SBM750-B Seat Belt Minder 2013 Dodge Ram 2500-5500 All Engines



Introduction

The SBM750 Seat Belt Minder monitors the driver's seat belt buckle whenever the vehicle's ignition key is in Run. It provides two complimentary outputs which indicate the status of the drivers seat belt. One output is high true (12V) and the other is low true (ground) when the drivers seat belt is buckled. Either output can be connected to monitoring equipment as desired. These outputs are capable of sourcing/sinking 0.5 Amps.

IMPORTANT—READ BEFORE INSTALLATION

It is the installer's responsibility to route and secure all wiring harnesses where they cannot be damaged by sharp objects, mechanical moving parts and high heat sources. Failure to do so could result in damage to the system or vehicle and create possible safety concerns for the operator and passengers. Avoid placing the module where it could encounter strong magnetic fields from high current cabling connected to motors, solenoids, etc. Avoid radio frequency energy from antennas or inverters next to the module. Avoid high voltage spikes in vehicle wiring by always using diode clamped relays when installing upfitter circuits.

Installation Instructions

The module plugs into the vehicle's OBDII connector, which is located on the bottom edge of the lower left dash panel. Remove the lower dash panel below the steering column area and find a suitable location to mount the module. Actual mounting is the last step in the installation. Find a location away from heat, etc., where the harnessing won't be damaged by the tilt steering wheel, or Park Brake mechanism. Plan to leave the module hanging down until installation and testing is completed so the diagnostic LEDs can be observed if needed. Screws or Velcro or double backed tape may be used to mount the module when finished testing.

Data Link Harness

- 1. Locate the vehicle OBDII Data Link Connector. It's a White 16 pin connector around the area above the drivers left foot.
- 2. Use a flat screwdriver to remove the OEM OBDII connector. There are tabs on the sides of the connector that allow it to snap into place. Press the tabs and push the connector up and out of its bracket. The SBM kit includes a Data Link harness (see picture). Plug the red connector from the SBM Data Link Harness into the vehicle's OBDII connector. Ensure the connection is fully seated and secured with the supplied wire tie.
- 3. Mount the white connector from the SBM Data Link Harness in the former location of the vehicle's OBDII connector, by snapping it into place.



SBM Data Link harness "T's" into OBDII connector.

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8 Pin Connector

 Pin 3, Orange wire on the 8 pin connector will provide a ground output whenever the driver's seat belt is buckled and the key is in the On position. When the driver's seat belt is unbuckled, pin 3 will output a VBAT signal (key in Run). This VBAT signal is suppressed by 0.7 Amps due to a 1N4005 diode included in the harness.



- 2. **Pin 7** (no wire installed, see last page for connector pin definitions) of the 8 pin connector will output VBAT (12V) whenever the driver's seat belt is buckled and the key is in Run. When the driver's seat belt is unbuckled, pin 7 will provide a ground output. This pin is considered optional usage and has no wire installed in this position of the connector.
- 3. Extend the output wire as needed and connect to monitoring equipment.
- 4. Plug the 8 pin connector into the SBM750 module.

Post Installation Test

Energize the SBM module by plugging in the 4-pin Data Link connector into the module.

Turn the ignition switch to Run (engine off).



Enter the module's Diagnostic Mode by shorting the two Test pads together on the module. This can be done carefully with a screwdriver or other metallic object. The LED's on the module will become active in Diagnostic Mode:

- The amber "Status" LED will be On when in Diagnostic Mode
- LED 3 will be On when the ignition switch is in Run/Crank
- LED 4 will be On when the drivers seat belt is buckled.
- Cycling the ignition switch will exit Diagnostic Mode



If the SBM fails to respond with the correct LEDs or the output pins do not track the seat belt buckle properly,

- Ensure that you are installing the system in the correct make and model year vehicle listed at the top of page 1
- Recheck wiring and if necessary, call

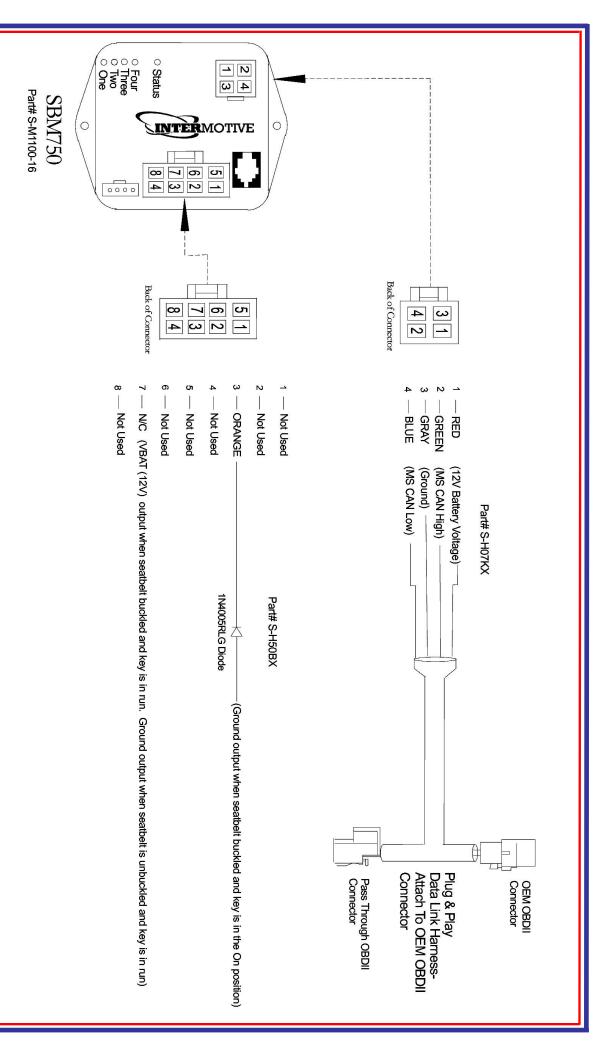
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Mount the SBM750 Module

If the module works properly as described above, then route and secure the harnesses under the dash, making sure they do not hang below the dash area. Mount the SBM module as described on page one with screws, Velcro, or double sided tape.

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If the SBM750 fails any step in the Post Installation Test, review the installation instructions and check all connections. If necessary, call InterMotive Technical Support at (530) 823-1048.