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Taycan – Deactivating Power-Line Communication (PLC) during PDI

Vehicles Affected

Models	Model Year	Model Type	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment
Taycan	As of 2020 up to 2021	Y1A	N/A	US only

Revision History

Revision	Release Date	Changes
0	January 29, 2021	Original document

Condition

The 12-volt battery may be discharged in conjunction with the high-voltage charging process on Taycan vehicles. **Therefore, it is recommended to deactivate the Power-Line Communication (PLC) function of the Porsche Mobile Charger Plus / Porsche Mobile Charger Connect during Pre-Delivery Inspection (PDI)** until a software solution is released.

This document will be deleted after release of the software solution expected in the first quarter of 2021.

Technical Background

Communication between the high-voltage charger and the vehicle is maintained under certain conditions, resulting in increased current consumption of the 12-volt battery.

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Service Information

Deactivate the Power Line Communication (PLC) of the Porsche Mobile Charger Plus / Porsche Mobile Charger Connect via the web application using the internet browser of a PC, tablet or smartphone. **This can only be performed by logging in as a "Customer Service" / "Web Tech " user.**

- 1) Log into the Mobile Charger Connect Web App as a Customer Service / Web Tech User. Reference ATI 9 2016 "Porsche Mobile Charger Connect Diagnosis and utilizing the Web Application" for further information
- 2) Select "Connections" "PLC connection to the vehicle"
- 3) Switch "Powerline Communication" and "PLC connection to the vehicle" to "Inactive"
- 4) Verify normal functionality of the charging hardware when connected to the vehicle. The time required to start charging after plugging in will likely improve with deactivation of "PLC Connection to vehicle" (from 45 seconds to 5 seconds, for example)

PLC is primarily used in conjunction with the optional Home Energy Management System (HEMS) offered by Porsche. The HEMS is not available in the USA at the time of this publication. Therefore, deactivating PLC does not change the basic functionality of the charging hardware.

Please also observe the relevant section in the charger operating instructions. A quick tutorial can be found at https://www.porsche.com/usa/aboutporsche/e-performance/service-and-support/ by selecting Tutorials, then Mobile Charger Connect or Connect Web Application.

Porsche Mobile Charger Connect Web Application				
Overview Charging Connec	tions Settings			
WiFi Powerline Communication	PLC connection to the vehicle			
PLC connection to the vehicle	PLC connection to the vehicle Inactive			
မှ Energy manager	You can deactivate the PLC connection to your vehicle. When inactive, no data is transferred between the vehicle and the charging device.			
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Warranty

No warranty work is described herein.

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