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BMW-MINI XM Direct<sup>TM</sup> Features and FAQ

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find an overview about displays and control in the this brief overview manual. We will also provide detailed information on how the XM receiver operates and some basic advice on how to optimize you listening experience. For operation of AM/FM, CD Changer \*, CD and AUX\*, please refer to the Owner's manual. The last section will include some frequently asked Questions (FAQ) that we hope will provide more insight about this new exciting product.

Experience 101 channels of the Best In-Car Entertainment. From today's Hits to R&B, Oldies to Classical from Country and Bluegrass to Real Jazz, Latin, Dance and Rock& Roll. Plus Sport, News and Entertainment, like ESPN, NASCAR radio, CNBC, Radio Disney, E! and Fox News. Now every drive will be the ride of your life.

The range and dept of music XM broadcast is truly unparalleled. The emphasis is on the music and entertainment you want. That's why XM Music programmer's host XM music live and on-the air personalities who bring you the best in programming. They back up the music with compelling information about the song being played and let the music speak for itself. Count on XM for Superior Sound and Coverage! Only XM has two powerful satellites "Rock" N "Roll" in orbit and a host of terrestrial repeaters on the ground to ensure superior coverage for Rock that really Rocks, Country that really Sizzles and Jazz that really Jamz.

#### XM Satellite Mode features at a glance (3-Series)

1 On/Off Volume 4 SAT 7 Channel Preset keys Control Satellite radio band selection Store/recall channel **2 SCAN** Scan Category 5 INF 3 MODE 8 Display CDDisplay mode change for artist name and song title Digital function indicator XM\*\*6 Channel track/search 9 Clock symbol Channel search AUX\* Displays clock AM/FM



CD Changer\*

## XM Satellite Mode features at a glance (5-Series and X5)

1 On/Off Volume Control

2 SC Scan Category

3 MODE

XM\*\*

AUX\*

AM/FM

CD Changer\*

CD

4 SAT

Satellite radio band selection

Display mode change for artist name and song title

6 Channel track/search

Channel search

7 Channel Preset keys

Store/recall channel

8 Display

Digital function indicator

9 Clock symbol

Displays clock



## XM Satellite Mode features at a glance (Mini Cooper)

1 On/Off Volume Control

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3 MODE Change

XM\*\* AUX\*

AM/FM CD Changer\*

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Satellite radio band selection

5 INF

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#### DISPLAYING CHANNEL INFORMATION

#### **Display Sequences**

By pressing the **INF** button the artist name, song title, channel number and channel name will be selected and displayed.

The following sequence will occur by continuously pressing the **INF** button.

Artist > song title > channel number > channel name

#### CHANNEL NAME is the default display for XM mode

ARTIST NAME and SONG TITTLE are available for most channels. At times artist name and song title for some channels may be displayed as blanks

Ex: On talk radio where Artist or Title information are not broadcast.

In very rare instances there is no information being transmitted **NO ARTIST** or **NO TITTLE** will show on the radio display.

# BMW 3-Series and Mini Cooper display Sequence

After selecting the desired channel

#### SR 1 1 CH 101

The CHANNEL NAME is displayed

#### SR 1 1 THE JOINT

The first time the **INF** button is pressed the radio will switch to **ARTIST NAME** for 6 seconds

#### SR 1 1 BOB MARLEY

Press **INF** button again within 6 seconds and **SONG TITTLE** is displayed for 6 seconds

#### SR 1 1 EXODUS

Press **INF** button again within 6 seconds and **CHANNEL NUMBER** is displayed for 3 seconds

#### SR 1 1 CH 101

Press **INF** button again within 3 seconds and **CHANNEL NAME** is displayed

#### SR 1 1 THE JOINT

The display will stay here since this is the default display mode

Note: If the **INF** button is not pressed again during any part of the sequence, the display will default to channel name

# 5-Series Display Sequence

After selecting the desired channel



Note: If the **INF** button is not pressed again during any part of the sequence, the display will default to channel name

### BMW XM DIRECT FAQ's

- Q. I have a 2004 Mini Cooper with HK Stereo is it compatible with the XM direct and where would I find the factory connectors?
- A. The XM Direct is compatible with all 2004-04 Mini SAT ready radios. The wires can be found on the right side of the trunk side panels.
- Q. I have a 2003 330ci with HK Stereo and CD Changer. How can I tell if my radio is SAT ready? The dealer never mentioned anything about SAT Radio, will the XM Direct work with CD Changer?
- A. 2003 Radios are Satellite Ready. Purchase interface BMW/MINI SLD 01and continue to use the factory CD Changer.
- Q. Do I have to cut or splice any of the factory wires to connect XM direct system to my car?
- A. No. The Xm Direct interface package is plug-n-play. No splicing required, simple locate the 3 and 6-pin connectors in the trunk and plug it in—you will not be damaging any electrical system in your car. When you are ready to remove it, simply unplug it.
- Q. Which input mode will I select on my SAT ready head unit? SAT or CD? It plugs into the CD changer cable right? Also will I be able to use the ipod your BMW connector?
- A. You will have to press the MODE button until XM appears on the display. Purchase the BMW-MIN/SLD 01 if you plan on using the ipodyourBMW or a CD changer. This version will also work if you never connect these options (ipodyourBMW or CD Changer)