is monitored.

1. Test sender for transmission input speed on Tiptronic control module connector pin 16 and pin 44 with an ohmmeter.

Display: 230 ... 300 Ω

- 2. Check wiring from control module pin 16 (or 44) to the 16-pole transmission connector pin 5 (or 6) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.
- 3. Check shield on control module connector pin 23.
- 4. Test sender on transmission socket pin 5 and pin 6 with an ohmmeter.

Display: 230 ... 300  $\Omega$ 

#### Note

The hydraulic control unit must be removed before the sender can be replaced.

5. If items 1 ... 4 are OK and no other faults are stored, there is a mechanical/hydraulic fault in the transmission (e.g. ATF level not OK, slipping clutches or brakes).

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Fault, DTC	Possible ca	uses, elimin	ation, notes		
Test point 17					
Gear sel. monitor,	Fault effect:				
2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th gear Signal implausible	Reduced driving program.				
DTCs 72, 73, 74, 75	Note				
	engine spee nal values, t	d/output driv he Tiptronic d	e speed. In th	5th gears monitors the rati e case of deviations from r e detects whether shifting v y.	nomi-
	If no other faults are stored, there is a mechanical/hydraulic fault in the transmission.				
				o check whether the trans- gear in each case:	
	ATF temp	perature betw	een 40 °C an	d 95 °C.	
	Hold gea	rs 2 5 in tl	ne manual gat	e.	
			hicle speed of ff the engine	n ievel ground (not on the r speed.	oller
	The following	g values must	t be achieved	during this test:	_
		Spo	eed	Engine rpm	
		Speedom. indication	Tester display	Nmin Nmax	
	2nd gear	50 km/h	45 km/h	3300 3700	
	3rd gear	60 km/h	55 km/h	2800 3200	
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1900 ... 2200

5th gear

80 km/h

74 km/h

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## Test point 18

Load signal from DME control module DTC 22 Fault effect:

Fixed map.

#### Note

The DME control module signals a fault directly to the Tiptronic control module via a data lead (CAN bus).

- 1. Read out the fault memory of the DME control module and remedy the fault according to the DME test plan.
- 2. Check wiring from Tiptronic control module connector pin 85 (or 86) to the DME control module connector pin 85 (or 86) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.

# Test point 19

Throttle information fault **DTC 23** 

Fault effect:

Throttle plate substitute value (approx. 15 %). Fixed shift map. No manual program.

#### Notes

- The DME control module signals a fault directly to the Tiptronic control module via a data lead (CAN bus).
- The throttle plate angle can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Actual values/Throttle plate angle).
- 1. Read out the fault memory of the DME control module and remedy the fault according to the DME test plan.
- 2. Check wiring from Tiptronic control module connector pin 85 (or 86) to DME control module connector pin 85 (or 86) for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 20	
Kick-down switch	Fault effect:
Short to ground <b>DTC 53</b>	No kick-down.
	Note
	The function of the kick-down switch can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Input signals/Kick-down).
	1. Test function of the switch with the Tester.
	Note
	As the accelerator pedal box must not be opened, the complete box must be replaced if the kick-down switch is defective.
	2. Check wire from control module connector pin 18 to the kick-down switch for short to ground.
	Nominal value: Accelerator pedal in idle position (kick-down switch open) = $\infty$ $\Omega$
	Accelerator pedal to the stop (kick-down) = <b>0 5</b> $\Omega$
Test point 21	
Instrument cluster activation	Fault effect:
No signal change	Reduced driving program.
DTC 56	Note
	The Tiptronic control module (pin 25) is connected with instrument clus ter (pin $II/17$ ) via a serial data lead.

Specification: Signal type = PWM Frequency = 50 Hz Level = 0 ... 12 V

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Signal coding:

Actual gear	1	2	3	4	5
Pulse width in "D" in "M"	10 % 15 %	20 % 25 %	30 % 35 %	40 % 45 %	50 % 55 %

#### Note

There is no fault if the pulse width is 70 % with the engine running and with the selector lever in position "P".



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- 1. Test the PWM signal with an oscilloscope.
- 2. Check wire from Tiptronic control module connector pin 25 to the instrument cluster connector II (white) pin 17 for open circuit, short to ground and short to B+.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 22	
Voltage to control module	Fault effect:
Open circuit/ short to ground	Reduced driving program.
DTC 11	Note
	One side of the solenoid valve (SV) coils is supplied directly with posi- tive voltage, and the other side is connected to ground via a driver.
	1. Check supply leads of the solenoid valves (pins 52 and 53) for open circuit and short to ground.
	<ol> <li>If the test described in 1 is not OK, check wiring from control module connector pin 52 (or 53) to the 16-pole transmission connector pin 12 (or 16) for open circuit and short to ground.</li> </ol>
	3. Check the transmission wiring harness at transmission socket pin 16 and pin 12 for open circuit and short to ground.
Test point 23	
Terminal 30, open circuit	Fault effect:
Open circuit/short circuit to ground	Fault is only entered in the fault memory.
DTC 12	Note
	The Tiptronic control module is continuously supplied with battery volt- age via pin 26 (+ 30).

 Test voltage at control module connector pin 26.
 If no battery positive voltage is displayed, check fuses B1 and F6 and check wire from the battery to the control module.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes		
Test point 24			
Manual program switch	Fault effect:		
Short to ground <b>DTC 51</b>	No manual program.		
	Note		
	The manual program switch can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Input signals/Manual program switch).		
	1. Test switch with the Tester.		
	2. Check whether ground is connected to control module connector pin 13.		
	Nominal value: In the automatic gate = $\infty \Omega$ In the manual gate = <b>0 5</b> $\Omega$		
	If display is OK = Control module faulty.		
	3. Check wire from control module connector pin 13 to the manual switch for short to ground.		

lest point 25	
Transmission temperature	Fault effect:
sensor Open circuit/short to plus <b>DTC 37</b>	Reduced driving program. Substitute value of 80 °C for ATF temperature. No activation of the coolant switchover valve (transmission always cooled).

#### Notes

- The ATF temperature can be tested with the Porsche System Tester 2 (Actual values/Transmission temp.).
- A fault is stored if an ATF temperature outside the limit range below
   50 °C or above + 180 °C is detected.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
	1. Check ATF level (refer to Page 37 - A 12).
	2. Check sender for ATF temperature with wiring To do this, connect an ohmmeter to control module connector pins 21 and 22.
	Nominal value: At 20 °C = approx. 1.00 k $\Omega$ At 40 °C = approx. 1.15 k $\Omega$ At 60 °C = approx. 1.30 k $\Omega$
	3. Check wiring from control module connector pin 21 (or 22) to the 16-pole transmission connector pin 14 (or 13) for continuity, short circuit to ground and short to B+.
	<ol> <li>Test sender for ATF temperature with transmission wiring harness. To do this, connect an ohmmeter to transmission socket pin 13 and pin 14.</li> </ol>
	Nominal value: At 20 °C = approx. 1.00 k $\Omega$ At 40 °C = approx. 1.15 k $\Omega$ At 60 °C = approx. 1.30 k $\Omega$
	If the nominal value is not $OK =$ the transmission wiring harness or sender for the ATF temperature is defective.
	Note
	As the sender for the ATF temperature is integrated in the trans- mission wiring harness, the transmission wiring harness must be re- placed if the sender is damaged.

