Engine diagnosis warning lamp lights up in instrument cluster, fault code U145400: "Implausible data were received from the ethanol sensor"

Topic number	L107.08-P-060993
Version	4
Design group	07.08 Control modules
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Validity	Vehicles A/C207, W/S212, W166, X204 with engine M276
Reason for change	remedy updated
Reason for block	

Complaint:

<u>Check Engine Lamp is Illuminated in the instrument cluster.</u>

DTC U145400 "Implausible data were received from the ethanol sensor" is stored in the fault memory of the ME control unit.

Without any other complaints related engine running characteristics.

Cause:

A software error in the ME control unit.

Remedy:

The ME Control Unit software should be updated to the latest available software via Xentry.

For Model 204 use add-on:

4388 for 12/2014 Xentry DVD

4389 for 03/2015 Xentry DVD

Note

Prior to attempting the software update, please ensure all available add-ons are install on the Xentry unit.

Symptoms

Power generation / Engine management / Engine management indicator lamp / Engine diagnosis / lit

Control unit/fault code		
Control unit	Fault code	Fault text

XENTRY

ME - Motor electronics	Implausible data were received from the ethanol sensor
'MED177' for combustion engi-	
ne 'M276' (N3/10)	

Work units				
Op. no.	Operation text	Time	Damage code	Note
54-0650	BATTERY CHARGER / MAINTAIN VOLTAGE		54575 90	
54-1011	QUICK TEST		54575 90	
54-0991	SOFTWARE FOR ENGINE CONTROL UNIT		54575 90	

Validity		
Vehicle	Engine	Transmission
E (207)	276.957	722
E (212)	276.952	722
GLK (204)	276.957	722
M/GLE (166)	276.955	722