Opel Meriva A - Starter does not turn

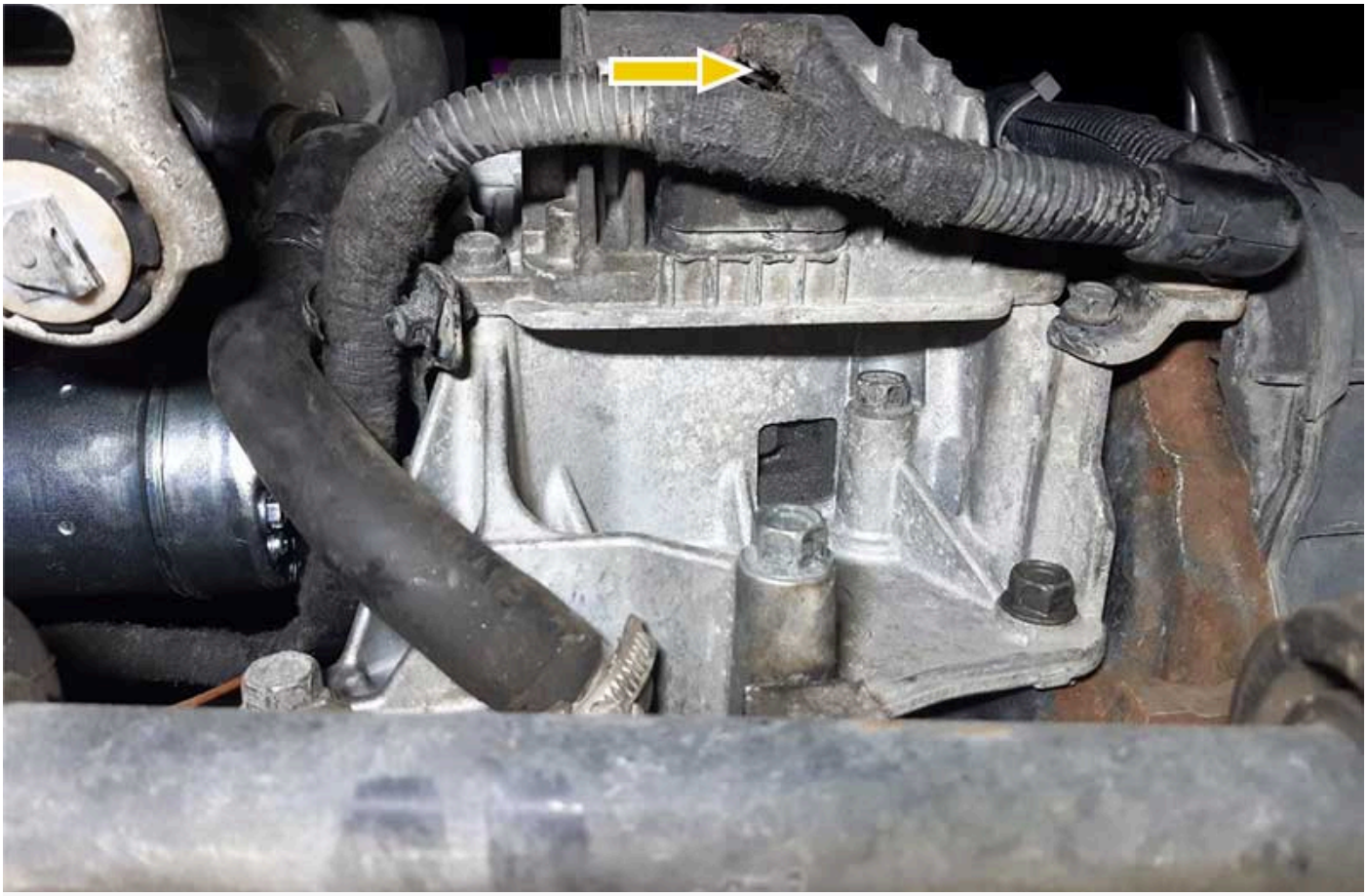
Data sheet	
Manufacturer	Opel
Vehicle model	Meriva A
Engine code	Y17DT (1.7 DTi)
Symptoms	Starter does not turn over | Renewing the starter

Important safety note

Removal of the starter for the Opel Meriva A

Renewing the starter is quite challenging at first because of its limited accessibility. Proceed as follows to remove starter:

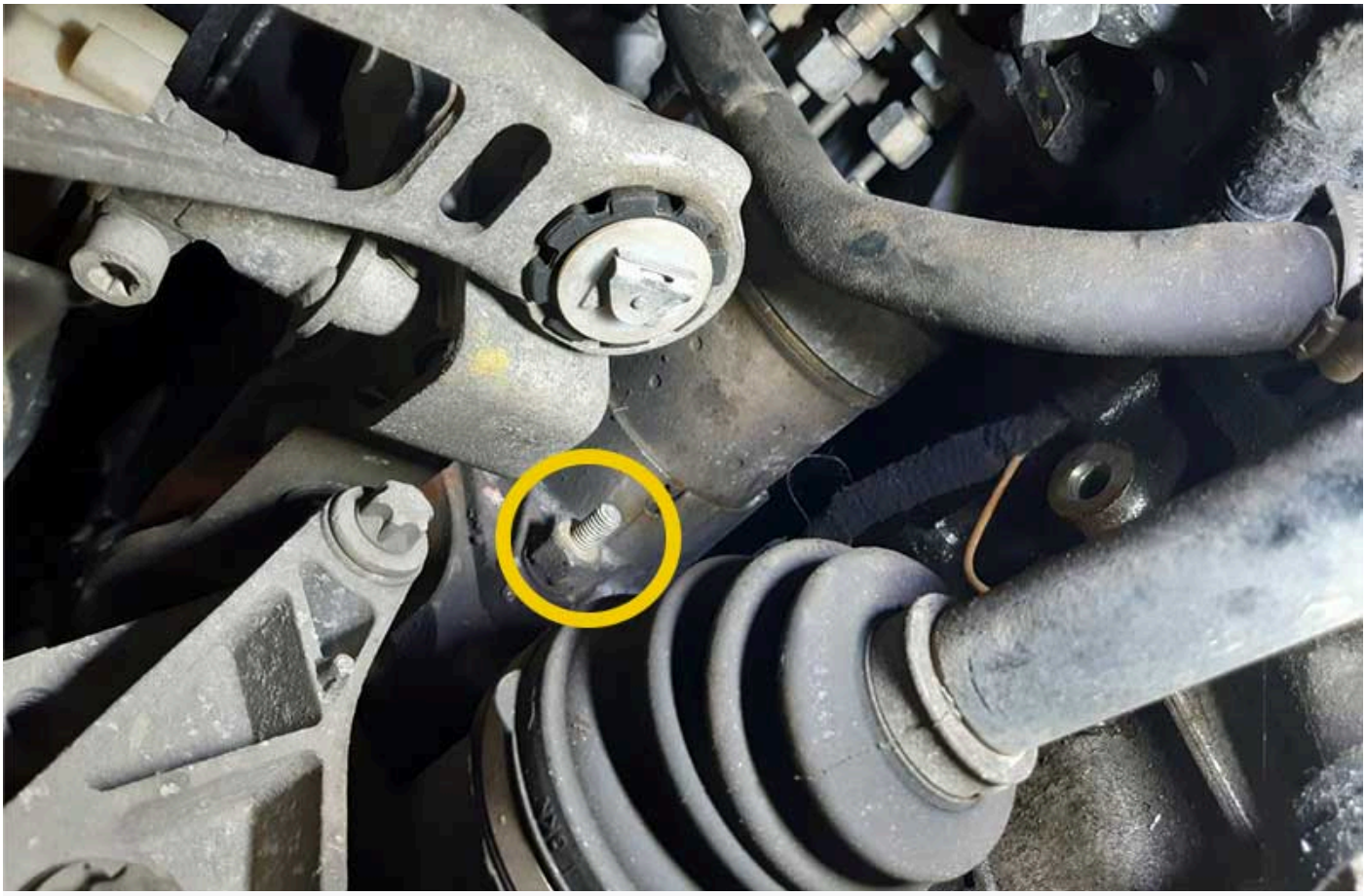
- Remove ground connection of the battery (note the radio code if necessary)
- Raise vehicle on a lifting platform
- Starting from the underbody, remove the steering control unit (Fig. 1) from the metal carrier
- Unscrew and remove the carrier (Fig. 2)
- Disconnect electrical connections on the starter
- Loosen / remove the screw from the starter (Fig. 3)
- Remove left wheel well trim
- Loosen / remove screw of the starter from the wheel well or from the engine compartment (Fig. 4)
- Remove starter



