

**PORSCHE Front Dashcam 718 Boxster with XWN Pre-installation**



**Information**

Please pass all this information on to the customer.

Also give the customer a copy of the first pages of these Installation and Conversion Instructions, including the legal regulations.

Restrictions: Approved for the following markets/countries:

- USA (C02) and Canada (C36)

Model Year: **As of 2023**

Cause: **Retrofitting**



**Information**



*Figure 1*

Note: The Porsche front camera (dashcam) is affixed to the **LEFT** of the interior mirror (viewed in direction of travel) on the windshield and is connected to the vehicle electrical system.

It is ideal for making video recordings of driving situations and while parking. It can be configured and operated using a related app on your smartphone.

Recorded videos are stored on the supplied SD card and previous recordings are overwritten.

If the dashcam detects a shake/vibration or if the radar sensor is triggered, the recorded video is stored separately and not overwritten. Recordings can be downloaded directly from the SD card or via the app.



### Information

#### Important information for customers/customer advisors

- Ask customers to download and install the "Porsche Dashcam App" from the App Store (Apple or Google Play) on their device (smartphone/tablet) in advance.

#### For vehicle handover:

- Together with the customer, check whether a firmware update via "Porsche Dashcam App" is necessary. Perform the firmware update together if necessary.
- Together with the customer, choose the "Region/State/Country" by selecting the relevant flag and format the SD card.

#### Other information for the customer:

- The customer is responsible for choosing the right "Region/State/Country"!
- After crossing a national border: Update the "Region/State/Country" (see also conditions of use for this topic)

Part Info: **9Y0.044.950** ⇒ PORSCHE front camera (dashcam), set

#### Always order at the same time:

Parts Info: **9Y0.044.955.D** ⇒ Wiring harness for front camera 1800 mm  
**N.017.131.16** ⇒ Blade-type fuse, 5 amp

Parts List:

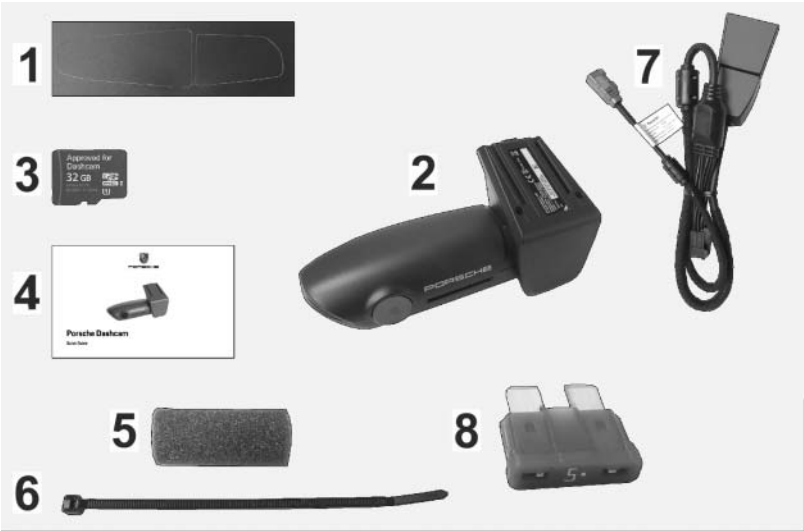


Figure 2

— — —	1 x	3M privacy film (front & rear camera) ⇒ <i>Figure 2-1-</i>
9Y0.088.070	1 x	Front camera ⇒ <i>Figure 2-2-</i>
— — —	1 x	Micro SD memory card (32 GB, plugged into front camera) ⇒ <i>Figure 2-3-</i>
9Y0.044.955.D	1 x	Wiring harness for front camera, 1800 mm <b>not included in set; order separately</b> ⇒ <i>Figure 2-4-</i>
— — —	7 x	Tie-wrap, 145 x 3.6 x 1.1 ⇒ <i>Figure 2-5-</i>
— — —	3 x	Protective foam (Ø approx. 29 x 74) ⇒ <i>Figure 2-6-</i>
N .017.131.16	1 x	5A blade-type fuse <b>not included in set, order separately</b> ⇒ <i>Figure 2-7-</i>
— — —	1 x	PORSCHE dashcam operating instructions ⇒ <i>Figure 2-8-</i>

Repair Kits:

