# **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - GENERAL Q&A**

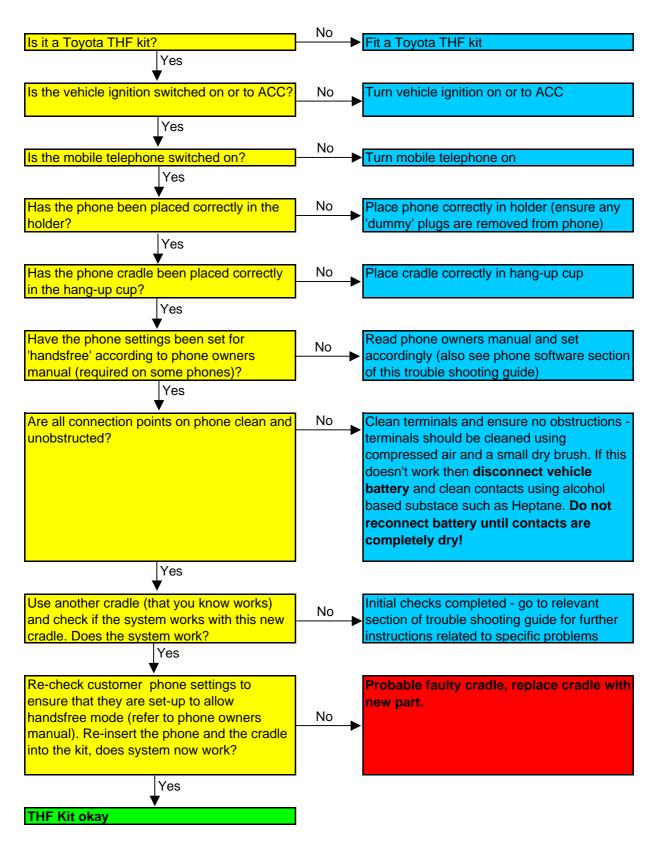
PROBLEM	GENERAL SOLUTION
How can the volume of the kit be adjusted on	The volume level is taken from the volume setting on the phone.
THF*5 system?	To change the volume just change the volume setting of the
	phone itself. Only change the volume level of the phone with the
	phone in the cradle and in 'hands-free' mode to ensure that you
	are changing the handsfree profile setting.(THF35 can also be
	adjusted using the remote control)
Phone charges but doesn't switch into hands-	Probably due to the phone settings being incorrect. Some phones
free mode	need to be setup for hands-free mode before they will work with
	the THF kit. Refer to phone owners manual on how to do this.
THF kit is not working at all (no charge & no	Probably a problem with the installation - please refer to relevant
hands-free mode)	section of trouble-shooting guide
Reception problems - bad sound quality	Probably due to microphone and antenna wires being bundled
Treespasin presiding sad seana quality	together. This can interfere with the sound quality of the system
	and should be avoided. Ensure that microphone and antenna
	wires are kept apart especially if bundled.
No full duplex communication	Whether the THF kit will work as full duplex or half duplex is
Two fall duplex confindingation	completely dependant on the phone and cannot be governed by
	the hands-free kit - thus it is not a fault with the THF kit if there is
	no full duplex communication.
	Full Duplex = Transmission of voice in 2 directions
	simultaneously. In other words the person in the car can talk to,
	and hear the other person talking at the same time
	Half Duplex = Transmission of voice in 1 direction. In other
	words, only one person can talk at a time.
Some phones turn on when ignition is switched	This is not a fault. If the phone is switched off and in the cradle
on, some phones don't - is this a fault?	when the ignition is turned on the THF kits will try and turn the
	phone on. This will only work with some phones as others do not
	have the software capability in the phone to be able to
	communicate in the necessary way with the THF kit to be able to
	do this. Thus - this feature is dependant on the phone.
Some phones turn off when ignition is switched	Some phones will automtically be switched off by the THF kit if left
off, some phones don't is this a problem.	in the cradle after the ignition is turned off for more than
on, some phones don't is this a problem.	approximately 60 secs. If the user wants to leave the phone in the
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	cradle but doesn't want it to switch off then they only need to
	press any button on the phone after ignition off and the phone will
	stay on, in hands-free mode and keep charging. Again, this
	feature is completely dependant on the phone and some phones
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Some phones mute (only THF25 & THF35) the	The THF system will mute the radio as soon as it receives a
radio when any button is pressed and some	sound signal from the mobile phone. This means, if the phone
phones don't - why?	profiles are set such that the phone makes a sound everytime a
	button is pressed, it will mute the radio every time a button is
	pressed. You can switch keypad tones off (in the handsfree
	profile) to stop this happening by changing the profiles of the
	phone (refer to phone owners manual)
General comments on phone profiles	It is posisble to customise the way the phone acts when in hands-
	free mode simply by changing the profile of the phone in the
	profiles menu. The best way to discover the possibilities is to use
	the phone owners manual to guide you through the different
	settings available for each phone.
The THF20-25 adaptor has been used to	The THF20 kits fitted with Motorola cradles also have a special
update a THF20 kit (using Motorola phone) to a	Motorola adaptor fitted to the ECU to make the cradle work. If the
THF25 kit. The system was working as a	THF20-25 adaptor is fitted to the ECU this special Motorola
THF20 kit but is not working as a THF25 kit.	adaptor must first be removed (even if the THF25 cradle is a
]	Motorola cradle) and the THF20-25 adaptor should be connected
	directly into the THF20 ECU.
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## **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - PHONE SPECIFIC ISSUES**

