

Bimmerboard How-Tos

E38 99-01 Xenon bulb replacement by Jeff Chia

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Tools required

Flat Screw driver

10mm socket

Optional 6mm socket

Replacement D2S Xenon lo beam bulb PN 63 21 7 160 806

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Remove upper air box

1. Remove clamp on secondary air pump hose, pull hose off air box– use screwdriver or 6mm socket (easier)
2. Disconnect sensor clip – press in metal clip and pull off
3. Disconnect MAF Sensor – twist off
4. Disconnect 4 air filter box clips – use screwdriver and lever off
5. Remove clamp on intake boot
6. Lift wire off clip
7. Remove the upper air box





Remove lower air box

- 8. Unscrew this 10 mm bolt
- 9. Loosen the 6 mm clamp
- 10. Lift the lower air box out



Remove xenon bulb

11. Remove the boot covering the bulb



12. Twist red connector anti-clockwise

Pull it out. Stuff some paper into the two opening, to prevent dropping tools or the bulb in them.



13. Twist the bulb holder anti-clockwise and pull out.

Note the orientation of the bulb for re- installation



View of where the bulb goes with everything removed.

Note the notch in the hole, to orientate the bulb for re- installation.



View of bulb and holder.



Put in your new bulb and test it first before putting everything back.
Remove paper you stuff in the intake holes.

Re-install in reverse order and you are done.