

INNOVATION. HIGH PERFORMANCE. SAFETY. YESTERDAY. TODAY. **TOMORROW**.

### **BRAKING WITHOUT COMPROMISE.**

Utilising cutting-edge brake technology, Textar brakes are precision engineered to offer maximum safety, performance and comfort. This uncompromising approach has been the very ethos of Textar for more than 100 years. And it's the reason why Textar remains a trusted partner to the world's leading vehicle manufacturers today.

# QUALITY FRICTION PRODUCTS. FOR QUALITY MARQUES.



| Alfa Romeo   | Changan   | Fiat      | JMC         | Mercedes-Benz   | Škoda      |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|------------|
| Aston Martin | Chery     | Ford      | Kia         | Mitsubishi      | Smart      |
| Audi         | Chevrolet | GAC       | Lamborghini | Nissan          | SsangYong  |
| BAIC         | Chrysler  | Geely     | Lancia      | Opel / Vauxhall | Suzuki     |
| Bentley      | Citroën   | Greatwall | Land Rover  | Peugeot         | Tesla      |
| BMW          | Dacia     | Haima     | Lexus       | Porsche         | Toyota     |
| Brilliance   | Daewoo    | Honda     | Lincoln     | Proton          | Volkswagen |
| Bugatti      | Dodge     | Hyundai   | Lotus       | Renault         | Volvo      |
| Buick        | Dongfeng  | JAC       | Maserati    | Rolls-Royce     |            |
| BYD          | FAW       | Jaguar    | Maybach     | SAIC            |            |
| Cadillac     | Ferrari   | Jeep      | Mazda       | Seat            |            |

## TEXTAR. THE FUTURE OF BRAKING.

Others may meet current needs, but with always one eye on the future, Textar continues to break new ground.

From innovating future-oriented braking solutions for hybrid vehicles or developing sustainable products that are better for the environment, we are always one step ahead. A large proportion of Textar brake pads have been copper-free for several years, well ahead of any legislative demands. And at TMD Friction we also played a major role in the development of the ECO classification standards for friction materials.

The TMD Friction Lightweight Technology program is focused on the development of lightweight, and consequently more environmentally-friendly friction. With this technology TMD Friction is paving the way for a new generation of aftermarket products.

While others follow standards – we set them. This is "premium" taken to the next level.



### **NEVER THE CHEAPEST. ALWAYS THE BEST.**

While other manufacturers focus mainly on price, with Textar the focus is always on premium quality. At TMD Friction we spend up to three years developing, testing and releasing each new O.E. product.

The knowledge gained from the development of the original equipment part is transferred across to our aftermarket program. So with Textar, you can be sure you're getting the best.

#### We guarantee:

- Up to 1,000 hours of dynamometer testing
- Intensive NVH (Noise, Vibration, Harshness) and comfort engineering
- Computerised evaluation of braking performance and wear pattern
- Rigorous homologation testing in real life conditions



#### HIGH-TECH. FOR HIGHEST DEMANDS.

The details make the difference. Each of our brake technology solutions is precisely tailored to a specific type of vehicle. We use 250 different formulations, some of these consisting of more than 25 raw materials – perfectly matched to the engine performance, loads, braking system and braking characteristics of each vehicle. The result: optimum braking performance and comfort.

At TMD Friction, our own standards are far stricter than those of the ECE R90, the EU regulation for the approval of brake pads for the aftermarket. These high standards are our benchmark and set us apart from our rivals.



## QUALITY. FOR EVERY REQUIREMENT.

More than 1,900 disc brake pads, over 1650 brake discs, 425 brake shows and 250 kits, as well as 220 brake drums, are proof that Textar offers one of the largest product portfolios for current motor vehicles.

In the uncompromising pursuit of quality, long service life and high braking comfort, our specialists have developed more than 60 different noise dampening solutions, like the new Q+ shim. Then there's epad, a new generation of friction that ensures optimum driving comfort and sparkling clean rims due to its special material mix. Also included in the box: all accessories required for installation.

Textar's brake discs also reflect the quality standards of a market leader. Superior casting and complete surface coating, ensure high performance, optimum safety and a long service life.

