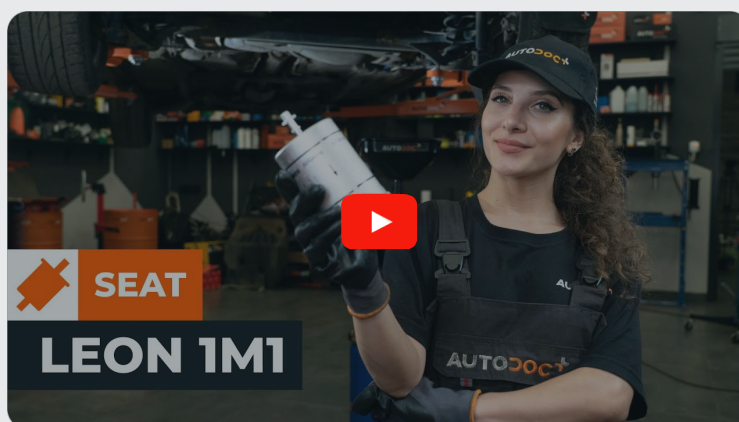




How to change fuel filter  
on **SKODA Octavia I  
Combi (1U5)** –  
replacement guide

## SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



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### **Important!**

This replacement procedure can be used for:

SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 1.6, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 1.8 20V, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 1.8 T, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 2.0, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 2.0 4x4, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 1.4 16V, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) 1.8 T 4x4, SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5) RS 1.8 T

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: SEAT Leon Hatchback (1M1) 1.8 20V

REPLACEMENT: FUEL FILTER – SKODA OCTAVIA I COMBI (1U5). TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- All-purpose cleaning spray
- Drive socket # 7
- Ratchet wrench
- Fuel line pliers
- Fluid container

**Buy tools**

Replacement: fuel filter – SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

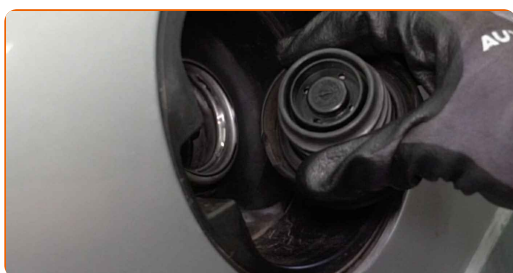
- Ensure adequate ventilation of the workplace. Fuel vapors are poisonous.
- Warning! Shut down the engine before starting any work – SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5).

**CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:**

**1** Open the fuel door.

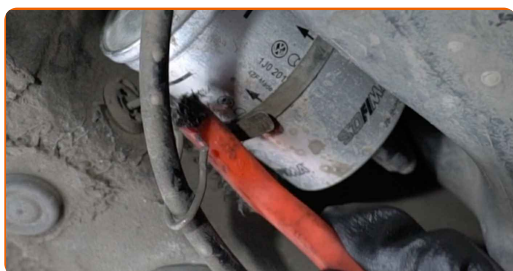


**2** Unscrew the fuel filler cap.



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

**4** Clean the fuel filter mounting bracket. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



5 Prepare a container for fluids.



6 Disconnect the parking brake cable.



7 Loosen the fuel filter fasteners. Use a drive socket #7. Use a ratchet wrench.

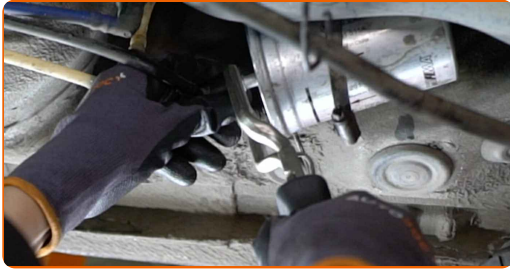


8 Clean the fasteners of the fuel supply lines. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



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Disconnect the fuel supply lines from the fuel filter. Use fuel line pliers.

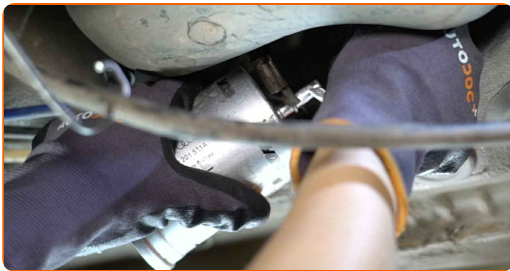


Replacement: fuel filter – SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5). AUTODOC recommends:

- Be careful! Fuel may leak from the filter housing and hoses.

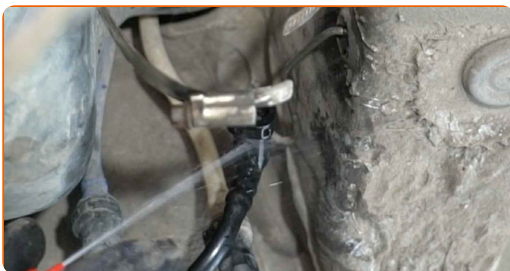
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Remove the fuel filter.



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Clean the fuel lines. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



**12**

Install a new fuel filter.

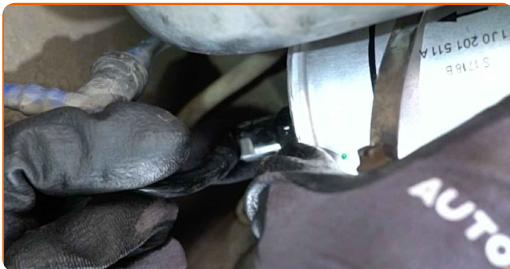


**AUTODOC recommends:**

- 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.

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Connect the fuel lines to the fuel filter.

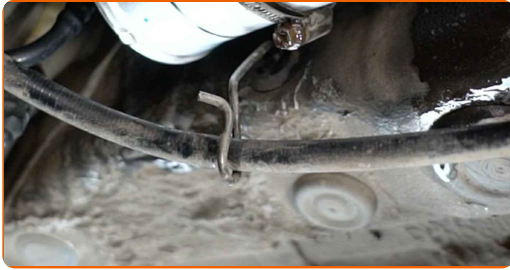


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Screw in the fuel filter mounting bracket. Use a drive socket #7. Use a ratchet wrench.



**15** Secure the parking brake cable.

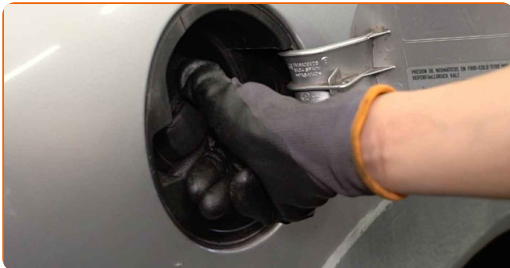


**16** Take the fluid container away from under the fuel filter.



**17** Lower the car.

**18** Tighten the fuel filler cap.



**19** Close the fuel door.





Replacement: fuel filter – SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5). Professionals recommend:

- 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.

AUTODOC recommends:

- This is necessary in order to make sure that the component operates properly.

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Shut off the engine.

Replacement: fuel filter – SKODA Octavia I Combi (1U5). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

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

**WELL DONE!** 

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