

TECHNICAL PROCEDURE

MAXX22T™ AIR DISC BRAKE

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CONVENTIONS APPLIED IN THIS DOCUMENT

This section explains the techniques used in this document to convey important information, safety issues, how to contact Hendrickson and how to apply hyperlinks.

EXPLANATION OF SIGNAL WORDS

Hazard signal words (such as DANGER, WARNING or CAUTION) appear in various locations throughout this publication. Information accented by one of these signal words must be observed at all times. Additional notes are utilized to emphasize areas of procedural importance and provide suggestions for ease of repair. The following definitions comply with ANSI Z535.4 and indicate the use of safety signal words as they appear throughout the publication.

⚠DANGER: INDICATES IMMEDIATE HAZARDS WHICH WILL RESULT IN SEVERE PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH.

⚠WARNING: Indicates hazards or unsafe practices which could result in severe personal injury or death.

⚠CAUTION: Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.

NOTICE: Indicates hazards or unsafe practices which could result in damage to machine or equipment.

IMPORTANT: An operating procedure, practice or condition that is essential to emphasize.



Safety alert symbol used to indicate a condition exists that may result in personal injury or harm to individuals. It must be applied to DANGER, WARNING and CAUTION statements, which emphasize severity.

LINKS

Links are identified by a dark grey line under the linked text. Internal links allow the reader to jump to a heading, step or page in this document. External links open the website or document referenced.

GENERAL SERVICE NOTES

IMPORTANT: Special attention should be paid to the information included in EXPLANATION OF SIGNAL WORDS.

Before you begin:

Read, understand and comply with:

- All maintenance, service, installation and diagnostic instructions and procedures for Hendrickson, the trailer manufacturer and the repair facility.
- All signal word (CAUTION, WARNING and DANGER) statements to help avoid personal injury or property damage.
- Vehicle manufacturer's safety instructions when working on the vehicle.
- Vehicle manufacturer's instructions for recommended practices not described in this manual.
- All applicable governmental safety regulations.

DURING SERVICE:

- Work must be carried out by trained personnel.
- Sudden release of brake chamber springs (e.g. the spring brake part of the brake chamber or the brake return spring) may cause injury.
- Use recommended tools only.
- Before releasing trailer back into service, perform operational checks and test the trailer to make sure brakes are working correctly.

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IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES

Proper installation, maintenance, service and repair is important to the reliable operation of the suspension system. The procedures recommended by Hendrickson and described in this publication are methods of performing inspection, maintenance, service and repair.

The warnings and cautions should be read carefully to help prevent personal injury and to assure proper methods are used. Improper maintenance, service or repair can cause damage to the vehicle and other property, personal injury, an unsafe operating condition or void the manufacturer's warranty.

To help ensure proper brake performance:



- Regularly check the wear limits of brake pads and brake rotors.
- Immediately replace worn or damaged brake rotors.
- Always replace brake pads by axle.

NOTE: Retainer springs are pre-assembled to brake pads.

- If any parts have been heavily damaged or are severely worn, (cracks for example), replace the entire brake following the instructions on page 21.

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can result in serious or fatal injury during handling and use.

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can cause the brake system to not operate properly.

⚠CAUTION: To avoid injury and damage to brake components, manually cage the brake chamber prior to servicing brake.

⚠WARNING: DO NOT modify or rework parts without written authorization from Hendrickson. Use ONLY Hendrickson authorized replacement parts. Use of substitute, modified or replacement parts not authorized by Hendrickson may not meet Hendrickson's specifications. It can also result in failure of the part, loss of vehicle control and possible personal injury or property damage.

⚠WARNING: Always wear proper eye protection and other required PPE (personal protective equipment) when performing vehicle maintenance, repair or service. Follow federal, state and local regulations as appropriate.

⚠WARNING: Solvent cleaners can be flammable, poisonous and can cause burns. To help avoid serious personal injury, carefully follow the manufacturer's product instructions and guidelines and the following procedures:

- Wear proper eye protection.
- Wear clothing that protects your skin.

- Work in a well ventilated area.
- DO NOT use gasoline, or solvents that contain gasoline. Gasoline can explode.
- Hot solution tanks or alkaline solutions must be used correctly. Follow the manufacturer's recommended instructions and guidelines carefully to help prevent personal accident or injury.

⚠WARNING: The following precautions and considerations should be applied when handling brake lining:

- Compressed air or dry brushing should never be used for cleaning brake assemblies or work area.
- Follow applicable shop, local, state and federal safe practices for working with and disposal of brake lining materials.
- Hendrickson recommends that workers doing brake work should take steps to minimize exposure to airborne brake lining particles. Proper procedures to reduce exposure include working in well ventilated area, segregation of areas where brake work is done, use of local filtered ventilation systems or use of enclosed cells with filtered vacuums.
- Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) on this product are available online from Hendrickson:

www.hendrickson-intl.com/trailerlit

⚠CAUTION: A mechanic using a service procedure or tool which has not been recommended by Hendrickson must first satisfy himself that neither his safety nor the vehicle's safety will be jeopardized by the method or tool selected. Individuals deviating in any manner from the provided instructions assume all risks of consequential personal injury or damage to equipment.



NOTICE: When welding to or on the axle, take every caution to prevent bearing damage. When grounding welding equipment to axle, prevent current from passing through the wheel bearings.

A connection that places a wheel bearing between the ground cable connection and the weld area can damage the bearing by electric arcing.

For more safety and precautionary statements, refer to Hendrickson literature number T12007, available at www.Hendrickson-intl.com/TrailerLit.

CONTACTING HENDRICKSON

Contact Hendrickson Trailer Technical Services for technical assistance as needed. To do so, several options are available.

Prior to contacting Technical Services, have the following information about your vehicle and Hendrickson suspension available (all that apply):

- Suspension ID Tag information (Refer to Hendrickson Lit. No. L977 *ID Guide*, page 2 for tag location and details):
 - Suspension model number
 - Suspension serial number
 - Approximate number of suspension miles.
- Vehicle VIN number. Refer to trailer OEM manual for VIN plate location.
 - Trailer Type (van, reefer, flat bed, etc...)
 - Manufacturer
 - VIN (vehicle identification number)
 - In-service date¹

- If applicable, description of the system problem, part number and/or part description of the reported non-functioning part.
 - Date of problem.
 - Where applicable: location of problem on suspension / trailer; e.g., road side, front axle, rear axle, curb side rear, etc...
 - Symptoms-
 - » Systems, components or function effected by problem.
 - » When does problem occur?
 - » How often does the problem occur?
 - » Etc...
- What troubleshooting and/or measurements have been performed?
- What service data literature do you have or need?
- Digital photos of suspension and damaged areas.
- Special application approval documentation (if applicable).

PHONE

Contact Hendrickson directly in the United States at **866-RIDEAIR (743-3247)**. From the menu, select:

- **Technical Services/Warranty** for technical information.
- Other selections include:
 - Aftermarket Sales for replacement parts information and ordering.
 - Original Equipment Sales for parts inquiries and ordering for trailer manufactures.

EMAIL

For Hendrickson Trailer Technical Services, use the following e-mail address:

https@hendrickson-intl.com

¹ If the in-service date is unknown or not available, the vehicle date of manufacture can be substituted.

LITERATURE

If you suspect your version of this or any other Hendrickson manual is not "Up-to-Date", the most current version is free online at:

www.Hendrickson-intl.com/TrailerLit

Available Hendrickson documentation can be viewed or downloaded from this site.

All Hendrickson online documentation are PDF files that require Adobe Acrobat Reader to open. This is a free application downloadable from Adobe's home page (<http://get.adobe.com/reader/>).

Other relative Hendrickson literature may include:

NAME	DESCRIPTION
L496	<i>Standard Service Wheel End</i>
L578	<i>Suspension Inspection & Lubrication Requirements</i>
L583	<i>Comprehensive Warranty Statement</i>
L949	<i>Air Disc Brake Parts List</i>
L1225	<i>Air Disc Brake Application Guide</i>
T71004	<i>ADB Rotor (U-shape style) and Caliper Mounting</i>
T72002	<i>HXL7® Wheel-end Maintenance Procedures</i>
T72006	<i>HXL3® Wheel-end Maintenance Procedures</i>
T72007	<i>HXL5® Wheel-end Maintenance Procedures</i>

Table 1: Relative literature

PREPARING TRAILER FOR SERVICE

NOTE: DO NOT service a suspension or any components that are under warranty without first contacting Hendrickson Technical Services. Refer to CONTACTING HENDRICKSON for details.

⚠WARNING: To prevent serious eye injury, always wear safety glasses when performing trailer maintenance and service.

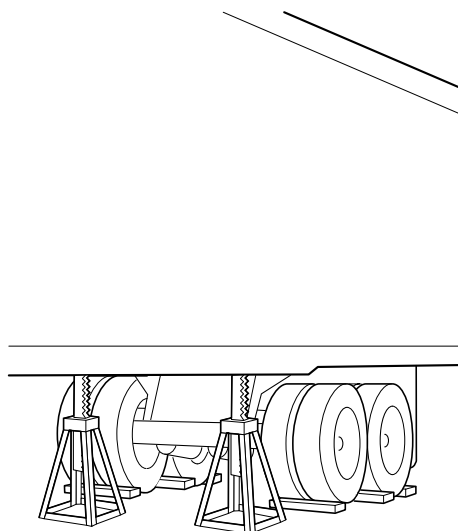


Figure 1: Trailer preparation

Before beginning any work on a trailer suspension system, use the following steps to help ensure conditions are safe. Refer to GENERAL SERVICE NOTES on page 3.

1. **Park** the trailer on a level, debris-free surface.
2. **Set** the trailer parking brakes.
3. To prevent the trailer from moving, **chock** the wheels of an axle not being raised.
4. **Exhaust** the air from the trailer suspension.

If required during service:

5. **Release** the trailer parking brakes.
6. Using a jack, **raise** trailer and/or axle until wheels clear the work surface.
7. **Support** the raised trailer with safety stands.

⚠WARNING: Do not work under a trailer supported only by jacks. Jacks can slip or fall over, resulting in serious personal injury. Always use safety stands to support a raised trailer.

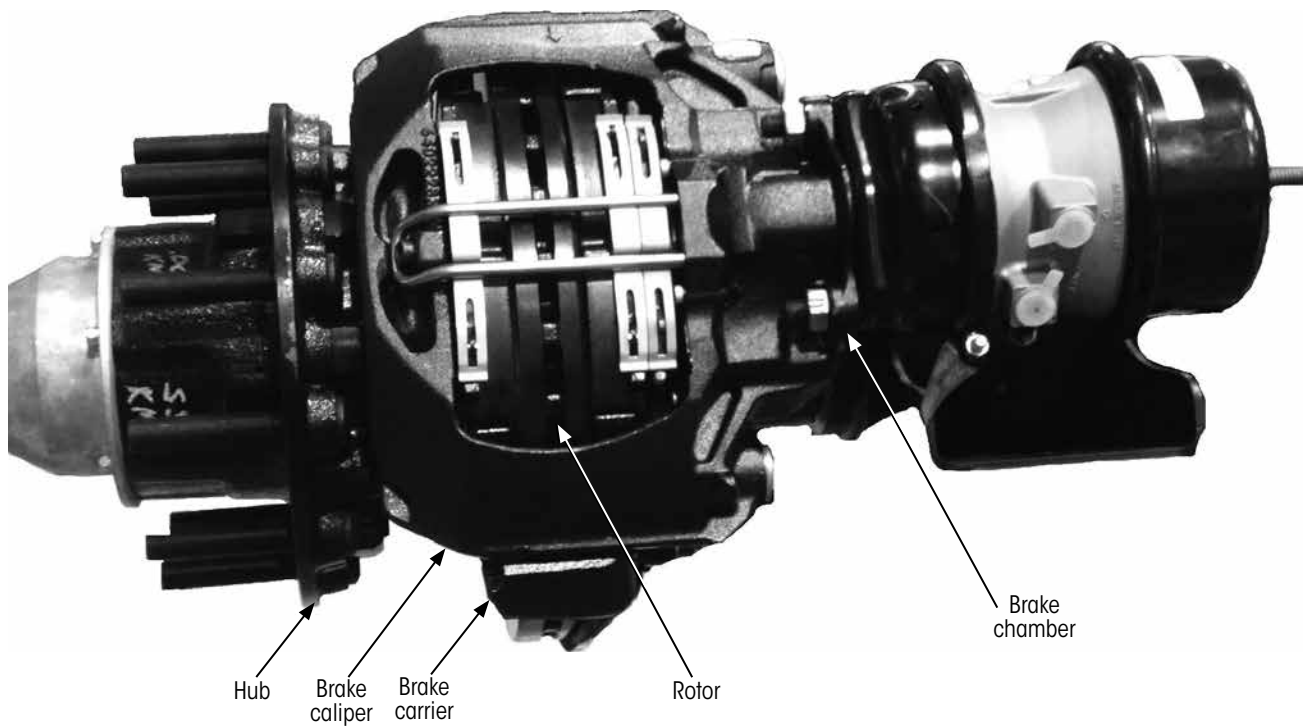


Figure 2: MAXX22T primary components

INTRODUCTION

This publication describes maintenance and repair of the MAXX22T™ air disc brake, including the individual operations and work processes required to replace components using available repair kits.

DESCRIPTION OF MAXX22T DISC BRAKE

The MAXX22T (Figure 2) is a pneumatic one-piston-brake intended for use as service, auxiliary and parking brake on commercial vehicle axles with a minimum size of 22.5" wheels.

Braking is actuated mechanically via a single diaphragm brake chamber or a spring brake chamber that is installed directly onto the brake caliper, thereby reducing the overall axial length of the brake. This enables optimal utilization of the application.

The complete disc brake consists of the following components: brake rotor, air brake chamber, brake carrier and brake caliper assembly (brake pads, pressure plate, pad retainer spring and pad retainer bar).

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

Axial movement of the brake caliper occurs on the guide pins (Figure 3). The brake pads are supported, guided and move axially in the brake carrier. The brake pads support is implemented by means of a pad retainer bar and hold-down springs.

The radially open design of the brake caliper enables simple brake pad replacements.

Compensating for pad wear, the actuating mechanism of the brake is equipped with a force-dependent, automatic adjuster mechanism. This mechanism maintains a preset pad to rotor clearance regardless of load and operating conditions.

NOTE: For exploded view with all parts called out. Refer to APPENDIX C: EXPLODED VIEW OF REPLACEMENT PARTS on page 40.

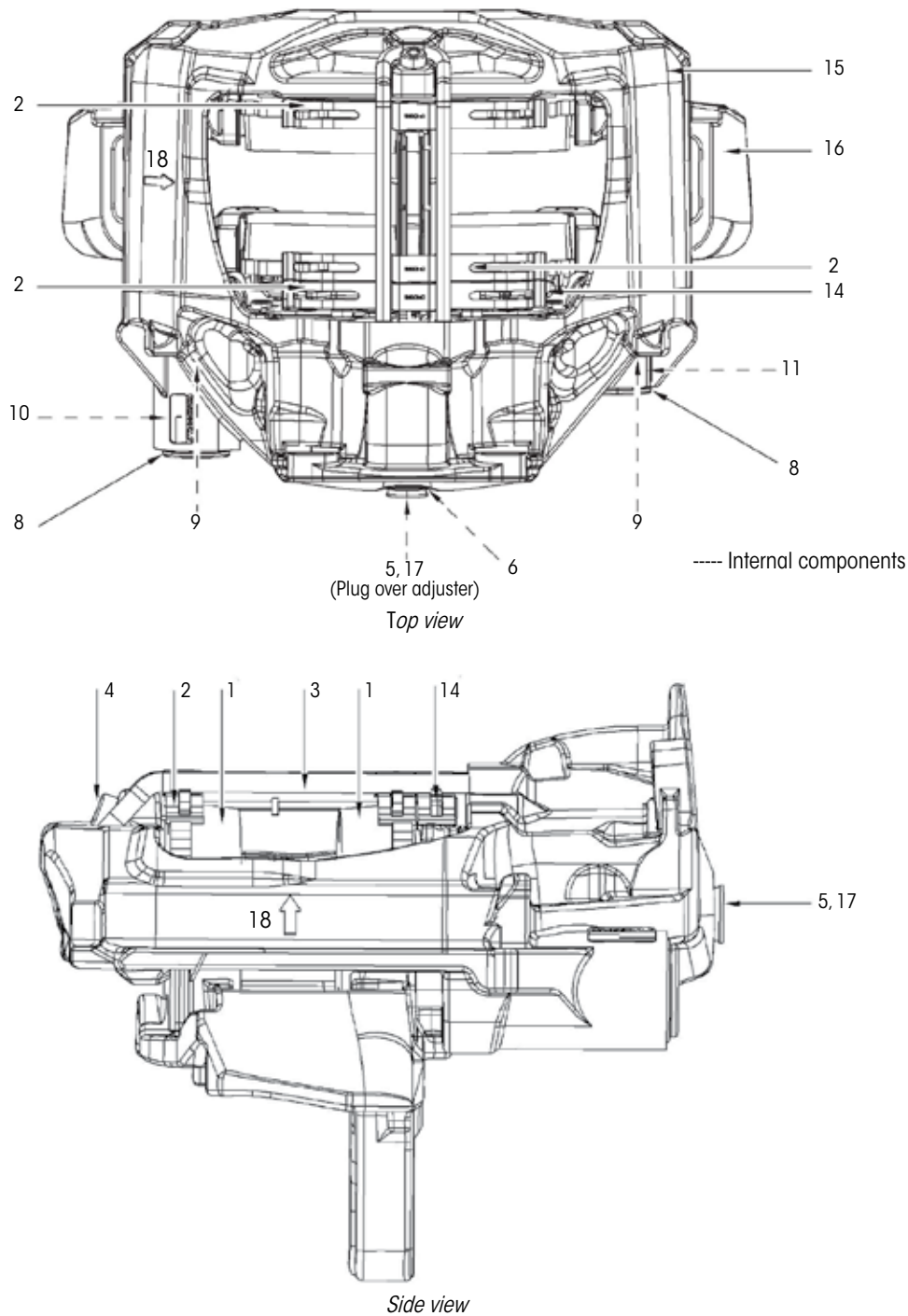


Figure 3: MAXX22T™ component locations (left brake shown)

Item	Name	Item	Name	Item	Name
1	Brake pads, outboard & inboard	8	Cap, guide pin	15	Brake caliper assembly
2	Spring, pressure plate retainer	9	Screw, guide pin	16	Brake carrier
3	Pad retainer bar	10	Guide pin (long)	17	Adjuster
4	Screw, pad retainer	11	Guide pin (short)	18	Rotor rotation driving forward
5	Plug, adjuster	12	Bushing, guide pins (Figure 91)		
6	Boot, adjuster	13	Boots, guide pin (Figure 91)		
7	Boot, adjuster piston	14	Pressure plate		

Table 2: MAXX22T components

DISC BRAKE INSPECTION

⚠CAUTION: Observe all safety instructions. Refer to **IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES** on page 3. These instructions must be observed to help avoid personal injury and/or material damage.

