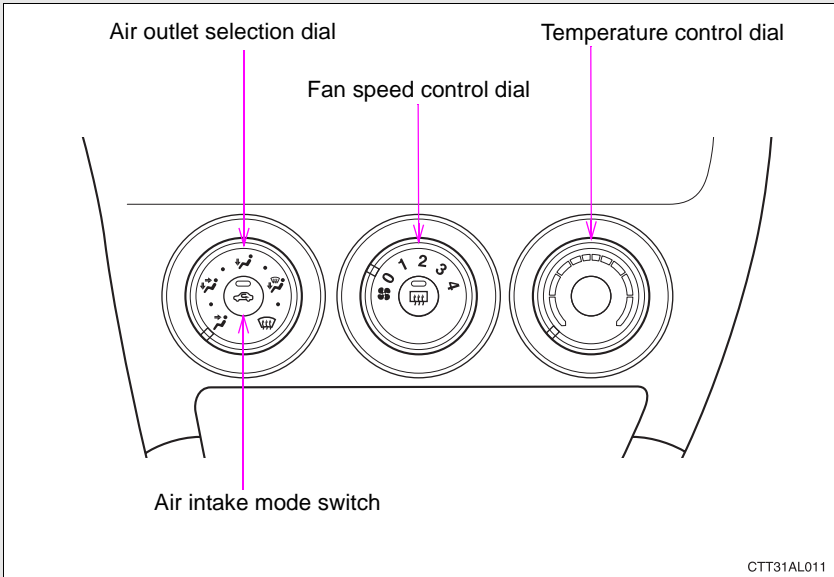


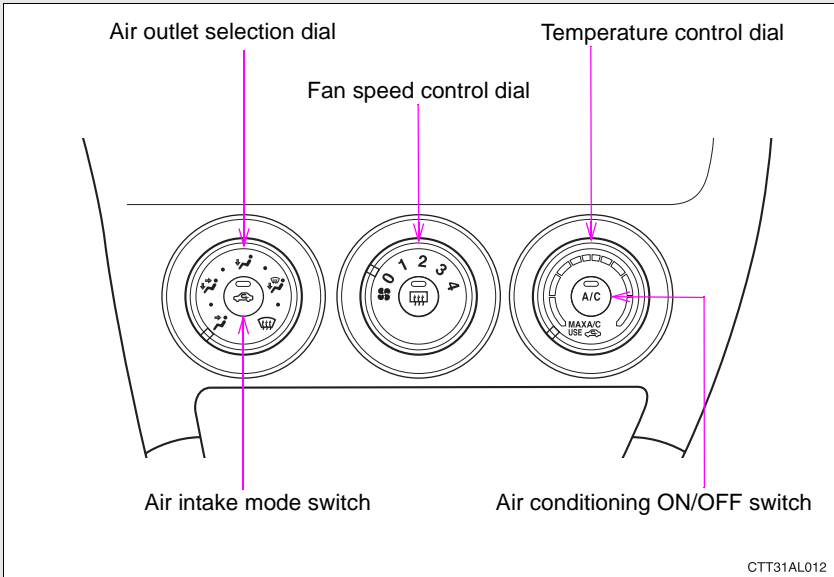
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# Air conditioning system

► Heater



► Air conditioning system



## Adjusting the settings


### ■ Adjusting the temperature setting (heater)

Turn the temperature control dial clockwise to increase the temperature.

### ■ Adjusting the temperature setting (air conditioning system)

Turn the temperature control dial clockwise (warm) or counter-clockwise (cool).



If  is not pressed, the system will blow ambient temperature air or heated air.

### ■ Adjusting the fan speed

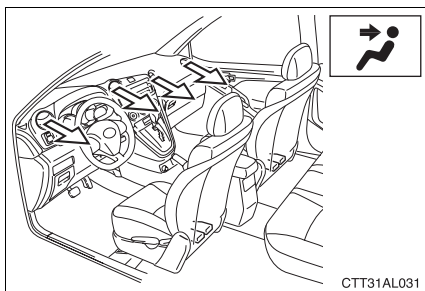
Turn the fan speed control dial clockwise (increase) or counter-clockwise (decrease).

Set the dial to "0" to turn the fan off.

### ■ Selecting the air outlets

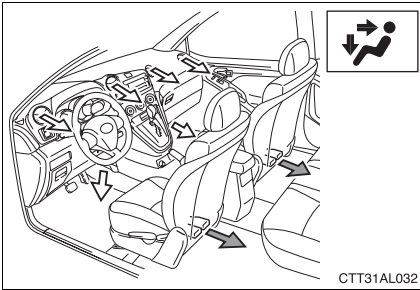
Set the air outlet selection dial to an appropriate position.

The positions between the air outlet selections shown below can also be selected for more detailed adjustment.



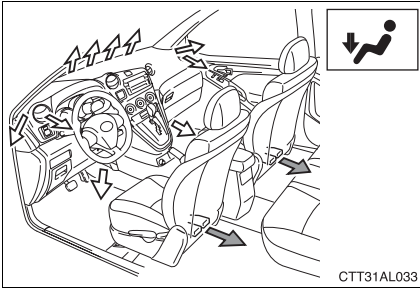
Air flows to the upper body.

