

## VEHICLE FEATURE TIPS



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## OWNER'S MANUAL, FEATURES AND FUNCTIONS GUIDE

Many of the Tips presented below are covered in greater detail in the Owner's Manual, Multimedia System Manuals, Features and Functions Guide and Quick Start Guide hang-tag supplied with your new vehicle.



## VOICE RECOGNITION AND BLUETOOTH®<sup>1</sup>

### Using Voice Recognition

Improve Bluetooth®<sup>1</sup> Voice Recognition (VR) performance by making a few simple changes to your phone contacts:

- Use full names (first and last names) vs. short or single syllable names ("John Smith" vs. "Dad", "Smith Residence" vs. "Home").
- Avoid using special characters, emojis, and hyphenated names (@, &, #, /, -, \*, +, etc.).
- Avoid using acronyms ("Emergency" vs. "ICE" or "In Case of Emergency") or words with all capital letters.
- Spell words completely; system will not recognize abbreviations ("Doctor Smith" vs. "Dr. Smith").
- Always wait for the beep before speaking any commands.
- When using VR to place a call, speak in a natural, moderate tone, with clear pronunciation. The system may have trouble recognizing commands if you speak too soft or too loud.
- Open windows, sunroof, weather (wind/rain), or an A/C fan operating at higher speeds can interfere with VR accuracy.
- Your VR system may have difficulty understanding some accents or uncommon names.
- Press the talk button and say "Help" to get a list of available commands.

### Pairing or Connecting Your Phone with Bluetooth®

- Press the Phone hard key (if equipped) or "Call" button on the steering wheel to begin the pairing process if no phone has previously been paired.
- To pair a second phone or subsequent phones, reference the manuals and guides supplied with your Stinger as steps vary by radio.

- During the pairing process, please make sure you accept all requests for phonebook download and future auto-connection on your phone.
- If you experience any issues with auto-connection, try the following:
  - Reboot your phone (turn the phone off and then on).
  - Update the phone operating system to the most recently released version.
  - Delete the phone from the UVO display and the UVO display from the phone, and re-pair.
  - Ensure the phone has the Bluetooth®<sup>1</sup> feature activated.
- If some contacts are not downloading to the UVO display, check to confirm that the contact has been entered correctly and that it has been stored under the categories (HOME, MOBILE, WORK, iPhone®<sup>2</sup>) that are supported by the UVO display. Some contact categories (MAIN, PAGER, OTHER) may not be supported. If the number of contacts exceeds the maximum number allowed on the UVO display, contacts will be partially downloaded. Ensure that only the "phone contact list" is selected for contact download on your phone (not social media or email contact lists as these contacts may not download to the UVO display).
- Phone operating systems change frequently and some phones may have varying compatibility levels with the Bluetooth® system. For any questions regarding the features of your vehicle, please contact your preferred Kia dealer or contact Kia Consumer Assistance at 1-800-333-4542.

### Other Bluetooth®<sup>1</sup> Tips

- Bluetooth® reception is affected by carrier coverage and is dependent on the phone.
- If streaming audio through Bluetooth®<sup>1</sup> from a device, ensure the listening volume on the device is turned up.

## CONNECTING TO APPLE CARPLAY™ AND ANDROID AUTO™ 2



### Apple CarPlay™

Your vehicle offers you effortless command of your compatible iPhone® when you connect through Apple CarPlay™ on your UVO display. This will enable you to make calls, send hands-free texts, access your favorite music and apps, and get navigation help with Siri® voice control. To connect Apple CarPlay, visit <https://youtu.be/N1FQ1VqDt4A>.



### Android Auto™

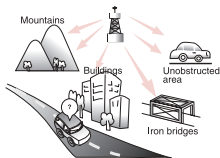
Your vehicle allows you to connect to your compatible Android™ phone via Android Auto on your UVO display. Through this feature, you can access music, your phone's dialer, navigation help and more with an intuitive interface and voice commands. You can even access your phone through your steering wheel controls. To connect Android Auto, visit <https://youtu.be/QPV7y06-RJ4>.

