

Service Action

Code: 91V6



Subject	Apple CarPlay Activation
Release Date	May 10, 2019
Affected Vehicles	U.S.A. & CANADA: Certain 2018 MY Audi R8 Coupe & R8 Spyder <i>Check Campaigns/Actions screen in Elsa on the day of repair to verify that a VIN qualifies for repair under this action. Elsa is the <u>only</u> valid campaign inquiry & verification source.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Campaign status must show "open."✓ If Elsa shows other open action(s), inform your customer so that the work can also be completed at the same time the vehicle is in the workshop for this campaign.
Problem Description	In certain vehicles, the Apple CarPlay feature may not have been activated.
Corrective Action	Activate the Apple CarPlay feature via software update.
Parts Information	Software update only; no parts needed.
Code Visibility	On or about May 10, 2019, affected vehicles will be listed on the Inventory Vehicle Open Campaign Action report under My Dealership Reports (found on www.accessaudi.com & OMD Web). A list will not be posted for dealers who do not have any affected vehicles. On or about May 10, 2019, this campaign code will show open on affected vehicles in Elsa. On or about May 10, 2019, affected vehicles will be identified with this campaign code in the VIN Lookup tool at www.audiusa.com .
Owner Notification	Owner notification will take place in May 2019. Owner letter examples are included in this bulletin for your reference.
Campaign Expiration Date	This campaign expires on December 31, 2021 . Repairs must be performed on or before this date to be eligible for payment. Keep this expiration date in mind when scheduling customers for this action. If a customer wishes to have this service performed after the expiration date, your dealer's normal parts and labor cost associated with this repair will apply.
Additional Information	Please alert everyone in your dealership about this action, including Sales, Service, Parts and Accounting personnel. Contact Warranty if you have any questions. Dealers must ensure that every affected inventory vehicle has this campaign completed <u>before delivery to consumers</u> .

Claim Entry Instructions

After campaign has been completed, enter claim as soon as possible to help prevent work from being duplicated elsewhere. Attach the Elsa screen print showing action open on the day of repair to the repair order.

If customer refused campaign work:

- ✓ U.S. dealers: Submit the request through Audi Warranty Online under the Campaigns/Update option.
- ✓ Canada dealers: Upload the repair order [signed by customer] to Audi WIN/Operations/Campaign Closure.

Service Number	91V6
Damage Code	0099
Parts Vendor Code	002
Claim Type	Sold vehicle: 7 10 Unsold vehicle: 7 90
Causal Indicator	Mark labor as causal
Vehicle Wash/Loaner	Do not claim wash/loaner under this action
Criteria I.D.	01
	Connect battery charger Labor operation: 2706 89 50 10 T.U. -AND- Update infotainment control module Labor operation: 9196 25 99 Time stated on diagnostic protocol
	! NOTE Operating mode "Flash" must be used. Performing this software update using "Diagnosis" (Guided Fault Finding) could result in non-payment of the claim.

Customer Letter Example (USA)

<MONTH YEAR>

<CUSTOMER NAME>

<CUSTOMER ADDRESS>

<CUSTOMER CITY STATE ZIPCODE>

This notice applies to your vehicle: <VIN>

**Subject: Service Action 91V6 – Apple CarPlay Activation
Certain 2018 Model Year Audi R8 Coupe & Audi R8 Spyder Vehicles**

Dear Audi Owner,

As part of Audi's ongoing commitment to customer satisfaction, we are informing you of our decision to conduct a service action on certain 2018 model year Audi R8 Coupe and Audi R8 Spyder vehicles. Our records show that you are the owner of a vehicle affected by this action.

