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Operating Instructions

for KONVEKTA

air conditioning units

UL500EM / UL700EM



with control KS60

R134a

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Vorwort

These operating instructions have been written for drivers, operators and the maintenance staff of your air conditioning unit.

In this context, we refer implicitly to the compliance with our general installation guidelines. These can be obtained from the KONVEKTA technical after sales service: TKD@konvekta.com.

Please observe our valid safety instructions, available under www.konvekta.de/asv.html. In case of order placement or any other conclusion of contract the safety instructions get integral part of the contract.

These operating instructions have to be read carefully and made use of before the first start-up and after that regularly by each person who is involved in handling the machine:

- Operation including troubleshooting and waste disposal of fuels and auxiliary agents.
- Servicing, inspection, repair
- Transport

This facilitates the handling and avoids trouble caused by improper operation. Working in compliance with these operating instructions increases operation reliability and service life of the air conditioning unit and reduces life cycle costs.

⚠ Please complete these instructions by adding the national provisions for prevention of accidents and environmental protection.

⚠ These instructions are part of the air conditioning unit. Always have a copy at hand in the driver's cabin.

You will certainly understand that we will not recognize any warranty claims due to improper handling, inadequate maintenance, applications that do not correspond with the determined use, utilization of non-admitted fuels or the non-observance of safety provisions. KONVEKTA will annul without notice all obligations concerning guarantee, service contracts etc. regardless if granted by KONVEKTA or its distributors in case other than original KONVEKTA spare parts or parts bought from KONVEKTA AG have been used for maintenance and repair. These operating instructions contain all necessary information to operate your air conditioning unit. In case you need more explanations please contact the next KONVEKTA service station.

^① On our website www.konvekta.com in category >service< you will find a survey of contact details of all our service partners close to your location.

Information on the operating instructions

These operating instructions are valid for the air conditioners type:

➤ UL500EM	➤ UL700EM
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With control KS60

☞ When taking the unit into operation we recommend adding the following data. This will also be important for your orders of spare parts, and in case of warranty.

Serial number of the unit:	
Order No.:	
Year of construction:	/..... (MM/JJ)
Date of first operation:	/...../..... (TT/MM/JJ)

The machine is in accordance with the EC machinery directive 2006/42/EC.

The unit contains or needs fluorinated greenhouse gas for operation and is subject to identification requirements in accordance with F-Gas Regulation 517/2014.

Due to the fact that scope of supply depends on the order, equipment of your product may differ in some parts of description.

In case your product is equipped with details not shown or described in the operating instruction, your KONVEKTA -Service-Station will always be at disposal for informing you about correct operation.

In the course of further developments, we reserve the right to technical modifications without notice. Guarantee and liability conditions of **KONVEKTA AG**'s general business conditions are not enlarged by the above notes.

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1. Technical data

Type		UL 500 EM	UL 700 EM
Refrigerant		R 134a	
GWP		1.430	
Refrigerant quantity approx.	kg	7,0	8,0
-optional with front box approx.	kg	7,5	8,5
CO2 equivalent	to	10,01	11,44
CO2 equivalent with Frontbox	to	10,73	12,16
Operating voltage	Volt DC	26	26
26 V DC	Max. current draw	A	63
	Current draw at regular mode	A	14
400 V AC	Max. operating current	A	20
	Starting current compressor	A	100
Cooling capacity	W	24.000	33.000
Evaporator – air volume	m ³ /h	4.720	7.080

2. Compressor



Important to avoid leakages at the shaft seal of the compressor:

The compressor should be started every 4 weeks for approx. 15 minutes! This also applies when the vehicle is not into operation for a longer period or when the air conditioning unit is not used!

3. Intended Use

The KONVEKTA air conditioning unit is an air conditioning system that works with the ozone friendly refrigerant R134a and which creates a pleasant and individually adjustable room temperature by means of forced convection. The determined use includes also the observance of the operating instructions as well as the proof of regular inspections.

3.1. Operating Conditions

NOTE: KONVEKTA uses components made of copper and aluminum, which last a whole unit lifetime under normal environmental conditions. Should the units be operated under aggressive environmental conditions, i.e. air containing salt-, phosphate- or ammoniac extremely, a corrosion of the copper- and aluminum components cannot be ruled out. The copper- and aluminum components of the KONVEKTA systems are not suitable for such extreme application conditions. We indicate emphatically, that corrosion is not subject to warranties for defects. KONVEKTA does not take over any warranties for defect, neither for corrosion nor for consequential damage resulting there from, nor for damages caused by cleaning the systems with highly compressed or corrosion advancing substances.

