# **General Slave Cylinder Advice**

### **Correct Handling – Do Not Compress By Hand**

Compressing the unit without hydraulic fluid can cause friction damage to the internal seals or dislodge them resulting in premature failure.







<u>Use vehicle manufacturers specified fluid only</u> (Dot 3, Dot 4 or Dot 5.1 please check for suitability) Do not mix fluids as not all Dot fluid is compatible

### Do Not Grease & Clean Unit

This unit is pre-lubricated during manufacture with a special high performance lubricant for maximum heat resistance.

Any exposure to an unsuitable grease, brake cleaner, silicone based water displacement spray or any type of petroleum based product will have an adverse chemical reaction with the main shaft seal.

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# **Important Slave Cylinder Advice**

Ford Focus, C-Max, Transit Connect, Torneo, Mazda 3 & Volvo C30 & S40, V50



#### **Standard Bleed Fitting (Double Valve)**

This cylinder is fitted with a manual twist 'quick bleed valve' as standard, and is suitable for the majority of vehicles manufactured after 10/2004.



Some vehicles are factory fitted with a modified unit without a quick bleed valve. The bleed mechanism was built into the hydraulic pipe.

In these cases - this double valve unit can only be used when a new hydraulic pipe is fitted...

- Ford Transit Connect (RHD) Pipe Ref No.: 4970676
- Ford Transit Connect (LHD) Pipe Ref No.: 4970675
- Ford Focus Pipe Ref No.: 1472117
- Mazda 3 Pipe Ref No.: BP8F-41-380C
- Volvo C30/S40/V50 Pipe Ref No.: 30787872