## **2004 HVAC**

## **HVAC Systems - Automatic - Hummer H2**

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

## FASTENER TIGHTENING SPECIFICATIONS

**Fastener Tightening Specifications** 

	Specification	
Application	Metric	English
Air Temperature Actuator Screws	2 N.m	18 lb in
Blower Motor Control Processor Screws	1.6 N.m	14 lb in
Evaporator Core Cover Screws	2 N.m	18 lb in
HVAC Control Module Screws	1.9 N.m	17 lb in
Mode Actuator Screws	2 N.m	18 lb in
Recirculation Actuator Screws	2 N.m	18 lb in

## SENSOR RESISTANCE TABLE

#### **Sensor Resistance Table**

Ambient Air Temperature  Temperature  Sensor Resistance		-	Inside Air Temperature Sensor Resistance		
° C	° F	Minimum Resistance K Ohms	Maximum Resistance K Ohms	Minimum Resistance K Ohms	Maximum Resistance K Ohms
-40	-40	332.4	334.7	95.80	105.6
-35	-31	240.3	241.8	69.09	75.81
-30	-22	175.6	176.6	50.34	55.00
-25	-13	129.6	130.3	37.04	40.29
-20	-4	96.55	97.07	27.51	29.80
-15	5	72.63	72.99	20.61	22.24
-10	14	55.12	55.38	15.57	16.74
-5	23	42.20	42.38	11.86	12.70
0	32	32.62	32.75	9.108	9.712
5	41	25.34	25.44	7.047	7.492
10	50	19.86	19.94	5.494	5.825
15	59	15.68	15.74	4.326	4.574
20	68	12.46	12.51	3.417	3.602
25	77	9.98	10.02	2.73	2.870
30	86	8.043	8.076	2.185	2.295
35	95	6.517	6.543	1.757	1.843

40 | 104 | 5.309 | 5.33 | 1.425 | 1.494

## **SCHEMATIC AND ROUTING DIAGRAMS**

## **HVAC SCHEMATICS**

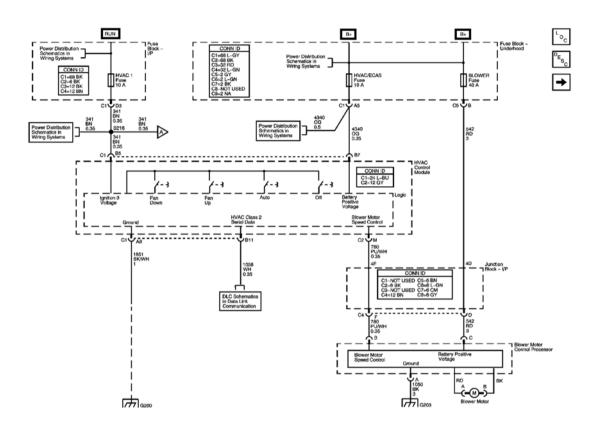


Fig. 1: Power, Grounding, DLC, and Blower Control Schematics Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

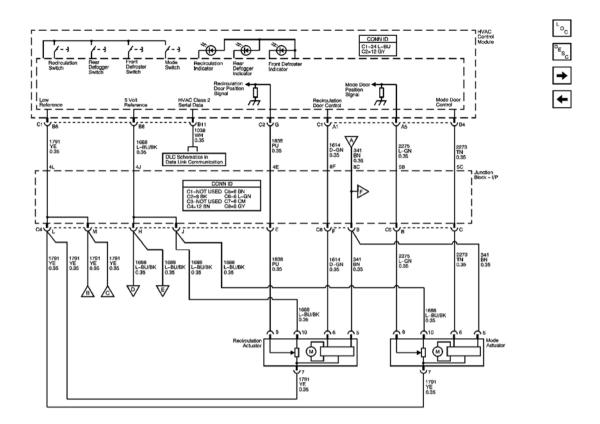


Fig. 2: Mode and Recirculation Controls, Front Defrost and Rear Defog Controls Schematics Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

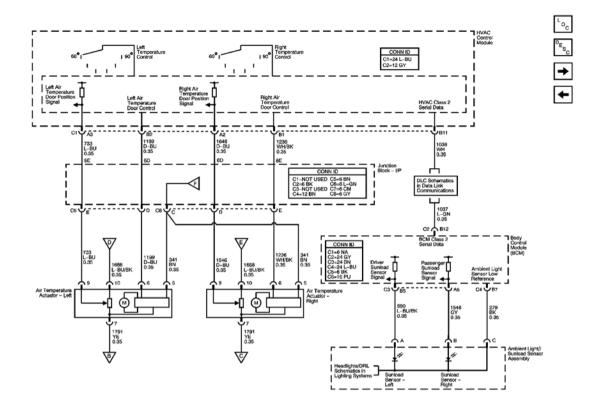


Fig. 3: Temperature Controls and Sunload Sensors Schematics Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

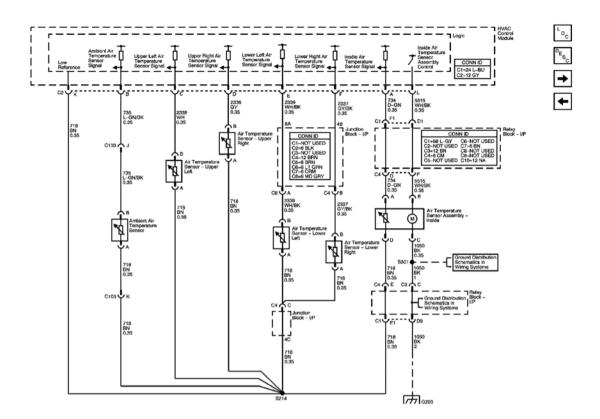


Fig. 4: Air Temperature Sensors Schematics Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

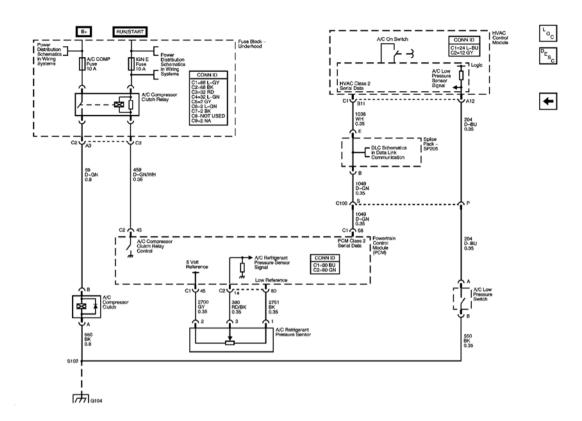


Fig. 5: Air Conditioning Compressor Control Schematics Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

## **COMPONENT LOCATOR**

**HVAC COMPONENT VIEWS** 

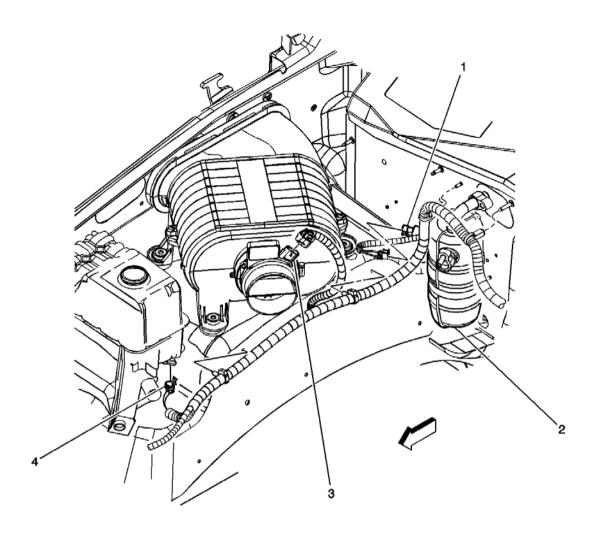


Fig. 6: RR Of Engine Compartment Component Views Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name	
1	A/C Low Pressure Switch	
2	A/C Accumulator	
3	Intake Air Temperature (IAT)/Mass Air Flow (MAF) Sensor	
4	Coolant Level Switch (If Equipped)	

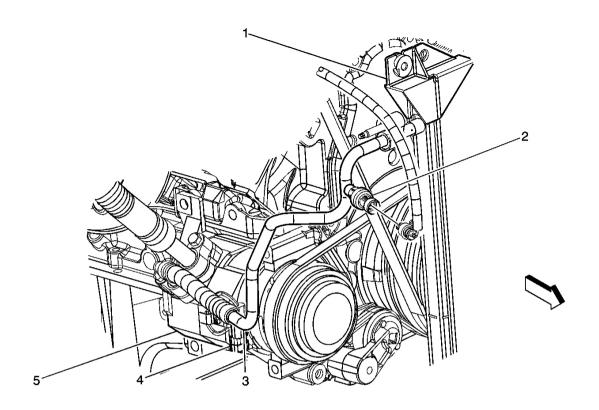


Fig. 7: Lower Right Side Of Engine Component Views Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name	
1	A/C Condenser	
2	C Refrigerant Pressure Sensor	
3	A/C Condenser Hose	
4	A/C Compressor Clutch Connector	
5	A/C Compressor	

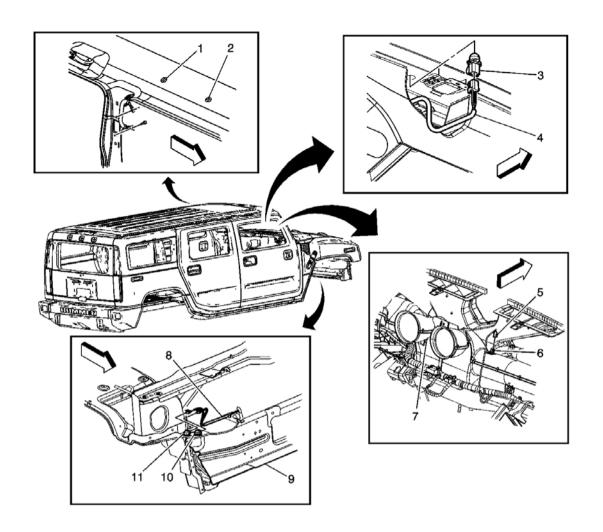


Fig. 8: HVAC Subsystem Component Views (1 of 2) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name	
1	Air Temperature Sensor - Inside	
2	Cellular Telephone Microphone	
3	Ambient Light/Sunload Sensor Assembly	
4	I/P Harness	
5	Air Temperature Sensor Connector - Upper Right	
6	Air Temperature Sensor - Upper Right	
7	Air Temperature Sensor - Upper Left	
8	Forward Lamp Harness	
9	Radiator Support	
10	Ambient Air Temperature Sensor - HVAC	

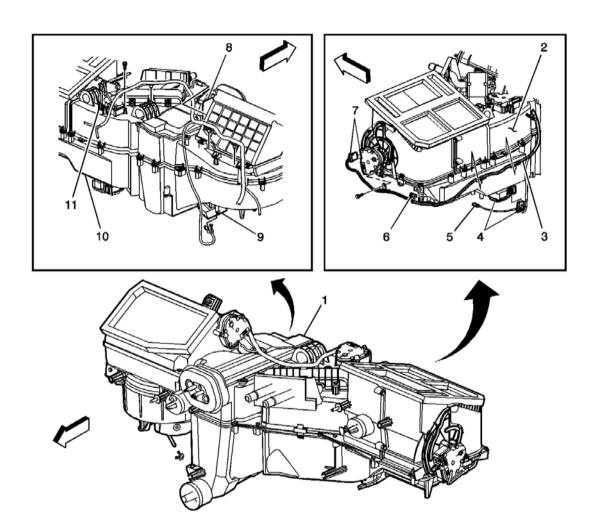


Fig. 9: HVAC Subsystem Component Views (2 of 2) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

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Callout	Component Name	
1	HVAC Control Module	
2	HVAC Control Module	
3	HVAC Harness	
4	Air Temperature Actuator - Left	
5	Air Temperature Sensor Connector - Lower Right	
6	Air Temperature Sensor Connector - Lower Left	
7	Mode Actuator	
8	Recirculation Actuator	

9	Blower Motor Control Processor	
10	HVAC Module	
11	Air Temperature Actuator - Right	

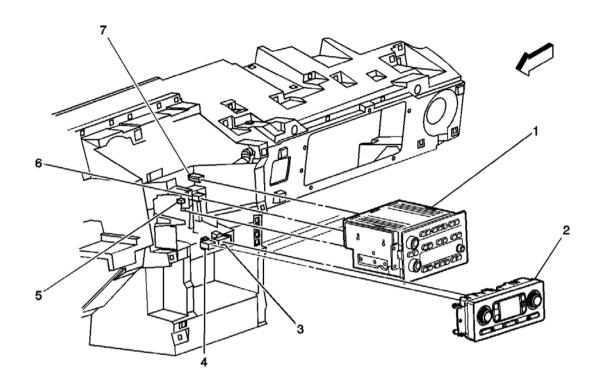
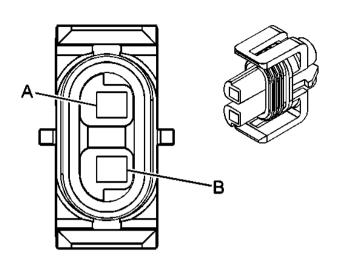


Fig. 10: HVAC Control Module Component Views Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

Callout	Component Name	
1	Radio	
2	HVAC Control Module	
3	IVAC Control Module - C1	
4	HVAC Control Module - C2	
5	Radio - C3 - Not Used	
6	Radio - C1	
7	Radio - C2	

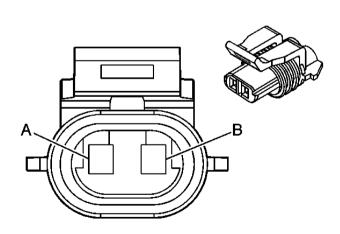
## **HVAC CONNECTOR END VIEWS**

**A/C Compressor Clutch Terminal Identification** 



Conne	ector Part Information	<ul><li>12162017</li><li>2-Way F Metri-Pack 150 Series Sealed (MD GY)</li></ul>	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
A	BK	550	Ground
В	D-GN	59	A/C Compressor Clutch Supply Voltage

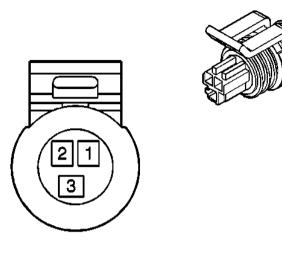
## A/C Low Pressure Switch Terminal Identification



Connector Part Information		• 12052644		
Connector 1 art Information		• 2-Way F Metri-Pack 150 Series Sealed (GY)		
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function	
A	D-BU	204	A/C Low Pressure Sensor Signal	

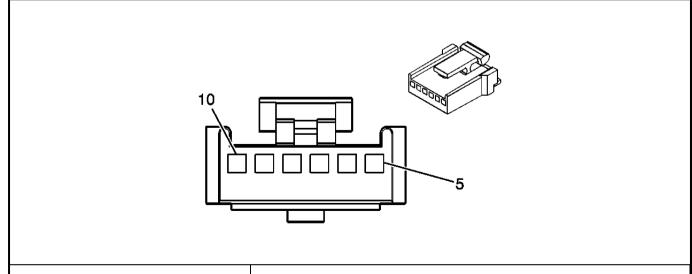






Conn	nector Part Information		344137 Vay F GT 150 Sealed 5.2 (BK)
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
1	BK	2751	Low Reference
2	GY	2700	5-Volt Reference
3	RD/BK	380	A/C Refrigerant Pressure Sensor Signal

<u>Air Temperature Actuator Terminal Identification - Left</u>

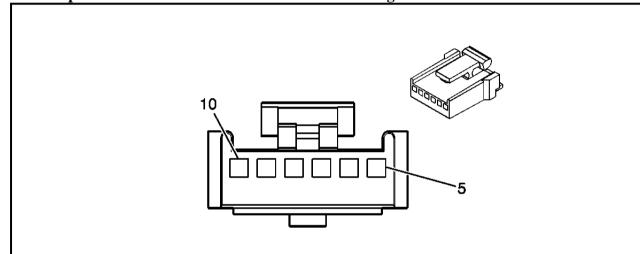


**Connector Part Information** 

12064993

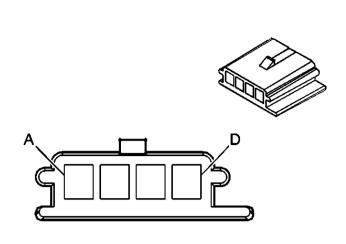
		• 6-Way F Micro-Pack 100 Series (BK)	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
5	BN	341	Ignition 3 Voltage
6	D-BU	1199	Left Air Temperature Door Control
7	YE	1791	Low Reference
8	-	-	Not Used
9	L-BU	733	Left Air Temperature Door Position Signal
10	L-BU/BK	1688	5-Volt Reference

**<u>Air Temperature Actuator Terminal Identification - Right</u>** 



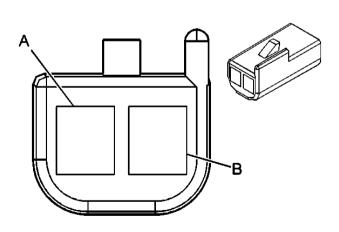
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Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function		
5	BN	341	Ignition 3 Voltage	
6	WH/BK	1236	Right Air Temperature Door Control	
7	YE	1791	Low Reference	
8	-	-	Not Used	
9	D-BU	1646	Right Air Temperature Door Position Signal	
10	L-BU/BK	1688	5-Volt Reference	

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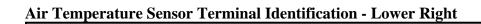


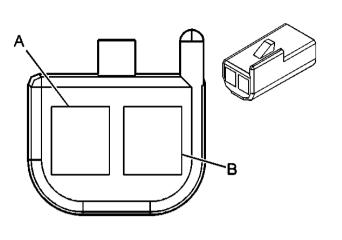
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Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function	
A	D-GN	734	Inside Air Temperature Sensor Signal
В	WH/BK	5515	Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Control
С	BK	1050	Ground
D	BN	718	Low Reference

**Air Temperature Sensor Terminal Identification - Lower Left** 



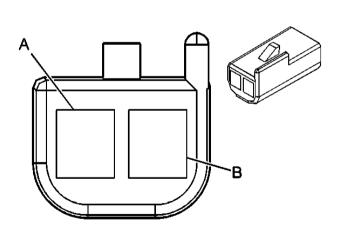
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Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
A	BN	718	Low Reference
В	WH/BK	2339	Lower Left Air Temperature Sensor Signal



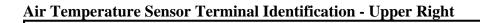


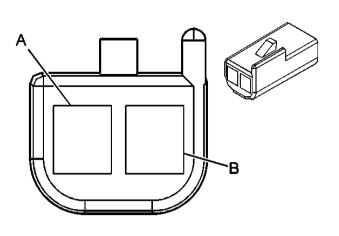
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A	BN	718	Low Reference
В	GY/BK	2337	Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor Signal

**Air Temperature Sensor Terminal Identification - Upper Left** 



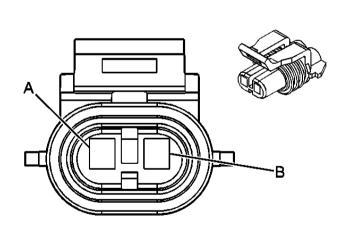
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A	BN	718	Low Reference
В	WH	2338	Upper Left Air Temperature Sensor Signal





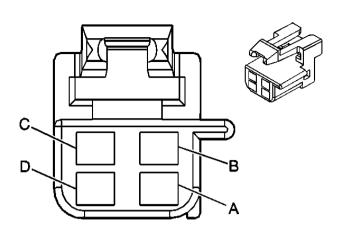
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Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
A	BN	718	Low Reference
В	GY	2336	Upper Right Air Temperature Sensor Signal

# **Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Terminal Identification - HVAC**



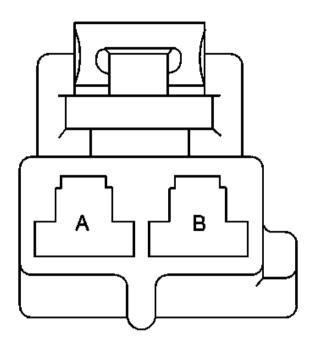
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Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function	
A	BN	718	Low Reference
В	L-GN/BK	735	Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Signal

# **Ambient Light/Sunload Sensor Assembly Terminal Identification**



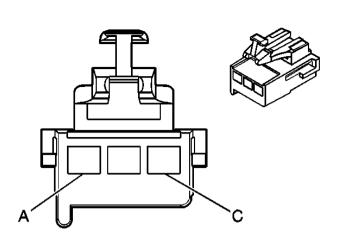
Connector Part Information		<ul><li>12064760</li><li>4-Way F Metri-Pack 150 Series (BK)</li></ul>	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
A	L-BU/BK	590	Driver Sunload Sensor Signal
В	GY	1548	Passenger Sunload Sensor Signal
С	BK	279	Ambient Light Sensor Low Reference
D	WH	278	Ambient Light Sensor Signal

## **Blower Motor Terminal Identification**



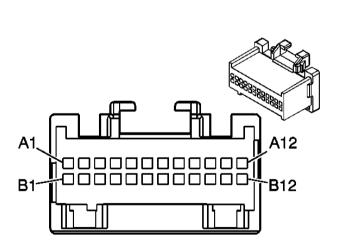
Connector Part Information		<ul><li>12064749</li><li>2-Way F Metri-Pack 150 Series Sealed (BK)</li></ul>	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function
A	RD	-	Blower Motor Supply Voltage
В	BK	-	Ground

## **Blower Motor Control Processor Terminal Identification**



Connector Part Information		<ul><li>12129489</li><li>3-Way F Metri-Pack 280 Series Flexlock (BK)</li></ul>	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function	
A	BK	1050	Ground
В	PU/WH	760	Blower Motor Speed Control
С	RD	542	Battery Positive Voltage

