

## BMW Quality Longlife-04

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- Situation:** The launch of the E90 and E87 with diesel particulate filter, makes a new engine oil BMW Longlife-04 absolutely essential. The function of the diesel particulate filter and low fuel consumption can only be guaranteed for the vehicle's entire service life if BMW Longlife-04 engine oil is used.
- Effect:** A new type of additive in the engine oil means that less ash is formed during combustion and thus prevents the diesel particulate filter from becoming blocked with ash deposits.
- Affected vehicles:** This engine oil is unambiguously specified for diesel engines with diesel particulate filter. However, it also satisfies the requirements of spark-ignition engines. Longlife-04 engine oil specifications include the requirements of Longlife-01 and Longlife-98.
- Longlife-04 oils are only approved for spark-ignition engines in Europe (EU plus Switzerland, Norway and Liechtenstein). They must not be used outside this area.
- Procedure:** For further information, please refer to BMW Operating Fluids Service Information bulletin "Specified engine oils for BMW Group engines" (Enclosure 3) .