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PLUG 'N' PLAY ADAPTER HARNESS FOR NEXUS S2/S3 ECU

SUPPORTED MODELS:
Honda S2000 AP1 (MY00-04)
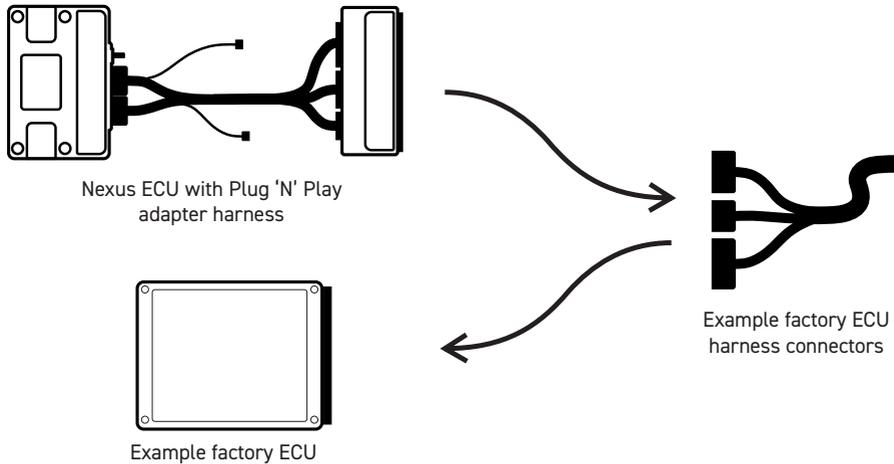Honda S2000 AP2 (MY05)

QUICK START GUIDE

HT-186330

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Nexus ECU with Plug 'N' Play adapter harness

Example factory ECU

Example factory ECU harness connectors

Congratulations on your purchase of a Nexus Plug 'N' Play adapter harness for your vehicle. This vehicle-specific adapter harness enables you to seamlessly integrate a Nexus S2 or S3 ECU into your vehicle without the complexities of wiring an ECU. With this hassle-free solution, you can dive straight into tuning.

Nexus ECUs stand at the forefront of engine management systems, featuring cutting-edge technology and innovative features. Designed for

the next generation of automotive enthusiasts and professionals, this state-of-the-art ECU seamlessly combines powerful engine control with a range of additional functionalities, making it a versatile and comprehensive solution for everyday driving to high-performance racing.

With full compatibility with a myriad of Haltech devices, it streamlines the configuration of engine parameters and additional functionalities, all programmable using a single piece of software.

What's in the box?

- · HT-186330 - Honda S2000 AP1 Nexus Plug 'N' Play adapter box
- · HT-130400 - Nexus S2/S3 Plug 'N' Play adapter harness
- · HT-010200 - Intake air temperature sensor (M14 x 1.5 thread)
- · Quick Start Guide

Application Notes

· This Honda S2000 AP1 (MY00-04) and AP2 (MY05) Nexus Plug 'N' Play adapter harness is designed to be optimally used with a Nexus S3 ECU. Using a Nexus S2 instead of an S3 is possible, but note that this will reduce some of the car's factory functionality. These functions are labeled "S3 only" and can be checked in the pinout reference tables found in the last few pages of this quick start guide.

· Ensure that the correct basemap is uploaded into the ECU before powering the unit through the Plug 'N' Play adapter harness.

· Please note that the basemap serves as a starting point only, and the ECU will require appropriate tuning. Haltech will not be held responsible for engine damage due to improper use of basemaps.

Jumper ID Settings

This Honda S2000 AP1 (MY00-04) and AP2 (MY05) Plug 'N' Play adapter harness features an internal jumper that can be set if you want to repurpose DPO6 as a spare output instead of as the Check Engine Light (CEL) output.
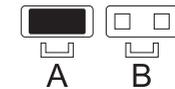
To access and change the jumper setting, the front plate needs to be unscrewed to allow the PCB to slide out. The default jumper setting and the alternate configuration are shown below for reference.

DPO6 used as a spare output can be accessed on the auxiliary port (Pin 3).
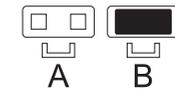

Default Jumper Configuration

DPO6 used to control the Check Engine Light

A   B

Jumper required:
A

Alternate Jumper Configuration

DPO6 is used as a spare output on the auxiliary port.

A   B

Jumper required:
B

Uploading the correct basemap

Your Nexus ECU can communicate with a laptop in low power mode using just a USB cable connection. This feature enables you to upload the basemap without powering the ECU through the Plug 'N' Play adapter harness. This ensures that all the ECU inputs and outputs are configured specifically for your engine before powering the vehicle up.

To upload the correct basemap into your Nexus ECU, follow these general steps:

1. Install/Open Haltech NSP: Haltech Nexus Software Programmer (NSP) is the software tool for configuring and tuning your Nexus ECU. Download

and install NSP from the Haltech website to your Windows laptop if you haven't already done so. Instructions on how to install the software are available in the quick start guide that came with your Nexus ECU.

