

Brake Tek 3 Objectives:

- 1. Participants will know how the benefits of a balanced brake system:
- 2. Participants will know and understand the **differences** between front bias and rear bias
- 3. Participants will know and understand how to change the bias of their brake system

Some advantages of a balanced brake system

- 1. A balanced brake system all 4 tires would lock up at the same time. (nearly impossible, but this is the ideal)
- 2. A balanced system is faster=Lower Lap times.
- 3. Allows all 4 tires to work at their maximum stopping ability
- 4. Better neutral corner entry
- 5. Even brake temps, cooler brakes, more even pad wear and longer lasting pads.

Front bias Front locks up first-Corner entry push or under steer **Rear bias**-Rear locks up first-Corner entry loose or over steer

Factors that increase front bias

- Increased front rotor diameter
- Increased front brake pad coefficient of friction
- Increased front brake caliper piston diameter
- Decreased rear rotor diameter
- Decreased rear brake pad coefficient of friction
- Lower center of gravity
- More static weight on the rear axle
- Less static weight on the front axle
- Less sticky tires (lower deceleration limit)

Factors that increase rear bias

- Increased rear rotor diameter level
- Increased rear brake pad coefficient of friction
- Increased rear brake caliper piston diameter
- Decreased front rotor diameter
- Decreased front brake pad coefficient of friction
- Decreased front caliper piston diameter
- Higher center of gravity
- Less static weight on the rear axle
- More static weight n the front axle
- More Sticky tires (higher deceleration limit)



