



BRAKE FLUID



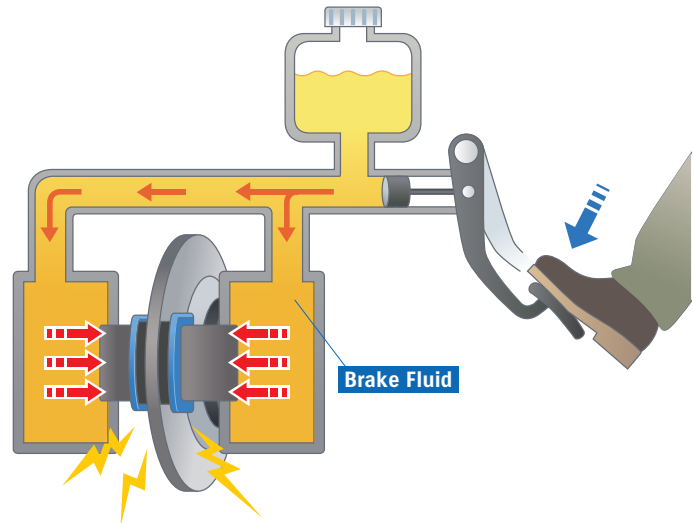
Replacement guideline

| Interval | |
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| 30,000 km | 2 years |

*whichever comes first

Purpose and Function

Brake fluid transfers the pressure produced by depressing the brake pedal to brake calipers.



If overused without replacement ...

- **Braking distance may increase**
- **The depressing stroke of the brake pedal gets increased**

As brake fluid degrades, it begins to absorb moisture from the air and the fluid's boiling point is reduced. Heat generated by depressing the brakes can result in the brake fluid boiling and the creation of air bubbles in the brake pipings. These air bubbles prevent the fluid from generating sufficient braking force and results in "brake fade".

* DOT 3/4 fluid is specified for certain automobile models. It is essential to regularly change the correct brake fluid specified in the Owner's Manual.