

DRAFT OF REGISTERED MAIL LETTER

RECALL CAMPAIGN 5333

**Models FIAT Linea / Albea / 500 / G.Punto / Idea with 1.2 / 1.4 8V petrol engines and Fiat G. Punto 1.4 8V Natural Power.
- petrol manifold**

Dear Client,

We are writing to inform you that some **Fiat Linea / Albea / 500 / G.Punto / Idea / vehicles with 1.2 / 1.4 8V petrol engines and Fiat G.Punto 1.4 8V Natural Power** vehicles, including the one purchased by you, may have non-compliant petrol manifolds due to non-compliant manufacture.

Because this fault could affect the safety of your car, we should be grateful if you would have it checked by taking it back to the dealer you bought it from or, if more convenient, to any other **Fiat dealership**, and show them this letter.

The inspection and any operation that may be necessary to prevent the fault, will be performed as quickly as possible and free of charge.

For your convenience, you may make a telephone appointment by contacting your nearest **Fiat Dealership**.

Should you require any further information or assistance please call Freephone no.
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If you have already sold or lent your vehicle to someone else, we should be grateful if you could let us know their name and address using the enclosed prepaid card and provide us with any information that could help us trace the current owner or user.

We thank you for your cooperation in this matter and apologise for any inconvenience.
Yours sincerely.

Vehicle **Fiat Linea/Albea/500/G.Punto/Idea**

chassis no.....



Automobiles and
Light Commercial Vehicles



Turin, 10 October 08

CAMPAIGN 5333 – Recall Campaign

**Linea-Albea-500-GPunto-Idea models with 1.2/1.4 8V EVO and 1.4 EVO CNG engines
- fuel manifold (VERIFICATION PROCEDURE)**

On several lots of **Fiat Linea, Albea, 500, GPunto** and **Idea** vehicles with engines indicated above, whose chassis numbers are detailed in the table below, the petrol manifold may not be compliant.

MODEL	SINCOM:	PLANT	FROM CHASSIS NO. :	TO CHASSIS NO.
Fiat Linea	110	Tofas	3086035	3089455
Fiat Albea	172	Tofas	6475290	6475514
Fiat 500	150	Fiat Poland	202179	223226
Fiat Grande Punto	199	SATA Melfi	245322	473188
			1399865	1462107
Fiat Idea	135	Mirafiori	187243	189185

it is therefore essential to carry out the attached check procedure before delivery (annex 2), in order to release compliant vehicles.

Instructions will follow shortly for non-compliant vehicles.

Block on customer handovers no P.582/08 of 09.10.08 has already been implemented.



Fiat Group Automobiles S.p.A.

Customer Services
Technical Service

MODEL: G.PUNTO, 500, Idea, Albea, Linea
VERSION: 1.2 8v EVO – 1.4 8v EVO – 1.4 8v CNG
COMPONENT: Injector manifold
FAULT: non-compliance
DATE: 09/10/2008

FAULT TO BE PREVENTED:

Injector manifold non-compliance

TECHNICAL CAUSE:

Wall thickness non-compliant due to supplier's manufacturing process

PRODUCTION MEASURES:

Installation of compliant parts guaranteed

PROPOSED OPERATION

PREVENTIVE INTERVENTION:

Check for the presence of a BLUE, YELLOW or GREEN stamp on the throttle body connector.
If present the vehicle is compliant and may be released.

Check the press number on the injector manifold fastening tab on the side where the fuel pipe quick-coupling is attached.

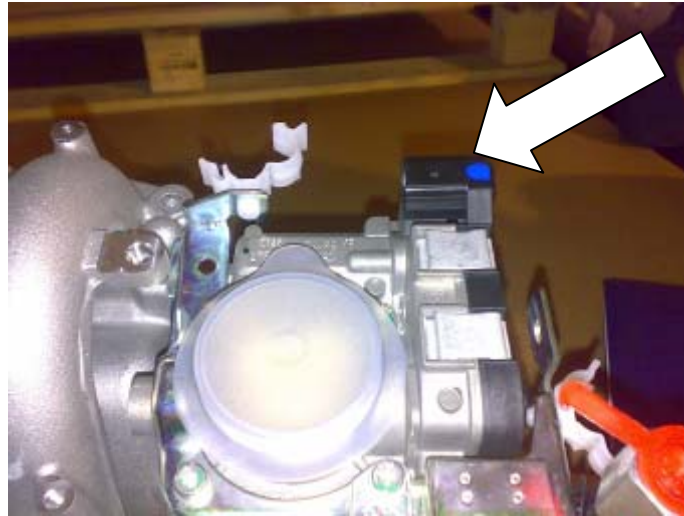
If the number is "2", the vehicle is compliant and may be released.

If the number is "1", the vehicle is not compliant must be blocked to await instructions.