GENERAL INSPECTION

NOTICE: The 8 mm adjuster components can be damaged if using open-ended wrenches or power tools.

Only use tools listed in ADB TOOLS on page 38 and described in these procedures.

Prior to removing the brake and during service:



Figure 4: Damaged guide pin cap

1. **Check** the brake system for damage and/or missing components (e.g. Figure 4).
2. **Replace** as needed.

CHECKING AUTOMATIC ADJUSTER OPERATION

NOTE: Directions of rotation and torques of the adjuster are listed in Table 3 of APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, Item I.

The brake chamber does not need to be removed in order to check the brake. The brake is shown, in this document, without the brake chamber for illustration purposes only.

Brake pads and pressure plate must be installed in order to check the adjuster.

Brake pads and pressure plate are held in place by the retainer springs and pad retainer bar.

NOTICE: Damage can occur at the inner seal when the plug removal tool is improperly positioned between brake caliper and outer edge of the adjuster boot.

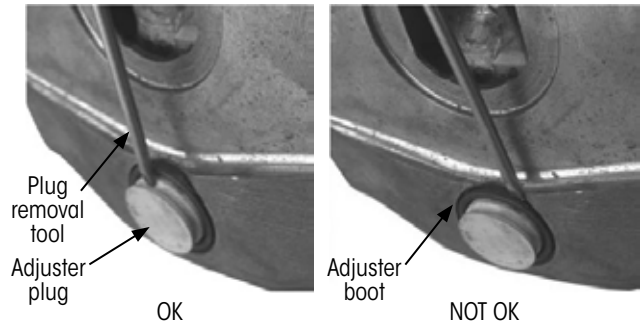


Figure 5: Removing adjuster plug

1. **Position** the plug removal tool at the adjuster plug when removing it (Figure 5).
2. **Carefully remove** the adjuster plug.

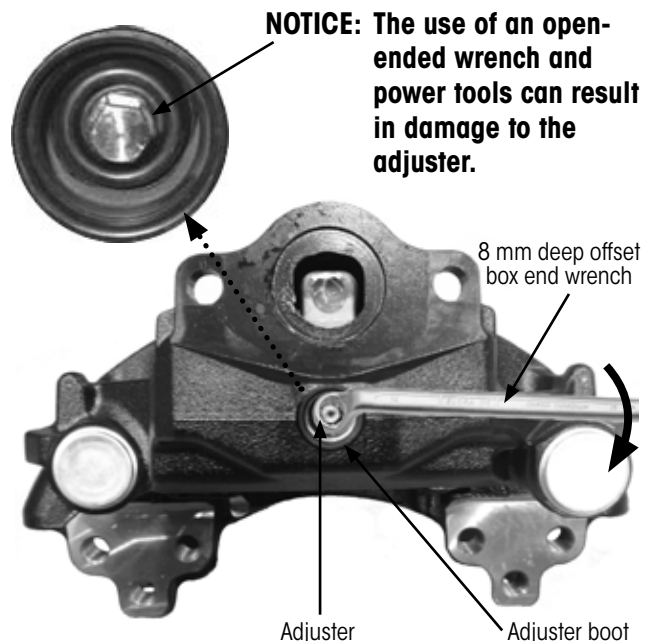


Figure 6: Checking adjuster movement.

3. **Check** the adjuster boot and plug for wear and damage. Discard and replace if worn or damaged.
4. Use an 8 mm deep offset box end wrench to **turn** the adjuster 1/2 turn clockwise (Figure 6).

NOTE: Checking the adjustment is only possible with a larger gap of 0.08" to 0.12" (2 to 3 mm). There must be sufficient space for the engaged wrench to rotate; it must not be obstructed when it is turned during adjustment.

5. This step requires two people: **Gently apply the brake** 5 times (braking pressure is approximately 14.5 psi, 1 bar). If the adjuster functions correctly, the wrench will turn incrementally (Figure 6 on page 9).

NOTE: With increasing adjustment the angle of rotation of the engaged wrench becomes smaller with each actuation. The adjuster is working correctly if the wrench rotates as described above.

NOTICE: Faults that might occur:

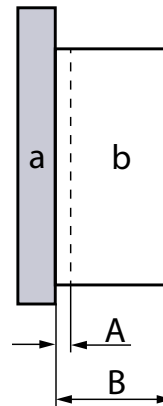
- The adjuster or the attached wrench does not turn (Figure 6 on page 9).
- The adjuster or the attached wrench only rotates with the first actuation.
- The adjuster or the attached wrench rotates back and forth in same position with every actuation.

In these cases the adjuster is faulty and the brake must be replaced. Refer to REPLACING THE BRAKE on page 21.

6. **Remove** the offset box end wrench from the adjuster.
7. **Reinstall** the adjuster plug. Ensure a tight fit in the process. If not tight, replace.

CHECKING BRAKE PAD WEAR

General guidelines to checking brake pads and wear include:



A = Minimum friction material thickness: 0.16" (4 mm)

B = Total friction material thickness: 0.90" (23 mm)

a = Backing plate

b = Brake pad friction material

Figure 7: Measuring brake friction material thickness

NOTICE: The brake pad thickness must be checked at regular intervals, in relation to vehicle use, during maintenance intervals.

Oil-contaminated brake pads must be replaced immediately.

Always replace all brake pads by axle, using a new retaining system for brake pads and pressure plates.

To avoid damaging the brake rotor, replace brake pads when friction material thickness (Figure 7, A) is at or close to the minimum. It must not be allowed to become less than 0.16" (4 mm), measured from the backing plate (Figure 7, A).

Replace the brake pads at a minimum friction material thickness $A < 0.16"$ (4 mm). Refer to REPLACING THE BRAKE on page 21.

Brake wear can be measured using the following method:

MANUALLY MEASURING BRAKE PAD WEAR

Wear on the middle of the brake pads can be measured with a tape measure or a ruler either at the long guide pin screw at the rotor run-in or at the short guide pin screw at the rotor run-out:

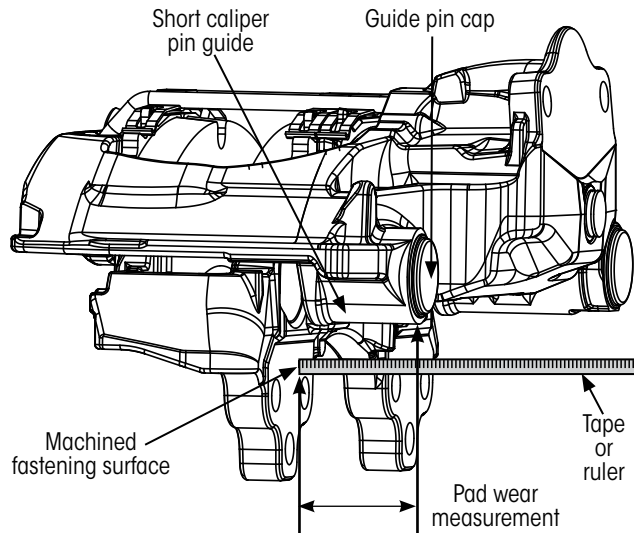


Figure 8: Measuring brake pad wear

As shown in Figure 8, measure the distance between the brake carrier machined fastening surface and the guide pin cap.

The measuring point on the brake carrier is the machined fastening surface attached to the torque plate, T71004.

Caliper movement, which results from pad and rotor wear, indicates the amount of wear. Measure movement (Figure 8) at the short caliper pin guide.

IMPORTANT: If wear exceeds 3.94" (100 mm), replace brake pads. Check rotor thickness.

CHECKING PAD SPRINGS, PAD RETAINING BAR HOLES, AND CARRIER PAD CONTACT AREAS

Perform a visual inspection of the brake pad components in the timeframe recommended in document L578. Inspection includes

INSPECTING BRAKE PAD SPRINGS

1. Visually inspect the brake pad springs for:
 - Cracks
 - Broken springs
 - Missing springs
2. Replace pads if any of the above conditions are found. Refer to REPLACING THE BRAKE PADS, on page 15.

NOTE: Do NOT continue to use this brake until the pads are replaced.



Figure 9: Broken and missing pad springs

INSPECTING CALIPER PAD RETAINER BAR HOLES

1. Visually inspect the pad retainer bar holes for excessive wear.
2. Measure the holes at the longest direction, Figure 10. If either of the measured holes are 12mm (.472 inches) or larger replace the caliper assembly.

NOTE: Do NOT continue to use this brake until the caliper is replaced.

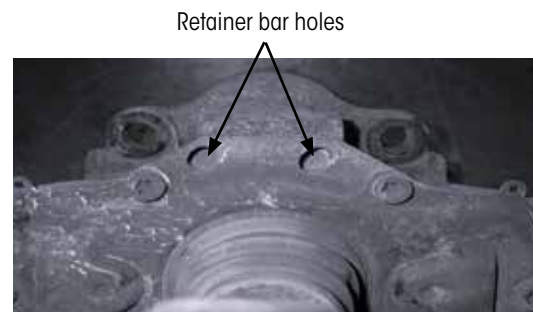


Figure 10: Retainer bar holes

INSPECTING CARRIER-TO-PADS CONTACT AREAS

1. Visually inspect the carrier where the brake pads contact the carrier, Figure 11.
2. If grooving can be felt using your fingernail, then carrier “pound-out” has occurred, Figure 11. Replace the caliper assembly.

NOTE: Do NOT continue to use this brake until the caliper is replaced.

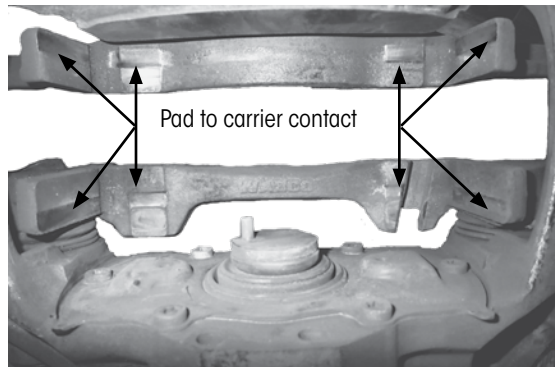


Figure 11: Pad to carrier contact areas

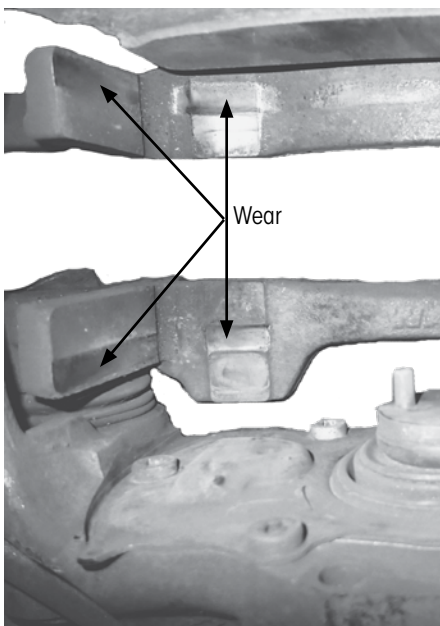


Figure 12: “Pound-out” wear

INSPECTING THE BRAKE ROTOR

IMPORTANT: Regularly check the wear limits of brake pads and brake rotors.

⚠CAUTION: When brake pads and/or brake rotors are worn beyond limits, the braking effect is reduced and there is a risk of damage to brake components.

- IMPORTANT:**
- The brake rotors must be clean and free from grease.
 - Having installed new brake rotors, it is recommended that new brake pads be installed as well.

CHECKING ROTOR THICKNESS

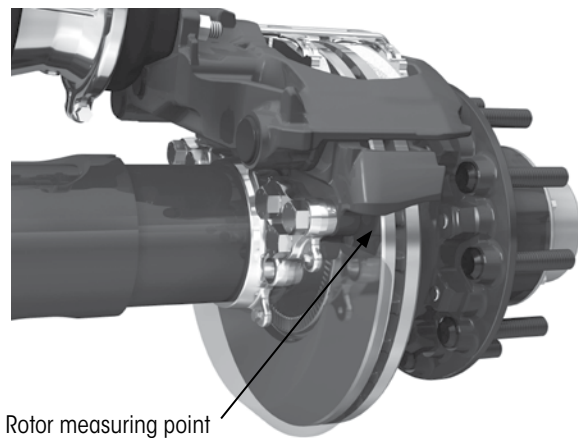


Figure 13: Measuring rotor thickness

1. **Measure** brake rotor thickness at the braking area (friction surface) at 3 points, 120° apart. Refer to Figure 13 and Figure 14, Figure 15 on page 13 for rotor condition examples and measurements.

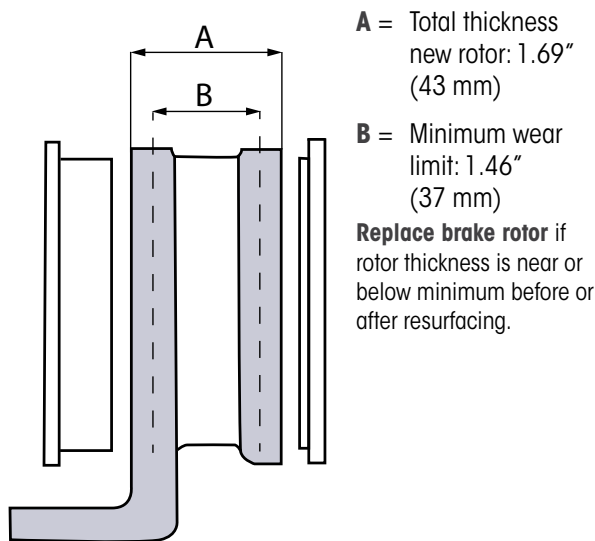


Figure 14: Rotor thickness

CHECKING THE CONDITION OF THE BRAKE ROTORS

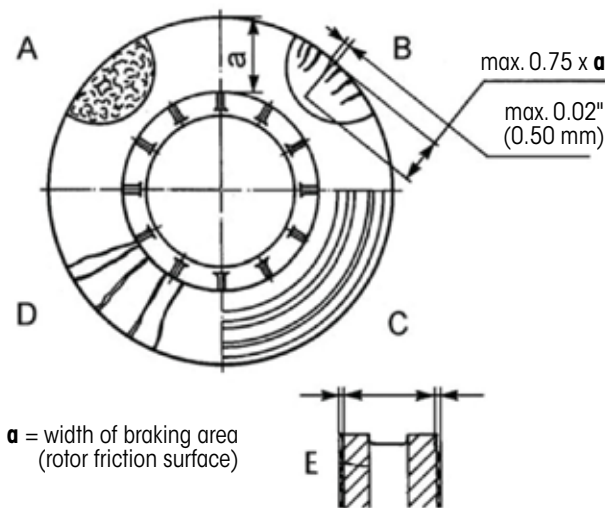


Figure 15: Rotor condition analysis

Permissible

- A** Web-like crack formation
- B** Radial cracks up to max. 0.02" (0.50 mm) width
- C** Unevenness of the rotor friction surface up to max. 0.06" (1.5 mm) depth

Not Permissible

- D** Continuous cracks
 - E** A crack that passes completely through the rotor friction surface to the center vent from either side
2. **Check** the brake rotor for cracks and the condition of the friction surface (Figure 15).
 3. **Replace** the brake rotor if a "not permissible" condition exists.

