

VIDEO TUTORIAL



ⓘ Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

BMW 3 Touring (E36) 328i 2.8, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 318i 1.9, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 328i 2.8, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 320d 2.0, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 323i 2.5, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 320i 2.0, BMW 3 Coupe (E46) 323Ci 2.5, BMW 3 Coupe (E46) 328Ci 2.8, BMW X3 (E83) xDrive 20 d, BMW X3 (E83) xDrive 30 d, BMW 3 Saloon (E46) 316i 1.9, BMW 3 Touring (E46) 320i 2.0, BMW 3 Coupe (E46) 320Ci 2.0, BMW 3 Coupe (E46) 318Ci 1.9, BMW 3 Touring (E46) 318i 1.9, (+ 67)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

REPLACEMENT: POLLEN FILTER – BMW E46 TOURING. TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Torx bit T20
- Ratchet wrench
- Fender cover

BUY TOOLS

Replacement: pollen filter – BMW E46 touring. AUTODOC recommends:

- Replace the cabin filter at least once every six months, in early spring and autumn seasons.
- Follow the terms, recommendations and requirements of the part operation provided by the manufacturer.
- If the air flow into the cabin has sharply reduced, replace the filter before a scheduled maintenance.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

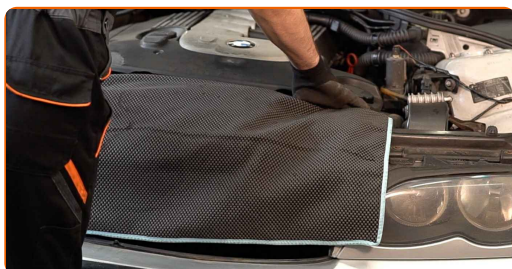
REPLACEMENT: POLLEN FILTER – BMW E46 TOURING. TAKE THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

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Open the hood.

**2**

Use a fender protection cover to prevent damaging paintwork and plastic parts of the car.



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Unscrew the fasteners of the cabin filter housing cover.



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Remove the cabin filter housing cover.



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Remove the cabin filter.



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Remove the rubber strip.



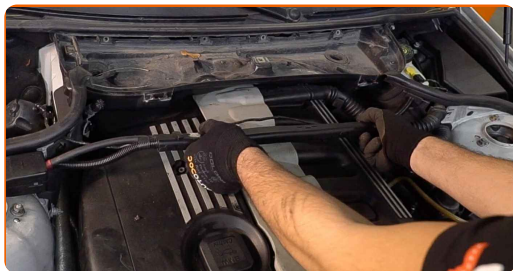
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Unscrew the filter housing fastening bolts. Use Torx T20. Use a ratchet wrench.



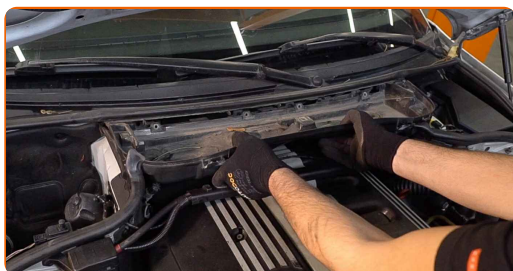
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Disconnect the wiring harness from the cabin filter housing.



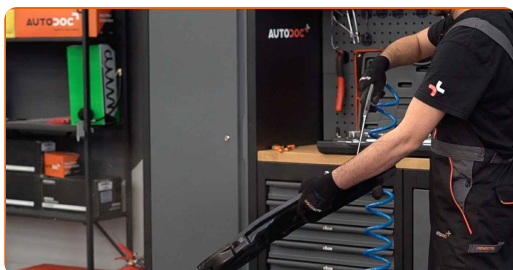
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Remove the cabin air filter housing.



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Clean the cabin filter housing and cover.

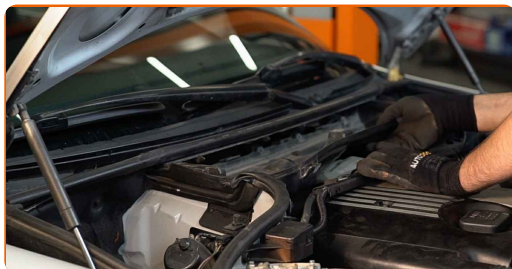


Replacement: pollen filter – BMW E46 touring. Professionals recommend:

- Remove any debris from the cabin filter housing carefully to prevent contamination of the ventilation duct.
- Do not attempt to clean and reuse the filter - it will affect the quality of air cleaning inside the car.

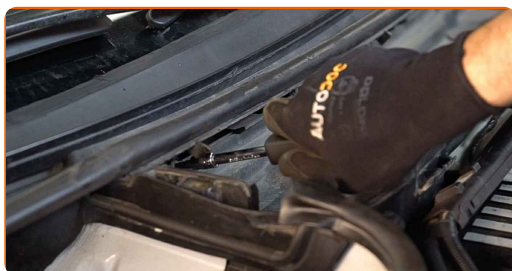
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Install the cabin air filter housing.



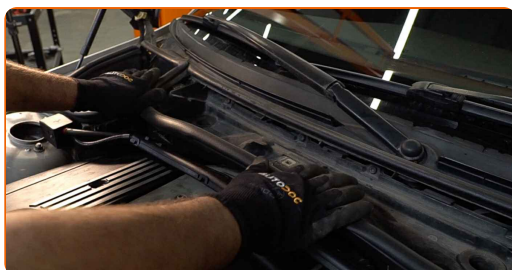
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Screw the filter housing fastening bolts. Use Torx T20. Use a ratchet wrench.



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Install the rubber strip.



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Connect the wiring harness to the cabin filter housing.



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Insert a new filter element into the filter housing. Make sure that the filter edge fits tight to the housing.



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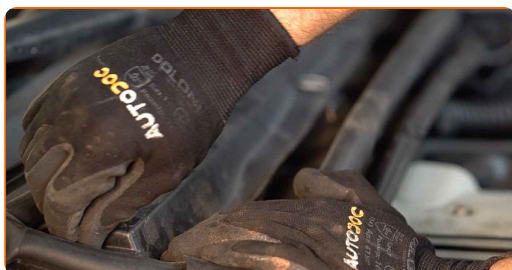
- Follow the air flow direction arrow on the filter.
- Replacement: pollen filter – BMW E46 touring. Be sure to position the filtering element correctly. Avoid misalignment.
- Take care to only use quality filters.

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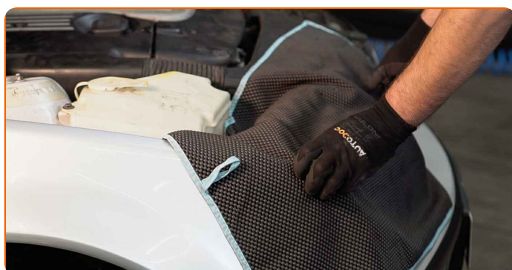
Reinstall the cabin filter housing cover.

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Screw in the fasteners of the cabin filter housing cover.

**18**

Remove the fender protection cover.



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Close the hood.



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