

Operation:

The gauge needs only the PWR and GND terminals connected to light up. When the DIM terminal has 12 volts, it will dim the display for night viewing. The BIM-19 provides all of the sensor connections and attaches to the gauge with the supplied 3.5mm data cable. **The senders must be Dakota Digital part SEN-03-9.** Sending units from other manufacturers will cause incorrect readings. SEN-03-9 has 1/8" NPT threads. If other thread sizes are needed, an adapter fitting should be used to change the thread size. If a sender is giving an incorrect reading, the display will show "EE". If the sender is shorted to ground, the display will show "--".

The display will flash and the warning output will be set whenever one of the displayed pressures is out of the warning set limits.

The default setup for the BIM-19-1 will work correctly with the ODY-19-6 kit. Additional specifics about the BIM-19-1 can be found in its separate manual.

Air Ride setup options:

		4 bag	3 bag	Front/Rear	Left/Right
LR	-	LEFT REAR	REAR	REAR	LEFT
RR	-	RIGHT REAR	not connected	not connected	RIGHT
LF	-	LEFT FRONT	LEFT FRONT	FRONT	not connected
RF	-	RIGHT FRONT	RIGHT FRONT	not connected	not connected
TNK	-	TANK (optional for all bag setups)			

Specs for each input are:

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Part #	Range	resolution	low warning	high warning
SEN-03-9	0 - 300psi	1	0 – 252	48 – 300

Using external warning indicators:

The WRN terminal provides a ground trigger whenever any of the senders are outside the set limits. Low current indicators (less than 1 A) can be activated directly by connecting their power wire to 12 volts and connecting their ground wire to the WRN terminal.

For higher current buzzers or lights, a relay will need to be used to switch the indicator on. Dakota Digital's RLY-1 30A relay may be used for this. One of the coil wires should be connected to 12 volts and the other coil wire connected to the WRN terminal. When the gauge is outside its limits, the relay will turn on. The relay contact wires can be used to switch the higher current.

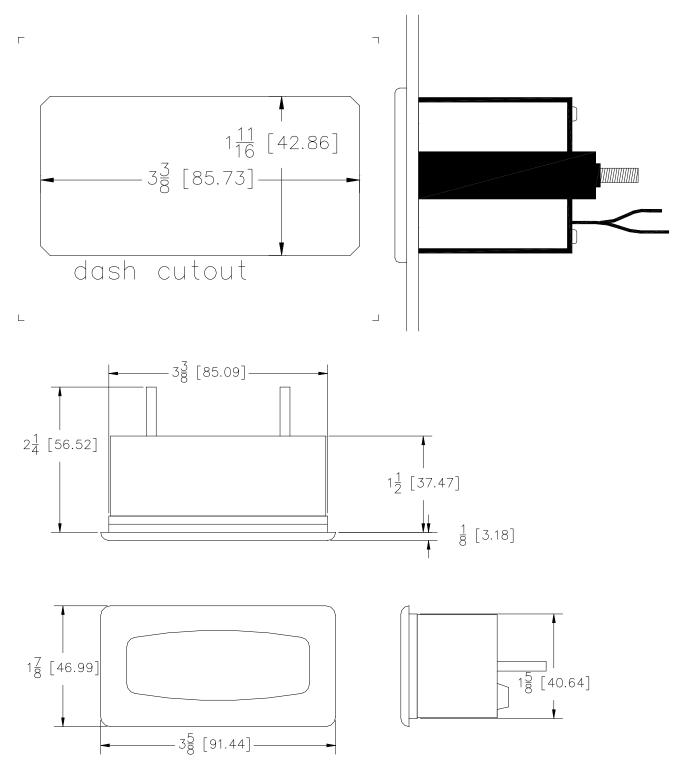
Setting the warning limit:

The low and high warning limits can be set to different values for each sensor. A push button switch connected to the SW terminal is used for setting the warning limit. The switch should provide a momentary ground to the SW terminal. The procedure for setting the warning limit is as follows:

