## VOLKSWAGEN P1698: CHECK DTC MEMORY OF STEERING COLUMN ECU OVERVIEW Severity: Medium DIY Difficulty Level: Intermediate Repair Cost: \$75-\$200 Can I Still Drive?: Yes (Short-term only)

## What Does The Volkswagen P1698 Code Mean?

The Engine Control Module (ECM) communicates with all databus-capable control modules via a CAN databus. These databus-capable control modules are connected via two data bus wires which are twisted together (CAN\_High and CAN\_Low), and exchange information.

## What Are The Potential Causes Of The Volkswagen P1698 Code?

- Ground between engine and chassis may be broken
- Faulty voltage supply
- ECM has failed

## **Reference Sources**

Volkswagen P1698, DTCDECODE.

