

# *Oil Filter Core Adapter – Q&A*

## **1) Q. Why is the core adapter required?**

The core adapter is required to allow the universal filter element to be installed in the housing. With the core adapter installed, all filter brands will work in the OEM housing.

## **2) Q. Why was this change made?**

The addition of the core adapter allows the consumer to have options regarding filter selection.

## **3) Q. Can the adapter be removed after it is installed?**

The core adapter can be removed, however; there is no need to remove the adapter as it will not interfere with the use of the OEM or other filter brands.

## **4) Q. Do I need to replace the adapter at each oil change?**

The core adapter is designed to last the life of the vehicle, and therefore does not require replacement at each oil change. A new adapter is packaged with each filter so any user will have the required adapter regardless of whether they have purchased the universal filter element previously.

## **5) Q. Do I have to remove the adapter to use the OEM filter or other brands?**

The core adapter will not interfere with the use of the OEM or other filter brands.

## **6) Q. Should I change the cap O-ring at each oil change?**

The O-ring should be changed at each oil change. A new O-ring is provided with each filter.