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### Test point 26

Solenoid valve, torque converter clutch Open circuit/short to ground DTC 70

#### Fault effect:

Torque converter clutch always open.

- 1. Check ATF level (refer to Page 37 A 12) and erase the fault memory.
- 2. Perform a test drive and read out the fault memory.

#### Note

Diagnosis conditions for fault detection:

- Torque converter clutch activated.
- No engine speed fault, spider shaft speed fault, transmission ratio fault or pressure regulator 4 fault entered as present.
- Gear or 4 or 5.
- No shifting operation taking place.
- 3. If the fault recurs after the test drive and no other faults are stored, the following fault possibilities can be present:
  - Electrical activation of pressure regulator 4 not OK (diagnostic trouble codes 83 and 55 present?).
  - Mechanical defect in pressure regulator 4.
  - ATF supply to the torque converter clutch not OK.
  - Converter defective.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 27	
CAN timeout	Fault effect:
DTC 100	Reduced driving program.
	Notes
	<ul> <li>The Tiptronic control module is connected with the DME control mo- dule via a data lead (CAN bus).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Never pull off or push on the control module connector with the igni- tion switched on.</li> </ul>
	If the DME control module connector, for example, is pulled off with the ignition switched on, the on-board diagnostic system may detect a "CAN timeout" fault under certain circumstances.
	<ol> <li>Read out the DME fault memory. If the fault "CAN timeout" is stored here as well, check the wiring from the Tiptronic control module to the DME control module.</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Check wiring from Tiptronic control module pin 85 (or 86) to the DME control module pin 85 (or 86) for continuity, short to ground and short to B+.</li> </ol>
	Note
	If the wiring is OK and the fault is stored in one control module only, the fault can lie in another control module.
Test point 28	
CAN bus fault <b>DTC 101</b>	Fault effect:
	Reduced driving program.
	Note
	The Tiptronic control module is connected with the DME control module via a data lead (CAN bus).
Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
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	Never pull off or push on the control module connector with the ignition switched on. If the DME control module connector is pulled off with the ignition switched on, for example, the on-board diagnostic system can detect a "CAN : bus or DPRAM" fault under certain circumstances.
	<ol> <li>Read out the DME fault memory. If the fault "CAN : bus or DPRAM fault" is stored, check the wiring from the Tiptronic control module to the DME control module</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Check the wiring from Tiptronic control module pin 85 (or 86) to DME control module pin 85 (or 86) for continuity, short to ground and short to B+.</li> </ol>
	Note
	If the wiring is OK and fault is stored in one control module only, the fault can lie in another control module.
Test point 29	
Version coding	Fault effect:
Signal implausible DTC 61	Reduced driving program.
	Note
	As transmission damage can result if the control modules are confused, there is a code in the vehicle wiring harness that must agree with the

Pin code 2	ground	open circ.	ground	open circ.
Pin code 1	open circ.	ground	ground	open circ.
Reaction	Function	Reduce	d driving prog	gramme

code programmed in the Tiptronic control module.

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- 6 = Power ground
- 34 = Power ground
- 48 = Pin code 2
- 12 = Pin code 1
- 1. Use the Porsche System Tester 2 (Control modules/Identification) to check whether the prescribed control module is installed. (Refer to the Spare Parts Catalogue for details of the allocation.)
- 2. Check whether ground is connected to control module connector pin 48. If this is the case, the control module is faulty.
- 3. Check wire from control module connector pin 48 to ground point 9 for open circuit.

#### Note

Ground point 9 (MP 9) is located in the rear luggage compartment between the DME control module and Tiptronic control module. 

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# System ABS 5.3 and system ABS/TC 5.3

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# Important information about ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3

#### General

The Porsche Boxster is fitted **as standard** with an anti-lock brake system (ABS 5.3).

"Traction Control (TC)" can be obtained on special request on the basis of ABS 5.3.

**Traction Control (TC)** is a combination of antislip control (ASR) and Automatic Brake Differential (ABD).

TC is a further system for increasing driving safety.

**ABS 5.3** is optimised with regard to installed volume and weight **compared with** the **ABS 5** (ABS 5 in the 993). Control module (No. 1), hydraulic unit (No. 7), pump motor relay and valve relay (No. 2) of ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3 **are a unit** that is positioned next to the master brake cylinder.



**Diagnosis and system checks** on both systems are carried out with the **Porsche System Tester 2**.

# Differences between ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3

ABS 5.3 = 3-channel system (diagram: see Page 45 - D 7).

ABS/TC 5.3 = 4-channel system (diagram: see Page 45 - D 9).

The essential **distinguishing features** between ABS and ABS/TC **are**:

- Number of brake lines at intermediate piece
   (No. 8 / Figure 181 96):
   ABS 5.3 = 3 brake lines
   ABS/TC 5.3 = 4 brake lines
- TC OFF switch for switching driving stability control on and off is not available on vehicles with Solo ABS (ABS 5.3).
- TC (ASR/ABD) MIL and TC (ASR/ABD) function light (information light) in vehicles with ABS/TC. These lights are lit when the ignition is switched on (lamp check). In vehicles with ABS 5.3 (Solo ABS) these lamps are not fitted in the instrument cluster.

A figure showing the warning (MIL) and function lights is on Page 45 - D 10.

### ABS 5.3 (3-channel system) system description

#### **ABS** operation

The ABS control module receives a signal from the stop-light switch and the AC voltage signals from the four speed sensors. These signals are converted into digital wheel-speed signals independently of each other by two microprocessors. The wheel slip (approximately proportional to the computed vehicle reference speed) is formed from these wheel-speed signals.

If vehicle deceleration and excess slip are detected at a wheel, the pressure-holding phase is initiated as the first step, i.e. the inlet valve for the relevant wheel is closed to prevent a further increase in pressure. If in spite of the pressure being held constant the wheel tends to continue to locking up, the pressure in the brake cylinder reduced. For this purpose, the outlet valve is opened and the brake fluid is pumped back to the brake master cylinder via the return pump (pressure-reduction phase), until the wheel turns again. Then, depending on the control cycle, further appropriate cycles are initiated.

This function or the input signals are continuously monitored. If a fault is detected, the control module switches the ABS function off, switches on the ABS MIL and stores the fault in a non-volatile memory in the control module. In addition, whenever a trip is begun and a speed of 6 km/h is exceeded, a test program is started. The solenoid valves and the pump motor are electrically actuated and checked. If a fault is detected, the control module switches the ABS function off, the ABS MIL is switched on and the fault is stored.

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# Diagram: ABS 5.3 (3-channel system)



- 1 ABS control module
- 2 Brake unit (brake booster with tandem master brake cylinder)
- 3 ABS hydraulic unit \* (3 hydraulic outputs)
- 4 ABS speed sensors
- 5 Central Information System
- 6 Brake proportioning valve (1x)

- 7 Brake light
- 8 Stop-light switch
- 9 ABS MIL (yellow)
- A = Front-axle braking circuit
- B = Rear-axle braking circuit
- C = Parking brake cable deflection box
- Control module, hydraulic unit, pump motor relay and valve relay **form a unit**, which is located next to the master brake cylinder.

# ABS/TC 5.3 (4-channel system) system description

#### Note

Traction Control (TC) represents an extension of the ABS system and is a combination of anti-slip control (ASR) and Automatic Brake Differential (ABD).

TC prevents spinning of the drive wheels when moving off and accelerating. Driving stability and traction are improved over the entire speed range.

