





## SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



This video shows the replacement procedure of a similar car part on another vehicle

# (i) Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for: BMW 1 Hatchback (E81) 118i 2.0, BMW 1 Hatchback (E81) 120i 2.0

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

This tutorial was created based on the replacement procedure for a similar car part on: BMW 3 Saloon (E90) 318i 2.0

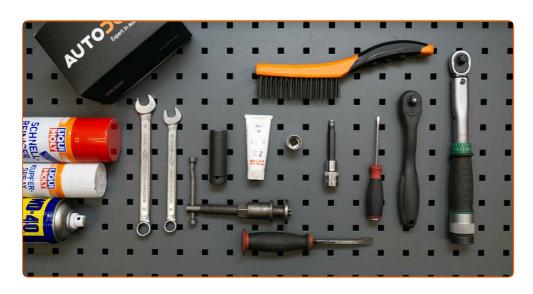
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# REPLACEMENT: BRAKE DISCS – BMW 1 HATCHBACK (E81). TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Brake caliper guide pins grease
- Copper grease
- Sealant
- Combination spanner #13
- Combination spanner #15
- Drive socket # 16

- HEX bit No.H6.
- Wheel impact socket #17
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Brake caliper wind back tool
- Flat Screwdriver
- Crow bar
- Wheel chock

**Buy tools** 

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#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Replace the brake disks on the car BMW 1 Hatchback (E81) in complete set for each axis. Regardless of the state of components. This will ensure even braking.
- The replacement procedure is identical for both brake disks on the same axle.
- When changing the brake discs, always replace the brake pads.
- Please note: all work on the car BMW 1 Hatchback (E81) should be done with the engine switched off.

## CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

- Open the bonnet. Unscrew the brake fluid reservoir cap.
- Secure the wheels with chocks.



Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.

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5 Unscrew the wheel bolts.



## AUTODOC recommends:

- Important! Hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts. BMW 1 Hatchback (E81)
- Remove the wheel.



- Clean the brake caliper fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.
- Unscrew the brake caliper fastening. Use a combination spanner #13. Use a combination spanner #15.



9 Spread the brake pads. Use a crowbar.

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10 Remove the brake caliper.



## Replacement: brake discs – BMW 1 Hatchback (E81). AUTODOC recommends:

- Tie the caliper to the suspension or to the body with a wire without disconnecting from the brake hose to prevent depressurization of the brake system.
- Make sure that the brake caliper is not hanging on the brake hose.
- Don't press the brake pedal after the brake caliper has been removed. As a result, the piston can fall out from the brake cylinder, and brake fluid leakage and depressurization of the system may occur.
- Check the brake caliper bracket, brake caliper guide pins and boots. Clean them. Replace, if necessary.

Remove the brake pads. Use a flat screwdriver.

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Remove the brake pads retaining clips. Use a flat screwdriver.

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Clean the brake caliper bracket fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



Unscrew the caliper bracket fastening. Use a drive socket #16. Use a ratchet wrench.



- Remove the fastening bolts (2 pieces).
- 16 Remove the caliper bracket.



- Clean the brake disc fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.
- Unscrew the brake disc fastening. Use HEX No.H6. Use a ratchet wrench.



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19 Remove the brake disc.



Clean the hub. Use a wire brush. Treat the contacting surface. Use copper grease.



21 Install the brake disc.

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Tighten the brake disc fastening. Use HEX No.H6. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 16 Nm torque.



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Clean the brake caliper bracket from dirt and dust. Use a wire brush. Use a brake cleaner.



#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Replacement: brake discs BMW 1 Hatchback (E81). After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.
- Remove the guide pins from the brake caliper.



Clean the brake caliper guide pins. Use a brake cleaner.

# Replacement: brake discs – BMW 1 Hatchback (E81). Tip from AUTODOC:

- After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.
- Treat the brake caliper guide pins. Use the brake caliper guide pin grease.

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Screw in the guide pins.



Treat the fastening bolts. Use a wire brush. Use a sealant.



Install the brake caliper bracket.



- 30 Install the fastening bolts (2 pieces).
- Tighten the brake caliper bracket. Use a drive socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 65 Nm torque.



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Install the brake pads retaining clips.



Install the brake pads. Use a flat screwdriver.



Treat the brake caliper piston. Use a brake cleaner.



#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

 Replacement: brake discs – BMW 1 Hatchback (E81). After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.

Press in the brake caliper piston. Use brake caliper wind back tool.



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