Cylinder liner variations

- Cast-in pipes with:
  - Shape Round cross-section and two bends
  - Shape Oval cross-section and one bend
- Bore cooled liner
- Slim liner
- Lubricating holes tangential
- Lubricating holes radial
- Short length for high topland
- Long length for low topland
- Differently situated O-rings
- Different numbers of lubricating holes
- Material tarkalloy - A
- Material tarkalloy - C
- Material cast Iron
- Scavenge ports different heights

A lot of possibilities to receive wrong deliveries from unguenuine suppliers.

Genuine suppliers: MBD-C and Engine builder.

Cylinder liners

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First generation MC

Cast-in cooling pipes

“Slim line”

Bore cooled
Cylinder liner, 98MC/MC-C

Original design
Expected lifetime 80,000 hours.

MBD-C produced liner
- Always made according to latest design
- Lower part of liner has been modified to reduced mean stress and stress amplitude
- Wave-cut and semi-honed surfaces

MBD-C supply
- Ensures correct liner material for the original piston ring pack
- Ensures correct port height
- Ensures correct angle and number of lubricating holes
Cylinder liner
90MC/MC-C, 80MC/MC-C

Original design
90MC/MC-C expected lifetime 80,000 hours.
80MC/MC-C expected lifetime 70,000 hours.

Liners produced by MBD Copenhagen
Always made according to latest design.
**MBD-C produced liners**

All types with wave cut and semi-honed surfaces.

Cast-in in cooling pipes with oval cross-section and one bend.

**MBD-C supply**

- Ensures correct liner material for the original piston ring pack.
- Ensures correct port height.
- Ensures correct angle and number of lubricating holes.
**Original design**

70 MC/MC-C expected lifetime 70,000 hours.

60 MC/MC-C expected lifetime 60,000 hours.

**MBD-C produced liners**

Always made according to latest design.

Bore-cooled liner with correct number of cooling bores (increased from 24 to 30 for S type).
**MBD-C produced liners**

All types with wave cuts and semi honed surfaces.

Cast-in in cooling pipes liner with oval pipes and one bend.

**MBD-C supply**

- Ensures correct liner material for the original piston ring pack.
- Ensures correct port height.
- Ensures correct angle and number of lubricating holes.
- Ensures correct design: Slim liner or liner with casting cooling pipes.
Cylinder liner for S70MC-C

The number of cooling bores has been increased from 24 to 30
**Original design**

**50MC/MC-C:**
Expected lifetime 60,000 hours

**46MC/MC-C, 42MC, 35MC:**
Expected lifetime 50,000 hours

**26MC:**
Expected lifetime 40,000 hours
MBD-C produced liners

Always produced to the latest design.

Produced with wave-cut and semi-honed surfaces.

MBD-C supply

- Ensures correct liner material for the original piston ring pack.
- Ensures correct port height.
- Ensures correct angles and number of lubricating holes.
Cylinder liner standard as per 981001

**MC-engines**

**80/90/98**
- Bore cooled
- Piston cleaning ring (PC-ring)
- Tarkalloy-C
- Dry cylinder frame

**60/70**
- Bore cooled (except S60MC + S60MC-C)
- Tarkalloy-C (S60MC-C – Tarkalloy-A)
- Dry cylinder frame

**26/35/42/46/50**
- Slim liner
- Tarkalloy-C
- Dry cylinder frame (except L35/42)
Factors influencing cylinder wear

Cylinder liner
- H₂SO₄
  - Condensation in air cooler
  - Water leakages
  - ‘Cold’ liner wall
  - Cleaning agents
  - Lack of cylinder oil film

Piston rings
- HCl
  - Salt in intake air
  - Seawater in fuel
  - Seawater in cylinder oil
  - Air cooler leakage
  - Lack of cylinder oil film

Piston skirt
- Corrosive wear
- Abrasive wear
- Microseizure
- Scratches
- Cylinder oil film deficiencies
  - Material
  - Design
  - Machining
  - Liner
  - Ring
  - Skirt
- Material
- Design
- Machining
- Mechanical load
- Thermal load
- Deformation of piston rings (during fitting)
- Misalignment
- Too high cylinder oil dosage (deposits)
- Impurities in fuel oil
- Impurities in intake air
- Wearing particles

Lack of cylinder oil film:
- Cylinder oil/fuel oil matching
- Too low cylinder oil dosage
- Distribution
- Timing
- Water in cylinder oil
- Water leakage to cylinder

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Cylinder Liner Wear Rate – MC-engines

This chart was been made after a request from Mobil, and is based only on ships where MAN B&W Diesel A/S have been on board either to test engine components or as 'trouble-shooters'.

Therefore, this chart is for guidance only.
A: Previous design

Cold corrosion on cylinder liners has been experienced in some cases

B: New design

Using an uncooled cylinder Frame, the temperature on the running surface has been increased in the lower part of the cylinder liner by about 60°C

Good experience
The general cylinder condition is improved
Cylinder Liner Crack Types

C

Blow-by crack:
Position of C-crack approx. between lowermost ring and skirt upper edge.

Two upper rings have lost tension and are possibly also broken. Furthermore, ring Nos. 3 and 4 might be sticking.

Points to be checked/modified:
Performance (VIT, TC)
Atomizers (small holes, rounded inner edges)
Modified piston ring material
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Cylinder Condition

Piston cleaning ring

16 relief grooves

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