**ONLY** when replacing the windshield:

9Y0.044.931	1 x	“Adhesive pad” repair kit, includes:
— — —	1 x	Adhesive pad on front camera retainer plate (grey)
— — —	1 x	Adhesive pad for rear camera (grey)
— — —	1 x	3M privacy film (front & rear camera) ⇒ <i>Figure 2-1-</i>

Technical details:

- Video recording in Quad High Definition (QHD)
- Lens with polarisation filter to reduce reflections and improve colors and contrasts
- Audio recording (can be deactivated)
- Global positioning system (GPS) - sensor
- Vibration sensor
- Radar sensor for video recording when an object is approaching the vehicle
- Bracket for the windshield for fixed mounting on the vehicle

Materials:	— — —	1 x	Auxiliary line (Tekalan or Teflon hose) approx. 1,500 mm long
	— — —	1 x	Wrapping/insulating tape (commercially available)
	— — —	1 x	Cleaning cloth (commercially available)
	— — —	1 x	Isopropanol (commercially available)

Tool:

**9900 - PIWIS Tester 3/4**

Tablet, smartphone or PC with Internet access

Marking pencil/chalk

Flashlight

Plastic squeegee

- Assembly:
- 1 Preliminary work
    - 1.1 Clean inside and outside of the windshield.
    - 1.2 Connect a battery charger. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Charge battery/vehicle electrical system'*.
    - 1.3 Expose front roof/(interior) rear-view mirror area
      - 1.3.1 Remove cover for interior mirror. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing interior rear-view mirror'*
      - 1.3.2 Remove (left) sun visor. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing interior rear-view mirror'*
    - 1.4 Expose A-pillar (left) and dashboard area.
      - 1.4.1 Remove A-pillar (left). ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Remove and install A-pillar trim panel'*
      - 1.4.2 Remove dashboard trim panel (at the left). ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing dashboard trim panel'*
      - 1.4.3 Remove lower cover dashboard (left). ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing front side-section trim panel'*

- 2 Install PORSCHE front camera (dashcam) in the vehicle

Overview of installation position  $\Rightarrow$  *Figure 3*.



*Figure 3*

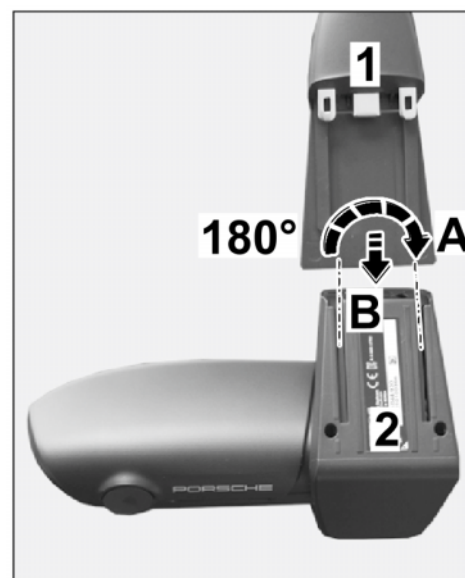
- 1 – Installation position of dashcam
- 2 – Position of connection point

- 2.1 Position front camera (dashcam) to the **LEFT** of the interior mirror on the windshield in direction of travel

- 2.1.1 Install retainer plate with wire harness on the base of the front camera until the locking mechanism engages ( $\Rightarrow$  *Figure 4*).

- 1 – Retainer plate with wire harness
- 2 – Front camera base

- 2.1.2 Trace the outline of the interior mirror ( $\Rightarrow$  *Illustration may be different, check dimensions -1-*) on the outside of the windshield using a marking pencil/chalk.



*Figure 4*

**Information**

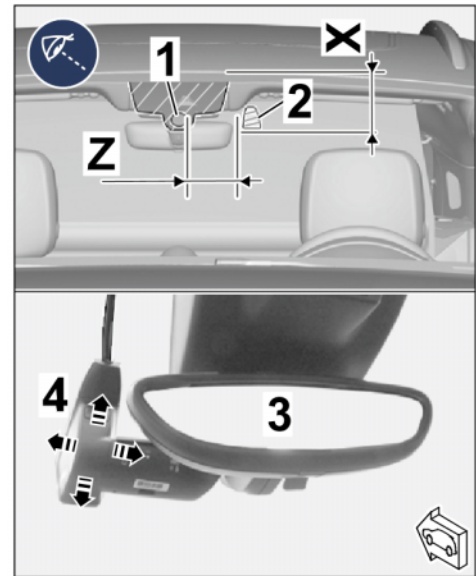
Observe the following points during positioning/alignment:

- 1 – Outline of rain sensor
- 2 – Outline of front camera base
- 3 – Interior mirror
- 4 – Front camera
- X – 231 mm/ 9.09 in
- Z – 26 mm/ 1.02 in

- 2.1.3 Copy dimensions X and Z on the windshield.