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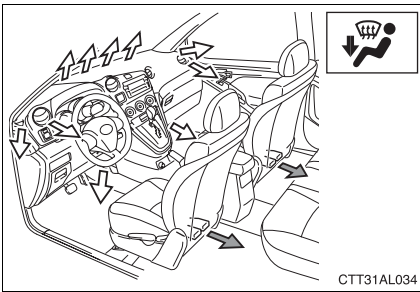
Air flows to the upper body and feet.

➡ : Some models



Mainly air flows to the feet.

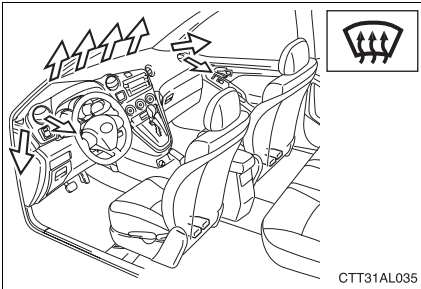
➡ : Some models



Air flows to the feet and the windshield defogger operates.

The air intake is automatically switched to outside air mode. It is not possible to return to recirculated air mode when the switch is on.

➡ : Some models




Air flows to the windshield and side windows.

The air intake is automatically switched to outside air mode. It is not possible to return to recirculated air mode when the switch is on.

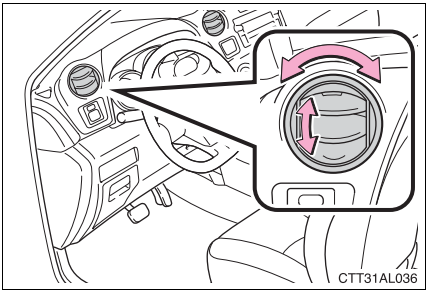
### ■ Switching air intake modes

Press  .

The mode switches between outside air mode (indicator off) and recirculated air mode (indicator on) each time  is pressed.

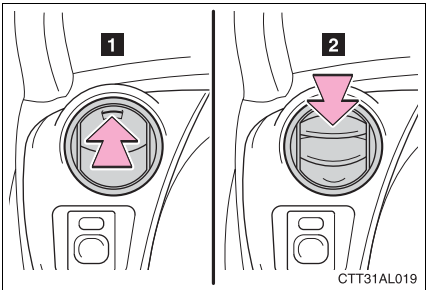
**Adjusting the position of and opening and closing the air outlets**

► Adjusting the position



Direct air flow to the left or right, up or down.

► Opening and closing




**1** Open the vent

**2** Close the vent

### ■ For quick cooling (vehicles with air conditioning system)

Turn the temperature control dial to the "MAX A/C" position and select the recirculated air mode.


### ■ For quick clearing of the windshield and side windows (vehicles with air conditioning system)

Press  to turn the air conditioning on.

### ■ Using the recirculated air mode

The windows will fog up more easily if the recirculated air mode is used for an extended period.

### ■ When outside air temperature approaches 32°F (0°C) (vehicles with air conditioning system)

The air conditioning system may not operate even when  is pressed.

### ■ When is selected for the air outlets used


For your driving comfort, air flowing to the feet may be warmer than air flowing to the upper body depending on the position of the temperature adjustment dial.

### ■ Air conditioning odors

- During use, various odors from inside and outside the vehicle may enter into and accumulate in the air conditioning system. This may then cause odor to be emitted from the vents.
- To reduce potential odors from occurring:  
It is recommended that the air conditioning system be set to outside air mode prior to turning the vehicle off.

## ⚠ CAUTION

### ■ To prevent the windshield from fogging up

Do not set the air outlet selection dial to  during cool air operation in extremely humid weather. The difference between the temperature of the outside air and that of the windshield can cause the outer surface of the windshield to fog up, blocking your vision.



**NOTICE**

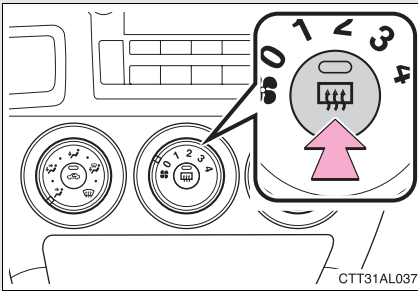
■ **To prevent battery discharge**

Do not leave the air conditioning system on longer than necessary when the engine is stopped.

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## Rear window and outside rear view mirror defoggers

#### Clear the rear window using the defogger.



#### On/off

The defoggers will automatically turn off after approximately 15 minutes.

#### ■ Outside rear view mirror defogger (if equipped)

Turning the rear window defogger on will turn the outside rear view mirror defoggers on.

#### ⚠ CAUTION

#### ■ Outside rear view mirror defogger (if equipped)

The surfaces of the outside rear view mirrors become hot. Do not touch them to prevent from burning yourself.

#### ⚠ NOTICE

#### ■ To prevent battery discharge

Do not leave the rear window defogger on longer than necessary when the engine is not running.