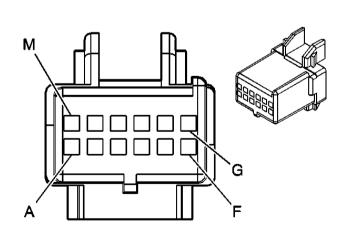




Connector Part Information		• 12110206		
		• 24-Way F Micro-Pack 100 Series (L-BU)		
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No.	Function	
A1	D-GN	1614	Recirculation Door Control	
A2	D-BU	1646	Right Air Temperature Door Position Signal	

A3	L-BU	733	Left Air Temperature Door Position Signal
A4	-	-	Not Used
A5	L-GN	2275	Mode Door Position Signal
A6	-	-	Not Used
A7	BN/WH	230	Instrument Panel Lamps Dimming Control
A8	BK/WH	1851	Ground
A9-A11	-	-	Not Used
A12	D-BU	204	A/C Low Pressure Sensor Signal
B1	WH/BK	1236	Right Air Temperature Door Control
B2	D-BU	1199	Left Air Temperature Door Control
В3	-	-	Not Used
B4	TN	2273	Mode Door Control
B5	BN	341	Ignition 3 Voltage
В6	YE	1791	Low Reference
В7	OG	4340	Battery Positive Voltage
B8	L-BU/BK	1688	5-Volt Reference
B9	BK	1050	Ground
B10	-	-	Not Used
B11	WH	1038	HVAC Class 2 Serial Data
B12	-	-	Not Used

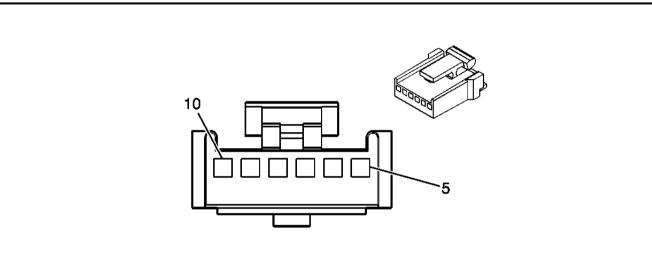
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Connector Part Information		<ul><li>15336594</li><li>12-Way F Micro Pack 100 (GY)</li></ul>	
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function	
Α	D-GN	734	Inside Air Temperature Sensor Signal
В	L-GN/BK	735 Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Signal	

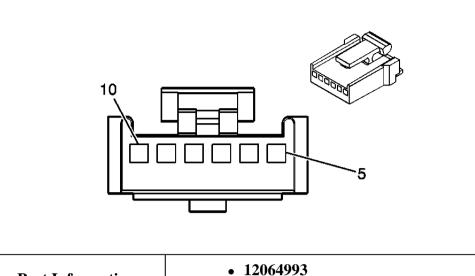
C	WH	2338	Upper Left Air Temperature Sensor Signal	
D	GY	2336	Upper Right Air Temperature Sensor Signal	
Е	WH/BK	2339	Lower Left Air Temperature Sensor Signal	
F	GY/BK	2337	Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor Signal	
G	PU	1838	Recirculation Door Position Signal	
H-J	-	-	Not Used	
K	BN	718	Low Reference	
L	WH/BK	5515	Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Control	
M	PU/WH	760	Blower Motor Speed Control	

## **Mode Actuator Terminal Identification**



Connector Part Information		• 12064993		
		• 6-Way F Micro-Pack 100 Series (BK)		
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function		
5	BN	341	Ignition 3 Voltage	
6	TN	2273 Mode Door Control		
7	YE	1791 Low Reference		
8	-	-	Not Used	
9	L-GN	2275 Mode Door Position Signal		
10	L-BU/BK	1688	5-Volt Reference	

## **Recirculation Actuator Terminal Identification**



Connector Part Information		• 12064993		
Connector 1 art information		• 6-Way F Micro-Pack 100 Series (BK)		
Pin	Wire Color	Circuit No. Function		
5	BN	341	Ignition 3 Voltage	
6	D-GN	1614	Recirculation Door Control	
7	YE	1791 Low Reference		
8	-	-	Not Used	
9	PU	1838 Recirculation Door Position Signal		
10	L-BU/BK	1688	5-Volt Reference	

## DIAGNOSTIC INFORMATION AND PROCEDURES

#### DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM CHECK - HVAC SYSTEMS - AUTOMATIC

#### **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- **3:** Lack of communication may be due to a malfunction of the class 2 serial data circuit. The specified procedure will determine the particular condition.
- **5:** Determine if the HVAC control module, body control module, or powertrain control module have set DTCs which may affect HVAC operation are present.
- **6:** The presence of DTCs which begin with "U" indicate some other module is not communicating.
- 7: Answer Yes if the first three characters of the DTC name begins with B10; regardless of the last two characters.

## Diagnostic System Check - HVAC Systems - Automatic

Step	Action	Yes	No
	Did you review a Diagnostic Starting		Go to <b>Diagnostic Starting</b>

1	Point - Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning?	Go to <b>Step 2</b>	Point - Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
2	Install a scan tool.  Does the scan tool power up?	Go to <b>Step 3</b>	Go to Scan Tool Does Not Power Up in Data Link Communications
3	Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.      Attempt to establish communication with the following control modules:		Go to Scan Tool Does Not Communicate with Class 2
	Does the scan tool communicate with the control modules?  IMPORTANT: The engine may start during the following step. Turn OFF the engine as soon as you have	Go to <b>Step 4</b>	<u>Device</u> in Data Link Communications
4	<ol> <li>Access the Class 2 Power         Mode in the Diagnostic Circuit         Check on the scan tool.</li> <li>Rotate the ignition switch         through all positions while         observing the Ignition Switch         Power Mode parameter.</li> </ol>		
	Does the Ignition Switch parameter reading match the ignition switch position for all switch positions?	Go to <b>Step 5</b>	Go to Power Mode Mismatch in Body Control System
	Select the display DTCs function on the scan tool for the following modules:		
5	<ul><li>HVAC Control Module</li><li>Body Control Module</li><li>Powertrain Control Module</li></ul>		

	Does the scan tool display any DTCs?	Go to <b>Step 6</b>	Go to <u>Symptoms - HVAC</u> <u>Systems - Automatic</u>
6	Does the scan tool display any DTCs which begin with a "U"?	Go to Scan Tool Does Not Communicate with Class 2 Device in Data Link Communications	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
7	Does the scan tool display DTC B10XX?	Go to Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) List in Body Control Systems	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
8	Does the scan tool display any DTCs that are associated with the charging system?	Go to Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) List in Engine Electrical	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
9	Does the scan tool display any DTCs that are associated with the HVAC system?	Go to Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) List	Go to Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) List in Engine Controls - 4.8L, 5.3L, and 6.0L

## SCAN TOOL OUTPUT CONTROLS

**HVAC Control Module Scan Tool Output Controls** 

Scan Tool Output	Additional Menu Selection	
Control	(s)	Description
A/C Permission	Miscellaneous Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module changes the state of the A/C Permission parameter to Granted and transmits a clutch enable message to the PCM over the class 2 serial data circuit. The A/C compressor clutch engages and remains engaged until you select OFF. When you select OFF, the HVAC control module changes the state of the A/C Permission parameter to Withheld and transmits a clutch disable message to the PCM over the class 2 serial data circuit.
Air Inlet Door	Motor/Actuator Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module commands the recirculation actuator toward the maximum door position. The actuator moves the door to the recirculation position. When you select OFF, the HVAC control module commands the recirculation actuator toward the minimum door position. The actuator moves the door to the outside air position.
Blower Motor	Motor/Actuator Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module commands the blower motor to maximum speed. The blower motor operates at maximum speed until you select OFF. The HVAC control module must be in the ON state before selecting the output control.
HVAC Actuator Recalibration	-	When you select RESET, the HVAC control module recalibrates the maximum and minimum door positions of each HVAC door. The ambient air temperature display is set to the current value of the Outside Air Temp. Raw parameter.
Inside Air	Motor/Actuator	When you select OFF, the HVAC control module commands the

Temperature Fan	Tests	inside air temperature fan OFF. The fan remains OFF until you select ON. The normal state of the inside air temperature fan is ON.
Instant OAT Update	Miscellaneous Tests	The scan tool displays OFF or ON. This function updates the HVAC control module ambient air temperature input to the current raw value.
Left Mix Motor	Motor/Actuator Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module commands the left air temperature actuator toward the maximum door position. The actuator moves the door to the full hot position. When you select OFF, the HVAC control module commands the left air temperature actuator toward the minimum door position. The actuator moves the door to the full cold position.
Mode 1 Door Position	Motor/Actuator Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module commands the mode actuator toward the maximum door position. The actuator moves the door to the panel position. When you select OFF, the HVAC control module commands the mode actuator toward the minimum door position. The actuator moves the door to the floor position.
Right Mix Motor	Motor/Actuator Tests	When you select ON, the HVAC control module commands the right air temperature actuator toward the maximum door position. The actuator moves the door to the full cold position. When you select OFF, the HVAC control module commands the right air temperature actuator toward the minimum door position. The actuator moves the door to the full hot position.

**PCM Scan Tool Output Controls** 

Scan Tool Output Control	Additional Menu Selection(s)	Description
A/C Relay	Engine Output Controls	The engine must be running and the PCM must receive an A/C request from the HVAC control module in order to enable the output control. The PCM de-energizes the A/C compressor clutch relay when you select OFF. The relay remains de-energized until you select ON.

## **SCAN TOOL DATA LIST**

## **BCM Scan Tool Data List**

Scan Tool Parameter	Data List	Units Displayed	Typical Data Value		
Operating Conditions: Engine idling, A/C ON, ambient air temperature between 22-27° C (70-80°					
$\mathbf{F}$ )					
Left Solar Sensor Data Counts/Volts Varies					
Right Solar Sensor	Data	Counts/Volts	Varies		

## **HVAC Control Module Scan Tool Data List**

Scan Tool Parameter	Data List	Units Displayed	Typical Data Value	
Operating Conditions: Engine idling, A/C ON, ambient air temperature between 22-27° C (70-80°				

		F)	
A/C Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
AC Permission	Input/Output	Withheld/Granted	Varies
Air Inlet Door Actual	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Air Inlet Commanded	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Air Inlet Motor Drive	Door Positions	Stop, Increase, Decrease	Stop
Air Mix Door Left Commanded	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Air Mix Door Right Commanded	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Auto Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Battery Voltage	Input/Output	Volts	13.5-14.5 V
Blower Motor PWM Speed	Door Positions	Percent	12-114%
Dim Level Requested	Sensor Data	Percent	Varies
Engine Coolant Temp	Sensor Data	° C/° F	Varies
Fan Down Button	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Fan Up Button	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Front Defrost Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Ign. Since Current DTC	Input/Output	Cycles	0
Inside Air Temp. Sensor	Sensor Data	° C/° F	Varies
Inside Air Temp. Fan	Sensor Data	On/Off	On
Left Mix Door Actual	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Left Mix Motor Drive	Door Positions	Stop, Increase, Decrease	Stop
Left Temp. Setting	Input/Output	° C/° F	Varies
LH AC Duct Actual	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
LH AC Duct Desired	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
LH Heater Duct Actual	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
LH Heater Duct Desired	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
Mode Door Actual	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Mode Dr. Motor Command	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Mode Motor Drive	Door Positions	Stop, Increase, Decrease	Stop
Mode Select Position	Door Positions	Off, Auto, Defrost, Heater, Htr/Def, Bi- Level, Panel	

Mode Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Off Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Outside Air Temp. Filtered	Input/Output	° C/° F	22-27° C (70- 80° F)
Outside Air Temp. Raw	Input/Output	° C/° F	Varies
Pressure Cycle Switch	Input/Output	Low Pressure, Normal	Varies
Rear Defrost Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
Recirculate Switch	Input/Output	On/Off	Off
RH AC Duct Actual	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
RH AC Duct Desired	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
RH Heater Duct Actual	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
RH Heater Duct Desired	Sensor Data	Counts	Varies
Right Mix Door Actual	Door Positions	Counts	Varies
Right Mix Motor Drive	Door Positions	Stop, Increase, Decrease	Stop
Right Temp. Setting	Input/Output	° C/° F	Varies

#### **PCM Scan Tool Data List**

Scan Tool Parameter	Data List	Units Displayed	Typical Data Value		
Operating Conditions: Engine idling, A/C ON, ambient air temperature between 22-27° C (70-80°					
$\mathbf{F}$ )					
A/C Pressure Sensor	Engine Data 2	kPa/Psi	629-845 kPa (85-120 psi)		
A/C Pressure Sensor	Engine Data 2	Volts	Varies		
A/C Relay Command	Engine Data 2	On/Off	Varies		
A/C Request Signal	Engine Data 2	Yes/No	Varies		
ECT Sensor	Engine Data 2	° C/° F	92° C (197° F)		

#### SCAN TOOL DATA DEFINITIONS

#### A/C Switch

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the A/C request switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the A/C request switch is inactive.

#### **AC Permission**

The scan tool displays Withheld/Granted. The scan tool displays Granted when the HVAC control module determines that conditions for compressor clutch engagement are present. The scan tool displays Withheld when the HVAC control module determines that conditions for compressor clutch engagement are not present.

#### **AC Pressure Sensor**

The scan tool displays 0-3450 kPa (0-500 psi). The voltage applied to the powertrain control module (PCM) input from the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor is converted to a pressure value.

#### AC Pressure Sensor

The scan tool displays 0-5 volts. The voltage applied to the PCM input for the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor.

### A/C Relay Command

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays the control decision for the compressor clutch relay output as determined by the PCM.

## A/C Request Signal

The scan tool displays Yes/No. The scan tool displays Yes when the PCM receives a class 2 message from the HVAC control module to engage the A/C compressor clutch. The scan tool displays No when the PCM receives a class 2 message from the HVAC control module to disengage the A/C compressor clutch.

#### **Air Inlet Door Commanded**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The scan tool displays the desired recirculation door position as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### **Air Inlet Door Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the recirculation door position input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **Air Inlet Motor Drive**

The scan tool displays Stop, Increase, or Decrease. The scan tool displays the control decision for the actuator output as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### Air Mix Door Left Commanded

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The scan tool displays the desired left air temperature door position as determined by the HVAC control module.

## **Air Mix Door Right Commanded**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The scan tool displays the desired right air temperature door position as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### **Auto Switch**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the automatic switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the automatic switch is inactive.

### **Battery Voltage**

The scan tool displays 0-25 volts. The voltage measured from the battery positive voltage circuit and the ground circuit of the HVAC control module.

### **Blower Motor PWM Speed**

The scan tool displays 0-114%. The scan tool displays the control decision for the blower motor speed as determined by the HVAC control module. The scan tool displays 114% when the blower motor is commanded to maximum speed. The scan tool displays 0% when the blower motor is commanded OFF.

#### **Dim Level Requested**

The scan tool displays 0%-100%. This is the percentage of backlighting requested by the body control module.

## **Engine Coolant Temp.**

The scan tool displays -39 to  $140^{\circ}$  C (-38 to  $284^{\circ}$  F). This is the engine coolant temperature sent to the HVAC control module by the PCM.

#### **ECT Sensor**

The scan tool displays -39 to 140° C (-38 to 284° F). The voltage applied to the PCM input from the engine coolant temperature sensor is converted to a temperature value.

#### **Fan Down Button**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the fan down switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the fan down switch is inactive.

## Fan Up Button

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the fan up switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the fan up switch is inactive.

#### **Front Defrost Switch**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the defrost switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the defrost switch is inactive.

### **Ign. Since Current DTC**

The scan tool displays 0-100 Cycles. The number of the ignition cycles since the setting of the most recent current diagnostic trouble code (DTC).

### **Inside Air Temp Fan**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays the control decision for the fan motor output as determined by the HVAC control module. The fan motor is internal to the inside air temperature sensor assembly.

## Inside Air Temp.

The scan tool displays -40 to 215° C (-40 to 419° F). The voltage applied to the HVAC control module input for the inside air temperature sensor is converted to a temperature value.

#### **Left Mix Door Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the left air temperature door position input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **Left Mix Motor Drive**

The scan tool displays Stop, Increase, or Decrease. The scan tool displays the control decision for the actuator output as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### **Left Solar Sensor**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the left sunload input of the BCM is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

## Left Temp. Setting

The scan tool displays 15 to  $32^{\circ}$  C (60 to  $90^{\circ}$  F). The scan tool displays the selected temperature from the left air temperature switch.

#### LH AC Duct Actual

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the left upper duct air temperature input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **LH AC Duct Desired**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The desired value of the left upper duct air temperature input. The

HVAC control module monitors the actual value of the duct air temperature input and accordingly positions the left air temperature door to achieve the desired duct air temperature.

#### LH Heater Duct Actual

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the left lower duct air temperature input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **LH Heater Duct Desired**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The desired value of the left lower duct air temperature input. The HVAC control module monitors the actual value of the duct air temperature input and accordingly positions the left air temperature door to achieve the desired duct air temperature.

#### **Mode Door Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the mode door position input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **Mode 1 Door Commanded**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The scan tool displays the desired mode door position as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### **Mode Motor Drive**

The scan tool displays Stop, Increase, or Decrease. The scan tool displays the control decision for the actuator output as determined by the HVAC control module.

#### **Mode Select Position**

The scan tool displays Off, Auto, Defrost, Heater, Htr/Def, Bi-Level, Panel. The scan tool displays the state of mode operation.

#### **Mode Switch**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the mode switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the mode switch is inactive.

#### Off Switch

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the Off switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the Off switch is inactive.

### **Outside Air Temp. Filtered**

The scan tool displays -40 to  $215^{\circ}$  C (-40 to  $419^{\circ}$  F). The current value of the ambient air temperature display on the HVAC control module.

## Outside Air Temp. Raw

The scan tool displays -40 to 215° C (-40 to 419° F). The voltage applied to the HVAC control module input from the ambient air temperature sensor is converted to an unfiltered temperature value.

## **Pressure Cycle Switch**

The scan tool displays Low Pressure/Normal. The current state of the input from the A/C low pressure switch. The scan tool displays Low Pressure when the switch is open and displays Normal when the switch is closed. The low pressure switch opens when low side pressure decreases to 138-172 kPa (20-25 psi) and closes when the low side pressure increases to approximately 275-317 kPa (40-46 psi) as measured at the switch/accumulator.

#### **Rear Defrost Switch**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the rear defrost switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the rear defrost switch is inactive.

#### **Recirculate Switch**

The scan tool displays On/Off. The scan tool displays On when the recirculation switch is active. The scan tool displays Off when the recirculation switch is inactive.

#### **RH AC Duct Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the right upper duct air temperature input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **RH AC Duct Desired**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The desired value of the right upper duct air temperature input. The HVAC control module monitors the actual value of the duct air temperature input and accordingly positions the right air temperature door to achieve the desired duct air temperature.

#### **RH Heater Duct Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the right lower duct air temperature input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

#### **RH Heater Duct Desired**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The desired value of the right lower duct air temperature input. The HVAC control module monitors the actual value of the duct air temperature input and accordingly positions the right air temperature door to achieve the desired duct air temperature.

## **Right Mix Door Actual**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the right air temperature door position input of the HVAC control module is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

### **Right Motor Drive**

The scan tool displays Stop, Increase, or Decrease. The scan tool displays the control decision for the actuator output as determined by the HVAC control module.

## **Right Solar Sensor**

The scan tool displays 0-255 counts. The voltage applied to the BCM input from the right sunload sensor is converted to a number between 0 and 255 where 51 Counts is approximately equal to 1 V.

### **Right Temp. Setting**

The scan tool displays 15 to  $32^{\circ}$  C (60 to  $90^{\circ}$  F). The scan tool displays the selected temperature from the right air temperature switch.

## DIAGNOSTIC TROUBLE CODE (DTC) LIST

Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) List

DTC	Diagnostic Procedure Module			
B0159	<b>DTC B0159</b>	HVAC Control Module		
B0164	<b>DTC B0164</b>	HVAC Control Module		
B0174	DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, or B0515	HVAC Control Module		
B0179	DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, or B0515	HVAC Control Module		
B0183	DTC B0183 or B0188	BCM		
B0188	DTC B0183 or B0188	BCM		
B0229	DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, or B3770	HVAC Control Module		
B0263	DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, or B0418	HVAC Control Module		
B0268	DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, or B0418	HVAC Control Module		
B0408	DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, or B0418	HVAC Control Module		
B0414	DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, or B3770	HVAC Control Module		
B0418	DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, or B0418	HVAC Control Module		
B0424	DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, or B3770	HVAC Control Module		
B0510	DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, or B0515	HVAC Control Module		
B0515	<b>DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, or B0515</b> HVAC Control Module			

B1375	<b>DTC B1375</b>	HVAC Control Module
B3770	DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, or B3770	HVAC Control Module
P0530	<b>DTC P0530</b>	Powertrain Control Module

#### **DTC B0159**

#### **Circuit Description**

The ambient air temperature sensor allows the HVAC control module to monitor the temperature of the air surrounding the front of the vehicle. The module applies 5 volts to internal input resistors that are connected to the signal circuit of the ambient air temperature sensor. The module provides ground to the ambient air temperature sensor through the low reference circuit. The HVAC control module monitors the voltage drop across the ambient air temperature sensor and uses the input for automatic control calculations. When the air temperature is cold, the resistance of the sensor is high and the voltage signal is high. When the air temperature is hot, the resistance of the sensor is low and the voltage signal is low.

#### **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Battery voltage to the HVAC control module is greater than 8.7 V and less than 16.5 V.
- The ignition is turned ON.

#### **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The HVAC control module determines that the voltage applied to the input for the ambient air temperature sensor is less than 0.09 V or greater than 4.9 V.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The scan tool displays 10° C (50° F) as the value for the Outside Air Temp. Raw parameter.

#### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the HVAC control module no longer detects the condition that set the DTC.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

### **Diagnostic Aids**

If the condition is not present, refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.

## **Test Description**

The number below refer to the step number on the diagnostic table.

