

MASTER CYLINDER

General

The piston in the master cylinder is connected to the brake pedal by the actuating rod. When depressing the brake pedal, the pressure applied to the brake fluid through the piston is equally transmitted to the pistons of the wheel brake cylinders.

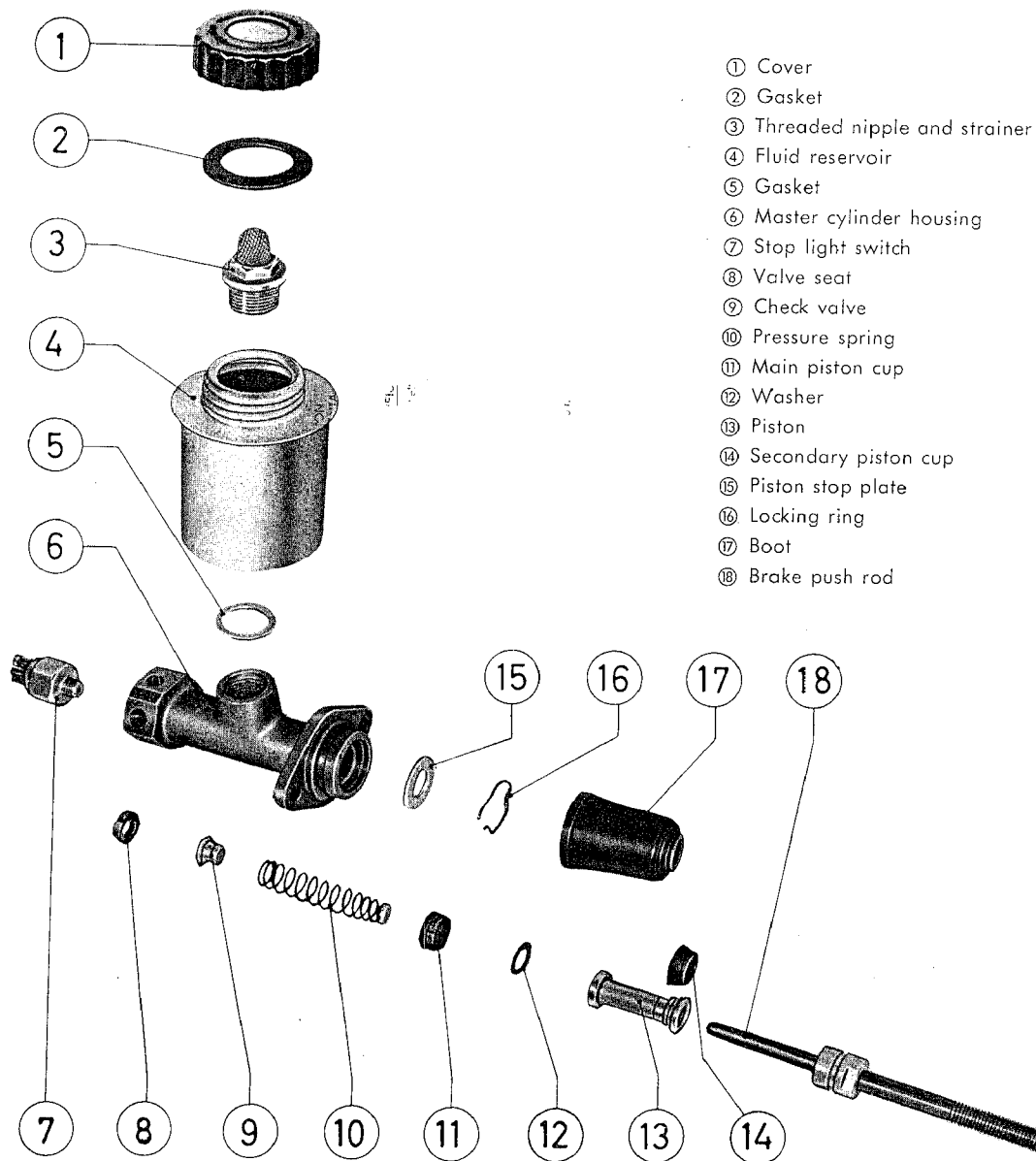


Fig. 2

Fluid reservoir

Make sure the vent hole in the cover is always clear to allow the brake fluid to flow into the master cylinder (be careful when painting).
When filling the reservoir, take care that the cover is absolutely clean to avoid dirt entering the brake system. There must always be sufficient fluid in the reservoir. Replenish brake fluid to $\frac{5}{8}$ " to $\frac{3}{4}$ " (15–20 mm) below upper edge of the fluid reservoir.