



How to change rear  
brake pads on **CITROËN**  
**ZX (N2)** – replacement  
guide

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This video shows the replacement procedure of a similar car part on another vehicle

#### Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.9 TD, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.6 i, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.8 i, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.9 i, CITROËN ZX (N2) 2.0 i, CITROËN ZX (N2) 2.0 i 16V, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.9, CITROËN ZX (N2) 2.0, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.8, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.6, CITROËN ZX (N2) 1.9 DT

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

This tutorial was created based on the replacement procedure for a similar car part on: PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.6

REPLACEMENT: BRAKE PADS – CITROËN ZX (N2).  
TOOLS YOU NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Anti-squeal paste
- Wheel impact socket #19
- Brake caliper wind back tool
- Torque wrench
- Rubber mallet
- Round-nose pliers
- Crow bar
- Wheel chock

**Buy tools**

Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- 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.
- Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Use the following procedure:

**CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:**

**1** Open the bonnet. Unscrew the brake fluid reservoir cap.

**2** Secure the wheels with chocks.



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



**4** Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.

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Unscrew the wheel bolts.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Tip:

- To avoid injury, hold up the wheel when unscrewing the bolts.

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Remove the wheel.



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Remove the retaining springs of the brake pads. Use a crowbar.



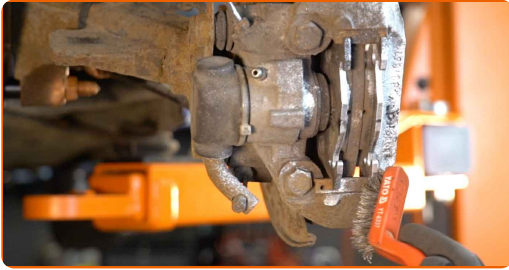
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Remove the brake pad retaining pin. Use round-nose pliers.



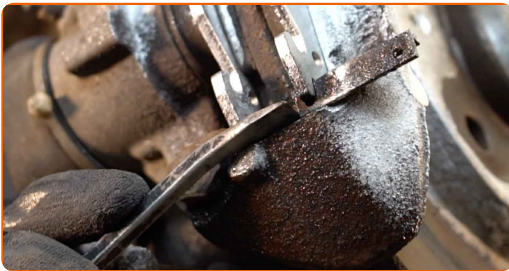
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Clean the brake caliper fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



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Remove the retainer of the brake pads. Use a crowbar. Use a rubber mallet.



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Remove the brake pads. Use a crowbar.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

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

- 12** Treat the brake pads in the area where their surface comes into contact with the brake caliper bracket. Use anti-squeal paste.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). AUTODOC recommends:

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

- 13** Install new brake pads.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Tip:

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

- 14** Install the retainer of the brake pads. Use a crowbar.



**15** Install the brake pad retaining pin.



**16** Install the retaining springs of the brake pads.



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



**18** Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.



**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.



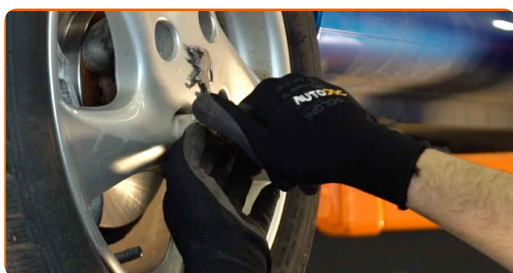
**19** Install the wheel.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- To avoid injury, hold up the wheel when screwing in the fastening bolts.

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



**21** Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 100 Nm torque.



Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Tip from AUTODOC:

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

**22** Tighten the brake fluid reservoir cap. Close the hood.

**AUTODOC recommends:**

- CITROËN ZX (N2) – Without starting the engine, press the brake pedal several times until it feels firm.

**23** Remove the jacks and chocks.



**Replacement: brake pads – CITROËN ZX (N2). Tip:**

- Slow down smoothly for first 150-200 km after the brake pads replacement. Avoid unnecessary and sharp braking to a stop.

**WELL DONE!** 

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