Dimension X = distance from lower edge of outline of front camera base to edge of roof: **Length 231 mm / 9.09 in**

Dimension Z = distance from inner edge of outline of front camera base to inner edge of outline of rain sensor: **Length 26 mm / 1.02 in**



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check dimensions*

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Observe the following points during positioning/alignment:

- Sufficient distance between front camera and interior mirror base: at least 5 mm/ 0.2 in!
- Get another person standing in front of the vehicle to check and confirm the horizontal alignment of the camera with the PORSCHE logo!

- 2.1.4 Position front camera with retainer plate in the vehicle at the marking on the windshield.
- 2.1.5 Get another person to trace and shade in the outline of the retainer plate on the outside of the windshield using a marking pencil/chalk.
- 2.1.6 Clean the inside of the windshield in the bonding area for the retainer plate (shaded area) to remove any dust and grease.

## 2.2 Install front camera (dashcam) on the windshield

### NOTICE

#### Adhesive films not prepared/installed correctly

- Damage to adhesive films
  - Inadequate adhesion of adhesive films
- ⇒ Carefully clean the areas on which you intend to stick the film to ensure that all traces of oil, grease and silicone are completely removed.
- ⇒ Do not touch the bonding surfaces.
- ⇒ Object (adhesive film, vehicle, etc.) and ambient temperature: Minimum temperature 15°C / 59°F.

2.2.1 Pull 3M privacy film off the backing sheet (⇒ *Figure 6 -A-*).

- 1 – 3M privacy film
- 2 – Marked bonding surface
- 3 – Interior mirror base

2.2.2 Position 3M privacy film on the marked bonding surface on the windshield (⇒ *Figure 6 -B-*).

2.2.3 Carefully affix 3M privacy film using a plastic squeegee, starting from the center and moving towards the edge.

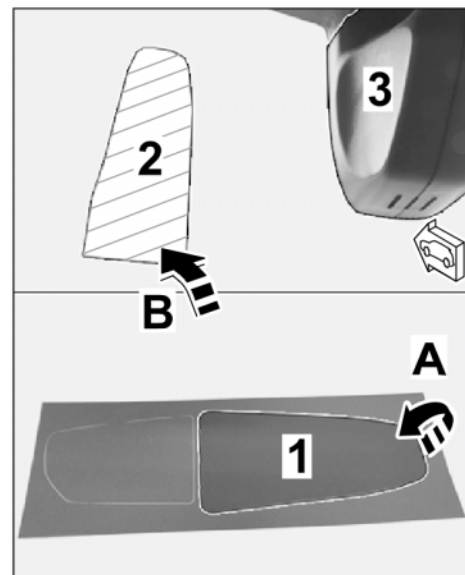


Figure 6

2.2.4 Pull protective film off the front camera retainer plate (⇒ *Figure 6-A-*).

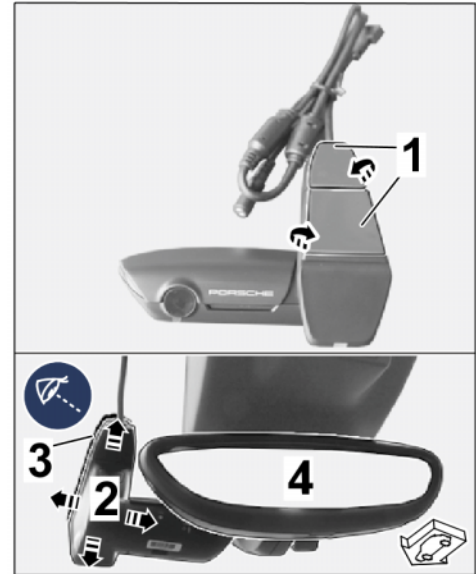
- 1 – Protective film
- 2 – Front camera
- 3 – 3M privacy film
- 4 – Interior mirror



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Observe the following points during positioning/alignment:

- Sufficient distance between front camera and interior mirror base: at least 5 mm/ 0.2 in!
- Get another person standing in front of the vehicle to check and confirm the horizontal alignment of the camera with the PORSCHE logo!



