



Driver / Owner Instructions

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Warning :

Failure to comply with these instructions will invalidate all warranty claims.

Warning

Catalytic converters are a “fitted for life product”. If it has failed there will be a reason for the failure. Unless the cause of the original failure has been addressed and rectified the new unit will also fail.

We strongly recommend that a new lambda sensor be fitted when a catalytic converter is replaced for any reason.

Important points

Thank you for choosing a Fuel Parts UK catalytic converter. Your new converter is covered by a two year or 20,000 mile warranty and has been constructed using materials, technology and procedures to ensure that it will provide good service in excess of this time period.

The catalytic converter is an integral part of your vehicles engine emission control system and can be damaged if part of that system fails. The reverse of this booklet includes technical information to ensure the technician fitting your converter has diagnosed the fault that caused your original converter to fail.

The catalytic converter on your vehicle should not have failed, they are generally designed to last the life of the vehicle. If it fails there is always a reason behind this failure.

Please confirm with the fitting station that the correct initialisation procedure, as outlined in this booklet has been followed.

Looking after your catalytic converter

Catalytic converters are not the same as a conventional exhaust component, where its only enemy is corrosion. It is a component that can easily be affected/damaged by other components. In most cases components within the engine management system.

Your primary concern with preserving the life of your catalytic converter is to ensure that your vehicle is correctly maintained/serviced at all times. Worn service items contribute significantly to the failed converter statistics.

Any misfires, flat spots, poor performance or abnormal running occurrences should be brought to the attention of your garage as soon as they occur, as should the indication of any dashboard warning lights denoting an engine management failure. Ignoring such warnings could seriously damage your catalytic converter.

Short journeys can contribute towards a short catalytic converter life. Unless the vehicle reaches normal operating temperature (not necessarily as indicated by the water temperature gauge) on a journey the converter will become blocked/restricted and lead to premature failure.

Driving through floods/fords with the converter at operating temperature can cause a "thermal shock" situation, leading to premature converter failure.

What the warranty covers

The Fuel Parts UK catalytic converter two year warranty guarantees the part is free from defect of construction or materials used and is valid from the installation date.

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The warranty specifically excludes, but is not limited to failures or damage due to Emission faults, either as a result of an incorrectly tuned/maintained engine or as a result of modifications made that allow the engine/vehicle to operate out of normal manufacturing limitations.

Physical damage as a result of direct or indirect impact, quenching or stress due to a mounting related fault.

Faults/damage as a result of fitting/installation errors or omissions.

Failure due to negligence accidents or mishap.

The warranty shall be considered void If the converter/exhaust system has been modified. Exhaust fitting/sealing paste has been used in the installation or if the converter is not fitted to the correct vehicle, for which it was catalogued/designed for.

The warranty does not cover any consequential losses that occur as a result of the converter failing, such as , but not limited to labour costs, hire car charges, loss of earnings etc.

Completing the Warranty Certificate

The warranty certificate is designed to cover all the necessary information that is required to ensure that your new converter is not in jeopardy of immediate failure.

It is important to fully complete the warranty certificate as all fields are critical when assesing a converter failure. Failure to do so could affect any future warranty claims.

You can, if you wish, register your warranty certificate online if it does not have an online registration number. Logon to www.fpuk.co.uk/technical/warranty.htm Complete the online form with the details from the enclosed certificate and click on the send button. Your Warranty will be acknowledged by email.

Contact Information

If you require any further information about this product please call one of the numbers below.

The Technical Support Line..... 01527 835555

The Bulletin Hotline.....01527 839393