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How to change rear brake pads on **Peugeot 407 saloon** – replacement guide



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This replacement procedure can be used for:

PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 2.0 Bioflex, PEUGEOT 607 Saloon 2.2 HDI, PEUGEOT 607 Saloon 2.2 16V, PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 2.0, PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 2.2, PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 3.0, PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 2.0 HDi 135, PEUGEOT 607 Saloon 2.0, PEUGEOT 407 Saloon 1.8, PEUGEOT 407 SW 1.8, PEUGEOT 407 SW 2.0, PEUGEOT 407 SW 2.2, PEUGEOT 407 SW 3.0, PEUGEOT 407 SW 1.6 HDi 110, PEUGEOT 407 SW 2.0 HDi 135, (+ 26)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

# REPLACEMENT: BRAKE PADS – PEUGEOT 407 SALOON. TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Anti-squeal paste
- Copper grease
- Combination spanner #13

• Combination spanner #15

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- Wheel impact socket #19
- Torque wrench
- Brake caliper wind back tool
- Crow bar
- Wheel chock

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### Replacement: brake pads - Peugeot 407 saloon. Tip from AUTODOC:

- Perform the replacement of brake pads in complete set for each axis. This provides effective braking.
- The replacement procedure is identical for all brake pads on the same axle.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

# **REPLACEMENT: BRAKE PADS – PEUGEOT 407 SALOON. USE THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE:**



Open the bonnet. Unscrew the brake fluid reservoir cap.



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Secure the wheels with chocks.



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Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #19.





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Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.

#### Unscrew the wheel bolts.



#### AUTODOC recommends:

• Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts. Peugeot 407 saloon

Remove the wheel.



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Clean the brake caliper fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.

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Unscrew the brake caliper fastening. Use a combination spanner #13. Use a combination spanner #15.



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Spread the brake pads. Use a crowbar.





Remove the brake caliper.



#### Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. AUTODOC recommends:

- Tie the caliper to the suspension or to the body with a wire without disconnecting from the brake hose to prevent depressurization of the brake system.
- Make sure that the brake caliper is not hanging on the brake hose.
- Don't press the brake pedal after the brake caliper has been removed. As a result, the piston can fall out from the brake cylinder, and brake fluid leakage and depressurization of the system may occur.
- Check the brake caliper bracket, brake caliper guide pins and boots. Clean them. Replace, if necessary.



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Remove the brake pads. Use a crowbar.



# Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. Tip from AUTODOC experts:

• Measure the brake disc thickness. Upon reaching the wear limit the part must be replaced.

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Treat the brake caliper piston. Use a brake cleaner.



# AUTODOC recommends:

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Press in the brake caliper piston. Use brake caliper wind back tool.



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Clean the brake caliper bracket from dirt and dust. Use a wire brush. Use a brake cleaner.



### Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. Tip from AUTODOC:

• After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.



Treat the brake pads in the area where their surface comes into contact with the brake caliper bracket. Use antisqueal paste.



### AUTODOC recommends:

• Make sure the disc surface is clean before installing the pads.





Install new brake pads.



# Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. AUTODOC experts recommend:

• Make sure the pads are installed with linings facing the disc.

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Install the brake caliper and fix it. Use a combination spanner #13. Use a combination spanner #15. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 30 Nm torque.



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Treat the surface where the brake disc contacts the wheel rim. Use copper grease.







Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.



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Install the wheel.



# AUTODOC recommends:

• Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while screwing in the fastening bolts on the car. Peugeot 407 saloon

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Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #19.





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Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #19. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 100 nm torque.





Remove the jacks and chocks.



# Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. Tip from AUTODOC:

• Check the brake fluid level in the expansion tank and refill if necessary.



Tighten the brake fluid reservoir cap. Close the hood.



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# Replacement: brake pads – Peugeot 407 saloon. AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Without starting the engine, press the brake pedal several times until you feel significant resistance.
- Slow down smoothly for first 150-200 km after the brake pads replacement. Avoid unneccessary and sharp braking to a stop.



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