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check dimensions*

Align front camera with retainer plate symmetrically with respect to the 3M privacy film (⇒ *Illustration may be different, check dimensions -Bottom-*).

2.2.5 Press front camera with retainer plate firmly onto the 3M privacy film on the windshield.

### 3 Route and connect electric wire harness

Line routing (⇒ *Figure 3*):

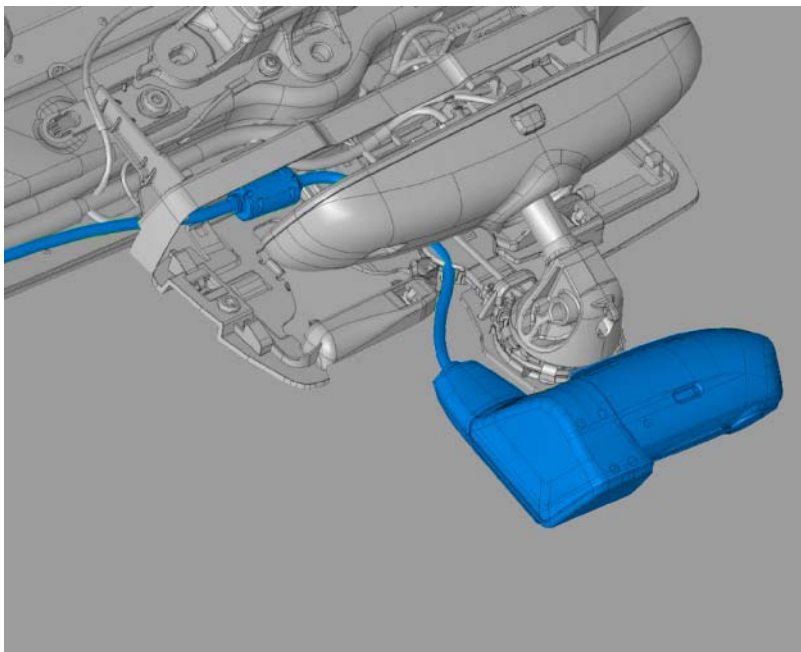
- Front camera → headliner/roof console → along windshield frame → left A-pillar (top) → along A-pillar → fuse carrier on dashboard, left → disconnection point DashCam wiring harness.

#### 3.1 Routing wire harness

- 3.1.1 On the connector side, push one protective foam roll onto the wire harness for the front camera retainer plate and the (3-wire) wire harness.
- 3.1.2 Connect plug connection (6-pin).
- 3.1.3 Guide wire harness for front camera (dashcam) vertically with respect to the headliner/roof console.
- 3.1.4 The following illustrations show the routing paths under the roof console. The foam part that must be installed over the wiring harness is marked **1** in the pictures. On the NAR variants, the video line is always routed through the roof console.



On the NAR variants, the video line is **always** routed under the roof console and attached to the existing wiring harness.



*Routing path NAR*

Secure (6-pin) plug connection and connection for front camera wiring harness to existing components/lines under the headliner in the roof console area with tie-wraps. Protective foam roll must also be wrapped around the connection.

- 3.1.5 Route rest of wire harness to left fuse box.
- 3.2 Connect electric wire harness coming from DashCam to wiring harness ⇒ *Figure 7-1*-preparation

Function/line:	Connection point for LHD vehicles
Power supply	Connect wiring harness to preparation under left fuse box ⇒ <i>Figure 7-1</i> -
Left fuse box	Fuse row B F9 Fuse box left <b>5A fuse</b>



Figure 7

3.2.1 Connect power supply accordingly.

3.2.2 Protect the power supply to the front camera with a new fuse, slot B F9 with a **5A fuse**.

Fuse: **Setpoint value 5 A**

3.3 Secure routed wire harness to existing lines/components in the vehicle with tie-wraps without tensile stress and so that no chafing occurs.

Secure excess video line.