NOTE: If the rotor needs to be replaced, for inboard rotors the hub will need to be removed, for outboard rotors the hub will not need to be removed. Refer to the applicable wheel end maintenance manual, listed in Table 1 on page 6, for this procedure.

CHECKING THE RUNOUT OF THE BRAKE ROTORS

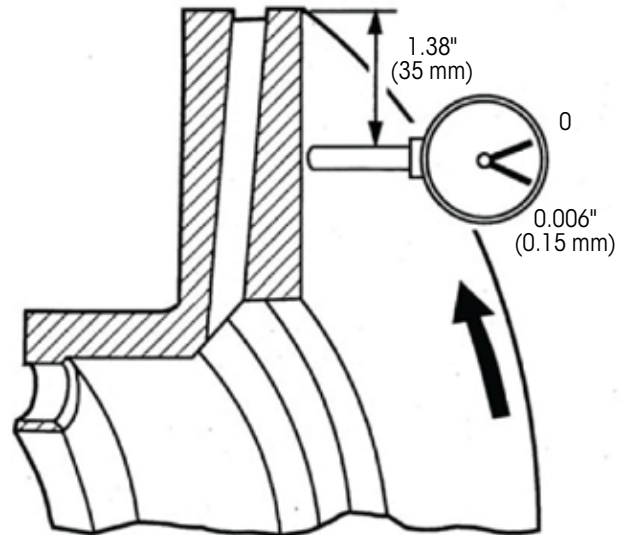


Figure 16: Checking rotor runout

1. **Fasten** the dial indicator to the brake caliper.
2. With the brake rotor installed, **check** the runout by rotating the wheel hub. Limit value: 0.006" (0.15 mm).

IMPORTANT: Only install cleaned and grease-free brake rotors.

3. **Replace** the brake rotor or have it properly resurfaced if the brake rotor runout is more than 0.006" (0.15 mm). Also replace if, after resurfacing, the thickness is below minimum (Figure 14).
4. **Install** the brake pads. Refer to INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19.

CHECKING GUIDE PIN BEARING PLAY

⚠CAUTION: Gripping brake from inside may cause injuries, GRIP BRAKE FROM FAR OUTSIDE EDGES.

1. **Remove** the vehicle wheel in accordance with the instructions of the axle and/or vehicle manufacturer.
2. **Remove** the brake pads and the pressure plate. Refer to [REMOVING THE BRAKE PADS](#) on page 15.
3. **Manually push** the brake caliper completely outboard.
4. **Fasten** the magnetic dial indicator support to the brake carrier or the axle ([Figure 18](#)).



Measuring point

Figure 17: Bearing measuring point, outboard side

5. **Clean** the measuring point ([Figure 17](#)).

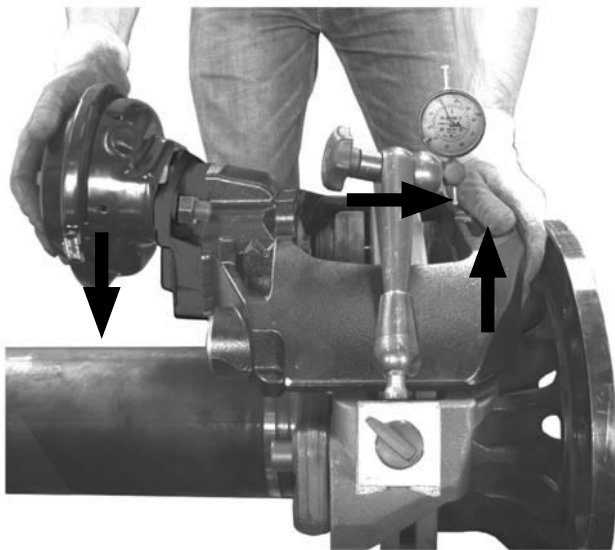


Figure 18: Tilting brake chamber to axle

6. **Press** the dial indicator against the measuring point on the brake caliper ([Figure 18](#)).
7. Applying force to **tilt** the brake caliper as far as possible toward the axle, as illustrated above, and set the dial indicator to zero.

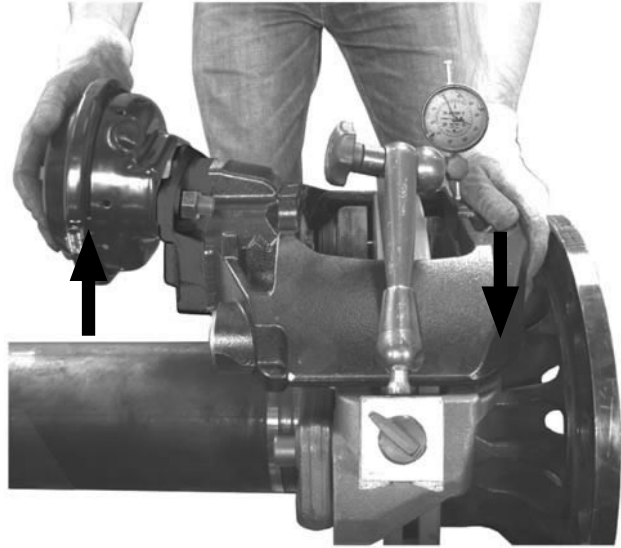


Figure 19: Tilting brake chamber away from axle

8. Apply force to **tilt** the brake caliper as far as possible in the opposite direction ([Figure 19](#)).
9. **Read** the dial indicator. The bearing play must not be greater than 0.08" (2 mm).
10. **Replace** the guide pin bushings if the measured bearing play is greater than 0.08" (>2 mm). Refer to [REPLACING GUIDE PIN BOOTS AND BUSHINGS](#) on page 26.
11. **Remove** the dial indicator.
12. **Install** pressure plate, brake pads and adjust the clearance. Refer to [INSTALLING BRAKE PADS](#) on page 19.
13. **Mount** wheels in accordance with the instructions of the axle or vehicle manufacturer.

REPLACING ADB COMPONENTS

NOTE: It is not necessary to remove the brake to replace brake pads.

REPLACING THE BRAKE PADS

IMPORTANT: Observe all safety instructions. Refer to IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES on page 3. These instructions must be observed to avoid personal injury and/or material damage.

⚠CAUTION: **Gripping brake from inside may cause injuries, GRIP BRAKE FROM FAR OUTSIDE EDGES.**

REMOVING THE BRAKE PADS

IMPORTANT: The brake chamber does not need to be removed in order to replace the brake pads. The brake is shown without the brake chamber for illustration purposes only.

Always replace the brake pads by axle and use a new retaining system for brake pads and pressure plates. Retainer springs are already pre-assembled on the brake pads.

NOTICE: The 8 mm adjuster components can be damaged if using open-ended wrenches or power tools.

Only use tools listed in ADB TOOLS on page 38 and described in these procedures.

1. **Remove** the vehicle wheel in accordance with the instructions of the axle or vehicle manufacturer.

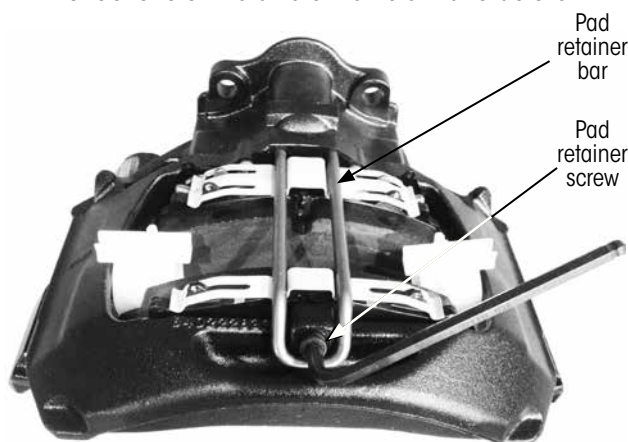


Figure 20: Removing pad retainer screw

2. **Loosen** the pad retainer screw from the brake caliper (Figure 16). Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, Item II. Apply slight pressure on the pad retainer bar with your hand at the same time.

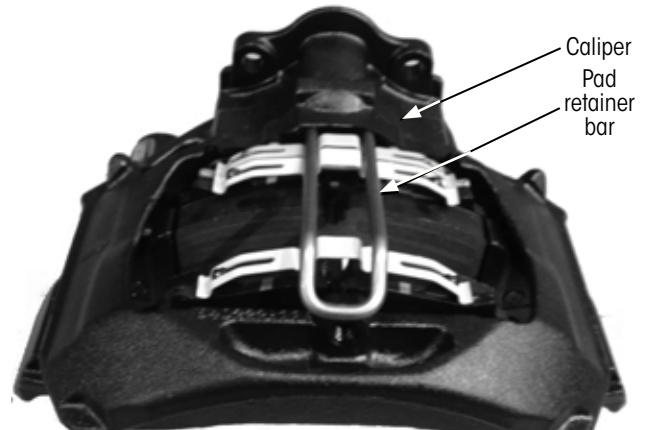


Figure 21: Loose pad retainer bar, prior to removal

3. **Completely remove** the pad retainer bar from the brake caliper.

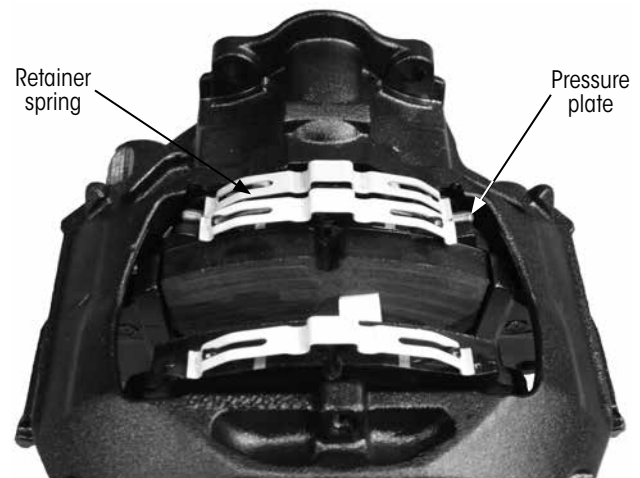


Figure 22: Retainer spring, pad retainer bar removed

4. **Remove** the retainer spring from the pressure plate (Figure 22).

IMPORTANT: Brake pad retainer springs are pre-attached. **DO NOT REMOVE.**

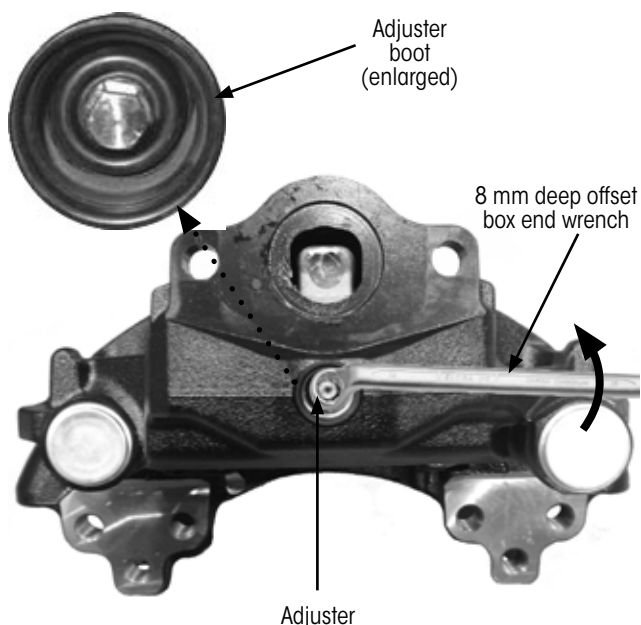


Figure 23: Rotating adjuster with an 8 mm deep offset box end wrench

5. **Carefully remove** the adjuster plug from the caliper. Refer to [Figure 5](#) on page 9 for proper tool and removal procedure.

NOTICE: Damage can occur at the inner seal when the tool is improperly positioned between brake caliper and outer side of the adjuster boot.

6. **Check** the adjuster boot for wear and damage ([Figure 23](#)). Replace if damaged or worn.
7. To prevent rotation of the adjuster piston, use your hand to **push** the pressure plate towards the inboard side, with the adjuster piston pin in the pressure plate slot.

NOTICE: Damage can occur to the adjuster boot if the adjuster piston is allowed to rotate.

8. Use the 8 mm deep offset box end wrench to **turn** the adjuster clockwise as far as it will go. Then **turn** the adjuster counterclockwise approximately 90°.

⚠WARNING: Never apply brake when pads are removed. Applying the brake with no brake pads can cause personal injury or may damage the brake.

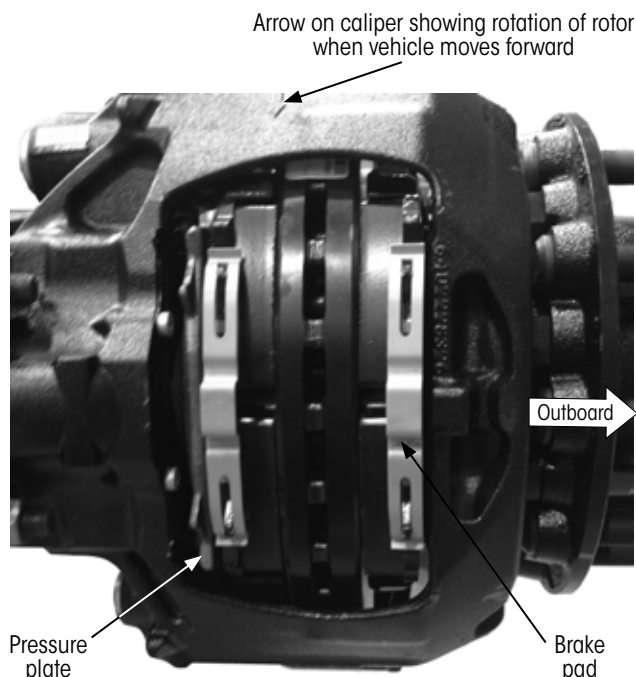


Figure 24: Removing outboard brake pad

9. **Manually push** the brake caliper outboard and remove the outboard brake pad ([Figure 24](#)).

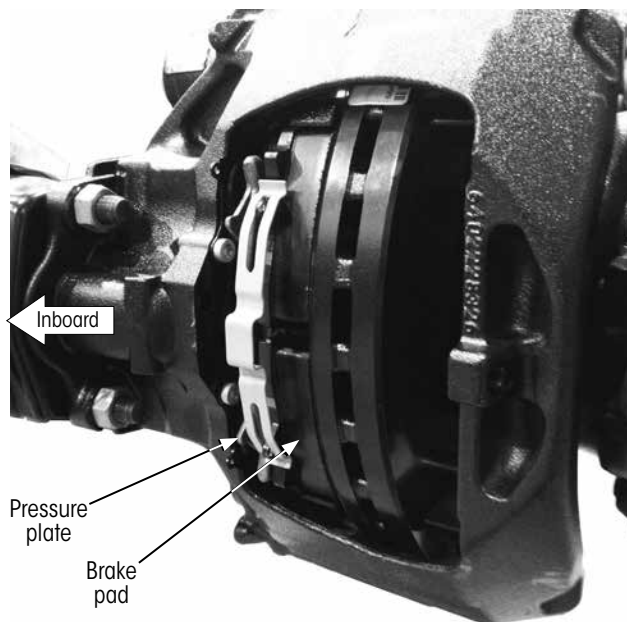


Figure 25: Removing inboard brake pad and pressure plate

10. **Manually push** the brake caliper inboard ([Figure 25](#), arrow).
11. **Remove** the inboard brake pad.
12. **Remove** the pressure plate from the brake caliper.
13. **Check** the pressure plate for excessive corrosion and damage. Replace if corroded or damaged.



NOTE: If replaced, the pressure plate must always be replaced by axle.

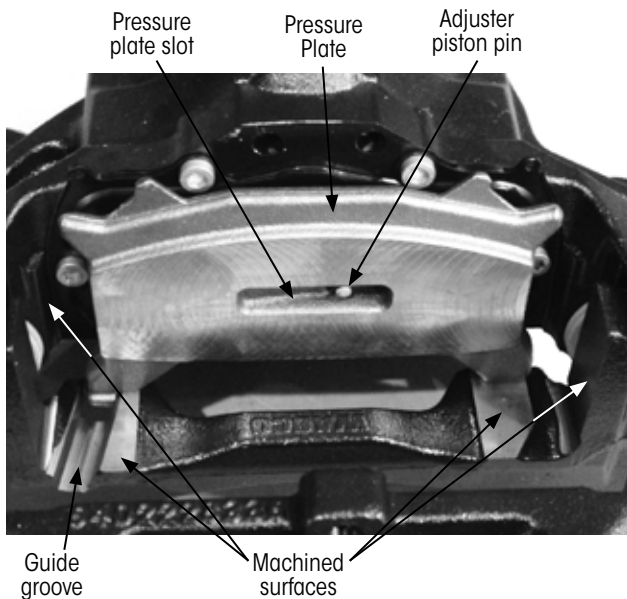


Figure 26: *Cleaning slots and pressure plate guides*

14. Use a wire brush to **clean** guide groove on caliper, pressure plate and all machined surfaces on the brake caliper. Remove any corrosion.

