



Important Information for Hyundai and Kia Owners

As your automotive service provider of choice, we care deeply about your driving experience and about the reliability and condition of your vehicle. The following information about your vehicle will help you keep your Hyundai or Kia vehicle on the road in trustworthy condition for as long as possible!

Many Hyundai and Kia vehicles have been plagued with an excessive engine oil consumption issue and it affects many different year models and body styles. This has been an ongoing issue with many of these vehicles for over 10 years.

Excessive oil consumption means that despite following regular maintenance intervals of your engine oil and filter, it is quite possible that your vehicle could consume enough oil between your maintenance intervals that cause your engine to run with low engine oil and therefore could cause catastrophic engine damage. Checking your engine oil level frequently (every 1000 miles) is highly recommended to maintain a safe operating level of engine oil. Operation of your engine with low oil also leads to damaging engine sludge.

There have been many lawsuits filed, however, at this time not all of these vehicles have been recalled therefore many vehicle owners are unaware of this situation. Our service professionals here at The Auto Shop are dedicated to your safety on the road and we are happy to provide a courtesy inspection of your engine oil level at any time for you. Additionally, talk to your service advisor if you would like to know more about this widely known issue and would like easy and cost effective solutions to prevent dangerous engine sludge. We are always happy to assist you.

Commonly Affected Vehicles as of 2022

2012-2022 Hyundai Elantra
2009-2018 Hyundai Genesis Coupe
2019-2022 Hyundai Kona
2020-2022 Hyundai Palisade
2011-2021 KIA Rio
2011-2021 KIA Optima and Optima Hybrid
2011-2021 KIA Sorento
2012-2021 KIA Soul
2011-2020 KIA Sportage
2018-2021 KIA Stinger
2022 - Up KIA K5

There are countless happy Hyundai and Kia owners on the road and we want you to remain one of those drivers. We are providing you with this incredibly valuable information to help you maintain your vehicle properly so that you can avoid costly repair bills.