**2:** Verifies that the condition that set the DTC is present.

# **DTC B0159**

	D0137	<b>X</b> 7. 1	<u> </u>			
Step	Action	Value (s)	Yes	No		
	matic Reference: HVAC Schematics	(5)	1 200	210		
	Connector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views					
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-	Go to Step 2	Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> <u>System Check -</u> <u>HVAC Systems -</u> <u>Automatic</u>		
	1. Install a scan tool.					
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.					
2	<ol> <li>Select the Heating and Air Conditioning display DTC function on the scan tool.</li> </ol>	-				
	Does the scan tool indicate that B0159 is a current DTC?		Go to	Co to Diagnostic Aids		
			Step 3	Go to Diagnostic Aids		
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.					
	2. Disconnect the ambient air temperature sensor.					
3	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.	5 V				
3	4. Measure the voltage from the signal circuit of the ambient air temperature sensor to a good ground.	<i>5</i> <b>v</b>	Go to			
	Does the voltage measure near the specified value?		Step 4	Go to Step 5		
4	Measure the voltage from the signal circuit to the low reference circuit of the ambient air temperature sensor. Does the voltage measure near the specified value?	5 V	Go to Step 7	Go to <b>Step 6</b>		
5	Test the signal circuit of the ambient air temperature sensor for an open, high resistance, short to ground, or short to voltage. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to <b>Step 8</b>		
6	Test the low reference circuit of the ambient air temperature sensor for a high resistance or an open. Refer to <u>Circuit</u> <u>Testing</u> and <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to Step 8		
7	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the ambient air temperature sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for</b> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to <b>Step 9</b>		
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent</b>					

8	Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to   <b>Step</b>   11	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
9	Replace the ambient air temperature sensor. Refer to <u>Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Replacement</u> .  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step</b> 11	-
10	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>HVAC</u> <u>Control Module Replacement</u> .  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 11	-
11	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for Running the DTC as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol> Does the DTC reset?	-	Go to Step 2	System OK

#### **DTC B0164**

### **Circuit Description**

The inside air temperature sensor assembly allows the HVAC control module to monitor the temperature of the air inside the passenger compartment. The module applies 5 volts to internal input resistors that are connected to the signal circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly. The module provides ground to the inside air temperature sensor assembly through the low reference circuit. The HVAC control module monitors the voltage drop across the inside air temperature sensor assembly and uses the input for automatic control calculations. When the air temperature is cold, the resistance of the sensor is high and the voltage signal is high. When the air temperature is hot, the resistance of the sensor is low and the voltage signal is low.

# **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Battery voltage to the HVAC control module is greater than 8.7 V and less than 16.5 V.
- The ignition is turned ON.

# **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The HVAC control module determines that the voltage applied to the input for the inside air temperature sensor assembly is less than 0.09 V or greater than 4.9 V.

#### Action Taken When the DTC Sets

The HVAC control module uses a default value of 55° C (131° F) for the Inside Air Temp. parameter. This value will be displayed on the scan tool.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

• The DTC will become history if the HVAC control module no longer detects the condition that set the DTC.

- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

# **Diagnostic Aids**

If the condition is not present, refer to  $\underline{\text{Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections}}$  in Wiring Systems.

# **Test Description**

The number below refer to the step number on the diagnostic table.

**2:** Verifies that the condition that set the DTC is present.

# **DTC B0164**

	D0104	Value		
Step	Action	(s)	Yes	No
	matic Reference: HVAC Schematics			
Con	nector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views			
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-	Go to Step 2	Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> <u>System Check -</u> <u>HVAC Systems -</u> <u>Automatic</u>
	1. Install a scan tool.			
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			
2	3. Select the Heating and Air Conditioning display DTC function on the scan tool.	-		
	Does the seen tool indicate that D0164 is a symmet DTC9		Go to	Co to Diagnostia Aida
	Does the scan tool indicate that B0164 is a current DTC?		Step 3	Go to Diagnostic Aids
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
	2. Disconnect the inside air temperature sensor assembly.			
	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			
3	4. Measure the voltage from the signal circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly to a good ground.	5 V		
	8		Go to	
	Does the voltage measure near the specified value?		Step 4	Go to Step 5
4	Measure the voltage from the signal circuit to the low reference circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly.  Does the voltage measure near the specified value?	5 V	Go to Step 7	Go to <b>Step 6</b>
	Test the signal circuit of the inside air temperature sensor		Биер /	30 to Bicp 0
	assembly for an open, high resistance, short to ground, or			

5	short to voltage. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring</u> <u>Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
6	Test the low reference circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly for a high resistance or an open. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step	Go to Step 8
7	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> and <u>Connector Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
8	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 11	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
9	Replace the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to <b>Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Replacement</b> . Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step</b> 11	-
10	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC  Control Module Replacement.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 11	-
11	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for Running the DTC as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol> Does the DTC reset?	-	Go to Step 2	System OK

# DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, OR B0515

# **Circuit Description**

The following DTC's are for the air temperature sensors located in the discharge air ducts:

- B0174 is for the upper left air temperature sensor.
- B0179 is for the lower left air temperature sensor.
- B0510 is for the upper right air temperature sensor.
- B0515 is for the lower right air temperature sensor.

Air temperature sensors allow the HVAC control module to monitor the temperature of the discharge air in the HVAC ducts. The module applies 5 volts to internal input resistors that are connected to the signal circuits of the air temperature sensors. The module provides ground to the air temperature sensors through the low reference circuit. The HVAC control module monitors the voltage drop across the air temperature sensors and uses the inputs for automatic control calculations. When the duct air temperatures are cold, the resistances of the

sensors are high and the voltage signals are high. When the duct air temperatures are hot, the resistances of the sensors are low and the voltage signals are low. The HVAC control module converts the voltage values to count values where 1 V is approximately equal to 51 counts.

#### **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Battery voltage is within 8.7-16.5 V.
- The ignition is ON.

### **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The HVAC control module determines that the value of the air temperature parameter is less than 5 counts or greater than 250 counts.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The HVAC control module uses a default air temperature value for further automatic control calculations. The default values are not displayed on the scan tool.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the HVAC control module no longer detects a fault.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

# Diagnostic Aids

If the condition is not present, refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.

# **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- **2:** Verifies that the temperature displayed is not within the calibrated range.
- **3:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the high voltage range.
- **4:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the low voltage range. If the fuse in the jumper opens when you perform this test, the signal circuit is shorted to voltage.

# DTC B0174, B0179, B0510, or B0515

DIC	D0174, D0177, D0510, 01 D0515					
		Value				
Step	Action	(s)	Yes	No		
Sche	Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics					
Coni	Connector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views					
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System			Ca ta Diagnastia		
				Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>		

1	Check?	_		System Check - HVAC Systems -
			Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>
2	<ol> <li>Install a scan tool.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Duct Actual parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list. Refer to one of the following parameters:         <ul> <li>LH AC Duct Actual</li> <li>LH Heater Duct Actual</li> <li>RH AC Duct Actual</li> <li>RH Heater Duct Actual</li> </ul> </li> <li>Does the scan tool indicate that the Duct Actual</li> </ol>	5-250 Counts	Go to Diagnostic	
3	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the air temperature sensor.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Duct Actual data parameter.</li> </ol> Does the scan tool indicate that the Duct Actual data parameter is greater than the specified value?	250 Counts	Aids Go to Step 4	Go to Step 3  Go to Step 5
<b>4</b> 5	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Connect a 3 amp fused jumper wire between the signal circuit of the air temperature sensor and the low reference circuit of the air temperature sensor.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Duct Actual data parameter.</li> <li>Does the scan tool indicate that the Duct Actual data parameter is less than the specified value?</li> <li>Test the signal circuit of the air temperature sensor for a short to ground. Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems.</li> </ol>	5 Counts	Go to <b>Step 8</b> Go to <b>Step</b>	Go to <b>Step 6</b>
6	Did you find and correct the condition?  Test the signal circuit of the air temperature sensor for a short to voltage, a high resistance, or an open. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring	-	12	Go to <b>Step 9</b>

	Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		12	Go to Step 7
	Test the low reference circuit of the air temperature			
	sensor for a high resistance or an open. Refer to			
7	Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in Wiring	-		
	Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		12	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector			
	of the air temperature sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for</b>			
8	<b>Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and	-		
	<b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		12	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector			
	of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for</b>			
9	<b>Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and	-		
	<b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		12	Go to Step 11
	Replace the air temperature sensor. Refer to the			
	appropriate replacement procedure:			
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -			
	<u>Upper Right</u>			
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -			
	Upper Left			
10	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -	-		-
	Lower Left			
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -			
	Lower Right			
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	Did way complete the newlecoment?		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you complete the replacement?		12	
	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>HVAC</b>		G - 4 - 94	
11	Control Module Replacement .	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	-
	Did you complete the replacement?		12	
	1. Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.			
	2. Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for			
12	Running the DTC as specified in the supporting			
12	text.	_		
	Does the DTC reset?		Go to Step 2	System OK

# DTC B0183 OR B0188

# **Circuit Description**

The following DTC's are for the left and right sunload sensors.

- B0183 is for the left sunload sensor.
- B0188 is for the right sunload sensor.

The left and right sunload sensors provide the HVAC control module with inputs as to the amount heat load the sun is placing on the interior of the vehicle. The sunload sensors are photodiodes that are sensitive to light intensity. The body control module (BCM) applies 5 volts to internal input resistors that are connected to the left and right signal circuits of the sunload sensor assembly. The BCM provides ground to the sensors through the low reference circuit. The BCM monitors the voltage drops across the sunload sensors and converts the voltage values to count values where 1 V is approximately equal to 51 counts. As the light intensity increases, the sunload sensors allow more current to travel through the circuits and the signal voltages decrease. As the light intensity decreases, the sunload sensors allow less current to travel through the circuits and the signal voltages increase. The BCM transmits the data to the HVAC control module over the class 2 serial data circuit.

### **Conditions for Running the DTC**

The ignition is ON.

#### **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The BCM determines that the value of the sunload sensor signal is less than 5 counts or greater than 250 counts.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The action taken will be for the BCM to revert to a calibrated default value.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the BCM no longer detects a failure.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

## **Diagnostic Aids**

If condition not present, refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.

### **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- 2: Verifies that the value displayed is within the specified range.
- 3: Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the high voltage range.
- **4:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the low voltage range. If the fuse in the jumper opens when you perform this test, the signal circuit is shorted to voltage.

# DTC B0183 or B0188

DTC	OTC B0183 or B0188						
		Value					
Step	Action	(s)	Yes	No			
	matic Reference: <u>HVAC Schematics</u> nector End View Reference: HVAC Connect	or End V	Views				
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-		Go to Diagnostic System Check - HVAC Systems -			
			Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>			
	<ol> <li>Install a scan tool.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> </ol>						
2	3. With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Solar Sensor parameter in the Body Control Module data list. Refer to one of the following parameters:	5-250 Counts					
	<ul><li> Left Solar Sensor</li><li> Right Solar Sensor</li></ul>		Go to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent				
	Does the scan tool indicate that the appropriate Solar Sensor parameter is within the specified range?		Conditions and Poor Connections in Wiring Systems	Go to <b>Step 3</b>			
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.						
	<ol><li>Disconnect the sunload sensor assembly.</li></ol>						
	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.						
3	4. With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Solar Sensor data parameter.	Counts					
	Does the scan tool indicate that the appropriate Solar Sensor parameter is greater than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Go to <b>Step 5</b>			
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.						
4	2. Connect a 3 amp fused jumper wire between the signal circuit of the sunload sensor assembly and the low reference circuit of the sunload sensor assembly.	5 Counts					
	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.						

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	4. With a scan tool, observe the			
	appropriate Solar Sensor parameter.			
	Does the scan tool indicate that the			
	appropriate Solar Sensor parameter is less			
	than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 8</b>	Go to Step 6
	Test the solar signal circuit of the sunload			
	sensor assembly for a short to ground. Refer			
5	to Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in	_		
	Wiring Systems.			
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 12	Go to Step 9
	Test the signal circuit of the sunload sensor			
	assembly for a short to voltage, a high			
6	resistance, or an open. Refer to Circuit	_		
U	<b>Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring	_		
	Systems.		G . G. 44	G . G
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 12	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
	Test the low reference circuit of the sunload			
7	sensor assembly for a high resistance or an			
7	open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring</u>	-		
	<b>Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 12	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
			00 to Step 12	00 to Step 9
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the sunload sensor assembly.			
	Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent</b>			
8	Conditions and Poor Connections and	-		
	Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.			
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 12	Go to Step 10
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness		_	_
	connector of the BCM. Refer to <b>Testing for</b>			
9	<b>Intermittent Conditions and Poor</b>			
9	<b>Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in	_		
	Wiring Systems.			
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 12	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
	Replace the sunload sensor assembly. Refer			
10	to Sun Load Sensor Replacement.	-	G . G. 13	-
	Did you complete the replacement?		Go to Step 12	
	IMPORTANT:			
	Perform the set up procedure for the BCM.			
11		-		-
	Replace the BCM. Refer to <b>Body Control</b>			
	Module Replacement in Body Control		Go to Stop 12	
	System.Did you complete the replacement?		Go to Step 12	
	1. Use the scan tool in order to clear the			
	DTCs.			

12	2. Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for Running the DTC as specified in the supporting text.	-		
	Does the DTC reset?		Go to Step 2	System OK

### DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, OR B3770

### **Circuit Description**

The following DTC's are for the HVAC door actuators:

- B0229 is for the recirculation actuator.
- B0414 is for the left air temperature actuator.
- B0424 is for the right air temperature actuator.
- B3770 is for the mode actuator.

The HVAC control module controls the HVAC door actuators to regulate the airflow through the HVAC system. Each actuator consists of a stepper motor, a logic circuit, and a potentiometer. The potentiometer inside the door actuator allows the module to monitor the current position of the actuator drive shaft. The module supplies a 5 volt source voltage to the potentiometer on the 5 volt reference circuit. The module supplies ground to the potentiometer through the low reference circuit. The HVAC control module monitors the voltage drop across the potentiometer on the door position signal circuit. When the actuator shaft rotates, the voltage on the door position signal circuit changes. The module converts the voltage value to a count value where 1 volt is approximately equal to 51 counts.

The HVAC control module calibrates the travel range of the HVAC door actuators when it is initially powered by the battery positive voltage circuit. During calibration, the module commands the actuators in each direction until door travel is stopped. The module stores the minimum door positions and the maximum door positions of each actuator into memory. The total travel range is calculated by subtracting the minimum door position from the maximum door position. The door actuators can be calibrated again with a scan tool.

## **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Battery voltage is 8.7-16.5 volts.
- The ignition is ON.

# **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The DTC sets when one of the following conditions are present:

- The actual door position value for the actuator is less than 5 counts.
- The actual door position value for the actuator is greater than 250 counts.
- The actuator fails calibration because the calculated travel range value is too great or too small.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

- If the DTC sets because the actual door position value is out of range, the HVAC control module will command the actuator to a default position.
- If the DTC sets because the actuator failed a calibration, the HVAC control module will attempt to calibrate the motor in the next transition from OFF to RUN mode.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the HVAC control module no longer detects the condition that set the DTC.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

### **Diagnostic Aids**

- If the condition is not present refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.
- If the DTC sets following a calibration of the door actuator, inspect the door and the actuator for the following conditions:
  - o A misaligned actuator
  - o Broken linkages or binding linkages
  - o A broken door or a binding door
  - o An obstruction that prevents the door from operating within the full range of motion
  - o Missing seals to the door
  - o Poor connections at the harness connector of the door actuator

# **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- **3:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the low voltage range.
- **4:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the high voltage range. If the jumper fuse opens when you perform this test, the circuit is shorted to ground.
- **5:** Tests for a short to voltage in the 5-volt reference circuit.
- **6:** Tests for a high resistance or for an open in the low reference circuit.

# DTC B0229, B0414, B0424, or B3770

Step	Action	Values	Yes	No	
Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics					
Connector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views					
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-		Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> System Check -	

				HVAC Systems -
		<u> </u>	Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>
	1. Install a scan tool.			1
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			1
	3. With the scan tool, observe the appropriate Door Actual parameter in the Heating and Air	5-250		
2	Conditioning data list.	counts		
			Go to	
	Does the scan tool indicate that the appropriate Door		Diagnostic Aids	Go to Ston 3
	Actual parameter is within the specified range?		Aius	Go to <b>Step 3</b>
	1. Turn OFF the ignition. 2. Disconnect the appropriate HVAC door actuator.			1
	2. Disconnect the appropriate HVAC door actuator.  3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF			
3	<ul><li>3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li><li>4. With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Door</li></ul>	5		1
	Actual parameter.	counts		1
	-			
	Does the scan tool indicate that the appropriate Door Actual parameter is less than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
			Go to buch .	00 10 510 10
	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Connect a 3-ampere fused jumper between the</li> </ol>			1
	5-volt reference circuit and the appropriate door			1
	position signal circuit of the HVAC door			1
4	actuator.  3 Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF	230		1
-	<ul><li>3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li><li>4. With a scan tool, observe the appropriate Door</li></ul>	counts		İ
	Actual parameter.			
	-			1
	Does the scan tool indicate that the appropriate Door Actual parameter is greater than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 5</b>	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
	Disconnect the fused jumper.		GO to DUIT	Oo to Str
	2. Measure the voltage between the 5-volt			İ
_	reference circuit and the low reference circuit of	5 5 V		ĺ
5	the HVAC door actuator.	5.5 V		1
	Does the voltage measure less than the specified			İ
	value?		Go to Step 6	Go to Step 7
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			l
	2. Disconnect the negative battery cable.			l
6	3. Measure the resistance from the low reference	5 ohm		
	circuit of the HVAC door actuator to a good ground.			l
	8	1		1

Ī	Does the resistance measure less than the specified		Go to Step	
	value?		12	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
	Test the 5-volt reference circuit of the appropriate			
	HVAC door actuator for a short to voltage. Refer to			
7	<u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 13
	Test the 5-volt reference circuit of the appropriate			
	HVAC door actuator for a short to ground, for a high			
8	resistance, or for an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 9
	Test the appropriate door position signal circuit of the			
	HVAC door actuator for a short to ground, for a high			
9	resistance, or for an open. Refer to Circuit Testing	-	G . G.	
	and to Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to <b>Step 16</b>	Go to <b>Step 13</b>
	Test the appropriate door position signal circuit of the		10	00 to Step 13
	HVAC door actuator for a short to voltage. Refer to			
10	Circuit Testing and to Wiring Repairs in Wiring	-		
	Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	G . G. 13
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 13
	1. Disconnect the HVAC control module.			
	2. Test the low reference circuit of the appropriate			
11	HVAC door actuator for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and to <b>Wiring</b>	_		
	Repairs in Wiring Systems.			
			Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 13
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector			
	of the appropriate HVAC door actuator. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor</b>			
12	Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring	-		
	Systems.		Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 14
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector			
13	of the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and			
13	to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.	_	Go to <b>Step</b>	
	Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 15
	IMPORTANT:			
	Perform the calibration procedure for HVAC door			
	actuators.			
	Replace the HVAC door actuator. Refer to the			

14	<ul> <li>appropriate replacement procedure:</li> <li>Recirculation Actuator Replacement</li> <li>Mode Actuator Replacement</li> <li>Air Temperature Actuator Replacement - Right</li> <li>Air Temperature Actuator Replacement - Left</li> </ul>	-		-
	Did you complete the replacement?		Go to <b>Step</b> 16	
15	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC  Control Module Replacement.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step	-
16	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle according to the Conditions for Running in the DTC, as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol>	-		
	Does the DTC set again?		Go to Step 2	System OK

### DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, OR B0418

### **Circuit Description**

The following DTC's are for the HVAC door actuators:

- B0263 is for the mode actuator.
- B0268 is for the recirculation actuator.
- B0408 is for the left air temperature actuator.
- B0418 is for the right air temperature actuator.

The HVAC control module controls the HVAC door actuators to regulate the airflow through the HVAC system. Each actuator consists of a stepper motor, a logic circuit, and a potentiometer. The potentiometer inside the door actuator allows the module to monitor the current position of the actuator drive shaft. The logic circuit inside the actuators receives control signals from the HVAC control module and controls the internal stepper motor. When a door positional change is required, the HVAC control module calculates a commanded door position. The module compares the commanded door position to the actual door position and determines the needed direction of motor rotation. The module applies a signal voltage to the door control circuit that is an input to the internal logic circuit of the door actuator. A 5 volt signal increases the door position. A 0 volt signal decreases the door position. When the commanded door position is equal to the actual door position, the HVAC control module sends a 2.5 volt signal to the door actuator and motor rotation stops. The ignition 3 voltage circuit provides source voltage to the logic circuit. The module provides ground to the actuator logic circuit through the low reference circuit.

#### **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Source voltage is 8.7-16.5 volts.
- The ignition is ON.
- The HVAC control module commands the actuator to move.

#### **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The actual door position is not near the commanded door position.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The HVAC control module does not command the actuator to move for the remainder of the ignition cycle.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC becomes history during the next ignition cycle in which the HVAC control module no longer detects a stall condition.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

### **Diagnostic Aids**

- If the condition is not present refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.
- Inspect the appropriate door and door actuator for the following conditions:
  - o A misaligned door actuator
  - o Binding linkages
  - o A binding door
  - o An obstruction that prevents the door actuator from operating within the full range of motion

### **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- 2: Determines if the HVAC door actuator is stalled.
- **3:** Applies control circuit voltages to the input of the HVAC door actuator.

# DTC B0263, B0268, B0408, or B0418

Step	Action	Yes	No		
Sche	Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics				
Con	Connector End View Reference: <u>HVAC Connector End Views</u>				
Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?  Go to Diagnostic System Check?					