- What is the issue?** The Apple CarPlay feature may not have been activated in certain vehicles.
- What will we do?** Your authorized Audi dealer will perform a software update to activate the Apple CarPlay feature. This work will take about an hour to complete and will be performed for you free of charge.
- What should you do?** In order to limit any possible inconvenience, please contact your authorized Audi dealer as soon as possible to schedule this service. Please keep in mind that your dealer may need additional time for the preparation of the repair, as well as to accommodate their daily workshop schedule. For your convenience, you can also visit www.audiusa.com and click on the "Find a Dealer" link to locate a dealer near you and schedule this service.
- This service action will be available for you **free of charge only until December 31, 2021**. If you wish to have this service performed after that date, your dealer's normal parts and labor cost associated with this repair will apply.
- Lease vehicles and address changes** If you are the lessor and registered owner of the vehicle identified in this action, please forward this letter immediately via first-class mail to the lessee within ten (10) days of receipt. If you have changed your address or sold the vehicle, please fill out the enclosed prepaid Owner Reply card and mail it to us so we can update our records.
- Can we assist you further?** If your authorized Audi dealer fails or is unable to complete this work free of charge within a reasonable time, please contact Audi Customer Experience at 1-800-253-2834 or via our "Contact Us" page at www.audiusa.com.
- Checking your vehicle for open Recalls and Service Campaigns** To check your vehicle's eligibility for repair under this or any other recall/service campaign, please visit the **Recall/Service Campaign Lookup** tool at www.audiusa.com and enter your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN).

We apologize for any inconvenience this matter may cause; however we are taking this action to help ensure your vehicle continues to meet and exceed your expectations.

Sincerely,

Audi Customer Protection

Customer Letter Example (CANADA)

<MONTH YEAR>

<CUSTOMER NAME>

<CUSTOMER ADDRESS>

<CUSTOMER CITY STATE ZIPCODE>

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We apologize for any inconvenience this matter may cause; however we are taking this action to help ensure your vehicle continues to meet and exceed your expectations.

Sincerely,

Audi Customer Protection

NOTE

- Damages resulting from improper repair or failure to follow these work instructions are the dealer's responsibility and are not eligible for reimbursement under this action.
- Diagnosis and repair of pre-existing conditions in the vehicle are not covered under this action.

Required Tools



Battery Tester/Charger
- GRX3000VAS-
(or equivalent)

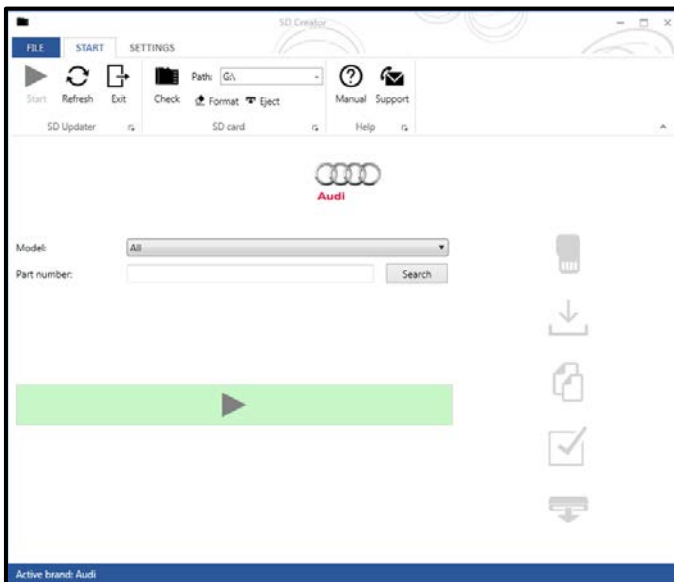


Diagnostic Tester
-VAS6150X-
(or equivalent)

NOTE

The VAS6154 or VAS5055 are the preferred diagnostic heads. Using the VAS5054 may cause a SVM failure that could result in control module failure.

Required SD Card



- SD Card part # **4M0906961CF** will need to be created using the SD Creator program.

TIP

The Flash test plan will indicate if a different SD card part # is needed.

Repair Instruction

Section A - Check for Previous Repair

Applicable criteria ID(s)	Campaign/Action Status
01 ← 2	Open ← 1

EXAMPLE

- Enter the VIN in Elsa and proceed to the “Campaign/Action” screen.

TIP

On the date of repair, print this screen and keep a copy with the repair order.

- Confirm the Campaign/Action is open <arrow 1>. If the status is closed, no further work is required.
- Note the Applicable Criteria ID <arrow 2> for use in determining the correct work to be done and corresponding parts associated.

Proceed to Section B.

