

00 Service info: engine oil discolored - 4.0TFSI, 4.2FSI, and 5.2FSI

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| Model(s) | Year | VIN Range | Vehicle-Specific Equipment |
|----------|-------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| S6, S7 | 2015 - 2016 | All | 4.0 TFSI |
| RS 7 | 2017 | All | 4.0 TFSI |
| A8 | 2013 - 2016 | All | 4.0 TFSI and 4.2 FSI |
| S8 | 2017 | All | 4.0 TFSI |
| R8 | 2008 - 2017 | All | 4.2 FSI and 5.2 FSI |

Condition

Customer statement:

· Engine oil is unusually discolored.

Workshop findings:

- Engine oil is discolored light yellow or ochre brown (Figure 1).
- The discoloring of the engine oil can differ slightly depending on the oil type.

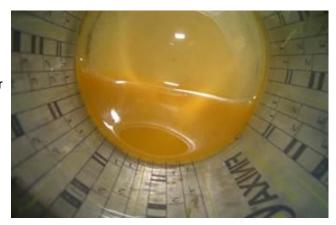


Figure 1. Discolored oil.



There may also be a reddish discoloring on the oil tank (Figure 2).

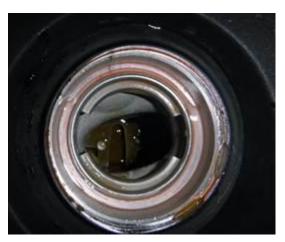


Figure 2. Reddish discoloring on R8 oil tank.

Technical Background

To increase the product quality a contrast agent is added to the oil in some engines. As a result, leaks can be detected with UV light. Adding a contrast agent does not alter the properties of the oil.

Production Solution

| Model | Engine | From |
|-----------------|------------------|------|
| A8 | 4.2 | 2013 |
| A8, S8, S8 plus | 4.0 TFSI | 2014 |
| S6, S7, RS7 | 4.0 TFSI | 2014 |
| RS7 performance | | |
| R8 | 4.2 FSI, 5.2 FSI | 2008 |

Service



With the UV leak detection lamp VAS 6201/4A or suitable equivalent a clear connection can be established.



It is not necessary to change the engine oil.



Figure 3. VAS 6201/4A tool set.

More information can be found regarding this condition in the following video: https://audi-academy.kzoplatform.com/player/medi um/910055584668063210.



Figure 4. QR Code for Supporting Video.

Warranty

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

Required Parts and Tools

| Part Number | Part Description | Quantity |
|-------------|------------------|----------|
| VAS 6201/4A | Tool set | 01 |



Additional Information

All parts and service references provided in this TSB (2048152) are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Department and service manuals for the latest information.

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