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BMW 3-Series and Z4 (99-05) Includes 2006 325ci/330ci Coupe and Convertible models Haynes Online Manual.

20 Air filter replacement

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Caution:

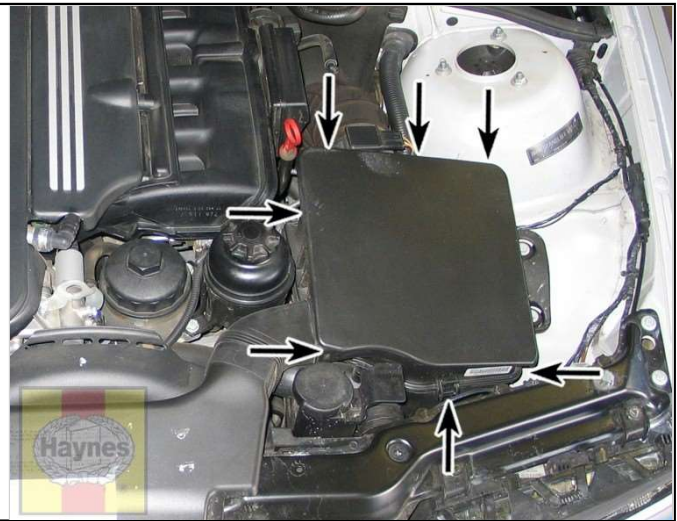
This video is for familiarization purposes only. Read below for specific information on your vehicle.

Note:

On 2003 and later models with an M56 engine, there is an additional carbon filter element fixed to the air filter housing that is not serviceable.

- 1 The air cleaner assembly is located at the front left-hand corner of the engine compartment.
- 2 Release the retaining clips on the housing and the two clips that attach the air filter housing cover to the MAF sensor.
- 3 Separate the air inlet duct from the housing cover and then remove it from the housing (see illustration) .

20.3 Release the retaining clips (most clips are hidden in photo)



4 Lift out the air filter (see illustration) .

20.4 Lift out the filter element



5 Clean the inside of the air filter housing.

6 Place the new filter in position, carefully install the housing cover and secure all retaining clips.

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