INTERVENTION CYCLE

Working in the engine compartment, proceed as follows:

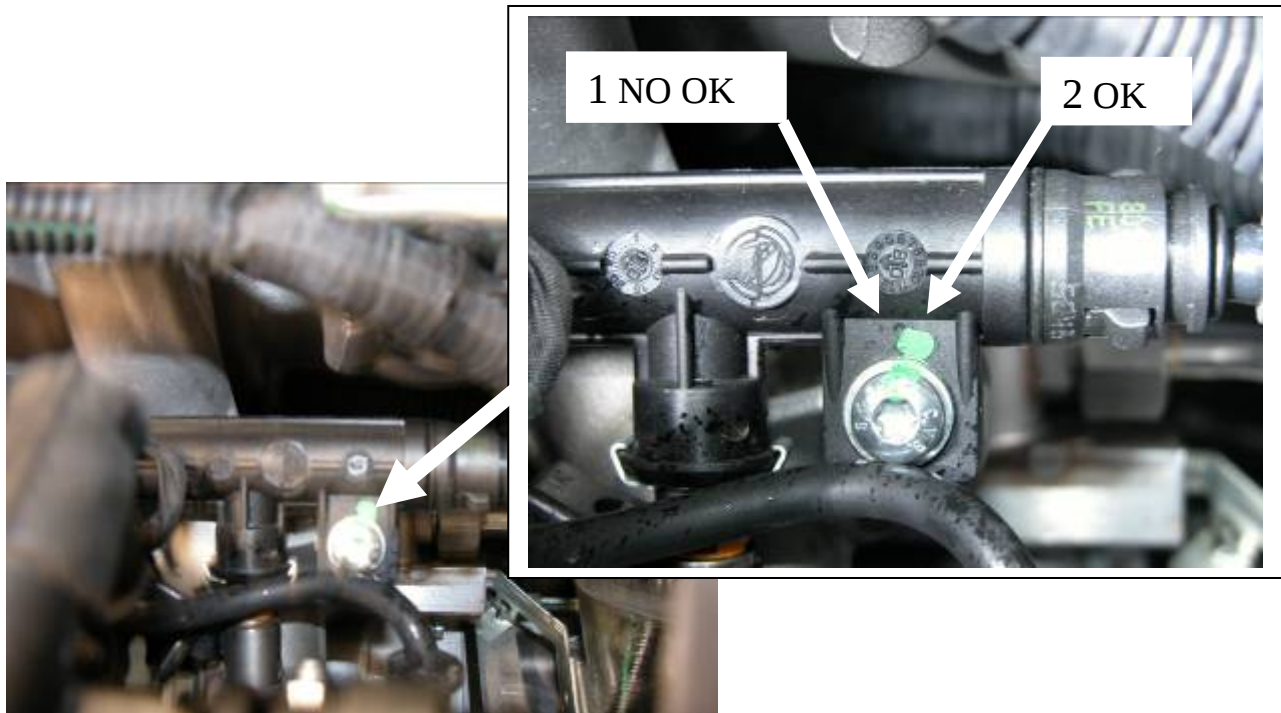
Check for the presence of a BLUE, YELLOW or GREEN stamp on the throttle body connector.



- If present the vehicle is compliant and may be released.
 - If this is not present, the vehicle is not compliant. In this case, proceed as follows:
- Remove the air filter casing assembly.



Check the press number on the injector manifold fastening tab on the side where the fuel pipe quick-coupling is attached.

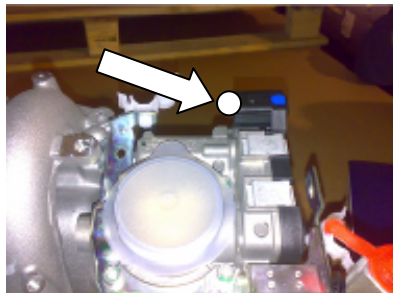


If the number is “2”, the vehicle is compliant and may be released.

If the number is “1”, the vehicle is not compliant must be blocked to await instructions.

IDENTIFICATION OF OPERATION:

White paint spot on the throttle body connector near the blue , yellow or green mark, if present.



INTERVENTION TIME

0.20 (check)

MANAGEMENT OF PARTS REMOVED DURING SERVICE

None

CAMPAIGN 5333 – Recall Campaign

Fiat Linea-Albea-500-GPunto-Idea and Lancia models with 1.2/1.4 8V EVO and 1.4 EVO CNG engines

- fuel manifold (VERIFICATION PROCEDURE)

SUMMARY OF OPERATING PROCEDURE

a) Total number of vehicles involved in the operation

The campaign affects all vehicles with chassis numbers entered in SIGI upon campaign activation.

b) Identification of affected vehicles

- vehicles assigned to you - please consult your PC for the archive of chassis numbers involved in this campaign vehicles assigned to you
- vehicles in transit
 - Before carrying out the operation check :
 - 1) with a SIGI inquiry to see if the chassis is subject to the campaign;
 - 2) the presence of any identification marks to confirm that the campaign has already been carried out

c) Parts required

None

d) Financial process

The costs to be sustained for:

