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This Service Information bulletin supersedes SI B13 01 07 **dated December 2007**.

NEW designates changes to this revision

SUBJECT

Fuel Injection and Induction System Cleaning

MODEL

E46 (3 Series) vehicles equipped with M54 or M56 engines

E46 (M3) vehicles equipped with S54 engine

E53 (X5) vehicles equipped with M54 engine

E53 (X5) vehicles equipped with N62 engine

E83 (X3) vehicles equipped with M54, N52 or N52K engines

E85 (Z4) vehicles equipped with M54, N52 or N52K engines

E85 (M Roadster and M Coupe) with S54 engine

E60 and E61 (5 Series) vehicles equipped with M54, N52 or N52K engines

E60 (5 Series) vehicles equipped with N62 or N62TU engines

E63 and E64 (6 Series) vehicles equipped with N62 or N62TU engines

E65 and E65 (7 Series) vehicles equipped with N62 or N62TU engines

E70 (X5) vehicles equipped with N52K engine

E70 (X5) vehicles equipped with N62TU engine

E90, E91 and E92 (3 Series) vehicles equipped with N51, N52 and N52K engines

SITUATION

Deposits found in the injection and induction system may cause the vehicle to experience a variety of drivability complaints, eventually leading to the Service Engine Soon Lamp to be illuminated. Some of the possibilities are listed below.

Fuel Injectors

Deposits at the fuel injector's tip can impact fuel flow, disturbing the air/fuel mixture ratio.

Symptoms are the following: Hesitation or stumble during acceleration or even loss of power; poor fuel efficiency; increased emissions of HC and CO; and "Service Engine Soon" light illumination due to misfire faults, or lean mixture adaptations.

Intake Valves

Deposits at the valves and on the intake manifold ports can absorb fuel during the warm-up phase, leaning out the air/fuel mixture ratio. Carbon build up may disturb the mixture flow at low throttle conditions and/or idle speeds.

Symptoms are the following: Poor drivability; loss of power; unstable and/or rough idle; increased emissions of HC, CO and NOx; and "Service Engine Soon" light illumination due to intermittent misfire faults.

Combustion Chamber

Combustion Chamber Deposit Interference (CCDI) occurs when there is contact between carbon deposits on the piston crown and the cylinder head. The noise can be confused or misdiagnosed as a ping, knock or other noises that could indicate a mechanical failure. CCDI occurs first as a cold start noise that can fade as the engine warms to operating temperature. The noise will reoccur at the next cold start. As deposits build, there is an increase in compression temperature that may cause pre-ignition detonations.

Symptoms are the following: Knocking; pinging; run-on; poor acceleration; octane requirement increase; increased emissions of NOx; and engine idle speed surges.

Depending on the manufacturer, fuels may contain various additives such as: oxidation and corrosion inhibitors; metal deactivators; emulsifiers; and anti-icing agents and dyes. In addition, they are required to include some form of an intake system deposit control package. Unfortunately, not all fuels are created equal, and some additive packages are not effective enough to maintain the integrity of the intake systems in high performance engines, or engines operating under severe environmental conditions. Even worse, the intake system deposit control additives in some fuels may actually **contribute** to the combustion chamber deposits accumulation and to the problems associated with those deposits, i.e., knock, run-on and increased emissions of oxides of nitrogen.

To remedy these complaints, the BMW Group has developed a new special tool and cleaner concentrate to clean the fuel injectors, induction system and combustion chamber of harmful deposits.

NOTE: This tool is designed to be used with low pressure fuel injection systems. This material or tool should not be applied to a vehicle utilizing the High Pressure Injection System.

[S1307U13.JPG] Fuel Injector and Induction System Cleaner Concentrate
PN 82 14 0 428 376
1 bottle, 16 fl. oz.

Fuel Injector and Induction System Cleaner Applicator Kit PN 82 14
0 429 692
This item will be shipped via the automatic Tool Shipment Program.
Refer to [SI B04 07 07](#) for complete details.

