



Subject

Automatic Transmission Fluid (ATF) Pipe Bracket

Release Date

December 17, 2015

Affected Vehicles

U.S.A. & CANADA: 2014-2015 MY Volkswagen Touareg 3.0L TDI

Check Campaigns/Actions screen in Elsa on the day of repair to verify that a VIN qualifies for repair under this action. Elsa is the only valid campaign inquiry & verification source.

- Campaign status must show "open."
- If Elsa shows other open action(s), inform your customer so that the work can also be completed at the same time the vehicle is in the workshop for this campaign.

Problem Description

Over time and in rare cases, vehicle and road vibrations can cause a small automatic transmission fluid (ATF) pipe leak to occur.

Corrective Action

Install a bracket on the ATF pipe to help prevent pipe vibration.

Parts Information

Parts will be allocated prior to campaign release and will be on Upper Order Limits. If allocated parts have been used and your dealership is at the weekly Upper Order Limit, submit requests for additional parts via email to vwoaupperorderlimits@vw.com.

Code Visibility

On or about December 17, 2015, affected vehicles will be listed on the Inventory Vehicle Open Campaign Action report under My Dealership Reports (found on www.vwhub.com & OMD Web). A list will not be posted for dealers who do not have any affected vehicles.

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Owner Notification

Owner notification will take place in January 2016. Owner letter examples are included in this bulletin for your reference.

Campaign Expiration

This campaign expires on **December 31, 2018.** Repairs must be performed on or before this date to be eligible for payment. Keep this expiration date in mind when scheduling customers for this action. If a customer wishes to have this service performed after the expiration date, your dealerships normal parts and labor cost associated with this repair will apply.

Additional Information

Please alert everyone in your dealership about this action, including Sales, Service, Parts and Accounting personnel. Contact Warranty if you have any questions.

Dealers must ensure that every affected inventory vehicle has this campaign completed before delivery to consumers.

Fill out and affix Campaign Completion Label (CAMP 010 000) after work is complete. Labels can be ordered at no cost via the Compliance Label Ordering portal at www.vwhub.com.

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Claim Entry Instructions

After campaign has been completed, enter claim as soon as possible to help prevent work from being duplicated elsewhere. Attach the Elsa screen print showing action *open on the day of repair* to the repair order. If customer refused campaign work:

- ✓ <u>U.S. dealers:</u> Submit request via WISE under the *Campaigns/Update/Recall Closure* option.
- ✓ Canada dealers: Fax repair order to Warranty at (905) 428-4811.

Service Number	34G5				
Damage Code	0099				
Parts Vendor Code	WWO				
Claim Type	Sold vehicle: 7 10				
	Unsold vehicle: 7 90				
Causal Indicator	Mark bracket as causal part*				
Vehicle Wash/Loaner	Do not claim wash/loaner under this action				
Criteria I.D.	01				
	Install bracket on ATF pipe. Labor operation: 3476 23 99 40 T.U.				
	Quantity	Part Number	Description		
	1	7P0317829*	Bracket		
	2	N 90168604	Speed Nut		
	2	N 0206015	Clamp		
	2	N 10653301	Bolt		

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Customer Letter Example (USA)

<MONTH YEAR>

<CUSTOMER NAME>

<CUSTOMER ADDRESS>

<CUSTOMER CITY STATE ZIPCODE>

This notice applies to your vehicle: <VIN>

Subject: Service Action 34G5 – Automatic Transmission Fluid (ATF) Pipe Bracket

2014-2015 Model Year Volkswagen Touareg 3.0L TDI

Dear Volkswagen Owner,

As part of Volkswagen's ongoing commitment to customer satisfaction, we are informing you of our decision to conduct a service action on certain 2014-2015 model year Volkswagen Touareg 3.0L TDI vehicles. Our records show that you are the owner of a vehicle affected by this action.

What is the issue? Over time and in rare cases, vehicle and road vibrations can cause a small automatic

transmission fluid (ATF) pipe leak to occur.

What will we do? Your authorized Volkswagen dealer will Install a bracket on the ATF pipe to help

prevent pipe vibration. This work will take about an hour to complete and will be

performed for you free of charge.

What should you do? In order to limit any possible inconvenience, please contact your authorized

Volkswagen dealer as soon as possible to schedule this service. Please keep in mind that your dealer may need additional time for the preparation of the repair, as well as to accommodate their daily workshop schedule. For your convenience, you can also visit www.vw.com and click on the "Owners" link to locate a dealer near you and

schedule this service online.

This service action will be available for you <u>free of charge only until December 31, 2018.</u> If you wish to have this service performed after that date, your dealer's normal

parts and labor cost associated with this repair will apply.

Lease vehicles and address changes

If you are the lessor and registered owner of the vehicle identified in this action, please forward this letter immediately via first-class mail to the lessee within ten (10) days of receipt. If you have changed your address or sold the vehicle, please fill out the enclosed prepaid Owner Reply card and mail it to us so we can update our records.

Reimbursement of Expenses

If you have previously paid for repairs relating to the condition described in this letter, please refer to the enclosed form that explains how to request reimbursement.

Can we assist you further?

If your authorized Volkswagen dealer fails or is unable to complete this work free of charge within a reasonable time, or if you should have any questions about this communication, please don't hesitate to contact Customer CARE, Monday through Friday from 8AM to 6PM (local time) by phone at 800-893-5298. You are also welcome to e-mail or chat through the "Contact Us" page http://www.vw.com/contact/.

