

PRODUCT BULLETIN # 335

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Subject: 3.5K Nev-R-Adjust™ Forward Self-Adjusting Electric Brakes

In keeping with our continual commitment to product innovation and industry safety, Dexter Axle is pleased to announce the introduction of Nev-R-Adjust™ forward self-adjusting electric brakes.

Over time, lining wear causes a gap between the shoes and brake drum surface. Because the shoes ability to engage the brake drum is compromised, stopping distances can become greatly affected. Routine brake adjustments are required to close the gap between the linings and brake drum, bringing the trailer brakes back to optimum performance.

Dexter recommends that trailer brakes be adjusted after the first 200 miles of operation and at 3,000 mile intervals or as use or performance requires. Brake adjustments can be costly and time consuming however, and many trailer owners typically do not adjust their brakes on a routine basis (if at all).

Now there is a solution that increases trailer safety while providing convenience for the end user. During braking, Nev-R-Adjust™ brakes automatically rotate an adjuster assembly to close the gap caused by lining wear. This eliminates the need for manual brake adjustments while maintaining optimum performance and braking power.

Features of Nev-R-Adjust™ Brakes

- Nev-R-Adjust[™] brakes have been extensively tested and proven to reduce stopping distances up to 50% versus similar under-adjusted brakes.
- Offers a convenient solution that saves trailer owners the time and expense of manual brake adjustments.
- Because proper adjustment leads to better trailer brake efficiency, wear on the tow vehicle brakes is greatly diminished.
- Easily retrofits to axles using the existing brake flange position.
- Available as a complete replacement or upgrade to 10" x 2½" 3,500 lb. or 12" x 2" 6,000 and 7,000 lb. Dexter electric brake axles. The Nev-R-Adjust™ feature cannot be added to existing brakes.
- Two-year limited product warranty.

Nev-R-Adjust™ Part Numbers

10" x 2¼" 3,500 Lb.		12" x 2" 6,000 & 7,000 Lb.	
K23-468-00	Brake Kit – LH (3.5K)	K23-458-00	Brake Kit – LH (6K)
K23-469-00	Brake Kit – RH (3.5K)	K23-459-00	Brake Kit – RH (6K)
K71-681-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – LH (3.5K)	K23-464-00	Brake Kit – LH (7K)
K71-682-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – RH (3.5K)	K23-465-00	Brake Kit – RH (7K)
		K71-673-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – LH (6K)
		K71-674-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – RH (6K)
		K71-675-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – LH (7K)
		K71-676-00	Shoe & Lining Kit – RH (7K)

Please contact your Dexter Sales Engineer for additional questions, ordering information, and product availability.

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