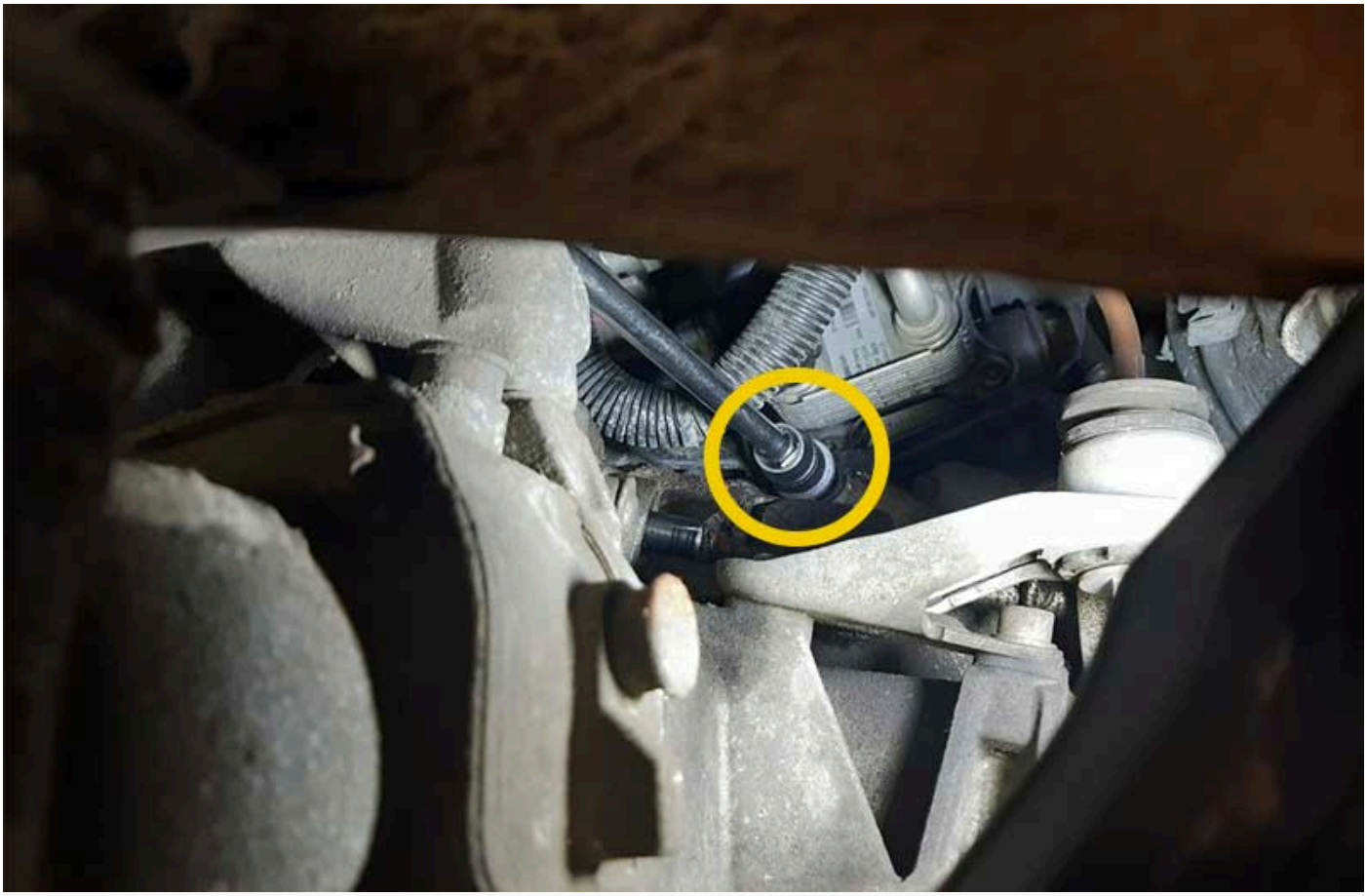
Starting from the underbody, steering control unit



Carrier is to be unscrewed and removed



Loosen/remove screw from starter



Starter screw

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