

**Vehicle Wiring Information**  
for the  
**1990 BMW 8 Series (UK)**

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12V			
STARTER	black/yellow		ignition harness
SECOND STARTER			
IGNITION	green		ignition harness
SECOND IGNITION			
THIRD IGNITION			
ACCESSORY	green/white		ignition harness
SECOND ACCESSORY	violet		ignition harness
POWER LOCK	blue/red	+	CDL relay behind glove box
POWER UNLOCK	blue/gray	+	CDL relay behind glove box
LOCK MOTOR			
UNLOCK MOTOR			
DISARM DEFEAT			
PARKING LIGHTS +	blu/grn & blu/brn		at the steering column
PARKING LIGHTS -			
HEADLIGHTS			
DOOR TRIGGER	red/brown	-	interior light
DOVE SUPERVISION			
TRUNK/HATCH PIN	white/brown		at the bootlight
HOOD PIN			
TRNK/HATCH RELEASE			
FCTRY ALARM ARM			
FCTRY ALRM DISARM			
DISARM NO UNLOCK			
TACHOMETER	black		back of clocks, pin 26
SPEED SENSE			
BRAKE WIRE	black/green		brake pedal switch
HORN TRIGGER			
WIPERS			
LF WINDOW UP/DN	total close		
RF WINDOW UP/DN			
LR WINDOW UP/DN			
RR WINDOW UP/DN			
SUN RF OPN/CLOSE			
SUN ROOF LIMIT			
RADIO 12V			
RADIO GROUND			
RADIO SWITCH			
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POWER UNLOCK	blue/gray *1	+	module under left dash
PARKING LIGHTS +			at light switch
PARKING LIGHTS -			
HEADLIGHTS	yellow	+	at light switch
DOOR TRIGGER	brn/gry, brn/blue	-	anti-theft module *2
TRUNK/HATCH PIN			
HOOD PIN			
TRNK/HATCH RELEASE			
FCTRY ALARM ARM	arms with lock		
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