

# Emtron Shadow 8 Power Supply Wiring

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SHADOW 8

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## Power Supply System

The Shadow 8 power supply system has been designed to allow flexibility on how the ECU manages power-up and power-down sequencing. The real advantage is on the power-down sequence, allowing the ECU to power-down once all pending tasks have been completed. This effectively acts as an internal Hold Power System.

### **ECU Supply (Pin A1)**

Pin A1 is the main power supply into the ECU .

### **Battery Constant Supply (Pin B1)**

Pin B1 is a permanent power supply and should **ALWAYS** be connected to a constant 12V supply. ALL Auxiliary flywheel control is directed to the pin; therefore, this pin **MUST** always have power connected.

*NOTE: The ECU draws zero current once completely shut down.*

### **Aux 9-12 (Half Bridge) Driver Power Supply (Pin B26)**

Pin B26 is a dedicated power supply for Auxiliary Channels 9-12. Power must be supplied to this pin for these channels to operate correctly. In non-DBW (Drive by Wire) applications the ECU Supply can be shared, assuming the wire gauge has a sufficient rating for the current demand. In DBW applications power to this pin **MUST** come from an ECU controlled DBW Relay.

## ECU Power Supply Wiring

The ECU power supply can be configured in one of two ways; both options assume constant power is fed to pin B1.

### OPTION A – Power Supply Pin Controlled:

This is the main option for ECU Power Supply control.

#### Power-On

Power to the ECU Supply pin A1 can be switched ON using a PDM or from an Ignition switch controlled relay. When the ECU detects power on this pin, it will power up.

#### Power-Off

When the ECU Supply falls below 6.0V the ECU enters a Shutdown Sequence and uses the Constant Supply to remain ON during this process. The ECU uses the time value from the “EFI Relay OFF table” to determine Power-down. However, the following tasks will prevent an ECU power-down :

- ECU CAL file Store in progress
- ECU Datalogging Store in progress
- Emtune connected. (Emtune must be disconnected for the ECU to power-down)

Once the ECU has completed all shut down tasks, and the EFI Relay OFF Delay time has elapsed, the ECU will power-down.

### ECU Settings:

The following settings must be configured for this mode to operate.

- 1) Ignition Switch Source Input selected to OFF

Start/Stop Switch	SrtStpSw	OFF
Ignition Switch	IgnSw	OFF
Dual Boost Switch	D_BoostSw	OFF

- 2) EFI Relay OFF Time

Vehicle Functions	Motorsport Functions	Timer Functions	User Functions	Cal
Vehicle Dynamics				
Gear Management				
EFI Relay Control		EFI Relay OFF Delay Table		

**OPTION B – Ignition Switch Pin Controlled:**

This mode should only be used when the ECU needs to control an external EFI Relay, normally in OEM applications.

**Power-On**

This option uses the Ignition Switch Input, shared with DI10(Pin B21) to power-up the ECU. When Ignition Switch Input Pin B21 is > 6.0V, the internal circuitry will turn the ECU ON using the Battery Constant supply.

Once powered on, the ECU can switch/control an external OEM EFI relay using one of the ECU outputs. For example, Aux 8 could be configured as a High Side Output, supplying power to a relay coil and turning it ON, which in turn supplies power to the ECU Pin A1.

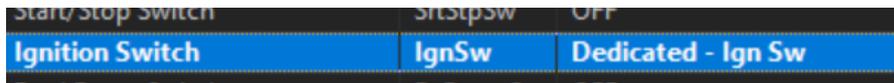
**Power-Off**

When the Ignition Switch falls below 6.0V the ECU enters the Shutdown Sequence. The same shutdown conditions apply as outlined in Option A.

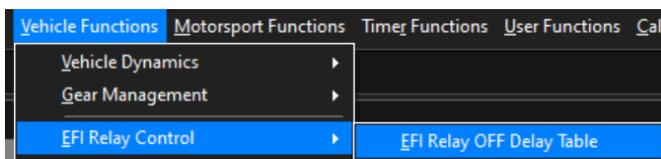
**ECU Settings:**

The following settings must be configured for this mode to operate.

- 1) Ignition Switch Source Input selected to Dedicated – Ign -Sw. In this case this input is shared with DI10.

