

TOPIC: Spin-on Oil Filters

SAFETY ALERT

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ALL

SUBJECT: Inspection of Spin-on Oil Filters

MODELS AFFECTED: All engine models with spin-on filters

SAFETY ALERT: The use of a damaged spin-on oil filter could result in a hot oil spray causing injury to personnel and/or fire. All oil filters are to be inspected and, if necessary, replaced as soon as feasible.

This is a reminder to the field that dented or damaged spin-on oil filters are not to be used. Damaged oil filters may fail, resulting in an oil spray that could cause burns and/or a fire. Damage to the outside of the oil filter canister causes a stress concentration, which may lead to a cracked canister.

- At the first opportunity, check all spin-on oil filters for damage to the filter canister (see Figure 1).



Figure 1

- If there is any physical damage to the filter canister, replace the canister at the earliest convenience (see Figure 2).



Figure 2

- As is general good practice:
 - Follow all INNIO Waukesha and site-specific safety precautions.
 - Use caution when handling heavy objects around the filters to prevent damage.

Reference INNIO Waukesha spin-on oil filter part numbers:

304126, 111346, 199395, 199395B, 199395C, 304126

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