Remote wire fuse tap

I'm hooking up a system for my friend. She has a pontiac G6. The only thing left I have to do is hook up the remote wire. In the trunk there is a fuse box with a ton of fuse slots. I want to tap into a fuse so I can just run the remote wire from the fuse box rather than the head unit. I don't know which fuse to use however. There's one that's labeled car audio amp, would that work? I know the slot has to be powered when the car is on, and not powered when the car is off. What's a fuse I could hook up a tap to? Please be specific You don't need a fuse for your remote wire It's the solid blue wire on the wiring harness, you connect it there and run it to your amp, You can alway put a small bit of wire from ground to remote, but this will leave your amp constantly on and drain your battery. I recommend running it of the head unit, otherwise it can drain the battery. However If you really want to run it close, just wire it to the 12V power wire of the amp. Trending News. For Tiger Woods, golf is secondary at this point. Gerard Depardieu charged with rape, sex assault in Paris. COVID pushes some with eating disorders to get help. FOMO trend is fueling a homebuying surge. Official on Woods: He's 'very fortunate' to be alive. Poll: Partisan divide over vaccine acceptance grows. State tax changes could mean bigger refunds for some. Britney Spears defended by former child star. Obama, Mickelson wish Tiger well after crash. Matt M. Answer Save. Favorite Answer. Bodyrot Lv 4. KaeZoo Lv 7. Luke L. How do you think about the answers? You can sign in to vote the answer. Still have questions? Get your answers by asking now. Forums New posts Search forums Search images. Showcase New items New comments Latest reviews Search showcase. Members Registered members Current visitors. Log in Register. Search titles only. Search Advanced searchâ€¦. Image Searchâ€¦. New posts. Search forums. Search images. Log in. Change style. Contact us. Close Menu. JavaScript is disabled. For a better experience, please enable JavaScript in your browser before proceeding. Fuse tap for remote wire. M1KL83 Senior Member. Looking to fuse tap for remote wire for audio system equipmen. Does that seem odd to anyone? If I can get away safely without adding a relay then great but I'm not against it either. Any advice or experience from you all is really appreciated! Rycomm Senior Member. If you have a meter, you can check to see if it's 12v constant, ignition, or accessory or nothing. If that doesn't work, I would try 10 rear outlet or 37 option. If you have an LX, there are probably several others that don't have a load connected. I know most of the audio control units do, and they work reliably. Rycomm said:. Based on the excerpt you posted there, I would recommend using one of the automatic modes for your amp instead of using a tap in the fuse box. Personally I don't recommend using fuse taps for anything, and most professionals won't use them either. There are better ways. For my amp install, I pulled the head unit and got remote out directly from the HU. I also used this so I could tap front speakers instead of rears - I tend to prefer setting my fader towards the front and didn't want to limit the sub by doing so - without having to get to the speakers themselves. See this post for details on wiring from behind the HU. An inexpensive digital volt meter is a very useful tool to have, and than you'd know for certain if it is an accessory or constant. Sometimes there are coupons for it free with any purchase. I wouldn't recommend the old style fuse tape that wrap around the blade of a fuse and then push in. The "add a circuit" style , or the ones that have a lead off the back of a fuse are ok. The other ones will spread the contact apart and may not allow good contact over time. Often manufacturers use the same parts on several models, or trim levels. My guess is the fuse box comes pre loaded with fuses and they use the same one whether the vehicle is going to be equipped with all options or not. I saw several things listed that may not be present. I If you want another source of accessory, white wire at the ignition harness is accessory. That is for models with a key, not push to start. D daPyr0x said:. Radio accessory is a red wire , pin 22 of 24 at the radio harness. M1KL83 said:. I will be taking the HU out as well to get my speaker signal from the Front L and R and into the Fix 82 so your solution sounds great! I'll already be in there and I'd prefer to do it your way I just need more on the specifics. I will read through the thread you linked in more depth, thanks for that! Did you put an inline fuse in at all or only the main fuse from the power cable? Why are you using 2 dsp? O9 And no, I did not fuse the remote wire. I would recommend doing so, however, as in hindsight I should have. You shouldn't need anything more than a little 5A inline glass fuse. And you just Positapped? Or did you cut and solder? After using it, everything else is pretty worthless. You can use taps, they are mostly reliable, but I don't for in vehicles - too much vibration, too much work to fix a failure. Years ago I trained and worked as an installer for car audio and starters, we pretty much never used positaps nor fuse taps for anything, though it was not uncommon to have vehicles come in that had a previous accessory install using them. We also avoided cutting wires wherever possible. Cutting a wire means your resulting spliced wire is now shorter than the others, putting strain on it and the rest of the harness. It's doable, but makes your life getting things put back together without creating problems challenging. I've also screwed myself a few times doing this by cutting the wire too close to the connector so now I don't have room to strip, solder and tape. For the purposes of this instruction I'm going to refer

