

Technical Service Bulletin



01 Engine does not start in extremely cold weather

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Model(s)	Year	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment
Audi Q7	2007 - 2008	All	3.6L Engine
Audi Q7	2009	000001 - 012000	3.6L Engine

Condition

REVISION HISTORY		
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Engine does not start in extremely cold ambient temperatures.

Technical Background

If, during winter months, the vehicle is used mainly for short trips, it is possible for an excessive amount of condensed water to collect in the rear muffler.

When the condensed water level in the muffler reaches a certain point, it is possible for this water to run into the exhaust pipe and freeze overnight, preventing the engine from starting.

Production Solution

Rear muffler redesigned as of MY 2009.

Service

If you encounter this situation, please contact the Audi Technical Assistance Center for further instructions.

Warranty

This TSB is informational only and not applicable to any Audi warranty.

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Additional Information

All parts and service references provided in this TSB are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Department and service manuals for the latest information.