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Saab 9-3 From model year 1998, with diesel engine

Fault code P1220 stored in the control unit, engine warning light illuminates.

If there are complaints with these vehicles that fault code 1220 is stored in the control unit and/or that the engine warning light illuminates, one possible cause is a lack of fuel supply. The diesel fuel pump is stated as the fault description for fault code P1220. Before replacing the fuel pump, it is essential to check the fuel filter, and the suction and return lines, as fault code P1220 is also reported when the fuel filter or the lines are clogged / damaged.

To rule out these sources of faults, it is advisable to subject these components to a precise test, in order to avoid unnecessary replacement of the fuel pump.



