



Preload on BMW 5-series E60/E61 6-series E63/E64 7-series E65/E66 TCA

Problem:

Oil leak under front suspension and/or knocking noises at the front end of the car

Cause:

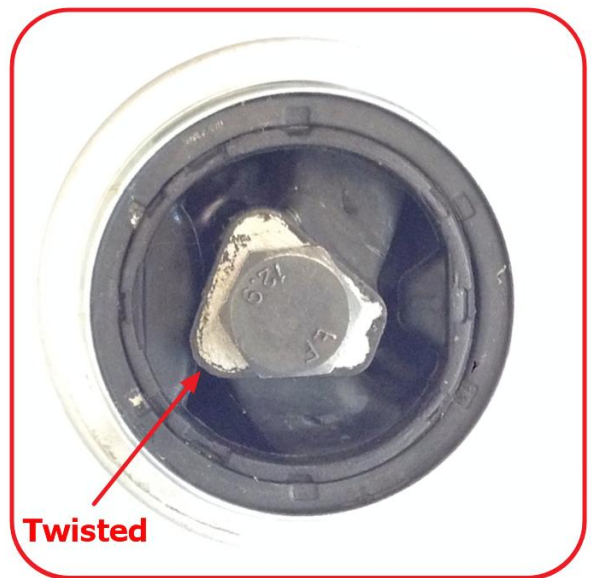
The center part of the silent-block was tightened in a wrong angle, while the car was not resting on its wheels.

Consequence:

Due to the wrong position of the center, there is friction between the inner part and the ring with the rubber bumps, that ring gets loose, the resistance of the silentblock diminishes and the rubber gets damaged until hydraulic oil escapes.

Solution:

Always make sure to tighten the silent-block bolts of traction arms when the suspension is in its normal operating situation.



Concerning Sidem parts: 21474,21475, 21252,21253, 21570, 21571