to the wires in the vehicle as donor wires, and the wires you are adding for the amp as new wires. You must log in or register to reply here. Member Posted Images. Gallery New media New comments. Log in. Search Everywhere Threads This forum This thread. Search titles only. Search Advanced searchâ€¦. Everywhere Threads This forum This thread. Search Advancedâ€¦. What's new New posts New media New media comments Latest activity. Search forums. Thread starter DaBurner Start date Jan 12, JavaScript is disabled. For a better experience, please enable JavaScript in your browser before proceeding. Jan 14, 0 Long Island, NY. Guys this probably sounds so retarded but I had to ask, I've tried nearly every wire on my wiring harness and couldnt get a signal to my amp to turn it on so now im asking if I could tap off my cigarette lighter, and if I do could I risk damaging anything? What color wire should it be? Aug 5, 39, Michigan. Dec 9, 8, 70 South Central New Mexico that is It stays on in most trucks and older cars, but I know that on my car it it ignition switched. You want to tap the wire that goes to the center of the lighter. You should be able to tap the ignition wire for the HU though. Apr 25, 0 Saudi Arabia. Do Toyota's have the same style of radio like GM's do? Where the data-bus tells the radio to turn on with a signal? Sep 29, 35, 92 Long Beach, CA. Feb 1, 2, 0 Houston, TX. If your cig lighter operates with the key in the off position then dont use it but if the cig lighter doesnt operate in off position and only operates in the on positon, by all means tap into it Sep 7, 18, Charlotte, NC. Dec 4, 14, 4 Jersey. Didn't you say you never hooked anything up to the amp? Hook up some speakers and test it again with the gray wire. What amp is it? This thread gives me a headache. Create an account or login to comment You must be a member in order to leave a comment Create account Create an account on our community. It's easy! Log in Already have an account? Log in here. Previous Topic Next Topic. The Thunderdome! Tap amplified high level signal trying to figure out which fuses to tap into. Latest posts. Latest: hispis 4 minutes ago. General Discussion. Choosing the better Sound Deadner, Help? Latest: WorldsLoudestCreature 11 minutes ago. Car Audio Build Logs. Please critique my planned setup, advise on amp? Newest threads. Wiring, Electrical and Installation Help. Most posts - Past 30 days Latest classifieds. Amplifier Classifieds. Miscellaneous Car Audio Classifieds. Top Bottom. Jan 17, Aug 20, OK to add two devices to existing fuse tap? Jan 24, Tap amplified high level signal. Oct 2, Apr 23, Skip to main content of over 1, results for "15 amp fuse tap". Skip to main search results. Eligible for Free Shipping. Customer Review. From Our Brands. Packaging Option. International Shipping. Filter results by your vehicle:. Enter a new vehicle to add it to Your Garage and filter the results below. Enter a new vehicle. Amazon's Choice for 15 amp fuse tap. Get it as soon as Sat, Feb Only 13 left in stock - order soon. Promotion Available. In stock on April 30, Lowest price in 30 days. N

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