



# Chevrolet Pickup

## Control Panel Kit

(473085)

**Fits:**  
**1995-98 (All)**  
**1999-2000 (2500-3500)**



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### Important Notice—Please Read

**This control panel is designed to work with a Gen IV evaporator unit equipped with a 246204-PUA ECU (all ECU's on Gen 5 evaporators will work with this control). Please confirm that your unit has the proper ECU prior to installing the control panel as shown below. A replacement ECU can be purchased from Vintage Air if needed.**



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## Packing List: Control Panel Kit (473085)

No.	Qty.	Part No.	Description
1.	1	473084	Control Panel Assembly
2.	1	232007-VUR	Control Harness, Gen IV/Gen 5 Universal
3.	1	231520	Ground Wire, 12" White, 16 GA

\*\* Before beginning installation, open all packages and check contents of shipment.  
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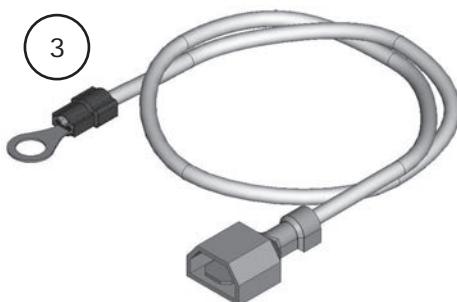
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## OEM Control Panel Removal

### Perform the following:

1. Chock the tires and engage the parking brake
2. Disconnect the battery.
3. Tilt your steering column to it's lowest position (See Photo 1, below).
4. Turn key to run position.
5. Put the gear selector into the lowest position.
6. Place fingers behind the dash panel trim and carefully go around to pop all the clips out, then remove the dash panel trim (See Photo 2, below).
7. Disconnect all the electrical connections attached to the dash panel trim.
8. Remove the A/C control panel from the dash and disconnect all the electrical connections (See Photo 3, below).
9. The OEM wiring can now be tucked in the dash, behind the dash pocket housing.



Photo 1

Carefully go around dash panel trim and carefully pop all clips out, then remove trim



Photo 2



Photo 3



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## Control Panel Installation

1. Connect the control harness into the control panel (See Figure 1, below).
2. Connect the other end of the control harness into the ECU (See Figure 2, below).
3. Install the control panel using the factory mounts.
4. Connect all the electrical connections attached to the dash panel trim.
5. Reinstall the dash panel trim, carefully going around and popping in all the clips.

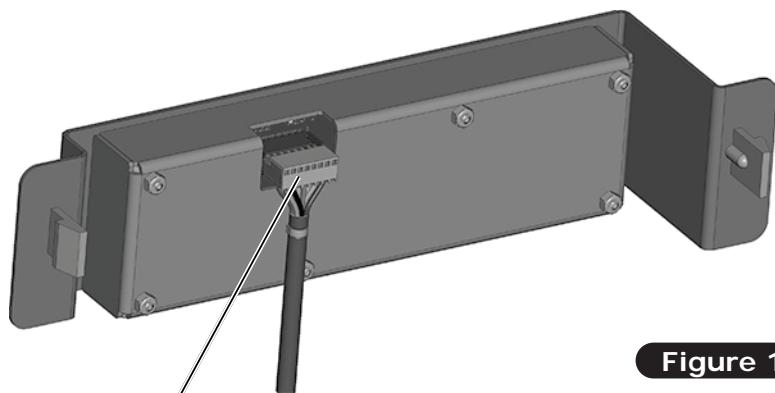


Figure 1

Connect control  
harness into control  
panel

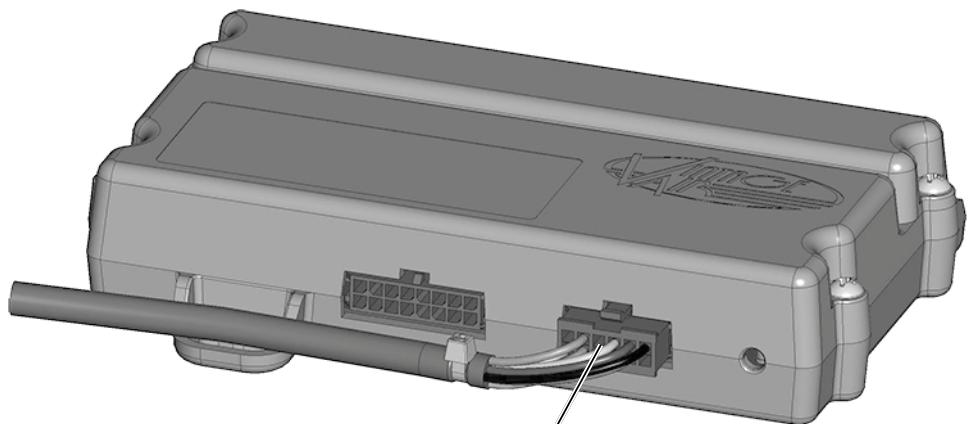


Figure 2

Connect  
control  
harness  
into ECU



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## Control Panel Calibration Procedure

On Vintage Air Gen IV and Gen 5 systems using cable converters or replacement electronic controls, it is necessary to calibrate the system to your specific control panel. This procedure ensures that the travel of your control panel levers or knobs is translated into precise control of the blower speed, temperature blend and mode door position. Please carefully read and understand these procedures before beginning. The procedure may be repeated as many times as necessary to get it right.