2. Connect to the ECU: Use the included USB-A to USB-C interface cable to connect your laptop to the Nexus ECU.

3. Upload the Basemap: Once connected, initiate the upload process by clicking on the File Menu, then click on Import/Upload, then navigate to the Haltech basemaps folder. Typically, this will be in Documents > Haltech > Nexus Maps and Data Logs > Base Maps. Choose the correct basemap file for your application as shown in the next page, then click Open.
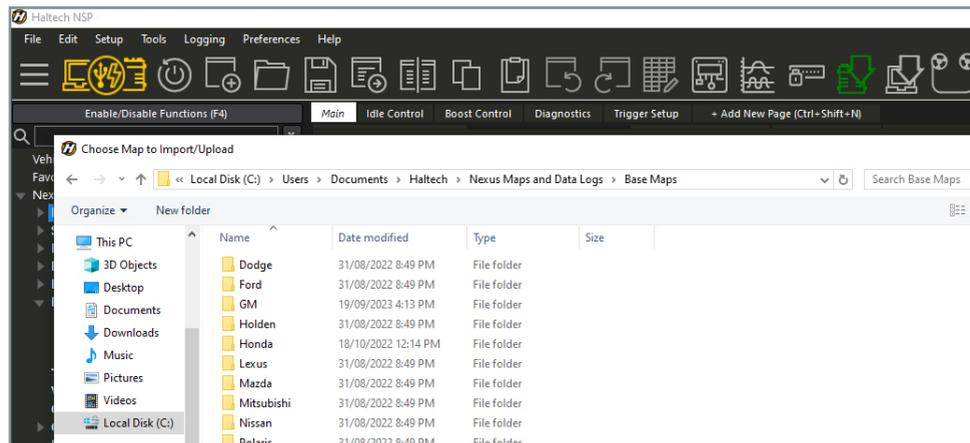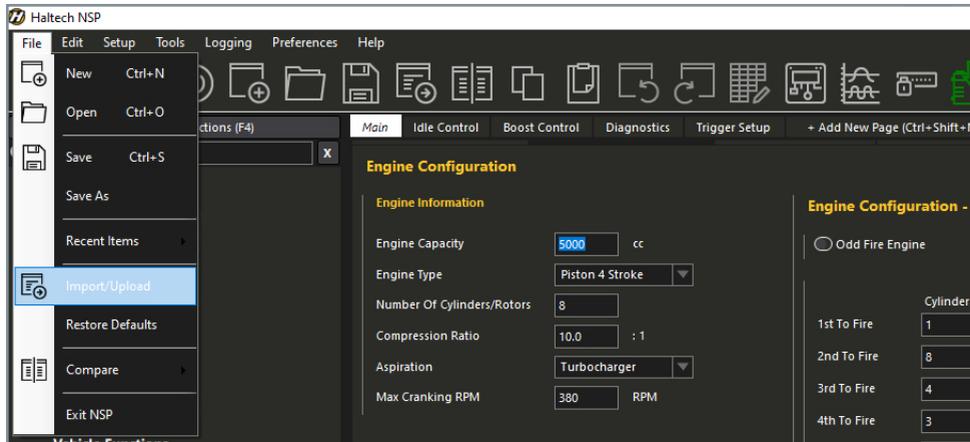
4. Upload All Settings: After opening the file, the NSP software will give you the option to upload specific parts of the map or to upload all the settings. Click on "Upload All" to copy all the base settings to your Nexus ECU. After NSP writes all the settings, click on the Reboot button to reinitialize the ECU.

5. Configure Application-Specific Settings: If you are using non-standard components on your engine, you will need to reconfigure the Nexus ECU to suit before connecting the unit to the Plug 'N' Play adapter harness and powering up the vehicle. These

may include changing injector sizes/flow rates, adjusting ignition coil settings, or reconfiguring the trigger settings to match an aftermarket trigger kit.

6. Setup the Internal Jumpers: Some adapter boxes feature internal jumpers that you can set to suit specific vehicle models. If you need to change the jumper settings beyond the default configuration, open up the adapter box and follow the instructions provided in the previous section.