Traction Control (TC) is ready for operation whenever the engine is started.

The TC information lamp in the instrument panel is lit during a control process **and warns that the driving style must be matched to road conditions.** 

### Function

#### Driving stability control:

If Traction Control (TC) detects that a certain speed difference between the wheels has been exceeded (wheelspin), engine power is automatically reduced.

#### Brake control:

In addition to reducing the engine power (driving stability control), the TC (via the ABD) brakes the drive wheel that is spinning.

Since this control requires the drive wheels to be individually controlled, the **ABS/TC system is a 4-channel system**.

### Switching off driving stability control

Press the "TC OFF" logo of the rocker switch. Driving stability control cannot be switched off during a TC control process (information light on).

**One-sided** wheel speed on the drive axle is further prevented by brake control up to a speed of 100 km/h.

Driving stability is not monitored, since the drive wheels can start to spin at the same speed (slip).

With driving stability control switched off, the TC MIL in the instrument panel and the indicator light in the rocker switch are lit.

It can be advantageous to switch off driving stability control:

- on a loose surface and in deep snow

- when "rocking" the vehicle free

- when using snow chains.

# Switching driving stability control back on \*

Press the indicator light in the rocker switch.

Driving stability control cannot be switched on again during a TC control process (information light on).

\* Press the switch for at least 0.1 second. Then a further 0.3 seconds will pass until the routine is complete. Only then is driving stability control switched off or on.

### Diagram: ABS/TC 5.3 (4-channel system)



- 1 ABS/TC control module
- 2 Brake unit (brake booster with tandem master brake cylinder)
- 3 **ABS/TC** hydraulic unit \* (**4** hydraulic outputs)
- 4 ABS speed sensors
- 5 Central Information System
- 6 Brake proportioning valve (1x)

- 7 Brake light
- 8 Stop-light switch
- 9 ABS MIL (yellow)
- 10 TC MIL (TC/yellow)
- 11 TC function light (green)
- 12 DME control module
- 13 TC rocker switch (see Page 45 D 10)
- A = Front-axle braking circuit
- B = Rear-axle braking circuit
- C = Parking brake cable deflection box
- Control module, hydraulic unit, pump-motor relay and valve relay form a unit, which is located beside the master brake cylinder.

# Component arrangement (ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3)



### **Function of individual components**

# 1. Control module (ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3)

This module processes incoming signals and actuates the solenoid valves or/and the return pump in the hydraulic unit when wheel slip is excessive (see also System description). If the ABS or ABS/TC switches off when a system fault is detected, it activates the MIL and stores the fault in a non-volatile memory.

#### Note

The control module and relay are not supplied individually. In the event of replacement, the complete hydraulic unit must be replaced.

#### 2. Relay

The solenoid valve relay is actuated by the control module (closes) as soon as the control module receives voltage from the generator (D + / terminal 61).

As soon as the relay has closed (picked up), battery positive voltage (terminal 30) is present at the valve coils of all solenoid valves in the hydraulic unit.

If the ABS or the TC (ABD) begins to control, the control module applies negative voltage to the appropriate valve coil of the valve to be controlled at the appropriate wheel.

**The return pump relay** is actuated (with a negative voltage) by the control module if required, and closes.

As soon as the relay has closed / picked up, battery positive voltage (terminal 30) is applied to the return pump, which then runs.

#### Note

The relays cannot be exchanged. When replacement is necessary, the complete hydraulic unit must be replaced.

#### 3. Fuses

 3a. A 50-A fuse in the current distributor (F1/arrow) protects the return pump and the solenoid valves.
 The current distributor is located under the in

The current distributor is located under the instrument panel. The fastening points are accessible from the luggage-compartment side.

**3b.** The 15-A fuse F 2/9 (field 2, No. 9) on the **central electrical board** protects the control module's electrical supply (ABS and ABS/TC). The arrow points to field 2.

On vehicles with Traction Control (TC), the 15-A fuse F 2/1 (field 2, No. 1) on the central electrical board protects the supply to the "TC OFF" rocker switch (switch for switching driving stability control on and off).

#### 4. Speed sensors

The speed sensors provide wheel speed information (speed information for each wheel) to the control module. These speed sensors operate according to the inductive principle, in which sinusoidal alternating voltages are generated in accordance with the number of teeth on a pulse wheel and at a frequency that is a measure of the wheel speed.

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#### 5. MILs and information lights

#### Note

- A = TC information light (see Page 45 D 10)
- B = TC MIL (see Page 45 D 10)
- G = ABS MIL (see Page 45 D 10)

#### Information light for TC (A)

- Lights for a lamp check when the ignition is switched on
- Indicates a control process (even when driving stability control is switched off).

#### MIL for TC (B)

- Lights in combination with the indicator light in the rocker switch (TC OFF) for a lamp check when the ignition is switched on.
- In combination with the indicator light in the rocker switch, indicates that driving stability control is off.
- Indicates defect: TC is out of order
- Lights together with the ABS MIL if there is an ABS fault.

#### MIL for ABS (G)

- Lights up for a lamp check when ignition is switched on.
- If the ABS MIL lights up with the engine running, the ABS has switched off due to a fault.

#### 6. TC (OFF) rocker switch with light

For switching driving stability control on and off.

The rocker switch has one contact for switching off and another for switching on.

**To switch off**, press the "TC OFF" logo on the rocker switch. This applies a positive voltage to the control module while the switch is pressed. This switches off driving stability control. Driving stability control cannot be switched off during a TC control process (information light on).

When driving stability control is off, the TC MIL in the instrument panel and the indicator light in the rocker switch are lit.

**To switch on** driving stability control, press the indicator light in the rocker switch. This applies a positive voltage to the control module while the switch is pressed. This switches on driving stability control.

Driving stability control cannot be switched back on during a TC control process (information light on).

Driving stability control is ready for operation, i.e. is switched on automatically, whenever the engine is started.

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#### 7. Hydraulic unit

The hydraulic unit essentially consists of fastswitching electromagnetic valves and a return pump. Regardless of the pressure in the master brake cylinder, the hydraulic unit can change the fluid pressure to the wheel brake cylinders (holding or reducing pressure). Increasing the pressure above that of the master brake cylinder is not possible, however.

# The ABS 5.3 hydraulic unit has three hydraulic outputs (3-channel system)

and six electromagnetic valves (three inlet and three outlet valves).

# The ABS / TC 5.3 hydraulic unit has four hydraulic outputs (4-channel system)

and ten electromagnetic valves (four inlet valves / four outlet valves, one switch-over valve and one intake valve).

The intake and the switch-over valves are required so that the return pump can perform **two tasks**:

- I. Return flow to the master brake cylinder (pressure reduction) during ABS control.
- Supply (pressure increase) to the right or left rear-wheel brake cylinder during TC control (ABD control).

In the case of **ABS control** at the rear axle, the solenoid valves for both rear wheels are actuated in parallel (joint control as in Solo ABS control (3-channel system)).

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#### Tools

1. Porsche System Tester 2 with integrated digital multimeter.



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 When performing measurements on the control module connector with a multimeter, use measuring leads (e.g. commercially available leads from Messrs. Bosch or shop-made leads) in order to avoid damaging the contacts in the control module connector.

#### Normal pins:

1 to 2 measuring leads with 2.5 mm flat connectors.