### **Gen IV Systems:**

In preparation for calibration, you will need to attach the supplied white ground jumper wire (PN 231520) to a suitable chassis ground. This jumper wire must be easily connected to the gray programming wire located in the main Gen IV wiring harness next to the compressor relay. During the calibration procedure, you will connect the white jumper to the gray program wire, which will "teach" the Gen IV ECU the upper limits of the control levers or knobs. The blower will momentarily change speeds, signaling that the upper limits have been "learned". You will move the levers or knobs to opposite extreme positions of their travel and then disconnect the white jumper. The blower will pulse on/off, signaling that the lower limits have been learned and that the calibration procedure is complete.

### **Gen 5 Systems:**

In preparation for calibration, you will need to attach the supplied white ground jumper wire (PN 231520) to a suitable chassis ground. This jumper wire must be easily connected to the gray programming wire located in the main Gen 5 wiring harness, see the Gen 5 wiring diagram and instructions for more information. During the calibration procedure, you will connect the white jumper to the gray program wire, and ground, which will then put the ECU into calibration mode. When the ECU is in calibration mode, the blower will default to medium speed and the ECU will flash a solid red light. Once in calibration mode you will cycle the controls as indicated in the calibration procedure on the next page. When complete, the jumper and program wire will be disconnected. The blower will turn off indicating calibration is complete.

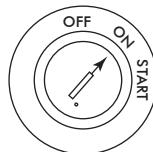


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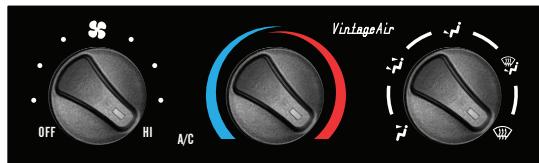
## Control Panel Calibration Procedure (Cont.)

**NOTE:** Supplied white ground lead may be connected to a good ground source and used for Step 3. After calibrating, insulate the gray lead end so that it does not accidentally become grounded and lose calibration.

1. Turn on the ignition switch (Do not start the engine).



2. Move the control levers/knobs to the positions shown.



3. Connect the white jumper wire to the gray program wire. Wait approximately 5 seconds for the blower speed to change if using a Gen IV system, if using a Gen 5 system wait for the blower to default to medium speed.



4. Move the control levers/knobs to the positions shown.



5. Disconnect the white jumper wire from the gray program wire. The blower speed will change if using a Gen IV system, and will shut off if using a Gen 5 system, indicating completion of the calibration procedure.



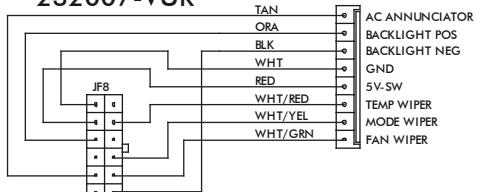
6. Confirm proper operation of controls. Repeat procedure if necessary. When finished, tape over program wire connector with electrical tape to prevent accidental contact with chassis ground.



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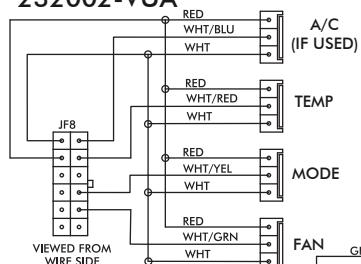
## Gen IV Wiring Diagram