At this stage, the Nexus ECU and Plug 'N' Play harness are now ready to be installed into the vehicle for the initial start-up.
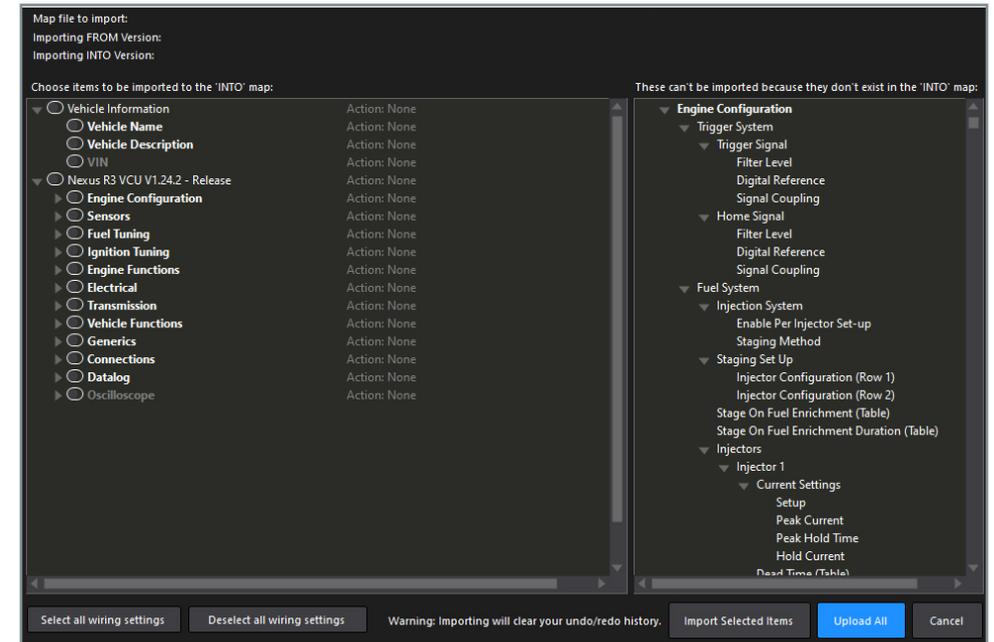
Wideband Oxygen Sensor

A Wideband Oxygen Sensor is a valuable tool for tuning your engine, as it measures a wide range of Air-Fuel Ratio (AFR) values that the engine operates within.

The Nexus S3/S2 ECU supports onboard wideband oxygen sensor control, specifically designed for Bosch LSU 4.9 or NTK wideband sensors, which can be selected through the NSP software.

The adapter harness is equipped with a Deutsch DTM-6 connector, allowing direct connection to the Haltech Wideband Hardware packs shown below (sold separately).
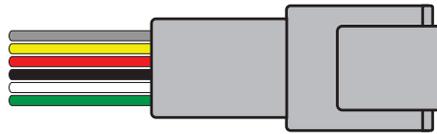
Wideband Connector (DTM04-6P)

Heater +	1		6	Cal
Input	2		5	Heater -
Pump	3		4	Nernst
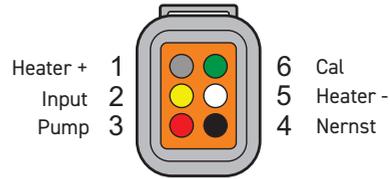
(Wire side view)

In addition to tuning, you can configure the Nexus ECU to adjust fueling to actively target the desired AFR (i.e. O2 control), or implement an engine protection strategy if the sensor detects that the engine is running too lean.
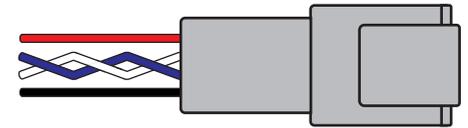
HT-010746 - Bosch LSU4.9
Wideband Hardware Pack

HT-010747 - NTK LZA08-H5
Wideband Hardware Pack

Wideband Connector

Wideband Oxygen Sensor

For turbo vehicles, install the sensor post-turbo to ensure accurate readings.

