

## Parts

If by some chance, the packaging looks like that of a Toyota Genuine Part, do not be deceived. You may still have purchased a counterfeit part. This will help you determine some of the parts found in the market that are being sold as counterfeit products.

### 1. Oil Filter (Compact-Type)

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There are two types of Genuine compact-type oil filters: the crystal type, which has a filter element folded into a distinctive shape, and the newly developed molded unit type. The element of each type has features that enable you to distinguish between counterfeit and genuine parts by looking at the element through the hole in the center of the bottom.

***B. The compact-type oil filter made in Thailand can be identified by looking at the relief valve.***



The compact-type oil filters made in Thailand feature newly developed filter paper made of high-efficiency fiber with a daisy-shaped element in which the folds radiate out from the center. These makes the new filters more difficult to distinguish from counterfeit which have radial folding pattern element.

### 2. Oil Filter (Compact-Type)

The conventional type of Genuine oil filter also uses the daisy-shaped element. It is difficult to determine genuineness by checking the element, so examine the outside to make a determination.

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**B. The typeface of the TOYOTA logo on the counterfeit part is wrong, there are words that do not usually appear, such as “USE FOR JAPANESE CAR”**



## Distributor Contact Point



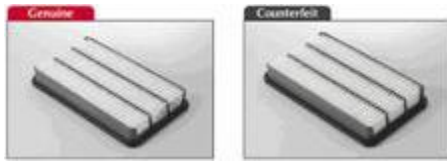
Distinguish the distributor contact point by the contact surface.



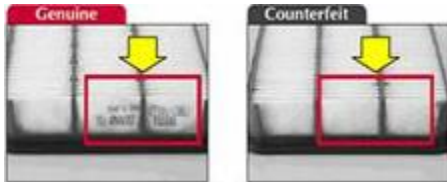
The contact surface of counterfeit parts doesn't have a sheen, compared with that of Genuine Parts. Whether a part has a sheen or not enables distinction.



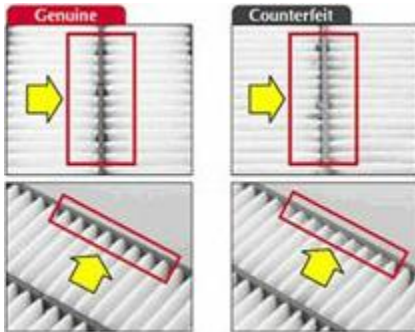
## Air Filter



a. The TOYOTA logo, part number, and supplier name (DENSO) are not printed on the filter of many counterfeit parts.



b. The part where the filter paper and frame meet is crudely finished in counterfeit parts.



## Spark Plug

Distinguish the spark plugs by the shape of the gasket.