Section B – Infotainment “5F” Control Module Software Update

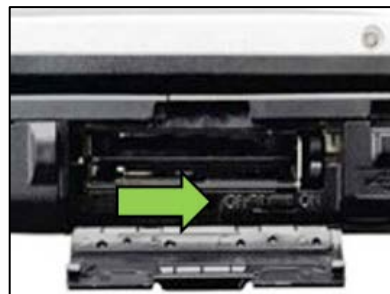
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Prior to launching the VAS Diagnostic Tester and starting an update, ensure the following conditions are met;

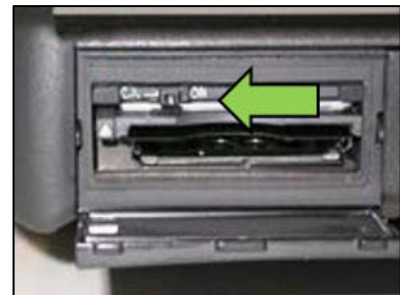
- ✓ **The ODIS software is completely up to date.**
 - Refer to the “Alerts” section on ServiceNet home page for the current ODIS version.
- ✓ **The battery charger is connected to the vehicle battery and remains connected for the duration of the software update.**
 - Battery voltage must remain above 12.5 volts for the duration of the software update. Failure to do so may cause the update to fail, which could result in damage to the control module. Control modules damaged by insufficient voltage will not be covered.
- ✓ **The screen saver and power saving settings are off.**
 - Failure to do so may result in the tester entering power save mode during the software update, which could result in damage to the control module.
- ✓ **The VAS Diagnostic Tester is plugged in using the supplied power adapters.**
 - Under no circumstances should the tester be used on battery power alone during the software update. Failure to do so may result in the tester powering off during the update, which could result in damage to the control module.
- ✓ **Flash process through “Audi Flashing” not Guided Fault Finding (GFF).**
 - DO NOT USE Guided Fault Finding (GFF) to perform this flash. Damage caused to control modules while using GFF will not be covered.
- ✓ **If using a Bluetooth transmitter head, it is connected to the tester with a USB cable.**
 - Performing a software update using a Bluetooth connection increases the risk of losing connection during the update, which could result in damage to the control module. It also greatly increases the time required to perform the update. Requests for additional time or parts will be denied if the GFF log shows the update was performed using Bluetooth.
- ✓ **The Bluetooth function of the scan tool is physically switched off <see pictures below>.**



VAS 6150 & VAS 6150A
(Front panel behind handle)



VAS 6150B
(Right side behind WIRELESS door)



VAS 6150C
(Left side behind SC/EX door)

⚠ WARNING

Radiator Fan(s) may cycle ON high speed during the Update Process! There is a serious risk that personal injury may result if contact is made with spinning fan blades. Keep hands and all objects away from Radiator Fan(s) during Update Process!

i TIP

To Update-Programming using SVM, review and follow instructions in Technical Bulletin 2011732: *Software Version Management (SVM) Operating Instructions*.

The SVM Process must be completed in its entirety so the database receives the update confirmation response. A warranty claim may not be reimbursed if there is no confirmation response to support the claim.

- Open the hood.
- Access the battery charging posts.
- Switch the ignition on.
- Apply the parking brake.
- Switch off all consumers (headlights, heated seats, climate control, etc.).
- Connect the VAS6150X/VAS6160X Diagnostic Tester to the vehicle.
- Start the ODIS program.
- Attach the GRX3000VAS Tester/Charger (or equivalent) to the vehicle battery charging posts.

! NOTE

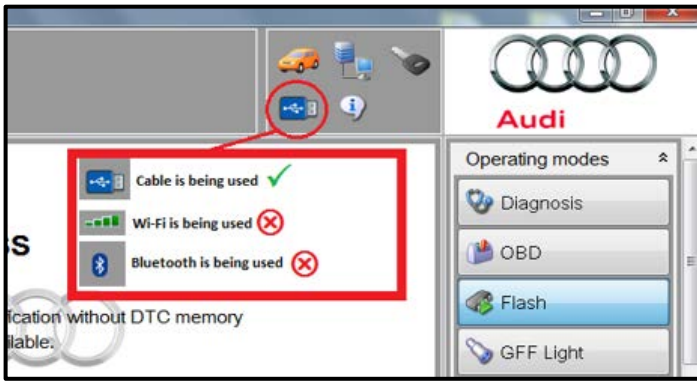
Vehicles with Battery Monitoring Control Module -J367- and/or an EFB Battery:

When connecting the charger to the battery, connect the positive cable to the positive terminal of the battery and connect the negative cable to the grounding lug on the chassis. **DO NOT** connect the ground cable directly to negative terminal of the battery.