Example diagram showing how to directly connect and install a Bosch LSU4.9 Wideband Oxygen Sensor.
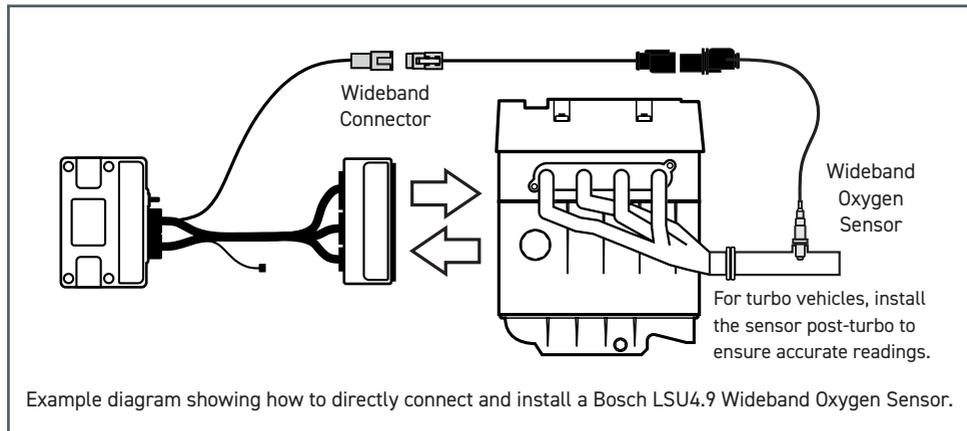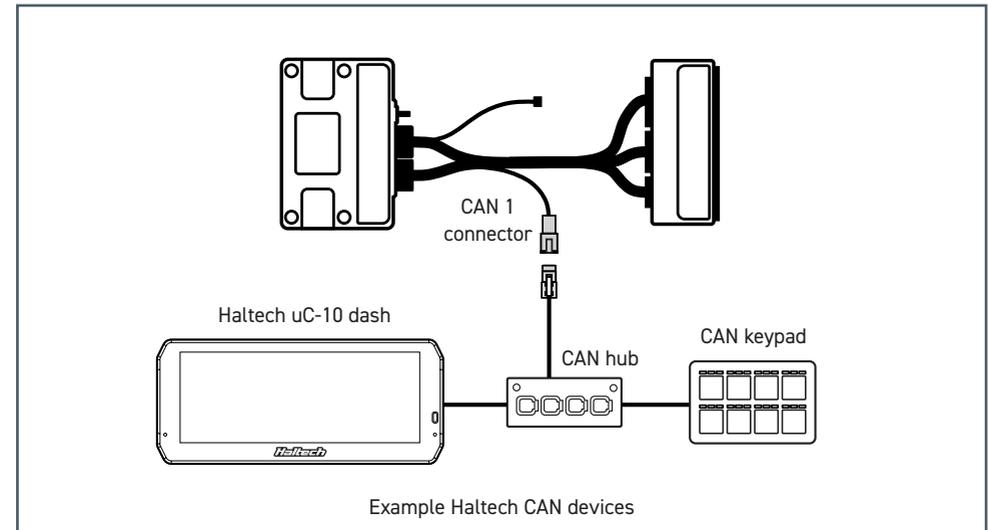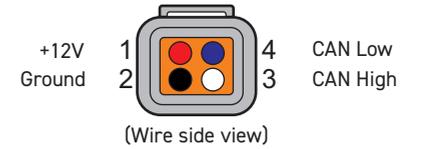
Haltech CAN System

The Nexus S3/S2 ECU adapter harness is fitted with a DTM-4 CAN connector labelled as "CAN 1", which can be utilized with a range of Haltech CAN expansion products.

The diagram below illustrates example connections to multiple Haltech CAN devices (sold separately) or to a CAN WB1 / WB2 wideband module which requires external power.

Haltech CAN 1 Connector (DTM04-4P)

| +12V | 1 | | 4 | CAN Low |
| Ground | 2 | | 3 | CAN High |

(Wire side view)

CAN 1 connector

Haltech uC-10 dash

CAN hub

CAN keypad

Example Haltech CAN devices

Air Temperature Sensor

An air temperature sensor is a crucial component used in Volumetric Efficiency (VE) tuning to compensate for changes in air density caused by temperature variations.

Cold air, being denser than warm air, requires more volume of fuel to maintain the same air-fuel ratio. With this information available, the Nexus ECU can automatically adjust fuel delivery based on temperature changes using the signal received from the air temperature sensor.

While many vehicles include a factory air temperature sensor, it is often located within the Mass Air Flow (MAF) sensor assembly or integrated into the intake air manifold. Typically, performance applications involve the removal of the MAF sensor or even changing the entire intake manifold. In such cases, an air temperature sensor (HT-010200) is provided as a replacement for the factory sensor.

Mounting the included sensor in the optimal position is crucial to accurately measure the air temperature entering the combustion chamber. Typically, a good location is just before the throttle body and after a turbocharger/intercooler if using forced induction. It's essential for the sensor to be in the moving air stream for rapid response times and to minimize heat soak effects. Caution must be exercised when mounting the sensor directly into the inlet manifold, especially at the rear, as this may lead to heat soak issues, where the sensor reads the manifold temperature rather than the air moving through it.

Once a suitable position is identified, a hole must be drilled and tapped to accommodate the sensor. A weld-on bung may also be used if necessary. It's recommended to remove the air intake pipe or relevant intake hardware when installing the sensor to prevent metal shavings from entering the engine.

Air Temperature Sensor
(M14 x 1.5 thread)

Air flow

Intake pipe

Throttle body
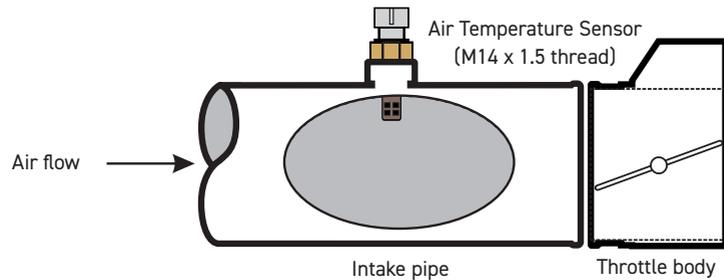
Example installation location of the included air temperature sensor

Included in this package is an air temperature sensor (HT-010200), which can be wired using the factory air temperature sensor wiring or a spare AVI or SPI, along with a signal ground connection available in the 16-pin Auxiliary connector at the rear of the adapter box. These sensors are not polarity sensitive, so either pin can be wired to either wire.