	1		Go to Step 2	HVAC Systems - Automatic
ľ		1. Install a scan tool.	•	
Ì		2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
	2	3. With a scan tool, command the appropriate HVAC door actuator ON and OFF while observing the corresponding Door Actual parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning Data List.	Go to	
		Does the scan tool indicate that the value of the appropriate Door Actual parameter changes?	Diagnostic Aids	Go to <b>Step 3</b>
		Observe the appropriate HVAC door actuator drive shaft.		
		Connect a 3 amp fused jumper wire between appropriate door control circuit at the HVAC control module and a good ground.		
	3	3. Disconnect the fused jumper wire.		
		4. Connect a 3 amp fused jumper wire between the appropriate door control circuit and the 5 volt reference circuit at the HVAC control module.		
		Does the drive shaft of the appropriate HVAC door actuator rotate?	Go to <b>Step 8</b>	Go to <b>Step 4</b>
	4	Test the door control circuit of the appropriate HVAC door actuator for a short to voltage, for a short to ground, or for an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step	Go to <b>Step 5</b>
l		1. Turn OFF the ignition.		-
		2. Disconnect the fused jumper wire.		
		3. Disconnect the appropriate HVAC door actuator.		
	5	4. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
3	3	5. Probe the ignition 3 voltage circuit of the appropriate HVAC door actuator with a test lamp that is connected to ground.		
		Does the test lamp illuminate?	Go to Step 6	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
		Inspect the appropriate door and the door actuator for the following conditions:	_	
		A misaligned door actuator.		
		Binding linkages		

6	<ul> <li>A binding door</li> <li>An obstruction that prevents the HVAC door actuator from operating within the full range of motion</li> </ul>		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
7	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the appropriate HVAC door actuator. Refer to <b>Testing for</b> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
8	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent</b> Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector  Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
9	Repair the ignition 3 voltage circuit of the appropriate HVAC door actuator. Refer to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you complete the repair?	Go to Step	-
10	IMPORTANT: Perform the calibration procedure for HVAC door actuators.  Replace the appropriate HVAC door actuator. Refer to the appropriate replacement procedure:  • Recirculation Actuator Replacement  • Mode Actuator Replacement  • Air Temperature Actuator Replacement - Right  • Air Temperature Actuator Replacement - Left  Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 12	-
11	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>HVAC Control Module Replacement</b> . Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 12	-
12	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle according to the Conditions for Running in the DTC as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol>		
	Does the DTC set again?	Go to Step 2	System OK

# **DTC B1375**

The ignition 3 voltage circuit is a discrete input to the HVAC control module. The HVAC control modules uses the input to determine that the ignition switch is in the RUN position. When the ignition switch is in the RUN position, ignition voltage is applied to the input.

### **Conditions for Running the DTC**

- Source voltage is 8.7-16.5 volts.
- The HVAC control module receives a RUN power mode message from the BCM over the class 2 serial data circuit.

### **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

The HVAC control module does not detect ignition voltage on the ignition 3 voltage input.

### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The HVAC control module will continue to operate using the class 2 power mode messaging.

### **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the HVAC control module no longer detects the condition that set the DTC.
- The history DTC will clear after 100 fault free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

# **DTC B1375**

Step	Action	Yes	No
	matic Reference: <u>HVAC Schematics</u>		
Con	nector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views	5	
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?		Go to <b>Diagnostic System</b>
1		Go to	Check - HVAC Systems -
		Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>
	1. Install a scan tool.		
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
2	3. Select the HVAC control module display DTC		Go to <b>Testing for</b>
	function on the scan tool.		<b>Intermittent Conditions and</b>
		Go to	<b>Poor Connections</b> in Wiring
	Does the scan tool indicate that B1375 is a current DTC?	Step 3	Systems
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.		
	2. Disconnect the HVAC control module.		
3	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
	4. Probe the ignition 3 voltage circuit with a test lamp that is connected to a good ground.		
		Go to	

	Does the test lamp illuminate?	Step 4	Go to Step 5
4	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent</u> Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector		
	Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 7</b>	Go to <b>Step 6</b>
5	Repair the ignition 3 voltage circuit. Refer to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you complete the repair?	Go to Step 7	-
6	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC  Control Module Replacement.  Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 7	-
7	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for Running the DTC as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol>	Go to	
	Does the DTC reset?	Step 3	System OK

#### **DTC P0530**

#### **Circuit Description**

The powertrain control module (PCM) monitors the high side refrigerant pressure via a A/C refrigerant pressure sensor. When the pressure is high the signal voltage is high. When the pressure is low the signal voltage is low. When pressure is too high the PCM will not allow the A/C compressor clutch to engage.

# **Conditions for Running the DTC**

The PCM detects an A/C request.

# **Conditions for Setting the DTC**

- The A/C refrigerant pressure sensor signal is less than 0.1 volts for 5 seconds.
- The A/C refrigerant pressure sensor signal is greater than 4.9 volts for 5 seconds.

#### **Action Taken When the DTC Sets**

The malfunction indicator lamp (MIL) will not illuminate.

## **Conditions for Clearing the DTC**

- The DTC will become history if the PCM no longer detects a failure.
- The history DTC will clear after 40 fault-free ignition cycles.
- The DTC can be cleared with a scan tool.

### **Diagnostic Aids**

For an intermittent, refer to **Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections** in Wiring Systems.

# **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- **3:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the low voltage range.
- **4:** Tests for the proper operation of the circuit in the high voltage range. If the fuse in the jumper opens when you perform this test, the signal circuit is shorted to ground.
- **5:** Tests for a short to voltage in the 5-volt reference circuit.
- **6:** Tests for a high resistance or an open in the low reference circuit.

# **DTC P0530**

Step		Value		
	Action	(s)	Yes	No
	matic Reference: HVAC Schematics			
Con	nector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End V	<u>/iews</u>	<u> </u>	~ ~ ~ ~
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-		Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> <u>System Check -</u> HVAC Systems -
			Go to Step 2	Automatic
	1. Turn ON the ignition with the engine OFF.			
	2. With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure			
2	Sensor parameter in the Powertrain Engine Data	0.1-		
	list.	4.9 V	Go to	
	Does the scan tool indicate the A/C Pressure Sensor		Diagnostic	
	parameter is within the specified range?		Aids	Go to Step 3
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
	2. Disconnect the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor.			
	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			
3	4. With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter.	0.09 V		
	Does the scan tool indicate that the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter is less than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
	2. Connect a 3-amp fused jumper wire between the 5-volt reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor and the signal circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor.			

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<ul><li>3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li><li>4. With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure</li></ul>			
Sensor parameter.	4.9 V		
Does the scan tool indicate that the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter is greater than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 8</b>	Go to <b>Step 5</b>
1. Disconnect the fused jumper wire.			
2. Measure the voltage between the 5-volt reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor and the low reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor.	5.1 V		
Does the voltage measure less than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 6</b>	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
2. Disconnect the negative battery cable.			
3. Measure the resistance from the low reference	5 alam		
good ground.	3 OHIII		
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value?		12	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
Test the 5-volt reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant			_
	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	
Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 13
or an open. Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring	-		
			Go to <b>Step 9</b>
Test the signal circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure			Co to Step 3
sensor for a short to ground, a high resistance, or an open. Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in	_		
Wiring Systems.	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	
Did you find and correct the condition?		16	Go to Step 13
rest the signal circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor for a short to voltage. Refer to Circuit Testing			
and Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems.	-	Go to <b>Step</b>	Go to Stan 12
•		10	Go to <b>Step 13</b>
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refrigerant pressure sensor for a high resistance	_		
	<ol> <li>With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter.</li> <li>Does the scan tool indicate that the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter is greater than the specified value?</li> <li>Disconnect the fused jumper wire.</li> <li>Measure the voltage between the 5-volt reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor and the low reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor.</li> <li>Does the voltage measure less than the specified value?</li> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the negative battery cable.</li> <li>Measure the resistance from the low reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor to a good ground.</li> <li>Does the resistance measure less than the specified value?</li> <li>Test the 5-volt reference circuit of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor for a short to voltage. Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems. 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	or an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 16	Go to <b>Step 13</b>
12	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 16	Go to <b>Step 14</b>
13	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the powertrain control module. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 16	Go to <b>Step 15</b>
14	Replace the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to <b>Air Conditioning (A/C) Refrigerant Pressure Sensor Replacement</b> in Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 16	Go to <b>Step 15</b>
15	IMPORTANT: Perform the programming procedure for the powertrain control module.  Replace the powertrain control module. Refer to Powertrain Control Module (PCM) Replacement in Engine Controls - 4.8L, 5.3L, 6.0L.Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 16	-
16	<ol> <li>Use the scan tool in order to clear the DTCs.</li> <li>Operate the vehicle within the Conditions for Running the DTC as specified in the supporting text.</li> </ol> Does the DTC reset?	-	Go to Step 2	System OK

# **SYMPTOMS - HVAC SYSTEMS - AUTOMATIC**

# IMPORTANT: The following steps must be completed before using the symptom tables.

- 1. Perform the <u>Diagnostic System Check HVAC Systems Automatic</u> before using the Symptom Tables in order to verify that all of the following are true:
  - There are no DTCs set.
  - The control module can communicate via the serial data link.
- 2. Review the system operation in order to familiarize yourself with the system functions. Refer to

- Air Delivery Description and Operation
- Air Temperature Description and Operation

### Visual/Physical Inspection

- 1. Inspect for aftermarket devices which could affect the operation of the HVAC System. Refer to **Checking Aftermarket Accessories** in Wiring Systems.
- 2. Inspect the easily accessible or visible system components for obvious damage or conditions which could cause the symptom.
- 3. Verify the A/C compressor clutch turns freely and is not seized.
- 4. Verify that the customer is using the correct key to enable personalization.
- 5. The A/C compressor will not operate in cold outside air temperatures. Refer to <u>Air Temperature</u> <u>Description and Operation</u>.
- 6. The following conditions may cause window fogging:
  - Wet carpet or mats
  - High humidity
  - Interior water leak
  - Blocked A/C evaporator drain tube
  - Maximum passenger capacity
  - Blocked body pressure relief valves
- 7. Inspect the air distribution system for causes of reduced air flow:
  - Obstructed or dirty passenger compartment air filter, if equipped
  - Blocked or damaged air inlet or outlet vents

#### Intermittent

Faulty electrical connections or wiring may be the cause of intermittent conditions. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.

## **Symptom List**

Refer to a symptom diagnostic procedure from the following list in order to diagnose the symptom:

- HVAC Compressor Clutch Does Not Engage
- HVAC Compressor Clutch Does Not Disengage
- Blower Motor Always On
- Blower Motor Inoperative
- Blower Motor Malfunction
- Too Hot in Vehicle
- Too Cold in Vehicle
- Air Delivery Improper

- Air Recirculation Malfunction
- Leak Testing in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
- Noise Diagnosis Blower Motor in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
- Noise Diagnosis Air Conditioning (A/C) System in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
- Noise Diagnosis HVAC Module in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
- Odor Diagnosis in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning

### HVAC COMPRESSOR CLUTCH DOES NOT ENGAGE

#### **Diagnostic Aids**

A/C compressor clutch will not engage under the following conditions:

- The A/C high side line pressure is over 2957 kPa (429 psi).
- The A/C low side line pressure is under 138-172 kPa (20-25 psi).

To accurately determine what pressure the A/C low pressure switch opens and closes at, use Kent Moore GE-47742 which will allow the technician to measure the switch point pressure at the switch.

Using a scan tool, monitor the "low pressure switch" status while monitoring the "low side" pressure at the switch to determine the switch points of the low pressure switch.

The low pressure switch "connector seal" must be removed before plugging it into the switch for testing. The "plunger effect" of plugging the connector with seal into the switch induces a pressure on the back side of the switch, this pressure will skew the opening/closing characteristics of the switch 5-10 psi until the pressure bleeds off. The time required for the connection induced pressure to bleed off can take 20 minutes or longer.

#### **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- 2: The A/C compressor output is disabled if the engine is idling at a low unstable RPM.
- 3: The A/C compressor relay output is disabled if engine coolant temperature is above  $121^{\circ}$  C ( $250^{\circ}$  F). The engine coolant indicator will illuminate at this temperature.
- **4:** This step ensures that the HVAC control module is receiving an input from the A/C switch.
- **5:** These actions will enable the A/C compressor to operate.
- **6:** This test ensures that there is sufficient refrigerant in the A/C system. The specific values come from the A/C System Performance Test in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning.
- **8:** The A/C Low Pressure Switch parameter is out of range when the HVAC control module interprets the signal being below 138-172 kPa (20-25 psi).
- **9:** This action will simulate a closed switch condition. If the Pressure Cycle Switch parameter reads Low Pressure than there is a circuit condition or a condition with the HVAC control module.
- 12: The A/C compressor relay output from the powertrain control module (PCM) is disabled if the A/C

high side system pressure is interpreted to be higher than 2958 kPa (429 psi).

**HVAC Compressor Clutch Does Not Engage** 

	C Compressor Clutch Does Not Engage	1		
Step		Values	Yes	No
Con DEF	ematic Reference: HVAC Schematics nector End View Reference: HVAC Constitution: The A/C compressor clutch will ertrain DTC has not been set.			nas been made and a
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	-	Go to <b>Step 2</b>	Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> <u>System Check -</u> <u>HVAC Systems -</u> <u>Automatic</u>
2	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>Set the parking brake.</li> <li>Place the vehicle in drive and allow the engine to idle.</li> <li>Observe the engine RPM.</li> </ol> Does the engine idle at a steady RPM?	-	Go to <b>Step 3</b>	Go to Rough, Unstable, or Incorrect Idle and Stalling in Engine Controls - 4.8L, 5.3L, and 6.0L
3	Start the engine.     Observe the engine coolant temperature indicator.  Is the engine coolant temperature indicator illuminated?	-	Go to <b>Diagnostic System Check - Engine Cooling</b> in Engine Cooling	Go to <b>Step 4</b>
4	<ol> <li>Install a scan tool.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the A/C Switch parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.</li> <li>Activate the A/C request switch.</li> <li>Does the scan tool indicate that the A/C Switch parameter changes states?</li> </ol>	-	Go to <b>Step 5</b>	Go to <b>Step 26</b>
5	IMPORTANT: For A/C compressor operation, the ambient air temperature must be above 5° C (40° F).  1. Start the engine. 2. Place the blower motor switch in the maximum speed position.	-		

	<ul><li>3. Place the A/C request switch in the ON position.</li><li>4. Place the left air temperature switch in the coldest position.</li><li>Does the A/C compressor clutch engage?</li></ul>		Go to Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections in Wiring Systems	Go to <b>Step 6</b>
6	<ol> <li>Park the vehicle inside or out of direct sunlight.</li> <li>Open the window in order to ventilate the interior of the vehicle.</li> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>If the A/C system was operating, then wait for approximately 2 minutes.</li> <li>Install J 43600.</li> <li>Record the ambient temperature at the vehicle.</li> <li>Record readings of the low and high side STATIC pressures.</li> <li>Compare the low and the high side pressure values with the allowable limits for the recorded ambient air temperature.</li> <li>Are the low and the high side pressure values within the allowable limits for the recorded ambient air temperature. Are the pressure values within 103 kPa (15 psi) of each other?</li> </ol>	Above 16° C (60° F) 345 kPa (50 psi) Above 24° C (75° F) 483 kPa (70 psi) Above 33° C (90° F) 690 kPa (100 psi)	Go to <b>Step 7</b>	Go to <u>Leak Testing</u> in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
7	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the A/C Permission parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.</li> <li>Does the A/C Permission parameter display Granted?</li> <li>Turn the ignition OFF.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> </ol>	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 8</b>

8	3. With a scan tool, observe the Pressure Cycle Switch parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.  Does the Pressure Cycle Switch parameter display Normal?	-	Go to <b>Step 12</b>	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.		-	•
	2. Disconnect the A/C low pressure switch.			
	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			
9	4. Connect a 3-ampere fused jumper between the signal circuit and the ground circuit of the A/C low pressure switch.	-		
	5. Observe the Pressure Cycle Switch parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.			
	Does the Pressure Cycle Switch parameter display Normal?		Go to Step 23	Go to <b>Step 10</b>
10	Test the signal circuit of the A/C low pressure switch for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-		
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 35	Go to Step 11
11	Test the ground circuit of the A/C low pressure switch for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-		
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 35	Go to Step 26
12	With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter in the Powertrain Engine Data list. Is the parameter less than the specified	2958 kPa (429 psi)		
	value?		Go to Step 26	Go to Step 13
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
	2. If the A/C system was operating, then wait for approximately 2 minutes.			
	3. Install <b>J 43600</b> .			

13	<ul> <li>4. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>5. With a scan tool, observe the A/C Pressure Sensor parameter in the Powertrain data list.</li> <li>6. Compare the A/C high side pressure on the scan tool to the high side pressure on J 43600.</li> <li>Are the high side pressure values within 103 kPa (15 psi) of each other?</li> </ul>	-	Go to Air Conditioning (A/C) System Performance Test in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning	Go to <b>Step 24</b>
14	Start the engine.     With a scan tool, command the A/C Permission to Granted and Withheld.  Does the relay turn ON and OFF with each command?	-	Go to <b>Step 15</b>	Go to <b>Step 19</b>
15	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Test the battery positive voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.</li> </ol>	-		
16	<ol> <li>Did you find and correct the condition?</li> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Connect a 10-ampere fused jumper between the battery positive circuit of the A/C compressor relay and the A/C compressor supply voltage circuit.</li> <li>Disconnect the A/C compressor connector.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with engine OFF.</li> <li>Connect a test lamp between the A/C compressor supply voltage circuit and the ground circuit of the A/C compressor.</li> <li>Does the test light illuminate?</li> </ol>	-	Go to Step 35	Go to Step 16  Go to Step 17

17	Test the supply voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?  Test the ground circuit of the A/C compressor clutch for a high resistance or for an open. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 35	Go to Step 18
19	<ol> <li>Did you find and correct the condition?</li> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the A/C compressor clutch relay.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Probe the ignition 3 voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay with a test lamp that is connected to ground.</li> <li>Does the test lamp illuminate?</li> </ol>	-	Go to Step 35	Go to Step 22
20	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>Connect a test lamp between the control circuit and the ignition 3 voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay.</li> <li>With a scan tool, command the A/C Permission to Granted.</li> </ol> Does the test lamp illuminate?	-	Go to <b>Step 22</b>	Go to <b>Step 21</b>
21	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Test the A/C compressor clutch control circuit of the PCM for a high resistance or for an open.         Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.</li> <li>Did you find and correct the condition?</li> </ol>	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 27</b>
	Turn OFF the ignition.     Inspect for poor connections at the		00 to step 33	00 to 3 <b>tcp 2</b> 1

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22	A/C compressor clutch relay. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent</b> Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.	-		
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 35	Go to Step 29
23	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the A/C low pressure switch. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> and to <u>Connector Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 30</b>
24	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for</b> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 31</b>
25	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the A/C compressor. Refer to Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 32</b>
26	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>Testing for</u>	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 33</b>
27	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the powertrain control module (PCM). Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and to <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	Go to <b>Step 34</b>
28	Repair the ignition 3 voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay. Refer to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you complete the repair?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-

29	Replace the A/C compressor clutch relay. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	_
30	Replace the A/C low pressure switch. Refer to Air Conditioning (A/C) Low Pressure Switch Replacement in Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-
31	Replace the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to Air Conditioning (A/C) Refrigerant Pressure Sensor Replacement in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-
32	Replace the A/C compressor clutch. Refer to Compressor Clutch Plate/Hub Assembly Replacement in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-
33	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC Control Module Replacement. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-
34	IMPORTANT: Program the PCM.  Replace the PCM. Refer to Powertrain Control Module (PCM) Replacement in Engine Controls - 4.8L, 5.3L, and 6.0L.Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 35</b>	-
35	Operate the system in order to verify the repair.  Did you correct the condition?	-	System OK	Go to <b>Step 5</b>

# HVAC COMPRESSOR CLUTCH DOES NOT DISENGAGE

# **Test Description**

The number below refers to the step number on the diagnostic table.

2: These actions will disable the HVAC control module output to powertrain control module (PCM).

**HVAC Compressor Clutch Does Not Disengage** 

Step	Action	Yes	No

1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	Go to Step 2	Go to Diagnostic System Check - HVAC Systems Automatic
2	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>Turn OFF the HVAC controls.</li> <li>Place the A/C request switch in the OFF position.</li> </ol> Does the A/C compressor clutch engage?	Go to Step 3	Go to Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections in Wiring Systems
3	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the A/C compressor clutch.</li> <li>Turn On the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Probe the supply voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch with a test lamp that is connected to ground.</li> </ol> Does the test lamp illuminate?	Go to Step 4	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
4	Test the supply voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch for a short to voltage. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and to <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 13	Go to Step 5
5	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the A/C compressor clutch relay.</li> <li>Turn On the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Connect a test lamp between the control circuit and the ignition-3 voltage circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay.</li> </ol>	Go to	Ā
6	Does the test lamp illuminate?  Test the control circuit of the A/C compressor clutch relay for a short to ground. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 13</b>	Go to <b>Step 7</b> Go to <b>Step 9</b>
7	Inspect for poor connections at the A/C compressor clutch relay. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and to <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 13	Go to <b>Step 10</b>

8	Conditions and Poor Connections and to Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 13	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
9	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the powertrain control module (PCM). Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and to <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 13</b>	Go to Step 12
10	Replace the A/C compressor clutch relay. Did you complete the replacement?	Go to <b>Step 13</b>	-
11	Replace the A/C compressor clutch. Refer to <u>Compressor</u> <u>Clutch Plate/Hub Assembly Replacement</u> in Heating,  Ventilation and Air Conditioning.  Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 13	-
12	IMPORTANT: Program the PCM.  Replace the PCM. Refer to Powertrain Control Module (PCM) Replacement in Engine Controls - 4.8L, 5.3L, 6.0L.Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 13	-
13	Operate the system in order to verify the repair. Did you correct the condition?	System OK	Go to <b>Step 3</b>

# **BLOWER MOTOR ALWAYS ON**

# **Test Description**

The number below refers to the step number on the diagnostic table.

