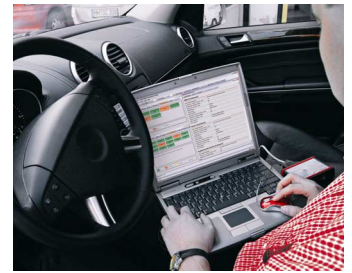


Applying Diagnostics made easy in Vehicle Development

Indigo is the name of the new tool for users applying diagnostics in automotive development



Stuttgart, 2008-06-02 – A quick overview of vehicle status and uncomplicated access to diagnostic data: That is what Indigo – the new diagnostic tester from Vector – has to offer. Especially on test drives, its simple menuing proves to be exceptionally helpful, letting users complete their diagnostic tasks with a minimum number of commands.

The Indigo diagnostic tester essentially configures itself. It offers the user a use-case driven perspective of diagnostics without having to address the details of the complex diagnostic protocols. Users can execute their diagnostic tasks in ECU development without in-depth knowledge of these protocols. Indigo guides users in solving their tasks: It quickly works toward a solution, beginning with various total vehicle views and progressing to specific detailed views.

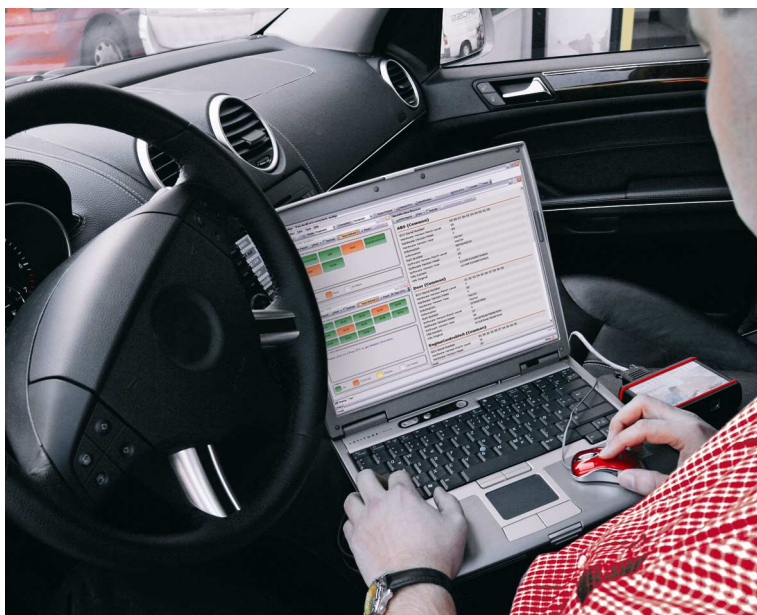
Indigo is parameterized via ODX or CANdela data. Its clear distinction between configuration mode and diagnostic mode ensures that the configured project and settings are not changed inadvertently. The configuration mode offers users many tester configuration options before the actual diagnostics is run.

During diagnostics in the actual diagnostic mode, the graphical user interface provides information on the status of the vehicle ECUs. In this mode, the user has direct access to the fault memory, identification data of the ECUs and identified diagnostic trouble codes (DTCs).

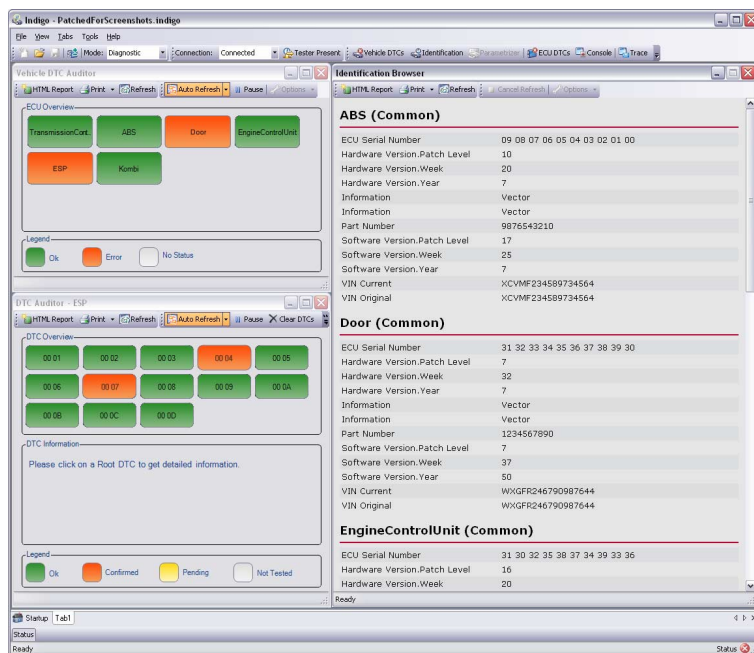
The ability to analyze the data at a later time is especially important at test drives. This can be done by buffering the acquired data in a structured form (Reports) for later data analysis or archiving for documentation purposes.

User control is simplified by “keyboard shortcuts” that also complement Indigos use in test drives.

For further information on the Internet go to: www.odx-solutions.com/tools



[Figure 1: Simple diagnostic test using Indigo at test drives]



[Figure 2: Indigo: Quick overview of the status of ECUs]

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