

m400

engine management system



in control

THE COMPANY



MoTeC was founded in 1987 with the aim of providing world class products, superior customer service and the most advanced technology available.

A strong commitment to delivering the best possible solutions, state-of-the-art hardware and user friendly software has earned *MoTeC* international recognition as a leader in engine management and data acquisition systems.

As automotive technology continues to evolve, *MoTeC* reinforces its dedication to research and development with an innovative range of products and sophisticated software, all backed by an outstanding package of total customer support and an exceptional two year product warranty.

THE *MoTeC* DIFFERENCE

MoTeC products are engineered with an uncompromising approach to quality, using only the best components and manufacturing processes to ensure optimum performance, reliability and longevity.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

From boats to desert racing and everything in between, engine management systems can be exposed to extreme conditions, making it important to provide as much protection as possible to the internal components.

For that reason, all *MoTeC* ECUs are robotically assembled and dipped in liquid silicone, ensuring the components and circuit board are fully encapsulated. This military grade coating protects the surface mounted technology from environmental contamination such as moisture and dust, while improving resistance to vibration.

Sealed connectors with gold plated contacts enhance connection reliability, reducing the chance of erroneous sensor readings which can lead to engine damage.

TRUE 32 BIT PROCESSOR WITH TIME CO-PROCESSOR

MoTeC's powerful processor delivers smooth, responsive engine operation, fast update of all calculations and the computing power to perform auxiliary functions such as Continuously Variable Cam Control and Drive by Wire. Dedicated timer channels for each injector and coil improve fuel pulse width and ignition timing accuracy.

UPDATABLE SOFTWARE

Fully updatable software allows *MoTeC* ECUs to be upgraded at any time with the latest features as they become available. These updates can be downloaded free of charge from the *MoTeC* website.

PROGRAMMABLE CURRENT PEAK & HOLD INJECTOR DRIVERS

The injector drive can be precisely calibrated to the injector manufacturer's requirements to deliver the most reliable and effective operation of the injector under all conditions.

ENGINE MANAGEMENT

The main function of a programmable Engine Management System or Engine Control Unit (ECU) is to provide full control of a fuel injected engine over all possible operating conditions. Precise allocations of fuel and ignition timing can be assigned to any given load/rpm site for optimum engine performance.

The ECU receives a constant flow of information from a number of vital sensors and processes this data using programmable calibrations and compensations. Adjustments are then made to the fuel delivery and ignition timing to maintain correct engine operation. The number of tuning sites can be defined by the user, allowing extra scope for fine tuning.

MoTeC engine management systems not only provide superior control of ignition and injection, but also offer the ability to control many additional engine functions such as Variable Cam Control and Turbo Wastegate Control.



SWITCHMODE INJECTOR DRIVERS

Sophisticated electronics and control software allow the injectors to be held open with a lower current, reducing power draw from the system and generating less heat within the ECU, resulting in greater reliability. This technology also provides the ability to drive low ohm injectors for maximum performance, accommodating injectors as low as 0.1 ohm.

ADVANCED DIAGNOSTICS

MoTeC's diagnostics monitoring system helps to detect and locate faults within injectors, wiring and sensors, allowing problems to be fixed quickly. The optional logging function further enhances the system's diagnostic capabilities.

DATA LOGGING

With the Logging upgrade enabled, the M400 offers 512k of internal, high speed logging at up to 200 samples per second per channel. Users can select up to 64 parameters from a possible 350 and can individually define the logging rates for each item. The M400's Flash Logging Memory stores logged data indefinitely, even with no power to the ECU.

DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING OF CRANK & CAM SIGNALS

MoTeC ECUs are suitable for use with a wide range of factory trigger systems, including those found in many late model vehicles. *MoTeC*'s compatibility with OEM sensors, including magnetic, hall and optical, reduces installation cost and time. Crank and cam sensor voltages can be recorded, allowing trigger levels to be individually set for magnetic sensors.

Programmable filtering reduces the effects of noise and possible false triggering, while advanced diagnostics assist the user by warning of false signals that may cause problems if left unresolved.



THE M400 SYSTEM



Developed with the same advanced technology as our revolutionary M800 and M880 models, the **MoTeC M400** reflects the demand for sophisticated electronics to control today's highly evolved engines.

Offering four injector drivers and four ignition outputs, the M400 is a fully programmable management system ideal for engines up to four cylinders with sequential injection and multi-coil ignition. It is also well suited to twin rotary applications.