- 1. Hold the switch while you turn the key on. The display should light up and show "WARNING" "SETUP".
- Release the switch. The display should show "FOUND x SENDERS" with 'x' indicating the number of senders detected. This number should match the number of senders connected to the BIM-19-1. Only senders that are connected can have their warning points set. (if 0 is shown, check the BIM and sender connections and then momentarily press the switch)
- 3. The display will show the first sender label and its ID #.
- 4. Each time the switch is momentarily pressed it will go to the next sender.
- 5. When the desired sender is shown, press and hold the switch. When the lower section of the display blanks, release the switch.
- 6. The display will now show "Warning Lo" and the current low warning point (0 252).
- 7. Each time the switch is momentarily pressed the low warning point will increase.
- 8. When the desired low warning point is displayed, press and hold the switch. When the text blanks, release the switch.
- 9. The display will now show "Warning Hi" and the current high warning point (48 300).
- 10. Each time the switch is momentarily pressed the high warning point will increase.
- 11. When the desired high warning point is displayed, press and hold the switch. When the text blanks, release the switch.
- 12. The display will now go back to the sender selection screen in step 4. You can select another sender to set or turn the key off to exit setup.

Mounting:

The gauge requires a rectangular cut out that is about 3-3/8 x 1-11/16. It should be inserted into the opening from the front and the U-clamp will be installed from the back. Tighten the two nuts on the U-clamp so that the gauge is secure.



Troubleshooting guide.

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
Gauge will not light up	PWR terminal does not have power.	Connect to a location that has power.
	GND terminal is not getting a good ground.	Connect ground to a different location.
Gauge lights up, but displays	Gauge is damaged. BIM-19-1 is not connected.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions) Connect a BIM-19 using the 3.5mm data cable.
"No Senders Found"	BIM-19-1 is not powered. Data cable is not plugged in securely.	Check power connections on BIM-19. Check both ends of the data cable.
Gauge lights up, but displays "BIM-19 SIGNAL ERROR"	BIM-19-1 is not connected. BIM-19-1 is not powered. Data cable is not plugged in securely.	Connect a BIM-19 using the 3.5mm data cable. Check power connections on BIM-19. Check both ends of the data cable.
Gauge lights up, but displays "EE".	Sender is not connected to BIM-19.	Connect wires from sender to BIM-19 terminals.
	Wires are crossed or shorted. Wire between BIM-19 and sender is broken.	Verify sender connection to BIM-19. Test and replace wire.
	BIM-19 is damaged. Sender is damaged.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions) Return for replacement. (see instructions)
Gauge lights up, but displays "".	Sender wire is shorted to ground. Wire between BIM-19 and	Check wire for damaged insulation, replace if necessary. Test and replace wire.
	sender is broken. BIM-19 is damaged.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions)
Gauge lights up, but does	Sender is damaged. Loose connection on	Return for replacement. (see instructions) Reconnect wire going to PWR terminal.
not read correctly.	power wire.	
	Poor sender ground.	Make sure gauge and BIM are getting a solid ground.
	Poor ground connection. Incorrect sender type.	Move ground to different location Make sure sender has been replaced with the correct type (SEN-03-9).
Gauge flashes constantly.	Warning limits are not set properly.	Reset warning limits.
	Vehicle has improper air pressure.	Check air level and air pump.
External warning indicator does not work.	Indicator not connected properly.	Check indicator wiring connections.
	Indicator does not work.	Repair or replace indicator.
	Gauge output has been damaged.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions)
Gauge will not dim.	DIM terminal is not connected correctly.	Check wiring connections.
	Gauge is damaged.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions)
Gauge remains dim at all times.	DIM terminal is getting power all of the time.	Connect DIM terminal to location that only has power when the headlights are on.
	Battery is very low.	Recharge or replace vehicle battery.
	Gauge is damaged.	Return gauge for repair. (see instructions)

Technical specifications

Minimum operating voltage	-	7 volts		
Maximum operating voltage	-	18 volts		
(operating at or near maximum rating for an extended time can damage unit)				
Maximum pressure reading	-	300 psi		
Gauge Resolution	-	1 psi		
Typical current draw (@ 13.8V)	-	0.2 A		

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