4. Control unit KS60

The air conditioning control **KS60** is a control and regulation device for air conditioners in modern buses. The bus driver is relieved from all questions of an optimum air conditioning in the passengers' compartment by a simple and clear handling. All functions of the a/c unit are adjustable by different key-buttons. Every button has an indicating lamp, called LED used as a control function of the buttons or in case of operating. LED is shining red if button is pressed or if unit is in operation. Control board KS60 is connected onto the original dash board lightning of the vehicle. This means that in case of running vehicle lamp, night lightning of control board (LED green) is also activated.

✉ **Note:**

We recommend driving with automatic mechanism (Key S5, see 5.1). Additionally, to the automatic the following functions can be activated:

- a) **SMOG**-flap manually, in order to prevent the entrance of exhaust fumes (in tunnels)
- b) **REHEAT**-function to dehydrate the steamed up wind shield

4.1.1. Auto-test

If voltage supply to unit is interrupted, unit starts a self test immediately after reset. Here all entrances and exits are controlled:

Process of auto test will be show at the display:

- | | |
|---|----------------|
| 1. Indication of all LED's and display indication: | -88 |
| 2. Indication Software version: | 03 |
| 3. Indication Configuration (DIP-Code, for example) : | 08 |
| 4. Indication of auto-test code: | 01, 02... etc. |

After self-test, the actual temperature can be read on display.

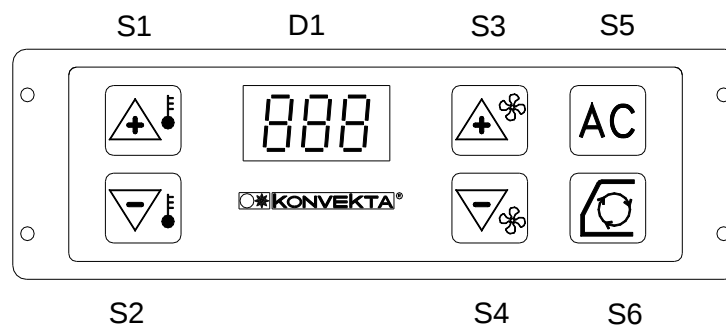
5. Operation



Danger of accident!

- Focussing your attention on the road traffic is of top priority
- Only operate your air conditioning unit when the traffic situation allows it
- Make sure you can clearly recognize and read all operation- and display-elements at any time
- Protect all displays against irritating sun glare and any other optical disturbances
- Please note that the control panel keys have not been designed for heavy stressing
- Excessive or fast pressing of the keys for adjusting the set temperature does not accelerate the cooling down process. It possibly damages the control panel and so affects the general performance of the air-conditioning unit

5.1. Operation panel / function of the keys



Short.	Function
D1	3-figure display
S1	required room temperature can be adjusted (increase) 16 to 28°C
S2	required room temperature can be adjusted (decrease) 16 to 28°C
S3	required air volume can be adjusted (increase), step 1 or 2 (resp. stepless adjustment)
S4	required air volume can be adjusted (decrease), step 1 or 2 (resp. stepless adjustment)
S5	A/C automatic (A/C ON/OFF)
S6	Recirculated Air operation Close resp. Open. Recirculated air flap; in case of closed recirculated air flap , LED inside key button is indicating .

5.2. Operation of a/c system

- Start vehicle engine (refer to orig. operating instruction of the vehicle).
- The air conditioner is activated by means of key  „*a/c automatic*“, LED inside key button is indicated. Pressing key **S5** again, air conditioner switched off. The blowers are regulated automatically.
- With key  or  the required air volume can be adjusted manual.



ATTENTION:

In case of trouble, in the a/c cooling circuit, the LED-display key  (s. 5.1) is lighting up. Operation of the a/c system only after verification by qualified a **KONVEKTA-Service- Station¹⁾**

5.3. Adjustment of temperature

If a/c-unit is operating, vehicle inside temperature can be adjusted with key  or  , in a range of 16°C up to 28°C. In case of operating key (+) or (-), temperature can be increased or reduced. The actual temperature can be read on display.

5.4. Recirculated Air operation → only in case of a/c units with Rec. air flaps option

In case of recirculated air operation (key S6 activated), the income of fresh air is interrupted and the air inside the vehicle is going to be circulated which avoids that outside air, possibly dirty because of exhaust fumes (tunnel driving) has a chance to penetrate into interior room of the vehicle.

Starting of the recirculated air operation, press key S6, the LED-display will light up. This position should not be adjusted very long. If windows are misting up, return air operation should be switched off:

If key S6 is pressed again the return air flap will be **reactivated** and fresh air operation restarted. The LED-display will **go out**.

