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DATA

PRIOR REQUIREMENTS BEFORE CHECKING AND ADJUSTING

The tyre inflation pressures are to be correct.

Toe-in/out (not adjustable): ± 1 mm

SPECIAL FEATURES

The rear axle is of the lowered type: Fig. I and III

The centreline « A » of the stub axle is higher than the centreline of the axle tube B.

Wheel hubs : Fig. II

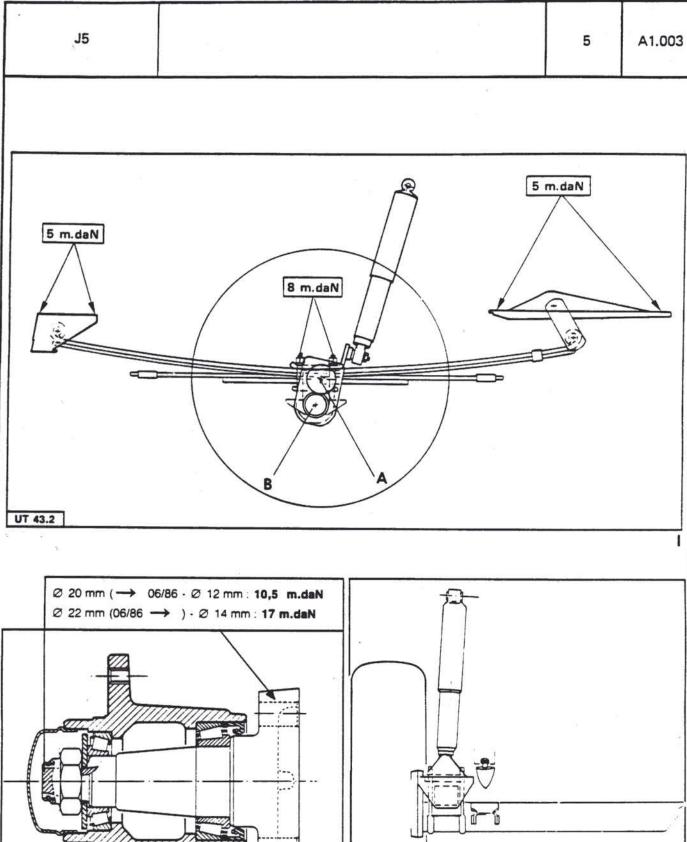
Tightening the hub nut: See the section concerned.

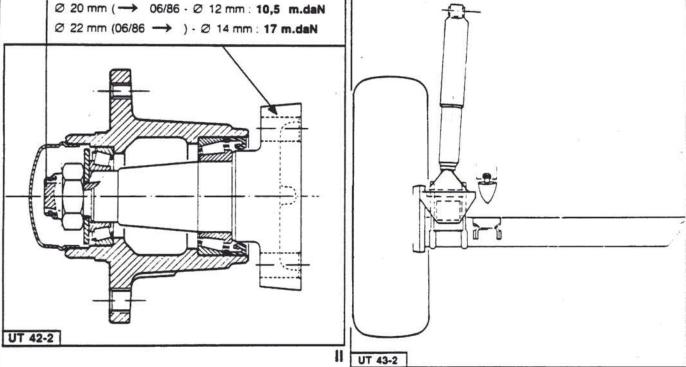
NOTE: the stub axle on the right hand side has a left hand thread and is identified by a drill point mark on one side of the base plate flange.

the stub axle on the left hand side has a right hand thread.

REPLACEMENT: only the stub axle with the right hand thread is available from the Parts Department.

1800 kg vehicles are equipped with hubs and stub axles on which the bearings are wider.





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REAR AXLE COMPLETE UNIT REMOVING - REFITTING

TIGHTENING TORQUES

Essential tightening torques	m.daN	Nm	lbf ft
Front and rear mounting bracket bolts	5	50	37
Shackle nut bolts	12	120	88
Spring pin nut	15	150	110
Damper lower securing nut	5	50	37
Damper upper securing bolt	5	50	37

REMOVING

Raise the rear of the vehicle and support it on stands sufficiently far off the floor for the axle, on its wheels, to be removed from under the rear of the vehicle body. Place a trolley jack under the axle tube.

