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SUBJECT:

Chrome Wheel Care

MODELS:

2000 - **2003**	(AB)	Ram Van/Wagon
**2002 - 2003	(AN)	Dakota **
2000 - 2001	(BR/BE)	Ram Truck
**2002 - 2003	(DN)	Durango **
2002 - **2003**	(DR)	Ram Truck
2001 - **2003**	(JR)	Sebring Convertible/Sebring Sedan/Stratus Sedan
**2003	(KJ)	Liberty **
1998 - **2003**	(LH)	Concorde/Intrepid/LHS/300M
1998 - 2000	(NS)	Town & Country
2002 - **2003**	(PL)	Neon
1999 - 2002	(PR)	Prowler
2001 - **2003**	(PT)	PT Cruiser
2001 - **2003**	(RS)	Town & Country/Caravan
2001 - **2003**	(ST)	Sebring/Stratus Coupe
2002	(TJ)	Wrangler **
2001 - **2003**	(WJ)	Grand Cherokee

DISCUSSION:

Chrome wheels should be cleaned regularly with mild soap and water to maintain their luster and prevent corrosion. Wash them with the same soap solution as the body of the vehicle.

Care must be taken in the selection of tire and wheel cleaning chemicals and equipment to prevent damage to wheels. Mopar Wheel Treatment, p/n 05066247AB – 12 oz. or 05066248AB – 5 gal., is recommended to remove normal brake dust, dirt, grease and grime.

NOTE: **TO CLEAN EXTREMELY DIRTY WHEELS, MOPAR CHROME CLEANER, P/N 04318013, IS RECOMMENDED**

****Any of the "DO NOT USE" items listed below can damage or stain wheels and wheel trim.****

DO NOT USE:

- Any abrasive type cleaner
- Any abrasive cleaning pad (such as steel wool) or abrasive brush
- Any cleaner that contains an acid (this will immediately react with and discolor the chromium surface)
- Any oven cleaner.
- Any abrasive metal cleaner.
- Chrome polish unless it is buffed off immediately after application.
- Any abrasive cleaning pad or brush.
- A car wash that has carbide tipped wheel-cleaning brushes.

CAUTION: MANY COMMERCIAL WHEEL CLEANERS CONTAIN ACIDS THAT MAY HARM THE WHEEL SURFACE.

Refer to Global Warranty Bulletin D-01-22 for further information.

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