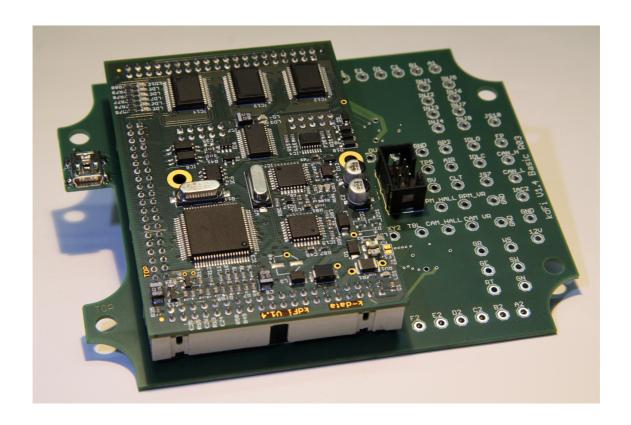


# kdFi V1.4 RO8 (As from: 26 October 2015)

# **User Manual (English)**



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### 1. Introduction

Congratulation for buying the kdFi V1.4.

The circuit of the kdFi bases on Megasquirt MS2 V3.0. It was refined for the firmware MS2extra and provided with additional circuits in order to enable easy adaptation to a great number of engine types.

A Wideband Lambda Controller (breitband-lambda.de) is also arranged on the PCB. A Bosch LSU 4.2 Lambda Sonde can be connected directly without the need to buy a further controller.

In addition for ease of use the serial inputs were replaced by an USB port galvanically isolated from the PC.

# 2. Included in Delivery

- kdFi V1.4 device ready for use
- Software CD
- User manual

### 3. Software

It is recommended installing the software from the starting menu of the CD before connecting the kdFi for the first time.

### 3.1 USB Driver

You will find the USB driver of the FTDI Company on the CD in the directory "USB". It is the FTDI2232 Chip.

The Chip simulates a serial RS232 connection which you can use in 2 ways:

- 1. Tunerstudio Communications Settings: RS232 , COM-port , 115200 Baud
- 2. Tunerstudio Communications Settings: Wireless and USB (only in registered Version), Auto , 115200 Baud

### 3.2 Tunerstudio

For tuning we recommend using the software "Tunerstudio" available on the Internet under "Tunerstudio.com". You will find the corresponding manual on the website of the manufacturer.

### 4. Connection

The kdFi - like all other voltage supplied parts - must be preceded by a fuse. The amperage rating of the fuse must not exceed the maximum amperage of the cable.

# 4.1 Cable Types

#### Recommended cable types:

Ignition: min 1.5 mm²
Injection: min 1.5 mm²

VR sensor: min 0.5 mm², shielded

Sensors: min 0.5 mm²
Others: min 0.75 mm²



### 4.2 Fuses

We recommend using a 2A fuse for protecting the kdFi V1.4. A 5A fuse which can only be replaced by SMD soldering is integrated in the kdFi. Therefore avoid tripping this fuse.

# 4.3 USB Port (Galvanically Isolated)

Since there were occasional disconnects of the USB connection on the previous model kdFi V1.3 due to potential differences and other electrical disturbances, the USB port of the V1.4 has been galvanically isolated. Another difference is that the part electrically connected to the PC is "USB powered". This fact simplifies the optimization of the start-up behaviour significantly because when you restart the ignition, the PC mustn't download the USB driver each time anew.

The USB chip is of course downwards compatible, which means it can be used both with USB 3.0, 2.0 and 1.1t. Each standard USB cable can be used as connection cable.

# 4.4 Assignment

The programmable inputs/ outputs of the kdFi are already connected with the corresponding extension circuitry on the PCB.