Disconnect: figs, I and II

- the brake hose (1) from the brake pipe (2),
- the brake compensator control (4) from the link (5).
- the hand brake cable (6) from swivel lever (7).

Remove : figs. III and IV

- the front mounting bracket securing bolts (8),
- the rear mounting bracket securing bolts (9).

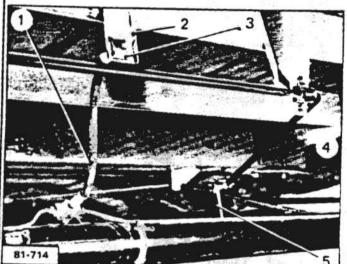
Remove: fig. 11

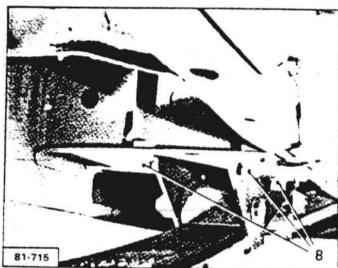
- the clip (3) which secures the hose (1) to the body,
- the dampers.

Lower the axle on to its wheels and remove it in a rearward direction from under the vehicle.

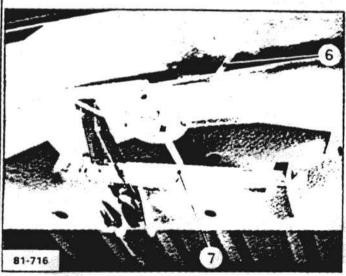


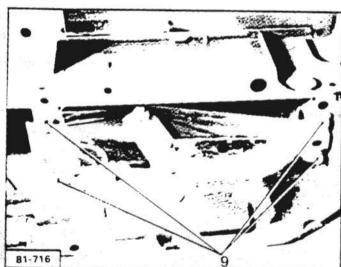






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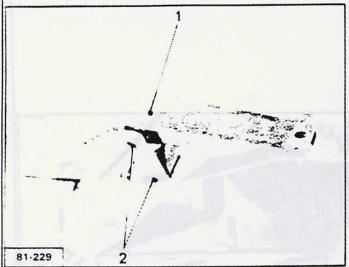


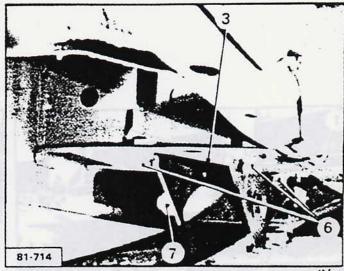
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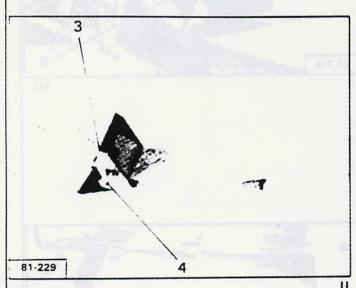
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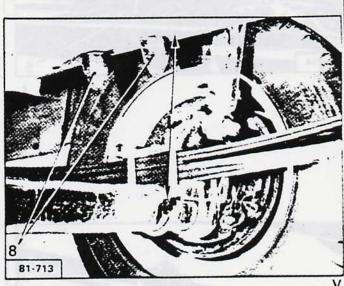
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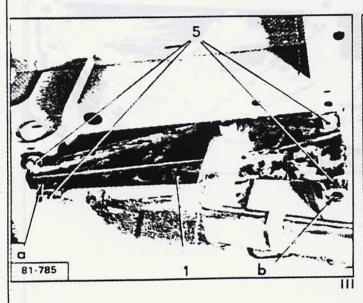


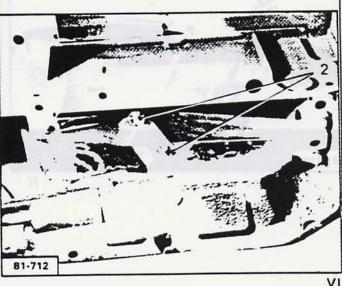












REAR AXLE COMPLETE UNIT REMOVING - REFITTING

FITTING

Securing the axle to the underside of the body will be easier if the shackle nuts (2) and the pin nuts (4) are loose: figs. I and II.

