



**CORTECO GASKETS IN OE OUALITY** 

## **QUALITY SPARE PARTS PAY OFF**

## AND HERE'S WHY

■ ave you ever had customer complaints caused by the use of low-quality components?

These situations lead to a poor customer experience and, for the garages, time and financial losses due to blocked lifts and additional repair times. In the worst case, they even lead to liability for consequential damage to the engine.

To avoid these risks, garages should always set the highest quality standards for spare parts supply!

High application know-how is the base for providing garages and strategic purchasers with easy and hassle-free options to order the right products. Therefore, Corteco supplies a high-quality catalog for car parts identification which covers a great variety of current European and Asian applications. In addition to single gaskets, Corteco offers fully prepared gasket kits for more than 2,500 engine types, which highly facilitates both the correct components selection and assembling. Next to the specific gasket, the kits come with all individually required parts such as plugs, washers, and sealing paste.

As the aftermarket distribution arm of the Freudenberg Group, Corteco can draw on many decades of manufacturing expertise. Corteco's sealing range consists of more than 10,000 gaskets and over 6,500 different shaft seals (Simmering®) and valve stem seals in OEM quality.

The comprehensive gasket range includes cylinder head gaskets, manifold gaskets, cover gaskets, valve stem seals, and oil sump gaskets as well as the individually required accessories like bolts, valves, washers, and sealing paste.



## CORTECO GASKET KIT RANGE EXPANSION: OVER 400 NEW KITS

Fully equipped gasket kits, Corteco's repair solutions save time and reduce the risk of having to place additional orders resulting in delayed car repairs, blocked car lifts, additional costs, and an overall loss of efficiency.

In the last ten years, the technical requirements for sealing and gaskets in combustion engines increased significantly. The strain on cylinder head gaskets, for instance, leads to high chemical exposures due to circulating coolants, lubricating oil,

and combustion gases, as well as generally increased operating pressures and temperatures.

As a result, gaskets had to become much more durable and resistant to these crucial factors. Corteco's multilayer steel gaskets (MLS) are engineered to meet these challenges. Corteco has added over 400 new gasket kits to its range

matching 135 applications.

Corteco focuses on the market's need for more sophisticated components and delivers highly innovative sealing and gasket solutions. This is reinforced by Corteco's affiliation with the Freudenberg Group, the OEM supplier and inventor of the Simmerring in 1929.

Due to that, Corteco can offer the same level of expertise and quality to its customers. A 2021 claims rate below 0.002% on the whole static sealing range confirms Corteco's high product quality and gives any garage the confidence that Corteco is the preferred supplier.

















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## Corteco celebrates 25 years "a brand of Freudenberg"

Corteco is one of the leading suppliers for the Independent Automotive Aftermarket. Among a broad product range of vibration control, steering and suspension, and cabin air filters, Corteco covers a great variety of oil seals and gaskets.

25 years ago, Corteco became part of the Freudenberg Group and started its business activities in October 1996. Over the past 25 years, Corteco has established itself as Freudenberg's trading company in the independent aftermarket (IAM) and has steadily expanded its offering to meet customer demands. Before Corteco became part of the group, Freudenberg had focused on original equipment and spare parts requirements for car manufacturers (OEM).

With the IAM brand Corteco, car drivers can benefit from Freudenberg OE-quality spare parts throughout the entire vehicle lifecycle.

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