FTI-TLK1 Harness Bulletin - Mis-wired Power Circuits



Overview: The initial production release of the FTI-TLK1 harness has an issue where in some vehicles the secondary power input to the CN1 connector will overload the associated vehicle circuit, causing a fuse to blow. This issue affects the initial release of harnesses and is already being addressed in production. A field correction procedure is detailed below in Figure 1.

Issue: The secondary power circuit can overload some vehicle ignition switch circuits, causing a blown 5A/7.5A AM1 fuse, potentially disabling the vehicle and leaving the consumer stranded. Affected adapters are illustrated below in figure 2.

Corrective steps:

- 1.) Select the applicable CN1 adapter, isolate the RED/WHITE power wire, cut wire approximately 4" from the BLACK plug
- 2.) Insulate the wire still connected to the WHITE plug using heat shrink tubing, and strip the insulation on the other wire end
- 3.) Strip a portion of the insulation from the RED wire, attach the stripped RED/WHITE to the exposed RED wire, solder together
- 4.) Apply insulating tape to the soldered connection and secure the cut ends back to the bundle of wires created by the adapter
- 5.) Correction complete, you may safely proceed to finish your installation

Figure 1: Step by step adapter correction

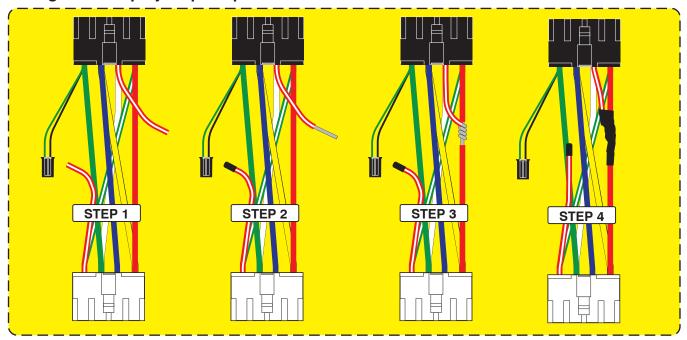
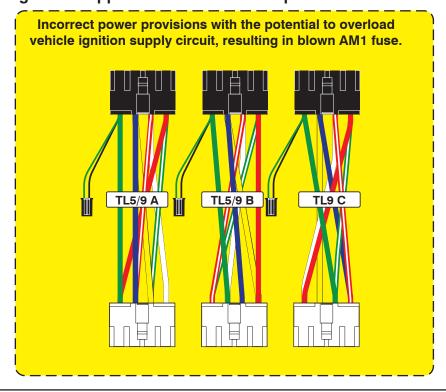


Figure 2: Supplied CN1 Harness Adapters





FTI-TLK1 Type 1A - Vehicle Coverage & Preparation Notes

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Make	Model	Year	Install	CAN	Lights	Adapter	Trunk	I/O Changes
DL-TL1					Park / Auto			Green White/Blue
Pontiac	Vibe 40 bit STD Key	2009-10	Type 1	OBD-II	SW-18	ADPT A		START 2/None
Scion	xB 40 bit STD Key	2008-10	Type 1	OBD-II	SW-18	ADPT A		START 2/None
Toyota Toyota Toyota	Corolla 40 bit STD Key Matrix 40 bit STD Key RAV4 40 bit STD Key	2009-10 2009-10 2006-10	Type 1 Type 1 Type 1	OBD-II OBD-II OBD-II	SW-18 SW-18 SW-18/19	ADPT A ADPT A ADPT A		START 2/None START 2None START 2/None

Hey! Read this stuff before you start the installation...

Firmware: Covered vehicles use BLADE-AL(DL)-TL1, flash module and update the controller firmware before installing.

Install: Covered vehicles require using the TL 5/9 A CN1 adapter, using any other adapter will result in malfunction.

CAN: CAN data connections are located at the OBD-II connector, CANH (pin #6), CANL (pin #14), along with the ground connection at pin #4. *Please ensure solid wire to wire connections are used.*

Lights: Parking light negative is located at the parking light switch connector, pin #18 of the 20-pin connector. If vehicle is equipped with Auto-lights, additional wiring and a relay will be required.

I/O Changes: Listed vehicles require changing the controller output from Parking Light to START, CM7x00 controllers move jumper 3 to STARTER position, CM900 controllers set feature option 1-6 to 2. If issues arise disarming the OEM alarm during remote start, set option 1-01 to 2.

Harness Modification (Pro Tip): Installation with the TL1 BLADE harness requires extending a ground and CAN connections to the OBD-II connector. A slight modification to the harness is detailed below, please refer to the step-by-step procedure illustrated.

Okay, now get to work...