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1. Chain with hook
 2. Shop air connection
 3. Regulator
 4. Cylinder
 5. Gauge
 6. Pressure relief button
 7. Quick connect
 8. Pressure relief hose with rubber plug

Pressure Relief Button, Shutoff Valve and 40 Micron filter location

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1. Shutoff valve
 2. Pressure relief button, **NEW** replaceable if found restricted. PN 83 30 0 440 139
 3. 40 Micron Filter, replaceable if found restricted. PN 82 14 0 429 702

Kit Overview:

M56 SULEV only

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1. Pressure Adaptor PN 81 11 0 394 963 not included in kit. Refer to [SI B16 05 04](#).
 2. High Pressure Threaded Female Cap, PN 82 14 0 429 693
 3. High Pressure Threaded Male Plug, PN 82 14 0 429 696
- [S1307U08.JPG] Quick Disconnect Male Plug
PN 82 14 0 429 694
- [S1307U07.JPG] Quick Disconnect Female Cap
PN 82 14 0 429 695
- [S1307U11.JPG] Braded Line/Female Quick Disconnect
(Future Use)
PN 82 14 0 429 697
- [S1307U10.JPG] EFI Quick Disconnect Fitting (.307-32)
PN 82 14 0 429 698

EFI Quick Disconnect 90° Fitting (7/16-20)

[S1307U09.JPG] (Future Use)
PN 82 14 0 429 699

1. Bottle

[S1307U12.JPG] 2. Plastic Beaker

PN 82 14 0 429 700

[S1307U17.JPG] Applicator (replacement part only)
PN 82 14 0 429 701

[S1307U20.JPG] Clear Drain Hose Assembly (with chain and rubber plug, replacement part only)
PN 82 14 0 429 703

Refer to the attached procedures described below by model. It is recommended that two applications be made consecutively on each vehicle. If more applications are required, please contact the Technical Hotline via PuMA.

Procedure A – All vehicles equipped with the M54, N52, N51 and N52K engines

Procedure B – All vehicles equipped with the M56 (SULEV) engine

Procedure C – All vehicles equipped with the N62, N62TU and S85 engines

Procedure D – All vehicles equipped with S54 engine

IMPORTANT: Before starting the cleaning procedure, place the vehicle in a well-ventilated area. If the cleaning procedure occurs indoors, be sure to have the vehicle connected to an exhaust removal system. It is necessary to wear Nitrile rubber gloves and safety glasses during this procedure.

The shop air supply should be dried using a general purpose filtering system; the tool is not recommended for use with a lubricating system.

FINAL PROCEDURE FOR RELEASING THE VEHICLE TO THE CUSTOMER

Advise the customer that it is necessary to add one bottle of BMW Group Fuel System Cleaner Plus PN 82 14 0 413 341 with either TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline or Premium Fuel, with a minimum octane rating of AKI 91, the next time that the vehicle is refueled.

For optimum cleaning, advise the customer to add one bottle every 3,000 miles when refueling. Refer to [SI B13 05 06](#) BMW Fuel System Cleaner Plus.

More related information regarding fuel systems and fuel additives can be found in the following Service Information Bulletins:

- [SI B13 01 06](#) Alcohol Fuel Blends in BMW Vehicles
- [SI B13 02 06](#) TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline in BMW Vehicles

- [SI B13 04 06](#) Alcohol Detection Procedure
- [SI B13 07 06](#) Gasoline Quality & Detergent Additives – Customer Information Brochure

PARTS INFORMATION

Part Number	Description	Quantity
82 14 0 428 376	Fuel Injection & Induction System Cleaner Concentrate	1
82 14 0 413 341	BMW Group Fuel System Cleaner Plus	1

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Because carbon deposit build up is related to fuel quality, it cannot be considered a defect in a vehicle's materials or workmanship. Consequently, performing the BMW Group Fuel Injection & Induction System Cleaning Procedure is not covered under the terms of the BMW New Vehicle Limited Warranty or maintenance plan.

Listed below are the approximate time allowances for performing the cleaning service (two applications) on various model and engine types:

Vehicles with M54/N52/N52KP/N51 engines	10 FRU
E46 with M56 SULEV engine	7 FRU
Vehicles with N62/N62TU engines	6 FRU
Vehicles with S54 engine	6 FRU

TOOL WARRANTY INFORMATION

The use of **non-approved** materials voids the warranty of the Fuel Injector and Induction System Cleaner Applicator Kit PN 82 14 0 429 692 and its contents. All of these tools are returned for inspection. If materials causing damage to these tools have been identified, then the tool will be returned to your center and a replacement credit will not be applied. When the tools described above are returned for warranty reimbursement, the tool must be accompanied by contact information and a reason for return in the shipping carton. Using a non-approved material can lead to deterioration of the tool, resulting in incorrect operation and a possible safety concern.

The Fuel Injector and Induction System Cleaner Applicator is constructed with materials that are compatible with gasoline and the **Fuel Injector and Induction System Cleaner Concentrate PN 82 14 0 428 376 only**.

Refer to Parts Information bulletin PIB06 03 02 for tool warranty details.

ATTACHMENTS

- view PDF attachment [B130107Procedure A.](#)
- view PDF attachment [B130107Procedure B.](#)
- view PDF attachment [B130107Procedure C.](#)
- view PDF attachment [B130107Procedure D.](#)

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