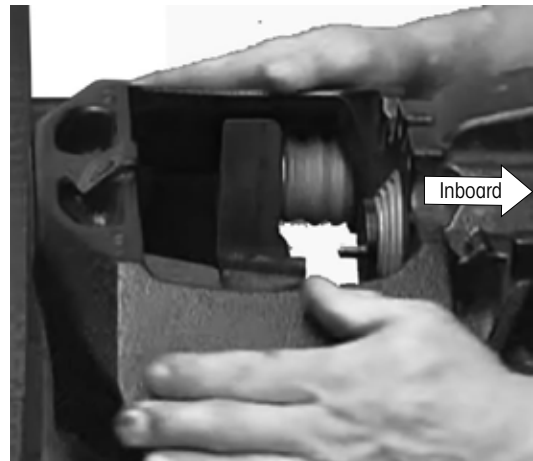
IMPORTANT: The machined surfaces of the brake caliper must be clean and free of grease!

NOTICE: Inappropriate cleaning may result in damage to the protection boots (Figure 28 on page 18). This must be avoided.

CHECKING BRAKE CALIPER MOVEMENT



Caliper fully outboard



Caliper fully inboard

Figure 27: *Checking caliper movement*

1. **Manually slide** the brake caliper across the entire stroke of the guide pins several times and check for ease of movement (Figure 27).

NOTICE: While moving the caliper, ensure the guide pin boots are not pinched against the brake carrier.

2. If the caliper does not move easily, **replace** the bushings, guide pins and guide pin boots. Refer to REPLACING GUIDE PIN BOOTS AND BUSHINGS on page 26.

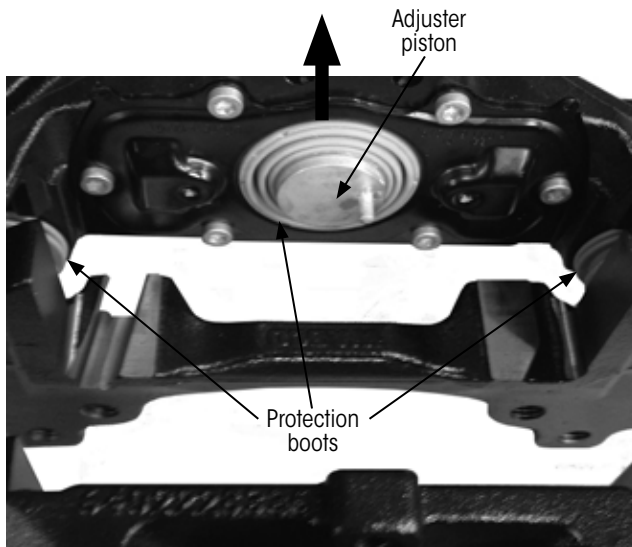


Figure 28: Pushing caliper toward inboard side

3. **Manually push** the brake caliper inboard.
4. **Carefully wipe clean** all protection boots.
5. **Check** the protection boots (Figure 28 through Figure 32) for wear and damage.
6. **Replace** any damaged or worn protection boots. Refer to REPLACING PROTECTION BOOTS on page 25.



Figure 29: Improperly seated guide pin boot



Figure 30: Twisted guide pin boot



Figure 31: Adjuster piston boot damage



Figure 32: Wrinkled adjuster piston boot

CHECKING THE MANUAL ADJUSTER FUNCTION (WITH PADS REMOVED)

NOTICE: The 8 mm adjuster components can be damaged if using open-ended wrenches or power tools.

Only use tools listed in ADB TOOLS on page 38 and described in these procedures.

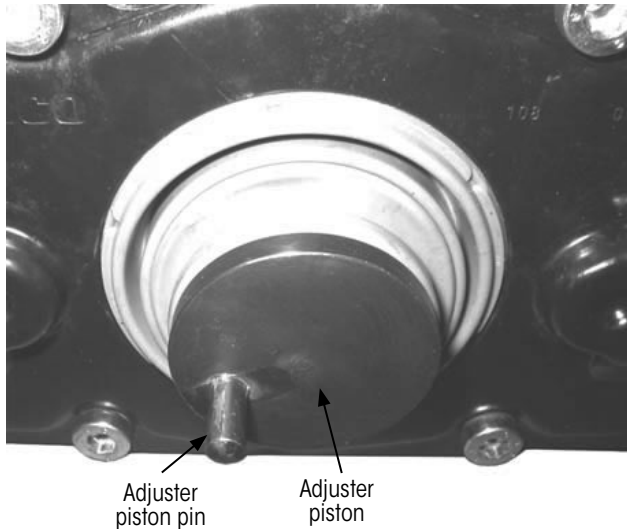


Figure 33: Adjuster piston rotation with pin

1. While checking the adjuster, **restrain** the adjuster piston pin to prevent rotation and damage to the adjuster piston boot (Figure 33).

NOTE: This can be accomplished by temporarily installing the pressure plate, as shown in Figure 35.

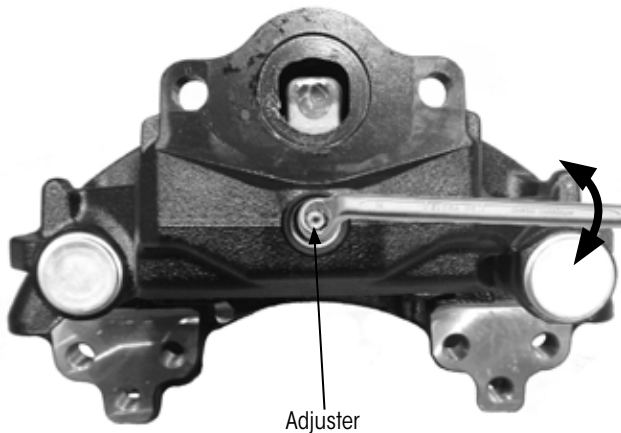


Figure 34: Checking adjuster movement

2. Use the 8 mm deep offset box end wrench to **turn** the adjuster counterclockwise moving piston towards the brake rotor (Figure 34). **Check** for ease of movement when doing this.
3. If the adjuster functioned in step 2, turn the adjuster clockwise until piston is fully retracted, then turn the adjuster counterclockwise 90°.

NOTE: It is normal for the resistance to be greater when turning the adjuster clockwise to move the adjuster piston away from the rotor.

4. **Check** the adjuster, if necessary. Refer to CHECKING AUTOMATIC ADJUSTER OPERATION on page 9.

INSTALLING BRAKE PADS

NOTICE: The 8 mm adjuster components can be damaged if using open-ended wrenches or power tools.

Only use tools listed in ADB TOOLS on page 38 and described in these procedures.

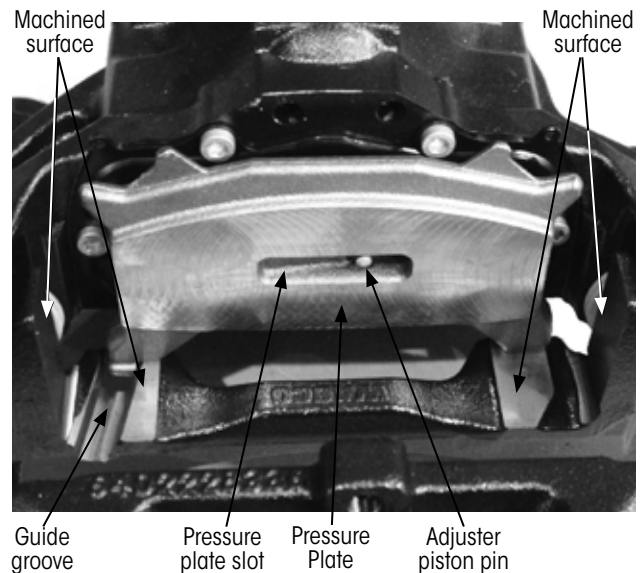


Figure 35: Installing pressure plate

NOTICE: The pressure plate (Figure 35) must always be placed correctly in the guide groove and is to entirely cover machined surfaces shown in (Figure 35). Otherwise the pressure plate could slide out of position.

1. **Manually move** the brake caliper inboard until there is sufficient clearance to insert the pressure plate.

2. **Insert** the pressure plate into the brake caliper (Figure 35 on page 19).
3. **Slide** the pressure plate up against the adjuster piston with the adjuster piston pin fitting into the pressure plate slot.

NOTE: It may be necessary to move the brake caliper and/or rotate the adjuster piston until the pin engages the slot of the pressure plate.

4. **Ensure** the adjuster piston boot is not twisted (Figure 32 on page 18).

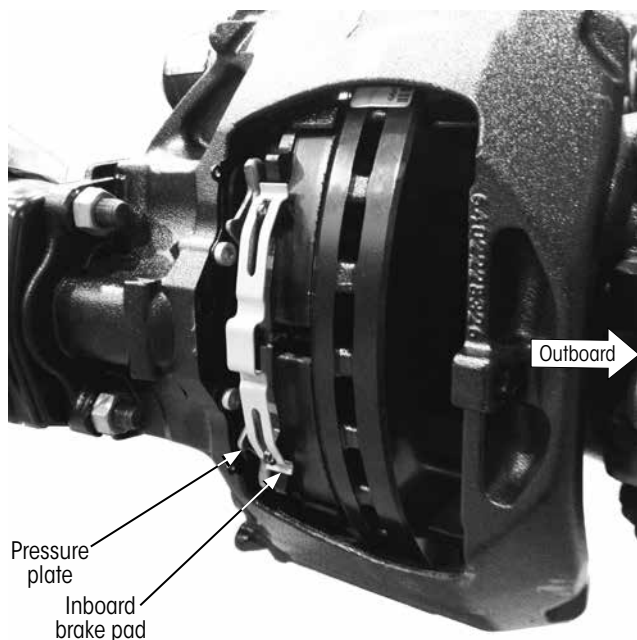


Figure 36: Inserting new brake pad, inboard

5. **Insert** the inboard brake pad (Figure 36).
6. **Manually push** the brake caliper outboard until the inboard brake pad contacts the rotor (Figure 36).
7. **Insert** the brake pad on the outboard side.

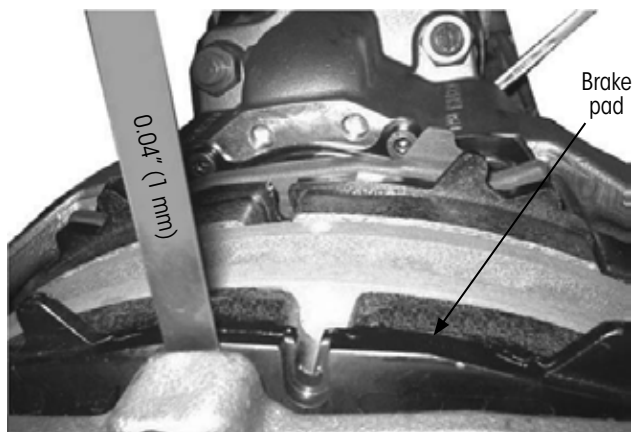


Figure 37: Checking brake pad clearance

8. **Measure and adjust** the clearance using a 0.04" (1 mm) feeler gauge (Figure 37):
 - A. **Insert** the feeler gauge between the outboard brake pad and the brake caliper as shown in Figure 37.
 - B. **Turn** the adjuster counterclockwise with an 8 mm deep offset box end wrench until both brake pads contact the brake rotor.
 - C. **Remove** the feeler gauge.

Pressure plate
retainer spring

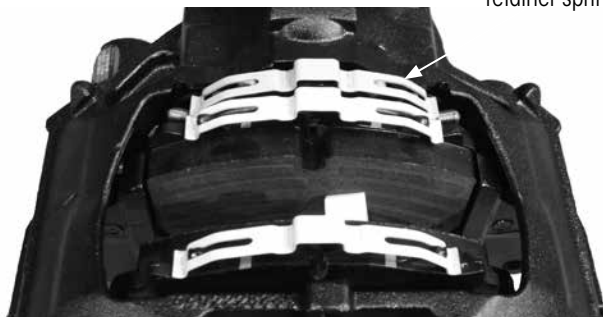


Figure 38: Installing pressure plate retainer spring

9. **Place** a new retainer spring onto the pressure plate (Figure 38).

IMPORTANT: Brake pad retainer springs are pre-attached. **DO NOT REMOVE.**

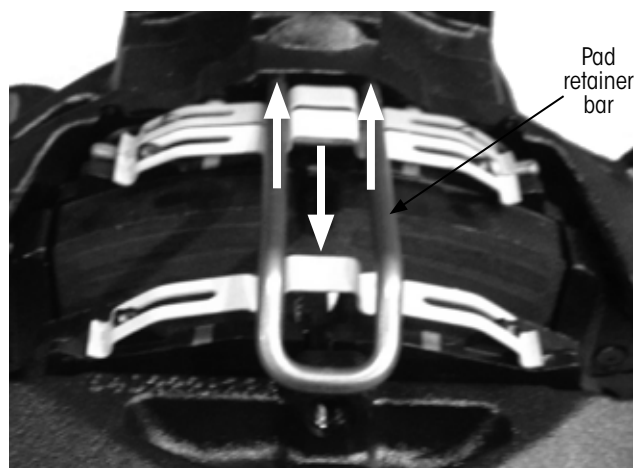


Figure 39: Installing pad retainer bar

10. **Insert** the pad retainer bar into the holes of brake caliper (Figure 39, arrows).
11. Push the pad retainer bar fully into the holes while pushing downward so the retainer springs are engaged into the bar and there is sufficient clearance to install the pad retainer bar screw (Figure 40 on page 21).

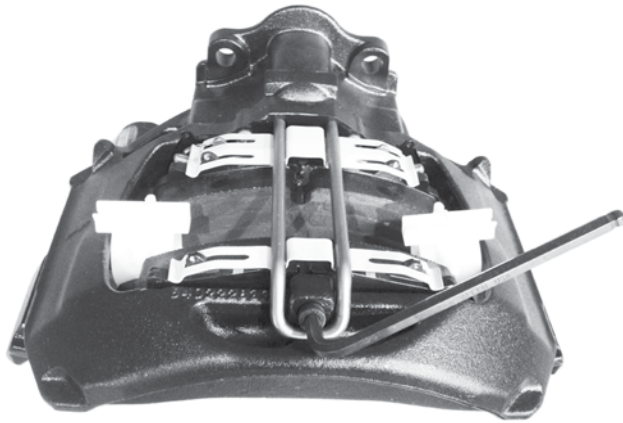


Figure 40: Securing pad retainer bar with pad retainer screw

12. **Fasten** the new pad retainer screw to the brake caliper with the specified torque (Figure 40). Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item II.

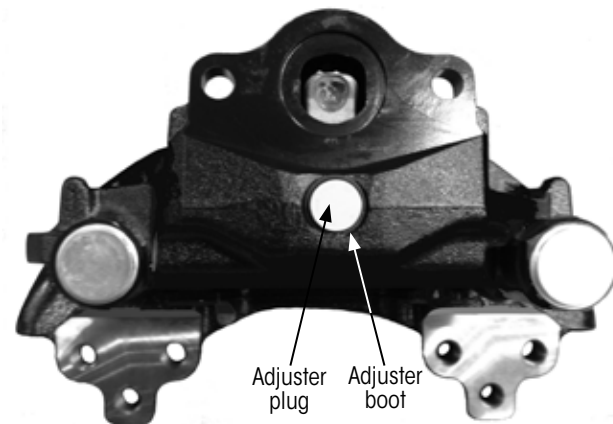


Figure 41: Inserting adjuster plug

13. **Push** a new adjuster plug into the adjuster boot (Figure 41). Ensure the plug is fully seated. Failure to do so will cause caliper to not function.

NOTE: If more repairs are to be performed, proceed to next or previous procedure.

14. **Manually rotate** hub to check for ease of movement.
15. **Mount** wheels in accordance with the instructions of the axle or vehicle manufacturer.

REPLACING THE BRAKE

⚠CAUTION: Observe all safety instructions. Refer to **IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES** on page 3. These instructions must be observed to avoid personal injury and/or material damage.

IMPORTANT: The brake must be removed to service the hub or rotor. Refer to Table 1 on page 6 for a list of applicable Hendrickson wheel-end maintenance manuals.

NOTE: Illustrations are for example only and may deviate from the actual design of the brake.

REMOVING THE BRAKE

1. **Remove** the vehicle wheel in accordance with the instructions of the axle or vehicle manufacturer.
2. **Remove** the brake chamber from the brake caliper. Refer to REPLACING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23.
3. **Remove** the brake pads. Refer to REMOVING THE BRAKE PADS on page 15.

