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**Road vehicles — Communication  
between vehicle and external equipment  
for emissions-related diagnostics —**

**Part 3:  
Diagnostic connector and related  
electrical circuits, specification and use**

*Véhicules routiers — Communications entre un véhicule et un  
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*Partie 3: Connecteur de diagnostic et circuits électriques associés:  
spécifications et utilisation*



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- *Part 2: Terms, definitions, abbreviations and acronyms*
- *Part 3: Diagnostic connector and related electrical circuits, specification and use*
- *Part 4: External test equipment*
- *Part 5: Emissions-related diagnostic services*
- *Part 6: Diagnostic trouble code definitions*
- *Part 7: Data link security*

## Introduction

The various parts of ISO 15031, when taken together, provide a coherent, consistent set of specifications for facilitating emissions-related diagnostics. ISO 15031-2 to ISO 15031-7 are based on recommended practices of the society of automotive engineers (SAE). This part of ISO 15031 is based on SAE J1962:02/98, *Diagnostic Connector*.

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