

GARMIN G1000 AIR DATA COMPUTER SYSTEM - TROUBLESHOOTING

1. General

A. This section gives the troubleshooting procedures for the Garmin G1000 GDC air data computer. For a general overview of the Garmin GDC 72/74A ADC refer to Garmin G1000 Air Data Computer System - Description and Operation .

2. Garmin GDC ADC Troubleshooting

A. Tools and Equipment

NOTE: For the supplier publication part number and manufacturer data, refer to the Introduction - Supplier Publication List.

- (1) Tools and Equipment
 - Multimeter.
- (2) Special Consumables
 - None.
- (3) Reference Material
 - Pitot/Static System - Adjustment/Test
 - Garmin G1000 Air Data Computer System - Removal/Installation
 - GTP 59 Outside Air temperature (OAT) Probe - Maintenance Practices
 - Garmin G1000 Integrated Avionics System - Adjustment/Test
 - Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual.

B. Do the Airspeed, Altitude and Vertical Speed Fail Troubleshooting.

NOTE: A "X" (red) is shown over the primary flight display area for a failed indication.

- (1) Connect external electrical power to the airplane.
- (2) Make sure that the circuit breakers given in Table 101 are engaged.

Table 101. Circuit Breakers

Component	Circuit Breaker Name	Circuit Breaker Location
GDC 72/74A ADC 1	ADC 1	Avionics Circuit Breaker Panel
GDC 72/74A ADC 2	ADC 2	Avionics Circuit Breaker Panel
GDC 72/74A ADC Configuration Module 1	ADC 1	Avionics Circuit Breaker Panel
GDC 72/74A ADC Configuration Module 2	ADC 2	Avionics Circuit Breaker Panel

- (3) Refer to Chapter 34, Garmin G1000 Integrated Avionics System - Adjustment/Test G1000 Architecture Verification Check and make sure that:
 - (a) The correct software and configuration has been installed.
 - (b) All related systems are serviceable.
 - (c) The LRU serial number or a version number is not dashed.
- (4) Make sure the COM1, COM2, GIA1 and GIA2 have check marks (green) next to their nomenclature on the list.
 - (a) This indicates the LRU is serviceable.
- (5) Make sure that on the System Status List the GDC1 and/or GDC2 do not show a red X.
- (6) Check the primary flight display crew alert system (CAS) window for messages to aid in troubleshooting the anomaly.
- (7) If the Garmin GIA shows an amber X on the Avionics Status page, make sure that the electrical power and ground connections to the GIA is serviceable. Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
- (8) If the Architecture Verification check shows a serial number or a version number dashed on the Avionics Status page, carefully examine the electrical wiring and components as follows:

NOTE: Serial number is not reported for the following equipment: COM1, COM2, GS1, GS2, GTX1, GTX 2 (OPT), NAV1, NAV2, AND WX500.

- (a) Do a visual check of the electrical connectors and airplane electrical connectors for bent, broken or pushed back pins.
 - 1 If necessary, repair the damage.
- (b) Make sure that electrical power and ground signals are present.
- (c) Make sure that data bus lines are correctly terminated and secure.

CAUTION: Do not touch bus wiring to each other or to shield grounds. Damage to equipment or circuits can result.

- (d) Remove electrical power from the airplane.
- (e) Use a multimeter to do a continuity check of the bus wires.
 - 1 Make sure that there is continuity only from each wires related pin end to end and to no other wires, airplanes grounds, or shields.
- (f) Do a visual check of the wiring components and make sure that all applicable strapping is correct and any necessary G1000 system strapping is correct.
- (g) Do a visual check of the wiring bundles for damage.
 - 1 If necessary, repair or replace the wiring bundles. Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
- (h) Do a check of the applicable system wiring for continuity, ground faults, or other unserviceable conditions.
 - 1 If necessary, repair or replace the wiring bundles. Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
- (9) Do a check of the ADC pitot and static hose adapters.
 - (a) Make sure they are tight and serviceable.
- (10) If the ADC system wiring and the pitot/static hose installation are serviceable do the steps that follow:
 - (a) Replace the applicable ADC . Refer to Garmin G1000 Air Data Computer System - Removal/Installation.
 - (b) Replace the applicable ADC configuration module. Refer to Garmin G1000 Air Data Computer System - Removal/Installation.
- (11) When a maintenance action is complete do a check of ADC system operation. Refer to Pitot/Static System - Adjustment/Test.

C. Do the OAT and TAS Fail troubleshooting.

- (1) Do a check of OAT probe wiring and make sure it is serviceable.
 - (a) Do a visual check of the wiring bundles for damage.
 - 1 If necessary, repair or replace the wiring bundles. Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
 - (b) Do a check of the applicable system wiring for continuity, ground faults, or other unserviceable conditions.
 - 1 If necessary, repair or replace the wiring bundles. Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
- (2) Do a check of the ADC configuration module.
 - (a) Do a visual check of the configuration module wiring for damage.
 - 1 If necessary, repair or replace the wiring . Refer to the Model 208 Wiring Diagram Manual, Chapter 20, Wiring - Maintenance Practices.
- (3) If wiring is serviceable, replace the configuration module. Refer to Garmin G1000 ADC Configuration Module - Removal/Installation.
- (4) Replace the applicable GDC Air Data Computer. Refer to Garmin G1000 Air Data Computer System - Removal/Installation
- (5) Replace the GTP 59 probe. Refer to GTP 59 Outside Air temperature (OAT) Probe - Maintenance Practices.

D. Garmin GDC Air Data Computer CAS Alert Message Troubleshooting

- (1) Push the rightmost softkey on the PFD and make sure that no Alert messages show in the Alerts window.
 - (a) Do the GDC ADC CAS Alert message troubleshooting. Refer to Table 102.

Table 102. GDC CAS Error Messages

GDC CAS Alert Messages	Cause	Corrective Action.
MANIFEST – GDC 1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The system has detected an incorrect software version loaded in GDC 1.	1. Load correct configuration in the GDC 1.
MANIFEST – GDC 2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The system has detected an incorrect software version loaded in GDC 2.	1. Load correct configuration in the GDC 2.