#### Connections:

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Function	E/A	Function
A1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 1
B1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 2
C1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 3
D1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 4
E1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 5
F1	IGN	Ignition output cylinder 6
A2	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 1
B2	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 2
C2	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 3
D2	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 4
E1	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 5
F1	IGN	Ignition output parallel to cylinder 6
IGN_GND	IGN	GND ignition – ground separately (not available on newer PCB's)
INJ1	INJ	Injection valve 1
INJ2 INJ Injection valve 2		Injection valve 2
INJ3	INJ	Injection valve 3
INJ4	INJ	Injection valve 4
INJ5	INJ	Injection valve 5
INJ6	INJ	Injection valve 6
INJ7	INJ	Injection valve 7
INJ8	INJ	Injection valve 8
12V	Е	Input voltage 12V
GND	GND	Ground
FP	Α	Fuel pump
FDLC	Α	Idle speed controller 3-pin - CLOSED
FDLO	Α	Idle speed controller 3-pin - OPEN
CAM	Е	Rotation speed measurement camshaft
JS11	Α	Connector internal SV1-9



IAC1	Α	Tacho Output (signal for rev counter)
OXY2	E	Lambda sensor signal bank 2
JS7	E	Digital Input
GND	GND	Ground
GND	GND	
GND RPM	GND	
GND OXY	GND	
IAC2	Α	Relay Output (max 2A)
AIR	Е	Air temperature sensor
CLT	Е	Water temperature sensor
RPM	Е	Rotation speed measurement crankshaft
OXY	Е	Lambda sensor signal
OXY_2	Е	Lambda sensor signal bank 2
OXY_out	Α	Analog output wideband controller (mostly connected to OXY)
JS5	Е	Additional function
LSU_SW	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : BLACK
LSU_GE	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : YELLOW
LSU_RT	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : RED
LSU_GR	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : GREY
LSU_WS	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : WHITE
LSU GN	WB	Bosch LSU 4.2 : GREEN
GND	TPS	Throttle potentiometer Ground
TPS	TPS	Throttle potentiometer Position Signal
TPS_5V	TPS	Throttle potentiometer 5V Power Supply
TBL	Е	Table Switch
JS2	Α	Additional functions

TPS - Throttle Position Sensor

# 5. Commissioning

# 5.1 Light Emitting Diodes

Description	Colour	Function
LD1	red	Connection error
LD2	green	Power supply OK
LD3	yellow	Data packet from USB to MS2
LD4	green	Data packet from MS2 to USB
LD5	blue	Ignition pulse A
LD6	blue	Ignition pulse B
LD7	blue	Ignition pulse C
LD8	blue	Ignition pulse D
LD9	blue	Ignition pulse E
LD10	blue	Ignition pulse F
LD11	red	Wideband controller error
LD12	green	Wideband controller operation: blink slow / stand-by: on

The LEDs LD5 to LD10 may also have other functions according to the software. They depend on the customer's settings.



### 5.2 Speed Measurement

Please use the DIP switches to select the type of input you need.

Switches 1 and 2 are for the primary input which can also be the CAM signal e.g. in the distributor if you don't have a Cranksignal. Switches 3 and 4 are for the secound input if you use crank (1) and cam (2) input.

Please do not activate VR and HALL for one sensor at the same time. This will not work proper.

#### 1. VR Sensor

The measurement via VR sensor is the most widespread way in Europe for car engines. An AC voltage is induced in the coil of the VR sensor by a metal wheel with 60-2 or 36-1 cogs. A specialised component performing an auto-adaptation to the different sensors is integrated in the kdFi V1.4. In this way the potentiometers don't need to be adjusted any more.

#### 2. HALL sensor

With different Hall sensors you possibly need a resistor of 1 to 10 ohm between signal and +5.

### 5.3 Sensors

The factory settings of kdFi are adapted to Bosch sensors. A separate software calibration of the sensors is possible via software.

### 5.4 Throttle Potentiometer

The throttle potentiometer is connected up by a 3-wire cable. +5V and GND are connected to the outer static pins of the potentiometer. The voltage relating to the throttle position is tapped via the sliding contact and connected to the input TPS (Throttle Position Sensor). The covered distance of the potentiometer may be longer than the rotation of the throttle axle. The corresponding calibration is done via "Tools" – "Calibrate TPS".

