



How to change engine oil  
and filter on **Opel Corsa  
C diesel** – replacement  
guide

## VIDEO TUTORIAL

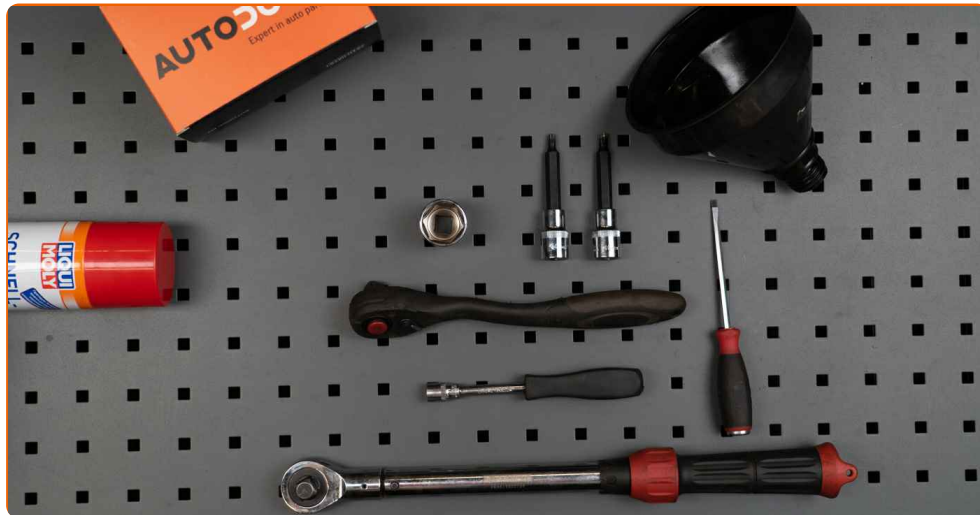
** Important!**

This replacement procedure can be used for:

OPEL Corsa D Van (S07) 1.3 CDTI (L08), OPEL Astra H Van (L70) 1.3 CDTI (L70), OPEL Combo D Box Body / Estate 1.4 (B05), OPEL Combo D Tour (X12) 1.4 (C26, D26, E26, C06), OPEL Agila A (H00) 1.3 CDTI (F68), OPEL Tigra Twintop (X04) 1.3 CDTI, OPEL Combo C Tour 1.3 CDTI 16V, OPEL Astra H Hatchback (A04) 1.3 CDTI (L48), OPEL Astra H Caravan (A04) 1.3 CDTI (L35), OPEL Corsa C Van (X01) 1.3 CDTI 16V (F08, W5L), OPEL Combo C Box Body / Estate 1.3 CDTI 16V, OPEL Meriva A (X03) 1.3 CDTI (E75), OPEL Astra H GTC (A04) 1.3 CDTI (L08), OPEL Corsa D Hatchback (S07) 1.3 CDTI (L08, L68), OPEL Combo D Tour (X12) 1.4 CNG (C26, D26, E26, C05), (+ 2)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

REPLACEMENT: ENGINE OIL AND FILTER – OPEL  
CORSA C. TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:



- All-purpose cleaning spray
- Torx bit T30
- Torx bit T40
- Drive socket # 10
- Drive socket # 27
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Flat Screwdriver
- Oil drain pan
- Funnel
- Fender cover

**BUY TOOLS**

Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. AUTODOC recommends:

- Replace the oil filter every time when changing motor oil.
- Wear gloves to prevent contact with hot liquid.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

**REPLACEMENT: ENGINE OIL AND FILTER – OPEL CORSA C.  
RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STEPS:**

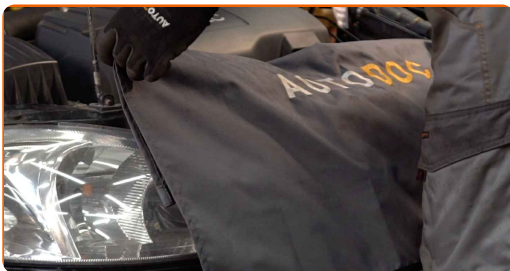
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Open the hood.



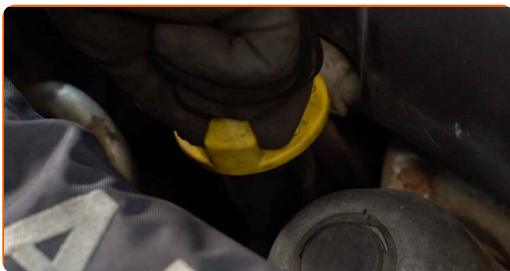
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Use a fender protection cover to prevent damaging paintwork and plastic parts of the car.