**4:** The blower motor parameter must be commanded ON before an OFF command will function.

**Blower Motor Always On** 

Step	Action	Values	Yes	No			
Sche	Schematic Reference:HVAC Schematics						
	nector End View Reference: HVAC Conne						
DEF	INITION: The blower motor operates with the	ne HVA	C controls in the OFF posit	ion.			
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic			Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>			
1	System Check?	_		<b>System Check -</b>			
1		_		<b>HVAC Systems -</b>			
			Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>			
	1. Turn the ignition ON, with the						
	engine OFF.						
2	2. Turn OFF the HVAC controls.	-	Go to <b>Testing for</b>				
			<b>Intermittent Conditions</b>				
			and Poor Connections				

	Is the blower motor OFF?		in Wiring Systems	Go to Step 3
3	With a scan tool observe the Blower Motor PWM Speed parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.  Does the scan tool indicate that the Blower Motor PWM Speed parameter is near the specified value?	0%	Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Go to <b>Step 6</b>
4	<ol> <li>With a scan tool, command the Blower Motor parameter ON in the Heating and Air Conditioning Scan Tool Output Controls.</li> <li>Command the Blower Motor parameter OFF.</li> </ol>	-		
	Does the blower motor turn OFF?		Go to <b>Step 6</b>	Go to <b>Step 5</b>
5	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the blower motor control processor. Refer to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
6	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module.  Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring</u> <u>Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
7	Replace the blower motor control processor. Refer to Blower Motor Control Processor Replacement.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	-
8	IMPORTANT: Perform the recalibration procedure for the HVAC control module.  Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC Control Module Replacement .Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	-
9	Operate the system in order to verify the repair. Did you correct the condition?	-	System OK	Go to <b>Step 2</b>

# **BLOWER MOTOR INOPERATIVE**

**Blower Motor Inoperative** 

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Con	hematic Reference: HVAC Schematics onnector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views EFINITION: The blower motor is inoperative in all speed positions.				
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?	Go to Step 2	Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> <u>System Check -</u> <u>HVAC Systems -</u> <u>Automatic</u>		
2	<ol> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Place the blower motor switch in each speed position.</li> <li>Does the blower motor operate in any of the speed positions?</li> </ol>	Go to <u>Blower</u> <u>Motor</u> <u>Malfunction</u>	Go to <b>Step 3</b>		
3	<ol> <li>Turn OFF the ignition.</li> <li>Disconnect the blower motor connector.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Connect a test lamp between the blower motor supply voltage circuit and the blower motor ground circuit.</li> <li>Place the blower motor switch in the maximum speed position.</li> <li>Place the air temperature switch to the warmest position.</li> <li>Does the test lamp illuminate?</li> </ol>	Go to <b>Step 10</b>	Go to <b>Step 4</b>		
4	<ol> <li>Disconnect the blower motor control processor.</li> <li>Connect a test lamp between the battery positive voltage circuit and the ground circuit of the blower motor control processor.</li> <li>Does the test lamp illuminate?</li> </ol>	Go to <b>Step 8</b>	Go to <b>Step 5</b>		
5	Connect a test lamp between the battery positive voltage circuit of the blower motor control processor and a good ground.  Does the test lamp illuminate?	Go to Step 7	Go to <b>Step 6</b>		
6	Repair the battery positive voltage circuit of the blower motor control processor. Refer to Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 16</b>	-		
7	Repair the ground circuit of the blower motor control processor. Refer to <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you complete the repair?	Go to <b>Step 16</b>	-		
	1. Connect a test lamp between the blower motor				

	speed control circuit and the battery positive voltage circuit of the blower motor control processor.		
	2. Observe the test lamp.		
8	3. Place the blower motor switch from the minimum		
	speed position to the maximum speed position.		
	Does the test lamp increase intensity when the blower speed is increased?	Go to <b>Step 11</b>	Go to Step 9
	Test the blower motor speed control circuit of the blower motor control processor for an open, short to ground, or		
9	short to voltage. Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring		
	Repairs in Wiring Systems.	G . G. 16	G . St. 13
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 16</b>	Go to Step 12
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the blower motor. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent</b>		
10	Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector		
	Repairs in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 16	Go to Step 13
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the blower motor control processor. Refer to <b>Testing for</b>		
11	Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and		
	Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 16	Go to Step 14
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of		
12	the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and		
12	Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 16	Go to Step 15
	Replace the blower motor. Refer to <b>Blower Motor</b>		
13	<b>Replacement</b> in Heating, Ventilation and Air		-
	Conditioning.	Cata Stan 16	
	Did you complete the replacement?  Replace the blower motor control processor. Refer to	Go to Step 16	
14	Blower Motor Control Processor Replacement.		-
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 16	
	IMPORTANT:		
	Perform the recalibration procedure for the HVAC		
15	control module.		
13	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>HVAC</b>		-
	Control Module Replacement .Did you complete the		
	replacement?	Go to Step 16	
16	Operate the system in order to verify the repair.		
10	Did you correct the condition?	System OK	Go to Step 2

# **BLOWER MOTOR MALFUNCTION**

# **Test Description**

- 2: This step verifies that the HVAC control module Fan Up Switch parameter matches the requested state of the blower motor switch.
- **3:** This step verifies that the HVAC control module Fan Down Switch parameter matches the requested state of the blower motor switch.

# **Blower Motor Malfunction**

Step	Action	Values	Yes	No			
Sche	Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics						
	Connector End View Reference: <u>HVAC Connector End Views</u>						
DEF	DEFINITION: The blower motor operates in at least one speed position.						
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?			Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> System Check -			
1	System Check:	-		HVAC Systems -			
			Go to Step 2	Automatic			
	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.						
2	<ol><li>With a scan tool, observe the Fan Up Button parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.</li></ol>	-					
	3. Activate the fan up switch.						
	Does the scan tool indicate that the Fan Up Button parameter changes state?		Go to Step 3	Go to <b>Step 10</b>			
	<ol> <li>With a scan tool, observe the Fan Down Button parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.</li> </ol>						
3	2. Activate the fan down switch.	-					
	Does the scan tool indicate that the Fan Down						
	Button parameter changes state?		Go to Step 4	Go to Step 10			
	Place the blower motor switch in each speed position.		Go to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent				
4	Does the blower motor operate at the desired	_	Conditions and Poor				
	speeds?		<b>Connections</b> in Wiring				
			Systems	Go to <b>Step 5</b>			
	1. Disconnect the harness connector of the						
5	blower motor control processor.	10-14					
5	<ol><li>Measure the voltage between the battery positive voltage circuit and the ground circuit of the blower motor control</li></ol>	V					

	processor.			
	Does the voltage measure within the specified range?		Go to <b>Step 6</b>	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
6	<ol> <li>Connect the blower motor control processor.</li> <li>Disconnect the harness connector of the HVAC control module.</li> <li>Measure the voltage on the blower motor speed control circuit.</li> </ol>	4.5-5.5 V		
	Does the voltage measure within the specified range?		Go to <b>Step 9</b>	Go to <b>Step 7</b>
7	Test the control circuit of the blower motor control processor for a high resistance. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 9</b>
8	Test the battery positive voltage circuit of the blower motor control processor for a high resistance. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
9	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the blower motor control processor. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent</u> Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 14	Go to Step 12
10	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 13</b>
11	Repair a high resistance in the ground circuit of the blower motor control processor. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you complete the repair?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	<u>-</u>
12	Replace the blower motor control processor. Refer to Blower Motor Control Processor Replacement. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	-
	IMPORTANT: Perform the recalibration procedure for the			

	HVAC control module.			
13	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC Control Module Replacement .Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	-
14	Operate the system in order to verify the repair. Did you correct the condition?	-	System OK	Go to Step 2

#### TOO HOT IN VEHICLE

#### **Diagnostic Aids**

- The condition may be intermittent. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor</u> Connections in Wiring Systems.
- The air temperature actuators can be calibrated. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators**.
- If the door actuators are out of the calibrated range the auto recirculation function will not work. The vehicle operator must place the HVAC controls to the recirculation position manually. Ensure to perform an actuator recalibration to correct this condition.

#### **Test Description**

The numbers below refer to the step numbers on the diagnostic table.

- **6:** Ambient air temperature must be above 3° C (38° F) in order for this A/C compressor test to be run.
- **8:** This step ensures that the lower air temperature sensors operate properly. The LH and RH Heater Duct Actual parameter count values should lower as the air temperature of the ducts get warmer. If there is a high resistance in either of the air temperature sensors circuits or the sensor itself then the count value of the effected sensor would remain high.
- **9:** This step ensures that the upper air temperature sensors operate properly. The LH and RH AC Duct Actual parameter count values should lower as the air temperature of the ducts get warmer. If there is a high resistance in either of the air temperature sensors circuits or the sensor itself then the count value of the effected sensor would remain high.
- 14: Use the following table to determine that the recorded scan tool values are within range for the recorded probe temperatures of the J 43600 .

#### Too Hot in Vehicle

Temperature $^{\circ}$ C	Temperature ° F	Scan Tool Display
0-4	32-40	206-175 counts
5-9	41-49	194-161 counts
10-14	50-58	180-145 counts
15-19	59-67	166-133 counts
20-24	68-76	150-119 counts
25-29	77-85	136-106 counts

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30-34	86-94	121-93 counts
35-39	95-103	107-81 counts
40-44	104-112	94-69 counts
45-49	113-121	83-59 counts
50-54	122-130	72-51 counts
55-59	131-139	63-44 counts
60-64	140-148	55-37 counts

# Too Hot in Vehicle

Step	Action	Yes	No			
	Schematic Reference: <u>HVAC Schematics</u>					
	Connector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views					
DEF	DEFINITION: Temperature can not be adjusted, or cooling insufficient during A/C operation.    Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?   Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>					
	Did you perform the 11 vAC Diagnostic System Check:		System Check -			
1			HVAC Systems -			
		Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>			
	IMPORTANT:					
	If during this diagnostic procedure the HVAC control module is disconnected a recalibration of actuators must be performed to avoid misdiagnosis.					
2	<ol> <li>Recalibrate actuators. Refer to <u>Re-Calibrating</u> <u>Actuators</u>.</li> </ol>					
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.					
	3. Observe the in Heating and Air Conditioning.	Go to				
	D 4 4 1 1 1 DTC D0000 D0414	<u>Diagnostic</u>				
	Does the scan tool display any DTC B0229, B0414, B0424 or B3770?	Trouble Code (DTC) List	Go to Step 3			
	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		-			
	2. Place the blower motor switch in each speed					
3	position.					
		G 4 S4 4	Go to Blower Motor			
	Does the blower motor operate in any speed?	Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Inoperative Go to Blower Motor			
4	Does the blower motor operate in each speed?	Go to <b>Step 5</b>	Malfunction			
	Place the mode switch in the PANEL position.	-				
	2. Place the recirculation switch in the ON position.					
_	3. Observe the recirculation door.					
5	4. Place the recirculation switch in the OFF position.					
	Does the recirculation door move from the recirculation		Go to <u>Air</u> <u>Recirculation</u>			

	posit	ion to the outside air position?	Go to <b>Step 6</b>	<b>Malfunction</b>
	1.	Start the engine.		
	2.	Observe the A/C compressor clutch.		
6	3.	Place the A/C request switch in the ON position.		Go to <u>HVAC</u>
	Door	the A/C compressor engage?	Go to <b>Step 7</b>	Compressor Clutch Does Not Engage
		orm the refrigerant system performance test. Refer to	Go to Step 7	Does Not Eligage
7	Air (	Conditioning (A/C) System Performance Test.		
	Did y	you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 8
	1.	Start the engine.		
	2.	Wait until engine coolant temperature reaches its normal operating temperature.		
	3.	Place the mode switch to the Floor position.		
	4.	Place the drivers air temperature switch to the warmest position.		
8	5.	With a scan tool, observe the right and left Heater Duct Actual and Heater Duct Desired parameters.		
	6.	Wait 3 minutes to allow the duct air temperature to stabilize.		
	incre	oth of the Heater Duct Actual parameter values ase within 15 Counts of the Heater Duct Desired meter?	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	Go to <b>Step 21</b>
	1	Place the mode switch to the Panel position.	<b>.</b>	
		Place the drivers air temperature switch to the warmest position.		
9	3.	With a scan tool, observe the right and left AC Duct Actual and AC Duct Desired parameters.		
	4.	Wait 3 minutes to allow the duct air temperature to stabilize.		
		oth of the AC Duct Actual parameter values increase n 15 Counts of the AC Duct Desired parameter?	Go to <b>Step 10</b>	Go to <b>Step 21</b>
	Chec	k the air temperature sensors for proper installation. r to the following procedures:	-	
10	•	Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Upper Right		
10	•	Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Upper Left		
	•	<u>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower</u> <u>Left</u>		

	<ul> <li>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower Right</li> <li>Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Replacement</li> </ul>		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 11
	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
11	2. Inspect for air flow through the inside air temperature sensor assembly by placing a 5 cm (2 in) square piece of paper over the sensor air inlet.		
	Does the paper stay in place?	Go to Step 12	Go to Step 17
	1. Install a scan tool.		
	<ol><li>With a scan tool, observe the Left Solar Sensor and Right Solar Sensor parameters in the Body Control Module data list.</li></ol>		
12	3. Direct a light source at the left and right sides of the sunload sensor assembly.		
	Does the scan tool indicate that the values of the Left Solar Sensor and the Right Solar Sensor parameters change?	Go to <b>Step 13</b>	Go to <b>Step 25</b>
	1. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near the inside air temperature sensor assembly.		
13	2. With a scan tool, observe the Inside Air Temp parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning Data list.		
	Does the scan tool indicate that the sensor temperature is within $3^{\circ}$ C ( $5^{\circ}$ F) of the thermometer temperature?	Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 20</b>
	1. Start the engine.		
	2. Place the blower motor switch in the maximum speed position.		
	3. Place the left and right air temperature switches in the FULL COLD positions.		
	4. Place the mode switch in the bi-level position.		
	5. Wait 3 minutes to allow the discharge air temperatures to stabilize.		
	6. With a scan tool, record the values of the following parameters in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list:		

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	LH AC Duct Actual		
	LH Heater Duct Actual		
	RH AC Duct Actual		
	RH Heater Duct Actual		
14	7. With the temperature probes of the <b>J 43600</b> , record the air temperatures near the following sensors:		
17	The left upper air temperature sensor		
	The left lower air temperature sensor		
	The right upper air temperature sensor		
	The right lower air temperature sensor		
	Are the parameter values within the specified range for the recorded air temperatures?	Go to Diagnostic Aids	Go to <b>Step 15</b>
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.		
	2. Disconnect the suspect air temperature sensor.		
	3. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near		
1.5	the air temperature sensor.		
15	4. Record the probe temperature.		
	5. Measure the resistance of the air temperature		
	sensor. Refer to the <b>Sensor Resistance Table</b> .		
	Does the resistance measure within the specified range?	Go to Step 16	Go to Step 24
16	Test the signal circuit and the low reference circuit of the suspect air temperature sensor for a high resistance. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b> and <b>Wiring Repairs</b> in Wiring		
	Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to <b>Step 26</b>
	Turn the ignition OFF.	20 10 200 01	20 to 200p 20
	2. Disconnect the inside air temperature sensor		
	assembly.		
4.5	3. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
17	4. Probe the fan motor supply voltage circuit of the		
	inside air temperature sensor assembly with a test		
	lamp that is connected to a good ground.		
	Does the test lamp illuminate?	Go to Step 19	Go to Step 18
	Test the fan motor supply voltage circuit of the inside air		
18	temperature sensor assembly for an open, a high resistance, or a short to ground. Refer to <b>Circuit Testing</b>		
	and Wiring Repairs in Wiring Systems.		

	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to <b>Step 26</b>
19	Test the ground circuit of the inside air temperature sensor for an open or high resistance. Refer to <u>Circuit</u> <u>Testing</u> and <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 31</b>	Go to Step 23
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.	00 to 5 <b>tcp 61</b>	30 to 5 <b>tcp 2c</b>
	<ul><li>2. Disconnect the inside air temperature sensor assembly.</li></ul>		
20	3. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near the inside air temperature sensor assembly.		
	4. Record the probe temperature.		
	5. Measure the resistance of the inside air temperature sensor. Refer to <b>Sensor Resistance Table</b> .		
	Does the resistance measure within the specified range?	Go to Step 22	Go to Step 23
21	Test the signal circuit and the low reference circuit of the appropriate air temperature sensor for a high resistance. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 24
22	Test the signal circuit and the low reference circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly for a high resistance. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 26
23	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 29
24	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the appropriate air temperature sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems. Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to <b>Step 27</b>
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of	-	•
25	the sunload sensor assembly. Refer to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and		
23	Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to <b>Step 31</b>	Go to <b>Step 28</b>
26	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <u>Testing for</u> Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.		A

	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 31	Go to Step 30
	Replace the appropriate air temperature sensor. Refer to one of the following procedures:		
	• <u>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Upper Right</u>		
27	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Upper <u>Left</u>		
21	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower <u>Left</u>		
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower Right		
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 31	-
	Replace the sunload sensor. Refer to <b>Sun Load Sensor</b>		
28	Replacement .		
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to <b>Step 31</b>	-
	Replace the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer		
29	to Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly		
	Replacement .	G . G. 31	
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 31	-
20	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>HVAC</b>		
30	Control Module Replacement .	Go to Ston 21	
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 31	-
31	Operate the system in order to verify the repair.	System OV	Co to Stan 2
	Did you correct the condition?	System OK	Go to Step 3

#### TOO COLD IN VEHICLE

#### **Diagnostic Aids**

- The condition may be intermittent. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.
- The air temperature actuators can be calibrated. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators** .

# **Test Description**

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- **8:** This step ensures that the lower air temperature sensors operate properly. The LH and RH Heater Duct Actual parameter count values should lower as the air temperature of the ducts get warmer. If there is a high resistance in either of the air temperature sensors circuits or the sensor itself then the count value of the effected sensor would remain high.
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# **Too Cold in Vehicle**

Step	Action	Values	Yes	No			
Sche	Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics						
	nector End View Reference: HVAC Connector En						
DEF	INITION: The temperature can not be adjusted, or he	eating is	insufficient.				
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System			Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>			
1	Check?	_		System Check -			
1				HVAC Systems -			
			Go to Step 2	<u>Automatic</u>			
	IMPORTANT:						
	If during this diagnostic procedure the HVAC control module is disconnected a recalibration of actuators must be performed to avoid misdiagnosis.						
2	1. Recalibrate actuators. Refer to <b>Re- Calibrating Actuators</b> .	-					
	2. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.						
	<ol><li>Observe the in Heating and Air Conditioning.</li></ol>		Carta				
			Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>				

	Does the scan tool display any DTC B0229, B0414, B0424 or B3770?		Trouble Code (DTC) List	Go to <b>Step 3</b>
3	<ol> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Turn ON the HVAC control module.</li> <li>Place the mode switch in the PANEL position.</li> <li>Place the blower motor switch in each speed position.</li> </ol>	-		
	Does the blower motor operate in any of the speed positions speed?		Go to <b>Step 4</b>	Go to Blower Motor Inoperative Go to Blower Motor
4	Does the blower motor operate in all desired speed positions?	-	Go to Step 5	Malfunction
5	<ol> <li>Place the recirculation switch in the ON position.</li> <li>Observe the recirculation door.</li> <li>Place the recirculation switch in the OFF position.</li> </ol> Does the recirculation door move from the recirculation position to the outside air position?	-	Go to <b>Step 6</b>	Go to <u>Air</u> <u>Recirculation</u> Malfunction
	Start the engine.		Go to Step 0	<u>Manunction</u>
6	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>Place the A/C request switch in the ON position.</li> <li>Observe the A/C compressor clutch.</li> <li>Place the A/C request switch in the OFF position.</li> </ol>	-		Go to <u>HVAC</u> Compressor Clutch
	Does the A/C compressor clutch disengage?		Go to Step 7	Does Not Disengage
7	Perform the Heating Performance Diagnostic. Refer to Heating Performance Diagnostic. Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to <b>Step 29</b>	Go to <b>Step 08</b>
8	<ol> <li>Start the engine.</li> <li>Wait until engine coolant temperature reaches its normal operating temperature.</li> <li>Place the mode switch to the Floor position.</li> <li>Place the drivers air temperature switch to the warmest position.</li> <li>With a scan tool, observe the right and left Heater Duct Actual and Heater Duct Desired parameters.</li> </ol>	-		

	6. Wait 3 minutes to allow the duct air temperature to stabilize.			
	Do both of the Heater Duct Actual parameter values increase within 15 Counts of the Heater Duct Desired parameter?		Go to <b>Step 9</b>	Go to <b>Step 21</b>
	1. Place the mode switch to the Panel position.			
	2. Place the drivers air temperature switch to the warmest position.			
9	3. With a scan tool, observe the right and left AC Duct Actual and AC Duct Desired parameters.	-		
	4. Wait 3 minutes to allow the duct air temperature to stabilize.			
	Do both of the AC Duct Actual parameter values increase within 15 Counts of the AC Duct Desired parameter?		Go to <b>Step 10</b>	Go to <b>Step 21</b>
	Check the air temperature sensors for proper		Go to Step 10	00 to Step 21
	installation.			
	Refer to the following procedures:			
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -			
	<u>Upper Right</u> • Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -			
	Upper Left			
10	<ul> <li>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower Left</li> </ul>	-		
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Lower Right			
	• Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Replacement			
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 29	Go to <b>Step 11</b>
	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.			
11	2. Inspect for air flow through the inside air temperature sensor assembly by placing a 5 cm (2 in) square piece of paper over inlet of the inside air temperature sensor assembly.	-		
	Does the paper stay in place?		Go to Step 13	Go to <b>Step 12</b>
	1. Turn the ignition OFF.			*

12	<ol> <li>Disconnect the inside air temperature sensor assembly.</li> <li>Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.</li> <li>Probe the fan motor supply voltage circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly with a test lamp that is connected to a good ground.</li> </ol>	-		
	Does the test lamp illuminate?		Go to <b>Step 18</b>	Go to Step 17
	1. Turn ON the ignition with the engine OFF.			
	2. Install a scan tool.			
	3. Cover the sunload sensor.			
13	4. With a scan tool, observe the Left Solar Sensor and Right Solar Sensor parameters in the Body Control Module data list.	220 Counts		
	Does the scan tool indicate that the Left Solar Sensor and Right Solar Sensor parameters are greater than the specified value?		Go to <b>Step 14</b>	Go to <b>Step 23</b>
	1. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near the inside air temperature sensor assembly.			
14	2. With a scan tool, observe the Inside Air Temp parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning Data list.	-		
	Does the scan tool indicate that the Inside Air Temp parameter is within 3° C (5° F) of the probe temperature?		Go to <b>Step 15</b>	Go to <b>Step 19</b>
	1. Start the engine.			
	<ol><li>Place the blower motor switch in the minimum speed position.</li></ol>			
	3. Allow the engine to reach normal operating temperature.			
	4. Place the blower motor switch in the maximum speed position.			
	<ol><li>Place the left and right air temperature switches in the FULL HOT positions.</li></ol>			
	6. Place the mode switch in the bi-level position.			
	7. Wait 3 minutes to allow the discharge air temperatures to stabilize.			

