

Service Information

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Inspection of the air intake grill

As per the information received from our production department, the vehicles listed below are suspected to be fitted with the intake grill for LHD version (i.e. opening in the grill is immediately above the A/C intake duct.)

Attached herewith are three photographs which show the correct grill and its location. The grill on the bonnet for A/c air intake is half closed and half open. The closed half of the grill is positioned above the A/C duct. This A/c duct is beneath the closed bonnet. The open half of the grill occurs above water drainage tray.

You are kindly requested to inspect the vehicles from your region, mentioned in the list. If the vehicle/s are delivered to the customer please inspect the vehicle immediately. If the grill is found wrong, please contact us with the details of the VIN, colour of the car, etc. We will then arrange for the supply of the correct grill. Upon attending the job, related charges are to be claimed as per standard warranty procedure.

For any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

With best regards,
Mercedes-Benz India Limited.

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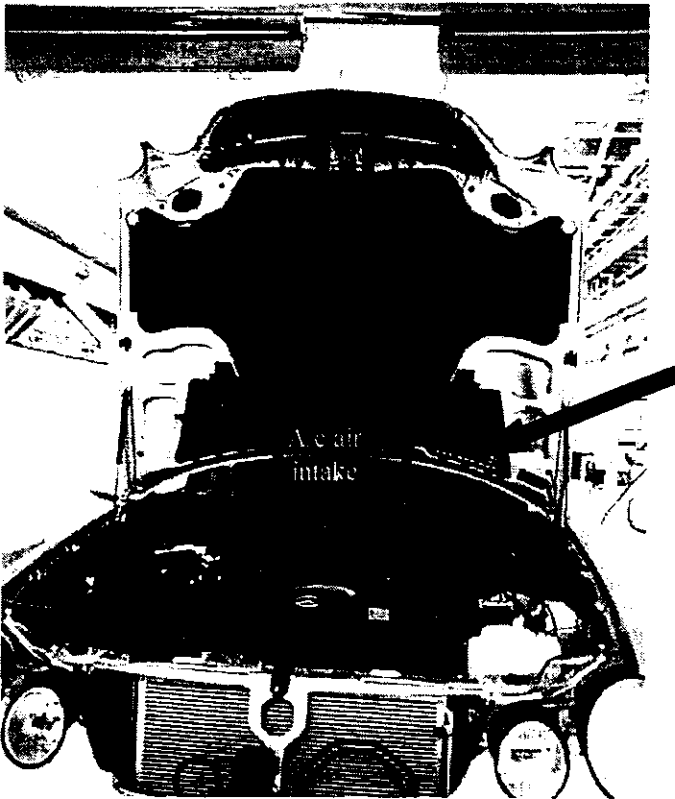
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List of the vehicles :

Model	Chassis Number	Comm Number	Dispatch date	Destination
E220CDI	WDB2100066B063630	982590100	24.03.2000	Mumbai
E220CDI	WDB2100066B063631	982590101	24.03.2000	Delhi
E240	WDB2100616B030711	982590063	22.03.2000	Delhi
E240	WDB2100616B030712	982590064	17.03.2000	Chandigarh
E240	WDB2100616B030713	982590065	17.03.2000	Bangalore
E220CDI	WDB2100066B063627	982590097	21.03.2000	Mumbai
E220CDI	WDB2100066B063628	982590098	22.03.2000	Cochin
E220CDI	WDB2100066B063629	982590099	24.03.2000	Ahmedabad
E240	WDB2100616B063651	982590121	07.04.2000	Delhi

OK
Checked & found OK

Photographs :



View the Bonnet top grill (EPC nomenclature is "covering -ventilation Screen"). This is located above the A/C intake-duct on the engine hood (marked by arrow). **This should not be directly open to outside.** In case this shows direct opening then fit the grill P. No. 210 880 08 05 and remove the grill originally fitted.

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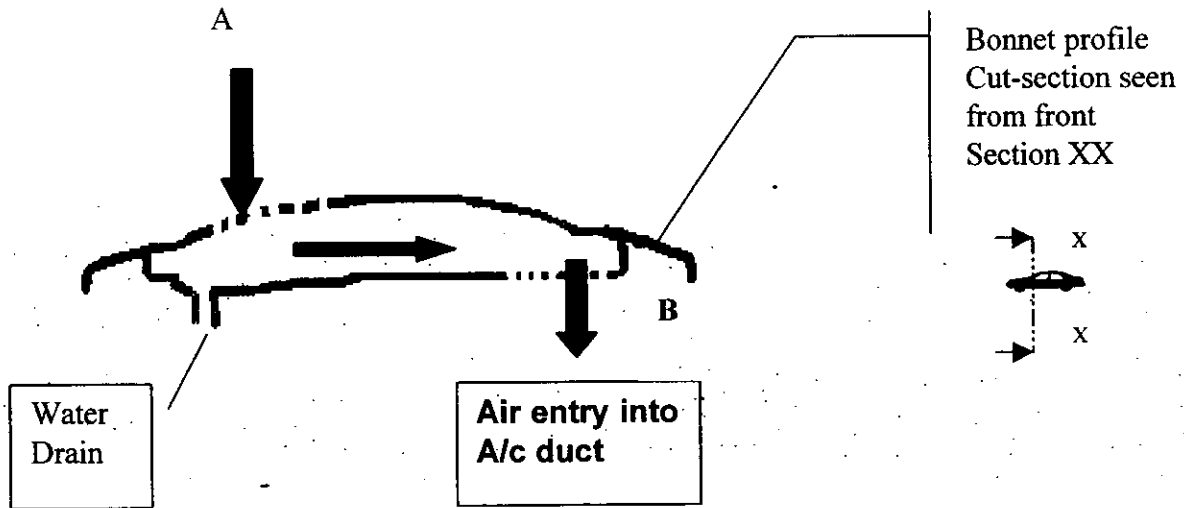
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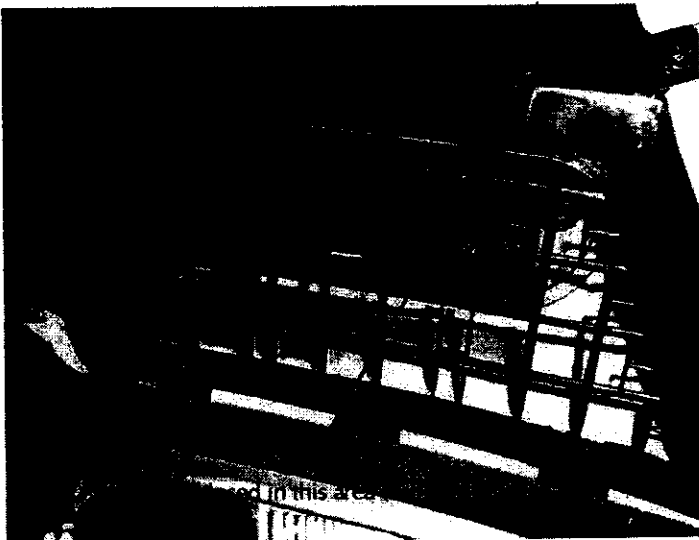
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Direction of Airflow to air-conditioning system through fins on bonnet top. This is applicable for RHD vehicles.
Air entry is zig-zag to avoid water entry into A/c duct.



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