

## WABCO Trailer EBS

### Now available for vehicles with mechanical suspensions too

Since May 2005, the Trailer EBS has also been released for vehicles with mechanical (leaf-spring) suspension. The necessary report EB 123.5E is available on our internet portal [www.wabco-auto.com](http://www.wabco-auto.com), under Publications in INFORM.

The following vehicle types and functions have been released:

Trailer type	EBS	EBS+RSS*
Semitrailer	X	X
Single-axle trailer	X	X
Drawbar trailer	X	--

\*RSS = Roll Stability Support

For the time being, the RSS may not be enabled in drawbar trailers with leaf spring suspensions. In addition, only mechanically-sprung axles with a minimum suspension travel which lie within the light-coloured area of the loaded/unloaded ratio diagram (Figure 1) are approved.

The control ratio is calculated using the formula  $i_{BL} = \frac{\text{Axle load laden [kg]}}{\text{Axle load empty [kg]}}$ .

#### Example:

A vehicle has an axle load of 8000 kg when loaded and an axle load of 1500 kg when empty, its suspension travel is 20 mm. This gives an  $i_{BL}$  of:

$$i_{BL} = \frac{8000 \text{ kg}}{1500 \text{ kg}} \approx 5,3$$

As can be seen from the diagram, the suspension travel for this vehicle lies between 13 and 50 mm. The Trailer EBS can therefore be used.

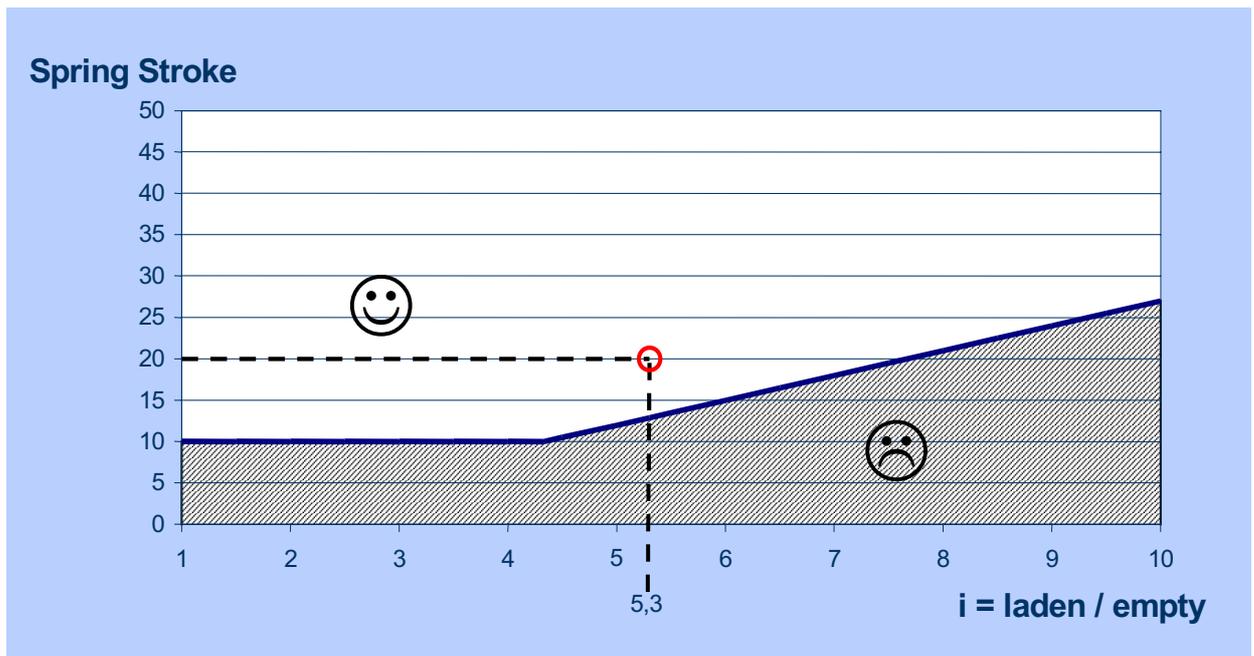


Figure 1: Loaded/empty ratio diagram

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## ■ How is the load recorded and sensed?

In these vehicle types the load is measured by a mechanical displacement/pressure conversion. To this end, a newly developed, dynamic, load-sensing control valve is used; part number 475 713 002 0. This valve is permanently supplied with a constant pressure of 3.0 bar at port 1 via the pressure-limiting valve 475 015 014 0.

The control valve proportionally converts the suspension travel into a pressure, which is then evaluated by the integrated pressure sensor of the trailer modulator. To do this, the pressure pressure outlet port 2 of the control valve must be connected with port 5 (bellows pressure) of the trailer modulator.