232007-VUR



VIEWED FROM WIRE SIDE

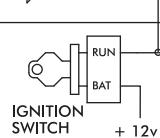
232002-VUA



VIEWED FROM WIRE SIDE

PROGRAM

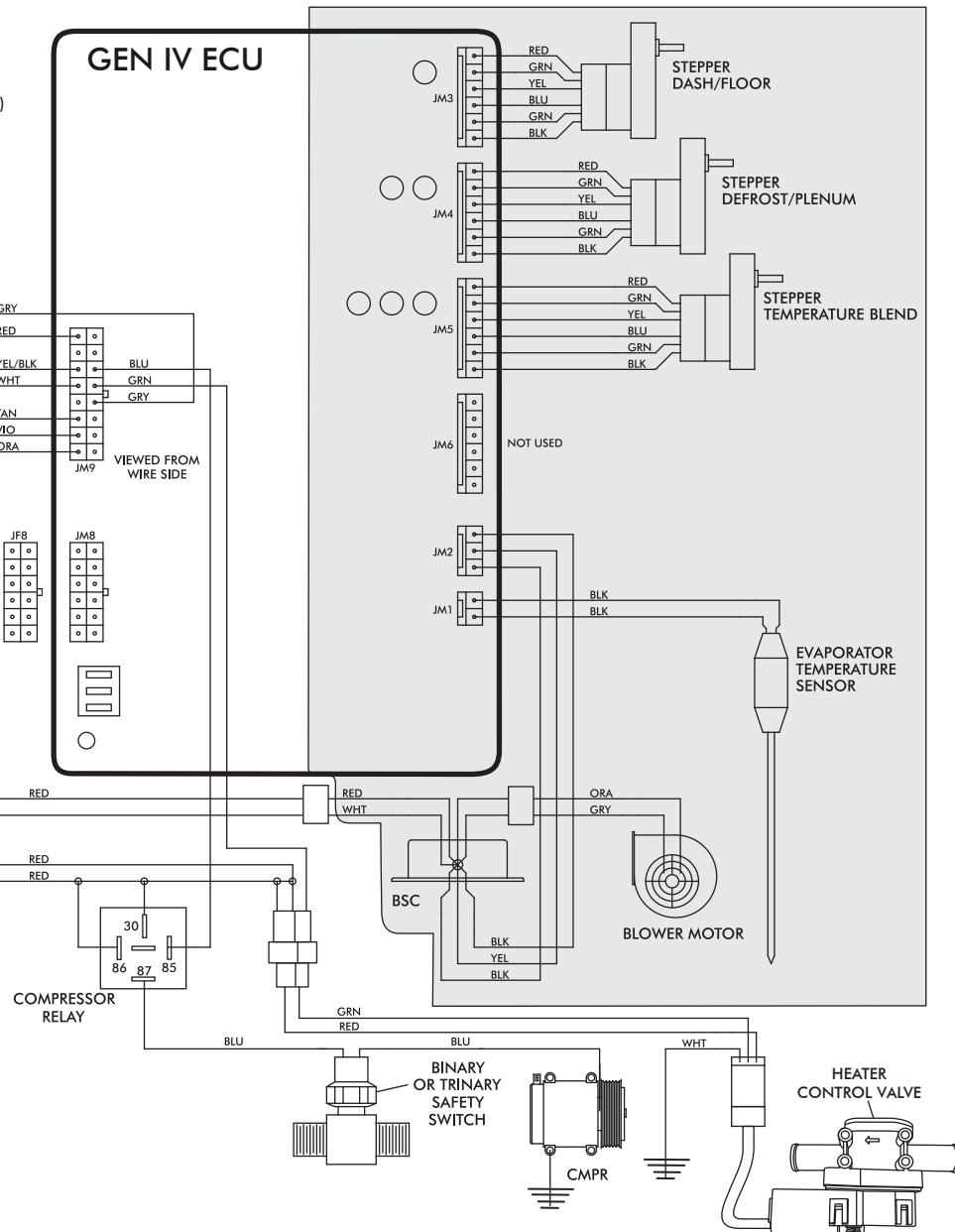
- \* DASH LAMP (IF USED)
- \*\* WIDE OPEN THROTTLE SWITCH (OPTIONAL)



\*\* CIRCUIT BREAKER 30 AMP

NOTE: = CHASSIS GROUND

GEN IV ECU



\* Dash lamp is used only with type 232007-VUR harness.

\*\* Warning: Always mount circuit breaker as close to the battery as possible. (NOTE: Wire between battery and circuit breaker is unprotected and should be carefully routed to avoid a short circuit).

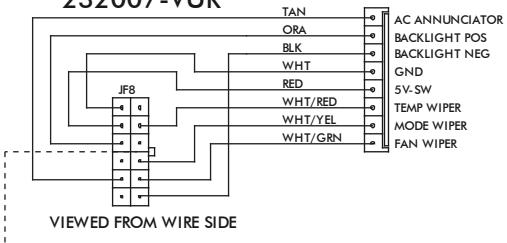
\*\*\* Wide open throttle switch contacts close only at full throttle, which disables A/C compressor.