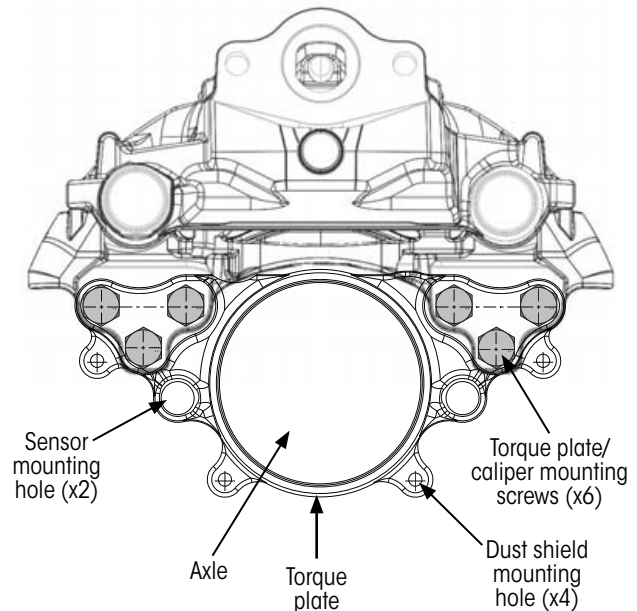


Figure 42: Disc Brake mounted to torque plate.

4. **Remove** torque plate mounting screws and discard. (Figure 42).
5. **Remove** the brake caliper with brake carrier from the axle. Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item III.

6. **Check** the brake rotor. Refer to INSPECTING THE BRAKE ROTOR on page 12.
7. **Check** the brake pads and replace if necessary. Refer to MANUALLY MEASURING BRAKE PAD WEAR on page 10.
8. **Check** the torque plate on the axle for wear and damage.
9. **Clean** the torque plate on the axle and remove any dirt, rust and grease.

INSTALLING THE BRAKE

If following this procedure to reinstall original brake after servicing, skip to Step 2.

IMPORTANT: Brake pads, pressure plate and brake chamber are **not provided** with an aftermarket brake.

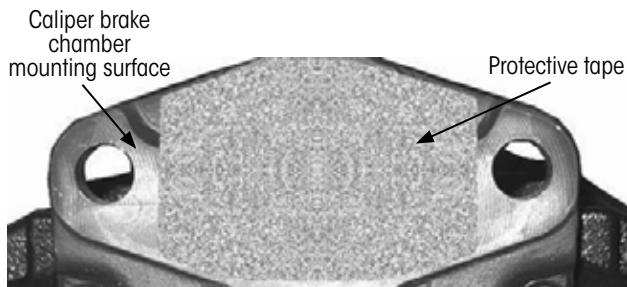


Figure 43: New caliper with protective tape

NOTE: The protective tape covering the caliper brake chamber mounting surface must be fully removed (Figure 43).

1. **Remove** all shipping material from the new brake (Figure 43).
2. **Check** the connecting surface on the axle torque plate and the brake carrier. **Remove** any dirt, rust or oil.

IMPORTANT: The MAXX22T™ torque plate is designed to prevent mixing of left and right brakes. An arrow painted on or cast in the brake caliper indicates the brake rotor's direction of rotation moving forward. See Figure 24 on page 16.



Figure 44: Positioning caliper over brake rotor

3. **Place** the brake assembly, with brake carrier, on top of the brake rotor and mount the brake onto the axle.

IMPORTANT: DO NOT reuse or apply lubricant to torque plate mounting screws.

4. **Tighten** the torque plate mounting screws (Figure 42 on page 21) according to specifications in T71004 ADB Rotor (U-shape style) and Caliper Mounting or APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item III.
5. **Install** brake pads. Refer to INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19.
6. **Mount** the brake chamber on the caliper. Refer to INSTALLING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23.

NOTE: If more repairs are to be performed, proceed to next or previous procedure.

7. **Manually rotate** hub to check for ease of movement.
8. **Mount** wheels in accordance with the instructions of the axle or vehicle manufacturer.

REPLACING THE BRAKE CHAMBER

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can result in serious or fatal injury during handling and use.

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can cause the brake system to not operate properly.

⚠CAUTION: Observe all safety instructions. Refer to **IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES** on page 3. These instructions must be observed to avoid personal injury and/or material damage.

Only use brake chambers as specified by the axle or brake manufacturer.

Pay attention to and strictly adhere to brake chamber manufacturer installation specifications, testing and installation instructions.

The illustrations are for example only and may deviate from the actual design.

REMOVING THE BRAKE CHAMBER

⚠CAUTION: Make sure air connection lines have been removed before removing brake chamber. To avoid injury and damage to brake components, manually cage the brake chamber prior to servicing brake.

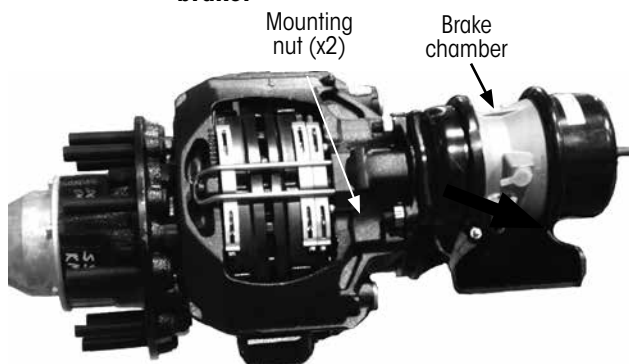


Figure 45: Removing brake chamber

1. **Unscrew** the air connection from the brake chamber according to the manufacturer's specifications.
2. **Manually cage** the brake chamber according to brake chamber manufacturer's procedures.

3. **Unscrew** the brake chamber nuts. Refer to **APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES** on page 37, item V.

NOTICE: Ensure no dirt or moisture enters the brake when removing the brake chamber.

4. **Remove** the brake chamber from the brake caliper.

INSTALLING THE BRAKE CHAMBER

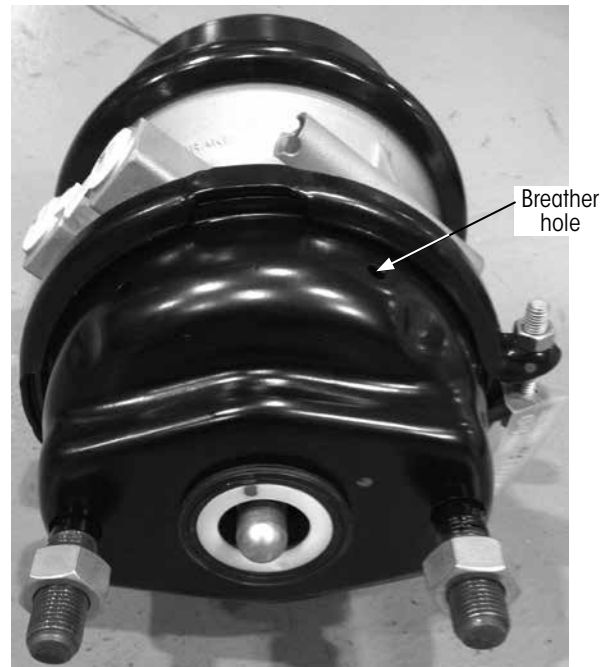


Figure 46: Sample ADB brake chamber

NOTICE: Must be installed with breather hole open at bottom most position (Figure 46).

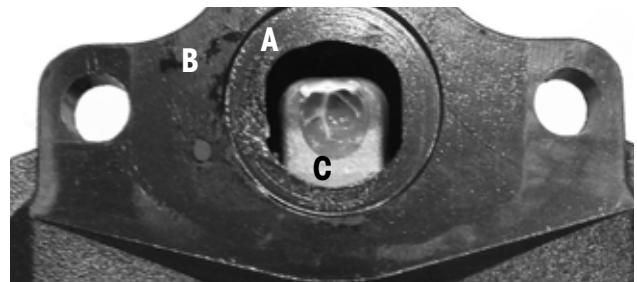


Figure 47: Caliper brake chamber mounting surfaces

1. If not previously caged, **manually cage** the brake chamber according to brake chamber manufacturer's procedures.
2. **Clean** the brake caliper boot surface (Figure 47, A on page 23) and flange area (Figure 47, B on page 23).

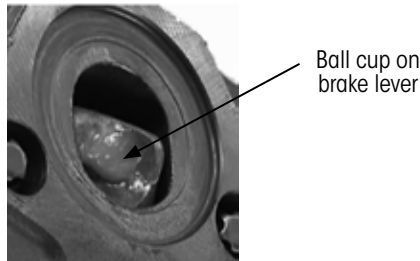


Figure 48: Greased ball cup

3. Before attaching the brake chamber, **grease** the ball cup in the brake lever (Figure 48).

NOTICE: Damage to the brake lines can occur if installed incorrectly or becomes bent or rubs up against other parts.

Installed brake lines should be free of twists and chaffing or rubbing against any other components.



Figure 49: Brake chamber piston-rod seal

4. **Inspect** the brake chamber for damage, particularly at the inner area of the piston-rod seal (Figure 49).

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can result in serious or fatal injury during handling and use.

⚠WARNING: A damaged brake chamber can cause the brake system to not operate properly.

5. If **damaged**, **replace** the brake chamber.

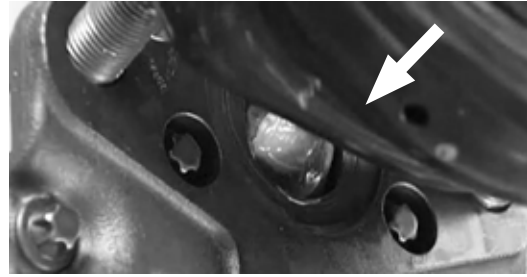


Figure 50: Installing brake chamber

6. **Place** the brake chamber onto the brake caliper (Figure 50).
7. Use a wrench to **screw** new fastening nuts onto the brake chamber until the brake chamber fully rests on the brake caliper. Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item V.
8. **Torque** nuts to specifications. **It is essential to observe the instructions.**
9. **Attach** the brake hose to the brake chamber according to the chamber manufacturer's specifications.
10. **Ensure** enough slack is added to the brake hose to prevent stress. Also, secure brake hoses to avoid obstruction of brake caliper movement over its entire stroke.
11. **Check** the air connection for tightness according to the chamber manufacturer's specifications.
12. **Follow** brake chamber manufacturer's procedures to manually uncage the brake chamber.
13. **Install** brake chamber plug by inserting into the chamber caging hole and rotating back and forth while pressing down to ensure seal. Pull up on edge of tether to confirm plug is fully seated.

REPLACING PROTECTION BOOTS

Procedures in this section define how to service the brake caliper and its components.

⚠CAUTION: Observe all safety instructions. Refer to **IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICES** on page 3. These instructions must be observed to avoid personal injury and/or material damage.

NOTE: If all protection boots are to be replaced, the work sequences for replacing the guide pin boots and bushings, as well as the adjuster piston boot can be performed together.

Illustrations are for example only and may deviate from the actual design.

IMPORTANT: If only replacing the adjuster piston boot or adjuster boot, brake caliper and brake chamber need not be separated.

SUMMARY OF PROCEDURES

Procedures for removing and installing brake prior to servicing the caliper are defined prior to this section as indicated below:

REMOVING THE BRAKE PADS on page 15

REMOVING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23

REMOVING THE BRAKE on page 21

REMOVING BRAKE CALIPER FROM BRAKE CARRIER on page 25

REPLACING GUIDE PIN BOOTS AND BUSHINGS on page 26, if required

REPLACING ADJUSTER PISTON BOOT on page 31, if required

REPLACING ADJUSTER BOOT on page 33, if required

MOUNTING BRAKE CALIPER TO BRAKE CARRIER on page 29

INSTALLING THE BRAKE on page 22

INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19

INSTALLING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23

REMOVING BRAKE CALIPER FROM BRAKE CARRIER

1. **Remove** the brake. Refer to REMOVING THE BRAKE on page 21.

⚠CAUTION: Once you have released the brake caliper, there is a risk of pinching your fingers. Make sure your hands & fingers are not in the way.

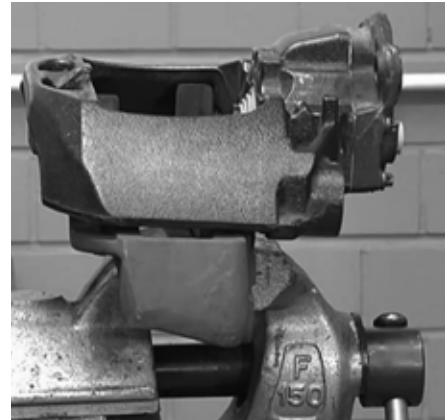


Figure 51: Brake mounted in vice

2. **Use** a suitable device to hold brake while servicing the brake assembly (Figure 51).

NOTE: Refer to APPENDIX B: ADB TOOLS on page 38 for tool information.

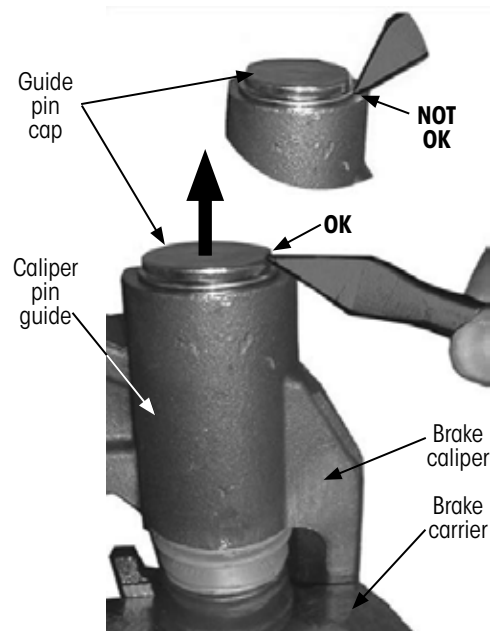


Figure 52: Removing guide pin caps

NOTICE: Damage to the bores may occur if tools are used incorrectly (Figure 52 on page 25). Do not place tool (e.g. chisel or screwdriver) on caliper face. Only position the tool on the guide pin cap.

3. **Remove** the guide pin caps (Figure 52 on page 25).

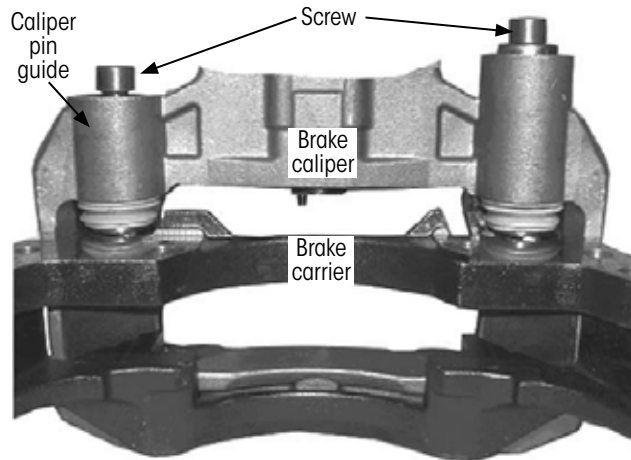


Figure 53: Removing guide pin screws

4. **Remove** guide pin screws (Figure 53). Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item IV.



Figure 54: Supporting caliper while removing screws

⚠CAUTION: Properly support the caliper while removing guide pin screws. Once the screws are removed, the caliper is loose from the carrier and may fall if not supported.

5. **Separate** the brake caliper from the brake carrier.

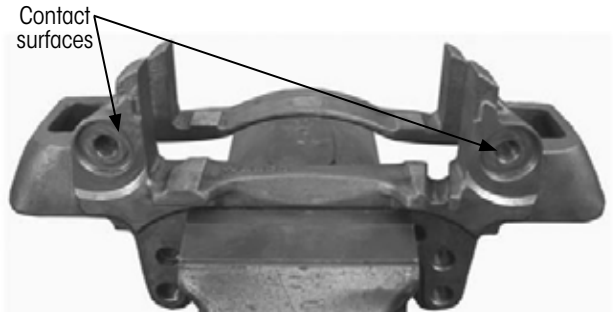


Figure 55: Guide pin contact surfaces

6. **Clean** guide pin contact surfaces on the brake carrier.

REPLACING GUIDE PIN BOOTS AND BUSHINGS

If not required, skip to REPLACING ADJUSTER PISTON BOOT on page 31.

IMPORTANT: Only use the correct tools for these procedures. Refer to the tables in APPENDIX B: ADB TOOLS on page 38.

Guide Pin Disassembly

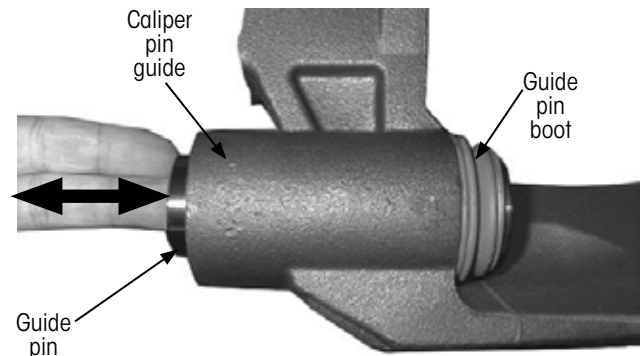


Figure 56: Removing guide pins

1. **Remove** the guide pins from the brake caliper (Figure 56).
2. **Pull** the guide pin boot out of the boot seat of the brake caliper.