Ensure that the vehicle compresses proportional to the load and reaches the suspension travel specified by the manufacturer at full payload.

A rigid coupling is required as tension and pressure forces occur. For this reason, trailer may not be linked by a rope/cable.

**Please note, only the control valve 475 713 002 0 may be used.**

**The necessary components are also available as a set:**

WABCO Set order number: **400 602 572 0** consisting of:

Load-sensing control valve 475 713 002 0

Pressure limiting valve: 475 015 014 0

## ■ Determination of the lever length for the load-sensing control valve 475 713 002 0:

The length of the lever travel (L) depends on the static suspension travel of the axle assembly. The lever length can be determined using the Windows ALB program from Version 1.60. You can download this program via our Internet portal [www.wabco-auto.com](http://www.wabco-auto.com). It also enables you to printout a special, additional ALB label as shown in Figure 2.

**The ALB label must be printed out and attached to the vehicle in addition to the trailer's EBS system label, to document the set values.**

The order number for the system and additional reference plate is the same: 899 200 922 4

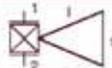
Vorderachse(n)		Front axle(s)		Hinterachse(n)		Rear axle(s)	
Eingangsdruck Input pressure				Eingangsdruck Input pressure			
bar				3,0 bar			
Ventil Nr. Valve No.				Ventil Nr. Valve No.			
				<b>475 713 002 0 EBS</b>			
 Hebellänge l Lever length l		mm		 Hebellänge l Lever length l		108 mm	
Achslast Axle load kg	Federweg s Spring defl. s mm	Ausgangsdruck Output pressure bar	Achslast Axle load kg	Federweg s Spring defl. s mm	Ausgangsdruck Output pressure bar		
			1500	20	1,0		
			5500	0	3,0		

Figure 2: Additional ALB reference plate with example values

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## ■ Installing the control valve:

The control valve is installed in the middle of the axle. The lever length determined is set at the control valve. This can be pushed in the shaft by releasing the central screw on the coupling. Select the fitted length so that the coupling rod is vertical.

- **Setting the initial “Unladen” pressure:**

Set with filled brake system.

A manometer is required at port 2 to determine the no load position<sup>1</sup>. The control valve lever is placed in the position in which an initial pressure of 1 bar results. The connecting rod is set to this position and fixed.

- **Checking the “laden” braking pressure:**

If the no load pressure is correct, the lever is raised by the calculated suspension travel (difference between unladen/laden heights, to do this unhitch coupling rod at lever). The initial pressure of the control valve must continuously rise to 3 bar.

- **If the controlled pressure is less than 2.8 bar:**

Shorten lever and start again with the braking pressure setting “unladen”.

- **If the controlled pressure equals 3.0 bar:**

Lower lever by approx. 10% of spring travel. The output pressure must now be less than the input pressure. In this case the setting is completed. If not: Lengthen lever and start again with the “unladen” braking pressure.

The control valve must be set so that a controlled pressure of 1 bar results when the vehicle is empty and 3 bar when the vehicle is laden. The control valve’s default setting is set to 1 bar.