#### Mini pins:

1 to 2 measuring leads with 1.6 mm flat connectors.

### **Ground points**

#### Notes

- Ground point 5 = Electronics ground.
- Ground point 13 = Battery ground.
- Ground point 14 = Body/engine ground.
- Important ground points for ABS and ABS/TC: Ground point 2 (on the left in the front luggage compartment) and ground point 5 (electronics ground).



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# Connector assignment, control module (ABS and ABS/TC)



- Ground from speed sensor, rear right
- 2 Signal from speed sensor, rear right
- 3 Free

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- 4 Ground from speed sensor, front right
- 5 Signal from speed sensor, front right
- 6 Ground from speed sensor, front left
- 7 Signal from speed sensor, front left
- 8 Ground from speed sensor, rear left
- 9 Signal from speed sensor, rear left
- 10 D +, terminal 61
- 11 K-line from diagnosis
- 12 TC OFF from rocker switch (activation with positive voltage)

- 13 Signal to the DME control module (setpoint engine torque / MMR)
- 14 Stop-light switch signal (vehicle voltage when brake actuated)
- 15 Control module power supply (terminal 15 / from fuse F2/9)
- 16 Ground
- 17/18 Voltage for return pump relay and valve relay
- 19 Ground
- 20 Activation of TC MIL (ground)
- 21 Activation of ABS MIL (ground)
- 22 TC switch indicator lamp (activation by ground)

23 - Output signal (speed sensor, rear left) to the instrument cluster (speedometer signal) and to the DME

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- 24 Activation of TC information lamp (ground)
- 25 On Tiptronic vehicles = output signal (speed sensor, front left) **to** the Tiptronic control module
- 26 On Tiptronic vehicles =
   Output signal (speed sensor, front right) to the Tiptronic control module
- 27\* Signal from the DME control module (actual engine torque / MMI)
- 28\* Signal to the Tiptronic-control module during TC control, for activation of a specific Tiptronic map
- 29 Free
- 30\* Signal from the DME control module (engine speed)
- 31\* TC ON from the rocker switch (activation with positive voltage)

\* Only on vehicles with Traction Control (TC)

# Function selection (menu selection), ABS 5.3 and ABS/TC 5.3

#### Overviews of available menus

- Identification
- Fault memory
- Erase fault memory
- Drive links
- Actual values
- Input signals
- Static test
- Bleed\*
- Extract coding\*
- Modify coding\*

Identification:	Display of the diagnosis software number and the control module part number.
Fault memory:	see Page 45 - D 19
Drive links:	see Page 45 - D 36
Actual values:	see Page 45 - D 39
Input signals:	see Page 45 - D 41
Static test:	see Page 45 - D 42
Bleed:	see Page 45 - D 43
Extract coding/ Modify coding	see Page 45 - D 45

\* In the case of ABS 5.3 (Solo ABS), the menus are not necessary and are therefore not present.

### Fault memory

Overview of possible faults with ABS 5.3 and ABS / TC 5.3

- Control module faulty
- Rear left speed sensor, signal implausible \_
- Front right speed sensor, signal implausible
- Rear right speed sensor, signal implausible
- Front left speed sensor, signal implausible
- Rear left speed sensor wire, open circuit/short to ground/short to B+ -
- Front right speed sensor wire, open circuit/short to ground/short to B+
- Rear right speed sensor wire, open circuit/short to ground/short to B+
- Front left speed sensor wire, open circuit/short to ground/short to B+
- Valve supply voltage
- Return pump
- Stop-light switch
- Incorrect gear wheel
- Undervoltage
- Intake valve
- Switch-over valve
- Version coding
- Electrical connection between TC and Tiptronic
- Engine rpm information missing
- Electrical connection between TC and DME (MMI)
- Electrical connection between TC and DME (MMR)
- Fault stored in DME control module

# Fault overview / troubleshooting (diagnosis / test plan)

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Test poi	nt DTC	Fault display (brief fault text)	Page
1	4607	Control module faulty	45 - D 23
2 3 4 5	4206 4201 4211 4216	Front left speed sensor, signal implausible Front right speed sensor, signal implausible Rear right speed sensor, signal implausible Rear left speed sensor, signal implausible	45 - D 24 45 - D 25 45 - D 25 45 - D 25 45 - D 25
6 7 8 9	4205 4200 4210 4215	Front left speed sensor wire * Front right speed sensor wire * Rear right speed sensor wire * Rear left speed sensor wire *	45 - D 26 45 - D 27 45 - D 27 45 - D 27
10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	4256 4261 4226 4231 4246 4251 4236 4241	Control module faulty ** Control module faulty **	45 - D 28 45 - D 28
11 12 13 14 15	4276 4266 4340 4225 4802	Valve supply voltage Return pump fault Stop-light switch Wrong gear wheel Undervoltage	45 - D 29 45 - D 30 45 - D 31 45 - D 31 45 - D 32

\* Open circuit / short to ground / short to B+

\*\* ABS solenoid valve fault. As only the complete hydraulic unit with control module can be replaced, a solenoid valve fault is interpreted as a control module fault.

Test po	int DTC	Fault display (short fault text)	Page	
1.6	5050			
16	5260	Intake valve	45 - D 32	
17	5265	Switch-over valve	45 - D 32	,
18	5281	Version coding	45 - D 33	5
19	5282	Electrical connection between ABS/TC and Tiptronic	45 - D 34	•
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#### Notes on fault memory / troubleshooting

The ABS MIL or TC MIL can light up although no fault is stored in the fault memory. The following faults are possible in this case:

Mechanical switching contacts (arrows) in the control module connector bent. As a consequence, these contacts are permanently connected to ground (ground of PIN 19 connected to PIN 20 and PIN 21).

**Explanation:** Normally, these contacts are grounded only when the connector is pulled off. This causes the ABS MIL or the TC MIL to be activated when the engine is running.



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When the engine is running, the "terminal 61" signal is missing at the control module. This can be checked with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Input signals menu (see P. 45 - D 41).

#### Work after fault elimination

The fault memory must be erased after a fault occurs in the anti-lock brake system and is eliminated. Then perform a short test drive and perform a TC control operation, taking the road conditions into consideration. Then read out the fault memory again.

Fill/bleed the system after the hydraulic unit has been replaced or removed and reinstalled. Then perform a system test.

