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How to change front brake caliper on **Toyota Prius 2** – replacement guide







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This replacement procedure can be used for: TOYOTA PRIUS Hatchback (NHW20\_) 1.5 Hybrid (NHW2\_)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

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# REPLACEMENT: BRAKE CALIPER – TOYOTA PRIUS 2. LIST OF THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Combination spanner #9
- Flare nut spanner №17
- Drive socket # 14

- Wheel impact socket #21
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Brake hose clip
- Crow bar
- Brake bleeder kit
- Wheel chock

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## Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. AUTODOC experts recommend:

- The replacement procedure is identical for the left and right brake calipers on the same axle.
- Please note: all work on the car Toyota Prius 2 should be done with the engine switched off.

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

Open the bonnet. Unscrew the brake fluid reservoir cap.



2 Secure the wheels with chocks.



Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #21.



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A Raise the front of the car and secure on supports.



5 Unscrew the wheel bolts.



### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts.
  Toyota Prius 2
- Remove the wheel.



Clean the area where the brake hose is connected to the caliper, and the guide pins area. Use a wire brush. Use a brake cleaner.



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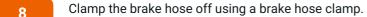






### **AUTODOC** recommends:

• After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.





Unscrew the brake hose from the brake caliper. Use a drive socket #14. Use a ratchet wrench.



Disconnect the brake hose.

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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 #17. Use a drive socket #14. Use a ratchet wrench.



- Remove the guide pins from the brake caliper.
- Spread the brake pads. Use a crowbar.



Remove the brake caliper.



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### Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. AUTODOC recommends:

- When replacing the brake caliper, it is recommended to check the brake hose for damages and, if necessary, to replace it with a new one.
- When replacing a brake caliper it is recommended to replace brake pads, check the state of the brake discs and replace them with new ones if necessary.
- Check the brake caliper bracket, brake caliper guide pins and boots. Clean them.
  Replace, if necessary.
- 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.

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Install the brake caliper and fix it.



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Screw in the guide pins.

# Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. Professionals recommend:

• If no new guide pins were supplied in a kit with the new brake calipers, use the old pins.

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Tighten the brake caliper fasteners. Use a combination spanner #17. Use a drive socket #14. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 34 Nm torque.



Treat the brake hose. Use a brake cleaner.



#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Replacement: brake caliper Toyota Prius 2. After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.
- Install and fix the brake hose into a new caliper.



Tighten the fastener connecting the brake pipe to the brake caliper. Use a drive socket #14. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 33 Nm torque.



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Remove the brake hose clamp.



- Clean the brake caliper surface.
- Connect the brake bleeder kit to the brake bleeder screw.
- Undo the brake bleeder screw. Use a combination spanner #9.



Bleed the brake caliper system. Without starting the engine, press the brake pedal several times until you feel significant resistance.



Tighten the brake caliper bleed screw. Use a combination spanner #9. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 8 Nm torque.



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Disconnect the brake bleeder kit.



Clean dirt from the brake hose bolt. Use a brake cleaner.

#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.
- Treat the surface where the brake disc contacts the wheel rim. Use copper grease.



Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.



Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. AUTODOC experts recommend:

• After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.

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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. Toyota Prius 2
- 33 Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #21.



Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #21. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 103 nm torque.



Remove the jacks and chocks.

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# Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. Professionals recommend:

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

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Tighten the brake fluid reservoir cap. Close the hood.



# Replacement: brake caliper – Toyota Prius 2. AUTODOC recommends:

• Without starting the engine, press the brake pedal several times until you feel significant resistance.



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