

## Service Bulletin

File In Section: 07 - Transmission/Transaxle

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## **INFORMATION**

Subject: Release of DEXRON® VI Automatic Transmission Fluid (ATF)

Models: 2007 and Prior Passenger Cars and Light Duty Trucks

2003-2007 HUMMER H2 2006-2007 HUMMER H3 2005-2007 Saturn Relay

2005 and Prior Saturn L-Series

2005-2007 Saturn ION

2005-2007 Saturn VUE with 4T45-E

2005-2007 Saab 9-7X

Except 2007 and Prior Chevrolet Aveo, Epica, Equinox, Optra

Except 2007 and Prior Pontiac Torrent, Vibe, Wave Except 2003-2005 Saturn ION with CVT or AF23 Only

Except 1991-2002 Saturn S-Series

Except 2007 and Prior Saturn VUE with CVT, AF33 or 5AT (MJ7/MJ8)

**Transmission Only** 

This bulletin is being updated with the 2007 model year. Please discard Corporate Bulletin Number 04-07-30-037A (Section 07 — Transmission/Transaxle).

#### **DEXRON®-VI ATF**

General Motors Powertrain has recently upgraded to DEXRON®-VI ATF with the start of 2006 vehicle production.

Only 2005 and prior models that currently use DEXRON®-III may use DEXRON®-VI as a replacement. All 2006 and future models that use DEXRON®-VI are to be serviced with DEXRON®-VI fluid only.

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DEXRON®-VI is an improvement over DEXRON®-III in the following area:

DEXRON®-VI	
Extended Factory Fill For Life	160,000 km (100,000 mi) For Cars and Light Duty Trucks* 80,000 km (50,000 mi) (Severe Use) For Cars and Light Duty Trucks*
Clutch Friction Stability	Improved 100%
Clutch Durability Due To Fluid	Improved 120%
Oil Film Thickness	Increased 20%
Fluid Oxidation	Improved 100%
Foam/Aeration	Improved 150%
Shear Stability	Improved 200%

<sup>\*</sup> These ATF change intervals remain the same as DEXRON®-III for the time being.

# 2006-2007 Transmission Fill and Cooler Flushing

Some new applications of the 6L80 six speed transmission will require the use of the J 45096 – Flushing and Flow Tester to accomplish transmission fluid fill. It is highly recommended that the clean oil reservoir of the machine be purged of DEXRON®-III and filled with DEXRON®-VI.

### **Parts Information**

Part Number	Description
88861003 (US)	DEXRON <sup>®</sup> -VI Auto Trans Fluid (1 qt bottle)
88861045 (US)	DEXRON®-VI Auto Trans Fluid (1 gal bottle)
88861046 (US)	DEXRON®-VI Auto Trans Fluid (55 gal drum)
88861004 (Canada)	DEXRON®-VI Auto Trans Fluid (1L bottle)
88861043 (Canada)	DEXRON <sup>®</sup> -VI Auto Trans Fluid (4L bottle)
88861044 (Canada)	DEXRON <sup>®</sup> -VI Auto Trans Fluid (205L drum)