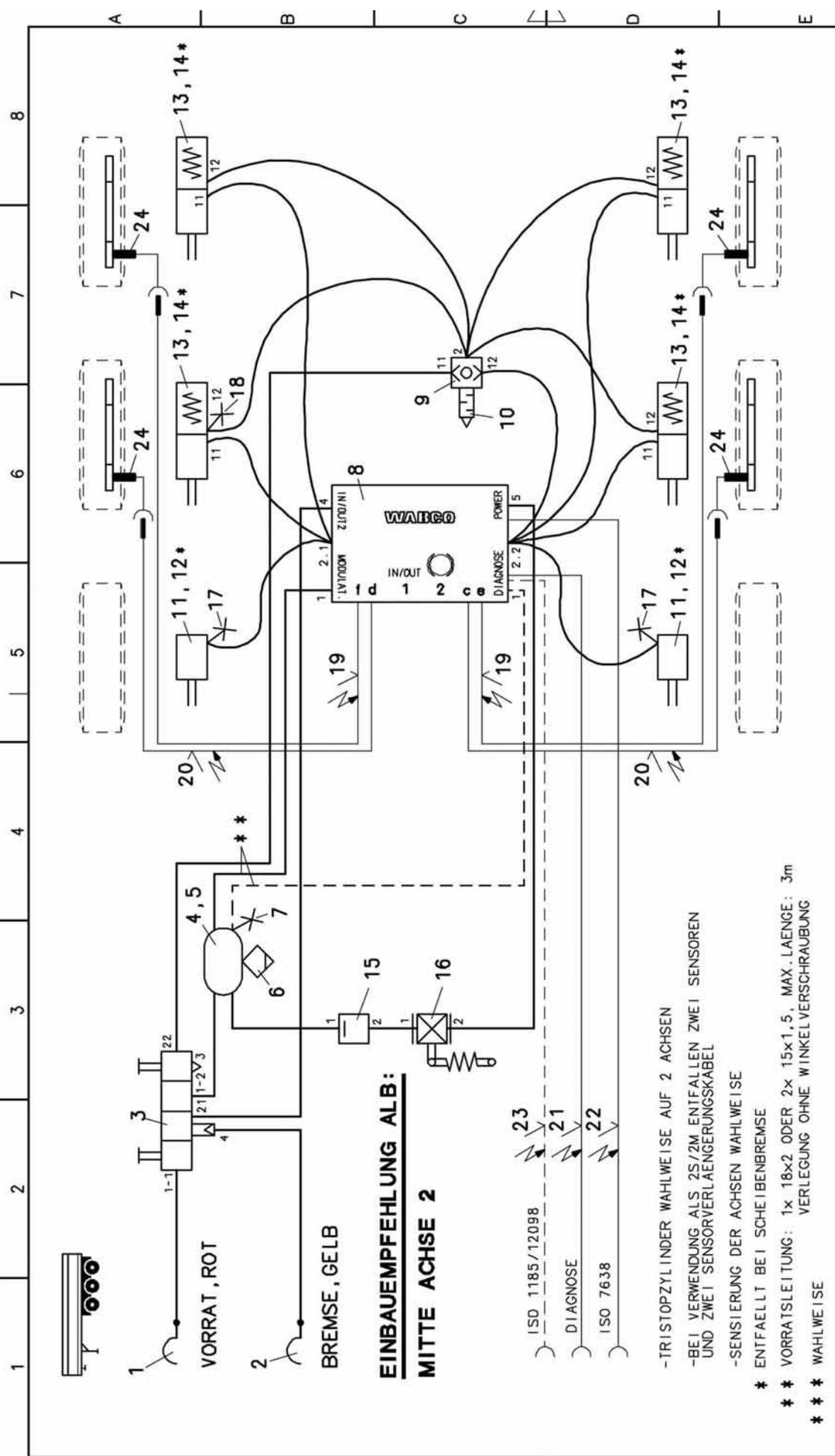
These values must also be parameterised in the EBS as unladen and loaded bellows pressure.

	Initial pressure P2 at the control valve	Parameterised bellows pressure in the EBS
<b>Unladen/empty</b>	<b>1 bar</b>	<b>1 bar</b>
<b>Loaded</b>	<b>3 bar</b>	<b>3 bar</b>

Auf den folgenden Seiten sind die Bremsschemata für Sattel-/Zentralachsanhänger und Deichselanhänger dargestellt. The braking diagrams for semi/single-axle trailers and drawbar trailers are shown on the following pages.

<sup>1</sup> The manometer is not necessary if using the TEBS diagnosis:

1. Start diagnosis and connect to the TEBS.
2. Call up menu item Measured values → Driving test... .
3. The pressure at outlet 2 is displayed as the bellows pressure c, d.



**EINBAUEMPFEHLUNG ALB:**  
**MITTE AXSE 2**

- ISO 1185/12098
- DIAGNOSE
- ISO 7638

-TRISTOPFZYLINDER WAHLWEISE AUF 2 AXSEN  
 -BEI VERWENDUNG ALS 2S/2M ENTFALLEN ZWEI SENSOREN UND ZWEI SENSORVERLÄNGERUNGSKABEL  
 -SENSIERUNG DER AXSEN WAHLWEISE  
 \* ENTFALLET BEI SCHEIBENBREMSE  
 \*\* VORRATSLAUFLEITUNG: 1x 18x2 ODER 2x 15x1,5, MAX. LAENGE: 3m  
 \*\*\* WAHLWEISE

FIG. / PCS.	DENOMINATION	PROD. IDENTIFICATION NO.	PCS. / PCS.	DENOMINATION	PROD. IDENTIFICATION NO.	PCS. / PCS.	DATE
13	4	TRISTOPFZYLINDER	925	...	...	0	
12	2	BEIPACK	423	000	...	2	
11	2	MEMBRANZYLINDER	432	10	...	0	
10	1	GERAEUSCHDAEMPFER	432	407	060	0	
9	1	ZWEI W.-SCHNELLOESEV.	973	500	051	0	
8	1	ANHAENGER-MODULATOR	480	102	01	0	
7	1	PRUEFANSCHLUSS	463	703	115	0	
6	1	ENTWASSERUNGSVENTIL	934	300	001	0	
5	2	SPANNBAND	451	999	...	0	
4	1	LUFTEBHAELTER	950	...	...	0	
3	1	PARK-LOESE-SICHERH.	971	002	9	0	
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