- labour, according to the time shown in the attached procedure
- - material that Ricambi Volvera will supply to you (the refund is granted according to the refund conditions specified when the intervention is carried out)
- miscellaneous expenses (phone, post, etc.) should be charged to campaign 5333 by making a normal Claim and entering the costs under the following Expense Items :

A 01 = Labour and parts

A 10 = Miscellaneous expenses



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Turin, 14.10.08

To **FIAT GROUP FOREIGN AFFILIATIONS**
Automobiles/ ITALIAN MARKET
For the attention of **Technical Service Managers**

Importers
For the attention of **Ing. Saettone**

CAMPAIGN 5333 – Recall Campaign

**Fiat Linea, Albea, 500, GPunto, Idea models with 1.2/1.4 8V EVO and 1.4 EVO CNG engines
- petrol manifold**

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It will therefore be necessary to service vehicles before delivery in the case of cars in stock, and contact, via the attached registered mail letter (annex 1), customers owning cars that have already been delivered. Operate in accordance with the enclosed cycle (annex 3) in order to update all vehicles.

A pre-campaign has already been issued with the checking cycle P.585/08 of 10.10.08.

We also enclose instructions for the procedure to be followed for the practical implementation of the operation by Dealers (annex 4).

Yours sincerely

A. Milizia

Attachments

Annex 3



Fiat Group Automobiles S.p.A.

Customer Services
Technical Service

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COMPONENT: Injector manifold
FAULT: non-compliance

RECALL CAMPAIGN

FAULT TO BE PREVENTED:

Injector manifold non-compliance

TECHNICAL CAUSE:

Wall thickness non-compliant due to supplier's manufacturing process

PRODUCTION MEASURES:

Installation of compliant parts guaranteed

OPERATING PROCEDURE

PREVENTIVE INTERVENTION:

Repair procedure for blocked cars with replacement of injector manifold.

INTERVENTION CYCLE

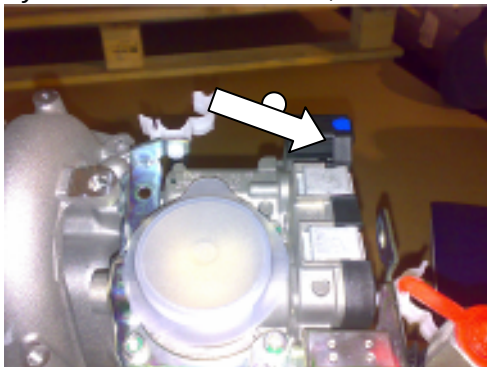
Working in the engine compartment, proceed as follows:

Note: the air filter box has already been removed during the check cycle.

- Replace the injector manifold with **part. 55195806** as described in operation 1056 B 60.
- Fit the parts by reversing the removal instructions.

IDENTIFICATION OF OPERATION:

White paint mark on throttle body connector near **BLUE, YELLOW** or **GREEN** mark, if present.



PARTS LOCATION

Injector manifold part no. **55195806** Qty. 1

With regards to Campaign 5333 Please be advised that only breakdown request orders with associated VOR Tickets will be accepted.

INTERVENTION TIME

Operation B: Injector manifold replacement operation Labour: **0.40**

MANAGEMENT OF PARTS REMOVED DURING SERVICE

FOR ITALIAN MARKET:

THE PARTS REMOVED DURING SERVICE WILL INDICATED ON THE D.R.S REQUESTS AND SHOULD BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

FIAT GROUP AUTOMOBILES S.p.A. - SERVIZIO RESI DA RETE - CORSO UNIONE SOVIETICA 460 - RICEVIMENTO MERCI MIRAFIORI – PORTA 14 - 10135 – TORINO

(you will be charged for the parts if you fail to return them)

Abroad:

The local FGA service department will provide references for returning parts removed during service.

Annex 4

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Fiat Linea, Albea, 500, GPunto, Idea models with 1.2/1.4 8V EVO and 1.4 EVO CNG engines

- petrol manifold

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- vehicles allocated to you – refer to the file containing chassis numbers subject to the campaign present in your PC vehicles assigned to you
- vehicles in transit
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 - 2) with a SIGI inquiry to see if the chassis is subject to the campaign;
 - 2) the presence of any identification marks to confirm that the campaign has already been carried out

d) Parts required

Injector manifold part no. **55195806** Qty. 1

The Parts department will supply you with the above components when you put in a specific order.

With regards to Campaign 5333 Please be advised that only breakdown request orders with associated VOR Tickets will be accepted.

d) Financial process

The costs to be sustained for:

- labour in accordance with the enclosed time schedule
- material to be supplied to you by the Volvera Parts department (the payment will be made according to the repayment terms specified at the time of the operation)
- miscellaneous expenses (phone, post, etc.) to be charged to campaign **5333** by making a normal Claim and entering the costs under the following Expense Items :

A 01 = Labour and parts
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