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Subject: Oil Filter Redesign

Description

ACDelco introduces the next generation of Duraguard® oil filters. The oil filter redesign will be a rolling change with no price impact. This advanced filter technology allows the filter to function better while being lighter and more easily recycled. An improved nylon core provides more open area in the core, yielding more filtering area for improved flow in a smaller canister, while maintaining the same capacity as the larger canister. Increased efficiency, higher collapse strength and higher burst strength are the result of a roll seam design. The redesigned concave base plate allows for the accommodation of the combination relief and anti-drain back valve, while incorporating a raised threaded flange. Four new filter sizes cover the redesigned part numbers.

Package Part #	Durapack Part #	Prior Height	New Height	Filter Wrench Change
PFL1A	N/A	5.00"	4.53"	N
PF2	PF2F	5.00"	4.53"	N
PF13	PF13F	3.58"	3.20"	N
PF53	PF53F	3.40"	3.11"	Y
PF60	PF60F	4.75"	4.44"	Y
PFL400A	PFL400AF	4.75"	4.44"	Y
PF454	PF454F	3.20"	3.20"	N
PF1218	PF1218F	5.12"	4.53"	N
PF1250	PF1250F	3.58"	3.20"	N

Prior Design



New Design



Effective Date
Immediately