2011-2022 Hyundai Accent - Engine Oil & Filter

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TOOLS

Floor jack or ramps and rated jack stands if needed Oil-drain pan, funnel, gloves, and eye protection Socket or wrench for the drain plug and oil-filter tool Calibrated torque wrench and shop towels

PARTS

Engine Oil (5W-20) $45.00
Correct engine oil filter and drain-plug washer for 2011-2022 Hyundai Accent $12.00

STEPS

1. **Confirm oil specification and make the vehicle safe - 2012-2019 Accent 1.6L: 3.5 quarts** of 5W-20. Spin-on under engine - the 2020 switched to cartridge, so this guide covers 2012-2019 only. Have filter wrench, drain pan, funnel, new washer. Park level, brake set, chocked; use ramps or stand...
2. **Warm briefly and protect the work area - Warm a few minutes, then shut off. Raise the** front on ramps or stands - never a jack alone. Locate the drain plug and spin-on; remove the fill cap. A small funnel helps at the tight fill neck.
3. **Drain the used oil and replace the filter - Drain fully. Break old spin-on free with** wrench; spin off by hand, keeping upright. Check old seal came off - not stuck to block. Wipe mounting surface, oil new gasket, spin to gasket contact plus three-quarter turn.
4. **Install the correct oil quantity - Refit the plug with a fresh washer. Pour in 3.5 quarts** of 5W-20, checking the dipstick over the last half quart. The low-to-full range is only about a quart - pour carefully.
5. **Check level, leaks, and service reminder - Run a minute; check for leaks, then shut off.** Wait a few minutes, recheck the dipstick, adjust to the full mark without overfilling. Record the date and mileage; reset the maintenance reminder if equipped.

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