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## 7 Rear brake pads - replacement

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**Caution:**

This video is for familiarization purposes only. Read below for specific information on your vehicle.

**Warning:**

Replace both sets of rear brake pads at the same time - never replace the pads on only one wheel, as uneven braking may result. Note that the dust created by wear of the pads may contain asbestos, which is a health hazard. Never blow it out with compressed air, and do not inhale any of it. An approved filtering mask should be worn when working on the brakes. DO NOT use gasoline or petroleum-based solvents to clean brake parts; use brake system cleaner only.

The rear brake calipers are very similar to those at the front. Refer to [Section 4](#) for pad inspection and replacement details.