Eight auxiliary outputs provide control for aftermarket devices and systems normally managed by the factory computer. These can be allocated as required to functions such as 3D boost control, nitrous injection, intercooler spray bars, idle speed, shift lights, warning alarms and many more.

The **MoTeC M400** system includes a 32 Bit microprocessor as standard plus Narrowband Lambda control and Wideband Lambda control using an external meter. Optional features such as Continuously Variable Camshaft Control and Drive by Wire Throttle Control provide the flexibility to suit a wide range of modern vehicles.

CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE CAM CONTROL

The M400 provides the capability to control fully variable camshaft timing using factory trigger wheels and sensors. Each cam can be independently adjusted in 0.5 degree increments based on RPM and load. This allows users to optimise engine tuning across a wide range of operating conditions to achieve better high end performance and low speed torque. Other benefits include enhanced idle, fuel economy and emissions control.



DRIVE BY WIRE THROTTLE CONTROL

Drive by Wire technology uses an electronic throttle instead of the traditional mechanical system, interpreting pedal input from the driver via sensors while controlling a throttle actuator. The M400 caters for this high-tech function, employing sophisticated software and hardware that is compatible with most OEM Drive by Wire units.

M400 UPGRADES

For additional functionality, users can request password enabled upgrades such as Data Logging and Advanced Functions which includes Traction Control, Launch Control, High/Low Injection, Overrun Boost Enhancement (Anti-Lag) and Gear Change Ignition Cut for flat shifts.

HIGH SPEED INTERNAL WIDEBAND LAMBDA

While the standard system utilises Narrowband Lambda control and Wideband Lambda using an external meter, the M400 can be upgraded with a professional internal Wideband Lambda meter for maximum tuning accuracy.

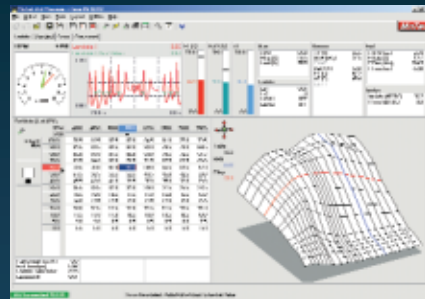
m400 SOFTWARE

MoTeC software is designed with an emphasis on usability, enabling you to quickly optimise the set up of your vehicle. All software is menu driven and has extensive help screens, making it user friendly for the beginner and a powerful tool for experts.



ECU MANAGER TUNING SOFTWARE

The **ECU Manager** software is designed for set up, tuning and diagnostics of the engine management system. Tuning can be carried out online (with the ECU connected) or offline. Users can view sensor and status readings, output settings, compensations and diagnostic errors. It also features Quick Lambda (automated fuel adjustment), user definable screen layouts, 3D graphing of calibration tables, site target, output testing, multiple file comparisons, table interpolation, table maths and online help.



INTERPRETER SOFTWARE *(Logging option must be enabled)*

MoTeC's Interpreter software provides advanced tools for analysing logged data quickly and efficiently. Data collected from the ECU's internal log memory can be viewed numerically or graphically to evaluate the health and performance of the vehicle and to assess driving technique.

Users can monitor various parameters in order to make improvements to performance and maintain vehicle reliability.



MoTeC SUPPORT & TRAINING

MoTeC is committed to delivering the highest level of customer service. Our team of support personnel and trained dealers will provide expert technical assistance and advice on the most suitable **MoTeC** system for your application. Comprehensive information is also available at the **MoTeC** website (including downloadable diagrams, software and application notes).

To help customers make the most of their engine management and data acquisition systems, **MoTeC** conducts product training sessions and seminars with worldwide experts. Visit the **MoTeC** website for details.



