Dear Customer, Please KEEP THIS. READ CAREFULLY

VEMS GenBoard v3.x is very flexible, with room for customization. It is possible to get a working system relatively fast, but there are important things to consider even for an assembled, cased unit. **Important Warnings - failing these will result in damage**:

- Most ignition transformers have secondary winding GND return that MUST be grounded (to cylhead)
- Unplugging EC36 or EC18 while harness is powered up might cause serious ECU damage.
- **connect all grounds** 1 GND and 4 GND5-s from Econoseal-36 (GND5 is sometimes marked as powerGND or PGND) before applying power. GND and GND5 should meet 10 .. 15cm (5 inch) from the ECM. Use strong wires (0.75-1 mm2) and don't let any chance for disconnection during operation.
- there must be a **fuse** (max 10A, or 15A for multi-injector lowZ setups) **between injector_common and +supply**
- connect the **flyback connection** directly (no fuse) to the injector_common signal. There must be no fuse between injector_common and (EC36-pin 23) flyback pin.
- **Flyback** pin (EC36-pin 23) must be connected with airwire or 30V transient diode to onboard flyback trace. This must be done on the non-assembled unit (already done on the assembled controller).
- with DVM in diode mode, **all injector outputs should measure max 1.4V between injector output (+) to injector_common (-)**, (even with injectors disconnected). With the 30V flyback, reference (connect DVM-) to the internal flyback trace (verified for the assembled controller).
- use separate fuses for each ignition channel: 3-4A during testing, upgrade to 5A only after successful tests. 5A (RMS value!) fuse allows appr 9A peak current. Anything higher does not provide sufficient protection.
- use a 3-5A fuse for the WBO2 heater channel, and 1-3A fuse for the EC36/25 mainboard supply
- PWM-ing MUST be disabled (injector-pwm-duty=100%, injector full duty time=25.5msec). Use highZ injectors or lowZ with current-limiting "ballast" power-resistors connected in series.

Warning: Wheel speed in, Analog in ChX(except Ch1) is ment for 0-5V only. Connecting 12V might cause damage. Applying +12V to the input by connecting a solenoid, relay, injector or ignition coil might damage the controller. Switch these pins to EC36/26 GND. When no pullup inside, apply 2k4..4k7 pullup towards EC36/28 (+5V) for ALS/launch/shiftcut activation switch/button. "Analog in ChX" is same as mcp3208 ChX (MCX). Protection is for minor static electricity (no misconnection!). Typical pinout:

EC18 pin	Function	Pullup	Protection	Note
1	Knock 1		•	Analog in CH0 if no Knock
2	Analog in CH5	•	•	
3	Analog in CH2	•	•	
4	Stepper A			
5	Stepper C			
6	Analog in CH6	•		MAP input when offboard MAP.
7	WBO2 Pump(-)			LSU4.2 pin 5
8	Wheel speed in	•	•	Unprotected Analog in CH1 when PS2 option
9	WBO2 Pump(+)			LSU4.2 pin 6
10	Stepper B			
11	Stepper D			
12	Analog in CH7	•		Sec. Trig VR when auditrigger
13	WBO2 Nernst			LSU4.2 pin1 (or LSU4.9 pin6)
14	RS-232 RX			Connect to PC's TX
15	RS-232 TX			Connect to PC's RX
16	Analog in CH1**		•	Also 2nd RS232 for GPS. Or One-wire input
17	GND			
18	WBO2 Heater(-)			LSU4.2 pin 4

** The only mcp3208 analog input where +12V can be applied via 2k7..4k7 (preferred use: on/off switching)

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Econoseal 36 pin	Function	Note
1	TPS in	
2	MAT in	
3	P259 CH4	
4	P259 CH0	Tachometer (1k Pullup to +12V)
5	GND	
6	lnj G	
7	lnj A	
8	lnj C	
9	lnj E	
10	lgn CH7	Logic level out on 2+6 and 0
11	lgn CH4	Logic level out on 6+2, 4+4, 2+6 and 0
12	lgn CH5	Logic level out on 6+2, 4+4, 2+6 and 0
13	Secondary trigger	Hall or VR, CAM hall when auditrigger
14	CLT in	
15	P259 CH5	Fuel Relay
16	P259 CH1	
17	lnj H	
18	lnj F	
19	lnj B	
20	lnj D	
21	GND	
22	GND	
23	Flyback	
24	lgn CH6	Logic level out on 2+6 and 0
25	Supply+12V	
26	GND	
27	Primary trigger	VR or Hall
28	Supply+5V	
29	+5V for sensors	
30	P259 CH7	
31	P259 CH6	
32	GND	
33	lgn CH1	Logic level out on 4+4, 2+6 and 0
34	lgn CH2	Logic level out on 0
35	lgn CH0	Logic level out on 4+4, 2+6 and 0
36	lgn CH3	Logic level out on 0



EC18/13 WBO2 nernst: LSU4.2/pin1 or LSU4.9/pin6 (internal 27k nernstpullup to +5V, verify by DVM). Disclaimer: this information is for convenience only, not enough for an install. Consider the webshop product page and web documentation before installing. Add your own notes.



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Relay connection



- Preferrably ign IGBT output
- or injector output
- or stepper output
 - (or low current "P259" output as a last chance)

Rescue1 kit

- 3x1n4007 1A throughole diode. Used across iac valve, relay, solenoid, cathode (stripe-marked) to +12V.
- **0805** SMD resistors: appr 15 values, 4..6 pieces of each. 104 (means 10*10^4) = 1003 (100*10^3)=100kOhm
- ES2J/ER2J 2A 600V fast SMB (surface mount, rather big) diodes (optional) Normally not needed
- optional: unidirectional transient suppression diode (black, bigger than 1n4007) 1k5E30 is 30V, 1k5E18 is 18V (across supply. Cathode to +12V). NOT to be used in the flyback path of a controller that already has 30V flyback internally
- red, yellow, black, brown, brown striped throughole resistor is 2.4kOhm. Pullup (or between LCD contrast and GND)

Rescue2 - capacitors and 2 zener diodes

Capacitors don't have text on them, so -if ever needed- ways to tell their value:

- measure with DVM that can measure capacitance
- measure by applying 50..60 Hz sinewave with 10k limiting resistor and measure AC voltage across the resistor, than calc.
- keying by number, size (0603 not used, 0805 is small, 1206 is bigger), capacitors :
- Rescue2 v0.07:

- 3*10n 0805 50V
- 4*100n 0805 50V
- 5*220n 0805 50V
- •____2*1u 0805 25V (tall)
- •___1*10u 1206 25V
- 2*1u 1206 50V
- Update this printed list when using some capacitors, to keep track. www.vems.hu/wiki/ for more info