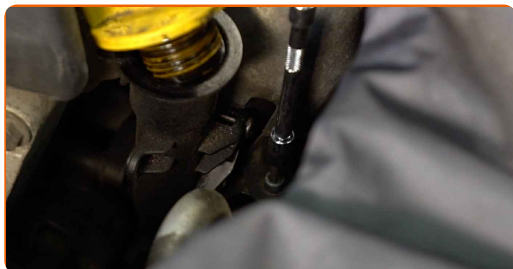


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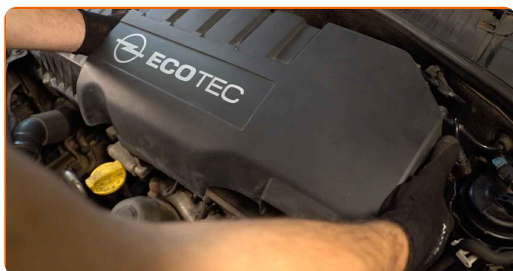
Unscrew the oil filler plug.



**4** Undo the screws of the protective case of the oil filter housing. Use Torx T30.



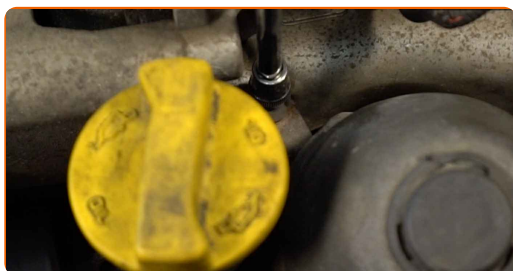
**5** Remove the engine cover.



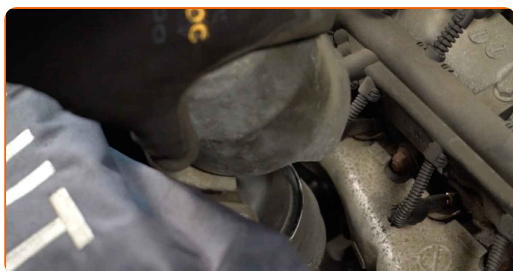
**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Raise the engine cover, holding it on two sides simultaneously.

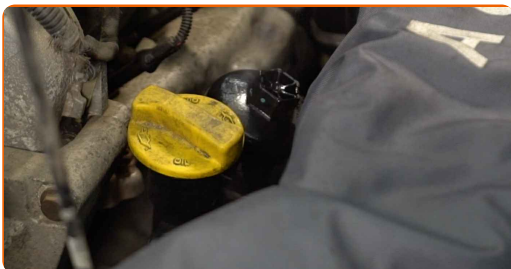
**6** Undo the screws of the protective case of the oil filter housing. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench.



**7** Remove the protective case of the oil filter housing.



**8** Clean the oil filter housing cap. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.

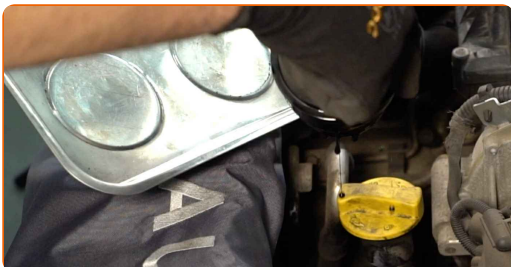


**9** Unscrew the filter housing cap together with the old filter element. Use a drive socket #27. Use a ratchet wrench.



**10** Prepare a container for the old oil filter.

**11** Put the old oil filter in the container.



Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Move up the container. The oil starts to drain out of the drainage hole immediately after you have removed the oil filter.

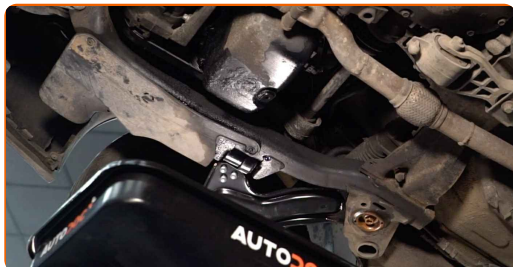
**12** Lift the car using a jack or place it over an inspection pit.



**Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. Tip:**

- The vehicle must be on even keel, and if it is at an angle, the drain plug must be at the lowest point.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

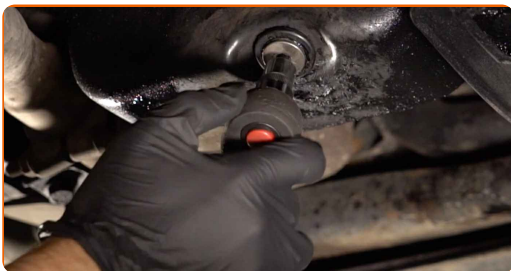
**13** Put a waste oil container with at least 4 l capacity under the drainage hole.



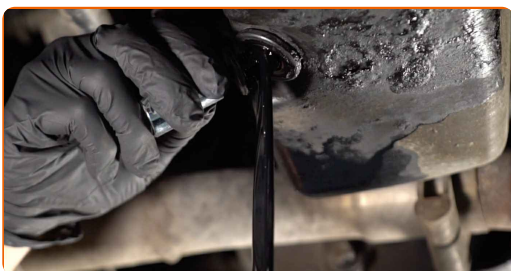
**14** Clean the area of the oil pan drainage hole. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



**15** Unscrew the drain plug. Use Torx T40. Use a ratchet wrench.



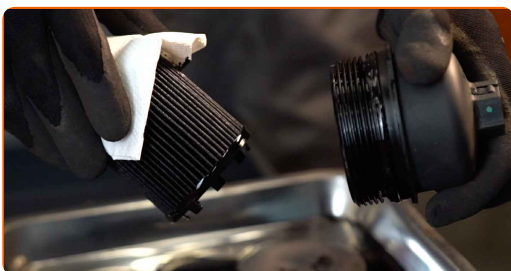
**16** Drain the used oil.



Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. AUTODOC recommends:

- Caution! The oil may be hot.

**17** Detach the oil filter from the filter cover.



**18** Remove the oil filter cover O-ring. Use a flat screwdriver.

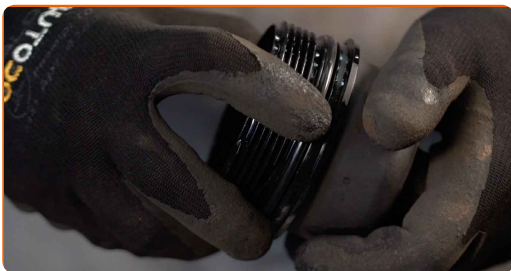




**19** Clean the oil filter housing cap. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



**20** Install a new O-ring to its mounting seat on the filter cover.



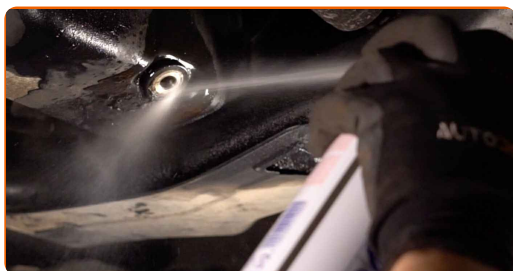
**21** Install the new oil filter to the mounting seat on the filter cover.



**Please note!**

- Make sure to install the filter correctly. Don't mix up the sides of the part.
- Wait until the oil has completely drained from the drainage hole.

**22** Clean the area of the oil pan drainage hole. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



**23** Screw in the new drainage plug and tighten it. Use Torx T40. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 20 Nm torque.



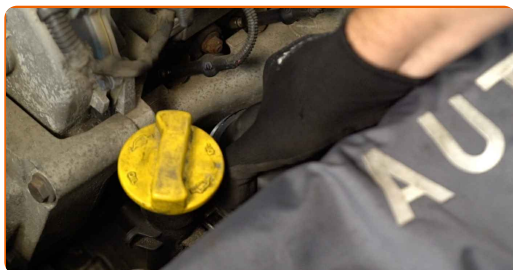
**24** Clean the area of the oil pan drainage hole. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.

**25** Lower the car.

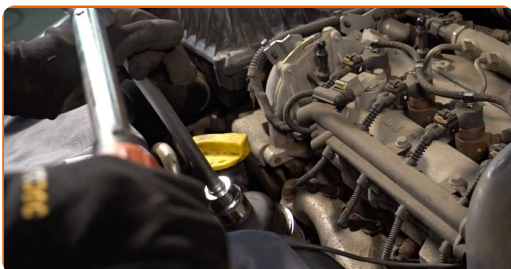


**26** Lubricate the rubber seal of the new filter with a little amount of fresh oil.

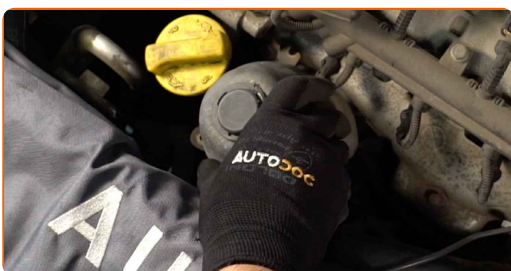
**27** Screw the new filter into its place.