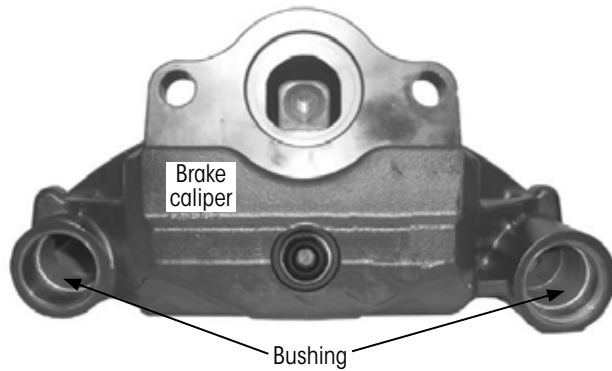


Figure 57: Caliper rear view

3. **Place** the brake caliper on a firm base for pressing out the bushings (Figure 57). The back of the brake caliper must face upwards.

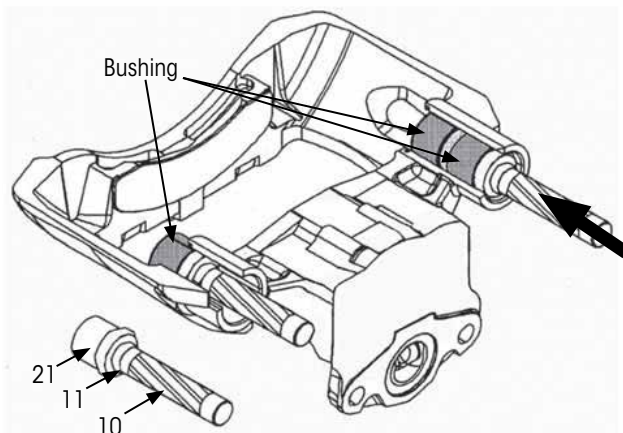


Figure 58: Removing caliper guide pin bushings

4. Assemble and use 10, 11 and 21 to press the bushings out of the brake caliper (Figure 58).
5. **Thoroughly clean** the bores in the caliper.

Guide Pin Assembly

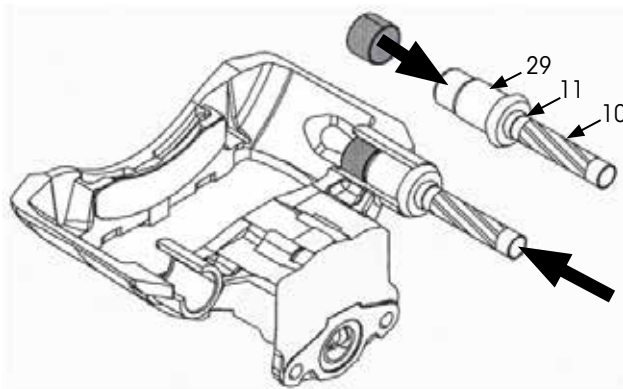


Figure 59: Inserting long guide inner bushing

1. **Press** in two new bushings for the long guide pin:

- A. Assemble and use 10, 11 and 29 to press the inner bushing into the bore of the brake caliper until the tool stops (Figure 59).

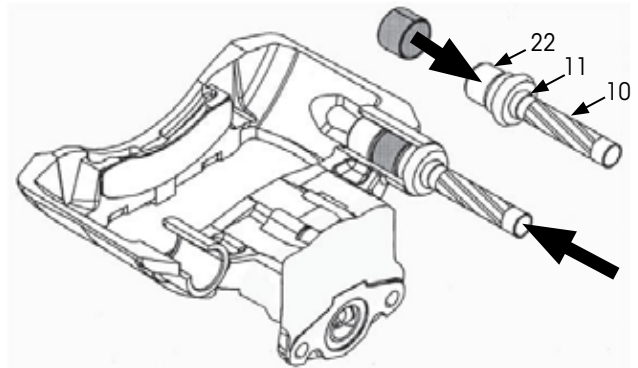


Figure 60: Inserting long guide outer bushing

- B. Assemble and use 10, 11 and 22 to press the outer bushing into the same bore until the tool stops (Figure 60).

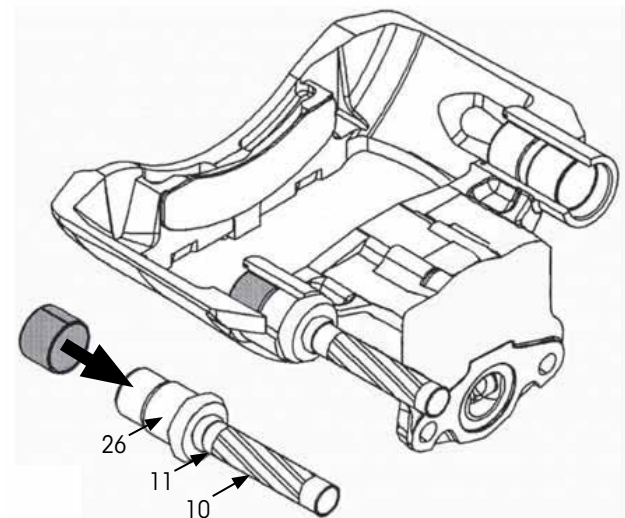


Figure 61: Inserting short guide bushing

2. Assemble and use 10, 11 and 26 to press a new bushing for the short guide pin into the bore of the brake caliper until the tool stops (Figure 61).

NOTE: Grease should be included in parts kit.

3. **Grease** inside sliding surfaces of all bushings and the space between the long guide pin bushings.

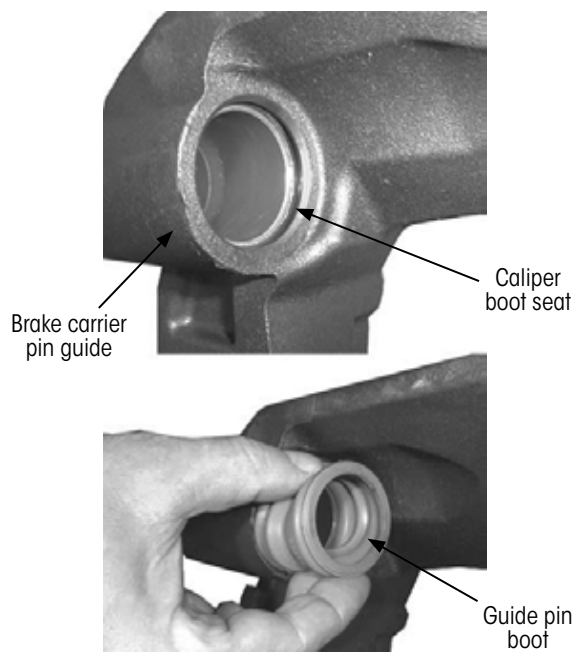


Figure 62: Guide pin boot

IMPORTANT: The guide pin boot seats must be clean and free from grease.

4. **Clean** the guide pin and boot seats of the brake caliper (Figure 62).
5. **Manually push** two new guide pin boots into the brake caliper boot seats (Figure 62).

IMPORTANT: Make sure the guide pin boots are seated and wrinkle-free (Figure 32 on page 18).

6. **Grease** the bearing surfaces of the guide pins and the exposed edge of the guide pin boots.



Figure 63: Inserting guide pin



Figure 64: Seating of guide pin boot on guide pin

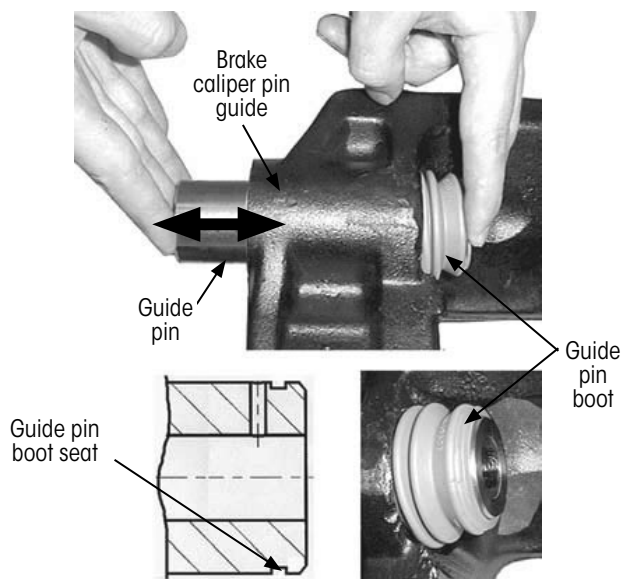


Figure 65: Inserting guide pin

7. **Insert** the two new guide pins into the brake caliper from the inboard side (Figure 63, Figure 64 and Figure 65).
8. **Slide** the guide pin boots over the guide pins (Figure 64).



Figure 66: Improper seating of guide pin boot on guide pin

IMPORTANT: Make sure the metal ring does not come off the guide pin boot in the process (Figure 66 on page 28).

9. **Position** the exposed edge of the guide pin boots into the boot seats of the guide pins (Figure 65 on page 28).
10. **Ensure** the exposed edge of the guide pin boots have an even and wrinkle-free seat in the boot seat of the guide pin and brake caliper.



Figure 67: Excessive grease on guide pin and boot

IMPORTANT: The face of the guide pins and the contact areas of the brake carrier must be clean and free of grease (Figure 67).

11. **Remove** any excess grease from guide pin surfaces indicated in Figure 67.

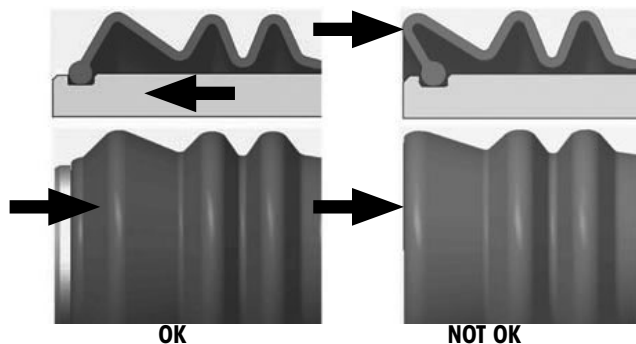


Figure 68: Guide pin boot installation

NOTICE: Damage to guide pin boots may occur if, as shown in Figure 66 (NOT OK), the guide pin boots are allowed to extend past the guide pin face. This can result in unwanted pinching and/or wear of the boot as it contacts the brake carrier.

12. **Manually push** the guide pins out of the brake caliper towards the brake carrier until the leading fold (Figure 68, NOT OK) of the guide pin boot pulls away from the collar (Figure 68, OK).
13. **Manually move** the guide pins in the bushings lightly back and forth and check for ease of movement to ensure guide pins slide freely within the caliper pin guides.

MOUNTING BRAKE CALIPER TO BRAKE CARRIER

NOTE: The carrier should be in the holding device for reassembly (Figure 51 on page 25).

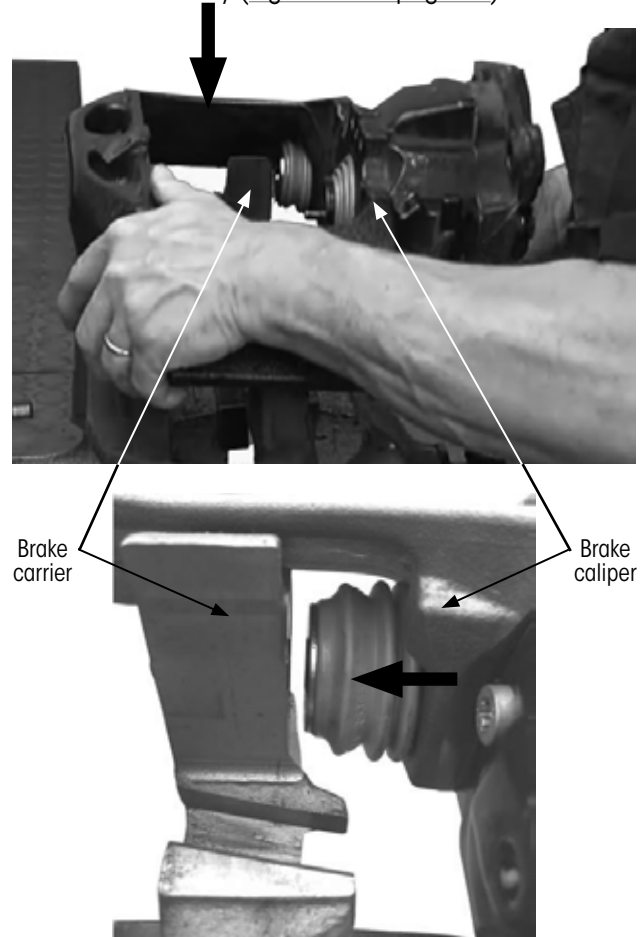


Figure 69: Installing caliper onto brake carrier

1. **Place** the brake caliper on the brake carrier with guide pins aligned to contact surfaces (Figure 69 and Figure 55 on page 26).



Figure 70: Long and short guide pin screws

IMPORTANT: DO NOT add lubricants to screws.

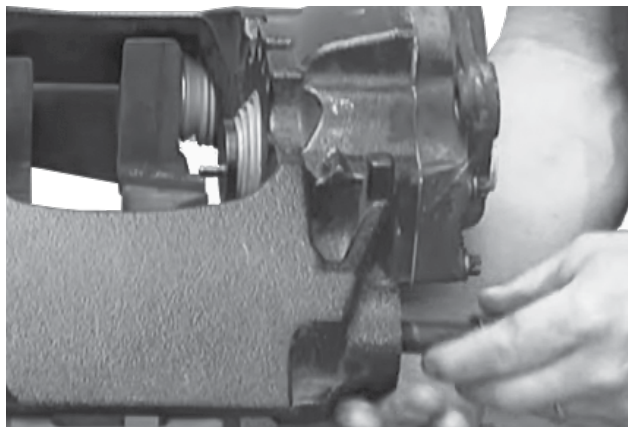


Figure 71: Installing guide pin screws

Always tighten the longer guide pin first, then the shorter guide pin (Figure 71). If the guide pins are removed from the brake carrier during maintenance work, new screws must be used.

NOTICE: During assembly, ensure the guide pin boots are not pinched, damaged or twisted while tightening the screws.

2. **Insert** a new long guide pin screw (Figure 71) through the long guide pin and thread into the brake carrier (Figure 71). **Snug** screw with wrench. Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item IV.
3. Repeat Step 2 for the short guide pin screw.
4. **Torque** the screws into the brake carrier (Figure 71); long screw first. Refer to APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES on page 37, item IV.
5. **Manually slide** the brake caliper across the entire stroke of the guide pins several times and check for ease of movement (Figure 27 on page 17). If movement is rough or strained, review installation procedure and correct the problem.

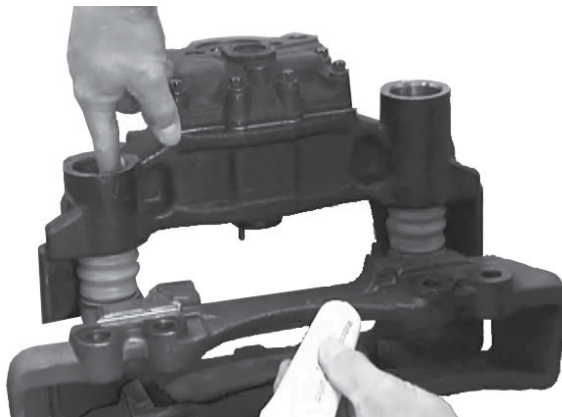


Figure 72: Greasing bore of guide pin cap

6. **Grease** the bores for the guide pin caps in the brake caliper (Figure 72).

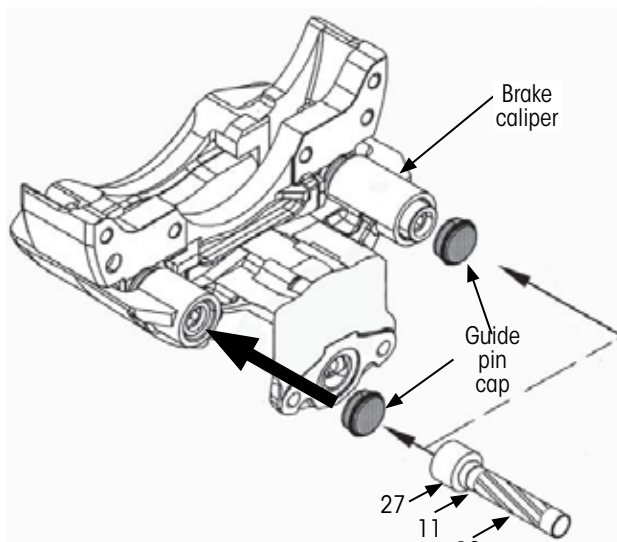


Figure 73: Guide pin cap installation

7. **Manually push** the brake caliper against the brake carrier.
8. **Insert** two new guide pin caps into the bores of the brake caliper (Figure 73).