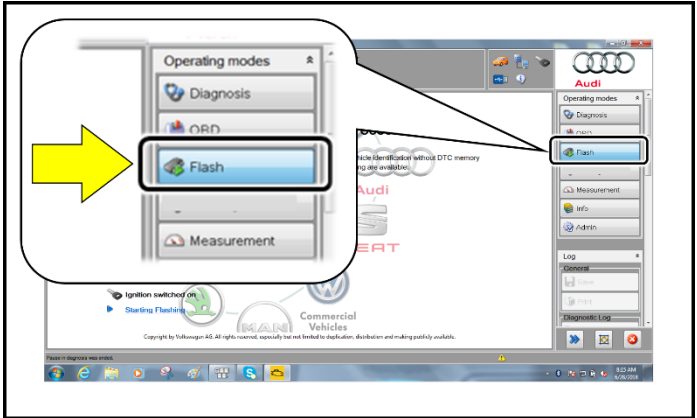
- Turn the hazards on.

⚠ CAUTION

The procedure may cancel itself if the hazard warning lights are not switched on. The hazard warning lights prevent the system from switching to bus sleep mode during the update.

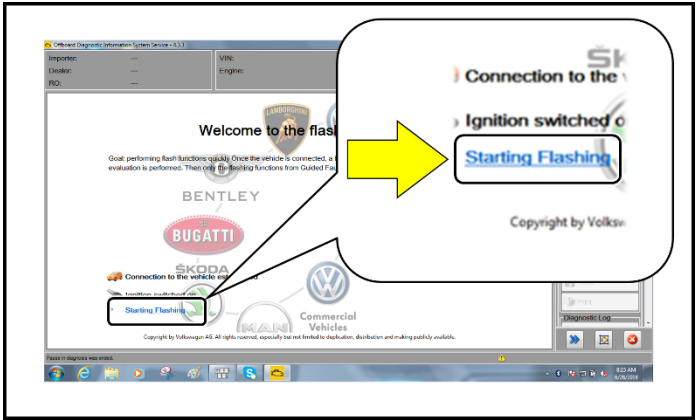


- Confirm that scan tool is communicating with the diagnostic head by USB cable.
 - If the Bluetooth or WiFi symbol is shown, then disconnect the diagnostic head from the vehicle and reconnect the USB cable to the diagnostic head and then reattach to the vehicle.

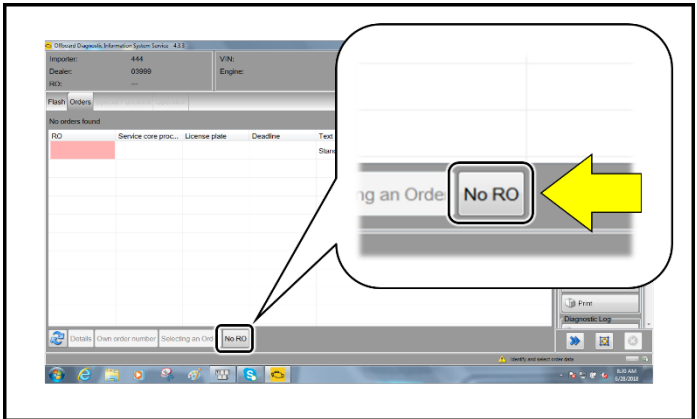


- From the home screen of the scan tool highlight "Flash" <1>.
- Follow the on-screen prompts.