Push the axle under the body and, with a trolley jack, lift it until its rear mountings (1) make contact with the body.

Fit the bolts (5): fig. III, which secure the rear mounting brackets (1), without tighening them.

Centralise the rear mounting brackets (1) by inserting: fig. 111.

- a 12 mm Ørod through the holes (a),
- a 16 mm Ørod through the holes (b).

Tighten the securing bolts (5) to a torque of 5 m.daN (50 Nm, 37 lbf ft).

Raise the axle to bring the front mounting brackets (3) into contact with the body.

Fit the securing bolts (6) fig. IV to the front mounting brackets (3), without tightening them.

Centre the front mounting bracket (3). The bolts (6) must be in the centre of their slots.

Tighten bolt (6) to a torque of 5 m.daN (50 Nm, 37 lbf ft).

Fit the dampers, without tightening their securing nuts and bolts.

Lower the vehicle to the floor.

Essential:

To obtain the required operating life from the rubber bushes, it is essential that the following tightening operations are only carried out after the rear suspension has been compressed so that the distance between the face with which the bump stops (8) make contact on the axle and the face against which they are secured on the body is 107 mm: fig. V.

Tighten: figs. IV and VI:

- the shackle nuts (2) to a torque of 12 m.daN (120 Nm, 88 lbf ft),
- the spring pin nuts (7) to a torque of 15 m.daN (150 Nm, 110 lbf ft).
- the damper securing nuts and bolts to a torque of 5 m.daN (50 Nm, 37 lbf ft).

Release the rear suspension.

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REAR SUSPENSION LINKAGE COMPLETE UNIT REMOVING - REFITTING

Connect: Fig. I and II

- the hand brake cable (1) to the swivel (2).
- the brake hose (7) to the feed pipe (3).
- the brake compensator control (5) to the link (6).

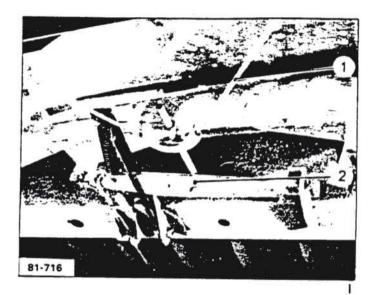
Fit the clip (4) that locks the brake hose (7) to the body: Fig. II.

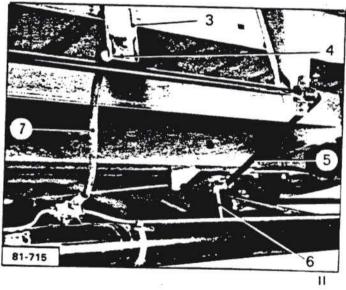
Bleed the brakes: (See section concerned).

Adjust the hand brake:

- 4 to 5 notches on the hand brake travel before it locks.







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REAR SUSPENSION LINKAGE HUBS REMOVING - REFITTING

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TOOLING

SPECIAL TOOLS

From kit

Reference: 8.0531 ZZ

USE:

