

How to Change Your Lawn Mower's Air Filter

The air filter helps keep debris out of the engine. But if it's dirty and clogged, it restricts airflow. So change it about every 3 months or 25 hours of use.

1. DISCONNECT SPARK PLUG

- Before you start any gas mower maintenance, always disconnect the spark plug and, secure it off to the side so it won't start accidentally.

2. LOCATE & OPEN

- Locate the air filter compartment on your lawn mower's engine and open it.

3. CHOOSE AIR FILTER

- There are 3 common types of air filters – paper, foam or a combination. Replacement is basically the same for all three. For a paper filter, open the cover, replace the old filter and with the paper edges facing out. For a foam filter, first saturate it with clean oil. Then, open the cover and swap out the filter.

4. REPLACE COVER

- Replace the filter cover and screw it in place.

HELPFUL TIPS:

- Change your lawn mower's air filter more often in dusty environments.

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NOTE: Always follow manufacturer's recommended safety precautions and instructions for the products you use.