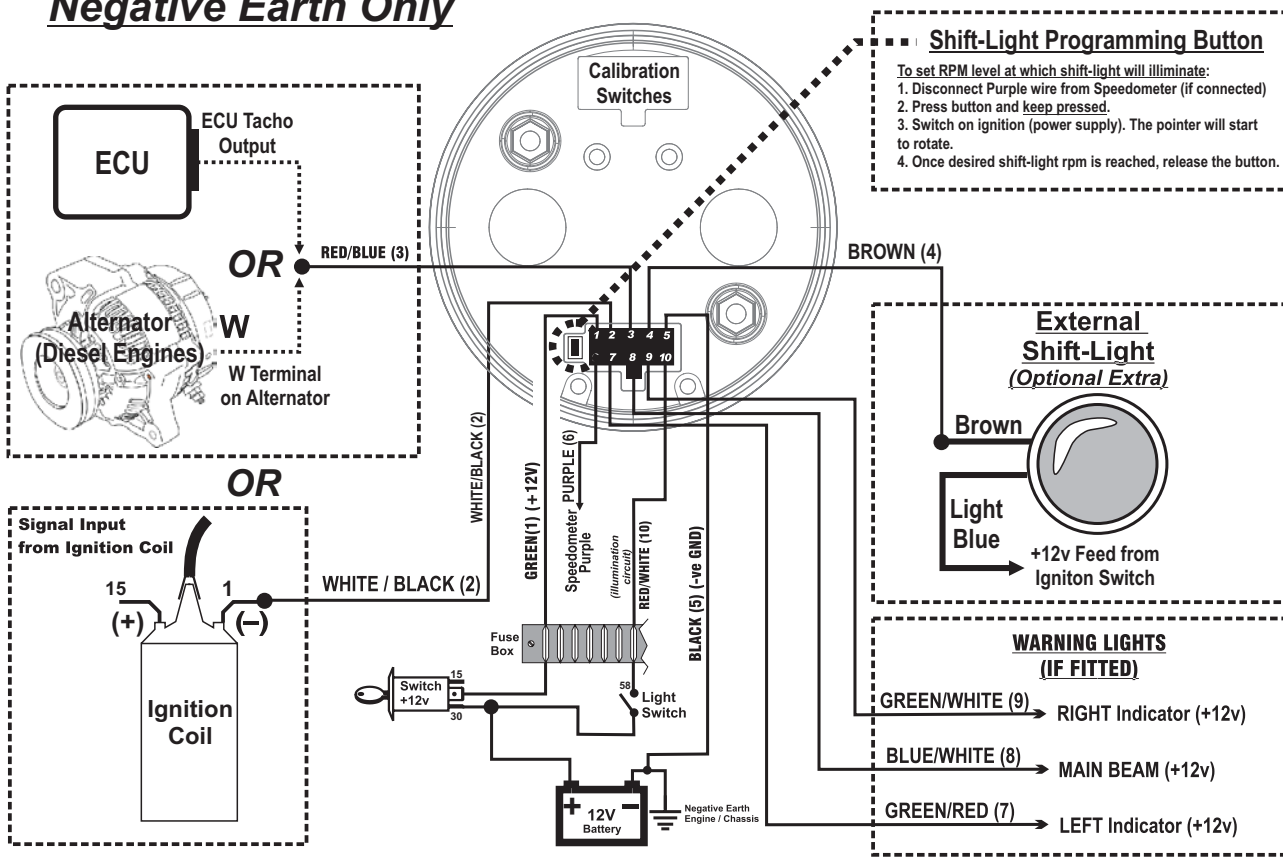


# Electronic Tachometer - #1A-3508/10

**Negative Earth Only**



**Shift-Light Programming Button**  
 To set RPM level at which shift-light will illuminate:  
 1. Disconnect Purple wire from Speedometer (if connected)  
 2. Press button and **keep pressed**.  
 3. Switch on ignition (power supply). The pointer will start to rotate.  
 4. Once desired shift-light rpm is reached, release the button.

