



How to change fuel filter  
on **VW Passat B5 GP**  
**Saloon (3BG, 3B3)** –  
replacement guide

## SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



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

### **Important!**

This replacement procedure can be used for:  
VW Passat B5 GP Saloon (3BG, 3B3) 2.3 V5 4motion

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 Transporter T4 Van (70A, 70H, 7DA, 7DH) 2.5 TDI

REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER – VW PASSAT B5 GP  
SALOON (3BG, 3B3). LIST OF THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:



- Phillips screwdriver
- Flat Screwdriver
- Fender cover

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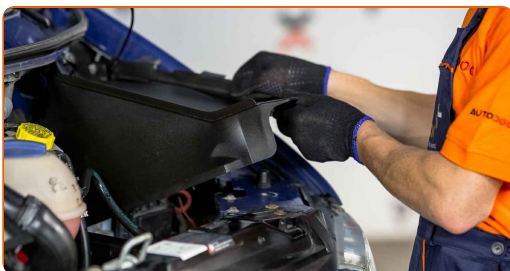
- Ensure adequate ventilation of the workplace. Fuel vapors are poisonous.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

## REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER – VW PASSAT B5 GP SALOON (3BG, 3B3). RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STEPS:

**1** Open the bonnet.

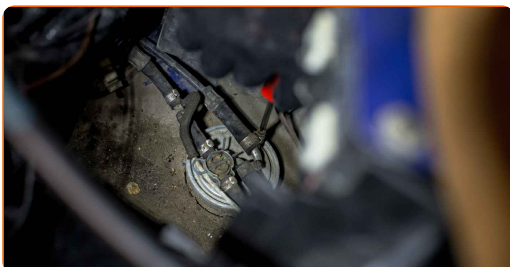
**2** Use a fender protection cover to prevent damaging paintwork and plastic parts of the car.

**3** Remove the battery cover.



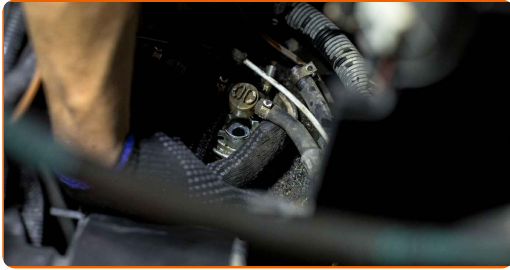
**4** Remove the retainers of the fasteners of the fuel filter tubes. Use a flat screwdriver.

**5** Loosen the fastening clamps of the fuel filter pipes. Use a Phillips screwdriver. Use a flat screwdriver.



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Detach the tubes from the fuel filter.

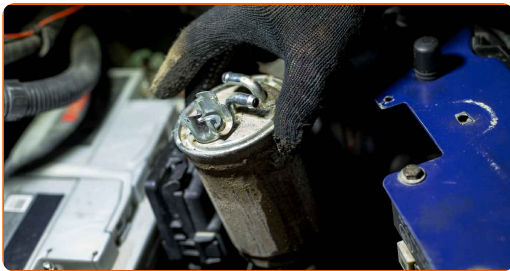


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- Be careful! Fuel may leak from the filter housing and hoses.

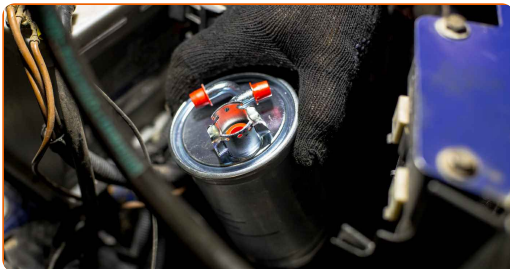
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Remove the fuel filter.



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Install a new fuel filter.



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- 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.
- Take care to only use quality filters.

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Attach the tubes to the fuel filter.

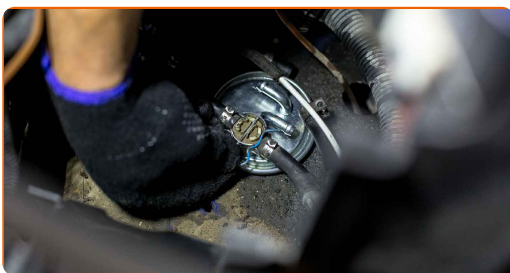


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Tighten the fastening clamps of the fuel filter pipes. Use a Phillips screwdriver.

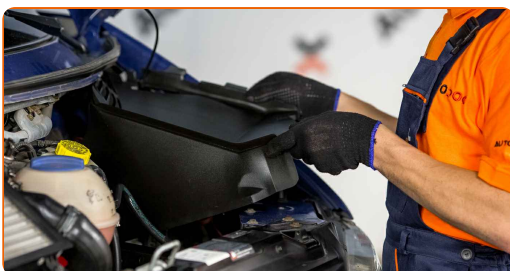
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Install the retainers of the fasteners of the fuel filter tubes.



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Install the battery cover.



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Remove the fender protection cover.

**14** Close the hood.

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

**16** Shut off the engine.

Replacement: fuel filter – VW Passat B5 GP Saloon (3BG, 3B3). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- Before the start be sure to bleed the fuel system to prevent the air inleakage.
- To protect the environment from pollution, be sure to dispose of the used filters at special collection points.

**WELL DONE!** 

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