## 4 Step 4.1 only necessary for NAR variants, otherwise continue with 4.2

- 4.1 File down mirror cover using a round file. Manufacture a cable guide. ⇒ *File down the area around the line output -1-*
- 4.2 Install cover for interior mirror. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing interior rear-view mirror'*
- 4.3 Install sun visors. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing sun visor'*
- 4.4 Install A-pillar left. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing A-pillar trim panel (upper part)'*
- 4.5 Install fuse box cover on the left. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing front side-section trim panel'*
- 4.6 Install lower dashboard cover. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing dashboard trim panel'*
- 4.7 Install dashboard trim panel at the left. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'Removing and installing dashboard trim panel'*
- 4.8 Clean inside and outside of the windshield.



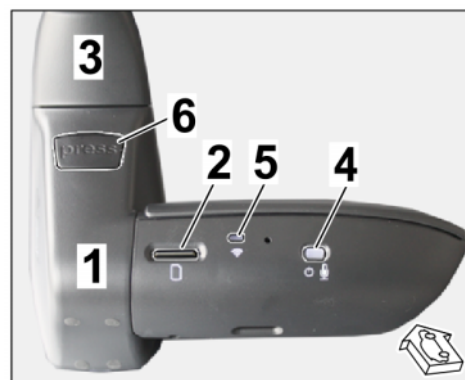
*File down the area around the line output*

Coding:

## 5 Code the PORSCHE front camera (dashcam) in Dealer mode

### 5.1 Preliminary work

- 1 – PORSCHE front camera
- 2 – Micro SD memory card (32 GB)
- 3 – Retainer plate
- 4 – Power button
- 5 – WiFi status LED display
- 6 – PRESS (release button)



*DashCam overview*

- 5.1.1 Remove micro SD memory card (32 GB, ⇒ *DashCam overview -2-*) from card slot for front camera.
- 5.1.2 With the ignition switched on, push the front camera (dashcam ⇒ *DashCam overview -1-*) into the retainer plate on the windshield (⇒ *DashCam overview -3-*)
- 5.1.3 Press the power button (⇒ *DashCam overview -4-*) for 10 seconds until you hear the second double beeping sound.
- 5.1.4 The front camera (dashcam) starts in Dealer mode: WiFi LED (⇒ *DashCam overview -5-*) lights up "yellow".

## 5.2 Connect the front camera (dashcam) to the device (tablet, smartphone or PC)



### Information

The "Dealer mode" network ID name ends with a "D". A password is **NOT** required!

The language setting can be changed by following the menu prompts after opening the first page.

5.2.1 Search available networks for Dealer mode WiFi.

5.2.2 Open Dealer mode on the device (tablet, smartphone or PC) using any browser.

To do this, enter "**192.168.1.1/diagnostics**" in the browser's address line.

5.2.3 Displays in "Dealer mode" main menu:

Options:

- 1 – Browser's address line
- 2 – "Options" menu item

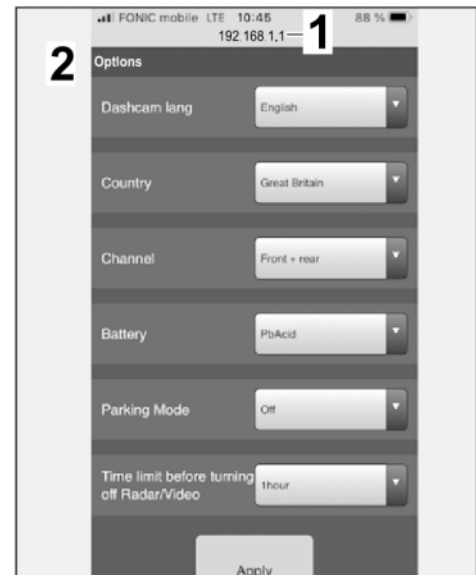


Figure 7

Diagnostics:

- 1 – Browser's address line
- 2 – "Diagnostics" menu item

5.3 Basic settings for front camera (dashcam) in the "Options" menu item

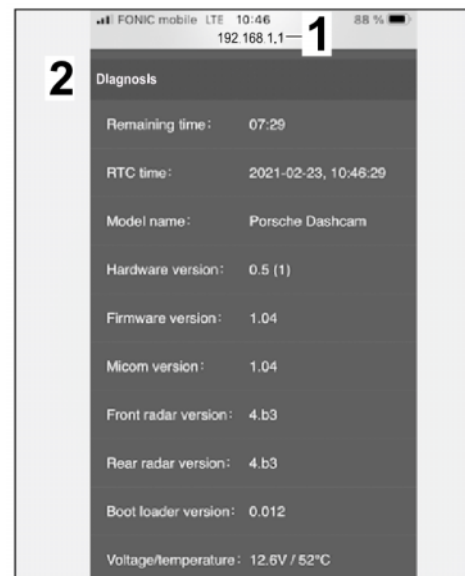


Figure 8

5.3.1 Change the default language "English" to the desired language:

- 1 – Default language "English"
- 2 – German

Example: German

- Up to 19 different languages can be selected.

