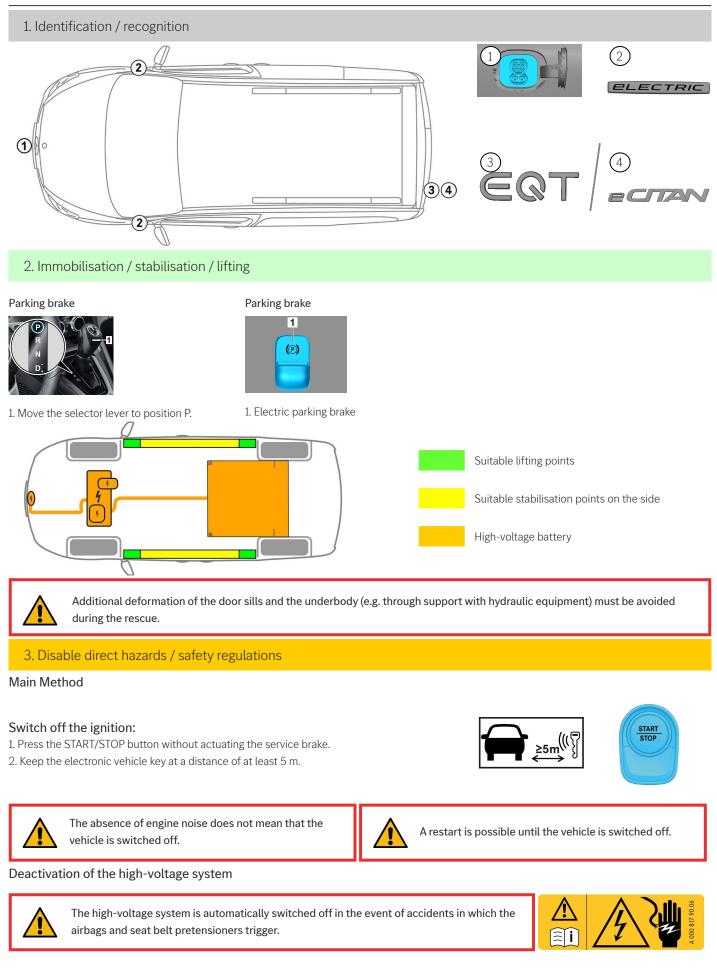


Note: Please see our <u>emergency response guide</u> for more information











Alternative Method

In all other cases, the high-voltage system should be deactivated as follows:



Push rear bench seat forward and lift. The high-voltage disconnect device is located in the interior at the top of the high-voltage battery. Remove dust cap and cover cap
Pull the release
Pull out the switch



In order to ensure that there is no longer any residual voltage in the high-voltage system, wait approx. 20 seconds after switching it off.



The passive safety systems such as airbags and seat belt pretensioners will continue to be supplied with power by the 12-volt electrical system.

Access



Disconnecting the 12 V battery

1. Remove the cover from the 12-volt battery in the engine compartment.

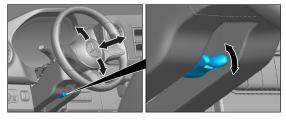
2. Disconnect the negative cable of the 12-volt battery at the screw connection and secure it against unintentional contact.



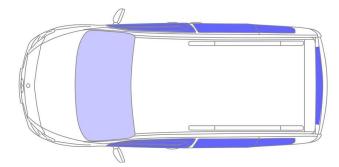
The passive safety systems (airbags and seat belt pretensioners) are deactivated.

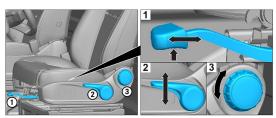
4. Access to the occupants

When rescuing the vehicle occupants, the components of the restraint systems (in particular pyrotechnic elements) must be taken into account in accordance with the information on page 1.



Steering wheel adjustment





Seat adjustment (mechanical)



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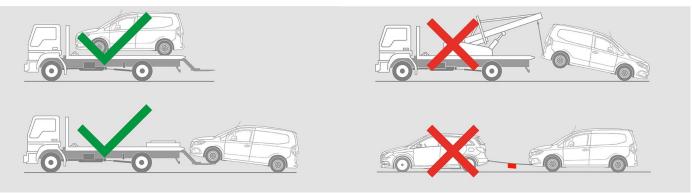




5. Stored energy / liquids / gases / solids All high-voltage cables have orange insulation. 6. In case of fire Ø Fireman Access is in the second row of SEV seats unter the bench seat. Use large volumes of water (H_2O) to extinguish a vehicle fire. A EV Use large volumes of water (H_2O) to cool the Li-ion battery. 1 Warning: Battery re-ignition ◙ If coolant is leaking from the high-voltage battery, it may become unstable owing to thermal overload. Check the battery temperature with an IR thermal imager. 7. In case of submersion There is no risk of voltage in the bodywork. After recovery of the vehicle: 1. Allow the water to drain out of the interior. 2. Commence deactivation of the high-voltage system (see Section 3).

8. Towing / transportation / storage

Only transport the vehicle with both axles on a tow truck or car transporter.



Maintain a safe distance from other vehicles.



Warning: Ignition of the battery possible

9. Important additional information

You can find more information in the **Guidelines for car towing services**.





