

## PRODUCT BULLETIN #485 DISC BRAKE KITS FOR DEXTER IDLER HUBS

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Dexter is clarifying recommended disc brake upgrade options for Dexter's line of idler axles. Several non-Dexter aftermarket disc brake upgrade kits are available in the marketplace. These kits have not been evaluated for fit, form, or function in conjunction with Dexter hubs or axle components. These aftermarket kits include a rotor installed over a Dexter idler hub pre-installed on a genuine Dexter axle.

Dexter will not warranty any damage or failure incurred to the hub or other axle components when using another manufacturer's disc brake kit to convert a Dexter idler hub axle configuration to include a disc brake.

Dexter recommends ordering a complete axle configuration with genuine Dexter or Kodiak<sup>®</sup> by Dexter disc brakes already included. Dexter also recommends that any aftermarket upgrade utilize a genuine Dexter or Kodiak disc brake kit. Following this recommendation ensures that the axle, hub, and braking components have been engineered, tested, and validated by Dexter and are covered under the genuine replacement parts warranty.

Genuine Dexter or Kodiak by Dexter replacement parts can be purchased through Dexter's authorized distribution network. Please contact your Account Manager for additional information or assistance.

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