# 5.5 Digital Input

There is a digital input that can be used for example as "Launch Control". The corresponding function has to be defined in Megatune. Specify JS7 as input.

### 5.6 Table Switch

Via the input "TBL", a second set of parameters can be activated in the controller. With a switch setting the input to ground, you can switch between two stored ignition and injection maps. This is useful for various tunings such as road/ racing, petrol/ gas, petrol/ E85 etc. Connecting to a higher voltage than 5V will damage the processor of the kdFi. Digital inputs must only be connected to ground.

### 5.7 Barometric Correction

For using the constant barometric correction there must be a second absolute pressure transmitter (MPX4250) at the back side that is not installed ex works.

The option "Barometric Correction" has to be activated in Megatune "Basic Settings" – "General Lags" and adjusted in "Extended" – "Barometric Correction".

Choose JS4 as input.

The sensor can be mounted directly on the solder pads of the PCB next to the MAP sensor.



### 5.8 Tacho Output

The output "Tacho Output" is provided for standard tachometers. It can be activated in the software "Extended" – "Tacho Output". Choose "IAC1" as "Output on".

### 5.9 Idle Speed Controller

The kdFi V1.4 supports both the 2-pin and the 3-pin idle speed controller. Pin connections of the idle speed control:

2-pin: +12V and FDLO

3-pin: +12V and FDLO (open) and FDLC (closed)

# 5.10 Ignition

The ignition coil can be activated directly by the power drivers integrated in the kdFi V1.4. We recommend using a shielded multi-conductor cable for connection. The kdFi is equipped with 12 power drivers enabling direct activation of 12 ignition coils according to the wasted spark principle.

Alternatively to up to 6 ignition coils can be activated according to the Coil on Plug principle.

# 5.11 Injection

There are 8 outputs (INJ1-8) for injection valves; the first four outputs can be controlled individually. Outputs 5-8 are controlled in parallel to the first four, and in the version with housing, they are not routed to the external pins. The additional ground connection (INJ\_GND) should be connected to ground with low impedance (high conductor cross-section) to prevent potential shifts on the PCB. The injection valves are supplied with +12 V via the ignition and the ground wires of the valves are activated via the control unit

Attention:

The kdFi V1.4 hardware controls the current of the injectors, so PWM Current Limit always needs to be set to

100%, also on low impedance injectors.

If low impedance injectors are used 1 output can handle only 1 injector

# 5.12 Relais Output/ Boost Pressure Control

A relay output is available under IAC2, which can switch 2 ampere, but is also suitable for a PWM signal. e.g. boost pressure control.

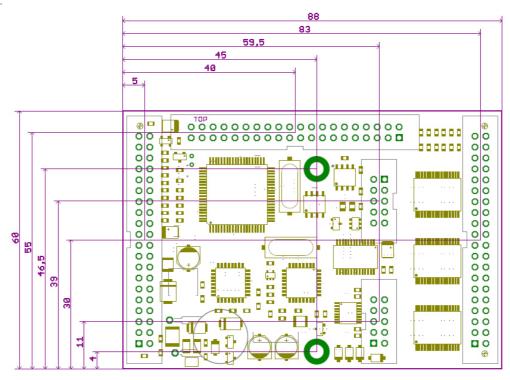
### **5.13 CAN Bus**

Like for the Megasquirt 2 the CAN Bus is euipped concerning the hardware, but has to be programmed accordingly by the user if desired. For further information on this item please read the respective Megasquirt /MSextra websides on the internet.