PHONE	PROBLEM	ANSWER
ERICSSON		
General	Why doesn't incoming call ring through THF speaker?	All Ericsson phones ring only through telephone loudspeaker
	Automatic switching on/off of phone with ignition	Most Ericsson phones do not support this function
T68i	Not functioning properly with THF kit	The following needs to be done in order to activate thehands-free mode of the phone on some earlier software versions:  1/ Go to 'Settings' then 'Handsfree' then 'Handsfree type' and choose 'Automatic' ( xml:namespace prefix = o ns = "urn:schmas-microsoft-com:office:office"/ )  2/ go back to 'Settings' then 'Voice Control' then switch on 'Magic Word' (in that Menu you can also switch from half- to full-duplex mode)
NOKIA		
General	Checking software version	To check software version of Nokia phones press the following combination of phone keys:  *#0000#
6210	Phone doesn't go into hands-free mode (Not relevant for THF *5 only for THF10/20/30)	Check software version of phone - press *#0000# and version will come up on disply. If version is 5,56 then take phone to GSM retailer and get software update to version lower than 5,56. After downgrade, remove battery from phone for more than 5 mins. Kit should function after this. If SW-Downgrade is not possible swap cradle to 6310i (THF 20/30) for THF10 you would have to exchange the whole Kit.
6600	Special things to know about the functionliaty of the 6600 in a THF kit	The software of the phone is such that it's behaviour in a hands-free kit is slightly different to that normally experienced. The differences are as losted below:  - When a call comes in, the ringing tone will be heard in the phone not in the loudspeaker.  - No special hfk symbol appears on the phone display when in the cradle  - The background light switches off.  - No Radio Mute when call comes in during the ringing tone. As soon as you answer the call then the radio will mute.
6230	Phone doesn't go into hands-free mode when placed in the THF kit	The phone has a special setting 'Ignition Detector' in the phone menu that must first be activated before the phone will funciton in the hands-free kit. This can be found in the 'Enhancement settings' menu which is a sub-menu of the 'Settings' menu. Note that this can only be set-up when the phone is actually in the THF kit.
SIEMENS	•	
S55/C55/M55	Radio is on permanent mute with phone in cradle	Check software of phone - press *#06# and the display will come up with 'info'. Press key under 'info and software version will appear.  This is a problem that will occur on all phones with software version under version 16. Phone should be taken to GSM retailer and software update to version higher than version 16. After update, remove battery from phone for more than 5 mins. Kit should function after this.
MOTOROLA		
v300 / 400 / 500 / 525	Phone will not operate with the hands-free kit	Phone must first be switched into 'Auto Handsfree Mode'. This can be done through the 'Settings' menu of the mobile phone. Please refer to mobile phone owners manual for further details.

