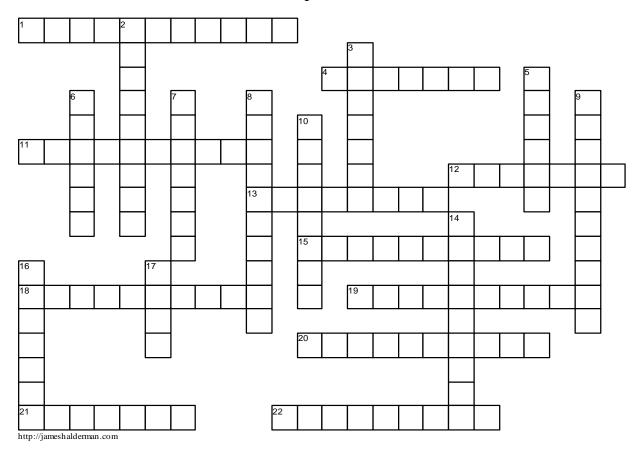
Disc Brakes

Chapter 100



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suspension.

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			brake lining.	7	Unlike a floating caliper, the body of a
1	Brake pads and linings that use	20	can and does occur if		caliper mounts in direct
	synthetic material such as aramid		the brakes become overheated.		metal-to-metal contact with the
	fibers instead of steel are usually	21	A caliper differs from a		anchor plate.
	referred to as		standard caliper in the area of the	8	linings are found on
4	Although not required by law, a		square-cut O-ring.		some disc brake pads.
	growing number of vehicle	22	Some automakers call the floating	9	The caliper has a body
	manufacturers are fitting		caliper a caliper.		manufactured in two halves, and uses
	indicators to their brakes for safety				two, four, or six pistons to apply the
	reasons.	DO	WN		brake pads.
11	fade is not a problem			10	The body of a caliper does
	with disc brakes because, unlike a	2	is the amount of brake		not make direct metal-to-metal
	brake drum, the disc brake rotor		drum or rotor friction surface that		contact with the anchor plate.
	expands toward the brake linings as it		moves past the brake linings every	14	is not a big problem with
	heats up rather than away from them.		time the drum or rotor completes a		disc brakes because centrifugal force
12	linings take advantage of		rotation.		created by the spinning rotor throws
	the oldest method of lining	3	is a problem only under		off most moisture, and the brake pads
	attachment still in use.		severe braking conditions when hot		positioned only a few thousandths of
13	The lining of a disc brake is part of an		gases and dust particles from the		an inch away from the rotor
	assembly called the		linings are trapped between the brake		continuously wipe it clean.
15	Another name for mold-bonded		linings and rotor, where they act as	16	The bond lowers the
	linings is molded.		lubricants.		fequency of the pad, and the cushion
18	Most calipers have clips	5	linings use high-temperature		layer dampens any vibration that may
	or springs that hold the pads in the		adhesive to glue the brake block		still occur.
	caliper under tension to help prevent			17	Instead of pins and bushings, sliding
	vibration.		The caliper is free to move within a		calipers move on cast and
19	A large press is used to force the		limited range on an plate that		machined into the caliper body and
	ingredients together to form a		is solidly mounted to the vehicle		anchor plate.