

19 Low coolant warning on; stone damage to intercooler radiator

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Model(s)	Year	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment	
S4, S5, S5 Cabriolet	2010-2013	All	3.0 FSI	
A6, A7	2012-2013	All	3.0 and 4.0 FSI	

Condition

REVISION HISTORY				
Revision	Date	Purpose		
3	-	Revised <i>Warranty</i> (Corrected labor operation description) Revised <i>Required Parts and Tools</i> (Updated part numbers)		
2	9/3/2013	Revised Required Parts and Tools (Added information)		
1	7/12/2013	Initial publication		

• The coolant warning light is illuminated.

• Coolant is leaking from the front intercooler radiator because of stone damage to the radiator.

Technical Background

When vehicles are driven on gravel roads, there is a greater chance of front-end stone impact damage to the intercooler radiator (Figure 1).

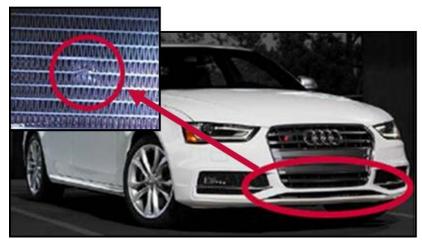


Figure 1. Damage from front-end stone impact.

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Production Solution

Beginning with CW15 2013, a protective grill has been added.

Service

- 1. Verify that the coolant is leaking from the front intercooler radiator, and that the cause is stone damage.
- 2. Replace intercooler radiator and install a radiator protective grill (Figure 2) to prevent leaking. Follow instructions in Elsa.

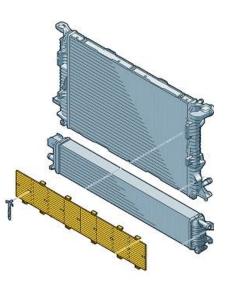


Figure 2. Radiator protective grill.

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Warranty

Claim Type:	Use 1SP claim type.				
Service Number:	1980				
Damage Code:	0010				
Labor Operations:	abor Operations: For S4, S5, S5 Cab:				
	Bumper guard remove+reinstall	6627 1900	30 TU		
	Additional radiator remove+reinstall	1980 1992	90 TU		
	For A6/S6, A7/S7 (3.0T):				
	Additional radiator remove+reinstall	1980 1941	90 TU		
	For A6/S6, A7/S7 (4.0T):				
	Additional radiator remove+reinstall	1980 1921	110 TU		
Diagnostic Time:	GFF	No allowance	0 TU		
	Road test prior to service procedure	No allowance	0 TU		
	Road test after service procedure	0121 0004	10 TU		
	Technical diagnosis at dealer's discretion (Refer to Section 2.2.1.2 and Audi Warranty Online for DADP allowance details)				
Claim Comment:	As per TSB # 2034439/3				

All warranty claims submitted for payment must be in accordance with the Audi Warranty Policies and Procedures Manual. Claims are subject to review or audit by Audi Warranty.

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Required Parts and Tools

Part number	Part Description	Quantity
8K0145804H or 4G0145804A (Check ETKA for correct part number)	Radiator	1
8K0820746C	Protective grill	1
8K0867646	Clips	9
G 012A8J1G	Coolant (as needed)	1

Additional Information

All parts and service references provided in this TSB (2034439) are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Department and service manuals for the latest information.

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