

BMW E36 CLIMATE CONTROL MODULE REMOVAL INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1:

Locate your climate control unit in the dash. If you drive an E36, it should look exactly like this. If you have the manual control type with the knobs, and it does not look like this, these instructions will not help you.

(Note: When working on your car's electronics, it is a wise idea to first disconnect the battery)



Step 2:

If your car has a multifunction display, remove all the junk from the storage compartment beneath it. Now stick your fingers up through the hole in the top of that compartment and pull out your multifunction display.



There are bumps on the sides, top, and bottom of the multifunction display that keep it in place. You may find it easier to remove if you insert a flat blade to help them snap out of their recesses.



Also, the flat blade keeps the edge of the vinyl dash cover from catching on the display and tearing loose from the dash as you pull the display out.

Just let the multifunction display hang by its wires. If any of those four bulbs across the top that illuminate the display and clock are burned out, now would be a good time to replace them.



Step 3:

The climate control unit snaps out just like the multifunction display did.



Release the latch on the main plug. The smaller (black) plug just pulls straight out.

