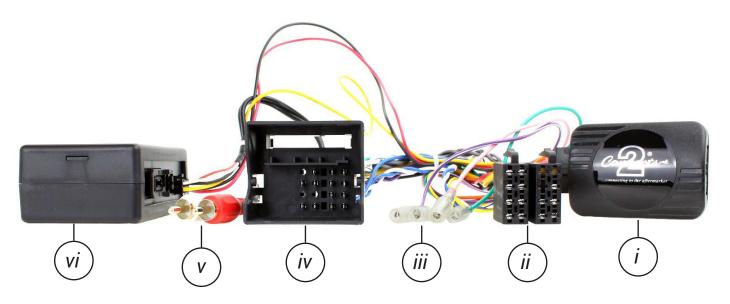


Steering Wheel Control Interface for select Mercedes Benz vehicles



Right to Left:
i. Interface Box
ii. ISO Power Connector
iii. Additional Wired Connections

iv. Vehicle Specific Power Connector v. White/Red RCA Connector

vi. Amp Interface Box



APPLICATION ___

Note: Application data is subject to change at any time

Mercedes Benz C Class (W204) 2007 - 2012 Mercedes Benz E Class (W212) 2009 - 2012

For OEM amplified systems.

FEATURES _____

- Retains Factory Steering Wheel Control Functionality
- Retains Factory Phone Button Functionality
- Retains OEM Amplified System
- Provides Outputs for Park Brake, Speed Pulse, Reverse Gear & Mute
- Software Updatable (contact supplier for more information)

DISCLAIMER

The information provided in this document is subject to change without notice due to manufacturer changes and/or improvements to the product/s. This instruction manual is based on documented data and research. The manufacturer of this product cannot be held responsible for any changes made to the vehicle by the manufacturer or damages that may occur through the installation of this product in accordance with the steps outlined herein.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

CTSMC016.2

The CTSMC016.2 is a CAN Bus steering wheel control interface for select Mercedes Benz vehicles. This interface aids the retention of crucial steering wheel controls and phone button functionality.

Note: New stereo must have RCA audio out connectors

WIRING KEY

IN ISO CONNECTOR

Purple Right Rear Speaker + Yellow Permanent 12V Purple/Black Right Rear Speaker -Black Ground Left Rear Speaker + **Ignition 12V** Green Red Left Rear Speaker -Illumination Green/Black Orange Right Front Speaker + Grey

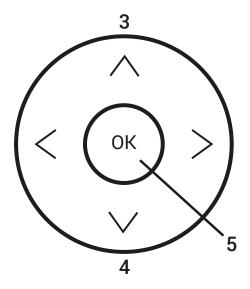
Grey/Black Right Front Speaker -White Left Front Speaker + White/Black Left Front Speaker -

ADDITIONAL CONNECTIONS

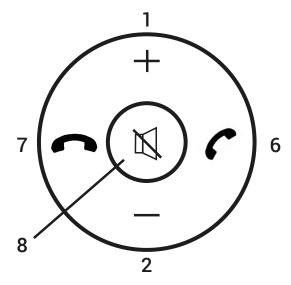
Pink Speed Pulse Pink/Black Mute Green Park Brake Red/White RCA AUX Audio Purple Reverse

STEERING WHEEL CONTROL FUNCTIONALITY

The following diagram, though based on careful research, is an example only. Individual steering wheel control configurations may differ.



- 1. Volume Up
- 2. Volume Down
- 3. Track Up
- 4. Track Down



- 5. Source
- 6. Pick Up
- 7. Hang Up
- 8. Mute

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PRIOR TO INSTALLATION

Read the manual prior to installation. Technical knowledge is necessary for installation. The place of installation must be free of moisture and away from heat sources. Please ensure that the correct tools are used during the installation to avoid damage to the vehicle or product.

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INSTALLATION GUIDE

See wiring diagram on Pg.4 for more information

Before installing the interface, the factory stereo must be removed and disconnected. To do this, please consult the vehicle owner's manual/handbook or contact a fitting professional.

A stereo connection (patch) lead is also required for the installation of this interface (supplied seperately). Please ensure that you have the correct lead before proceeding. For universal patch leads, prepare the wiring loops in accordance with the instruction manual supplied with the product before installation.

- 1. Connect the 12 Pin connector from the stereo connection (patch) lead to the interface box.
- 2. Connect the opposite end of the stereo connection (patch) lead to the steering wheel control input on the back of the aftermarket stereo.

NOTE: This may be a 3.5mm jack connector or a wired input depending on the brand of aftermarket stereo being fitted. Please consult the aftermarket stereo installation manual for further information on where to make the connection



- 3. Connect the 14 Pin connector from the supplied wiring loom to the interface box
- 4. Connect the power/speaker ISO connector to the power/speaker ISO connector at the rear of the aftermarket stereo

NOTE: For aftermarket stereos which <u>do not</u> have an ISO connector, please see "Wiring Key" on Pg.2 for information on which wires to connect. Some interfaces may also have additional 'flying' wires which can be connected to the vehicle to support various features ie. parking brake trigger, reverse gear and speed pulse. Details of these can be found under 'Additional Connections'.

- 5. Connect the additional flying wires & AUX connectors to the back of the aftermarket head unit's wiring harness where required.
- 6. Remove the car display connector from the vehicle and plug into the amp interface box. (Remove the dust cover from the interface before making the connection).
- 7. Connect the vehicle specific power connector on the supplied harness to the matching OEM connector of the vehicle.
- 8. Test stereo and steering wheel control functionality for correct operation before reassembling the vehicle dashboard. If steering wheel control functions are unresponsive, please uninstall the interface and wiring and reinstall carefully in accordance with the above steps.

For further help and support, please contact us directly at support.connects2.com/tickets/technical and fill out a support ticket with the full details of your issue.

