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BLACK	All Earth Connections
Black / White	Brake fluid level warning light to switch and handbrake switch
Black / Brown	Tachometer generator to tachometer
Black / Green	Relay to radiator fan motor, windscreen wiper switch to single speed wiper motor
Black / Light Green	Vacuum brake switch to warning light and / or buzzer
Black / Red	Electric speedometer
Black / Blue	Tachometer generator to tachometer
Black / Orange	Radiator fan motor to thermal switch
BLUE	Lighting switch (head) to dipper
Blue / White	Dipper switch to headlamp main beam (subsidiary circuit – headlamp flasher relay to headlamp). Headlamp main beam fuse to right-hand headlamp (when independently fused). Headlamp main beam fuse to outboard headlamps (when outboard headlamps independently fused). Dipper switch to main beam warning light
Blue / Light Green	Screen wiper motor to switch
Blue / Red	Dipper switch to headlamp dip beam. Headlamp dip beam fuse to right-hand headlamp (when independently fused)
Blue / Pink	Headlamp dip beam fuse to left hand headlamp (when independently fused)
Blue / Yellow	Long range driving lamp switch to lamp
Blue / Slate	Headlamp main beam fuse to left hand headlamp or inboard headlamps (when independently fused)
BROWN	Main feed from the battery
Brown / <b>Black</b>	Alternator warning light, negative side
Brown / White	Ammeter to control box. Ammeter to main alternator terminal
Brown / Green	Dynamo 'F' to control box 'F'. Alternator field 'F' to control box 'F'
Brown / Light Green	Screenwiper motor to switch
Brown / Red	Compression ignition starting aid to switch. Main battery feed to double pole ignition switch (a.c. alt. system)
Brown / Blue	Control box (compensated voltage control only) to ignition and lighting switch (feed)
Brown / Purple	Alternator regular feed
SLATE	Window Lift
All trace colours	Window Lift



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GREEN	Accessories fused via ignition switch (subsidiary circuit fuse A4 to hazard switch (terminal 6))
Green / <b>Black</b>	Fuel gauge to fuel tank unit or changeover switch
Green / White	Right-hand flasher lamps
Green / Brown	Reverse lamp to switch
Green / Light Green	Hazard flasher unit to hazard pilot lamp
Green / Red	Left-hand flasher lamps
Green / Blue	Water temperature gauge to temperature unit
Green / Purple	Stop lamps to stop lamp switch
Green / Yellow	Heater motor to switch, single speed (or to "slow" on two speed motor)
Green / Orange	Low fuel level warning light
Green / Slate	Heater motor to switch (or to "fast" on two speed motor)
LIGHT GREEN	Voltage stabilizer to instruments
Light Green / <b>Black</b>	Screen jet switch to screen jet motor
Light Green / Brown	Flasher switch to flasher unit 'L'
Light Green / Red	Fuel tank changeover switch to right-hand tank unit
Light Green / Blue	Flasher switch to left-hand flasher warning light
Light Green / Purple	Flasher unit 'F' to flasher warning light
Light Green / Pink	Flasher unit 'L' to emergency switch (simultaneous flashing)
Light Green / Yellow	Flasher switch to right-hand flasher warning light
Light Green / Orange	Rear window washer switch to motor
RED	Side and tail lamp feed
Red / <b>Black</b>	Parking switch to left-hand side lamp
Red / White	Panel light switch to panel lights
Red / Brown	Variable intensity panel lights (when used in addition to normal panel lights)
Red / Green	Lighting switch to side and tail lamp fuse (when fused)
Red / Light Green	Screenwiper motor to switch
Red / Purple	Map light switch to map light
Red / Yellow	Fog lamp switch to fog lamp
Red / Orange	Parking switch to right-hand side lamp



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WHITE	Ignition circuit, not fused (ignition switch to ballast resistor)
White / Black	Ignition coil CB to distributor contact breaker. Rear heated window to switch or fuse TAC ignition
White / Brown	Oil pressure switch to warning light or gauge
White / Red	Solenoid starter switch to starter push or inhibitor switch
White / Blue	Choke switch to choke solenoid (unfused). Rear heater fuse unit to switch. Electronic ignition TAC ignition unit to resistance
White / Green	Fuel pump no 2 or left-hand to changeover switch
White / Light Green	Screen wiper motor to switch
White / Pink	Radio from ignition switch
White / Purple	Fuel pump no 1 or right-hand to changeover switch
White / Yellow	Starter inhibitor switch to starter push. Ballast resistor to coil. Starter solenoid to coil
White / Orange	Hazard warning feed (to switch)
White / Slate	Tachometer to ignition coil
YELLOW	Overdrive
Yellow / Brown	Overdrive
Yellow / Red	Overdrive
Yellow / Blue	Overdrive
Yellow / Green	Overdrive
Yellow / Light Green	Screenwiper motor to switch
Yellow / Purple	Overdrive
PURPLE	Accessories fed direct from battery via fuse
Purple / <b>Black</b>	Horn or horn replay to horn push
Purple / White	Interior light to switch (subsidiary circuit - door safety lights to switch)
Purple / Brown	Horn fuse to horn relay (when horn is fused separately)
Purple / Red	Boot switch light to boot light
Purple / Yellow	Horn to horn relay
Purple / Orange	Aerial lift motor to switch DOWN
Purple / Slate	Aerial lift motor to switch UP