AVI or SPI

Signal ground
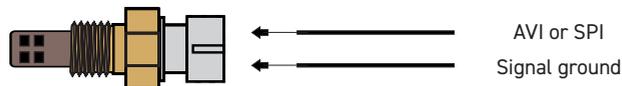
ECU Internal MAP Sensor (4 Bar)

The basemaps provided with this product will either utilize the factory MAP sensor, if the vehicle is equipped with one from the factory, or utilize the Nexus S3/S2 ECU's Internal MAP sensor. You can check this in the software settings under Sensors > Manifold Pressure > Wiring > Input Type to see which one is being used.
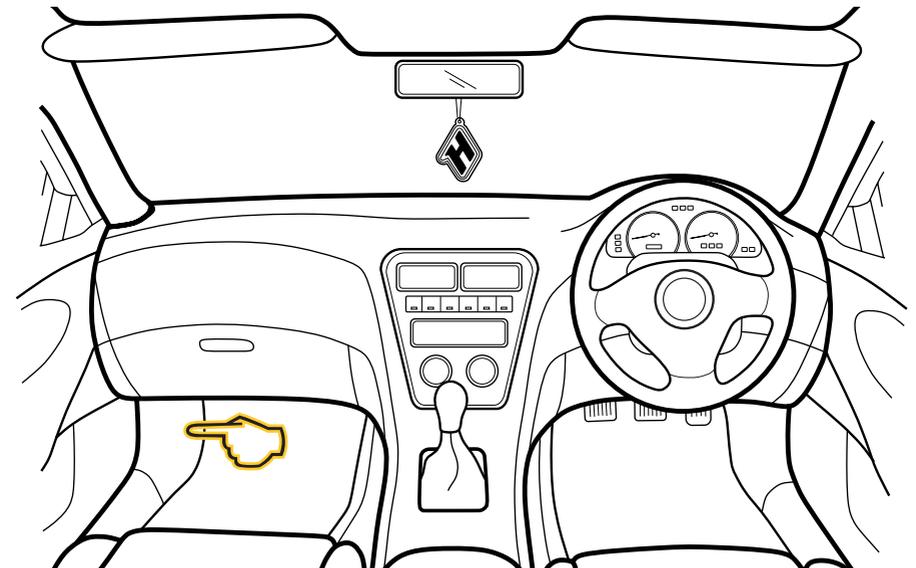
If the ECU internal MAP sensor is selected, a vacuum hose must be connected from the ECU's MAP sensor barb to a vacuum port on the engine's intake manifold. This onboard sensor is a 4 Bar MAP sensor capable of reading vacuum and boost pressures up to 43.5 psi. No user calibration is necessary for this sensor.