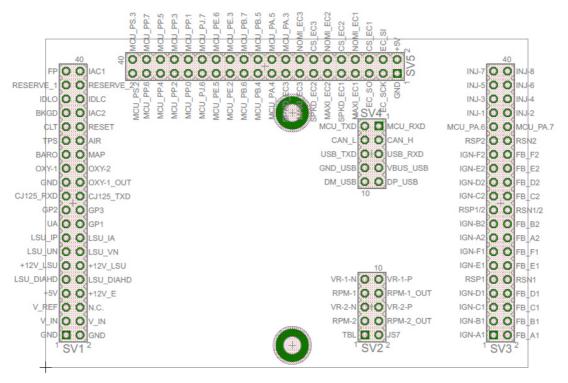


### 6. Basic PCB

Dimensions:



Assignment:





# Pinout:

Con	Pin Signalname	Description	Typ Application	I/O	Туре
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SV1	1 GND	Power In (Ground)	Main GND	<u> </u>	
SV1	2 GND	Power In (Ground)	Main GND	1	
SV1	3 V_IN	Power In (12V)	12V Igniotion on	1	
SV1	4V_IN	Power In (12V)	12V Igniotion on	I	
SV1	5 V_REF	REF Out			
SV1	6 -	Not Connected		nc	
SV1	7 <mark>+5V</mark>	+5V Out for sensors and circuits		0	
SV1	8 <mark>+12V_E</mark>	+12V Out sensors and circuits		0	
SV1	9 LSU_DIAHD	Lambda-Sensor Heat PWM	LSU 4.2 grau		
SV1	10 LSU_DIAHD	Lambda-Sensor Heat PWM	LSU 4.2 grau		
SV1	11 +12V_LSU	Lambda-Sensor Heat +12V	LSU 4.2 weiß		
SV1	12+12V_LSU	Lambda-Sensor Heat +12V	LSU 4.2 weiß		
SV1	13 LSU_UN	Lambda-Sensor Signal UN	LSU 4.2 schwarz		
SV1	14 <mark>LSU_VM</mark>	Lambda-Sensor Signal VM	LSU 4.2 gelb		
SV1	15 <mark>LSU_IP</mark>	Lambda-Sensor Signal IP	LSU 4.2 rot		
SV1	16 <mark>LSU_IA</mark>	Lambda-Sensor Signal IA		nc	
SV1	17 UA	Lambda Amplifier Out		nc	
SV1	18 GP1	I/O-Port ATmega8		I	TTL
SV1	19 GP2	Start Lambdacontroler		ı	TTL
SV1	20 GP3	I/O-Port ATmega8		I	TTL
SV1	21 CJ125_RXD	RS232-Interface to CJ125			TTL
SV1	22 CJ125 TXD	RS232-Interface to CJ125			TTL
SV1	23 GND	Ground for Pin 24	GND		
SV1	24 OXY-1 OUT	Wideband Sensor Output	SV1-25	0	0-5V
SV1	25 OXY-1	Analogsignal OXY 1	Lambdasensor 1	1	0-5V
SV1	26 OXY-2	Analogsignal OXY 2	Lambdasensor 2	1	0-5V
SV1	27 BARO	Analogsignal BARO	Barometric Sensor	1	0-5V
SV1	28 MAP	Analogsignal MAP	Map Sensor	$\top$	0-5V
SV1	29 TPS	Analogsignal TPS	Throttle Position	1	0-5V
SV1	30 AIR	Analogsignal AIR	Airtemp Sensor	ΤĖ	Resistor
SV1	31 CLT	Analogsignal CLT	Coolant Sensor	ΤĖ	Resistor
SV1	32 RESET	Signal Reset Low-Active	220.00.10.001	nc	
SV1	33 BKGD	Signal Background Interface Pin		nc	
SV1	34 IAC1	Signal IAC1 (e.g. RPM in Instr. cluster)	_	0	
SV1	35 IDLO	Idle Valve Open	_	0	switched GND
SV1	36 IDLC	Idle Valve Close		10	switched GND
SV1	37 RESERVE 1	Reserve 1		nc	CIIIIONICA CIAD
SV1	38 RESERVE 2	Reserve 2		nc	+
SV1	39 FP	Fuel Pump		0	switched GND
SV1	40 IAC2	Signal IAC2	_	0	SWILLING GIND
3 / 1	40 A02	Olynai IACZ		10	