D : Plug for fitting hub plugs

D2 : Plug for fitting hub plugs → Chassis no. 278.758 Fig. I

C : Gauge for adjusting the bearing play Fig. II

E : Gauge for adjusting the bearing play → Chassis no. 278758 Fig. III

(-).0902 K: Tool for locking the rear hub nut Fig. IV

RECOMMENDED TOOLING

Extractor FACOM U 53 T2 Fig. V

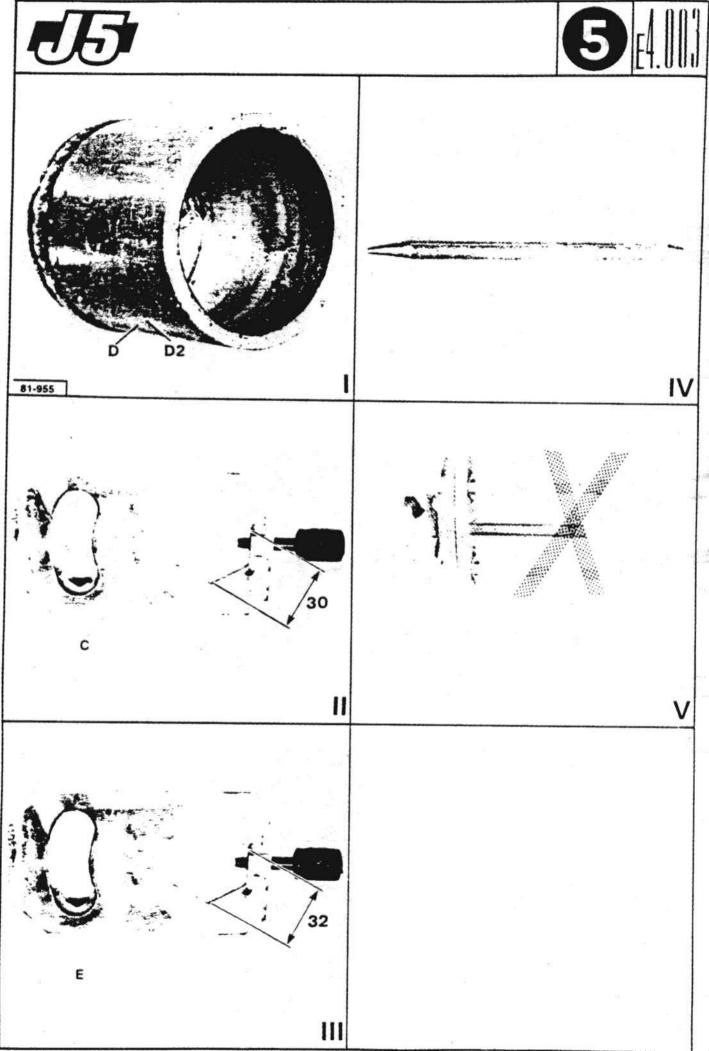
TIGHTENING TORQUES

Torques that must be adhered to:

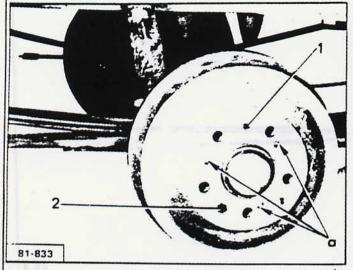
Bolt securing the brake back plate and stub axle to the rear axle body:

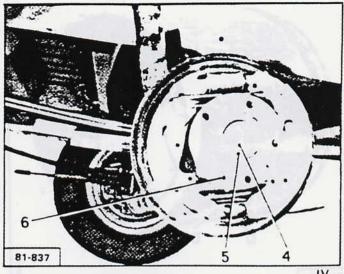
Bolts ø 12 mm 105 (77.5)

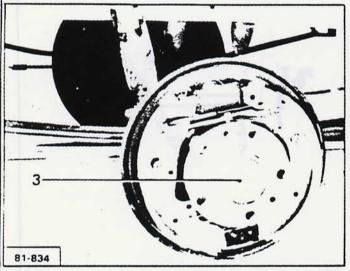
Bolts ø 14 mm 170 (125)

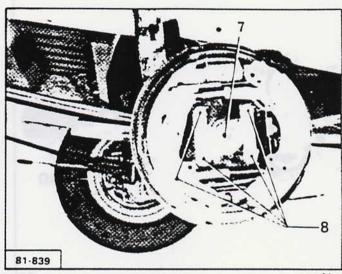


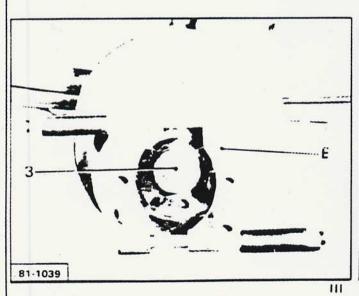


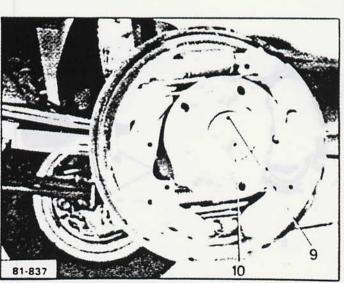












REMOVAL

Slacken the wheel bolts Support the rear of the vehicle with the wheels suspended Remove the wheel

