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How to change fuel filter on **SEAT Exeo ST (3R5)** – replacement guide







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

# i Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for: SEAT Exeo ST (3R5) 1.6

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: SEAT Leon Hatchback (1M1) 1.8 20V

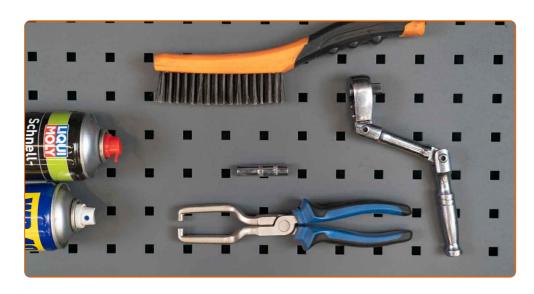
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# REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER – SEAT EXEO ST (3R5). TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- All-purpose cleaning spray
- Drive socket #7

- Ratchet wrench
- Fuel line pliers
- Fluid container

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### Replacement: fuel filter – SEAT Exeo ST (3R5). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- Ensure adequate ventilation of the workplace. Fuel vapors are poisonous.
- Warning! Shut down the engine before starting any work SEAT Exeo ST (3R5).

## CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

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Open the fuel door.



2 Unscrew the fuel filler cap.



- Lift the car using a jack or place it over an inspection pit.
- Clean the fuel filter mounting bracket. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



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Prepare a container for fluids.



6 Disconnect the parking brake cable.

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Loosen the fuel filter fasteners. Use a drive socket #7. Use a ratchet wrench.



Clean the fasteners of the fuel supply lines. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



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Disconnect the fuel supply lines from the fuel filter. Use fuel line pliers.



# Replacement: fuel filter – SEAT Exeo ST (3R5). AUTODOC recommends:

• Be careful! Fuel may leak from the filter housing and hoses.

10 Remove the fuel filter.

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Clean the fuel lines. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



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12 Install a new fuel filter.



### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Make sure that the fuel filter is positioned correctly. Consider the fuel flow direction mark.
- During installation, take care to prevent dust and dirt from getting into the fuel filter housing.

Connect the fuel lines to the fuel filter.

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Screw in the fuel filter mounting bracket. Use a drive socket #7. Use a ratchet wrench.



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Secure the parking brake cable.



Take the fluid container away from under the fuel filter.



- Lower the car.
- 18 Tighten the fuel filler cap.



Close the fuel door.



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### Replacement: fuel filter - SEAT Exeo ST (3R5). Professionals recommend:

- Before starting off, switch the ignition on and off several times. This should be done to activate the fuel pump to make it pump fuel through the fuel system.
- Run the engine for a few minutes.

#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- This is necessary in order to make sure that the component operates properly.
- 21 Shut off the engine.

# Replacement: fuel filter – SEAT Exeo ST (3R5). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

• To protect the environment from pollution, be sure to dispose of the used filters at special collection points.



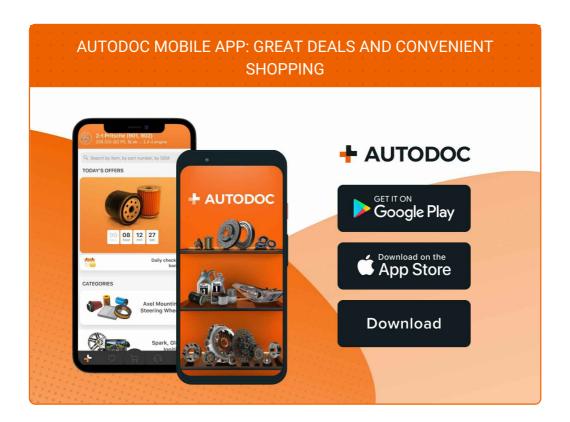
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