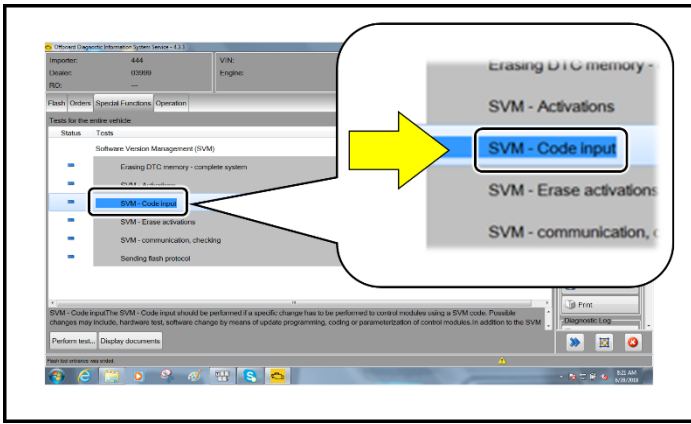
NOTE
 Operating mode "Flash" must be used. Performing this update using "Diagnosis" (Guided Fault Finding) could result in non-payment of the claim.



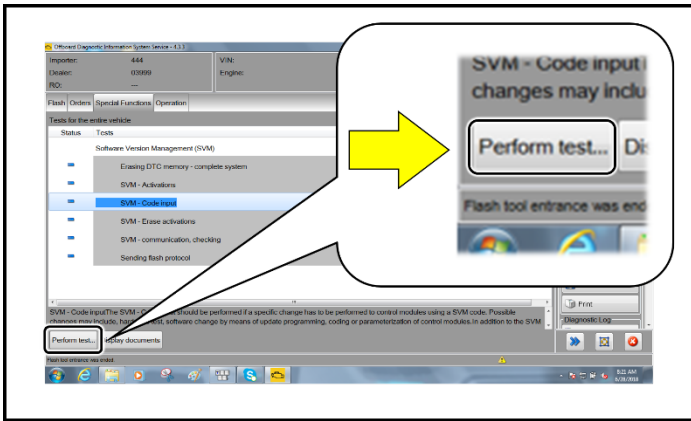
- Select "Starting Flashing" and follow the on-screen prompts.



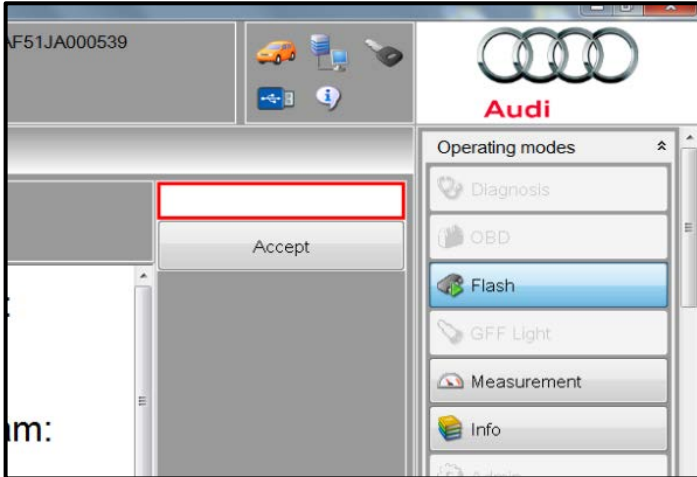
- Select "No RO".



- Highlight “SVM – Code Input”.



- Select “Perform test”.



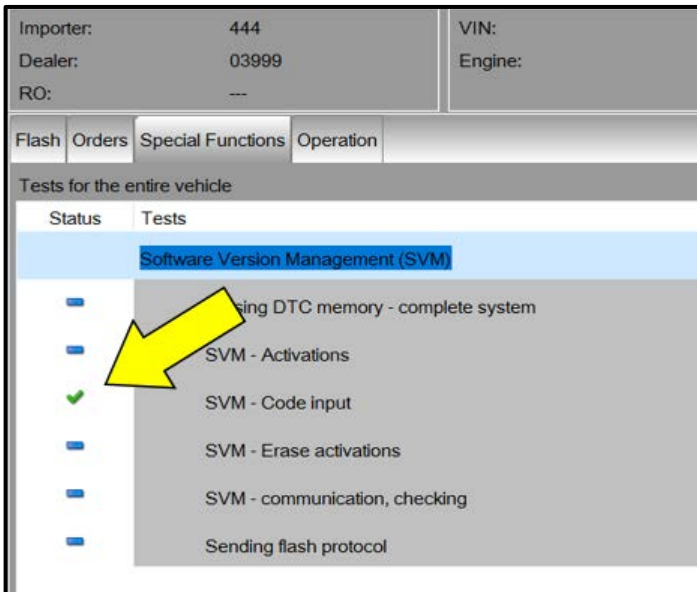
NOTE

Using Bluetooth for this action is PROHIBITED!
 Damage caused to electronic components (e.g. ECM, TCM, etc.) during the SVM update process is not covered.

