Sport program and manual mode M/S



Move the selector lever from position D to the left into the M/S shifting slot:

The Sport program is activated and DS is displayed. This position is recommended for a performance-oriented driving style.

To deactivate the Sport program or manual mode M/S, move the selector lever to the right into position D.

Shifting with the selector lever

Push the selector lever forward or pull it back to activate manual operation. Steptronic shifts the gear.

- Pull the selector lever in the + direction. Transmission shifts up.
- Push the selector lever in the direction.
 Transmission shifts down.

The selected gear is displayed in the tachometer, e.g. M1.

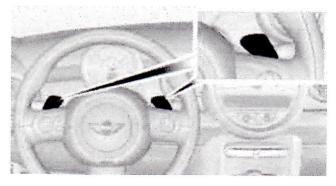
To use the automatic mode again, move the selector lever to the right into position D.

Upshifts and downshifts are executed only when they will result in a plausible combination of engine and vehicle speed; thus, for example, a downshift that would cause the engine to overrev will not be executed by the system. The selected gear is displayed briefly, followed by the current gear.

Shifting on the steering wheel

With the selector lever in position D, automatic drive, you can shift gears using the shift paddles on the steering wheel. The transmission automatically switches to manual mode.

If you do not shift gears with the shift paddles or accelerate for a certain amount of time, the transmission automatically returns to D, automatic drive.



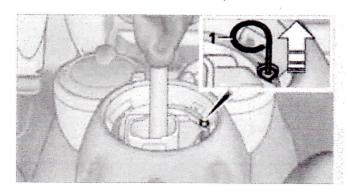
- Pull one of the shift paddles. Transmission shifts up.
- Push one of the shift paddles.
 Transmission shifts down.

M1 through M6 are displayed in the tachometer.

Manually releasing the selector lever lock

Should the selector lever refuse to move out of position P even though the ignition is switched on, the brake is depressed and the button on the selector lever is pressed, the selector lever lock can be overridden:

- 1. Unclip the sleeve of the selector lever.
- 2. Pull the sleeve up over the selector lever until the sleeve is inside out. Disconnect the cable connector if necessary.



- 3. Insert extractor hook 1 from the toolkit into the loop on the passenger's side.
- Pull the loop up.