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## **BALANCING vs. ALIGNMENT**

- While it's not uncommon for people to confuse the difference between Balancing and Alignment, they are two different things.
- Balancing addresses how smoothly or evenly rounded the tire is and how it rides. In other words, balancing is meant to ensure that a tire is well rounded enough to rotate smoothly.
- Alignment deals with overall ability of the vehicle to keep going straight without driver intervention or influence.
- They compliment each other and both should be performed to ensure long tire and suspension system life.



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