Checking your vehicle for open Recalls and Service Campaigns

To check your vehicle's eligibility for repair under this or any other recall/service campaign, please click on the *Look Up Recalls* link at www.vw.com and enter your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) into the *Recall/Service Campaign Lookup* tool. As always, if you have any questions or if you need additional assistance, please contact Customer CARE or your authorized Volkswagen dealer.

We apologize for any inconvenience this matter may cause; however we are taking this action to help ensure your vehicle continues to meet and exceed your expectations. Thank you for driving a Volkswagen!

Sincerely,

Volkswagen Customer Protection

Customer Letter Example (CANADA)

<MONTH YEAR>

<CUSTOMER NAME>
<CUSTOMER ADDRESS>
<CUSTOMER CITY STATE ZIPCODE>

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Volkswagen Canada

Attn: Customer Relations (34G5)

PO Box 842, Stn. A Windsor, ON N9A 6P2 1-800-822-8987

www.vw.ca

We apologize for any inconvenience this matter may cause; however we are taking this action to help ensure your vehicle continues to meet and exceed your expectations. Thank you for driving a Volkswagen!

Sincerely,

Volkswagen Customer Protection

ATTENTION!

Damages resulting from improper repair or failure to follow these work instructions are the dealer's responsibility and are not eligible for reimbursement under this action.

Required Parts

<u>Quantity</u>	Part Number	Part Description
1	7P0 317 829	Bracket
2	N 901 686 04	Speed Nut
2	N 020 601 5	Clamp
2	N 106 533 01	Bolt

Required Tools

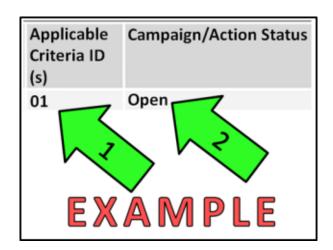


 VAG1331 – 5-50Nm Torque wrench (or equivalent)



 VAG1332 – 40-200Nm Torque wrench (or equivalent)

Work Procedure





If Campaign Completion label is present, no further work is required.

Section A - Check for Previous Repair

• Enter the VIN in Elsa and proceed to the "Campaign/Action" screen



On the date of repair, print this screen and keep a copy with the repair order.

- Ensure that the Status is "Open" <arrow 2>
- Note the Applicable Criteria ID
 <arrow 1> for use in determining the
 correct work to be done and corresponding
 parts associated

Proceed to Section B

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Section B - Install ATF Pipe Bracket

- Raise the vehicle on an appropriate hoist.
- With the vehicle slightly off the ground, turn the steering wheel all the way to the left.
- Raise the vehicle to a comfortable working height.
- Remove the starter mounting bolt <circle>.



i TIP

The transmission fluid lines and starter mounting bolt can be accessed through the right front lower wheel well area above the front differential <as shown>.

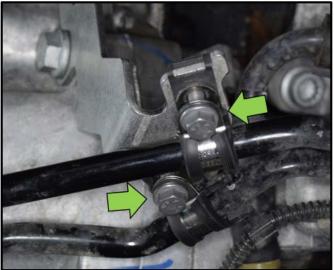


 Affix the speed nuts, P/N: N90168604 onto the bracket, P/N: 7P0317829 as shown <arrows>.

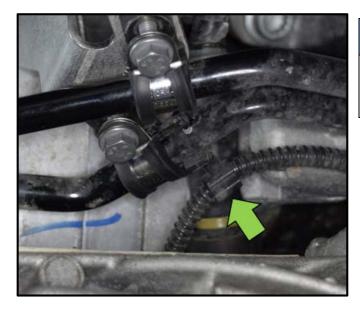
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- Place the bracket, P/N: 7P0317829 against the transmission housing as shown.
- Reinstall the starter mounting bolt <circle> and hand tighten.



- Install the clamps, P/N: N0206015 over the ATF pipes as shown.
- Install the mounting bolts, P/N: N10653301 <arrows> and hand tighten.



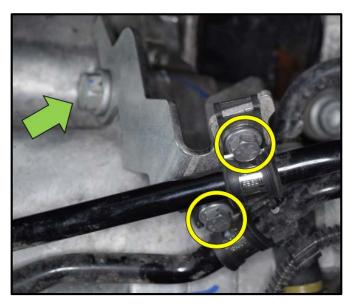


① NOTE

It may be necessary to reposition the wiring harness retaining clip <arrow> to accommodate the transmission fluid line bracket and clamps.

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- Using the VAG1332 torque wrench (or equivalent), torque the starter mounting bolt <arrow> to 60Nm.
- Using the VAG 1331 torque wrench (or equivalent), torque the clamp mounting bolts <circles> to 8Nm.
- Lower the hoist.

Work Complete - Proceed to Section C

Section C – Campaign Completion Label and Parts Return/Disposal

Install Campaign Completion Label

- Open the hood.
- Fill out and affix Campaign Completion Label, part number CAMP 010 000, next to the vehicle emission control information label.



Ensure Campaign Completion Label does not cover any existing label(s).

Close the hood.

Parts Return/Disposal

Properly destroy or dispose of removed parts in accordance with all state and local requirements, unless otherwise indicated and/or requested through the Warranty Parts Shipping Portal (WPSP) for U.S. and SAGA for Canada.

ALL WORK IS COMPLETE

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