Vacuum port

Intake manifold

Vacuum hose

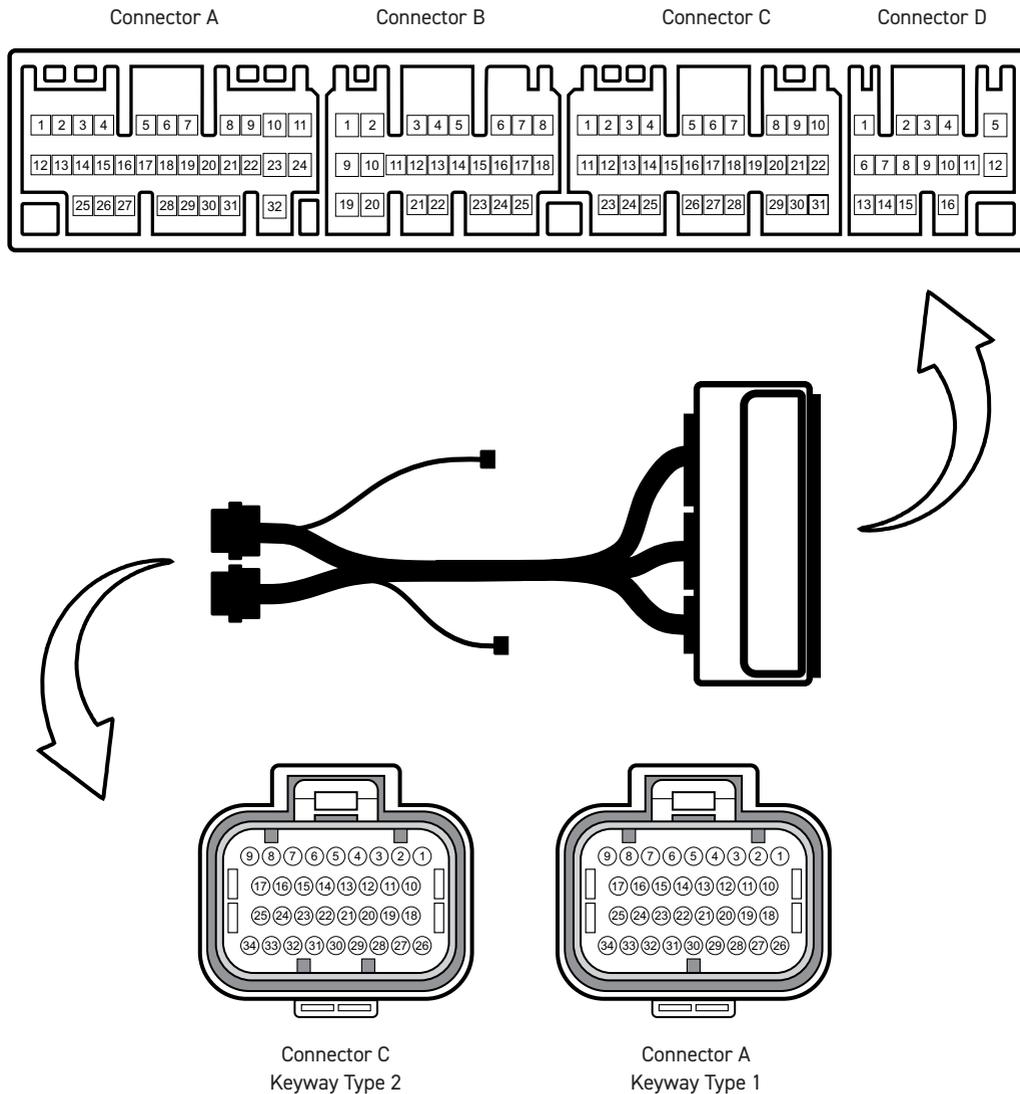Internal MAP sensor (4 BAR)
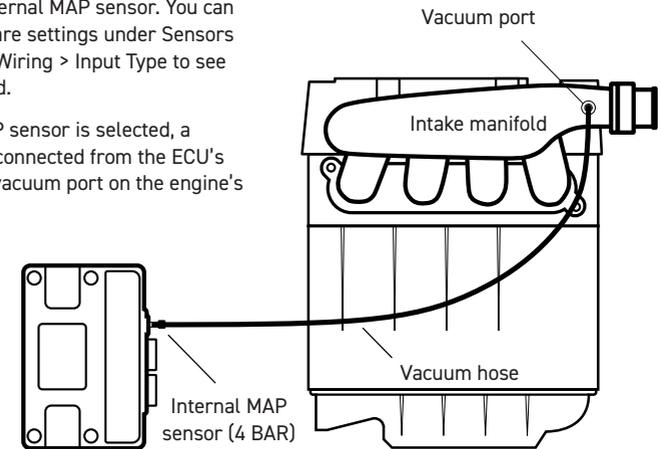
ECU location

The factory Honda S2000 ECU is located behind the passenger side kick panel. Removal of the panel allows the installation of this Haltech Plug 'N Play product. Below is a generic illustration for reference.

Vehicle connector:

Connector A   Connector B   Connector C   Connector D
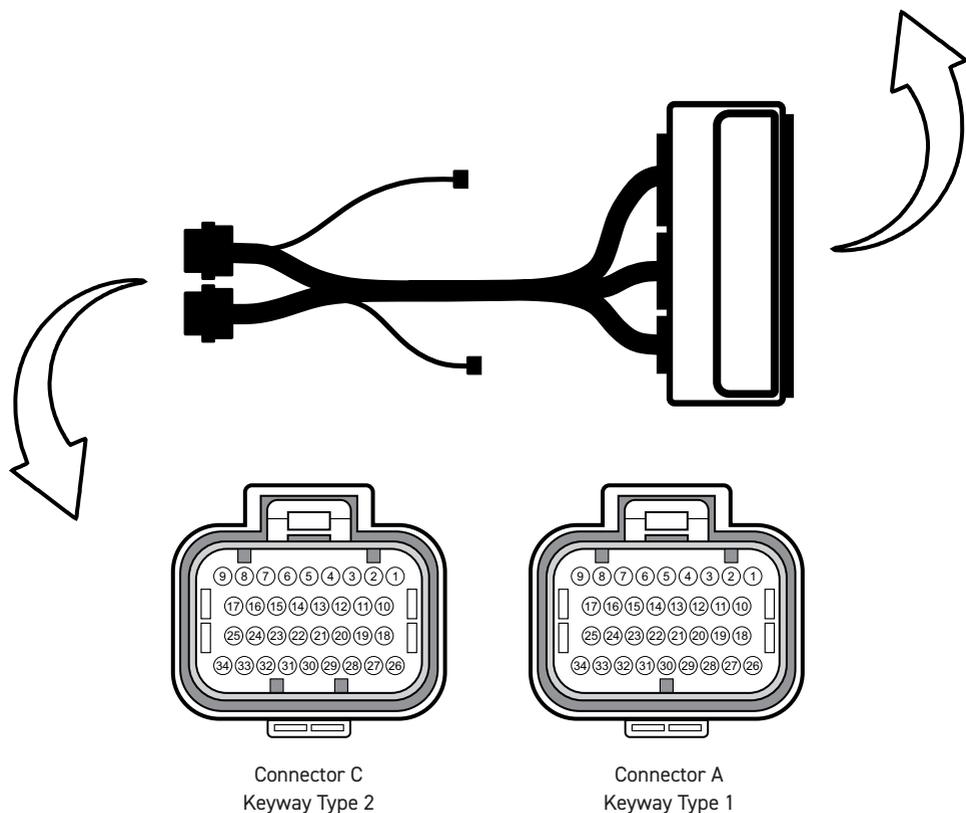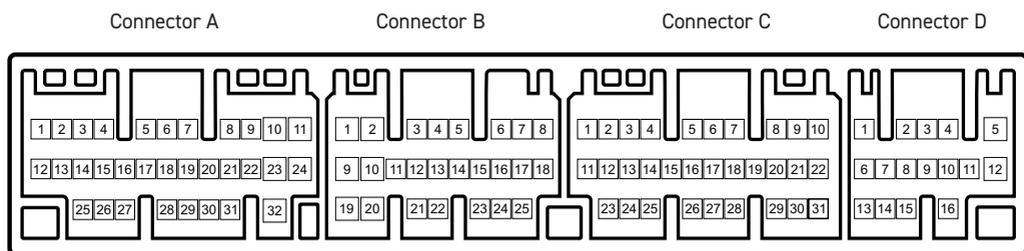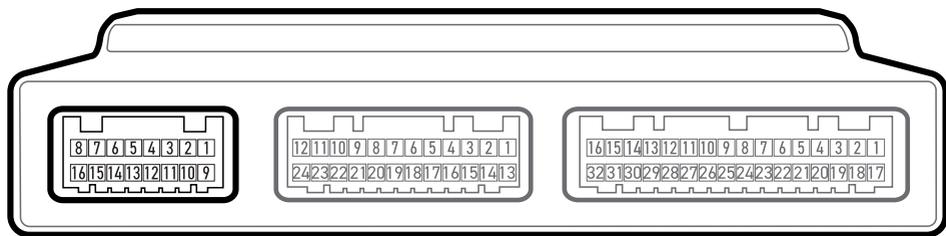

Connector C
Keyway Type 2

Connector A
Keyway Type 1

All connectors above are shown with reference to the pin side (front of connectors).

NEXUS S3/S2 ECU CONNECTOR A (KEYWAY TYPE 1)			
Pin	Function	Colour	Vehicle connector	Function
A1	Injector 1	Blue	B11	Injector 1
A2	Injector 2	Blue/Black	B3	Injector 2
A3	Injector 3	Blue/Brown	B4	Injector 3
A4	Injector 4	Blue/Red	B5	Injector 4
A5	Injector 5 (S3 only)	Blue/Orange	To auxiliary connector	Auxiliary IO
A6	Injector 6 (S3 only)	Blue/Yellow	A3	Evap bypass
A7	Injector 7 (S3 only)	Blue/Green	C2	Alternator control
A8	Injector 8 (S3 only)	Blue/Violet	A4	Evap vent shut
A9	DPO 1	Violet/Black	A19	Tachometer
A10	Battery ground input	Black	B2	Power ground
A11	Battery ground input	Black	B10	Power ground
A12	DPO 2	Violet/Brown	B23	IACV
A13	Ignition switch input	Pink	No connection	No connection
A14	DPO 3	Violet/Red	A17	A/C clutch
A15	DPO 4	Violet/Orange	A1	Coolant gauge output
A16	DPO 5	Violet/Yellow	A15 (Immob), A16 (No Immob)	Fuel pump
A17	DPO 6	Violet/Green	A18	Check engine light
A18	+12V switched input	Red	B1, B9	+12V power from ECR
A19	HBO 1	Brown/Black	A28	Air pump
A20	HBO 2	Brown/Red	To auxiliary connector	Auxiliary IO
A21	HBO 3	Brown/Green	B12	VTEC solenoid
A22	HBO 4	Brown/Pink	A20	Thermofan
A23	CAN 1 H	White	CAN connector Pin 3	Haltech CAN devices
A24	CAN 1 L	Blue	CAN connector Pin 4	(See page 7 for details)
A25	+12V switched input	Red	B1, B9	+12V power from ECR
A26	ECR output	Black/Red	No connection	No connection
A27	Ignition 1	Yellow/Black	C4	Ignition 1
A28	Ignition 2	Yellow/Red	C12	Ignition 2
A29	Ignition 3	Yellow/Orange	C13	Ignition 3
A30	Ignition 4	Yellow/Green	C14	Ignition 4
A31	Ignition 5 (S3 only)	Yellow/Brown	A6	Evap purge valve
A32	Ignition 6 (S3 only)	Yellow/Blue	No connection	No connection
A33	Ignition 7 (S3 only)	Yellow/Violet	No connection	No connection
A34	Ignition 8 (S3 only)	Yellow/Gray	No connection	No connection

Vehicle connector:

Connector A   Connector B   Connector C   Connector D

Connector C
Keyway Type 2

Connector A
Keyway Type 1

All connectors above are shown with reference to the pin side (front of connectors).

