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How to change fuel filter on **OPEL Sintra (APV)** – replacement guide







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This video shows the replacement procedure of a similar car part on another vehicle

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This replacement procedure can be used for: OPEL Sintra (APV) 2.2 DTI

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

This tutorial was created based on the replacement procedure for a similar car part on: OPEL Zafira A (T98) 2.0 DI 16V (F75)

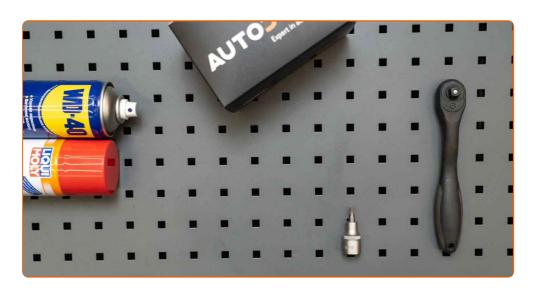
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REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER - OPEL SINTRA (APV). TOOLS YOU NEED:



- All-purpose cleaning spray
- WD-40 spray
- Torx bit T30
- Drive socket # 10

- Ratchet wrench
- Fluid container
- Fender cover

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Replacement: fuel filter – OPEL Sintra (APV). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Ensure adequate ventilation of the workplace. Fuel vapors are poisonous.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER – OPEL SINTRA (APV). USE THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE:

- 1 Open the bonnet.
- Use a fender protection cover to prevent damaging paintwork and plastic parts of the car.
 - Remove the cowl grille seal.



Remove the upper part of the scuttle panel.



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Clean the fasteners of the lower part of the scuttle panel. Use WD-40 spray.



Unscrew the fasteners of the lower part of the scuttle panel. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench.



Remove the lower part of the scuttle panel.



Detach the fuel pressure sensor connector.

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Clean the fuel filter housing and the cover. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



Unscrew the fasteners of the fuel filter housing cover. Use Torx T30. Use a ratchet wrench.



11 Remove the fuel filter housing cover.



AUTODOC recommends:

- Be careful! Fuel may leak from the filter housing and hoses.
- 12 Prepare a container for fluids.



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13 Remove the fuel filter.



Remove the old sealing ring.



- Put the old filter cartridge in the container.
- 16 Install a new fuel filter.



Replacement: fuel filter – OPEL Sintra (APV). AUTODOC recommends:

- Make sure that the fuel filter is positioned correctly. Consider the fuel flow direction mark.
- During installation, take care to prevent dust and dirt from getting into the fuel filter housing.
- Take care to only use quality filters.

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17 Install the new sealing ring.



Put the fuel filter cap back on.



Clean the fuel filter mounting bracket.



Tighten the fasteners of the fuel filter cover. Use Torx T30. Use a ratchet wrench.



21 Attach the fuel pressure sensor connector.



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Reinstall the lower part of the scuttle panel.



Screw in the fasteners of the lower part of the scuttle panel. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench.



Reinstall the upper part of the scuttle panel.



25 Install the cowl grille seal.



Replacement: fuel filter - OPEL Sintra (APV). Tip:

• Before starting off, switch the ignition on and off several times. This should be done to activate the fuel pump to make it pump fuel through the fuel system.

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- Run the engine for a few minutes. This is necessary in order to make sure that the component operates properly.
- 27 Shut off the engine.
- Remove the fender protection cover.
- Close the hood.

Replacement: fuel filter – OPEL Sintra (APV). Tip from AUTODOC:

• To protect the environment from pollution, be sure to dispose of the used filters at special collection points.



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