NOTICE: Damage may occur if improper tools are used (Figure 4 on page 9).



Figure 74: Using tool to install guide pin cap

9. Assemble and use tool numbers 10, 11 and 27 (Appendix B) to **press** the guide pin cap down to the stop position (Figure 73 on page 30 and Figure 74).

REPLACING ADJUSTER PISTON BOOT

If not required, skip to [REPLACING ADJUSTER BOOT](#) on page 33.

NOTE: If only replacing the adjuster piston boot or adjuster boot, brake caliper and brake chamber need not be separated.

Removing Adjuster Piston Boot

If not already done so, complete the following procedures:

[REMOVING THE BRAKE CHAMBER](#) on page 23

[REMOVING THE BRAKE PADS](#) on page 15

[REMOVING THE BRAKE](#) on page 21

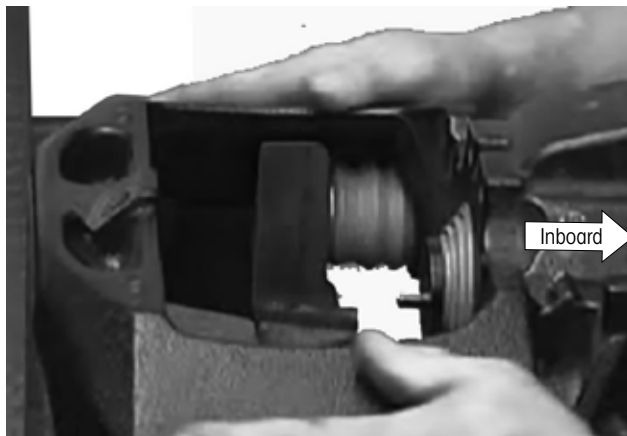


Figure 75: Pushing caliper to inboard side

1. **Manually push** the caliper completely inboard (Figure 75).

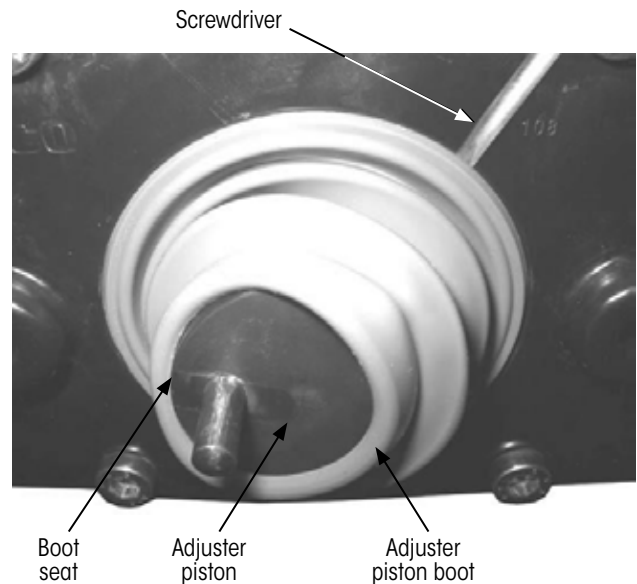


Figure 76: Removing adjuster piston boot

2. **Pull** the adjuster piston boot from the boot seat of the adjuster piston (Figure 76).

NOTICE: The adjuster piston boot seat may be **damaged from incorrect use of the screwdriver or other removal tool.**

3. **Position** the screwdriver between the adjuster piston boot and cover (Figure 76).
4. **Remove** the adjuster piston boot from the seat of the brake caliper with a screwdriver.
5. **Check** the thread of the adjuster piston.
6. **Check** the brake caliper. If dirt or moisture has entered the brake or if the boot seat in the brake caliper is worn or damaged, replace the brake. Refer to [REPLACING THE BRAKE](#) on page 21.
7. **Mark** the position of the pin on the adjuster piston on the brake caliper. The pin must be located in the same position after checking the adjuster piston.

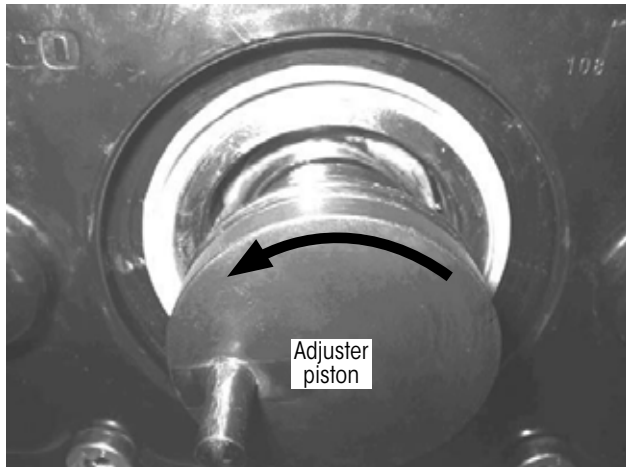


Figure 77: Rotating adjuster

8. **Manually turn** adjuster piston counterclockwise about 1.18" (30 mm) out of the brake caliper (Figure 77).

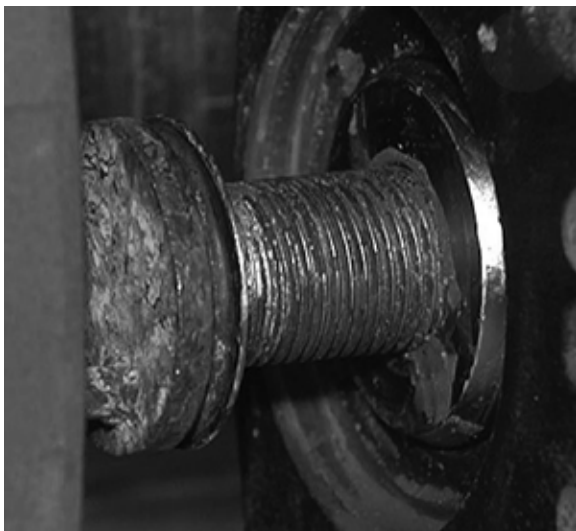


Figure 78: Corroded adjuster piston

9. **Check** the thread of the adjuster piston for corrosion, wear and damage (Figure 78).
If the thread and/or visible internal brake parts are worn, damaged or corroded, replace the brake. Refer to REPLACING THE BRAKE on page 21.
10. **Replace** the adjuster piston boot if dirt or water has penetrated into the brake caliper through the boot seat or if the adjuster piston boot has been worn or damaged.
11. **Ensure** the seal is correctly seated in the boot seat of the brake caliper. If necessary, **press** the seal back into the boot seat by hand.

NOTICE: Do not use any sharp edged tools or metal brushes for cleaning. Ensure no dirt or moisture enters the brake when cleaning. The boot seats must be clean and free from grease (Figure 79).

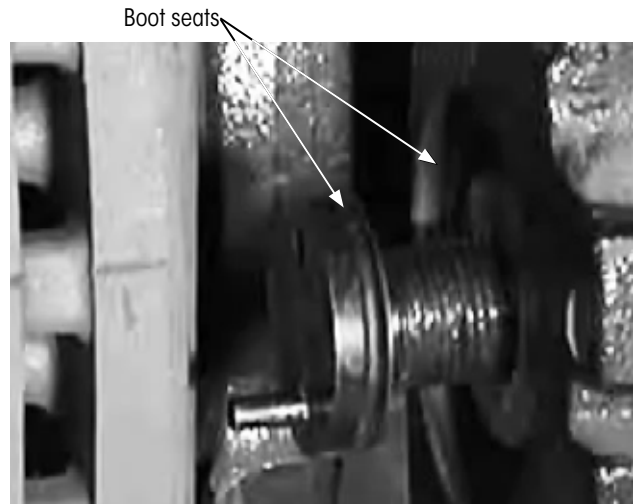


Figure 79: Clean adjuster piston boot seats

12. **Clean** the adjuster piston boot seats (Figure 79).

NOTE: Grease should be included in parts kit.

13. **Grease** the thread of the adjuster piston (Figure 79).
14. **Manually turn** the adjuster piston (Figure 79) clockwise back into the brake caliper again. The adjuster piston pin must be in the same position as it was before it was screwed out, refer to Step 7.

Installing Adjuster Piston Boot

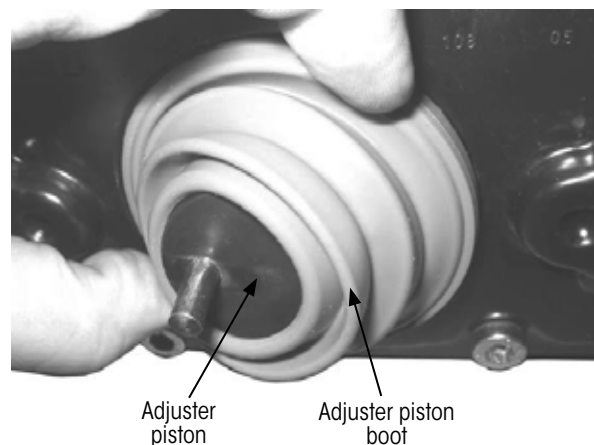


Figure 80: Installing adjuster piston boot

1. **Slide** a new and grease-free adjuster piston boot (Figure 80) over the adjuster piston.

2. **Center** the adjuster piston boot and **manually push** it into the boot seat of the brake caliper.

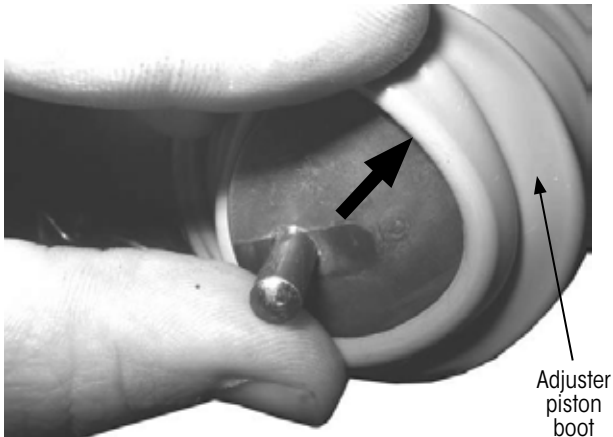


Figure 81: Seating adjuster piston boot edge

3. **Lightly grease** the inner exposed edge of the adjuster piston boot (Figure 81).
4. **Insert** the edge of the adjuster piston boot into the adjuster piston seat (Figure 79 on page 32 and Figure 81).

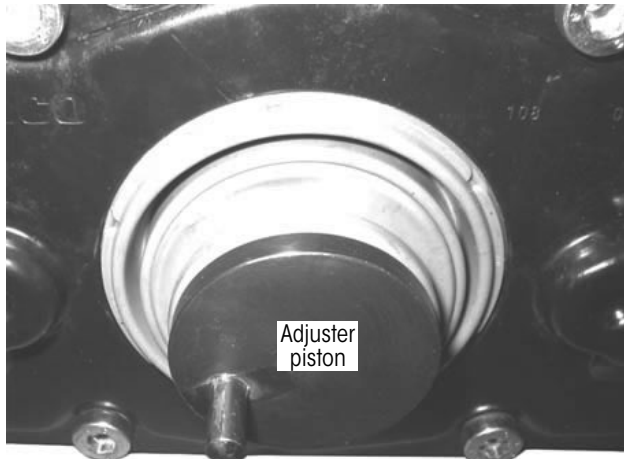


Figure 82: Properly installed adjuster piston boot

5. **Ensure** the adjuster piston boot is correctly seated in the brake caliper and the exposed edge of the adjuster piston boot (Figure 82) is wrinkle-free (Figure 32 on page 18).
6. **Install** the brake pads. Refer to INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19.

If no other brake caliper services is required, perform as needed:

MOUNTING BRAKE CALIPER TO BRAKE CARRIER on page 29

INSTALLING THE BRAKE on page 22

INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19

INSTALLING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23

REPLACING ADJUSTER BOOT

NOTE: If only replacing the adjuster boot, brake caliper and brake chamber need not be removed or separated from the suspension.

Removing Adjuster Boot

If not already done so, perform REMOVING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23.

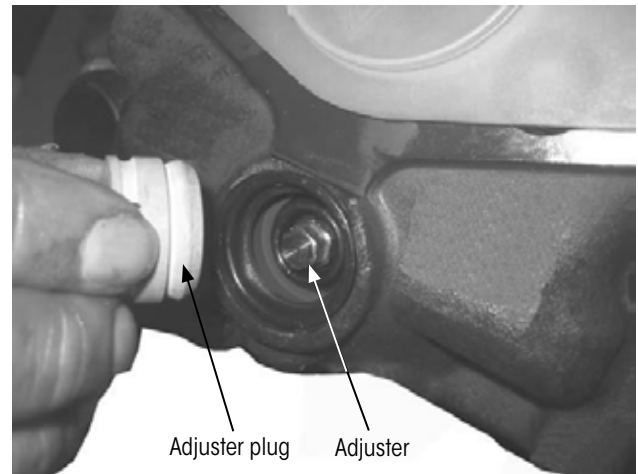


Figure 83: Removing adjuster plug

1. **Remove** the adjuster plug (Figure 83).

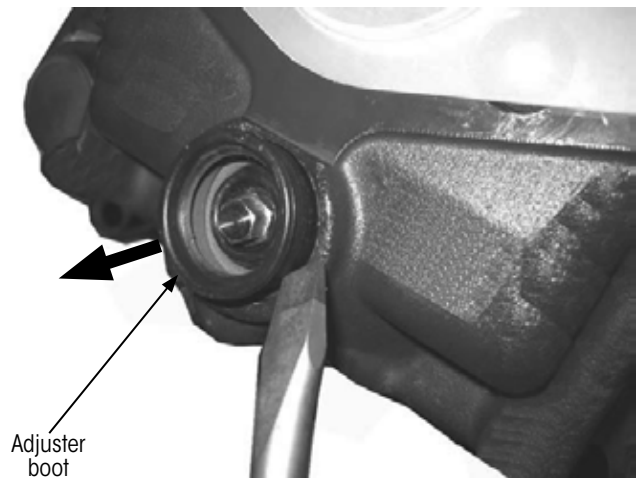


Figure 84: Removing adjuster boot

2. **Use** a suitable tool (e.g. screwdriver) to remove the adjuster boot (Figure 84) out of the brake caliper seat.
3. **Remove** the adjuster boot from the adjuster.

IMPORTANT: Ensure no dirt or moisture enters the brake when cleaning.

Replace the adjuster boot if dirt or water has entered into the brake caliper through the boot seat or if the adjuster boot has been damaged.

If the thread and/or visible internal brake parts are damaged or corroded, replace the brake. Refer to [REPLACING THE BRAKE](#) on page 21.

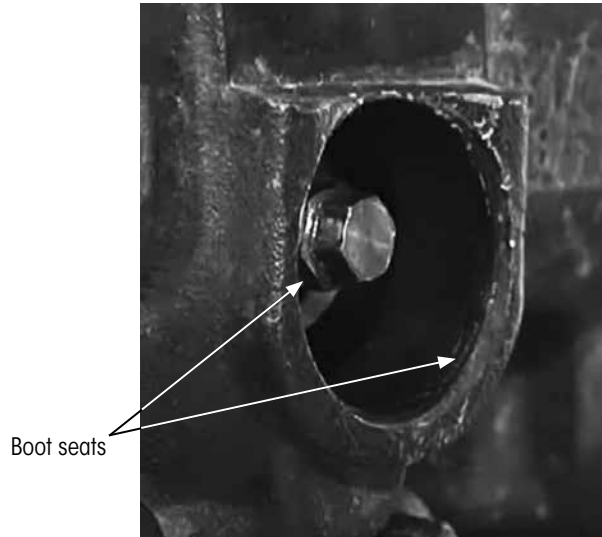
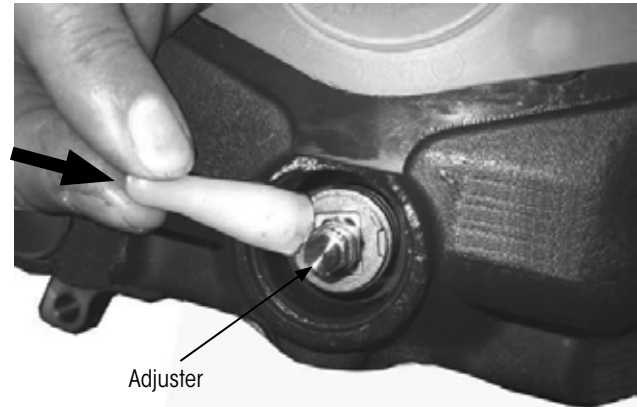


Figure 85: *Inspecting adjuster*

4. **Clean** the brake caliper adjuster boot seat. ([Figure 85](#)).