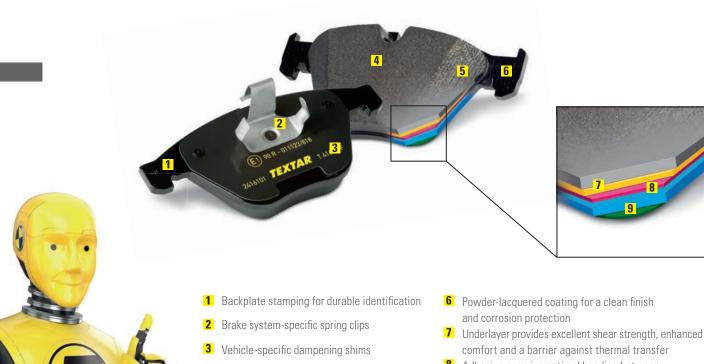
Brake shoes and brake shoe kits are available for a wide range of vehicles. Brake shoe kits offer enormous advantages: with all the components needed for installation in one kit, fitting is quicker and easier.

The Textar product range also includes wear indicators, accessories, brake fluid, brake cleaner and lubricant, as well as hydraulics components\* and brake tools\*.



# INTELLIGENT DESIGN, DOWN TO THE LAST DETAIL.

Vehicle and brake-specific friction materials, pad chamfering, dampening shims and spring clips are only some of the features that make our pads so successful in the O.E. sector and aftermarket.



- Vehicle-specific friction material
- **5** Chamfering for improved bedding and enhanced comfort
- 8 Adhesive ensuring optimal bonding between friction material and backplate
- 9 Backplate specified to meet highest requirements on material strength

# **DOUBLE SAFETY:**

The optimum braking result can only be achieved with brake discs precisely tailored to the brake pad. It is this philosophy that has also made us experts in terms of the right "friction partner" for our products.

The Textar brake disc range is manufactured in strict accordance to O.E. tolerances and, even now, meets the ECE R90-requirements of the future.

- Made from high-quality cast iron as standard, Textar's uncoated brake discs are the perfect solution for a timely and efficient brake repair.
- The fully coated Textar Pro brake discs protect against corrosion and combine performance with improved aesthetics.
- Demanding brake systems are fitted with Textar Pro+ high-carbon brake discs.
- Bringing OE solutions to the aftermarket,
   Textar was the first brand to introduce two-piece composite brake discs.
- Yet another highlight of the Textar brake disc portfolio – brake discs with wheel bearings / ABS sensor rings.





















#### BRAKEBOOK. MY ONLINE CATALOGUE.

This cutting-edge web-based catalogue system has been exclusively developed for TMD Friction and contains detailed catalogue data covering our whole product range.

Search for the right part either by Textar part number, OE- or cross reference numbers. The expert search function also allows searching by product specification, such as width, height, thickness, number of wear indicators and many other criteria, making the identification of brake parts as easy as possible.

New products will be displayed automatically after **weekly** data updates. Therefore, check frequently to see what's new.

In addition, Brakebook allows registered users to create pdf catalogues tailored to their individual requirements - either for the entire product range, a selection of products, parts from particular manufacturers or even for special models. So your customers will always be up to date.



# **TOTAL SERVICE: 24/7/365.**

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On **www.textar.com**, you will find everything worth knowing about Textar. Every day, at any time, all year long. Be it the current product catalogues or a large variety of brochures.

## SUPPORT FOR DEALERS AND WORKSHOPS.

You recognise that Textar enables you to offer your customers the best. That's why we support you with Textar advertising material and brochures about products and technology, as well as other services for dealers and workshops.

Our newsletter ensures you're always up to date with the latest information about Textar.

# **INCREASING KNOWLEDGE. IMPROVING SKILLS.**

Want to keep up with the latest advances in brake technology? No problem. Our team of experts offers world-wide training courses, individually tailored to the specific requirements of workshops and dealers to improve knowledge and customer satisfaction.



# TMD IS ALL ABOUT BRAKE TECHNOLOGY.

As a global leader in brake friction solutions, we are trusted by the biggest brands in the automotive and industrial sector to deliver effective, reliable and safe braking applications. TMD Friction is the preferred supplier for the global leading car brands and commercial vehicle manufacturers. Our pioneering products are also chosen to provide effective, safe braking for some of the world's most prestigious racing series, such as The Le Mans 24 hours.

#### Yesterday. Today. Tomorrow.

Over a hundred years in the business have seen us grow and prosper, becoming a world-leading supplier of brake friction.

Our continued success is based on providing technical excellence, consistent quality and constant innovation through intensive R&D investment.

#### Tomorrow's solutions developed today.

Developing and refining products to improve performance for quieter, smoother, more efficient and environmentally responsible braking is a continuous process. We invest more than €30 million each year to ensure we not only meet the demands of today, but pioneer the technology that will be needed for tomorrow.

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