Exterior Light Failure Indicator Lamp

With the key in steering lock position 2, a dim indicator lamp comes on and must go out with the engine running.

With the key in steering lock position 2 or with the engine running, a bright illumination of this lamp indicates an exterior lamp failure.

If an exterior light fails, the indicator will come on only when that light is switched on.

If a brake or turn signal light fails, the light failure indicator will come on when applying the brake or actuating the turn signal and stay on until the engine is turned off.

Caution!

The indicator lamp will also come on if an incorrect bulb is installed.

If additional lighting equipment is installed (e.g. auxiliary headlamps etc.), be certain to connect into the fuse before the failure indicator monitoring unit in order to avoid damaging the system.

Fuel Reserve Warning Lamp

The fuel reserve warning lamp should come on when the key is turned to steering lock position 2, and should go out after the engine is running.

If the warning lamp stays on after the engine starts, or comes on while driving, it indicates that the fuel level is down to the reserve quantity (11.5 I [3.0 US gal]).

Coolant Temperature Gauge

If the antifreeze mixture is effective to -30 °C (-22 °F), the boiling point of the coolant in the pressurized cooling system of your vehicle is approx. 130 °C (266 °F) (see also "Fuels, Coolants, Lubricants, etc.").

During severe operating conditions and stop-and-go city traffic, the coolant temperature may rise close to the red marking.

Low Engine Coolant Level Indicator Lamp

The indicator lamp comes on with the key in steering lock position 2, and should go out when the engine is running.

If it comes on with the engine running, the coolant has dropped below the required level. If no leaks are noticeable and the engine temperature does not increase, continue to drive to the nearest service station and have coolant added to the coolant system (see page 73).

Low Windshield Washer Fluid Level Indicator Lamp

The indicator lamp comes on with the key in steering lock position 2 and should go out when the engine is running.

If the indicator lamp comes on with the engine running, the level of the reservoir has dropped ½ of the total volume. The reservoir should be refilled with MB Windshield Washer Concentrate "S" and water (or commercially available premixed windshield washer solvent/anti-freeze, depending on ambient temperature) at the next opportunity. The reservoir for the windshield washer system is located in the engine compartment (see page 112).