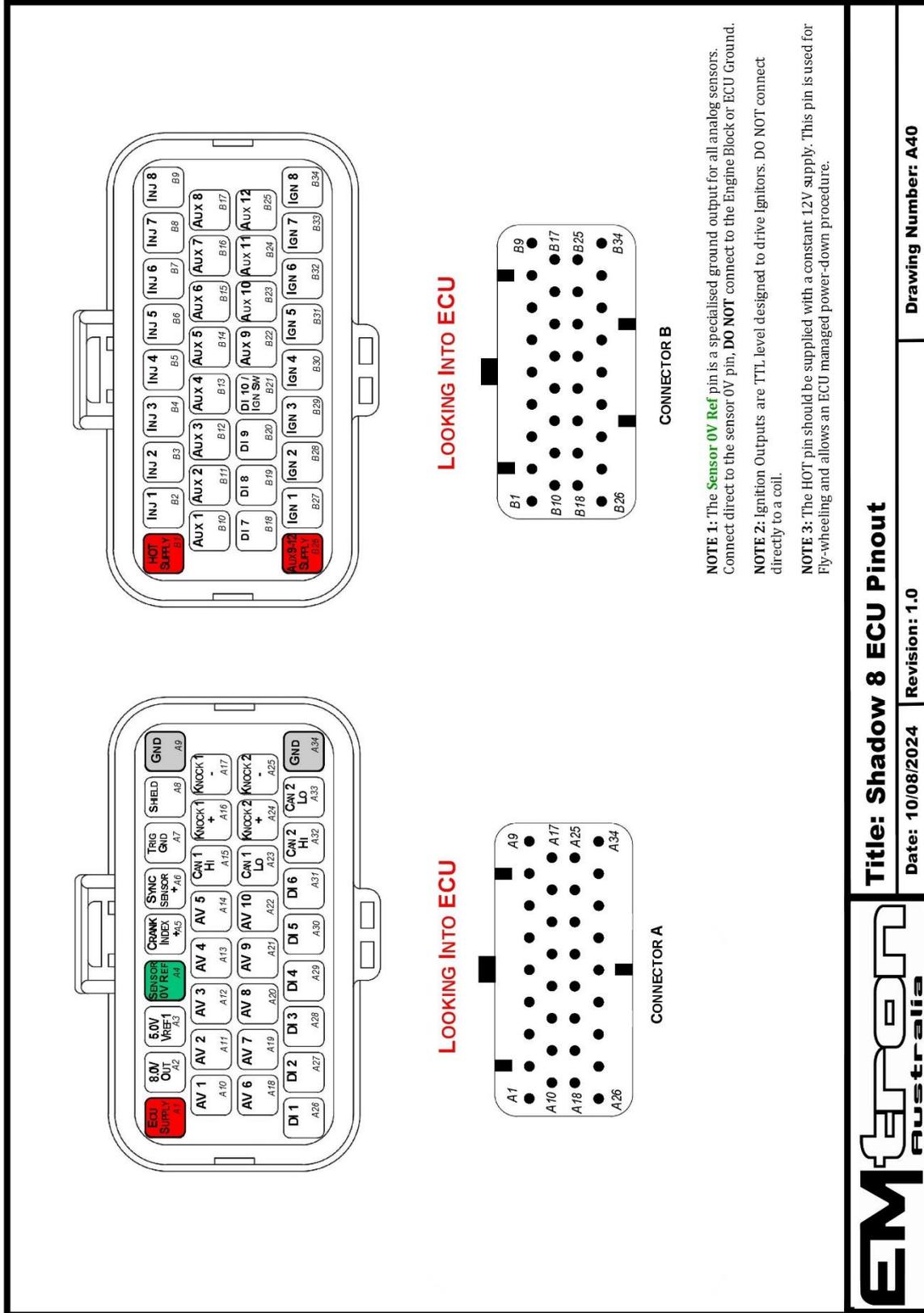


- 2) EFI Relay OFF Time

**IMPORTANT NOTE:**

Regardless of the ECU's settings, a high input on DI10 will cause the ECU to power up. Care should be taken to not unintentionally supply power to this pin.

## Appendix A – Shadow 8 ECU Pinout



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## Appendix B – Shadow Series ECU Wiring