INPUTS

OUTPUTS

Ref and Sync Trigger

- Magnetic Sensors (Programmable Trigger Levels)
- Hall Sensors
- Optical Sensors

6 Temperature Inputs

- User Programmable as
 - Engine Temperature
 - Air Temperature
 - Oil Temperature
 - Other sensors configurable

8 Voltage Inputs

- User Programmable as
 - Throttle Position Sensor
 - Map Sensor
 - Mass Air Flow Sensor
 - Gear Position
 - Other sensors configurable

1 Lambda Sensor Input

- User Programmable as
 - Narrow Band
 - Wideband (External meter)
 - Professional Internal Wideband (Optional)

4 Digital Inputs

- User Programmable as
 - Wheel Speeds
 - Dual RPM Limit
 - Overrun Boost Activation
 - Other sensors configurable

POWER



COMMUNICATIONS

- CAN for diagnostics, tuning, logging retrieval and communication with other devices

4 Fuel Injector Drivers

- Programmable Current Outputs
- Up to 4 sequential high or low ohm injectors

4 Ignition Drivers

- Up to 4 outputs for multi coil applications

8 Auxiliary Outputs

- Programmable as
 - Drive by Wire
 - Continuously Variable Cam Control
 - Turbo Waste Gate Control
 - Intercooler Spray Bar Control
 - Idle Speed Control
 - Nitrous Injection
 - Auxiliary Valves
 - Stepper Motor Control
 - Driver Warning Lights
 - Shift Lights
 - Tacho signal
 - Fuel Pressure Control
 - DC Servo Control
 - Thermatic Fan Control
 - Other devices as required

Sensor Power Supply

- Separate Engine and Auxiliary Sensor Supplies

ALSO AVAILABLE FROM MoTeC - visit www.motec.com.au for details



ECUs:
Other **MoTeC** engine management systems available include: M4, M48, M600, M800 and M880.



ADVANCED DASH LOGGER:
The ADL is a fully programmable data logger, device controller and display unit.



MINI DIGITAL DISPLAY:
The MDD is a compact satellite display unit designed for use with **MoTeC**'s ADL or ECUs.



PROFESSIONAL LAMBDA METER:
MoTeC's user configurable PLM accurately determines exhaust gas mixture strength for various fuels.



SENSORS & ACCESSORIES:
A full range is available to suit individual applications. Contact your dealer for details.



ENGINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM	M400	ENGINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM	M400
GENERAL		STANDARD FEATURES	
Microprocessor - 3.3V 32 Bit with next generation time co-processor and 32MHz internal operation	✓	Narrow Band Lambda Control	✓
Quality Standard	ISO 9002	Wideband Lambda Control using external meter	✓
Manufacturing Standard - IPC-S-815-A Class 3 High Reliability	✓	Switched Cam Control	✓
Warranty Parts and Labour	2 year	Driver Warning Alarm and Shift Light Control	✓
Burn in -10 to 70 Deg C, 10 cycles in 32 hours	✓	Tacho Output	✓
ECU Control Software stored in updatable Flash memory	✓	Gear Detection	✓
High RFI Immunity	✓	Dual RPM Limit	✓
Low heat generation when using low ohm injectors	✓	Ground Speed Limiting	✓
Battery transient protection	✓	Nitrous Oxide Enrich / Retard	✓
Environmentally sealed electronics	✓	Air Conditioner Fan and Clutch Control	✓
Waterproof connector with gold plated contacts	✓	Over Run Fuel Cut	✓
Case Size (mm)	147 x 105 x 40	Programmable Sensor Calibrations	✓
Weight (kg)	0.500	RPM Limit, Hard or Soft cut, fuel and/or ignition	✓
PC Communications	CAN	Turbo Wastegate Control	✓
Logger and Display Communications	CAN and RS232	Intercooler Spray Bars	✓
Cylinders	1, 2, 3, 4 Sequential	Idle Speed Control (Pulse Width Modulated, Stepper, Drive by Wire)	✓
Engines 2 stroke, 4 stroke, Rotary (2 Rotor)	✓	RPM / Load Dependent Valves	✓
Maximum RPM	> 20,000	Fuel Used Output	✓
OPERATING CONDITIONS		Fuel Pressure Control	✓
Internal Temperature Range (Deg C)	-10 - 85 Deg	Fuel Pump Relay Control	✓
Ambient Temperature (Deg C) (Depending on load and ventilation)	-10 - 70 Deg	Alternator Control	✓
Operating Voltage	6 - 22V DC	Thermatic Fan Control	✓
Operating Current (ECU only)	0.5 A max.	Slip Warning Light	✓
Reverse Battery Protection	External Fuse	User Definable 3D Output Tables with selectable axis parameters	✓
COMPUTER SOFTWARE		OPTIONAL FEATURES (Necessary for some applications)	
Tuning, setup, diagnostic and utility software (Windows)	✓	Data Logging	Opt. 1
Computer Requirements	IBM PC with printer port, Win 95 to XP	Onboard Wideband Lambda Sensor Controller for NTK UEGO & Bosch LSU sensors	Opt. 2 (Single)
Built-in help system	✓	Traction Control and Launch Control (2, 3 or 4 wheel)	Opt. 3
Data Logging Analysis	Opt. 1	Gear Change Ignition Cut (Flat shifts)	Opt. 3
User definable screen layouts	✓	High/Low Injection (Staged Injection)	Opt. 3
INJECTION OUTPUTS		Overrun Boost Enhancement (Anti-lag)	Opt. 3*
Switchmode, high efficiency, low heat generation	✓	Continuously Variable Cam Control	Opt. 4
Type	Peak and hold	Drive by Wire Throttle	Opt. 5
Number	4	AUXILIARY OUTPUTS	
Injector Resistance	> 0.1 Ohm	Number of Auxiliary Outputs	8
User Programmable Current	0.5 - 6 Amp peak	All outputs are Pulse Width Modulated or Switched capable	✓
User Definable Battery Voltage Compensation	✓	4 Wire Stepper Motor capable	✓
FUEL CALIBRATION		Number of Outputs with High and Low Side drive	6
Accuracy	0.000002 sec	Auxiliary Outputs can be used for standard and optional functions as required	✓
RPM and Load Sites are user programmable	✓	TRIGGER SENSORS	
Main Table (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	40 x 21	Directly Compatible with most OEM trigger systems including:	
End of Injection Primary and Secondary (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	20 x 11	Hall, Magnetic and Optical types	✓
Individual Cylinder Trim	✓	Multi-tooth (e.g. Mazda and Toyota)	
Individual Cylinder Tables (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	20 x 11	1 or 2 Missing Teeth (e.g. Porsche)	
Secondary Injector Balance Table (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	20 x 11	Many other special types incl. Ford narrow tooth, Nissan optical, RX8 and more	
Auxiliary Compensations (any channel)	2	Digital Signal Processing with Advanced Diagnostics	✓
Adjustable MAP, Engine and Air Temperature, Fuel Pressure, Fuel Temperature and Gear Compensations	✓	Throttle Position, Manifold Pressure, Engine and Air Temperature	✓
Accel./Deccel. Clamp, Decay and Sensitivity	✓	Auxiliary Sensor Inputs	10
Cold Start (user definable 3D table)	✓	Digital/Speed Inputs	4
End of injection compensation (any channel)	1	Narrow Band	✓
Adjustable injector dead-time compensation	✓	Wideband using external meter	✓
Number	4	Single onboard Wideband, fully temperature compensated using high speed, professional type NTK UEGO or Bosch LSU sensors	Opt. 2
Ignition Interface allows connection to most OEM Ignition systems	✓	Range - Lambda	0.70 to 32.0
Accuracy	0.1 degree	Resolution - Lambda	0.001
RPM and Load Sites are user programmable	✓	Lambda inputs also usable as 0-5V analogue input	1
Main Table (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	40 x 21	Logging of all ECU parameters	Opt. 1
Individual Cylinder Trim	✓	Memory, Non-Volatile Flash	512k
Individual Cylinder Tables (3D) - RPM sites x Load sites	20 x 11	Individual Parameter and Rate Selection	✓
Adjustable MAP, Engine and Air Temperature, Gear Compensations	✓	Logging Rate - samples per second	1 to 200
Auxiliary Compensations (any channel)	2	Logging Time - 28 Parameters + Diagnostics at 5/sec	38 minutes
Gear Compensation	✓	Interpreter Software - Graphical Analysis	✓
Accel. Adv. Clamp, Decay and Sensitivity	✓	Maximum parameters logged	64
Dwell Time - RPM x Battery Voltage	10 x 11	Maximum logging throughput	10 kbytes/sec
Odd Fire engine capability (any angle)	✓	Injectors Open Circuit, Short Circuit, Peak Current not reached	✓
Rotary Ignition Split	✓	Sensors Open and Short Circuit	✓
Main Table (3D) - RPM Sites x User Defined Sites	20 x 11	Ref/Sync noise warning and error diagnostics (noise, runt pulses and amplitude)	✓
Engine, Air and Exhaust Temperature Compensation	✓	Operating Errors: RPM Limit Exceeding, Injector Overduty, Over Boost, Low Battery, REF Error etc.	✓
Auxiliary Compensation (any channel)	1		



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