- the bolt (2), the wheel dog (1),
- the drum, using three bolts $(\beta = 10mm, pitch = 1.25)$ in the holes "a",
- the hub cap (3)

If the hub cap (3) is to be re-used, remove it with the FACOM U 53 T2 extractor, Fig. III

Remove, Fig. IV - the hub nut (4),
- the abutment washer (5), - the hub (6) with its

If necessary, release and remove the bolts (8) to remove the stub axle (7), Fig. V.

bearings.

REFITTING

Tighten the bolts (8) to 105 Nm (77 lbf ft) (fig.V)

Fit, Fig. VI: - the hub to the stub axle - the outer race of the

outer bearing, - the abutment washer (9),

- a new nut (10).

Fit, Fig. I:

- the drum,
- the bolt (3),
- the wheel centraliser (2).

ADJUSTING THE BEARING CLEARANCE

WARNING: The right-hand side stub axle has left-hand threads.

OPERATIONS COMMON TO BOTH SIDES: Fig. I

Tighten the hub nut (1) to 20 Nm (15 lbf ft) while turning the drum in both directions.

Slacken the hub nut then retighten it to 7 Nm (5 lbf ft).

Position the gauge C or E on the hub nut.

Turn the drum so that a wheel bolt (4) can be fitted through the slot in gauge C or E.

ADJUSTING THE RIGHT-HAND THREAD STUB AXLE

Bring the bolt (4) () to the left-hand side of the gauge slot: Fig. II

APPLY THE HANDBRAKE

Slacken the hub nut () while pivoting the gauge : Fig. III.

Tighten the bolt (4) to 10 Nm (7 lbf ft)

Lock the hub nut at 2 points (locking tool (-).0902 K) Fig.VI.

ADJUSTING THE LEFT-HAND THREAD STUB AXLE

Bring the bolt (4) () to the right-hand side of the slot in the gauge: Fig.IV.

APPLY THE HANDBRAKE

Slacken the hub nut () while pivoting the gauge : Fig. V.

Tighten the bolt (4) to 10 Nm (71bf ft).

Lock, Fig. VI, the hub nut at 2 points using tool (-).0902 K.

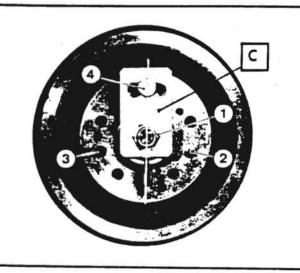
FINAL OPERATIONS

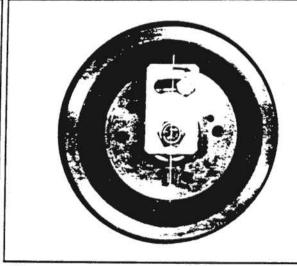
Remove the gauge C or E and release the handbrake.

Fit the hub caps using drift D or D2

Fit the wheels and tighten to 160 Nm (118 lbf ft).



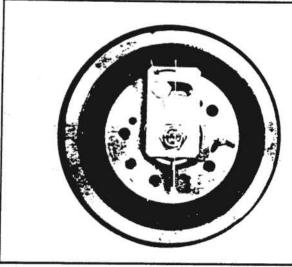




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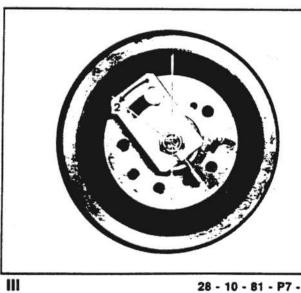
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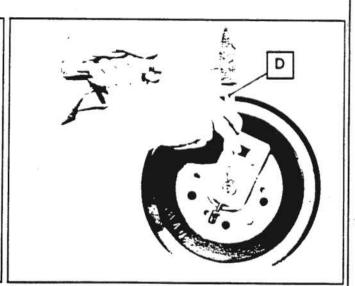