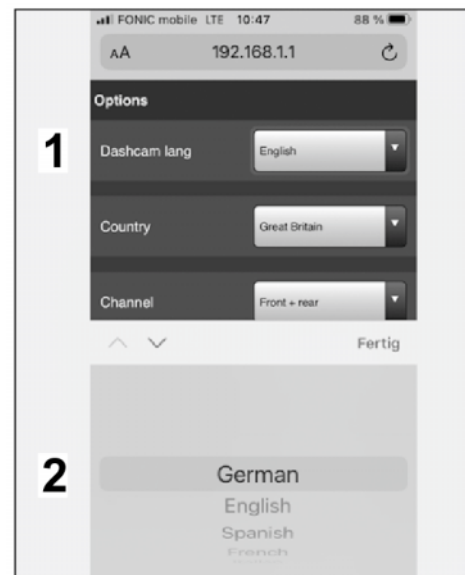


Figure 9

## 5.3.2 Select the country.

- 1 – Serial number of front camera (dashcam)
- 2 – Country
- 3 – Great Britain

- Up to 48 countries are currently available for selection.
- The Country selection screen includes, for example: Units of measurement, frequencies and also legal regulations of the respective country.
- **718:** ⇒ Choose Region/State/Country by selecting the appropriate flag.



Figure 10

## 5.3.3 Select the required camera channel.

- 1 – Channel
  - 2 – Front + Rear
- **TEQUIPMENT:** ⇒ "Front Only" (front camera) is preset.

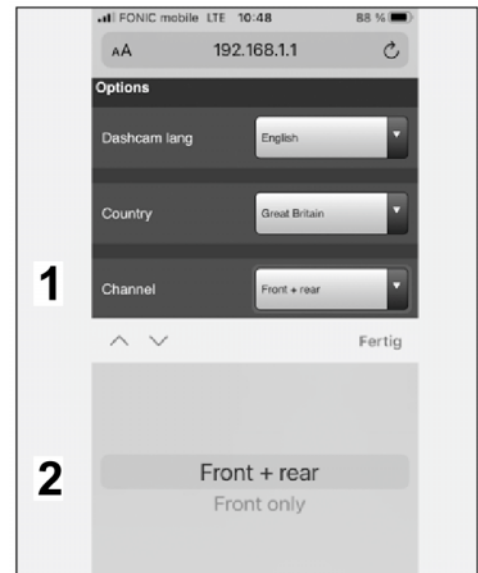


Figure 11



## Information

Check which vehicle electrical system battery is installed in the vehicle if necessary by entering the vehicle identification number (VIN) in the Porsche Central Service System (PCSS).

**Background:** The front camera shuts down if the correct battery voltage (switch-off threshold) is not reached over a period of 5 minutes.

- Switch-off threshold for lead-acid battery (PbAcid) = 11 V
- Switch-off threshold for lithium-ion battery (LiFePO) = 13 V

### 5.3.4 Select the battery type

- 1 – Battery
  - 2 – PbAcid
- Select the vehicle electrical system battery installed in the vehicle.
  - **718:** ⇒ Lead-acid battery (PbAcid) or LiFePo, please check equipment

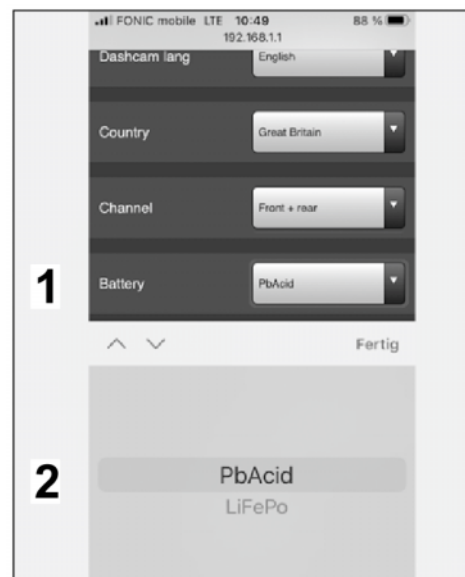


Figure 12

## 5.3.5 Select Park mode

- 1 – Park mode
  - 2 – Off
- Depending on the approval for the respective vehicle.
  - **718:** ⇒ "Off" if **one** 70 Ah battery I-no. 195 is installed, otherwise On.