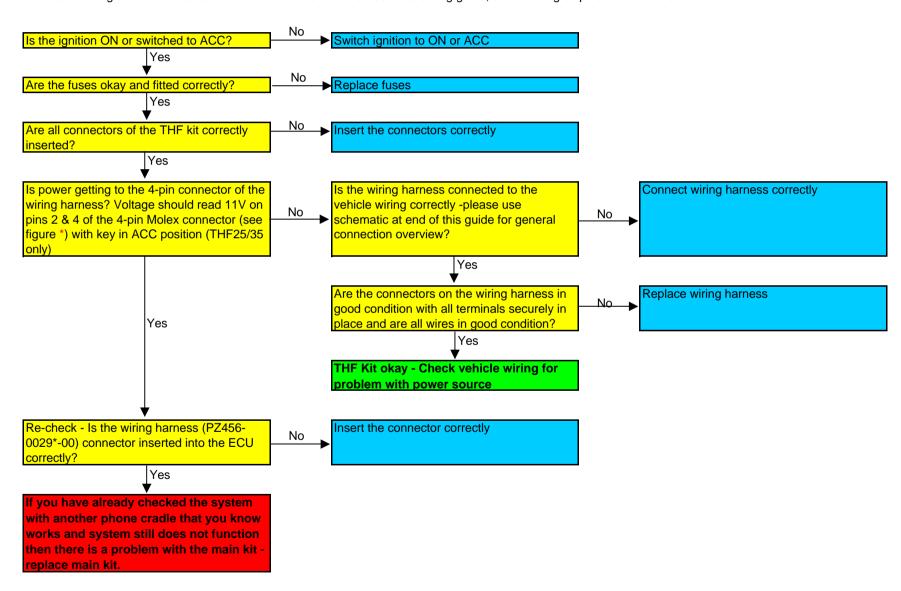
### THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - INITIAL CHECKS

On discovering that a hands-free kit is not functioning properly the following checks should always be conducted before further investigation is started.



#### THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - NO RESPONSE

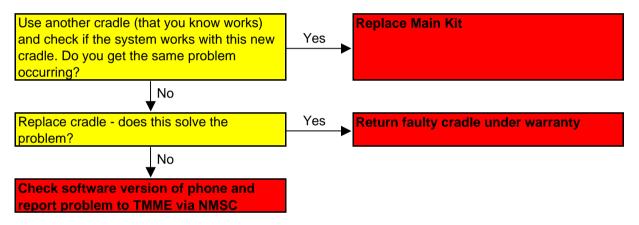
#### PROBLEM ONE: PHONE NOT CHARGING AND NOT SWITCHING TO HANDS-FREE MODE



### **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - NOT SWITCHING TO HF MODE**

#### PROBLEM TWO: PHONE CHARGING BUT NOT SWITCHING TO HANDS-FREE MODE

If all checks mentioned in the first section of this trouble-shooting guide (checking of phone settings etc) have been conducted then it is likely that there is either a software issue between the phone and the kit or more likely a problem with one of the components in the kit.

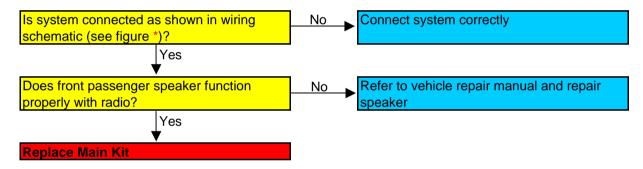


Some very early phone software versions may have a compatibility issue with the THF kits. The software version of the phone can be checked at any mobile phone retailer and they will also normally upgrade to the latest version for free.

### **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - NO SOUND 1**

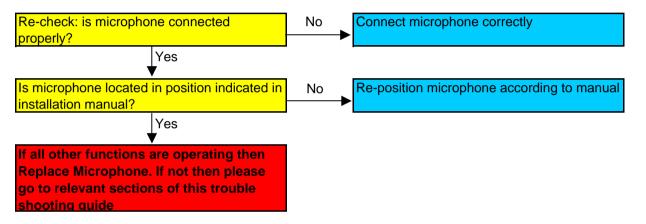
# PROBLEM THREE: PHONE SWITCHING TO HANDS-FREE MODE BUT NO SOUND CAN BE HEARD THROUGH THE VEHICLE SPEAKERS WHEN USED (THF25 & THF35 ONLY)

Please note that when using a THF25 or THF35 system, the vehicle audio should mute and all audio signals from the THF kit will be heard only in the passenger side front speaker. The kits will not mute the navi system if it is fitted - this will continue to come through the drivers side front speaker even when using the hands-free kit.