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28 - 10 - 81 - P4 - R - A





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REAR AXLE HUBS OVERHAULING

SPECIAL TOOLS

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From kit 8.0531

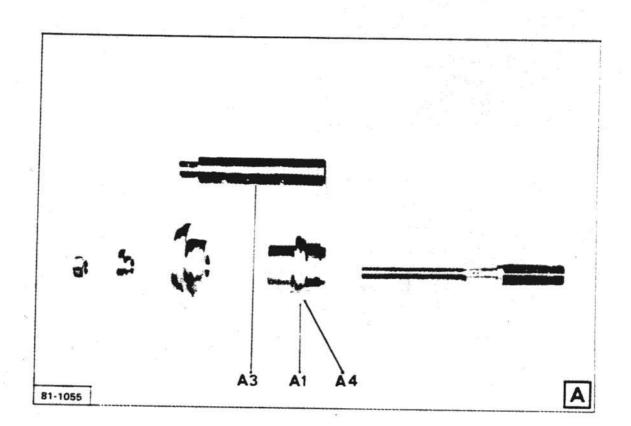
A: A1 - Drift for fitting rear hub bearing track rings.

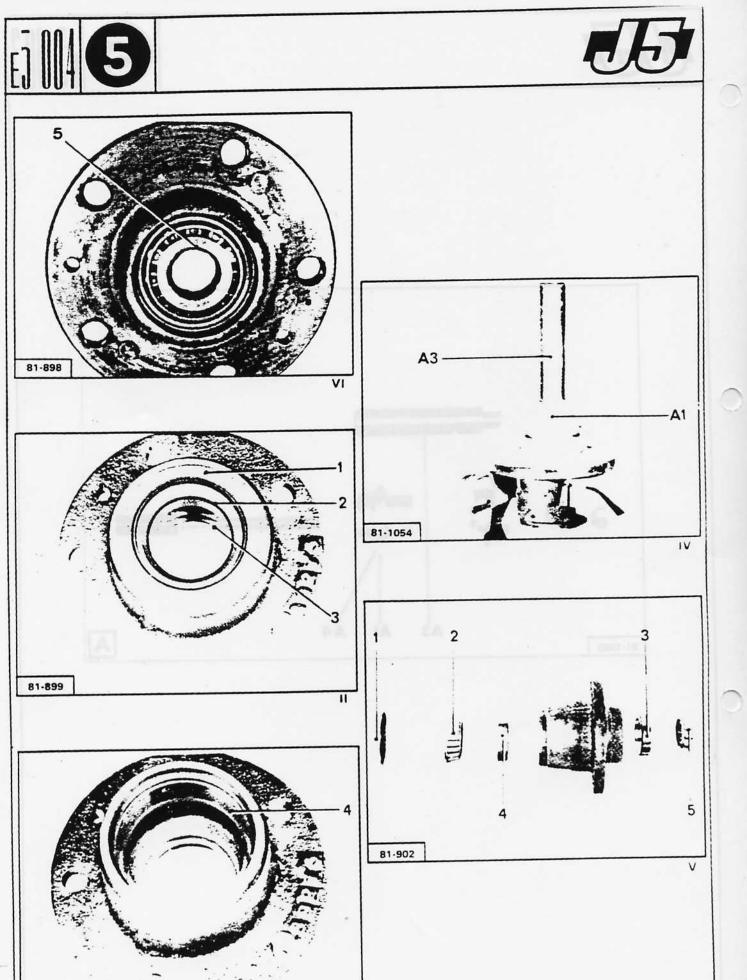
A3 - Mandrel for use with drift.

A4 : Pad for fitting the rear hub bearing track rings |→ Chassis no. 278.758









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DISMANTLING

Remove, fig. I, the outer bearing inner track (5) and cage.

Fit, figs. II, III and IV, the outer tracks (3) and (4) using the drift and the mandrel (items A1 and A4 from kit 8.0531 ZZ)

Remove, figs. II and III

- the seal (1) and inner track (2),
- the outer track (3), by driving it out,
- the outer track (4), by driving it out.

