

Title (en)

Control circuit for glow plugs of diesel engine

Title (de)

Steuerschaltung für Glühkerzen eines Dieselmotors

Title (fr)

Circuit de commande de bougies de préchauffage de moteur diesel

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Abstract (en)

The circuit includes a microprocessor (11) and a control stage (12) for the gate electrode (22) of the relay (e.g. power MOSFET) (2) whose source (23) is connected to the negative pole of the battery (30) via the glow plugs (31). A linking circuit (5) based on another MOSFET (50) with a threshold diode (54) and integrating capacitor (57) earths the microprocessor via the plugs. Besides taking away stray charges, this circuit supplies a reference voltage for comparison with that of the internal earth link (61). When the latter is isolated with the connector (3) unplugged, a resistive divider (55,56) has no reference and the relay gate voltage is low.

Abstract (fr)

Le circuit de commande comporte un calculateur (1) et au moins un relais électronique (2) contrôlé par le calculateur (1). Il est prévu des moyens (5) pour relier le calculateur à une tension de référence (masse) à travers les bougies (31). L'invention facilite les opérations d'entretien chez les garagistes. <IMAGE>

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