## QR CODE

To view a video on your mobile device, snap this QR Code or visit the listed website.  
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## SATELLITE RADIO RECEPTION



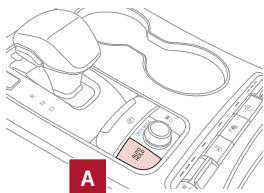
Satellite radio reception requires direct line of sight with the satellite transmitting the radio signal. Tunnels, bridges, covered parking, mountainous terrain, tall buildings, heavy foliage, and other obstacles may momentarily interrupt the signal. This is normal operation, and reception will be restored within a few seconds in an open, unobstructed area.

The signal can become weak in some areas that are not covered by the satellite repeater network.

## USB PORTS AND USE OF CABLES

Vehicle may contain USB port(s) for playing music from a compatible media device as well as USB port(s) for charging. Note: Devices will only be recharged when the vehicle is in ACC/ON/Start position. If you encounter difficulty plugging in a USB device, change the orientation of the device (may be upside down). Always use the USB charging cable that has been certified by the device manufacturer. Use of aftermarket cables is **NOT** recommended as they may affect functionality.

## AUTO-HOLD\*



(Button located below  
Gear Shift)

Auto-Hold temporarily maintains the vehicle at a standstill even if the brake pedal is released. Auto-Hold can be turned ON/OFF using the AUTO HOLD switch **A** located below the Gear Shift. Before Auto-Hold will operate, the driver's door, engine hood and trunk must be closed, and the driver's seat belt must be fastened.

The Auto-Hold indicator has four states:

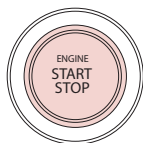
**White:** Standby - With vehicle at a standstill, and AUTO HOLD switch **A** turned ON, the indicator will illuminate white. While driving the vehicle (vehicle is not at a standstill), the Auto-Hold indicator will remain white.

**Green:** Engaged - When coming to a complete stop by depressing the brake pedal, the Auto-Hold indicator changes from white to green.

**OFF (not illuminated)** - The indicator will turn OFF when the AUTO HOLD switch **A** is manually turned OFF or when the EPB is manually turned ON.

**Yellow:** Malfunction - When the indicator is illuminated yellow, there may be a system malfunction. Take your vehicle to a local Kia dealer.

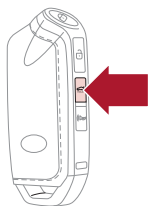
## ACCESSORY MODE WITH SMART KEY



With standard key vehicles, you can turn the key to the accessory mode and utilize the electronic accessories without starting the vehicle. This is still possible with Smart Key equipped vehicles. To do this, enter the vehicle with the Smart Key and push the ENGINE START/STOP button one time without depressing the brake pedal. This will put the vehicle in Accessory mode and **ACC** will illuminate in yellow.

If the ENGINE START/STOP button is in the **ACC** position for more than 1 hour, the button is turned off automatically to help prevent battery discharge.

## SMART POWER LIFTGATE\* OPERATION



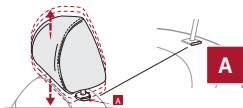
To open the Smart Power Liftgate\*, press and hold the Smart Key Liftgate button until the Liftgate begins opening. To close, push the power liftgate close button located inside the liftgate lid, press and hold the Smart Key Liftgate button again, or push the button on the dash panel, to the left of the steering wheel.

When the Smart Key fob is on your person and you are near the back of the vehicle, within close proximity, the hazard lights will blink and a chime will sound for about 3 seconds as an alert that the Smart Power Liftgate\* is about to open.

Then the alert system will blink and chime two additional times before opening the Smart Power Liftgate\*.

The Smart Power Liftgate\* feature is OFF by default. To enable the Smart Power Liftgate\*, go to User Settings in the LCD Instrument Cluster modes.

## FRONT SEAT HEADREST ADJUSTMENT



To raise headrest: Pull headrest up.

To lower headrest: Press lock **A**, then press the headrest down.

## HEAD-UP DISPLAY (HUD)\*

The Head-Up Display (HUD) is a transparent display that projects a snippet of information from the instrument cluster and navigation system onto the windshield glass. Drivers can turn the HUD display on or off in User Settings.



