VEI Systems Installation Instructions

D1-FPB-PYC-Mx – Fuel Pressure (Bar) + Exhaust Gas Temperature Dual Gauge (deg-C) D1-FPB-PYF-Mx – Fuel Pressure (Bar) + Exhaust Gas Temperature Dual Gauge (deg-F) D1-FPP-PYC-Mx – Fuel Pressure (PSI) + Exhaust Gas Temperature Dual Gauge (deg-C) D1-FPP-PYF-Mx – Fuel Pressure (PSI) + Exhaust Gas Temperature Dual Gauge (deg-F)

Please read these instructions completely before beginning installation to ensure that you have the tools and skills necessary for installation and operation of this instrument. If you are not sure that you can perform the installation safely, then consult a qualified installer. Further instructions available at www.VEISystems.com/technical.html.

FEATURES

This dual-function instrument monitors fuel-pressure and exhaust-gas temperature simultaneously on two independent displays within a single gauge housing. The fuel-pressure function has upper and lower user-settable alerts.

MOUNTING

Install the unit through the front of the mounting hole in the dash pod or panel. If you are making a custom dash panel, you will need to drill a 2-1/16" hole. Slide the clamp onto the 2 studs on the back of the instrument. Secure with the 2 thumb-nuts. Use a small drop of threadlocker or nail polish on the thumb-nuts to prevent them from loosening under vibration.

For fuel-pressure, use sender SEN-F151. Mount the sender onto the fuel system in an appropriate location. Generally., you would need to connect to the fuel-rail near the injectors. In most cases, there will be a fuel-pressure test-port at that point. You can also use the test port with an appropriate adapter. Avoid using teflon tape or compound as this may eventually break off and get into the fuel stream, causing blockage in the fuel lines. This can be catastrophic to the engine. If you experience leaks, try tape only on the back half of the threads on the sender. The engine must be well grounded to the chassis & battery.

For exhaust-gas temperature, use EGT probe with integrated controller SEN-TCI. This gauge will not work with an exhaust gas temperature probe by itself. Drill and tap the exhaust manifold or header for the 1/8" NPT compression fitting. The best location is close to the exhaust ports on the head, and before the turbocharger if you have one. You will need to do this in two locations for this dual gauge, usually one probe for each exhaust bank. Note that when you drill and tap the exhaust manifold, metal shavings will get into the exhaust and could cause damage to the engine and/or turbocharger, so it is recommended that you remove the manifold/header to clear it out. Screw in the compression fitting into the exhaust manifold and slide the probe through the fitting. The probe should be setup such that the tip is centered in the exhaust stream. You can do this by sliding the probe in and out of the fitting to determine it's full range inside the exhaust tube and positioning it to about the midpoint of that range. Finally, clamp down the compression fitting to lock the probe in place. NOTE: once the compression fitting is tightened, it compresses to shape and should not be re-used. If necessary, the thermocouple probe can be gently bent with a tubing bender, but care should be taken not to break the probe. Route the wires and controller away from the major heat sources under the hood.

WIRING

The wires should be connected as below using crimp-on butt-splice connectors, or soldered and sealed with heat-shrink tubing. Before connecting any wires, you should either disconnect the battery power, or carefully connect the wires in the order shown. If not, you may damage the instrument. Use an existing fuse in the fuse panel, or an external fuse to supply power to the instrument. The D1 series instruments use approx. 130mA of current average. and approx. 210mA maximum, so ensure the fuse is sized appropriately. For a typical 6- or 7-gauge setup, a single 5 Amp fuse is good.

INSTRUMENT:

- BLACK -- connect to a solid chassis ground under the dash, or directly to the battery. You may need to expose the metal connection
 point under the dash by scraping or lightly sanding it. A ring terminal and a screw should work well in most cases.
- RED -- connect this to a source of **switched** +12V power. This will usually be found at or near the ignition switch, and will usually have a relay wired through the ignition switch. An alternate source of this is a switched power line from a nearby light or accessory (radio, etc). If you are unsure that the wire can support the power required for the instrument, then use an external relay.
- o GREEN connect this wire to the positive line (+12V) from the headlight switch. When this line receives a positive voltage, the gauge will use the "park-lights" brightness setting. You may on older vehicles connect this wire to the interior dash lights that come on when the park lights are switched on, however on newer vehicles the lights may be PWM dimmer (oscillating on and off rapidly to control brightness), so the gauge may flicker. Alternatively, if setting up a racing-mode display, this can be connected to a separate mode switch (12V or 0V signal).
- WHITE this is the input for the first display channel. Connect this to the white output wire from the vacuum-boost sensor.
- o GREY this is the input for the second display channel. Connect this to the white output wire from the EGTprobe controller.
- o PURPLE this wire supplies +5V for the fuel pressure sensor. Connect this to the purple wire on the fuel pressure sensor.

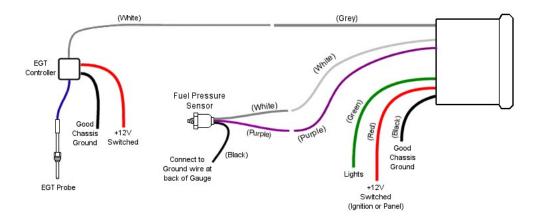
FUEL-PRESSURE SENSOR:

BLACK -- connect to the same point at which the gauge is grounded.

- PURPLE -- connect this to the purple wire on the gauge (which supplies +5V to this sensor). DO NOT connect this to +12V as this
 will damage the sensor.
- WHITE this is the output signal of the sensor. Connect it to the white input wire on the gauge (channel 1).

EGT CONTROLLER:

- o BLACK -- connect to the same point at which the gauge is grounded.
- RED -- connect this to a source of **switched** +12V power. You can use a switched +12V source under the hood or the same source under the dash as the gauge. See notes for the red wire in the instrument section below.
- YELLOW- this is the output signal of the controller. Connect it to the grey input wire on the gauge (channel 2).



OPERATION

There are 2 settings "sections" - one for gauge configuration, and the other for general operational settings.

General Operational settings:

On normal power-up, you will be in normal operation. Press and hold the button for a few seconds to change the mode. Press and release quickly (tap the button) to change the setting in any mode. After the last mode, the gauge goes back to normal operation. Modes are as follows:

| MODE | DISPLAY | SETTINGS |
|------------------------------------|-----------|--|
| Normal | (Temp) | Channel 1 shown on upper display and channel 2 on lower display, unless |
| | | swapped (see next setting below). |
| Channel swap | Ch1 / Ch2 | Allows you to swap the position of the upper & lower displays if required. |
| Fuel-pressure low alarm threshold | Lo . 9 | Sets the pressure below which an alert is triggered (flashing display) |
| Fuel-pressure high alarm threshold | BP . 1 | Sets the pressure above which an alert is triggered (flashing display) |
| Brightness Regular | Br . 9 | Last digit shows regular brightness level from 1 to 9. |
| Brightness park-lights on | BP . 1 | Last digit shows brightness level with lights on from 1 to 9. |
| Enable configuration mode | Cfg . Off | Set this "On", then power-cycle the gauge to enter configuration mode. |

Configuration mode:

You will normally not need to change any configuration settings, but if you do, to enter configuration mode, set "Cfg" to "On", then power the gauge off and on again and you'll be in the configuration settings. Here, the setting determines which sensor you're using. Leave this at "151" for the 150-PSI fuel-pressure sensor (SEN-F151).

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