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INSTALL GUIDE

2021-2024 FORD BRONCO SPORT WITH B&0

ENABLE A SEAMLESS AFTERMARKET AMPLIFIER INSTALLATION, WITHOUT CHANGING YOUR RADIO.



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iDatalink Maestro A2B Amplifier Replacement Interface iDatalink Maestro A2B-AR-F05 Installation Harness

PROGRAMMED FIRMWARE: F02-A2B-AR-AS

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WIRING DIAGRAM





MODULE DIAGNOSTICS



PROGRAMMING BUTTON

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2023-2024 FORD MAVERICK WITH B&O AND 8 SPEAKERS

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PROGRAMMED FIRMWARE: F02-A2B-AR-AS

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INSTALL GUIDE

2024 FORD MUSTANG WITH 9 SPEAKERS

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WIRING DIAGRAM





MODULE DIAGNOSTICS



- PROGRAMMING BUTTON

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PROGRAMMED FIRMWARE: F02-A2B-AR-AS

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WIRING DIAGRAM





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INSTALL GUIDE

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