Con	Pin Signalname	Description	Typ Application	I/O	Туре
SV2	1 TBL	Signal TBL		I	TTL
SV2	2JS7	Signal JS7		I	TTL
SV2	3RPM-2	Signal RPM-Sensor 2	SV2-4	I	
SV2	4 RPM-2_OUT	RPM-Sensor_2 Output	SV2-3	0	
SV2	5 VR-2-N	Cam Signal Negative	GND	I	
SV2	6 <mark>VR-2-P</mark>	Cam Signal Positive	Hall Sensor	I	
SV2	7 RPM-1	Signal RPM-Sensor 1	SV2-8	I	
SV2	8 RPM-1_OUT	RPM-Sensor_1 Output	SV2-7	0	
SV2	9 VR-1-N	Crank Signal Negative	VR / Hall Sensor	ı	
SV2	10 VR-1-P	Crank Signal Positive	VR / Hall Sensor	I	



Con	Pin Signalname	Description	Typ Application	I/O Type
SV3	1 IGN-A1	Ignition_A1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	2 FB_A1	Feedback_A1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	3 IGN-B1	Ignition_B1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	4 FB_B1	Feedback_B1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	5 IGN-C1	Ignition_C1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	6 FB_C1	Feedback_C1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	7 IGN-D1	Ignition_D1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	8 FB_D1	Feedback_D1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	9 RSP1	Current Resistor Sense Positive	GND	
SV3	10 RSN1	Current Resistor Sense Negative	GND	
SV3	11 IGN-E1	Ignition_E1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	12 FB_E1	Feedback_E1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	13 IGN-F1	Ignition_F1	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	14 FB F1	Feedback F1	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	15 IGN-A2	Ignition A2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	16 FB A2	Feedback A2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	17 IGN-B2	Ignition_B2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	18 FB B2	Feedback B2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	19 RSP1/2	Current Resistor Sense Positive	GND	
SV3	20 RSN1/2	Current Resistor Sense Negative	GND	
SV3	21 IGN-C2	Ignition_C2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	22 FB C2	Feedback C2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	23 IGN-D2	Ignition D2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	24 FB_D2	Feedback_D2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	25 IGN-E2	Ignition_E2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	26 FB E2	Feedback E2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	27 IGN-F2	Ignition F2	Gate IGBT	0
SV3	28 FB F2	Feedback F2	Collector IGBT	1
SV3	29 RSP2	Current Resistor Sense Positive	GND	
SV3	30 RSN2	Current Resistor Sense Negative	GND	
SV3	31 MCU PA.6	Signal MCU PA.6		nc
SV3	32 MCU PA.7	Signal MCU PA.7		nc
SV3	33 INJ-1	Injector_1	Ground Injector	0
SV3	34 INJ-2	Injector_2	Ground Injector	0
SV3	35 INJ-3	Injector_3	Ground Injector	0
SV3	36 INJ-4	Injector 4	Ground Injector	0
SV3	37 INJ-5	Injector_5	Ground Injector	0
SV3	38 INJ-6	Injector_6	Ground Injector	0
SV3	39 INJ-7	Injector_7	Ground Injector	0
SV3	40 INJ-8	Injector 8	Ground Injector	0

Con	Pin Signalname	Description	Typ Application	I/O Type
SV4	1 MCU_RXD	RS232-Interface to MC9S12C64	SV4-6	
SV4	2 MCU_TXD	RS232-Interface to MC9S12C64	SV4-5	
SV4	3 CAN_H	CAN-BUS-Interface to MC9S12C64	nc	
SV4	4 CAN_L	CAN-BUS-Interface to MC9S12C64	nc	
SV4	5 USB_RXD	RS232-Interface to FT232R (Optocoubler)	SV4-2	
SV4	6 USB_TXD	RS232-Interface to FT232R (Optocoubler)	SV4-1	
SV4	7 VBUS_USB	USB-Interface	USB red	
SV4	8 GND_USB	USB-Interface	USB black	
SV4	9 DP_USB	USB-Interface	USB green	
SV4	10 DM USB	USB-Interface	USB white	



