

Oil qualities for the S62 engine of the BMW Z8

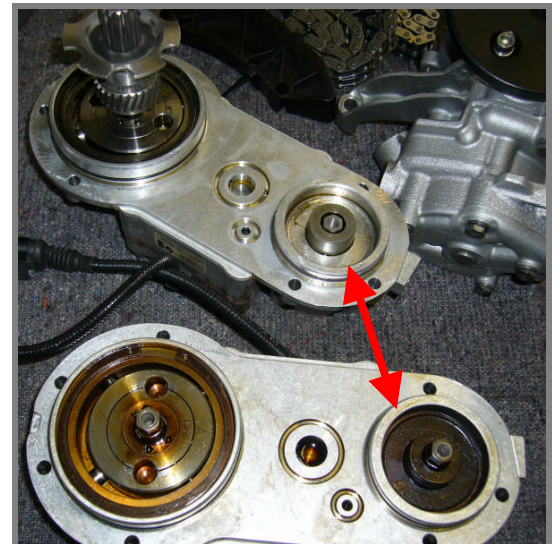


One reason why it was necessary to rebuild the engines of some vehicles is the accumulated very high mileage. It has become obvious that the S62 engine reacts very sensitive to the “different qualities” of oil. BMW does recommend the exclusive use of Castrol TWS 10W – 60. A complete list of the entire range of oils which BMW “allows” the use of is available at every BMW dealer. BMW recommends the use of Castrol TWS 10W-60 for the S62 engine in the Z8, for the entire period of production after Longlife-01 and Longlife-98. BMW updates this list with the appearance of each new TIS-version (BMW-internal “Technical-Information-System”) by adding the new products. Castrol TWS is (normally) not available in stores.

Because of what we currently know, we urgently recommend the use of Castrol TWS 10W - 60 in the Z8, for all vehicles and throughout the entire production period!

The photo depicts two VANOS units. Castrol TWS motor oil was used for the top one and a different oil was used for the bottom one.

The difference in regard to sedimentation is unequivocal.



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