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Premium Sound System –
Convertibles –
Design Intent

MODEL 2000 MY-ON
XK8 Conv.
VIN A00116-ON

Issue:

Product Investigation has received complaints regarding the premium sound system fitted to the 2000 MY XK8 Convertible. The concern is, if the fader is set to full rear the midrange sound is lost. This is not a fault with the system but, rather, a design change from previous model years, please refer to the explanation below.

The Alpine System used in the convertible is designed to create a precise reproduction in front of the driver by utilizing the 6 front speakers.

This system sets what is known as a sound stage which creates a reproduction of a concert stage in front of the driver. This is then supported with the two rear speakers which now function as sub-woofers to create a warm ambiance to support the music being played. Therefore a customer should not adjust the fader to the rear only, as this will negatively affect the performance of the sound system.

Action:

If you require technical assistance please contact the Jaguar Technical Hotline at 1-888-524-3577.