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 1	
Control module faulty <b>DTC 4607</b>	If "Control module faulty" is displayed in combination with DTC 4226, 4231, 4236, 4241, 4246, 4251, 4256, or 4261, test point 10 (Page 45 - D 28) is relevant.
	<ul> <li>If the control module is damaged, the complete hydraulic unit with integrated control module must be replaced.</li> <li>Important: Before replacing the hydraulic unit, check whether:</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>there are voltage differences due to contact resistance (missing or poor ground connections).</li> <li>Important:</li> <li>Poor ground connections can be present not only on the affected parts, but also at other important ground points.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>ground is connected to control module connector PIN 16 (from ground point 2) and PIN 19 (from electronics ground). The locations of the ground points are shown on the wiring diagram Ground points.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>positive voltage (vehicle voltage) is connected to control module con- nector PIN 17 and PIN 18.</li> </ul>



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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
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<b>Test point 2</b> Front left speed sensor, signal implausible <b>DTC 4206</b>	Control module receives a false / unrealistic speed sensor signal. Procedure
	<ul> <li>Check the speed sensor signal with the System Tester 2 via the "Actual values" menu. To do this, call up the front left wheel speed.</li> <li>Two tests are possible here.</li> <li>Test 1 with raised vehicle.</li> <li>(Swap of speed sensors and test of the speed sensor signal quality).</li> <li>Test 2 with vehicle driving straight at approx. 2-4 km/h.</li> <li>(Comparison of wheel speed signal qualities with each other).</li> <li>Test 2 is a better measure of the signal quality than is test 1.</li> </ul>
	Further to test 1
	To perform the test, manually rotate the left front wheel at a speed of approx. 2 - 3 km/h (observe display in the Tester screen). Slowly increase the speed and simultaneously observe the speed increase (display).
	Nominal values/required display Speed steps of approx. 0.06 km/h. First display at 1.81 km/h. This means: From the value measured last, the next value must be 0.06 km/h higher or, if the wheel is rotating slower, must be 0.06 km/h lower. The Tester rounds the value down to 0.05 km/h or up to 0.07 km/h in some cases.
	Example
	First measured value= 1.81 km/hSecond nominal value= 1.87 km/hThird nominal value= 1.93 km/hetc.

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
	<b>Further to test 2</b> Display all four wheels in the Tester display. Drive straight ahead at a uniform speed of approx. 2-4 km/h and have a second person observe the Tester display. Required display: Deviation between the wheel speeds of the four wheels <b>max. 1 km/h</b> . Further details about tests 1 and 2 are given under "Actual values menu" on P. 45 - D 38.
	Possible faults (cause in the event of deviation)
	<ul> <li>Air gap between speed sensor and gear wheel (pulse wheel) too large or, due to wear (chip formation), too small (check installation).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Pulse wheel defective or corroded.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Wheel bearing damage (wheel bearing not adjustable).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Plug connection in wiring from the speed sensor to the control mo- dule or PIN on the control module connector not OK.</li> </ul>
Test point 3	
Front right speed sensor,	General procedure as for test point 2/diagnostic trouble code 4206 (check speed sensor signal with the Porsche System Tester 2).
signal implausible DTC 4201	<ul> <li>Speed sensor signal: Go to the Actual values menu. There, select the front right wheel speed.</li> </ul>
Test point 4	
Rear right speed signal,	General procedure as for test point 2/diagnostic trouble code 4206 (check speed sensor signal with the Porsche System Tester 2).
signal implausible DTC 4211	<ul> <li>Speed sensor signal: Go to the Actual values menu. There, select the rear right wheel speed.</li> </ul>
Test point 5	
Rear left speed signal,	General procedure as for test point 2/diagnostic trouble code 4206 (check speed sensor with the Porsche System Tester 2).
signal implausible DTC 4216	<ul> <li>Speed sensor signal: Go to the Actual values menu. There, select the rear left wheel speed.</li> </ul>

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 6	
Front left speed sensor, open circuit/ short to ground/	Wire/plug connection between control module and speed sensor not OK (open circuit, short to B+ or short to ground) or the speed sensor itself is damaged.
short to B+ DTC 4205	<ul> <li>Check the speed sensor wire and plug connection in the wheel area for damage (visual inspection).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Check the speed sensor signal with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Actual values menu (see test point 2/diagnostic trouble code 4206). If no speed is displayed when the left front wheel is turned, check the wiring from the control module connector to the speed sensor (following test step).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Pull off control module connector. Measure internal resistance/continuity between PIN 6 and PIN 7 on the connector (see connector assignment on Page 45 - D 16/17). Nominal value 16001800 Ω.</li> <li>If the nominal value is not achieved, check wires and plug connection in the wiring from the front left speed sensor.</li> <li>If the nominal value (16001800 Ω) is not achieved although the wiring / plug connection is OK, replace the speed sensor.</li> </ul>



 Check PIN 6 and PIN 7 of the control module connector (visual inspection for deformation).

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 7	
Front right	General procedure as for test point 6/diagnostic trouble code 4205.
speed sensor, open circuit/	<ul> <li>Speed sensor signal: Check with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Actual values menu (call up front right wheel speed).</li> </ul>
short to ground/ short to B+ DTC 4200	<ul> <li>Internal resistance/continuity between PIN 4 and PIN 5 on the control module connector.</li> </ul>

#### Test point 8

Rear right speed sensor, open circuit/ short to ground/ short to B+ DTC 4210

#### **Test point 9**

Rear left speed sensor, open circuit / short to ground / short to B+ DTC 4215 General procedure as for test point 6/diagnostic trouble code 4205.

- Speed sensor signal: Check with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Actual values menu (call up rear right wheel speed).
- Internal resistance/continuity between PIN 1 and PIN 2 on the control module connector.

General procedure as for test point 6/diagnostic trouble code 4205.

- Speed sensor signal: Check with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Actual values menu (call up rear left wheel speed).
- Internal resistance/continuity between PIN 8 and PIN 9 on the control module connector.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 10	
Control module faulty: DTCs 4226, 4231, 4236,	Actual fault: ABS solenoid valve faulty.
4241, 4246, 4251, 4256, 4261	The System Tester 2 can be used to check the function of the ABS sole- noid valves via the Drive links menu, sub-menu <b>Maintain pressure and</b> <b>Reduce pressure</b> .
	If the control module or ABS solenoid valves are damaged, the com- plete hydraulic unit with integrated control module must be replaced. <b>Important:</b> Before replacing the hydraulic unit, check whether:
	<ul> <li>ground is connected to control module connector PIN 16 (from ground point 2) and PIN 19 (from electronics ground). The locations of the ground points are shown on the wiring diagram Ground points.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>plus (vehicle voltage) is connected to control module connector PIN 17 and PIN 18.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Use the System Tester 2 to test the function of the ABS solenoid valves via the Drive links menu (reaction at the front left, front right, rear left and rear right wheels).</li> <li>If the reaction is not OK, check the hydraulic allocation (text below).</li> <li>Allocation test using example of left front wheel: In the Drive links menu, sub-menu Reduce pressure, front left, the left front wheel must alternately lock up and then rotate freely (also see P. 45 - D 35/36).</li> <li>The allocation is wrong if the activated wheel does not alternately lock up and rotate freely again, but a different wheel does this instead.</li> </ul>
	- The hydraulic upit must be replaced if the aforementioned drive link

test is not OK but the hydraulic lines are not not swapped.

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 11	
Valve supply voltage DTC 4276	The System Tester 2 can be used to determine whether the valve relay has picked up or dropped out. Select "Valve relay" in the Input signals menu. "Valve relay picked up" or "Valve relay dropped out" then appears in the Tester display. Required display: Valve relay picked up.
	If the control module connector was pulled off, first switch off the igni- tion before the test and then switch it on again, as the valve relay will otherwise not pick up.
	The valve relay also can be in the dropped-out state if there is another system fault. (ABS valve fault.)
	The complete hydraulic unit with integrated valve relay must be replace if the valve relay is damaged. <b>Important:</b> Before replacing the hydraulic unit, check whether:
	<ul> <li>ground is connected to control module connector PIN 16 (from ground point 2) and PIN 19 (from electronics ground). The locations of the ground points are shown on the wiring diagram Ground points.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>plus (vehicle voltage) is connected to control module connector PIN 17 and PIN 18.</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>If all test steps are OK, replace the hydraulic unit.</li> </ul>

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 12	
Return pump fault DTC 4266	No feedback signal (return-pump monitoring) to the control mo- dule.
	The Porsche System Tester 2 can be used to test the function of the re- turn pump via the Drive links menu.
	To do this, call up the return pump in the Drive links menu and activate the pump (required function: return pump runs).
	The complete hydraulic unit must be replaced if the return pump is dam- aged. Important: Before replacing the hydraulic unit, check whether:
	<ul> <li>ground is connected to control module connector PIN 16 (from ground point 2). The locations of the ground points are shown on the wiring diagram Ground points.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>plus (vehicle voltage) is connected to control module connector PIN 17 and PIN 18.</li> </ul>

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the plug connection on the return pump is OK.

