Unmotivated Reaction from Park Assist - model series 213 facelift / 238 facelift with option code 235 (active parking assist) and option code 501 (surround view system)

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Version

Function group 54.65 Parking assist

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Validity 213 facelift / 238 facelift with option code 235 (active par-

king assist) and option code 501 (surround view system)

Reason for change Reason for block

Complaint:

Park Assist warnings (e.g. acoustic/visual warnings from parking sensors) without obvious cause

Cause:

The reasons stated below may lead to problems that must be noted:

- 1. Accessories license plate number frame mounted to front bumper.
- 2. Front license plate number incorrectly aligned.
- 3. Furthermore, removable accessories that are located in the range of the PARKTRONIC sensors.
- 4. Reduced vehicle driving height, which may result in echoes from the ground.
- 5. Snow, slush, hailstones, sleet, heavy rain.
- 6. A gush of water that runs over the vehicle hood and down the parking sensors when braking.
- 7. Sensors badly soiled.
- 8. External ultrasonic sources such as air brake systems, compressed-air hammer, brake squeals from a vehicle in the immediate vicinity, etc.
- 9. In underground electric induction loops, at traffic lights or in parking garages.
- 10. Waste heat from overheated engines (exhaust) forms in front of vehicle when it is at a standstill
- 11. System limitations as outlined in owner's manual
- 12. SW version of control unit PARK213M

Remedy:

Re. 1 to 11: Address these causes or factors in the usual way or explain them to the customer.

Re. 12: Check system response with comparable vehicle of model series 213 facelift / 238 facelift. If the response of both vehicles is similar/identical, then

XENTRY TIPS

- do not replace the hardware.
- do not carry out a software update.
- --> This document will be updated as soon as there is new information available.

Note: In the event of a failure of all park assist functions, messages in the instrument cluster related to park assist, parking control unit no longer visible in the guick test, etc., create a PTSS case.

Symptoms

Communication/information / Assistance and warning systems / Parking assist / PARKTRONIC / Acoustic warning malfunction / General

Communication/information / Assistance and warning systems / Parking assist / PARKTRONIC / Malfunction of displays / General

Communication/information / Assistance and warning systems / Parking assist / PARKTRONIC / Malfunction of displays / All displays simultaneous

Communication/information / Assistance and warning systems / Parking assist / PARKTRONIC / Malfunction of displays / Operates without obvious cause

Communication/information / Assistance and warning systems / Parking assist / PARKTRONIC / Acoustic warning malfunction / Operates without obvious cause

Control unit/fault code		
Control unit	Fault code	Fault text
N62 - Parking system (PARK) (PARK213M) (E (213))	-	-