15	8. With a scan tool, record the values of the following parameters in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list:  • LH AC Duct Actual  • LH Heater Duct Actual  • RH AC Duct Actual  • RH Heater Duct Actual  9. With the temperature probes of the J 43600, record the air temperatures near the following sensors:  • The left upper air temperature sensor  • The left lower air temperature sensor  • The right upper air temperature sensor  • The right lower air temperature sensor  • The right lower air temperature sensor	-	Go to Diagnostic Aids	Go to <b>Step 16</b>
	Turn OFF the ignition.		Titus	G0 t0 Step 10
	Disconnect the suspect air temperature sensor.			
	3. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near the air temperature sensor.			
16	4. Record the probe temperature.	-		
	5. Measure the resistance of the air temperature sensor. Refer to the <b>Sensor Resistance Table</b> .			
	Does the resistance measure within the specified			
	range?		Go to Step 24	Go to Step 22
	Test the fan motor supply voltage circuit of the			
	inside air temperature sensor assembly for an open, a high resistance, or a short to ground. Refer to			
17	Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in Wiring	-		
	Systems.			
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 29	Go to Step 24
	Test the ground circuit of the inside air temperature sensor assembly for an open or high resistance.			
18	Refer to Circuit Testing and Wiring Repairs in	-		
	Wiring Systems.		Go to Ston 20	Go to Stan 20
	Did you find and correct the condition		Go to Step 29	Go to Step 20
	1. Turn OFF the ignition.			
	2. Disconnect the inside air temperature sensor			

1	assembly.			1
	3. Place the temperature probe of the <b>J 43600</b> near the inside air temperature sensor assembly.			
	4. Record the probe temperature.			
19	5. Measure the resistance of the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to the <b>Sensor Resistance Table</b> .	-		
	Does the resistance measure within the specified range ?		Go to <b>Step 24</b>	Go to <b>Step 20</b>
20	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Co to Stan 20	Co to Ston 27
	Did you find and correct the condition?  Test the signal circuit and the low reference circuit		Go to Step 29	Go to Step 27
21	of the appropriate air temperature sensor for a high resistance. Refer to <u>Circuit Testing</u> and <u>Wiring</u> <u>Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-		
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 29	Go to Step 22
22	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the suspect air temperature sensor.  Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> and <u>Connector Repairs</u> in Wiring Systems.	-		
	Did you find and correct the condition?		Go to Step 29	Go to Step 25
23	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the sunload sensor. Refer to <b>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</b> and <b>Connector Repairs</b> in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Stan 20	Go to Stop 26
	Did you find and correct the condition?  Inspect for poor connections at the harness		Go to Step 29	Go to <b>Step 26</b>
24	connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to  Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor  Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?	-	Go to Step 29	Go to <b>Step 28</b>
	Replace the suspect air temperature sensor. Refer		00 to step 29	00 to step 20
	to one of the following procedures:			
	• Air Temperature Sensor Replacement - Upper Right			

25	<ul> <li>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -         <u>Upper Left</u></li> <li>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -         <u>Lower Left</u></li> <li>Air Temperature Sensor Replacement -         <u>Lower Right</u></li> </ul> Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 29	_
26	Replace the sunload sensor. Refer to <b>Sun Load Sensor Replacement</b> . Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 29	_
27	Replace the inside air temperature sensor assembly. Refer to Inside Air Temperature Sensor Assembly Replacement. Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 29	-
28	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to  HVAC Control Module Replacement.  Did you complete the replacement?	-	Go to Step 29	
29	Operate the system in order to verify the repair.  Did you correct the condition?	-	System OK	Go to Step 3

#### AIR DELIVERY IMPROPER

# Diagnostic Aids

- The condition may be intermittent. Refer to <u>Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections</u> in Wiring Systems.
- Inspect the air delivery system for the following conditions:
  - An obstruction to the airflow
  - Air leaks
  - Misaligned air ducts
  - Broken or binding linkages or doors

**Air Delivery Improper** 

Step	Action	Yes	No
Sche	ematic Reference: HVAC Schematics		
Con	nector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End View	<u> </u>	
	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?		Go to <b>Diagnostic</b>
1			System Check - HVAC
		Go to Step 2	Systems - Automatic
2	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
	2. Place the blower motor switch in the OFF position.		

	Is the blower motor OFF?	Go to Step 3	Go to <u>Blower Motor</u> <u>Always On</u>
3	Place the blower motor switch in each speed position.  Does the blower motor operate in any of the speed positions?  Does the blower motor operate in each speed position?	Go to Step 4 Go to Step 5	Go to <u>Blower Motor</u> <u>Inoperative</u> Go to <u>Blower Motor</u> Malfunction
5	<ol> <li>With a scan tool, observe the Mode Switch parameter in the Heating and Air Conditioning data list.</li> <li>Activate the mode switch.</li> </ol> Does the scan tool indicate that the Mode Switch parameter changes state?	Go to Step 6	Go to Step 7
6	<ol> <li>Place the blower motor switch in the maximum speed position.</li> <li>Place the mode switch in the bi-level position.</li> <li>Place the recirculation switch in the ON position.</li> <li>Observe the drive shaft of the recirculation actuator.</li> <li>Place the recirculation switch in the OFF position.</li> </ol> Does the recirculation door move from the recirculation position to the outside air position?	Go to Diagnostic Aids	Go to Air Recirculation Malfunction
7	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to Testing for Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.  Did you find and correct the condition?  Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to HVAC	Go to Step 9	Go to <b>Step 8</b>
8	Control Module Replacement .  Did you complete the replacement?	Go to <b>Step 9</b>	-
9	Operate the system in order to verify the repair. Did you correct the condition?	System OK	Go to Step 2

# AIR RECIRCULATION MALFUNCTION

# **Air Recirculation Malfunction**

Step	Action	Yes	No				
Sche	Schematic Reference: HVAC Schematics						
Con	Connector End View Reference: HVAC Connector End Views						
DEF	DEFINITION: Air recirculation is inoperative or is always ON.						
1	Did you perform the HVAC Diagnostic System Check?		Go to <u>Diagnostic</u> System Check -				

		Go to <b>Step 2</b>	HVAC Systems - Automatic
	1. Turn ON the ignition, with the engine OFF.		
	2. With a scan tool observe the Recirculate Switch Parameter.		
2	3. Activate the recirculation switch.	Go to <b>Testing for</b>	
		<u>Intermittent</u>	
	Does the scan tool indicate that the Recirculate Switch Parameter changes state?	Conditions and Poor Connections	Go to <b>Step 3</b>
			Go to step 3
	Inspect for poor connections at the harness connector of the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>Testing for</b>		
3	Intermittent Conditions and Poor Connections		
	and Connector Repairs in Wiring Systems.		
	Did you find and correct the condition?	Go to Step 5	Go to Step 4
	Replace the HVAC control module. Refer to <b>HVAC</b>		
4	<b>Control Module Replacement</b> .		-
	Did you complete the replacement?	Go to Step 5	
5	Operate the system in order to verify the repair.		
	Did you correct the condition?	System OK	Go to Step 2

#### **RE-CALIBRATING ACTUATORS**

When replacing the HVAC control module it will be necessary to allow the HVAC control module to perform a calibration process. When installing the HVAC control module be sure to perform the following:

# IMPORTANT: Do not adjust any controls on the HVAC control module while the HVAC control module is self-calibrating. If interrupted, improper HVAC performance will result.

- 1. Place the ignition switch to the OFF position.
- 2. Disconnect the scan tool.
- 3. Install the HVAC control module.
- 4. Connect all previously disconnected components.
- 5. Place the ignition switch in the RUN position.
- 6. Wait 40 seconds for the HVAC control module to self-calibrate.
- 7. Verify that no DTCs have set as current DTCs.

When replacing a HVAC actuator it will be necessary to allow the HVAC control module to perform a calibration process. When installing the HVAC actuator be sure to perform one of the following:

IMPORTANT: Do not adjust any controls on the HVAC control module while the HVAC control module is self-calibrating. If interrupted, improper HVAC performance will result.

#### Preferred Method (w/Scan Tool)

- 1. Clear all DTCs.
- 2. Place the ignition switch in the OFF position.
- 3. Install the HVAC actuator.
- 4. Connect all previously disconnected components.
- 5. Place the ignition switch in the RUN position.
- 6. With the scan tool, initiate the Motor Re-calibration feature of the Heating and Air Conditioning Special Functions menu.
- 7. Verify that no DTCs have set as current DTCs.

IMPORTANT: Do not adjust any controls on the HVAC control module while the HVAC control module is self-calibrating. If interrupted, improper HVAC performance will result.

#### Alternate Method (w/o Scan Tool)

- 1. Clear all DTCs.
- 2. Place the ignition switch to the OFF position.
- 3. Install the HVAC actuator.
- 4. Connect all previously disconnected components.
- 5. Remove the HVAC B fuse for a minimum of 10 seconds.
- 6. Install the HVAC B fuse.
- 7. Place the ignition switch in the RUN position.
- 8. Wait 40 seconds for the HVAC control module to self-calibrate.
- 9. Verify that no DTCs have set as current DTCs.

# **REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS**

#### HVAC CONTROL MODULE REPLACEMENT

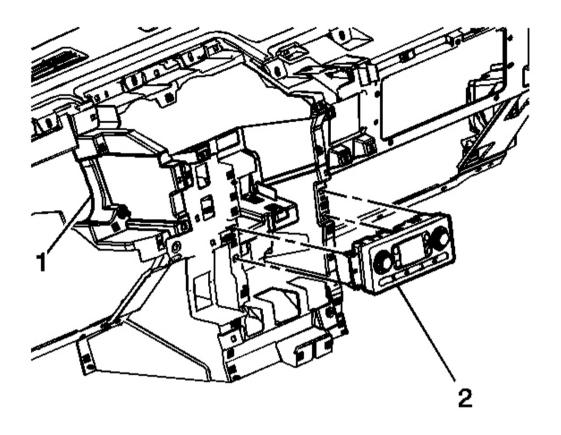


Fig. 11: HVAC Control Module & I/P Panel Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Remove the center I/P trim bezel. Refer to <u>Trim Panel Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P) Center</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.
- 2. Remove the screws from the HVAC control module (2).
- 3. Depress the HVAC control module tabs (3) and remove the HVAC control module (2) from the I/P (4).
- 4. Reposition the HVAC control module (2) from the I/P panel (1).
- 5. Disconnect the electrical connectors from the HVAC control module (2).

#### **Installation Procedure**

IMPORTANT: The Key should be in the off position when connecting the electrical connectors to ensure proper calibration.

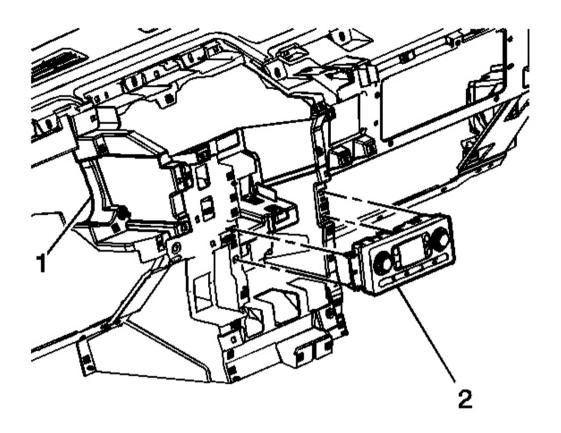


Fig. 12: HVAC Control Module & I/P Panel Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Connect the electrical connectors to the HVAC control module (2).

IMPORTANT: Ensure that the HVAC control module tabs lock into place.

2. Install the HVAC control module (2) to the I/P (1).

NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice in Cautions and Notices.

3. Install the screws to the HVAC control module (2).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 1.9 N.m (17 lb in).

4. Install the center I/P trim bezel. Refer to <u>Trim Panel Replacement - Instrument Panel (I/P) Center</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.

IMPORTANT: Do not adjust any controls on the HVAC control module while the HVAC control module is calibrating.

If interrupted improper HVAC performance will result.

5. Start the vehicle and let run for one minute.

#### BLOWER MOTOR CONTROL PROCESSOR REPLACEMENT

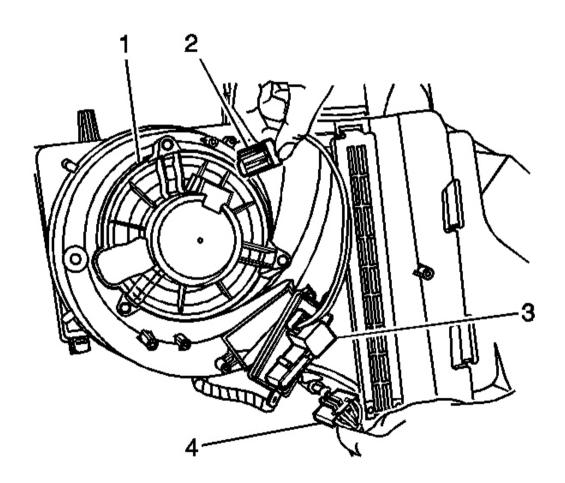


Fig. 13: Blower Motor Control Processor & HVAC Module Assembly Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Remove the I/P insulator panel. Refer to **Insulator Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P)**.
- 2. Disconnect the electrical connector (2) from the blower motor (1).

- 3. Disconnect the electrical connector (4) from the blower motor control processor (3).
- 4. Remove the screws from the blower motor control processor (3).
- 5. Remove the blower motor control processor (3) from the HVAC module assembly.

#### **Installation Procedure**

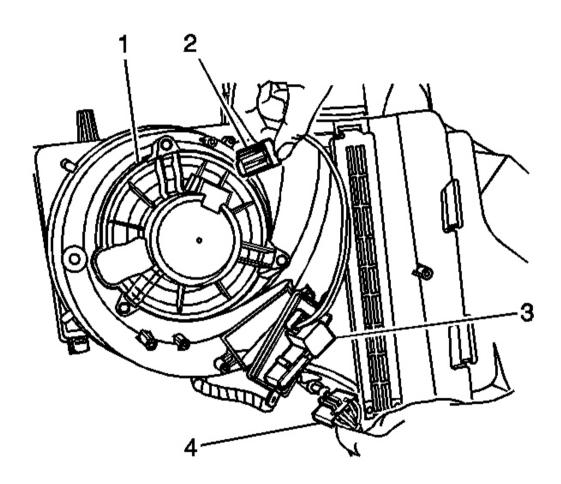


Fig. 14: Blower Motor Control Processor & HVAC Module Assembly Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Install the blower motor control processor (3) to the HVAC module assembly.

# NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice in Cautions and Notices.

2. Install the screws to the blower motor control processor (3).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 1.6 N.m (14 lb in).

- 3. Connect the electrical connector (4) to the blower motor control processor (3).
- 4. Connect the electrical connector (2) to the blower motor (1).
- 5. Install the I/P insulator panel. Refer to **Insulator Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P)**.

# RECIRCULATION ACTUATOR REPLACEMENT

- 1. Remove the HVAC module assembly. Refer to **HVAC Module Assembly Replacement** .
- 2. Disconnect the electrical connector from the recirculation actuator.

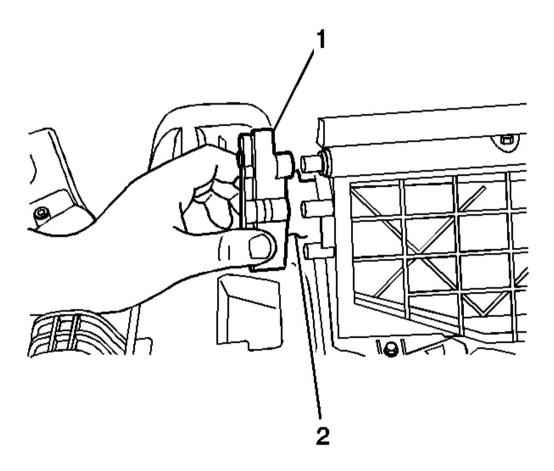


Fig. 15: Recirculation Actuator & Recirculation Housing (Visteon) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 3. Remove the screws from the recirculation actuator (1).
- 4. Remove the recirculation actuator (1) from the HVAC module assembly (2).

#### **Installation Procedure**

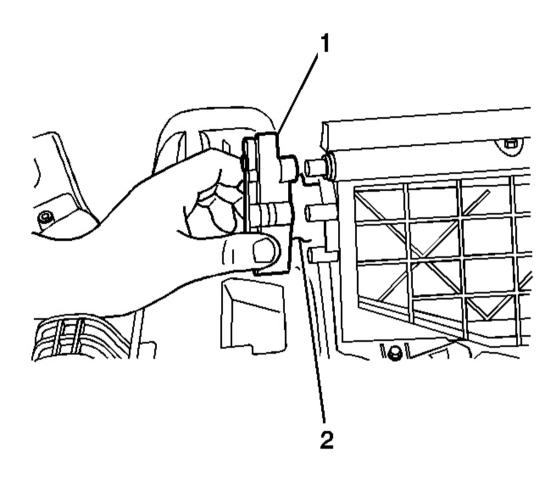


Fig. 16: Recirculation Actuator & Recirculation Housing (Visteon) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Install the recirculation actuator (1) to the HVAC module assembly (2).

NOTE: Refer to <u>Fastener Notice</u> in Cautions and Notices.

2. Install the screws to the recirculation actuator (1).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 2 N.m (18 lb in).

- 3. Connect the electrical connector to the recirculation actuator.
- 4. Install the HVAC module assembly. Refer to HVAC Module Assembly Replacement.
- 5. Reprogram the recirculation actuator. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators** .

# MODE ACTUATOR REPLACEMENT

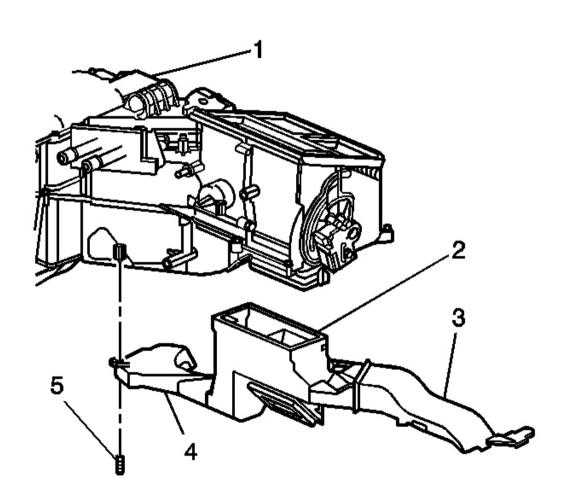


Fig. 17: Floor Air Outlet Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Remove the push pin (5) from the HVAC module assembly (1).
- 2. Remove the left floor duct (3) from the HVAC module assembly (1).

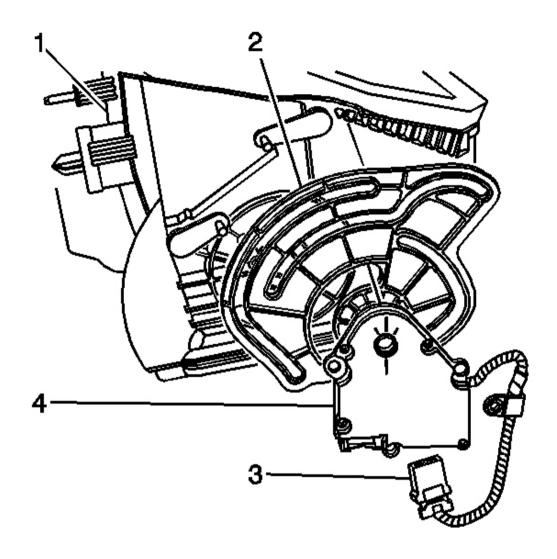


Fig. 18: Mode Actuator (Visteon)
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 3. Disconnect the electrical connector (3) from the mode actuator (4).
- 4. Remove the screws from the mode actuator (4).
- 5. Remove the mode actuator (4) from the HVAC module assembly (1).
- 6. Remove the cam (2) from the HVAC module assembly (1).