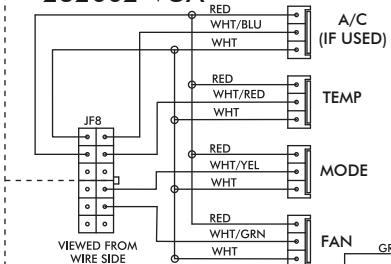
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## Gen 5 Wiring Diagram

232007-VUR



232002-VUA



### PROGRAM

DASH LAMP \*(IF USED)

(WOT)

NC

WIDE OPEN \*\*

THROTTLE

SWITCH

(OPTIONAL)

NO

COM

WHT

IGNITION

SWITCH

RUN

BAT

FUSED + 12v

WHT

BLACK

(10A FUSE)

ORANGE

(30A FUSE)

BATTERY

+

\*\*\*

## GEN 5 ECU

VIEWED FROM WIRE SIDE

JF8

JM9

VIEWED FROM WIRE SIDE

JM8

ORANGE

RED

ORA

WHT

TAN

VIO

PINK

### PRE-WIRED

STEPPER DASH/FLOOR

RED

GRN

YEL

BLU

GRN

BLK

JM3

STEPPER DEFROST/PLENUM

RED

GRN

YEL

BLU

GRN

BLK

JM4

STEPPER TEMPERATURE BLEND

RED

GRN

YEL

BLU

GRN

BLK

JM5

NOT USED

JM6

JM2

JM1

BLK

BLK

EVAPORATOR

TEMPERATURE

SENSOR

WHT

RED

BLACK

WHT

ORANGE

GRN

WHT

RED

BLACK

WHT

BLU



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## Operation of Controls

On Gen IV or Gen 5 systems with three lever/knob controls, the temperature control toggles between heat and A/C operations. To activate A/C, move the temperature lever/knob all the way to cold and then back it off to the desired vent temperature. For heat operation, move the temperature lever/knob all the way to hot and then adjust to the desired vent temperature. The blower will momentarily change speed, each time you toggle in and out of heat and A/C operations, to indicate the change. **NOTE: For proper control panel function, refer to Pages 6 and 7 for calibration procedure.**

### **Blower Speed**

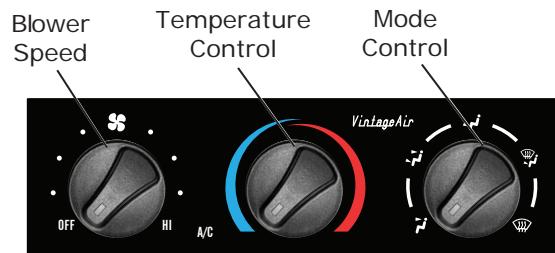
This lever/knob controls blower speed, from OFF to HI.

### **Mode Control**

This lever/knob controls the mode positions, from DASH to FLOOR to DEFROST, with a blend in between.

### **Temperature Control**

This lever/knob controls the temperature, from HOT to COLD.



## *A/C Operation*

### **Blower Speed**

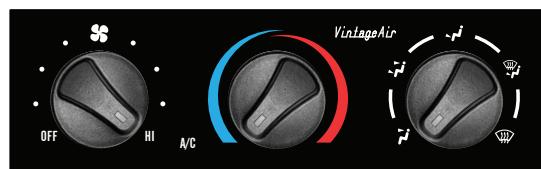
Adjust to desired speed.

### **Mode Control**

Adjust to desired mode position (DASH position recommended).

### **Temperature Control**

For A/C operation, adjust to coldest position to engage compressor (adjust between HOT and COLD to reach desired temperature).



## *Heat Operation*

### **Blower Speed**

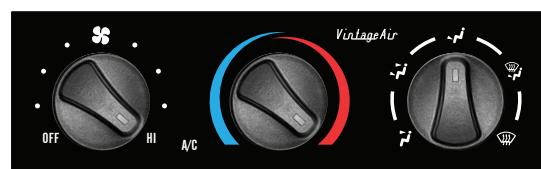
Adjust to desired speed.

### **Mode Control**

Adjust to desired mode position (FLOOR position recommended).

### **Temperature Control**

For maximum heating, adjust to hottest position (adjust between HOT and COLD to reach desired temperature).



## *Defrost/De-fog Operation*

### **Blower Speed**

Adjust to desired speed.

### **Temperature Control**

Adjust to desired temperature.

### **Mode Control**

Adjust to DEFROST position for maximum defrost, or between FLOOR and DEFROST positions for a bi-level blend (Compressor is automatically engaged).







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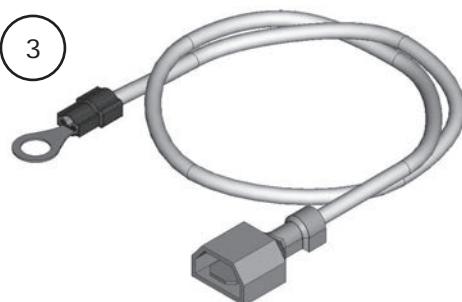
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