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 13	
Stop light switch DTC 4340	<ul> <li>Check with the System Tester 2 via the <b>"Input signals"</b> menu. Press the brake pedal after selection of the stop-light switch. Required display: Display in screen changes from "not actuated" "actuated".</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Pull off wires on the stop-light switch (No. 1). Test the stop-light switch with a multimeter (remove switch for the test if necessary</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Check stop-light switch adjustment (operating point) (see Volume 4, Running gear, repair group 46).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Check wiring according to the wiring diagram.</li> </ul>
Test point 14	
Wrong gear wheel DTC 4225	The ABS gear wheels possess 48 teeth. Not all 48 teeth are on tected during a revolution of the wheel.

- Check ABS gear wheels (clamping pins on the front axle / pulse strip on the rear axle) for dirt or damage. Replace damaged parts.
- Check wheels and tyres (extreme tyre differences or impermissible wheel/tyre combination).

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 15	
Undervoltage DTC 4802	<b>Control module supply voltage too low (less than 9.5 V).</b> Normally, this fault occurs only when the engine is started in combina- tion with a discharged battery.
	<ul> <li>Pull off the control module connector and measure the voltage be- tween PIN 15 (plus) and PIN 19 (ground).</li> <li>Nominal value: Vehicle voltage.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Check wiring and ground point in combination with the wiring diag- ram.</li> </ul>
Test point 16	
Intake valve DTC 5260	The complete hydraulic unit must be replaced if the intake valve is dam- aged.
	In the intake valve test with the Porsche System Tester 2, select Intake valve in the Drive links menu. Perform the test according to the Tester instructions. If the functions specified in the Tester display: Rear axle locked up / Rear axle still locked / Release (rear axle free) are not achieved, the following faults are possible:
	<ul> <li>Test sequence not observed.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Inadequate bleeding of ABD secondary circuit, see Page 45 - D 43.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Function of the intake valve not OK.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Return pump operation not OK.</li> <li>Check pump operation. To do this, select return pump in the Drive links menu (pump must then run).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Intake or switch-over valve leaks.</li> </ul>

Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 17	
Switch-over valve DTC 5265	The complete hydraulic unit must be replaced if the switch-over valve is damaged.
	In the switch-over valve test with the Porsche System Tester 2, select switch-over valve in the Drive links menu and perform the test according to the Tester instructions. If the functions specified in the Tester display: Rear axle locked up / Rear axle free are not achieved, the following faults are possible:
	<ul> <li>Brake not actuated at the start of the test</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Test sequence not observed</li> </ul>
	- Function of the switch-over valve not OK.
Test point 18	
Version coding DTC 5281	Wrong version coding in the control module. Change coding.
	The active transmission version (Tiptronic or manual transmission) can be read out under menu item "Extract coding".
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The ABS/TC control module can be adapted to the transmission version under menu item "Modify coding".

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Fault, DTC	Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test point 19	
Electrical connection between ABS/TC and	Tiptronic control module (No. 3) does not receive a signal from the ABS/TC control module.
Tiptronic DTC 5282	<ul> <li>Check wire for open circuit, short to B+ and to ground (PIN 28 on the ABS/TC control module and PIN 19 on the Tiptronic control mo- dule).</li> </ul>
Test point 20	
Engine rpm information missing DTC 5283	The ABS/TC control module does not receive any speed information (rpm signal) from the DME control module (No. 2). The rpm signal is checked with the Porsche System Tester 2 via the Actual values menu.
	<ul> <li>Check the rpm signal (indication of the current engine speed) via the Actual values menu with the engine running. Then select the DME system and also check the rpm signal there via the Actual values menu. If the signal is present in the DME sys- tem but not in the ABS/TC system, the fault lies in the wiring be- tween the ABS/TC control module and the DME control module.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Check the wiring (wire, connectors on the control modules) (PIN 30 on the ABS/TC control module and PIN 80 on the DME control mo- dule).</li> </ul>
Test point 21	
Electrical connection between TC and DME (MMI)	The ABS/TC control module does not receive any signal from the DME control module (No. 2) (actual engine torque).

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 Check wire for open circuit, short to B+ and to ground (PIN 27 on the ABS/TC control module and PIN 58 on the DME control module).



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Fault stored in the DME control module **DTC 5286** 

Read out fault memory in the DME control module and remedy the fault according to the DME test plan (DME troubleshooting).

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# Drive links (ABS and ABS/TC)

The following drive links can be activated with the System Tester 2 via the Drive links menu:

# **Drive links with Solo ABS**

ABS MIL

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- Return pump
- Front left ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, front left Reduce pressure, front left
- Front right ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, front right Reduce pressure, front right
- Rear ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, rear (rear axle) Reduce pressure, rear (rear axle)

# Drive links with ABS/TC

- ABS MIL
- TC MIL
- TC information light
- TC switch indicator light
- Return pump
- Intake valve
- Switch-over valve
- Front left ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, front left Reduce pressure, front left

- Front right ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, front right Reduce pressure, front right
- Rear left ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, rear left Reduce pressure, rear left
- Rear right ABS solenoid valves via: Maintain pressure, rear right Reduce pressure, rear right

#### Important note

# Drive links must be activated only when the vehicle is stationary.

In the solenoid valve test, it is possible to check both the function and the allocation (test to determine whether electrical or hydraulic lines are swapped).

If the selected drive link does not function or does not function correctly (reaction) after activation with the Porsche System Tester 2, perform troubleshooting according to the test plan (troubleshooting list) in the following text.

#### Further to MILs and information light

The corresponding MIL or information light (depending on selection) does not flash.

- Check bulb.
- Check wiring from the instrument cluster to the control module according to the wiring diagram.

#### Further to the return pump

Return pump does not run after activation.

 Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 12 (diagnostic trouble code 4266) on Page 45 - D 30.

# Further to front and rear ABS solenoid valves (Maintain pressure and Reduce pressure)

The function of the solenoid valves or the return pump is not OK. If a solenoid valve has a mechanical fault, the fault is **not** stored in the fault memory.

Hydraulic or electrical lines could be swapped.

If a fault is stored in the fault memory, first eliminate this fault.

#### Test step "Maintain pressure" not OK:

- Brake pedal not pressed or not pressed at the right time.
- Electrical or hydraulic lines swapped if the activated wheel locks up (precondition: corresponding inlet valve activated with the F8 key).
- Inlet valve faulty.

#### Test step "Reduce pressure" not OK:

- Brake pedal not actuated.
- If the activated wheel does **not** alternately lock up and then rotate freely again but another wheel (precondition: the parking brake is not engaged and the selector lever of Tiptronic vehicles is in position "N"), the hydraulic lines are swapped.
- Outlet valve faulty.