### The HUD displays:

- Turn By Turn (TBT) navigation information
- Road signs
- Speedometer
- Cruise setting speed
- Smart Cruise Control (SCC) with Stop & Go information\*
- Blind-Spot Collision Warning system information\*
- Warning lights (low fuel, BSD)
- AV Mode information

### Head-Up Display (HUD) Display Settings

Drivers can adjust the HUD settings from the LCD

Instrument Cluster modes in User Settings. HUD settings include:

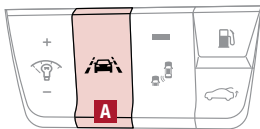
- Display Height: Adjust the height of the HUD image on the windshield glass
- Rotation: Adjust the degree of HUD rotation
- Brightness: Adjust the intensity of the HUD brightness
- Contents Select: Activate or deactivate HUD content (TBT,<sup>3</sup> SCC, LDW, BSCW)
- Speedometer Size: Choose the size of the HUD speedometer (Small, Medium, Large)
- Speedometer Color: Choose the color of the HUD speedometer (White, Amber, Green)

Warning: Failure to pay attention to travel conditions and vehicle operation could result in loss of vehicle control. Always drive safely and use caution.

## WIND BUFFETING

In many vehicles, when a rear window is lowered and the front window(s) are in the closed position, air flowing past the open window(s) induces pressure oscillations, or pulsations, which may be uncomfortable. When opening the rear window(s), always remember to also open the front window(s), slightly, to relieve the pressure oscillations inside the vehicle.

## LANE KEEPING ASSIST (LKA) / LANE DEPARTURE WARNING (LDW)\*<sup>4</sup>




(Button panel located left of Steering Wheel)

If an unintentional lane departure is detected, LDWS\*<sup>4</sup> may issue a warning on the LCD screen. With the Engine Start/Stop button in the ON position, press the LDWS<sup>4</sup> button **A** to turn the system ON. The LDWS<sup>4</sup> icon in the instrument cluster will illuminate green. To cancel, press the button again.

When the vehicle exceeds approximately 40 mph and the LDWS<sup>4</sup> system recognizes the lane the vehicle is traveling in, the lane indicators will both be solid white. If the vehicle begins to drift, the lane indicator changes from solid white to solid yellow in the instrument cluster with an audible alert.

## CHECK ENGINE LIGHT FROM FUEL CAP



Tighten the cap until it clicks one time, otherwise the Check Engine Light  may illuminate. The Fuel Filler Door Release button is located on the driver's side lower dash next to the trunk release.

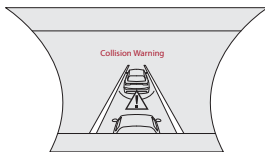
## DRIVE MODE INTEGRATED CONTROL SYSTEM



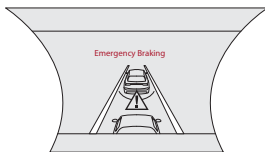
(Button located below Gear Shift)

The Drive Mode Integrated Control System includes 5 drive modes: SMART, COMFORT, SPORT, CUSTOM and ECO. The system's default mode is COMFORT and is not displayed on the instrument cluster. To change the drive mode, rotate the DRIVE MODE knob. When SMART mode is activated, the system automatically selects the drive mode best suited to the current driving style.

## FORWARD COLLISION AVOIDANCE (FCA) ASSIST\*



The FCA system is designed to detect and monitor the vehicle or pedestrian ahead\* and alert the driver that a collision is imminent and provide braking if needed. Warning messages will appear on the LCD screen A and a chime will sound. The FCA can be turned on/off in User Settings. When turned on, the FCA will activate when the Engine Start/Stop button is in the ON position, and vehicle is traveling forward more than 6 mph and system can detect objects in front. Select alert settings (Early, Normal, Late) in the User Settings in the instrument cluster LCD display.

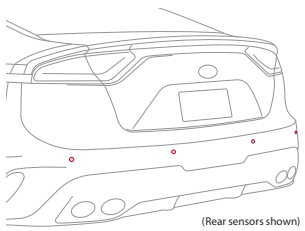


### REMINDERS:

- If the FCA is operating and the ESC (Electronic Stability Control) is turned off, the FCA system is automatically turned off.
- When FCA system is off, the FCA warning indicator is on in the Instrument Cluster. Your vehicle's instrument cluster LCD may differ from those in the illustrations.