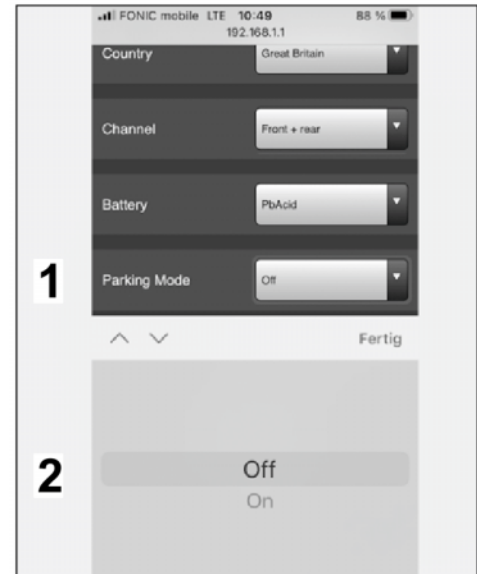


Figure 13

## 5.3.6 Select the time limit

- 1 – Time limit until radar/video is switched off
  - 2 – 1 hour
- Turn off radar/video monitoring in Park mode (battery management). After the selected time limit, fast activation of the monitoring system ONLY occurs if the vehicle shakes/vibrates!
  - **718:** ⇒ "Off" if **one** 70 Ah battery I-no. 195 is installed, otherwise On.

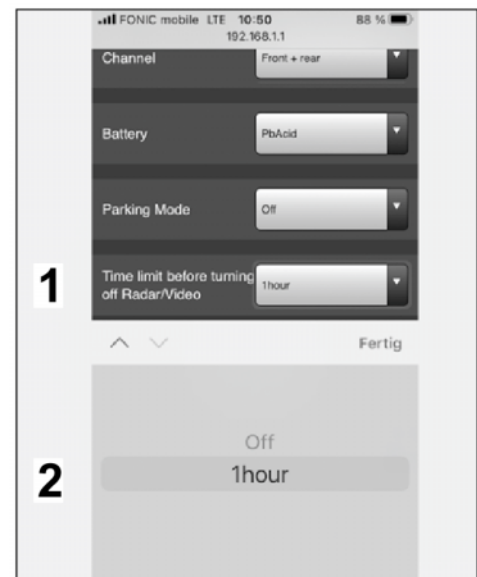


Figure 14

## 5.4 Cancel Dealer mode (WiFi LED is still yellow)

- 5.4.1 Close the browser and switch off ignition.
- 5.4.2 Pull the front camera (dashcam) off the retainer plate by pressing "PRESS" (release button).
- 5.4.3 Insert micro SD memory card (32 GB) in the front camera (dashcam).
- 5.4.4 Install the front camera (dashcam) in the retainer plate.



- 5.5 The settings configured under Step 5.3 are set when the ignition is switched on again.
- 5.6 Format the micro SD memory card (32 GB)
  - 5.6.1 Switch on ignition.
  - 5.6.2 Press the power button quickly 6 times in a row within 3 seconds.  
Announcements via front camera loudspeaker: "Formatting in progress." and "Formatting completed."

Diagnostics: 6 Perform diagnostics on front camera (dashcam) – **ONLY** if necessary!

Information can be displayed, function tests can be run and results can be stored in the "Diagnostics" menu item.