## Notes on Installation

### A. Calibration

1. Before installing the tachometer in the vehicle, calibrate the tachometer using the switches on the back of the unit. In order to calibrate the tachometer to match the vehicle, please refer to the switch calibration table on the reverse side of this sheet.

### B. Wiring

2. Always disconnect the battery prior to installation.
3. Connect the BLACK wire on the Tachometer to a good dedicated ground / earth location. (i.e. where the negative (-) battery pole is connected to the chassis of the vehicle.)
4. Connect the GREEN wire on the Tachometer to a switched ignition +12 volt supply via the fuse box. (A 3 Amp fuse is recommended)
5. The signal input should be connected in either of the following ways:-

### Petrol Engines

- a) For conventional contact breaker ignition systems, the White/Black signal wire should be connected to the negative (-ve) side of the Ignition Coil.
- b) Engines using electronic ignition modules or an ECU that have their own output wire for a tachometer - the output should be connected to the Red/Blue signal input wire.  
 (For petrol engines with specialist ignition systems that are not equipped with a conventional ignition coil (e.g. transistor coil ignition systems, electronic and fully electronic ignition systems), please ask for information on the tachometer connection from the manufacturer of the vehicle, engine or ignition system.)

### Diesel Engines

- c) The Red/Blue wire should be connected to the 'W' Terminal on the alternator.

### Wiring / Connection Summary

Pin	Colour	Function
1	GREEN	Positive (+)12v Supply from Ignition Switch via Fuse box
2	WHITE / BLACK	Ignition Coil Input (Negative Side) ((-) or 1))
3	RED / BLUE	ECU Input or Alternator 'W' terminal (diesel engines)
4	BROWN	External Shift Light Control ( <i>Shift-Light Optional Extra</i> )
5	BLACK	Chassis / Battery Negative
6	PURPLE	Illumination Brightness Control via Speedometer ( <i>Optional</i> )
7	GREEN / RED	LEFT Indicator ( <i>if fitted</i> )
8	BLUE / WHITE	MAIN Beam ( <i>if fitted</i> )
9	GREEN / WHITE	RIGHT Indicator ( <i>if fitted</i> )
10	RED / WHITE	Backlight Illumination (+12v Supply from Light switch)

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### Electrical Wiring Safety Instructions for ALL Instruments

- Prior to the actual installation work, the negative pole of the battery must be disconnected first, since otherwise there is danger of creating short circuits. Short circuits can cause cable fires, battery explosions, and damages in other electronic storage systems.
- Connect the cables in accordance with the electrical connection diagram
- Take account of the cable cross section - a reduction in cable cross section results in a higher current density. This can cause the cable to heat up.
- When laying electric cables, use existing cable ducts and routes but without laying cables parallel to ignition or cables leading to high current consumers. Fix the cables with cable tape or adhesive tape.
- Do not route the cables over mobile components.
- Do not fasten cables to the steering column.
- Make sure that the cables are not exposed to tensile, compressive or shear forces.
- If the cables are routed through drilled holes, protect them with rubber sleeves or the like.
- Strip cables only with a cable stripper. Adjust the stripper so that no strands are damaged or severed.
- Crimp connections should only be made with a crimping tool.
- Insulate exposed strands so that no short circuiting can occur.

PLEASE READ FIRST!

**NEGATIVE EARTH ONLY**

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**Calibration**  
 Prior to installing the tachometer in the vehicle, 8 switches on the back of the tachometer are used for calibrating the tachometer.  
 Firstly ensure that the power is disconnected.