## **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - NO SOUND 2**

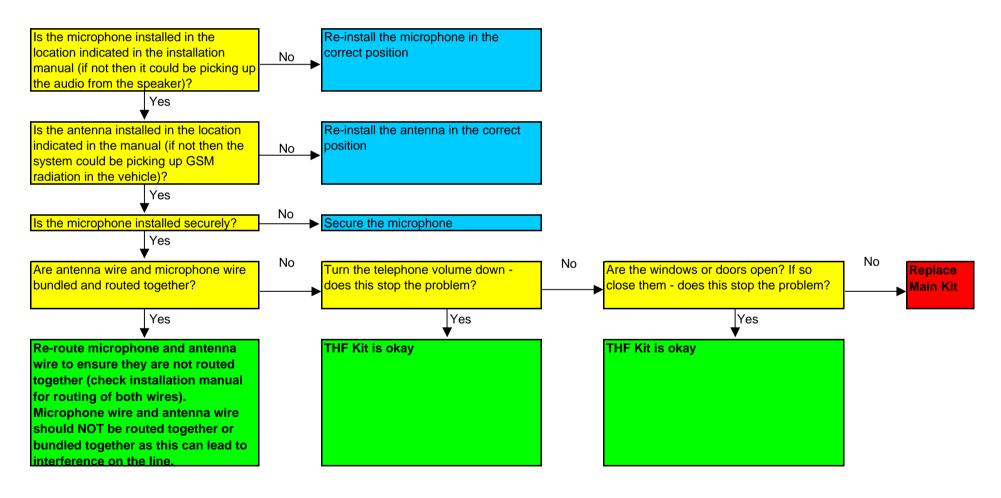
# PROBLEM FOUR: PERSON ON OTHER END OF LINE CANNOT HEAR ANYTHING THE PERSON IN THE VEHICLE IS SAYING



#### THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - ECHO

#### PROBLEM FIVE: ECHO PROBLEM DURING PHONE CONVERSATION

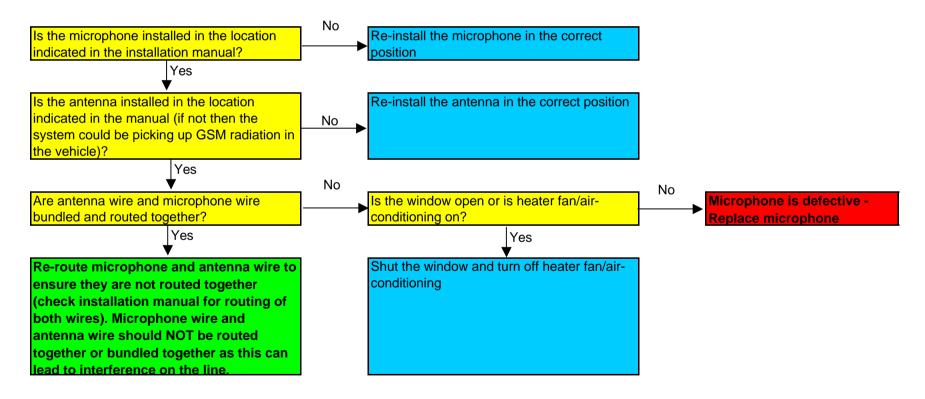
It should be noted that it is possible to occasionally get a bad connection with a mobile phone line that can lead to echo and which has nothing to do with the hands-free kit. It is only a possible problem with the kit if the echo is experienced consistently by the user.



## **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - BACKGROUND NOISE**

## PROBLEM SIX: LOUD BACKGROUND NOISE OR INTERFERENCE DURING CONVERSATION (EXPERIENCED BY PERSON ON OTHER END OF LINE)

Please consider that it is possible that sometimes there could be noise on the line because it is simply a bad connection and is not the fault of the hands-free kit. If the problem occurs all the time then it will be a problem with the hands-free kit and the following steps should be taken:



### **THF\*5 TROUBLE SHOOTING - NO RECEPTION**

#### **PROBLEM SEVEN: NO RECEPTION**

Note, there will always be some areas where it is impossible to get a GSM connection due to the lack of GSM phone masts in the area.