NEXUS S3/S2 ECU CONNECTOR C (KEYWAY TYPE 2)			
Pin	Function	Colour	Vehicle connector	Function
C1	Trigger +	White	C9	Crank +
C2	Trigger -	Black	C8	Crank -
C3	Home +	White	C21	Cam +
C4	Home -	Black	C20	Cam -
C5	SPI 1	Gray/Brown	To auxiliary connector	Auxiliary IO
C6	SPI 2	Gray/Red	A27	AC request
C7	SPI 3	Gray/Orange	C10	VTEC oil pressure switch
C8	SPI 4	Gray/Yellow	A9	VSS
C9	+8V	Orange/White	No connection	No connection
C10	AVI 1	White	C15	Factory O2 senosr #2
C11	AVI 2	White/Yellow	A30	ELD switch
C12	AVI 3	White/Gray	A32	Brake pedal switch
C13	AVI 4	White/Violet	A26	Power steering switch
C14	AVI 5	White/Green	C5	Alternator FR signal
C15	AVI 6	White/Orange	C16	Factory O2 sensor #1
C16	AVI 7	White/Black	C25	Air temperature
C17	AVI 8	White/Brown	C26	Coolant temperature
C18	AVI 9	White/Red	C17	Manifold Pressure
C19	SPI 5	No connection	No connection	No connection
C20	SPI 6	No connection	No connection	No connection
C21	CAN 2 H	White	A22	CAN high
C22	CAN 2 L	Blue	A23	CAN low
C23	Knock 1	White	C22	Knock sensor
C24	Knock 2	White	No connection	No connection
C25	+5V	Orange	C19, C28	Sensor power supply
C26	Signal ground	Black/White	B20, B22, C7, C18, C29	Sensor ground
C27	AVI 10	Light Green	C27	Throttle position sensor
C28	AVI 11	No connection	No connection	No connection
C29	WBI 1 Heater +	Gray	Wideband conn. Pin 1	
C30	WBI 1 Input	Yellow	Wideband conn. Pin 2	
C31	WBI 1 Pump	Red	Wideband conn. Pin 3	Onboard wideband control
C32	WBI 1 Nernst	Black	Wideband conn. Pin 4	(See page 6 for details)
C33	WBI 1 Heater -	White	Wideband conn. Pin 5	
C34	WBI 1 Cal	Green	Wideband conn. Pin 6	

Auxiliary Connector

The 16-pin auxiliary connector located on the rear side of the adapter provides additional inputs and outputs that link to the Nexus ECU. The kit is supplied with spare pins that you can use if you need to connect to these additional I/Os. Use an appropriate crimping tool, such as the HT-070300.

Please refer to the pinout information below for details on the spare inputs and outputs available for this application.

AUXILIARY CONNECTOR (16 PIN)			
Pin	Connection	Function	Notes
1	From Nexus ECU (C25)	+5V	+5V DC sensor supply
2	From Nexus ECU (A5)	Injector 5 (S3 only)	Spare output
3	From Nexus ECU (A17)	DPO 6	** Check Engine Light (Vehicle conn. A18) or spare output
4	From Nexus ECU (C26)	Signal ground	Signal ground for sensors
5*	From Nexus ECU (A33)	Ignition 7 (S3 only)	Spare output
6*	From Nexus ECU (A34)	Ignition 8 (S3 only)	Spare output
7	From Nexus ECU (C5)	SPI 1	Spare input
8	From Nexus ECU (A18/A25)	+12V	+12V DC switched supply for relays and solenoids
9	From Nexus ECU (C25)	+5V	+5V DC sensor supply
10	From Nexus ECU (A20)	HBO 2	Spare output
11	No connection	No connection	No connection
12	From Nexus ECU (C26)	Signal ground	Signal ground for sensors
13	No connection	No connection	No connection
14*	From Nexus ECU (A8)	Injector 8 (S3 only)	Evap vent shut (Vehicle conn. A4)
15	No connection	No connection	No connection
16	From Nexus ECU (A18/A25)	+12V	+12V DC switched supply for relays and solenoids

* These pins have a direct wired connection to the Nexus ECU. The rest of the pins on this auxiliary connector loop within the adapter box and back to the Nexus ECU through the 24- and 32-pin Tyco connectors.

** DPO6 can be set as a spare output instead of a Check Engine Light output by changing the jumper within the adapter box (see page 3).

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