

September 2015 Technical Service

SUBJECT

IHKA - Recirculation Function Changes from Manual to Automatic

MODEL

F22 (2 Series Coupe)

F23 (2 Series Convertible)

F30 (3 Series Sedan)

F31 (3 Series Sport wagon)

F32 (4 Series Coupe)

F33 (4 Series Convertible)

F34 (3 Series Gran Turismo)

F36 (4 Series Gran Coupe)

Vehicles with option code 0534 "Automatic air conditioning"

SITUATION

While driving, the air recirculation button on IHKA changes by itself from manual to automatic or automatic to manual mode.

CAUSE

The IHKA operating software is too sensitive.

PROCEDURE

DO NOT replace parts!

Perform a conversion with ISTA/P "Deactivation of the automatic air recirculation control".

Note that ISTA/P will automatically reprogram and code all programmable control modules that do not have the latest software. For information on programming and coding with ISTA/P, refer to CenterNet / TIS / Technical Documentation / Programming and Diagnostics / ISTA/P Documentation.

Always connect a BMW approved battery charger / power supply (SI B04 23 10).

The final report shows the VO modified with K-Word "DAUE". The air recirculation button will function in manual mode only.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Covered under the terms of the BMW New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks or the BMW Certified Pre-Owned Program.

Defect Code:	64 11 23 02 00	
Labor Operation:	Labor Allowance:	Description:
00 00 006	Refer to KSD2	Performing "vehicle test" (with vehicle diagnosis system – checking faults)
And:		
61 21 528	Refer to KSD2	Connect an approved battery charger/power supply(indicated in KSD2 as "Charging battery")
And:		
61 00 730	Refer to KSD2	Programming / encoding control unit(s)

If you are using a Main labor code for another repair, use the Plus code labor operation 00 00 556 instead.

Vehicle Programming and Coding

If a control module was working properly and it fails to program correctly or requires initialization, please claim this additional work with the applicable KSD2 labor operations under the defect code listed above.

The diagnosis and repair of vehicles "arriving" with failed control modules or stored faults which will cause them to fail during programming cannot be claimed under the defect code listed in this bulletin

Other Repairs

If other eligible and covered work is performed "prior" to programming and coding the vehicle, claim this work with the applicable defect code and labor operations listed in KSD2.

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