Clean all the parts.

Fit, fig. V:

- the inner track (2),
- a new seal (1).

REASSEMBLING

Grease all the parts and partially fill the inside of the hub with ESSO MULTIPURPOSE grease 4746.

4 x 4

REMOVING

Support the rear of the vehicle on stands.

Remove:

- the wheel
- the 2 wheel locators (1)
- the drum

IV

Fit inertia extractor FACOM U11 to the hub and secure it to the hub with the wheel bolts.

Extract the hub, half shaft and brake back plate assembly.

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Remove the hand brake cable from its lever and knock out the cable cover end stop from the brake back plate using a pin punch.

Remove the brake fluid pipe and plug it.

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REFITTING

Carry out the removing operations in reverse.

IMPORTANT:

Coat the bearing locating area inside the half shaft tube → with « Autoform 549 » sealing compound.

Bleed the braking system.

Check the level of the oil in the rear final drive unit.

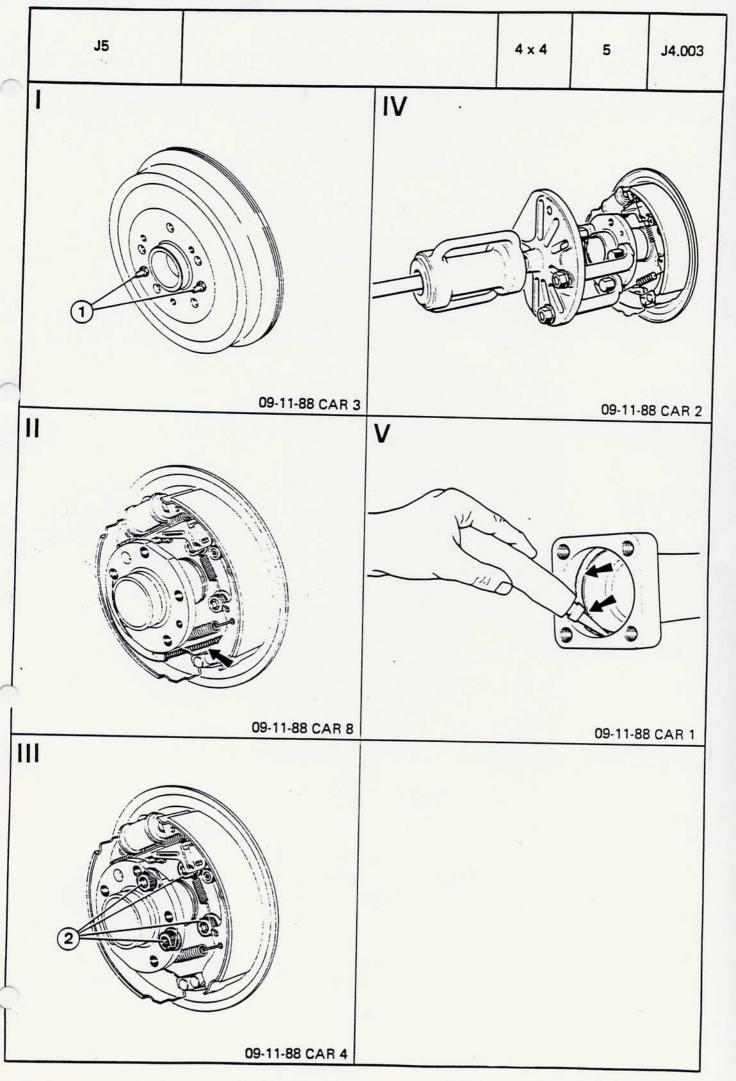
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Remove the 4 bolts (2) that secure the brake back plate.

VI

PRECAUTION

If both rear half shafts have to be removed, we recommend that the operation should be carried out one side at a time as, otherwise, one of the differential gears in the final drive unit may slip out of place.