# Further to the intake and switch-over valves (solenoid valves for ABD)

Solenoid valves not OK (function or leakage).

# Note

A correct test on the ABD solenoid valves is possible only if there is no fault on an ABS inlet valve or ABS outlet valve. Therefore, read out the fault memory beforehand and remedy this fault first if necessary.

# Test step "Intake valve" not OK

- Test sequence not observed.
- Function of the intake valves not OK.
- Return pump operation not OK.
  Check pump operation. To do this, select return pump in the Drive links menu (pump must then run).
- ABD secondary circuit poorly bled.
  Bleeding, see Page 45 D 43.
- Intake or switch-over valve leaks.

#### Test step "Switch-over valve" not OK

- Test sequence not observed.
- Function of the switch-over valve not OK.

# Actual values (ABS and ABS/TC)

The following actual values can be checked with this menu (with this function):

Speed (wheel speed / test possible up to 18 km/h)

Speed, front left Speed, front right Speed, rear left Speed, rear right

- Engine rpm (not present with Solo ABS)

#### Further to speed:

Select, activate and call up the desired wheel using the arrow keys.

The wheel speed is displayed according to the wheel rpm.

All four wheels are displayed if all speeds are activated and called up.

15.00 km/h

#### Example (front left wheel)

Speed, front left

Example (all wheels)

Speed, front left	15.00 km/h
Speed, front right	15.00 km/h
Speed, rear left	15.00 km/h
Speed, rear right	15.00 km/h

#### Procedure

**Two tests** are possible to determine the speedsensor signal.

**Test 1** with the vehicle raised. (Swapping the speed sensors and checking the quality of the speed sensor signal.)

**Test 2** when driving straight ahead at approx. 2 - 4 km/h. (signal qualities of the individual wheels are compared with each other). Test 2 is a better measure of the signal quality than is test 1.

#### Further to test 1

In order to perform the test, manually turn the left front wheel at a uniform speed of approx. 2 - 3 km/h (observe display in the Tester screen). Slowly increase the speed while simultaneously observing the speed increase (display).

Nominal values/required display Speed steps of approx. 0.06 km/h. First display at 1.81 km/h. This means: From the value measured last, the next value must be 0.06 km/h higher or, if rotating slower, must be 0.06 km/h lower. The Tester rounds the value down to 0.05 km/h or up to 0.07 km/h in some cases.

#### Example

First measured value	= 1.81 km/h
Second nominal value	= 1.87 km/h
Third nominal value	= 1.93 km/h
etc.	

#### Note

When performing the test on the rear axle, lock up (hold) the opposite wheel.

#### Further to test 2

Display all four wheels in the Tester display.

Drive straight ahead at a uniform speed of approx. 2-4 km/h, and have a second person observe the Tester display.

Required display: Deviation between the four wheel speeds max. 1 km/h.

#### Further to engine speed:

Precondition: engine running. Display of the current engine speed.

# Input signals (ABS and ABS/TC)

The following input signals can be checked with this menu (with this function):

- Stop-light switch
- Valve relay
- Return pump
- Signal, terminal 61
- TC switch

#### Further to the stop-light switch:

Press the brake pedal.

Required display: Change from "not actuated" to "actuated".

#### Further to the valve relay:

The following appears in the display panel if the ignition is switched on or the engine is running and if the system is intact: "Valve relay picked up".

#### Further to the return pump:

Display: Return pump not running (Display if the pump were running: Return pump running).

#### Further to signal terminal 61:

Required display: with engine running - not present with engine running - present.

Further to the TC switch:

**Required display without actuation:** TC switch not actuated.

Required display, depending on actuation: (Switching Traction Control off or on): TC switch ON actuated or TC switch OFF actuated.

# Static test (ABS and ABS/TC)

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Electrical test of the system (advance check), e.g. after replacement of the hydraulic unit or if connectors were pulled off.

**Important:** This **is not** a substitute for the system test, as **no check for swapped electrical and hydraulic lines** is performed. Furthermore, the **mechanical** function of the solenoid valves is **not** tested.

If a fault is displayed, perform troubleshooting with the diagnosis/test plan on P. 45 - D 20/21 ff.

# Menu: Bleed (ABS/TC 5.3)

#### Bleeding

#### Important notes

The Bleed menu is not available with the Solo ABS (it is not required).

On vehicles with Traction Control, this menu can be used to bleed the ABD secondary circuit in the hydraulic unit.

This additional bleeding is necessary **only** after **conventional** bleeding has been performed and only if the hydraulic unit is replacaed or was removed. The secondary circuit also can be bled in the event that the brake pedal travel is too large if the system was properly bled by the conventional method beforehand.

#### Bleeding the ABD circuit

- Preparatory work: Bleed brakes by conventional method (repair group 47, Volume 4, Running gear).
- The bleeding unit remains connected (switched on) when the ABD circuit is being bled.
   Bleed pressure, 1.5...2.0 bar.
- Connect the Porsche System Tester 2 to the diagnostic socket.
   The diagnostic socket is located in the driver's footwell (left-hand drive vehicles) or passenger's footwell (right-hand drive vehicles) near the fuse box.
   Switch on the ignition. Select the "Bleed" menu in the ABS/TC system.



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- Open the rear right bleeder valve (use collection bottle).
- Press the Start key on the System Tester. This initiates certain functions in the hydraulic unit (the return pump, outlet solenoid valve and the switch-over solenoid valve are activated).

Bleed the system until the brake fluid emerges without bubbles.

In addition (during the entire bleeding process), fully depress the brake pedal to the stop (pump) at least ten times.

**Important**: Double the number of pumping cycles for vehicles with extremely high mileage or for very old vehicles, and use only half of the master brake cylinder stroke (damage could be caused to the master brake cylinder / primary boots).

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- Close the right rear bleeder valve.
  Then immediately press the Stop key on the System Tester.
- Switch off the ignition and disconnect the System Tester.
- Switch off and disconnect the bleeding unit. Correct the brake fluid level if necessary.

# Extract coding / Modify coding (ABS/TC 5.3)

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#### Extract coding

The transmission version (manual transmission or Tiptronic) activated in the ABS/TC control module can be read out under menu item "Extract coding".

#### Modify coding

The ABS/TC control module can be adapted to the transmission version under menu item "Modify coding".

The coding must be adapted to the transmission version when the hydraulic unit is replaced.

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# System test (ABS and ABS/TC)

# Important notes

- A system test (function test) must be performed if work is performed on the hydraulic unit No. 7, the speed sensors and the wiring harness or if the hydraulic unit is exchanged. This is the case after accident repairs, for example. This prevents electrical and hydraulic lines from being swapped and ensures flawless operation of the system.
- A system test also has to be performed if certain brake lines are replaced, e.g. on the intermediate piece No. 8. Unintentional bending of the brake lines could lead to incorrect hydraulic allocation, despite the different thread sizes used (M12 x 1 and M 10 x 1).



3. The system test is **not** menu-prompted (program-guided).

The system test consists of several test steps and is performed via different menus. Observe the specified sequence when performing the system test.

# The static test must be performed at the start of the system test.

Remedy any detected fault before proceeding with the system test.

On vehicles with TC, the version coding must be checked or corrected **before the static test is performed**.

4. As fewer test steps are required on vehicles with Solo ABS (without TC) (several components are not installed), the TC-specific test steps are not displayed in the corresponding menu during the Solo ABS system test.