**A. Petrol Engines / Coil Input**

PPR = Number of Pulses Per Revolution  
 For single spark systems the PPR Number is effectively 1/2 the number of cylinders:

No. of Cyl.	Single Spark / PPR	Wasted Spark / PPR
1	0.5	1
2	1	2
3	1.5	3
4	2	4
5	2.5	5
6	3	6
8	4	8
10	5	10
12	6	12

**B. Diesel Engines**

For diesel engines using a W terminal on the alternator for signal input, the PPR is calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Crankshaft Pulley Diameter}}{\text{Alternator Pulley Diameter}} \times \text{No. of Alternator Poles}$$

Example - (110mm / 48mm) x 12 = 27.5 PPR

**Switch Setting - 0 = OFF / 1 = ON**

SWITCH NUMBER									Hz/1000
PPR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Hz/1000
0.5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8.33
1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	16.67
1.5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	25.00
2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	33.33
2.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	41.67
3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	50.00
4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	66.67
5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	83.33
6	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	100.00
7	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	116.67
8	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	133.33
8.1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	135.00
8.2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	136.67
8.3	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	138.33
8.4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	140.00
8.5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	141.67
8.6	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	143.33
8.7	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	145.00
8.8	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	146.67
8.9	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	148.33
9	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	150.00
9.1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	151.67
9.2	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	153.33
9.3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	155.00
9.4	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	156.67

SWITCH NUMBER									Hz/1000
PPR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Hz/1000
9.5	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	158.33
9.6	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	160.00
9.7	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	161.67
9.8	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	163.33
9.9	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	165.00
10	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	166.67
10.1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	168.33
10.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	170.00
10.3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	171.67
10.4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	173.33
10.5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	175.00
10.6	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	176.67
10.7	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	178.33
10.8	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	180.00
10.9	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	181.67
11	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	183.33
11.1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	185.00
11.2	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	186.67
11.3	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	188.33
11.4	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	190.00
11.5	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	191.67
11.6	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	193.33
11.7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	195.00
11.8	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	196.67
11.9	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	198.33
12	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	200.00
12.1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	201.67
12.2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	203.33
12.3	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	205.00
12.4	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	206.67
12.5	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	208.33
12.6	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	210.00
12.7	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	211.67
12.8	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	213.33
12.9	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	215.00
13	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	216.67
13.1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	218.33
13.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	220.00
13.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	221.67
13.4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	223.33
13.5	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	225.00
13.6	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	226.67
13.7	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	228.33
13.8	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	230.00
13.9	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	231.67
14	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	233.33

SWITCH NUMBER									Hz/1000
PPR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Hz/1000
14.1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	235.00
14.2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	236.67
14.3	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	238.33
14.4	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	240.00
14.5	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	241.67
14.6	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	243.33
14.7	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	245.00
14.8	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	246.67
14.9	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	248.33
15	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	250.00
15.1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	251.67
15.2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	253.33
15.3	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	255.00
15.4	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	256.67
15.5	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	258.33
15.6	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	260.00
15.7	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	261.67
15.8	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	263.33
15.9	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	265.00
16	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	266.67
16.1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	268.33
16.2	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	270.00
16.3	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	271.67
16.4	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	273.33
16.5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	275.00
16.6	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	276.67
16.7	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	278.33
16.8	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	280.00
16.9	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	281.67
17	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	283.33
17.1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	285.00
17.2	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	286.67
17.3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	288.33
17.4	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	290.00
17.5	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	291.67
17.6	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	293.33
17.7	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	295.00
17.8	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	296.67
17.9	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	298.33
18	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	300.00
18.1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	301.67
18.2	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	303.33
18.3	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	305.00
18.4	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	306.67
18.5	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	308.33
18.6	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	310.00

SWITCH NUMBER									Hz/1000
PPR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Hz/1000
18.7	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	311.67
18.8	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	313.33
18.9	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	315.00
19	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	316.67
19.1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	318.33
19.2	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	320.00
19.3	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	321.67
19.4	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	323.33
19.5	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	325.00
19.6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	326.67
19.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	328.33
19.8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	330.00
19.9	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	331.67
20	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	333.33
20.1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	335.00
20.2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	336.67
20.3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	338.33
20.4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	340.00
20.5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	341.67
20.6	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	343.33
20.7	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	345.00
20.8	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	346.67
20.9	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	348.33
21	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	350.00
21.1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	351.67
21.2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	353.33
21.3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	355.00
21.4	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	356.67
21.5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	358.33
21.6	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	360.00
21.7	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	361.67
21.8	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	363.33
21.9	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	365.00
22	1	1	1	0	1	0	0		