OVERHAULING THE HALF SHAFTS AND HALF SHAFT TUBES

SPECIAL TOOLS FROM KIT 8.0521

K - set of 2 extractor shell quarter sections

4 x 4

- L spacer washer
- M thrust pad
- N pad for fitting the bearing and retaining ring

RECOMMENDED TOOLS

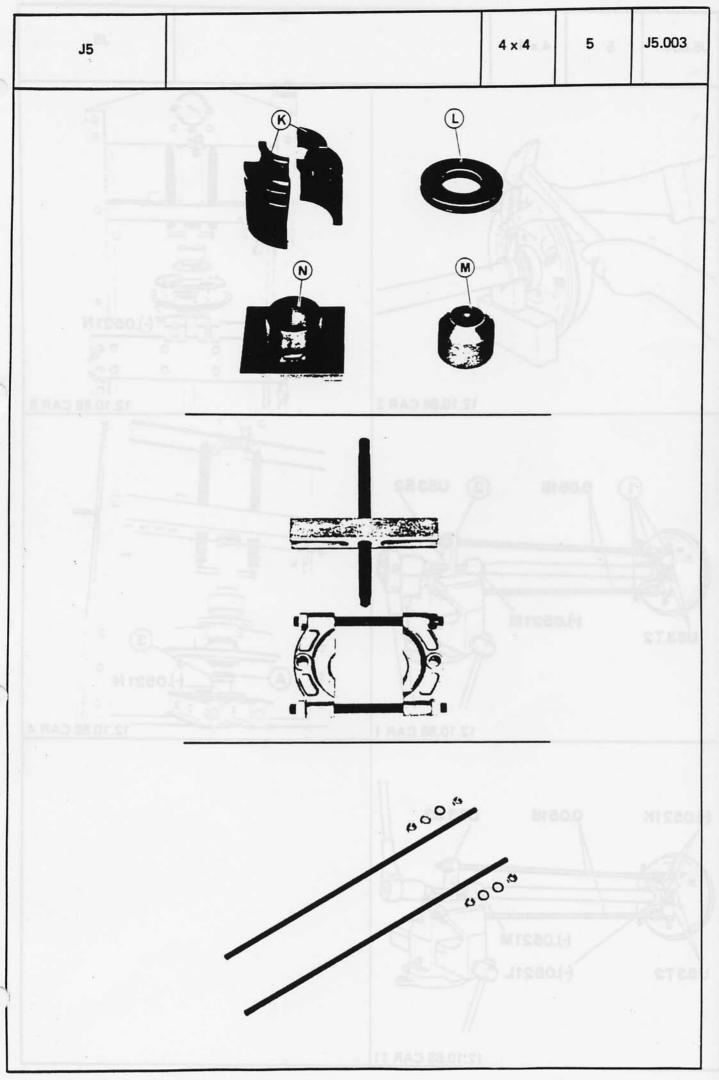
U53 S2 - cross piece for FACOM extractor, with screw.

U53 T2 - FACOM extractor.

TOOLS TO BE MADE LOCALLY

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- Set of 2 tensioner rods comprising :
 - 2 screwed rods M16 x 2, 860 mm long
 - 4 nuts HM16 x 2,
 - 4 flat washers 17 x 30 x 4



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After first removing the half shaft to be overhauled (see corresponding section) place it on a bench and grip it in a vice fitted with soft jaws.

To facilitate removing the ring, one must first make notches in it, with a cold chisel, at 3 points approximately 120° from one another.

IV

Refitting the bearing

important:

- Position the bearing with its location on the opposite side to the brake back plate
- On the press, using pad (-).0521 N, push the bearing fully in and fit it with a new seal.

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Assemble the set up shown in the illustration

- Tighten:
 - the extractor assembly nuts (1)
 - the nuts and lock nuts (2) on the tensioner rods
- Extract the bearing retaining ring

V

Refitting the bearing retaining ring

Assemble the same arrangement as before

Fit the ring (3) with its extractor flange (A) on the opposite side to the tool (-).0521 N and push it fully into place.

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Extract the bearing

Precaution:

Ensure that the two half shells are correctly engaged behind the ball bearing assembly.

Refit the half shaft assembly to the vehicle (see corresponding section).