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RATTLING NOISE ORIGINATING FROM WINDSHIELD WASHER FLUID RESERVOIR

This Service Information Bulletin (Revision 1) replaces SI B61 01 24 **dated January 2024**.

What's New (Specific text highlighted):

- MODEL, Affected Option Codes 5DN and 5DW

THIS REPAIR IS MOBILE FRIENDLY

MODEL

E-Series	Model Description	Affected Option Codes
G60	5 Series Sedan, i5 Sedan	5DN (Parking assistant Plus) or 5DW (Parking assistant Professional)
G70	7 Series Sedan, i7 Sedan	

SITUATION

When driving over rough surfaces, a low-frequency rattling noise can be heard inside the vehicle's cabin. The noise typically sounds as though it is coming from the front right footwell area.

CAUSE

The washer fluid reservoir mounting hook has too much play, which allows the reservoir to vibrate and cause a noise.

CORRECTION

Replace the washer fluid reservoir.

PROCEDURE

In the event of a customer complaint, proceed as follows,



1. Inspect the washer fluid reservoir for play or looseness, check the mounting points or areas where contact may occur.

2. Confirm the source of the noise is the washer fluid reservoir.

3. If the noise is determined to originate from the reservoir, replace it with the improved part listed below. Follow the repair instructions **"Replacing the washer fluid reservoir for the washer system 61 71 065 | REP-REP-P-6171065-G60/G70 - V.1"**.

4. After performing the washer fluid reservoir installation, check for leaks; and test the functionality of the system.

PARTS INFORMATION

To determine the part number that applies to the specific vehicle being repaired, enter the VIN/chassis number into either ETK or AIR which will consider the specific equipment and/or options that are fitted to the vehicle.

Part Number	Description	Quantity
61 66 5 A3A 029	Tank window Washer System	1

CLAIM INFORMATION

Covered under the terms of the BMW New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

Defect Code:	6166013700	Washer fluid reservoir (including filler channel) Loose
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Diagnosis

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Allowance
51 00 001*	Localizing body complaint(s) (Work time), inspecting the washer fluid reservoir for play or looseness	WT FRU
Or:		
00 58 500*	Diagnosis Worktime Flat Rate	2 FRU

And, together with the applicable diagnosis above, claim the flat rate labor operation code number below that applies and obtain FRU allowance.

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Allowance
61 71 065	Replacing washer fluid reservoir for washer system (Main work)	As applicable
Or:		
61 71 565	Replacing washer fluid reservoir for washer system (Plus work)	As applicable

If you are using a Main labor operation code for another repair, then use the Plusposition labor operation code 61 71 565 instead of 61 71 065.

Work time labor operation codes 51 00 001 and 00 58 500 are not considered Main labor operations.

(*) Based on which one applies to your center, please refer to **SI B01 01 20** or **B01 07 20** for the applicable procedure for documenting, claiming, and explaining, on the RO and in the claim comments, your diagnosis work time (WT), job/repair work time (WT), and the vehicle repairs your center performed, unless otherwise required by State law.

BMW Group's AIR Application Resource for Flat Rate Labor Operation Codes

To obtain the corresponding flat rate unit (FRU) allowance information from the BMW Group AIR application resource, start by entering the Chassis Number (the last seven (7) characters of the VIN, select the applicable Model if two or more vehicle choices show), or enter the full VIN (17 characters), click on the "Search" button. Next, click on the "Flat Rate Units" button and enter the flat rate labor operation code in the field to the right, click "Search" to display the Flat Rate Unit Group detail choices.

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