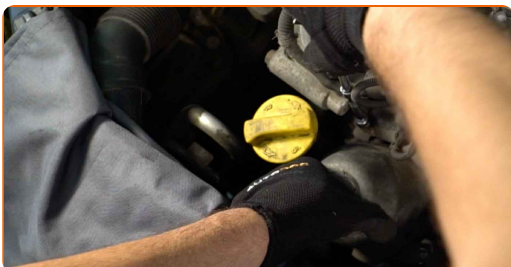
- 28 Install a new oil filter housing cover and tighten it. Use a drive socket #27. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 25 Nm torque.



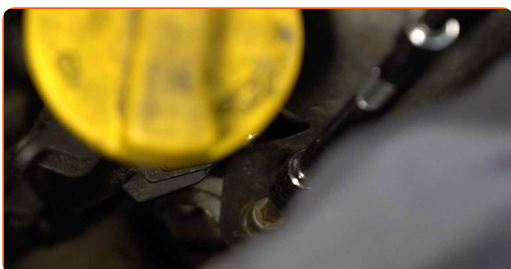
- 29 Install the protective case of the oil filter housing.



- 30 Screw in the fasteners of the protective case of the oil filter housing. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench.



- 31 Screw in the fasteners of the protective case of the oil filter housing. Use Torx T30.



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Install the engine cover and secure it.

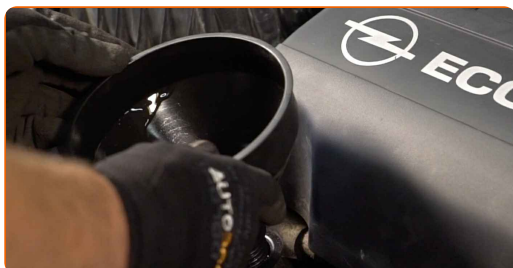


Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Make sure the engine cover is properly seated. It should not be displaced with respect to the guiding fasteners.
- Do not apply excessive force when installing the part. Otherwise you may damage the fasteners.

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Remove the oil filler cap. Insert the funnel.



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Pour oil into the engine through the filler. Required amount of oil: 3.2 l.



**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Use the oil recommended by the manufacturer.

**35** Check the oil level using the dipstick. Top up oil if necessary.

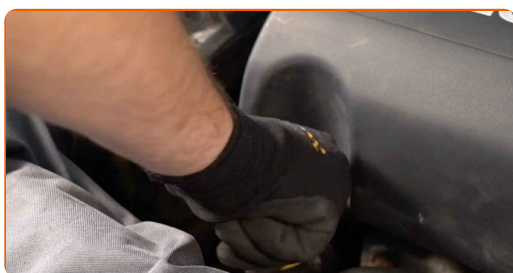
**Please note!**

- The oil level should be between the Min and Max marks.

**36** Install the oil filler cap.



**37** Tighten the oil filler cap.



**38** Run the engine for a few minutes. After the oil pressure warning light goes out, stop the engine.



**39** Check the oil level 5 minutes after the stop of the engine operation using a dipstick and add oil if necessary.



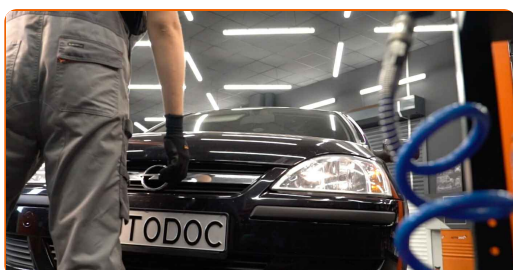
**Please note!**

- The oil level should be between the Min and Max marks.
- Make sure that the oil filler cap is properly tightened.
- Check the threaded plug of the drainage hole and the oil filter seal for tightness. If necessary, carefully tighten them up.

**40** Remove the fender protection cover.



**41** Close the hood.



### Replacement: engine oil and filter – Opel Corsa C. Tip from AUTODOC:

- Note that oil pressure warning light, which indicates insufficient pressure in the lubrication system, may be on for a longer time than usual. After a few seconds, the oil will fill all the channels, and the light will go out.
- To protect the environment from pollution, be sure to dispose of the used filters at special collection points.

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