Ryder's recommended brake drum reuse maximum diameter is .060" of the maximum .120" discard wear. This standard applies to 15" and 16.5" drums. The .060 cut off provides a safe guard to reduce the chances of drums reaching or exceeding the maximum discard diameter prior to it's next scheduled brake reline.

Step 1
Insert the
double leg of
the gauge into
the drum, 1" to
2" down from
the rim



Step 4
If the single leg
does not drop
past the center,
the drum is within
reusable limits.



Step 2 Slowly lower the single leg of the gauge into the drum



Step 5

Repeat steps 1 thru 4, in four different positions around the drum, to check for out of roundness.

Step 3
If the single leg

drops past the center, the drum diameter exceeds the limit



NOTE

Other drum inspections are still applicable, and must fall within the manufactures specifications and guidelines.

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