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How to change spark plugs on **VW New Beetle Hatchback (9C1, 1C1)** – replacement guide



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(i) Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for: VW New Beetle Hatchback (9C1, 1C1) 2.0, VW New Beetle Hatchback (9C1, 1C1) 1.6, VW New Beetle Hatchback (9C1, 1C1) 1.8 T

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: VW Lupo (6X1, 6E1) 1.0





- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Electronic spray
- High-temperature anti-seize lubricant
- Torque wrench

- Drive socket # 10
- Spark plug socket # 16
- Ratchet wrench
- Fender cover



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Detach the connector from the ignition coil.





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Clean the ignition coil bolts. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.





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Unscrew the ignition coil bolts. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench.



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Remove the ignition coil.



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Clean dirt, dust and debris from inside the spark plug wells.



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Unscrew the spark plugs. Use the spark plug socket #16. Use a ratchet wrench.





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Take out the spark plugs.



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Apply a thin layer of a special high temperature anti-seize lubricant to the threads of the new spark plugs.



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Install the new spark plugs into their mounting seats.



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Screw new spark plugs and tighten them. Use the spark plug socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 25 nm torque.



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- Don't tighten the plugs with excessive force. Exceeding tightening torque can damage the thread connection.
- Be careful when working with a spark plug wrench. Its skewing can cause damage to the threaded connection.
- Lower the spark plugs into the wells carefully, making sure not to damage the electrode gap.



Install the ignition coil.



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Tighten the ignition coil bolts. Use a drive socket #10. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 8 Nm torque.



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Treat the ignition coil connector with electronic spray. The spray will protect the electrical contacts from corrosion, oxidation, and will reduce the contact resistance.



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Plug in the ignition coil connector.

Remove the fender protection cover.





Close the hood.

Shut off the engine.

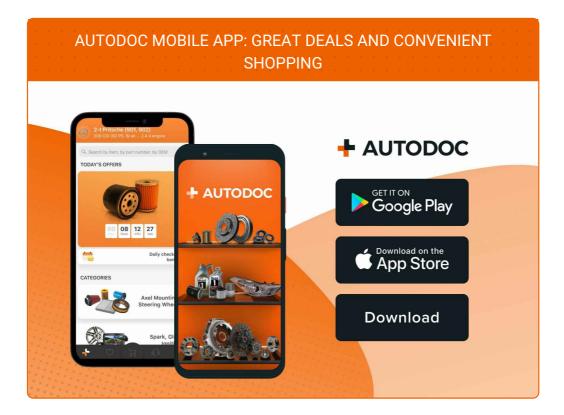


Run the engine for a few minutes. This is necessary in order to make sure that the component operates properly.

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