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VEHICLE APPLICATION

Taurus / Sable.

DESCRIPTION

WARNING: BRAKE FLUID CONTAINS POLYGLYCOL ETHERS AND POLYGLYCOLS. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES. WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. IF BRAKE FLUID CONTACTS EYES, FLUSH EYES WITH RUNNING WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IF IRRITATION PERSISTS. IF TAKEN INTERNALLY, DRINK WATER AND INDUCE VOMITING. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

Brake System, Drum

Rear drum brakes are non-servo, leading-trailing shoe design. Two different rear brake assemblies are used. Taurus / Sable sedan models use a 225mm (8.85 inch) diameter brake assembly.

Taurus / Sable wagon models use a 250mm (9.84 inch) diameter brake assembly. The automatic adjustment of the 250mm and 225mm (9.84 and 8.85 inch) drum assemblies use an incremental adjuster that adjusts during braking whenever a wear gap appears sufficient to actuate the adjuster wheel. Brake adjustment occurs in forward and rearward braking.