Automatic In case of a temperature difference of more than 5°C between the set temperature (adjusted value) to the existing temperature the return air flaps switch to recirculated air operation.

Manual If the button S6 is pressed, the recirculated air function of the return air flaps will be maintained independently from a temperature difference.

5.5. REHEAT activate / stop

=> Only for units with heating option

Switching on of the air-conditioning system via button S5 afterwards the key **S5** will be pressed shortly twice (double click). **REHEAT** will be activated for a period of 20 minutes, the **LED-display will light up at the same time**.

⇒ Operation of the blowers at the highest speed level by key S3 (increase of the air flow output)

⇒ Recirculated air operation must be switched off.

The premature termination of the **REHEAT** is possible by double-pressing the key S5.

5.6. Display of air duct temperature

=> Only for units with heating option

While pressing buttons **S1**  and **S6**  actual air duct temperature is displayed for 2 seconds.

5.7. Indicate outside temperature => only in case of a/c units with heating option

=> Standard for units with heating, optional for units without heating starting software version 3

While pressing buttons **S1**  and **S4**  actual outside temperature is displayed for 2 seconds.



6. Maintenance / Service

For maintenance works we refer to our maintenance instructions: BWA-KL5U042AA, which have been written exclusively for maintenance personal.

Please arrange regular dates for maintenance works and services with a KONVEKTA service station, as indicated in maintenance schedule bus no. [WP07050618](#).

On our website www.konvekta.com in category >service< you will find a survey of contact details of all our service partners close to your location.

- Only qualified staff is allowed to carry out these works! -

For general instructions on repair – and maintenance works please contact via email:

TKD@konvekta.com



Danger of accidents!

Qualified staff in charge of installation and maintenance have to be trained in accordance with EN 378-Part 4 and (EC) No.307/2008 and must strictly follow the legal provisions.

Any works or modifications at the air conditioner which are carried out improperly can lead to malfunction and so endanger operational reliability. We recommend having all works and modifications carried out at an authorized KONVEKTA Service Station.

Before carrying out any maintenance works at your air conditioning unit, carefully read the KONVKETA safety provisions (TD00052A[®]) in order to avoid any dangers and accidents!

6.1. Troubleshooting



Only qualified staff is allowed to carry out these works!

Trouble	Cause	Repair <i>by authorized Service Station only</i>
a/c is not running <		

① *By operator*

7. Warranty Conditions

The current „General Warranty Conditions“ KONVEKTA AG“ will apply. A copy will be furnished by the warranty department. Please contact gwl@konvekta.com.

8. Waste disposal in accordance with legal provisions

After the phase of use the last proprietor is responsible for the adequate waste management. The environmental regulations in the exporting country must be observed.

The following list contains the most important regulating literature, valid for the *Federal Rep. of Germany*:

- Resolution for dangerous substances
- Law for waste circulation (KRW/AfgG))
- Resolution for the proofs of utilization and removal
- Criminal Code (StGB) 28th section „criminal acts against the environment“ §326 - Environment jeopardizing waste management
- Law of chemicals § 27 - penal prescriptions
- Resolution for used oil
- Law of water balance
- Resolution for the waste management of old cars and the adaptation of road prescriptions
- Resolution (EC) No. 2037/2000 of the European Parliament and of the Council for materials that affect the ozone layer
- Resolution to prohibit certain ozone destroying halogen hydrocarbons.

The used refrigerant endangers the environment. When dealing with refrigerants the existing prescriptions and regulations are to be followed. **Only qualified staff is allowed to carry out these works!**

Water endangering substances - acc. to §§19g-19l - are solid, liquid, and gaseous substances. e.g.: mineral and tar oils (cooling oils), halogen containing organic combinations (refrigerants).

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- Bundesanzeiger
- Beuth Verlag
- dtv (Deutscher Taschenbuch Verlag)

9. History of modification

Version	Date	File	Remark	File
A00	17.05.2011	B. Keßler	Source file	BAKL5U042AA
A01	25.04.2013	B. Keßler	Pkt. 1.3 deleted compressor	BAKL5U042AA
A02	07.08.2013	B. Keßler	Technical data 1.1 – corrected current draw; added operating / starting current; changed evaporator – air volume	BAKL5U042AA
A03	25.05.2016	B. Keßler	Point 1.2 pressure switch deleted	BAKL5U042AA
A04	21.02.2017	B. Keßler	Information on the operating instructions and technical data expanded with F-gas-regulation.	BAKL5U042AA
A05	19.10.2021	B. Keßler	Point 2 Compressor added	BAKL5U042AA