



## ***SAFETY FIRST***

**Windshield Wiper Safety** - With the rainy season quickly approaching, it is important to replace your windshield wiper blades for optimum performance and driving visibility.

Windshield wiper blades are important elements of driving safety. Because 90% of your driving decisions are based on a clear, unobstructed view of the road ahead, it is a critical safety concern that your car's wipers provide you with good visibility during wet weather.

Worn wiper blades are dangerous. Rubber deteriorates over time and as blades age, they lose their flexibility and are less able to wipe cleanly. Over time wipers develop a permanent curvature, which prevents full contact with your windshield.

Weather exposure also plays a critical role in your windshield wiper blades deterioration, and prevents the blades from wiping your windshield cleanly. Our hot summer weather warps the rubber and causes the wiper blades to age, even if they're not used. Also, road dirt and airborne contaminants act like an abrasive wearing away the flat surface of blades, weakening and reducing their ability to keep your view unobstructed.

So, before the rainy season settles in, be safe by replacing your windshield wiper blades.