Con	Pin Signalname	Description	Typ Application	I/O	Туре
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SV5	1 GND	Power		nc	
SV5	2 <mark>+5V</mark>	Power		nc	
SV5	3 EC_SCK	SPI Bus		nc	
SV5	4 EC_SI	SPI Bus		nc	
SV5	5EC_SO	SPI Bus		nc	
SV5	6 CS_EC1	SPI Bus Engine Controller 1		nc	
SV5	7 MAXI_EC1	SPI Bus Engine Controller 1		nc	
SV5	8 NOMI_EC1	SPI Bus Engine Controller 1		nc	
SV5	9SPKD_EC1	SPI Bus Engine Controller 1		nc	
SV5	10 CS_EC2	SPI Bus Engine Controller 2		nc	
SV5	11 MAX_EC2	SPI Bus Engine Controller 2		nc	
SV5	12 NOMI_EC2	SPI Bus Engine Controller 2		nc	
SV5	13 SPKD_EC2	SPI Bus Engine Controller 2		nc	
SV5	14 CS_EC3	SPI Bus Engine Controller 3		nc	
SV5	15 MAXI_EC3	SPI Bus Engine Controller 3		nc	
SV5	16 NOMI_EC3	SPI Bus Engine Controller 3		nc	
SV5	17 SPKD_EC3	SPI Bus Engine Controller 3		nc	
SV5	18 MCU_PA.3	Signal MCU_PA.3		nc	
SV5	19 MCU PA.4	Signal MCU PA.4		nc	
SV5	20 MCU_PA.5	Signal MCU_PA.5		nc	
SV5	21 MCU PB.4	Signal MCU PB.4		nc	
SV5	22 MCU PB.5	Signal MCU PB.5		nc	
SV5	23 MCU PB.6	Signal MCU PB.6		nc	
SV5	24 MCU PB.7	Signal MCU_PB.7		nc	
SV5	25 MCU PE.2	Signal MCU_PE.2		nc	
SV5	26 MCU PE.3	Signal MCU PE.3		nc	
SV5	27 MCU PE.5	Signal MCU_PE.5		nc	
SV5	28 MCU PE.6	Signal MCU_PE.6		nc	
SV5	29 MCU PJ.6	Signal MCU PJ.6		nc	
SV5	30 MCU PJ.7	Signal MCU PJ.7		nc	
SV5	31 MCU PP.0	Signal MCU PP.0		nc	
SV5	32 MCU PP.1	Signal MCU PP.1		nc	
SV5	33 MCU PP.2	Signal MCU PP.2		nc	
SV5	34 MCU PP.3	Signal MCU PP.3		nc	
SV5	35MCU PP.4	Signal MCU PP.4		nc	
SV5	36 MCU PP.5	Signal MCU_PP.5		nc	
SV5	37 MCU PP.6	Signal MCU_PP.6		nc	
SV5	38 MCU PP.7	Signal MCU_PP.7		nc	
SV5	39 MCU PS.2	Signal MCU PS.2		nc	
SV5	40 MCU PS.3	Signal MCU_PS.3		nc	
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# 7. Wideband Lambda Controller (www.breitband-lambda.de)

The integrated lambda controller is activated by switching the input "GP2" to ground. This can be done continuously with a bridge as the kdFi is only energized as long as the ignition is turned on.

The measurement signal is output to OXY\_out in form of a 0-5V signal and corresponds to the PLX signal 0-5V = AFR10-AFR20.

This characteristic is stored in Tunerstudio and has already been loaded during the test of the control device. After a firmware update this characteristic but must be selected again.

# 8. Firmware Updates

Firmware updates are always performed at your own risk. It may happen that the existing firmware is deleted by disconnections or incompatible computers/ software and it can only be reloaded via a BDM interface. We offer this service, but it is not covered by warranty!

Tunerstudio must be closed during the firmware update to prevent access conflicts.

The ignition coils must be disconnected during the firmware update, until the appropriate configuration has been reloaded via MSQ file.