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How to change rear brake discs on VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) – replacement guide







### SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



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

### (i) Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.6, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.8, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 2.0 Turbo, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.7 CDTi, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.9 CDTi, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.8 i 16V, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.3 CDTi, VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) 1.6 i 16V

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: OPEL Astra H Caravan (A04) 1.3 CDTI (L35)

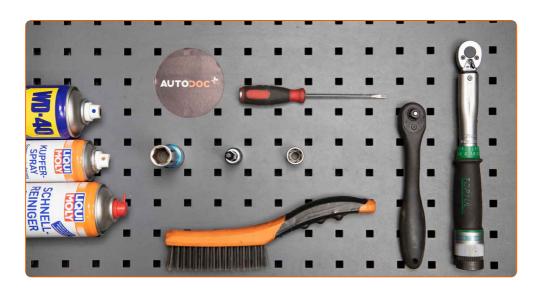
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# REPLACEMENT: BRAKE DISCS – VAUXHALL ASTRA MK V (H) SPORT HATCH (A04). LIST OF THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Torx bit T30
- Drive socket # E18

- Wheel impact socket #17
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Flat Screwdriver
- Wheel chock

**Buy tools** 

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### Replacement: brake discs – VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Replace the brake disks on the car VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) in complete set for each axis. Regardless of the state of components. This will ensure even braking.
- The replacement procedure is identical for both brake disks on the same axle.
- When changing the brake discs, always replace the brake pads.
- Warning! Shut down the engine before starting any work VAUXHALL Astra Mk
   V (H) Sport Hatch (A04).

### CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

Open the bonnet. Unscrew the brake fluid reservoir cap.

Secure the wheels with chocks.

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Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



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- A Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.
- 5 Unscrew the wheel bolts.



Replacement: brake discs – VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04). Tip:

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

Remove the wheel.



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



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Unscrew the caliper bracket fastening. Use a drive socket #E18. Use a ratchet wrench.



- Remove the fastening bolts (2 pieces).
- Remove the brake caliper together with its bracket. Use a flat screwdriver.



### Replacement: brake discs – VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04). 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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Clean the brake disc fastener. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



Unscrew the brake disc fastening. Use Torx T30. Use a ratchet wrench.



13 Remove the brake disc.

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Clean the hub. Use a wire brush. Treat the contacting surface. Use copper grease.



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15 Install the brake disc.



Tighten the brake disc fastening. Use Torx T30. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 4 Nm torque.



- Clean the mounting seats of the caliper and its bracket. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.
- 18 Install the brake caliper together with its bracket.



- 19 Install the fastening bolts (2 pieces).
- Tighten the brake caliper bracket. Use a drive socket #E18. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 100 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.



#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

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Install the wheel.



Replacement: brake discs – VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04). Tip from AUTODOC:

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

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Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 110 nm torque.



Remove the jacks and chocks.



#### **AUTODOC** recommends:

- Important! Replacement: brake discs VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04). Check the brake fluid level in the reservoir and top up if necessary.
- Tighten the brake fluid reservoir cap. Close the hood.

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### **AUTODOC** recommends:

• VAUXHALL Astra Mk V (H) Sport Hatch (A04) - Without starting the engine, press the brake pedal several times until it feels firm.





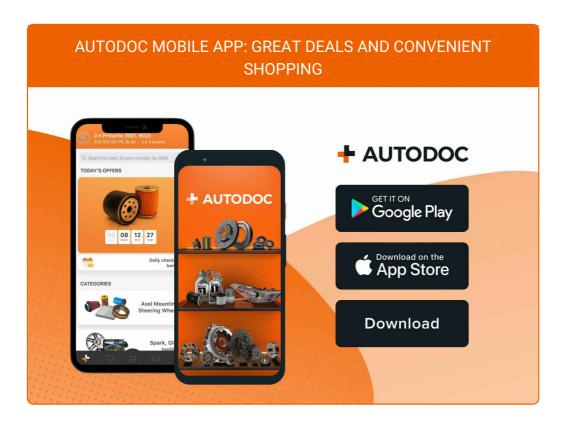
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