

# Technical Bulletin

Model(s)	Year	Eng. Code	Trans. Code	VIN Range From	VIN Range To
All VW Models Including 2015 Golf/GTI (A7) (except Routan)	1996-2015	All	All	All	All

## Condition

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### Exterior Lights, Moisture Accumulation

Condensation and or water droplets visible on inside of exterior light lenses.

**Note:**

Condensation does not affect performance of light assemblies.

## Technical Background



Exterior light assemblies (headlights, taillights, fog lights, turn signals) are vented and may collect moisture on their inner surfaces, depending on humidity and climatic conditions. The unfavorable condensation built up (Figure 1) visible to the customer is more common with modern exterior lights because of clear glass optics, however this condition will not have an impact on the functionality or durability of the component.



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## Production Solution

No Production Change required.

## Service

For headlights, the affected lens surface should be clear after approx. 30 minutes of light operation.

In cases where larger water droplets have formed on the inside of the lens or significant amount of water has collected at the bottom of a light assembly:

- Check for leaking seals, cracks in lenses or assemblies.

**DO NOT** replace light or lens assemblies unless damage is found.

If damage to seals or cracks to lenses or assemblies are found:

- Follow normal repair procedures for this type of failure (provide a photograph, if possible, with repair documentation for verification).

If no damage is found:

- Use compressed air (less than 30 PSI ) to blow out the lens.

## Warranty

Information only.

## Required Parts and Tools

No Special Parts required.

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## Additional Information

**All part and service references provided in this Technical Bulletin are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Dept. and Repair Manuals for the latest information.**