- 6.1 Information about the model name, hardware and software version, radar and more.
  - 1 – Model name
  - 2 – Hardware version
  - 3 – Software version

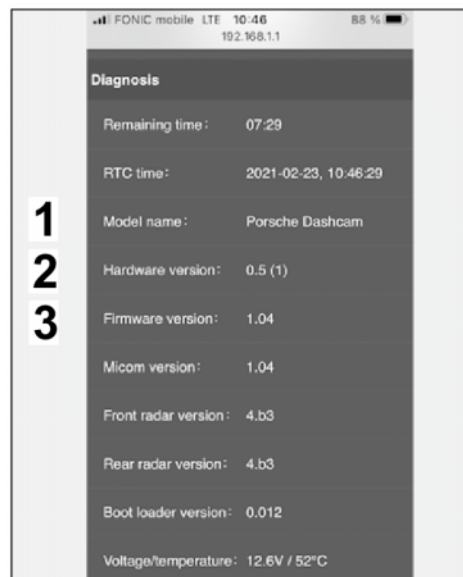


Figure 15

- 6.2 Display of live images from front camera, connection status, memory card status, GPS and radar status and more.

- 1 – Front camera live image
- 2 – Rear camera status (if installed)
- 3 – Micro SD memory card contents
- 4 – GPS status
- 5 – GPS coordinates

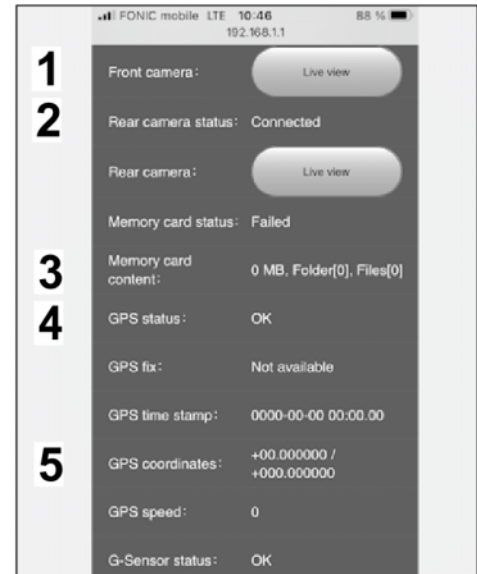


Figure 16

- 6.3 Display of radar status, possible tests for LED lights, loudspeaker and microphone

- 1 – Radar status
- 2 – LED Lights test
- 3 – Loudspeaker test
- 4 – Microphone test

- 6.4 The fault report can be stored on the micro SD memory card (32 GB). To do this, use micro SD memory card in Dealer mode and select "Diagnostics" menu item in the front camera.

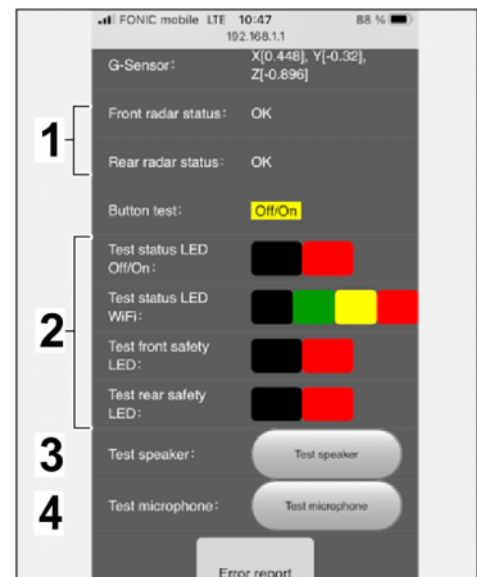


Figure 17

Assembly: 7 Concluding work

- 7.1 Read out the fault memory of all systems, work through any existing faults, and erase the fault memory. ⇒ *Workshop Manual 'OX03IN Diagnostic maintenance: Diagnostic system and maintenance inter...'*
- 7.2 Disconnect the battery charger. ⇒ *Workshop Manual '2X00IN Work instructions after disconnecting the battery'.*
- 7.3 Vehicle handover to customer



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Also give the first 3 pages of these Installation and Conversion Instructions to the customer.

- 7.3.1 Download the app from the App Store to the customer's device (smartphone/tablet).
- 7.3.2 Select and set Region/State/Country (flag) in the app on the customer's smartphone/tablet.
- 7.3.3 Firmware update by the customer via the app.
- 7.3.4 Format micro SD memory card (32 GB).

91 63 23 40: –PORSCHE front camera (dashcam) (1 x) retrofitted–

Labor time: **210 TU**

Includes: Retainer plate for PORSCHE front camera (dashcam) installed on windshield;  
Route and connect electric wire harness,  
Format coding of the PORSCHE front camera (dashcam) in dealer mode and micro SD memory card,  
Read out fault memory, correct faults and delete them.

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