For more information on FCA operation, see the Owner's Manual. Forward Collision-Avoidance (FCA) Assist\* is not a substitute for safe driving, and may not detect all objects in front of vehicle. Always drive safely and use caution.

## PARKING ASSIST SYSTEM



The Parking Assist System is a supplemental system that assists the driver by chiming if an object is detected within the sensing areas in the front or rear of the vehicle when parking or backing up.

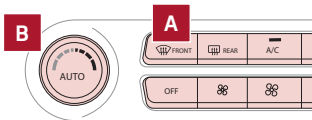
When the Engine Start/Stop button is ON and the shift lever is in R (Reverse), the system is activated and the Parking Assist button indicator is illuminated.

When the ignition is ON, the system is activated. If the vehicle is moving at speeds over 6 mph, the system may not activate correctly.

When more than two objects are sensed at the same time, the closest one will be recognized first.

Parking Assist System is not a substitute for safe driving, and may not detect every object behind or in front of the vehicle. Always drive safely and use caution.

## WINDSHIELD DEFOGGING



Windshield fogging is caused by moisture in the air condensing on the cold glass. The following practices can help reduce window fogging:

- Keeping the inside of the glass as clean as possible.
- Utilizing the Defrost Mode **A** activates the A/C & opens Fresh Air Vent.
- Adjusting the Temperature Control **B** to the desired temperature.

## CONDENSATION INSIDE EXTERIOR VEHICLE LIGHTS

Your vehicle's exterior lights with clear lenses are vented to the atmosphere to release pressure as the air inside heats and cools. When humid/moist air enters the headlight/tail light, the moisture may condense on the lens surface and appear as fogging or water droplets. This is a normal condition and the moisture will evaporate when the lights are turned ON or when the temperature increases.

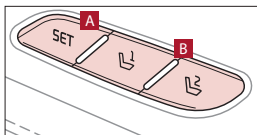
## SEAT WARMERS / VENTILATED SEATS\*



(Buttons located below Gear Shift)

- Seat Warmers – Press button **A** up once for high setting (3 LEDs lit). Press button twice for medium setting (2 LEDs lit). Press a third time for low setting (1 LED lit) and again to turn OFF.
- Ventilated Seats – Press button **B** down once for high setting (3 LEDs lit). Press twice for medium setting (2 LEDs lit). Press a third time for low setting (1 LED lit) and again to turn OFF.

## INTEGRATED MEMORY SYSTEM (IMS)\*

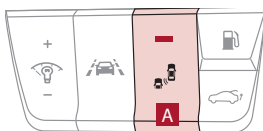


(Buttons located on Driver's Door Panel)

To store a seating position into memory, first place the shifter into P (Park) while the ignition switch is ON. Then:

1. Adjust the driver's seat, outside rearview mirrors.
2. Press the Memory button **A** on the control panel. The system will beep once.
3. Press one of the memory buttons ("1" or "2") **B** within 5 seconds. The system will beep twice when memory has been stored.
4. "Driver (1 or 2) set is memorized" will appear on the instrument cluster LCD display.

## BLIND-SPOT COLLISION WARNING (BCW) SYSTEM\*<sup>5</sup>



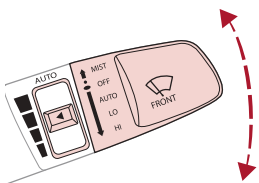
(Button panel located left of Steering Wheel)

The BCW system\*<sup>5</sup> uses radar sensors in the rear bumper to monitor and warn the driver of an approaching vehicle in the driver's blind spot area.

When the BCW\*<sup>5</sup> button **A** is pressed ON, the BCW\*<sup>5</sup> indicator on the button will illuminate. The outside rearview mirror warning lights will also illuminate for 3 seconds.

The system will become active when the vehicle is traveling more than 20 mph and will alert the driver if another vehicle is detected by the radar sensor.

## WINDSHIELD WIPER SERVICING POSITION



For your convenience, move the windshield wiper blades to the service position as follows; After turning off the engine, move the wiper switch to the single wiping (MIST) position within 20 seconds and hold the switch more than 2 seconds until the wiper blade is in the fully up position.

CAUTION – Do not allow the wiper arm to fall against the windshield, since it may chip or crack the windshield.



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