#### **Installation Procedure**

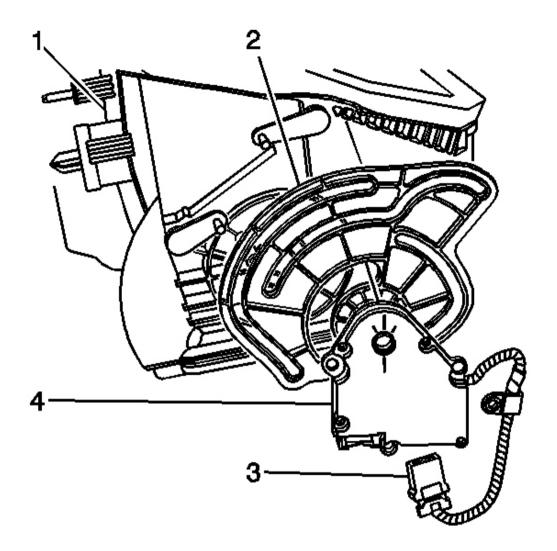


Fig. 19: Mode Actuator (Visteon)
Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the cam (2) to the HVAC module assembly (1).
- 2. Install the mode actuator (4) to the HVAC module assembly (1).

# NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice in Cautions and Notices.

3. Install the screws to the mode actuator (4).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 2 N.m (18 lb in).

4. Connect the electrical connector (3) to the mode actuator (4).

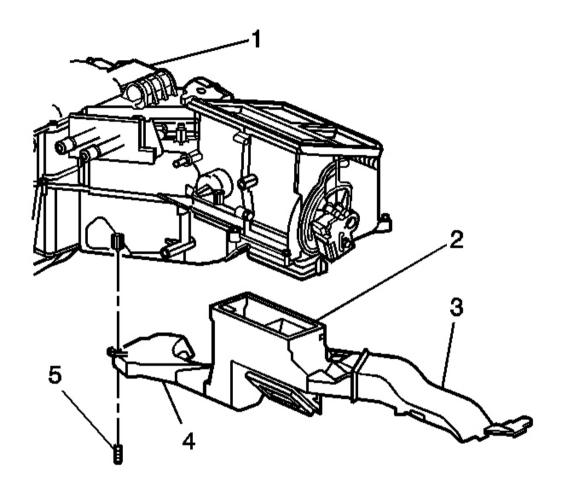


Fig. 20: Floor Air Outlet Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 5. Install the left floor air outlet duct (3) to the HVAC module assembly (1).
- 6. Install the push pin (5) to the HVAC module assembly (1).
- 7. Reprogram the Right air temperature actuator. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators**.

# AIR TEMPERATURE ACTUATOR REPLACEMENT - RIGHT

#### **Removal Procedure**

1. Remove the I/P carrier. Refer to <u>Instrument Panel (I/P) Carrier Replacement</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.

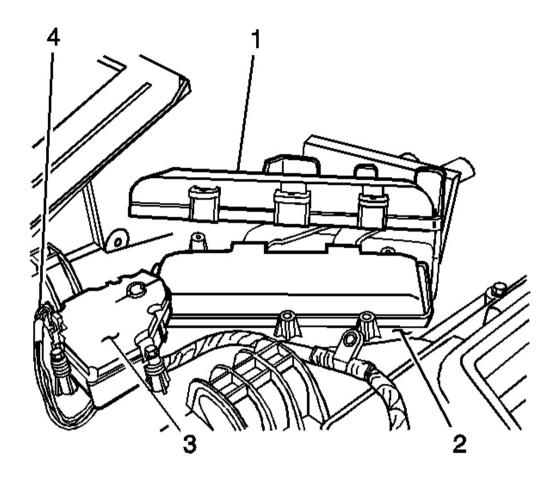


Fig. 21: Right Air Temperature Actuator & HVAC Module Assembly (Visteon) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 2. Disconnect the electrical connector (4) from the right air temperature actuator (3).
- 3. Remove the screws from the right air temperature actuator (3).
- 4. Remove the right air temperature actuator (3) from the HVAC module assembly (2).

#### **Installation Procedure**

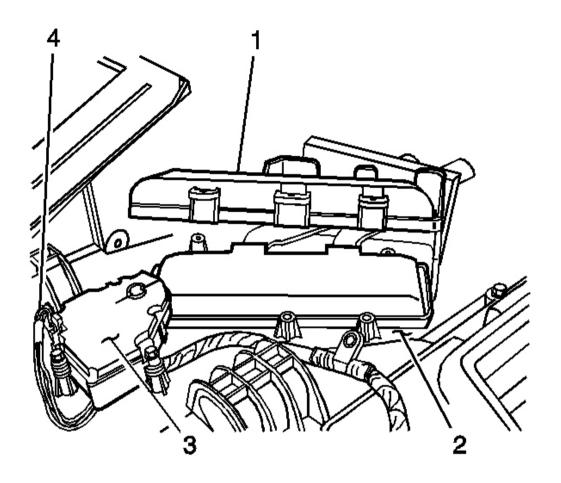


Fig. 22: Right Air Temperature Actuator & HVAC Module Assembly (Visteon) Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Install the right air temperature actuator (3) to the HVAC module assembly (2).

# NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice in Cautions and Notices.

2. Install the screws to the right air temperature actuator (3).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 2 N.m (18 lb in).

- 3. Connect the electrical connector to the right air temperature actuator.
- 4. Install the I/P carrier. Refer to <u>Instrument Panel (I/P) Carrier Replacement</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges, and Console.
- 5. Reprogram the air temperature actuator. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators** .

#### AIR TEMPERATURE ACTUATOR REPLACEMENT - LEFT

#### Removal Procedure

1. Remove the I/P insulator panel. Refer to <u>Insulator Replacement - Instrument Panel (I/P)</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.

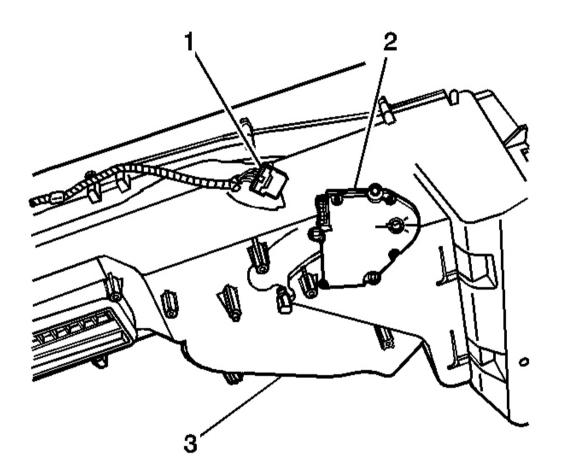


Fig. 23: Left Air Temperature Actuator & HVAC Module Assembly Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 2. Disconnect the electrical connector (1) from the left air temperature actuator (2).
- 3. Remove the screws from the left air temperature actuator (2).
- 4. Remove the left air temperature actuator (2) from the HVAC module assembly (3).

#### **Installation Procedure**

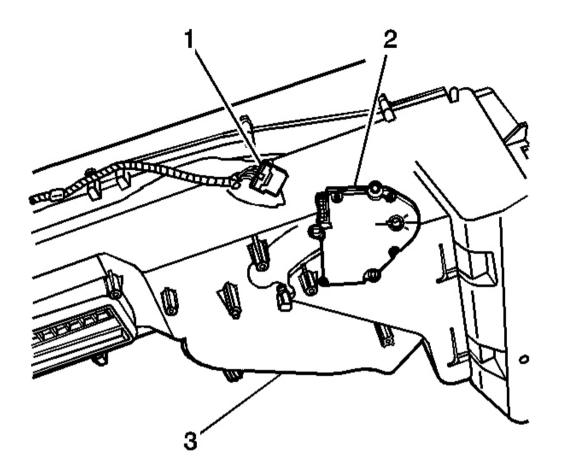


Fig. 24: Left Air Temperature Actuator & HVAC Module Assembly Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Install the left air temperature actuator (2) to the HVAC module assembly (3).

# NOTE: Refer to Fastener Notice in Cautions and Notices.

2. Install the screws to the left air temperature actuator (2).

**Tighten:** Tighten the screws to 2 N.m (18 lb ft).

- 3. Install the electrical connector (1) to the left air temperature actuator (2).
- 4. Install the I/P insulator panel. Refer to <u>Insulator Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P)</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges, and Console.
- 5. Reprogram the air temperature actuator. Refer to **Re-Calibrating Actuators** .

# AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR REPLACEMENT - UPPER RIGHT

- 1. Open the I/P compartment door.
- 2. Lower the I/P compartment door.

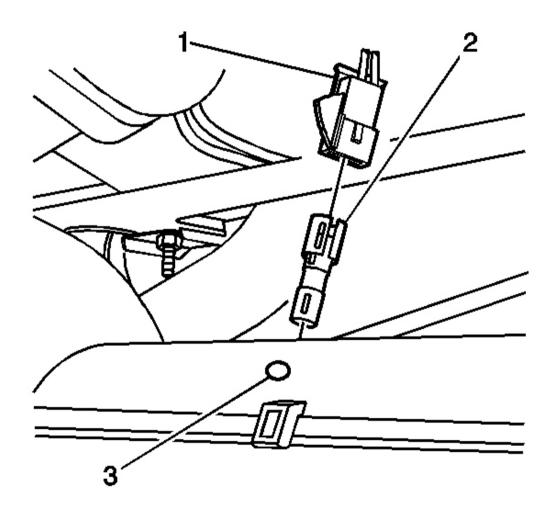


Fig. 25: Upper Right Air Temperature Sensor & Air Distributor Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 3. Disconnect the electrical connector (1) from the upper right air temperature sensor (2).
- 4. Remove the upper right air temperature sensor (1) from the air distributor duct (3).

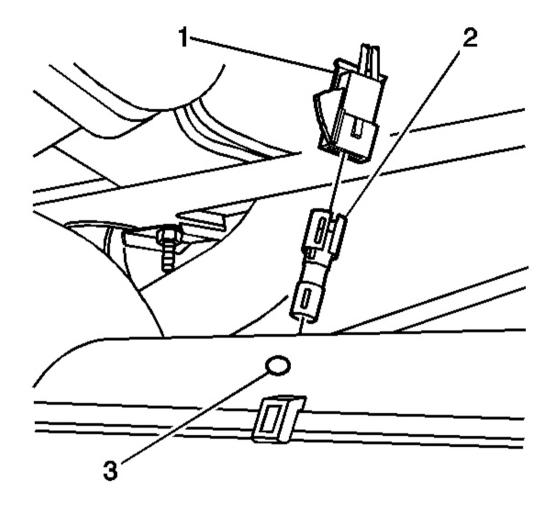


Fig. 26: Upper Right Air Temperature Sensor & Air Distributor Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the upper right air temperature sensor (1) to the air distributor duct (3).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector (1) to the upper right air temperature sensor (2).
- 3. Close the I/P compartment door.

# AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR REPLACEMENT - UPPER LEFT

1. Remove the center trim bezel. Refer to <u>Trim Panel Replacement - Instrument Panel (I/P) Center</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges, and Console.

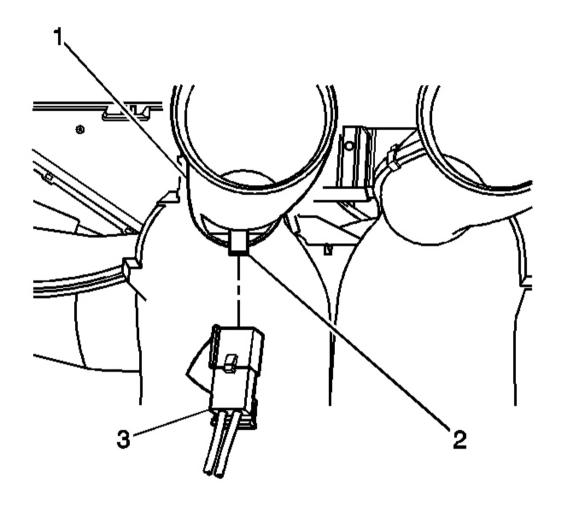


Fig. 27: Upper Left Air Temperature Sensor & Air Distributor Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 2. Remove the upper left air temperature sensor (2) from the air distributor duct (1).
- 3. Disconnect the electrical connector (3) from the upper left air temperature sensor (2).

#### **Installation Procedure**

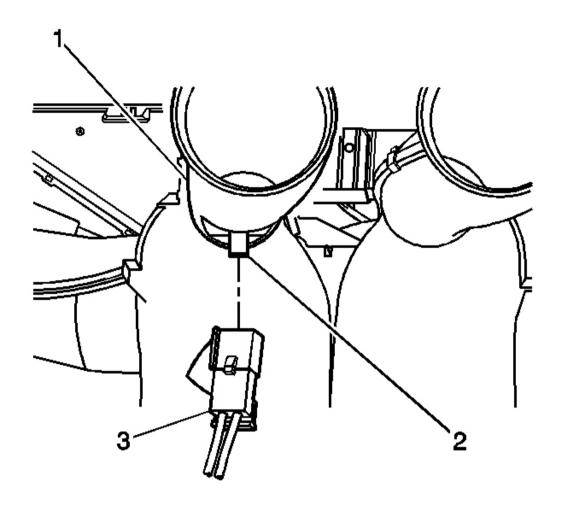


Fig. 28: Upper Left Air Temperature Sensor & Air Distributor Duct Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the upper left air temperature sensor (2) to the air distributor duct (1).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector (3) to the upper left air temperature sensor (2).
- 3. Install the center trim bezel. Refer to <u>Trim Panel Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P) Center</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges, and Console.

## AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR REPLACEMENT - LOWER LEFT

#### **Removal Procedure**

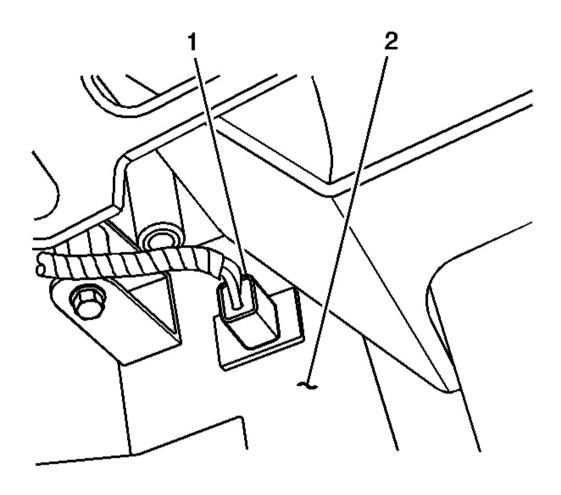


Fig. 29: Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor & HVAC Module Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Disconnect the electrical connector from the lower left air temperature sensor (1).
- 2. Remove the lower left air temperature sensor (1) from the HVAC module (2).

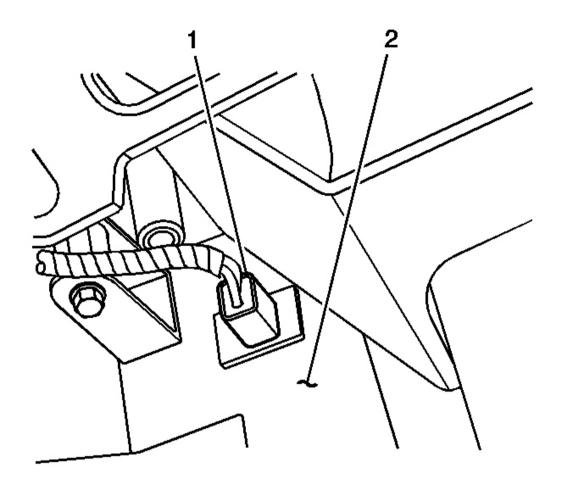


Fig. 30: Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor & HVAC Module Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the lower left air temperature sensor (1) to the HVAC module (2).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector to the lower left air temperature sensor (1).

## AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR REPLACEMENT - LOWER RIGHT

### **Removal Procedure**

1. Remove the right I/P insulator panel. Refer to <u>Insulator Replacement - Instrument Panel (I/P)</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.

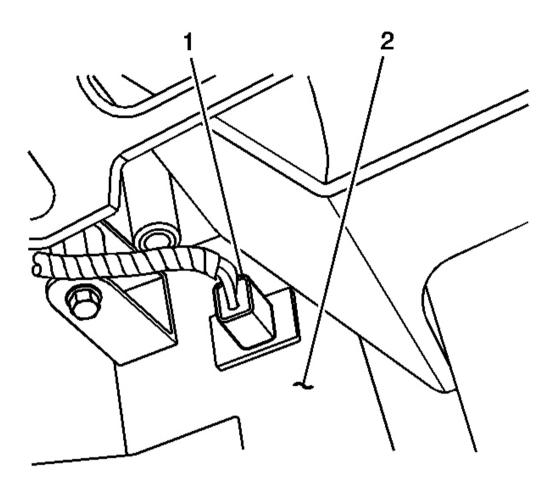


Fig. 31: Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 2. Disconnect the electrical connector from the lower right air temperature sensor (1).
- 3. Remove the lower right air temperature sensor (1).

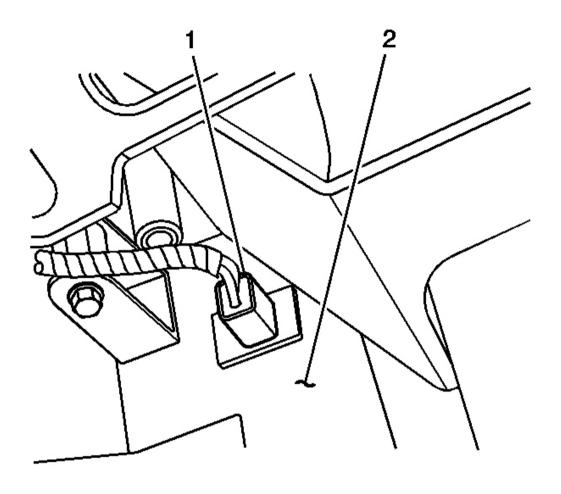


Fig. 32: Lower Right Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the lower right air temperature sensor (1).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector to the lower right air temperature sensor (1).
- 3. Install the right I/P insulator panel. Refer to <u>Insulator Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P)</u> in Instrument Panel, Gauges and Console.

### AMBIENT AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR REPLACEMENT

#### Removal Procedure

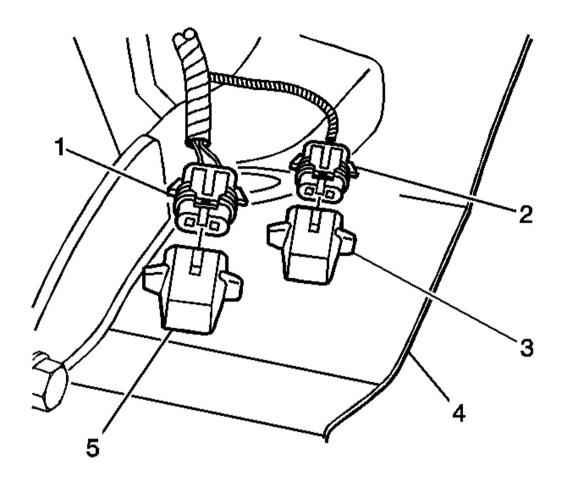


Fig. 33: Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Disconnect the electrical connector (2) from the ambient air temperature sensor (3).
- 2. Remove the ambient air temperature sensor (3) from the vehicle (4).

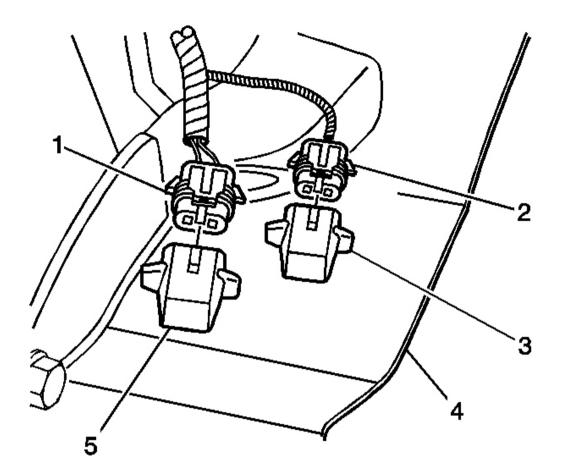


Fig. 34: Ambient Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Install the ambient air temperature sensor (3) to the vehicle (4).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector (2) to the ambient air temperature sensor (3).

## INSIDE AIR TEMPERATURE SENSOR ASSEMBLY REPLACEMENT

#### Removal Procedure

- 1. Remove the left windshield garnish molding. Refer to **Garnish Molding Replacement Windshield Pillar** in Interior Trim.
- 2. Remove the left sunshade. Refer to **Sunshade Replacement** in Interior Trim.
- 3. Gently pull down the headliner.
- 4. Remove the inside air temperature sensor from the headliner.

