

March 2015 Technical Service

SUBJECT

12-volt Battery Terminal Adapter Slightly Loose

MODEL

(I01) i3

SITUATION

The 12-volt battery adapter appears to be slightly loose. The cable connection on the positive or negative terminal can be slightly moved or turned.

CAUSE

It is normal for vehicles to have slight play in the adapter for battery connections.

Vehicles produced prior to April 3, 2014 may have excessive play because the mounting screw is not microencapsulated and can loosen further.

CORRECTION

Replace the mounting screw for the battery cable adapters at the terminals with micro-encapsulated screws for vehicles produced to April 3, 2014.

For vehicles produced on and after April 3, 2014, slight movement is normal and does not cause a poor connection.

PARTS INFORMATION

Part Number	Description	Quantity
07 12 9 908 730	Fillister head screw	2

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Covered under the terms of the BMW New Vehicle/SAV Limited Warranty.

Defect Code:	61 14 03 37 00	
Labor Operation:	Labor Allowance:	Description:
61 99 000	4 FRU	Work time for replacing adapter screws (Main work)
Or:		
61 99 000	2 FRU	Work time for replacing adapter screws (Plus work – Vehicle already in the workshop)
And:		
61 20 900	Refer to KSD	Disconnecting and connecting battery negative cable

A separate punch time for work time labor operation 61 99 000 is not required.

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