- Enter the corrective action code (SVM code) as listed below.

SVM code
91V6A188

- Select "Accept".
- Follow the on-screen prompts and insert the SD card in the SD card reader when prompted.



NOTE

STOP! STOP!

This extra ignition cycle step must be followed, otherwise faults stored during the update may not be cleared upon exiting the Flash program.

- After receiving confirmation that the update completed successfully (green check mark <arrow>, the ignition must be turned off for 60 seconds and then turned back on.

NOTE

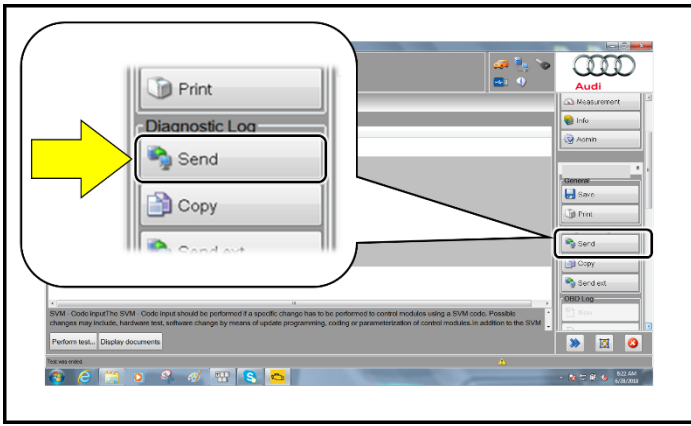
The update may fail if the following pre-requisites are not met:

- Hazards not on during flash
- Battery voltage too low or insufficient charger used
- ODIS version too low
- Not using Audi Flash to perform the update
- Incorrect diagnostic head used

If the update fails and one of the above pre-requisites was not met:

- Use a different tester that has been freshly rebooted. Prior to retrying the update make sure that you have a charger attached and the battery voltage is at least 12.5V. ODIS must have the latest brand version. ONLY use VAS6154 or VAS5055 diagnostic heads. Hazard flashers turned on. Bluetooth turned off. Then reboot the "5F" module by removing and reinstalling the power supply fuses. Use Audi Flashing operating mode. Once the prerequisites are set, retry the update again.
- Additional time to complete the flash due to pre-requisites not being met will not be covered by this campaign.

The repair information in this document is intended for use only by skilled technicians who have the proper tools, equipment and training to correctly and safely maintain your vehicle. These procedures are not intended to be attempted by "do-it-yourselfers," and you should not assume this document applies to your vehicle, or that your vehicle has the condition described. To determine whether this information applies, contact an authorized Audi dealer. ©2019 Audi of America, Inc. and Audi Canada. All Rights Reserved.



- After receiving confirmation that the flash completed successfully, select “Send” to send the diagnostic protocol online.
- Follow the on-screen prompts.



- Click “Flash” to exit the flash session.
- Remove SD card from card reader.
- **Proceed to Section C.**

TIP

Performing a “three button reset” after the update is complete may help with any navigation lag concerns.

Section C – Campaign Stamp

I certify that this campaign
has been performed in strict
accordance with the applicable
Audi repair procedure.

SAGA Code: _____
Technician: _____
Date: _____

Item#: AUD4927ENG

OR

Je certifie que cette
campagne de rappel a été
exécutée suivant les strictes
directives de réparation
d'Audi

Code de SAGA: _____
Technicien: _____
Date: _____

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- Once the campaign has been completed, the technician should stamp the repair order.
- Stamps are available for ordering through the Compliance Label Ordering Portal (item# AUD4927ENG or AUD4927FRE).