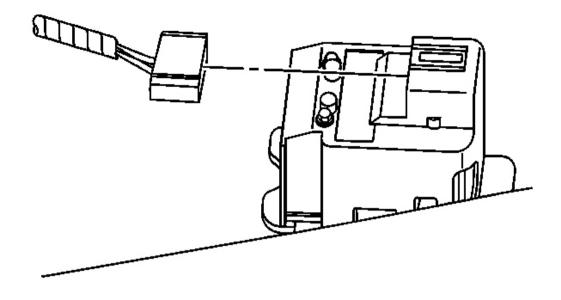


Fig. 35: Electrical Connector & Inside Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

5. Disconnect the electrical connector from the inside air temperature sensor.

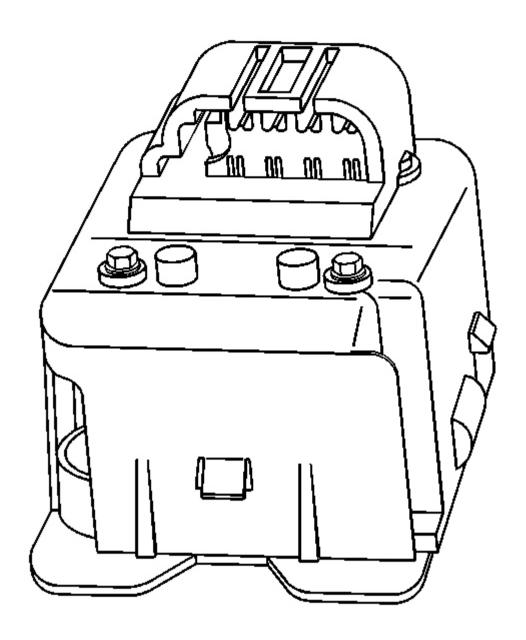


Fig. 36: Inside Air Temperature Sensor & Headliner Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

6. Remove the inside air temperature sensor from the headliner.

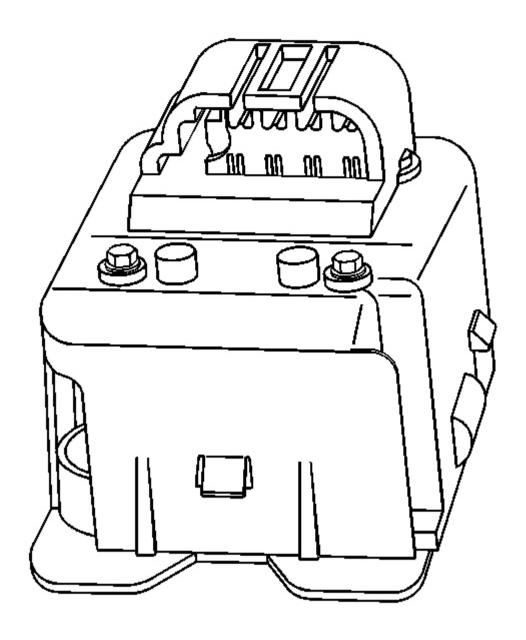


Fig. 37: Inside Air Temperature Sensor & Headliner Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

1. Install the inside air temperature sensor to the headliner.

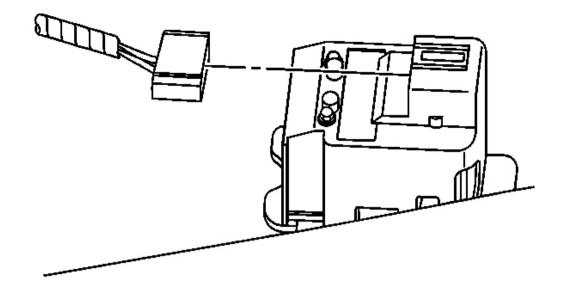


Fig. 38: Electrical Connector & Inside Air Temperature Sensor Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 2. Connect the electrical connector to the inside air temperature sensor.
- 3. Install the left sunshade. Refer to **Sunshade Replacement** in Interior Trim.
- 4. Install the left windshield garnish molding. Refer to **Garnish Molding Replacement Windshield Pillar** in Interior Trim.

## SUN LOAD SENSOR REPLACEMENT

**Removal Procedure** 

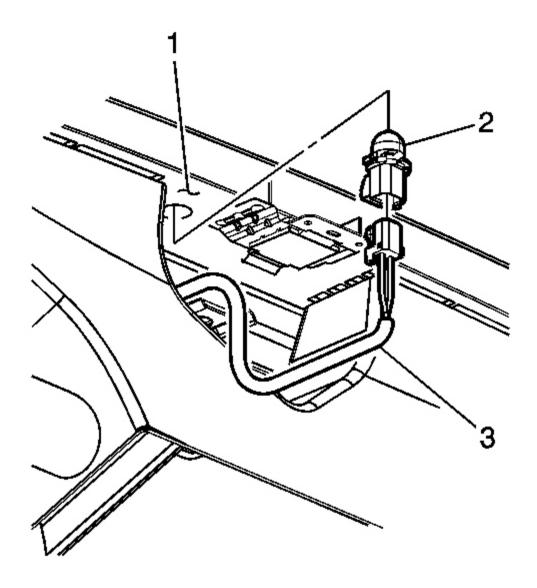


Fig. 39: Sun Load Sensor & I/P Upper Trim Pad Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Remove the I/P upper trim pad. Refer to <u>Trim Pad Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P) Upper</u> in Trim Pad Replacement-I/P Upper.
- 2. Remove the sun load sensor from the I/P upper trim pad by turning counter clockwise.
- 3. Disconnect the electrical connector from the sun load sensor.

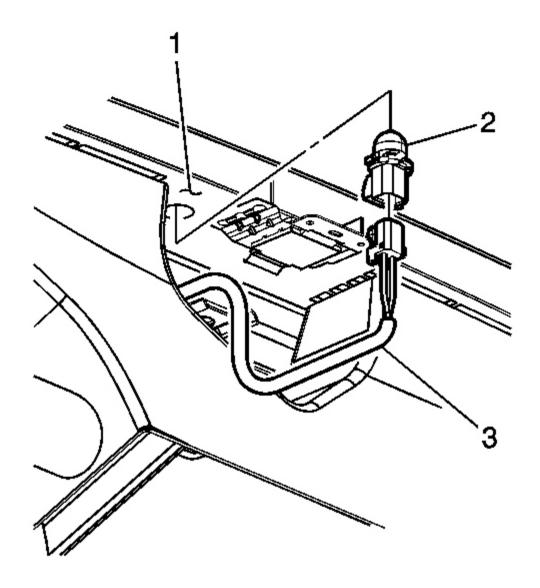


Fig. 40: Sun Load Sensor & I/P Upper Trim Pad Courtesy of GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

- 1. Connect the electrical connector to the sun load sensor.
- 2. Install the sun load sensor to the I/P upper trim pad by turning clockwise.
- 3. Install the I/P upper trim pad. Refer to Trim Pad Replacement Instrument Panel (I/P) Upper.

# **DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION**

### AIR DELIVERY DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

The air delivery description and operation is divided into 5 areas:

- HVAC Control Components
- Air Speed
- Air Delivery
- Recirculation Operation
- Automatic Operation

### **HVAC Control Components**

#### **HVAC Control Module**

The HVAC control module is a class 2 device that interfaces between the operator and the HVAC system to maintain air temperature and distribution settings. The battery positive voltage circuit provides power that the control module uses for keep alive memory (KAM). If the battery positive voltage circuit loses power, all HVAC DTCs and settings will be erased from KAM. The body control module (BCM), which is the vehicle mode master, provides a device on signal. The control module supports the following features:

**Air Delivery Description and Operation** 

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Feature	Availability
Afterblow	No
Purge	No
Personalization	Yes
Actuator Calibration	Yes

#### Mode Actuator

The mode actuator is a 5 wire bi-directional electric motor that incorporates a feedback potentiometer. Ignition 3 voltage, low reference, control, 5-volt reference and position signal circuits enable the actuator to operate. The control circuit uses either a 0, 2.5 or 5 volt signal to command the actuator movement. When the actuator is at rest, the control circuit value is 2.5 volts. A 0 or 5 volt control signal commands the actuator movement in opposite directions. When the actuator shaft rotates, the potentiometer's adjustable contact changes the door position signal between 0-5 volts.

The HVAC control module uses a range of 0-255 counts to index the actuator position. The door position signal voltage is converted to a 0-255 count range. When the module sets a commanded, or targeted, value, the control signal is changed to either 0 or 5 volts depending upon the direction that the actuator needs to rotate to reach the commanded value. As the actuator shaft rotates the changing position signal is sent to the module. Once the position signal and the commanded value are the same, the module changes the control signal to 2.5 volts.

#### **Blower Motor Control Processor**

The blower motor control processor controls the speed of the blower motor by increasing or decreasing the

voltage drop on the ground side of the blower motor. The HVAC control module provides a linear pulse modulated signal to the blower motor control processor over the blower motor speed control circuit. As the requested blower speed increases, the HVAC control module increases the amount of time that the speed signal is modulated to ground. As the requested blower speed decreases, the HVAC control module decreases the amount of time that the signal is modulated to ground.

## **Air Speed - Front Control**

The blower control switch is integrated into the HVAC control module. The two rocker type switches provide the vehicle operator the ability to select several blower speeds. The HVAC control module uses a bar graph type display to indicate the selected blower speed. The HVAC control module provides a linear pulse modulated (LPM) signal to the blower motor through the blower motor speed control circuit. The blower motor changes speed based on the received LPM signal from the HVAC control module. Power and ground are provided to the blower motor through the battery positive voltage and ground circuits. When the HVAC control module is operating in AUTO mode, the system automatically controls the blower speed. Power and ground are provided to the HVAC control module by the ignition 3 voltage and the ground circuits.

#### **Air Distribution**

The HVAC control module controls the distribution of air by the use of a mode actuator. The modes that may be selected are:

- Defrost
- Defog
- Panel
- BI-Level
- Floor

#### **Mode Actuator**

The mode actuator is connected to the mode door by a cam type linkage system. Depending on the position of the door, air is directed through the HVAC module and distributed through various ducts leading to the outlets in the dash. If the HVAC control module detects a fault with the mode door the HVAC control module will try to drive the actuator for a predetermined amount of time, to defrost, which is the defaulted position for the mode door actuator. When the mode switch is placed in the defrost or defog positions the A/C is commanded ON and the recirculation door is moved to the outside air position to help reduce window fogging. A/C is available in all modes and recirculation is only available in the panel and bi-level modes.

#### **Front Defrost**

When defrost is selected, the A/C compressor is activated. The A/C compressor clutch will engage when ambient temperatures are above 3° C (38° F). The blower motor will be activated, regardless of the coolant temperature. The HVAC control module will override the auxiliary HVAC control module so a high volume of air is delivered to the front defrost vents. The rear window defogger does not affect the HVAC system.

### **Recirculation Operation**

The HVAC control module controls the air intake through the recirculation actuator. The recirculation switch closes the recirculation door in order to circulate the air within the vehicle. The outside air switch opens the recirculation door in order to route outside air into the vehicle. Regardless of the blower motor switch position, recirculation is available only in the panel and bi-level mode switch positions. The mode switch must be placed in either the panel or bi-level position and the recirculation switch pressed before the blower motor switch is placed in the OFF position to achieve recirculation with the blower in the OFF position. In order to reduce windshield fogging, outside air is circulated when the mode switch is in the defrost or defog positions. If the recirculation switch is pressed into the ON position when the mode switch is in an unavailable mode position, then the recirculation switch LED will flash 3 times. If the HVAC control module detects a fault with the recirculation door the HVAC control module will try to drive the actuator for a predetermined amount of time, to outside air, which is the defaulted position for the recirculation actuator.

### **Automatic Operation**

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To place the HVAC system in Automatic mode, the following is required:

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- The air temperature switch must be in any other position other than full hot or full cold position

Once the desired temperature is reached, the blower motor, mode, recirculation and temperature actuators will automatically be adjusted to maintain the temperature selected. The HVAC control module performs the following functions to maintain the desired air temperature:

- Monitor the following sensors:
  - o Inside air temperature sensor
  - o Ambient air temperature sensor
  - o Lower left air temperature sensor
  - o Lower right air temperature sensor
  - o Upper left air temperature sensor
  - o Upper right air temperature sensor
- Regulate blower motor speed
- Position the air temperature actuator
- Position the mode actuator
- Position the recirculation actuator
- Request A/C operation

### AIR TEMPERATURE DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

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- Automatic Operation
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- A/C Cycle

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#### **Air Temperature Sensors**

The air temperature sensors are a 2-wire negative temperature co-efficient thermistor. The vehicle uses the following air temperature sensors:

- Ambient air temperature sensor
- Inside air temperature sensor assembly

- Upper left air temperature sensor
- Upper right air temperature sensor
- Lower left air temperature sensor
- Lower right air temperature sensor

A signal and low reference circuit enables the sensor to operate. As the air temperature surrounding the sensor increases, the sensor resistance decreases. The sensor signal voltage decreases as the resistance decreases. The sensor operates within a temperature range between -40° C (-40° F) to +101° C (+215° F). The sensor signal varies between 0-5 volts.

The input of the duct air temperature sensors are different from the ambient and inside sensors. The HVAC control module converts the signal to a range between 0-255 counts. As the air temperature increases the count value will decrease.

If the HVAC control module detects a malfunctioning sensor, then the control module software will use a defaulted air temperature value. The default value for the ambient and inside air temperature sensors will be displayed on the scan tool. The default value for the duct air temperature sensors will not be displayed on the scan tool. The scan tool parameter for the duct air temperature sensors are the actual state of the signal circuit. The default action ensures that the HVAC system can adjust the inside air temperature near the desired temperature until the condition is corrected.

#### **Sunload Sensor Assembly**

The sunload sensor is a 2-wire photo diode. The vehicle uses left and right sunload sensors. The two sensors are integrated into the sunload sensor assembly. Low reference and signal circuits enable the sensor to operate. As the light shining upon the sensor gets brighter, the sensor resistance increases. The sensor signal decreases as the resistance increases. The sensor operates within an intensity range between completely dark and bright. The sensor signal varies between 0-5 volts. The BCM converts the signal to a range between 0-255 counts. The BCM sends a class 2 serial data message to the HVAC control module for automatic temperature calculations.

The sunload sensor provides the BCM a measurement of the amount of light shining on the vehicle. Bright, or high intensity, light causes the vehicles inside temperature to increase. The HVAC system compensates for the increased temperature by diverting additional cool air into the vehicle.

If the BCM detects a malfunctioning sensor, then the control module software will use a defaulted sunload value. This value will not be displayed on the scan tool. The default action ensures that the HVAC system can adjust the inside air temperature near the desired temperature until the condition is fixed. The scan tool parameter for the sunload sensor is the actual state of the signal circuit.

#### A/C Refrigerant Pressure Sensor

The A/C refrigerant pressure sensor is a 3 wire piezoelectric pressure transducer. A 5 volt reference, low reference, and signal circuits enable the sensor to operate. The A/C pressure signal can be between 0-5 volts. When the A/C refrigerant pressure is low, the signal value is near 0 volts. When the A/C refrigerant pressure is high, the signal value is near 5 volts. The PCM converts the voltage signal to a pressure value.

The A/C refrigerant pressure sensor protects the A/C system from operating when an excessively high pressure condition exists. The PCM disables the compressor clutch if the A/C pressure is more than 2957 kPa (429 psi). The clutch will be enabled after the pressure decreases to less than 1578 kPa (229 psi).

#### A/C Low Pressure Switch

The A/C low pressure switch protects the A/C System from a low pressure condition that could damage the A/C compressor or cause evaporator icing. The HVAC control module applies 5 volts to the A/C low pressure switch signal circuit. The switch will open when the A/C low side pressure reaches 138-172 kPa (20-25 psi) as measured at the switch/accumulator. This prevents the A/C compressor from operating. The switch will then close when A/C low pressure side reaches 275-317 kPa (40-46 psi) as measured at the switch/accumulator. This enables the A/C compressor to turn back ON.

The low pressure switch uses refrigerant pressure to open and close a set of electrical contacts. When A/C request is authorized the switch is closed and shows normal status. During this state the switch will show 0 volts on the A/C low pressure sensor signal circuit. When A/C request is denied due to a low pressure condition the switch will be open. During this state the switch will show 5 volts on the A/C low pressure sensor signal circuit.

### Heating and A/C Operation

The purpose of the heating and A/C System is to provide heated and cooled air to the interior of the vehicle. The A/C System will also remove humidity from the interior and reduce windshield fogging. The vehicle operator can determine the passenger compartment temperature by adjusting the air temperature switch. The vehicle passenger can offset the passenger temperature as much as 16.7° C (30° F). Regardless of the temperature setting, the following can effect the rate that the HVAC System can achieve the desired temperature:

- Recirculation actuator setting
- Difference between inside and desired temperature
- Difference between ambient and desired temperature
- Blower motor speed setting
- Mode setting

The control module makes the following actions when automatic operation is not selected, and an air temperature setting is selected:

- When the air temperature switch is placed in the warmest position, the control module commands the air temperature door to divert maximum air past the heater core.
- When the air temperature switch is placed in the coldest position, the control module commands the air temperature door to direct air to bypass the heater core.
- When the air temperature switch is placed between the warmest and coldest positions, the control module monitors the following sensor inputs to determine the air temperature door position that diverts the appropriate amount of air past the heater core in order to achieve the desired temperature:
  - Sunload
  - o Duct temperatures
  - o Ambient temperature

### o Inside temperature

The A/C System can be engaged by either pressing the A/C switch or during automatic operation. The HVAC control module sends a class 2 message to the powertrain control module (PCM) for A/C compressor engagement. The PCM will provide a ground for the A/C compressor relay enabling it to close its internal contacts to send battery voltage to the A/C compressor clutch coil. The A/C compressor diode will prevent a voltage spike, resulting from the collapse of the magnetic field of the coil, from entering the vehicle electrical system when the compressor is disengaged.

The following conditions must be met in order for the A/C compressor clutch to turn on:

- The ambient air temperature above 4° C (40° F)
- The A/C low pressure switch signal circuit is grounded
- The A/C refrigerant pressure sensor parameter is less than 2957 kPa (429 psi)
- The PCM receives an A/C request from the HVAC control module
- The engine coolant temperature (ECT) is less than 121° C (250° F)
- The engine rpm is more than 550 rpm
- The throttle position is less than 100%

The HVAC control module monitors the A/C low pressure switch signal circuit. If the voltage signal on this circuit has no voltage drop the module will interpret this condition as a low pressure, disabling the A/C request. The A/C low pressure switch will open its internal contacts at 151 kPa (22 psi). Then close the contacts at 275 kPa (40 psi) to resume A/C operation. This switch assists in cycling the A/C compressor and prevents A/C compressor operation if system has a low refrigerant level.

The PCM monitors the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor signal circuit. The voltage signal on this circuit is proportional to the refrigerant pressure inside the A/C high side pressure line. As the pressure inside the line increases, so does the voltage signal. If the pressure is above 2957 kPa (429 psi), the A/C compressor output is disabled. When the pressure lowers to 1578 kPa (229 psi), the PCM enables the compressor to operate.

The sensor information is used by the PCM to determine the following:

- The A/C high side pressure
- An A/C system load on the engine
- An excessive A/C high side pressure
- The heat load at the A/C condenser

Once engaged, the compressor clutch will be disengaged for the following conditions:

- The ambient air temperature is less than  $4^{\circ}$  C  $(40^{\circ}$  F)
- The throttle position (TP) is 100 percent
- The A/C low pressure switch is open
- The A/C high side pressure is more than 2957 kPa (429 psi)

- The A/C low side pressure is less than 151 kPa (22 psi)
- The engine coolant temperature (ECT) is more than 121° C (250° F)
- The engine speed is more than 5,500 rpm
- The transmission shift
- The PCM detects excessive torque load
- The PCM detects insufficient idle quality
- The PCM detects a hard launch condition

### **Automatic Operation**

In automatic operation, the HVAC control module will maintain the comfort level inside of the vehicle by controlling the A/C compressor clutch, the blower motor, the air temperature actuators, the mode actuator and the recirculation actuator.

To place the HVAC System in Automatic mode, the following is required:

- The Auto switch must be activated
- The air temperature switch must be in any other position other than full hot or full cold position

Once the desired temperature is reached, the blower motor, mode, recirculation and temperature actuators will automatically be adjusted to maintain the temperature selected. The HVAC control module performs the following functions to maintain the desired air temperature:

- Monitors the following sensors:
  - o The inside air temperature sensor
  - o The ambient air temperature sensor
  - o The lower left air temperature sensor
  - o The lower right air temperature sensor
  - o The upper left air temperature sensor
  - o The upper right air temperature sensor
- Regulates blower motor speed
- Positions the air temperature actuators
- Positions the mode actuator
- Positions the recirculation actuator
- Requests the A/C operation

## A/C Cycle

Refrigerant is the key element in an air conditioning system. R-134a is presently the only EPA approved refrigerant for automotive use. R-134a is an very low temperature gas that can transfer the undesirable heat and moisture from the passenger compartment to the outside air.

The A/C compressor is belt driven and operates when the magnetic clutch is engaged. The compressor builds pressure on the vapor refrigerant. Compressing the refrigerant also adds heat to the refrigerant. The refrigerant is discharged from the compressor, through the discharge hose, and forced to flow to the condenser and then through the balance of the A/C system. The A/C system is mechanically protected with the use of a high pressure relief valve. If the A/C refrigerant pressure sensor were to fail or if the refrigerant system becomes restricted and refrigerant pressure continued to rise, the high pressure relief will pop open and release refrigerant from the system.

Compressed refrigerant enters the condenser in a high temperature, high pressure vapor state. As the refrigerant flows through the condenser, the heat of the refrigerant is transferred to the ambient air passing through the condenser. Cooling the refrigerant causes the refrigerant to condense and change from a vapor to a liquid state.

The condenser is located in front of the radiator for maximum heat transfer. The condenser is made of aluminum tubing and aluminum cooling fins, which allows rapid heat transfer for the refrigerant. The semicooled liquid refrigerant exits the condenser and flows through the liquid line, to the orifice tube.

The orifice tube is located in the liquid line between the condenser and the evaporator. The orifice tube is the dividing point for the high and the low pressure sides of the A/C system. As the refrigerant passes through the orifice tube, the pressure on the refrigerant is lowered. Due to the pressure differential on the liquid refrigerant, the refrigerant will begin to vaporize at the orifice tube. The orifice tube also meters the amount of liquid refrigerant that can flow into the evaporator.

Refrigerant exiting the orifice tube flows into the evaporator core in a low pressure, liquid state. Ambient air is drawn through the HVAC module and passes through the evaporator core. Warm and moist air will cause the liquid refrigerant boil inside of the evaporator core. The boiling refrigerant absorbs heat from the ambient air and draws moisture onto the evaporator. The refrigerant exits the evaporator through the suction line and back to the compressor, in a vapor state, and completing the A/C cycle of heat removal. At the compressor, the refrigerant is compressed again and the cycle of heat removal is repeated.

The conditioned air is distributed through the HVAC module for passenger comfort. The heat and moisture removed from the passenger compartment will also change form, or condense, and is discharged from the HVAC module as water.

# SPECIAL TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

#### SPECIAL TOOLS

**Special Tools** 

Illustration	Tool Number/Description