Test step No. 1, Nos. 6...10, Nos. 18...19 and No. 24 are therefore not necessary (not possible) with the Solo ABS.

5. After the system test, take the vehicle on a test drive and make sure that a controlled braking operation (ABS control operation) is performed.

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# System test overview (ABS and ABS/TC)

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#### Note

#### The static test must be performed at the start of the system test.

Locate and remedy any detected fault. Proceed with the system test only after the static test has been completed successfully.

#### Necessary test steps with ABS/TC 5.3 (4-channel system):

Test step

1	Version coding (start of the test/possible only on vehicles with TC)
2	Static test
34	Stop-light switch and terminal 61 signal
58	MIL and information lights
9	Intake valve
10	Switch-over valve
11	Return pump operation
1219	ABS solenoid valves (8 ea./function and incorrect allocation)
2023	Speed sensors (function and incorrect allocation)
24	Engine speed information to ABS/TC control module

# Necessary test steps with ABS 5.3 (3-channel system):

#### Note

On vehicles with **Solo ABS**, the test begins with the static test (test step 2). The test steps in brackets are not necessary (possible only with a 4-channel system).

Test step

(1)	
2	Static test (start of test)
34	Stop-light switch and terminal 61 signal
5	ABS MIL
(610)	
11	Return pump operation
1217	ABS solenoid valves (6 ea. / function and incorrect allocation)
(1819)	
2023	Speed sensors (function and incorrect allocation)
(24)	

Present only for vehicles with Traction Control.

If necessary, select the Modify coding menu to change the coding.

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Test of required display / required function

Test step not OK Possible causes, elimination, notes

# System test ABS and ABS/TC

# Test step 1

Select and call up the version coding. Display according to transmission version (Tiptronic or manual transmission).

# Test step 2

Select and perform the<br/>static test.This test checks whether all parts of the system are present or whether<br/>all electrical components are connected. If necessary, remedy any exist-<br/>ing fault before proceeding with the system test.

# Test step 3

Call up the Input signals menu and select the stop-light switch. Briefly actuate the brake. The stop light switch status (open or closed) is checked. **Required display:** Change from "not actuated" to "actuated". Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 13 (stop-light switch / DTC 4340) on Page 45 - D 31.

Test of required display / required function	Test step not OK Possible causes, elimination, notes	
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# Test step 4

Call up Input signals menu and select terminal 61 signal. Start the engine. Required display: Signal present (engine not running: not present). For troubleshooting, the status of terminal 61 (present or not present) also can be checked in the system "Alarm system" via the Input signals menu.

- If "not present" appears in the Tester display with the engine running, call up the system "Alarm system" and also check the status of terminal 61 there in the Input signals menu. If the signal is present there, the fault lies in the wire between the ABS control module and the other control module. For troubleshooting, consult the wiring diagram. If the terminal 61 signal is also not present with the system "Alarm system", continue with the next point.
- Bulb of Generator (MIL) in the instrument cluster faulty.
  Perform a lamp test (lamp must light up when the ignition is switched on).
- Check the generator.

# Test step 5

Call up the Drive links menu and activate the ABS MIL. The display must flash. With the ABS/TC, the TC-MIL is activated as well

- Check bulb
- Check wiring between the instrument cluster and control module according to the wiring diagram.



# Test step 6

Activate the TC-MIL in the Drive links menu. The display must flash

Only on vehicles with TC. For vehicles with Solo-ABS, continue with test step 11

- Troubleshooting analogous to test step 5

Test of required display / required function	Test step not OK Possible causes, elimination, notes
Test step 7	
Activate the TC information light in the Drive links menu.	Only on vehicles with TC. On vehicles with Solo ABS, continue with test step 11

Troubleshooting analogous to test step 5

# Test step 8

Display must flash.

Activate the TC switch information light in the Drive links menu. Display must flash.

Only on vehicles with TC. On vehicles with Solo ABS, continue with test step 11

Troubleshooting analogous to test step 5

#### Test step 9

In the Drive links menu, test Only on vehicles with TC. On vehicles with Solo ABS, function of the intake valve in the hydraulic unit.

continue with test step 11.

Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 16 (diagnostic trouble code 5260) on Page 45 - D 32.

# Test step 10

In the Drive links menu, test function of the switch-over valve in the hydraulic unit.

Only on vehicles with TC. On vehicles with Solo ABS, continue with test step 11.

Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 17 (diagnostic trouble code 5265) on Page 45 - D 33.

# Test step 11

In the Drive links menu, activate the return pump. Return pump runs audibly.

Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 12 (return pump fault / DTC 4266) on Page 45 - D 30. If necessary, open the front lid in order to hear the pump run.

Test of required display /	Test step not OK
required function	Possible causes, elimination, notes

In the Drive links menu, check the inlet and outlet ABS solenoid valves in the hydraulic unit **for function and incorrect allocation**. Rotate all four wheels individually (one after the other according to the test-step sequence). When doing this, carefully follow the instructions in the Tester Display.

On the Solo ABS, the test of the rear-axle valves (test steps 16...17) can be performed on the right or left wheel.

Test step 12: Maintain pressure, front left
Test step 13: Reduce pressure, front left
Test step 14: Maintain pressure, front right
Test step 15: Reduce pressure, front right
Test step 16: Maintain pressure, rear left (or rear with Solo ABS)
Test step 17: Reduce pressure, rear left (or rear with Solo ABS)

Test step 18: Maintain pressure, rear right Test step 19: Reduce pressure, rear right (Test steps 18 and 19 only on vehicles with TC)

#### Test step "Maintain pressure" not OK:

- Hydraulic lines incorrectly allocated if the activated wheel locks up (precondition: Inlet valve activated with the F8 key). Incorrect allocation of electrical wires is another possibility if impermissible repairs were made on the wiring harness after accident repairs.
- Inlet valve faulty.

#### Test step "Reduce pressure" not OK:

- If the activated wheel **does not** alternately lock up and then rotate freely again but another wheel does this (precondition: the parking brake is not engaged and the selector lever of Tiptronic vehicles is in position "N"), the hydraulic lines are swapped.
- Outlet valve defective.

#### Troubleshooting

Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 10 on P. 45 - D 28.

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Test of required display /	Test step not OK
required function	Possible causes, elimination, notes

# Test steps 20 - 23

Check speed sensors for function and incorrect allocation.

To do this, go to the **Actual values** menu and select the wheel speeds there.

Rotate all four wheels individually. When each wheel is rotated, the speed allocated to the wheel must be displayed.

The non-tested wheel must be held when the test is performed on the driven axle.

- Test step No .:
- 20 = Front left wheel
- 21 = Front right wheel
- 22 = Rear left wheel
- 23 = Rear right wheel

accident repair.

- Rotate the wheel on which the test step is not OK.
  The non-tested wheel must be held when the test is performed on the driven axle.
  If an indication for a **different** wheel now appears in the Tester display, the electrical wires are swapped (incorrect allocation of the speed sensors). This is normally not possible, but could occur if an impermissible repair was performed on the wiring harness after an
- Perform troubleshooting analogous to test points 2 to 9 (depending on the wheel in question) on Page 45 - D 24 ff.

# Test step 24

Check the engine speed in the Actual values menu. The current engine speed is displayed if the engine is running. Perform troubleshooting analogous to test point 20 (Engine rpm information missing / DTC 5283) on Page 45 - D 34.