

What is VAG-COM and does my car have it?

VCDS, an acronym for "VAG-COM Diagnostic System", is a third party Microsoft Windows-based software package. It is primarily used for diagnostics and adjustments of Volkswagen Group motor vehicles.

These dealership-only tools have prevented owners, and many small independent repair shops from performing some fundamental tasks, such as diagnosing problems, enabling aftermarket lighting, modification of convenience options such as automatic door unlocking, coding a replacement electronic control unit (ECU) or key to the vehicle, and monitoring of many vehicle sensors for diagnosing problems.

At *HID Kit Pros*®, we do not have a VAG-COM system, in order to determine if your car will require such coding, refer to the list of vehicles with common HID problems under HID FAQ and check with your local dealer to determine if coding is a task they can take care of prior to installing aftermarket lighting.

