

How to choose the correct model for your car:

smartTOP 986 - Comfort roof control unit for Porsche Boxster

Simply replaces the original unit and is plugged into the corresponding socket in the fuse box.

Plug and Play: very easy D-I-Y installation in 1-2 Minutes.

smartTOP 986a for Boxster older than MY 2000 - Replaces original Porsche module No. 986.618.111.02 (has a black triangle on the face of the unit)

smartTOP 986b for Boxster newer than MY 2000 - Replaces original Porsche module No. 986.618.199.00 (has a four-sided symbol on the face of the unit)

smartTOP 996 - Comfort roof control unit for Porsche 911 Cabrio

Piggy-backs onto the original module.

Plug and Play: easy D-I-Y installation in 5-10 Minutes. No tools required .

smartTOP 996a for 911 Cabrio older than MY 2003 - Where the roof only operates at standstill with handbrake on

smartTOP 996b for 911 Cabrio newer than MY 2003 - Where the roof already operates up to 30mph in manual mode

Features

The smartTOP roof control unit allows opening or closing the convertible top while driving at slow speeds. It works similar to a window lift and opens or closes the roof fully automatically in a one-touch operation of the button. It is no longer necessary to stop the vehicle and pull the handbrake to operate the roof.

Operating the roof control while driving at slow speeds

smartTOP 986 and smartTOP 996a - up to 40km/h (25mph)

smartTOP 996b - up to 50km/h (30mph)

A short press on the "open" button opens up the roof completely.

A short press on the "close" button closes the roof completely.

Pushing either button while the top is moving stops operation immediately.

Enhanced window control with the 911 Cabrio:

With the latest Porsche 911 Cabrio vehicles the convertible top can already be opened while driving, but only in manual mode. As with all other Porsche convertibles, you have to press and hold the appropriate button until the roof has reached the desired position. Furthermore, when closing the roof with the key remote, the windows stay down and require the driver to close them manually with the ignition turned on. The smartTOP 996b fixes that by closing the windows just the same way they used to with the older 911 Cabrio models.

The Porsche 911 Cabrio has four windows which all go down upon opening of the roof. Unfortunately the two rear windows usually stay locked and cannot be operated unless the roof is in the fully closed position. For the new 911 Cabrio the smartTOP 996b allows normal operation through the window-keys when the roof is in the fully opened position.

On the new 911 Cabrio (Model Year 2003) the windows do not close the way they used to on older models when the roof of the parked vehicle is closed with the key remote. The smartTOP 996b has a special feature which allows closing of the windows the way it was on the older models. Just keep the roof-key on the key remote pressed after the roof has closed completely until all windows are closed.