Installing Adjuster Boot

This procedure explains how to install a replacement adjuster boot using tools provided with the new boot. Use of these tools is required to prevent damage to the boot during installation.



A. Positioning mounting cap



B. Placing mounting cap over adjuster

Figure 86: *Installing mounting cap*

5. **Push** the mounting cap ([Figure 86](#)) onto the adjuster until it stops.

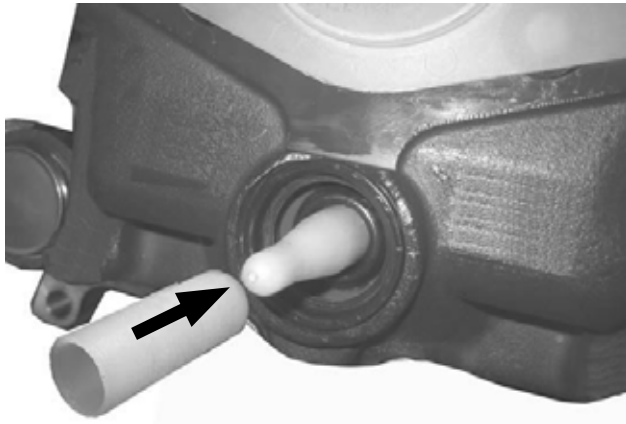


Figure 87: *Installing adjuster boot*

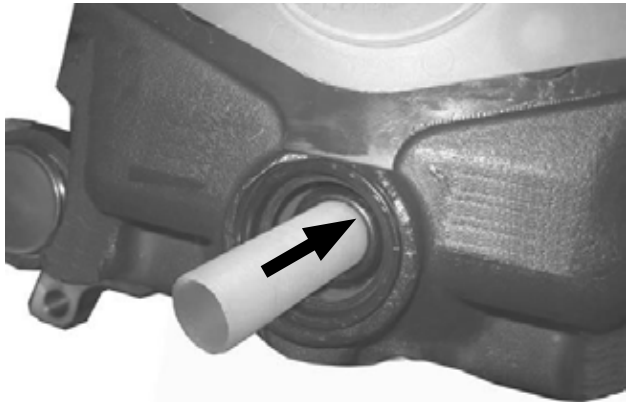
NOTE: Grease should be included with parts kit.



6. **Lightly grease** the new adjuster boot only at the inner boot bead as indicated in [Figure 87](#) on [page 34](#).
7. **Install** the adjuster boot onto the mounting cap.



A. **Positioning** mounting bushing above mounting cap (adjuster boot shown pressed in place)



B. **Mounting** bushing over mounting cap

Figure 88: *Positing mount bushing to mounting cap*

8. **Manually press** the adjuster boot ([Figure 88](#)) fully into the brake caliper boot seat.
9. **Install** the mounting bushing ([Figure 88, A](#)) onto the mounting cap.
10. **Press** the mounting bushing ([Figure 88, B](#)) against the inner boot bead until the boot bead lies in the boot seat of the adjuster.

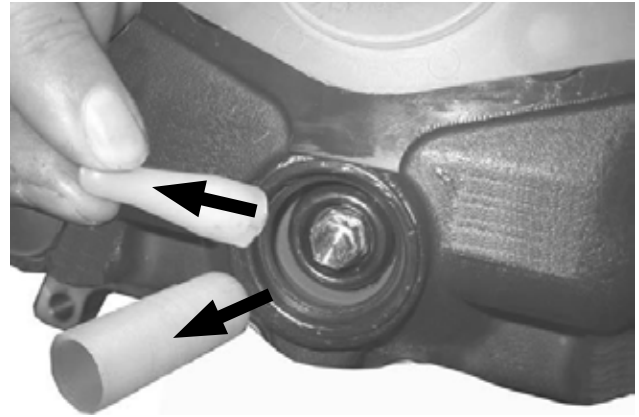
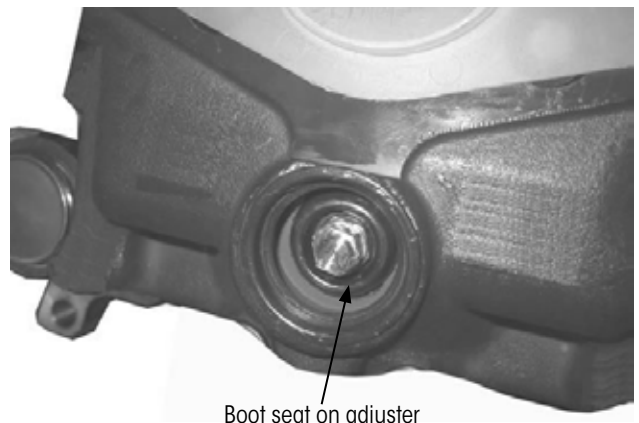


Figure 89: *Removing mounting bushing and cap*

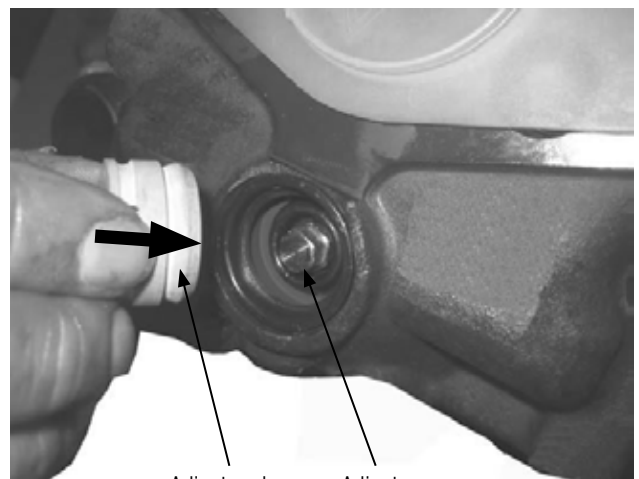
11. **Remove** the mounting bushing and the mounting cap ([Figure 89](#)).



Boot seat on adjuster

Figure 90: *Checking adjuster boot seat*

12. **Check** correct seat of the adjuster boot ([Figure 90](#)) in the brake caliper and the boot seat.



Adjuster plug

Adjuster

Figure 91: *Inserting adjuster plug*

13. **Push** a new adjuster plug into the opening of the brake caliper.



Figure 92: Adjuster plug properly inserted

14. **Ensure** a tight fit.

If all applicable protection boots and/or bushings have been replaced and no other brake caliper services is required, perform as needed:

MOUNTING BRAKE CALIPER TO BRAKE CARRIER on page 29

INSTALLING THE BRAKE on page 22

INSTALLING BRAKE PADS on page 19

INSTALLING THE BRAKE CHAMBER on page 23

REPLACING DUST SHIELD

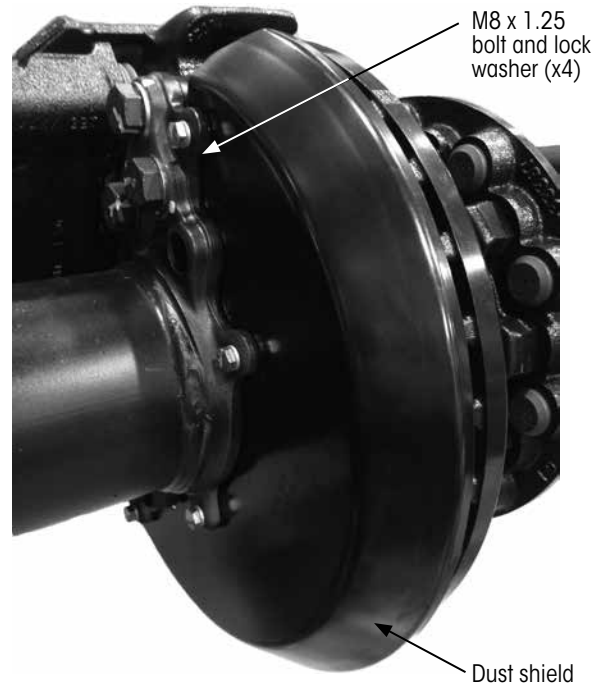


Figure 93: Dust shield

The dust shield is bolted to the torque plate with four M8 x 1.25 bolts and lock washers (Figure 93).

NOTE: The following applies to dust shield removal and installation:

- Dust shields have no left/right orientation and can be installed on either side of the axle.
- The dust shield must be mounted and fastened as shown in [Figure 93](#).
- Nuts are welded to the inside of the dust shield and cannot be accessed while the dust shield is in position.
- Replacement bolts are not provided with a new dust shield.
- It is not necessary to remove the dust shield prior to removing or servicing the brake.

To replace the dust shield:

1. Using a 13 mm socket or wrench, remove the four bolts and lock washers.
2. After the last bolt is removed, the dust shield can be separated from the torque plate.
3. Position new dust shield as shown in [Figure 93](#).
4. Reinstall fasteners and torque to 15 ft. lbs. (20 N•m).



APPENDIX A: WRENCH SIZE AND TIGHTENING TORQUES

For maintenance work on disc brakes, the following tools are required. For special Hendrickson ADB tool kits, refer to [APPENDIX B: ADB TOOLS](#) on page 38.

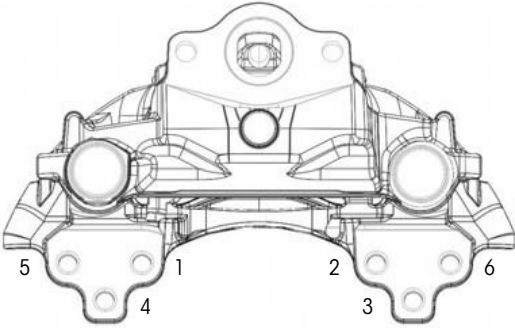
ITEMS	TOOL / APPLICATION	WRENCH SIZE		TIGHTENING TORQUE REMARKS
		External	Internal	
I	Adjuster Brake adjustment (Table 4 on page 38)	8 mm socket	-	Direction of rotation on the adjuster: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adjusting, counterclockwise (left) maximum 2.2 ft. lbs. (3 N•m), clearance decreases. Replacing pads, clockwise (right), maximum 11 ft. lbs. (15 N•m), clearance increases.
II	Screw, pad retainer bar	-	8 mm allen	22±11 ft. lbs. (30±15 N•m)
III	Screw, brake fastening	27 mm socket	-	280±11 ft. lbs. (380±14 N•m), in sequence shown below.  Always observe the installation specifications of the axle or vehicle manufacturer. Refer to Hendrickson literature no. T71004 for more details.
IV	Screw, guide pins	-	14 mm allen	Angle controlled tightening 96 ft. lbs. (130 N•m) +90° (one quarter turn). Tightening sequence for guide pins: 1. Long guide pin screw 2. Short guide pin screw
V	Nut, brake chamber	24 mm socket	-	NOTE: The brake chamber must be caged during installation. Fastening the brake chamber to the disc brake is recommended as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use fastening nuts only once. Thread on the fastening nuts by hand until the brake chamber makes full contact. Tighten the fastening nuts with approximately 90 ft. lbs. (122 N•m). Torque to 150±25 ft. lbs. (204±34 N•m) using a torque wrench.
VI	Bolt, dust shield	13 mm socket	-	15 ft. lbs. (20 N•m)

Table 3: Tool application and fastener torque values

APPENDIX B: ADB TOOLS

Unless otherwise specified, specialty tools listed in [Table 4](#) and [Table 5](#) are included in the kits.

BASIC TOOLS

Required for all Hendrickson ADB brakes






TOOL #	NAME	IMAGE
10	Handle, driver (Used with tool 11 and tools listed in Table on page 39).	
11	Adapter, driver (Used with tool 10 and tools listed in Table on page 39)	
12	Gear wrench 12 mm (Used with adapter 13)	
13	8 mm adapter (Typically used with tool 12)	
	8 mm deep offset box end wrench (not included with kit, but can be used as an alternate tool for 12 & 13)	

Table 4: *Basic tool kit S-32676-5*



TOOLS FOR MAXX22T™

Combined with tools 10 & 11 (Table 3 on page 37), these tools are used to remove or install brake components as described in this document.

NOTE: Tool numbers are stamped on the tool as shown in [Figure 94](#).



Figure 94: Sample tool number






TOOL #	NAME	IMAGE
19, 20	(Tool included in tool kit, but not required for MAXX22T.)	
21	Bushing drive-out	
22	Bushing drive-in, long 1	
23, 24 & 25	Tools included in tool kit, but not required for MAXX22T.	
26	Bushing drive-in, short	
27	Guide pin cap tool	
29	Bushing drive-in, long 2	

Table 5: MAXX22T tool set S-35303-6

APPENDIX C: EXPLODED VIEW OF REPLACEMENT PARTS

Repair kits for MAXX22T™ air disc brakes can be found at www.hendrickson-intl.com in Hendrickson literature no. L1063 *ADB parts list*.

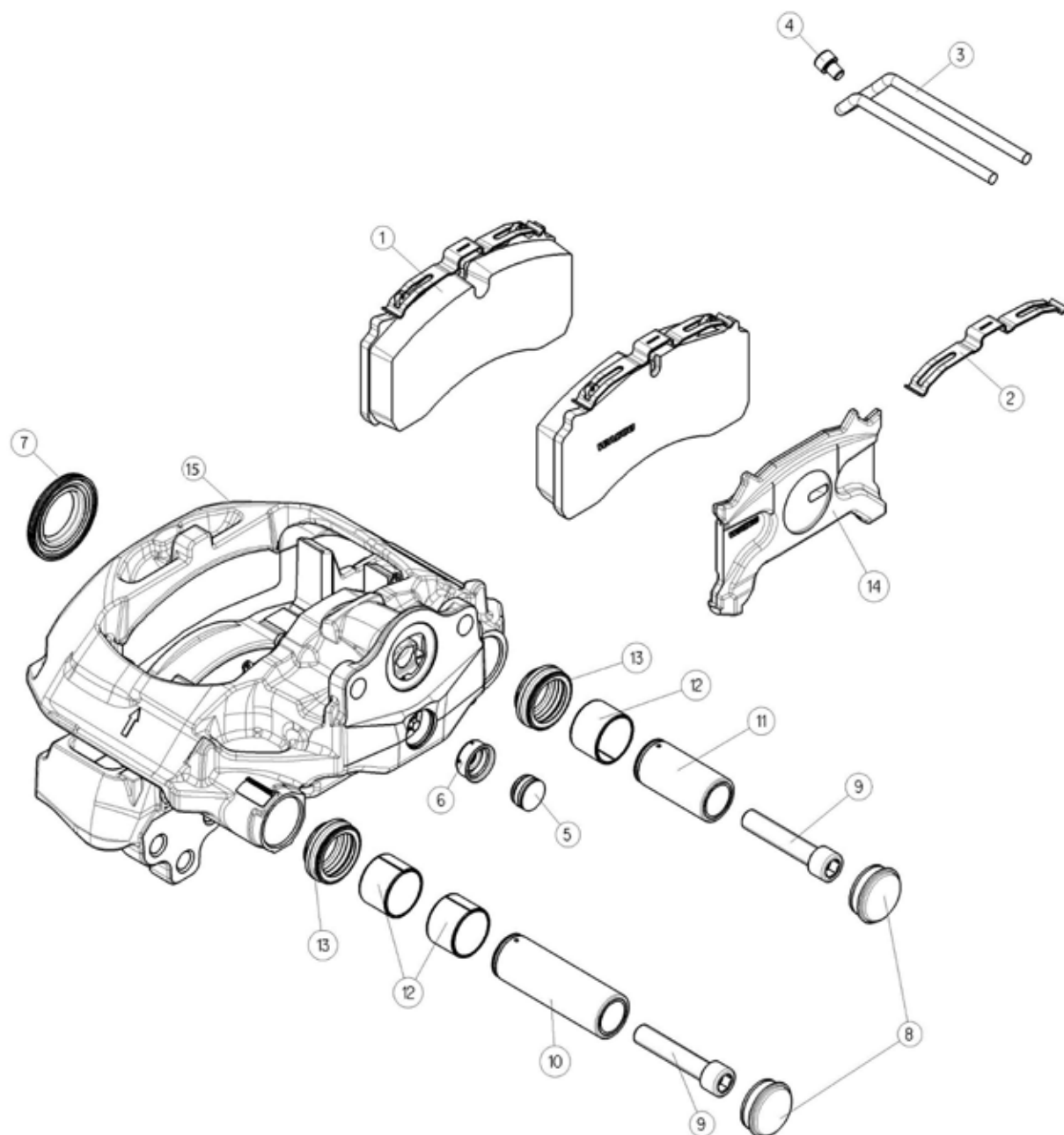


Figure 95: MAXX22T exploded view

ITEM #	DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	DESCRIPTION
1	Brake pad, inboard & outboard	6	Boot, adjuster	11	Guide pin (short)
2	Spring, pressure plate retainer	7	Boot, adjuster piston	12	Bushing, guide pin
3	Pad retainer bar	8	Cap, guide pin	13	Boots, guide pin
4	Screw, pad retainer	9	Screw, guide pin	14	Pressure plate
5	Plug, adjuster	10	Guide pin (long)	15	Brake caliper assembly



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