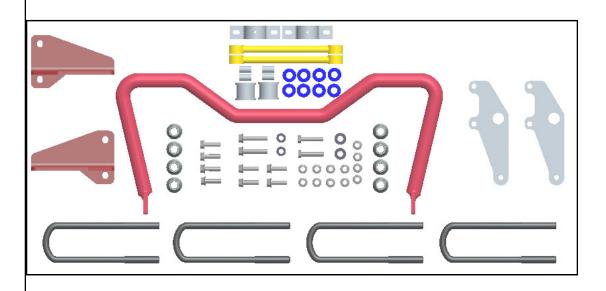


GM C4500/C5500 4X2 STABILIZER BAR RE-INSTALLATION KIT 2003-NEWER MODELS

For Installation with 8M000070 UltraRide Suspensions

Link Kit Part Number: 800M1052



Questions? Contact this Professional Installer :

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Installer : _	Date :

1. INTRODUCTION

<u>NOTE</u>: It is important that the entire installation instructions be read thoroughly before proceeding with suspension installation.

WARNING! A correct installation must result in the suspension and axle being "loaded" within the range specified by axle and suspension manufacturers. Please check vehicle specifications and intended usage to insure axle will be within Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR). No alteration of any suspension component is permitted. Link Mfg. Is not responsible for damages from improper installation or operations beyond design capability. Link Mfg. In its sole discretion shall determine whether or not any product is defective or otherwise covered by warranty.

PRODUCT INSTALLER RESPONSIBILITIES

- □ Installer is responsible for installing the product in accordance with Link Mfg. specifications and installation instructions.
- □ Installer is responsible for providing proper suspension to vehicle attachments.
- □ Installer is responsible for assuring necessary clearance for vehicle and suspension components, such as axle, wheels, tires, exhaust, and air springs to ensure safe operation.
- □ Installer is responsible for advising the owner of proper use, service and required maintenance, and for supplying maintenance and other instruction supplied by Link Mfg.

SAFETY SYMBOLS, TORQUE SYMBOL, and NOTES

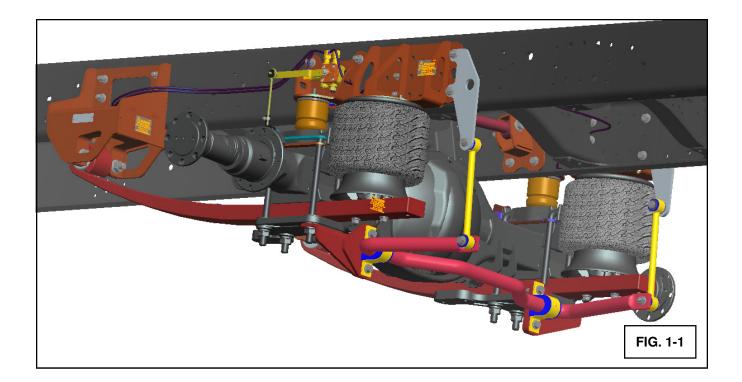
	This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all		The torque symbol alerts you to tighten fasteners to a specified torque value.	
	safety messages that fol- low this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.	NOTE:	A Note provides information or suggestions that help you correctly perform a task.	
	WARNING indicates a po- tentially hazardous situa- tion which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.	A	The electrical symbol indi- cates the presence of electric shock hazards which, if not avoided, may result in injury	
	CAUTION indicates a po- tentially hazardous situa- tion which, if not avoided,		to personnel or damage to equipment.	
	could result in minor or moderate injury.	Proper tightening of U-Bolt nuts and mounting nuts are required for proper operation. Need for proper Torque value		
CAUTION	CAUTION used without the safety alert symbol indi- cates a potentially hazard- ous situation which, if not avoided, may result in property damage.	Assembly section of the instructions. Failure to maintain proper torque can cause component failure resulting in accident with consequent injury.		

INSTALLATION NOTES:

- Proper tightening of U-Bolt nuts and frame mounting nuts is required for proper operation. Critical torque values are indicated by a wrench symbol. Required torque values are located Torque Table in section 7.
 Failure to maintain proper torque may cause component failure and may result in accident with consequent injury.
- When installing the UltraRide suspension on the GM chassis, please reference the appropriate sections of the GM Service Manual for additional requirements.

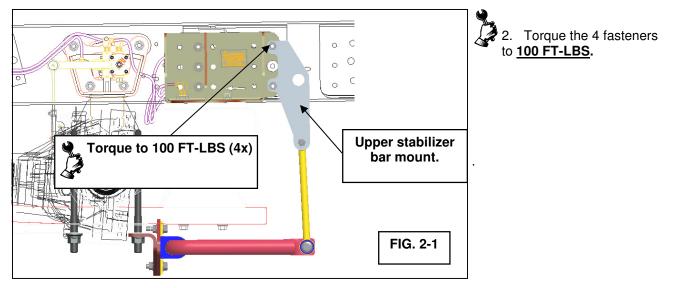
PRE-INSTALLATION CHECKLIST

- □ Check the vehicle wheel alignment prior to installation to insure no precondition exists; record the information for verification.
- □ Remove the attached body, if necessary. Remember to disconnect all electrical connections to the body, and fuel filler tube, before removing the body. The installation may also be completed using a lift to raise the vehicle. If using a lift, chassis body removal may not be necessary. Removal of rear wheels will aid in installation. *Refer to GM Document 812944 and 827666.*
- □ When installing the suspension without using a lift:
 - □ Block the front wheels (both sides, front and rear of tire) and apply the emergency brake so the vehicle cannot roll.
 - Do not lift the wheels off the ground.
 - Do not jack on any part of the axle.

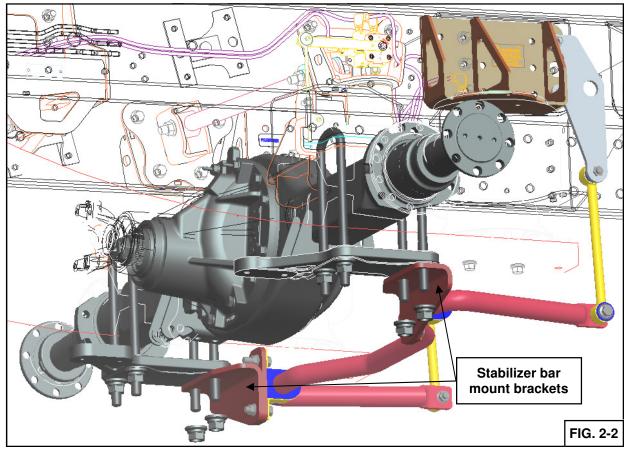


2. REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

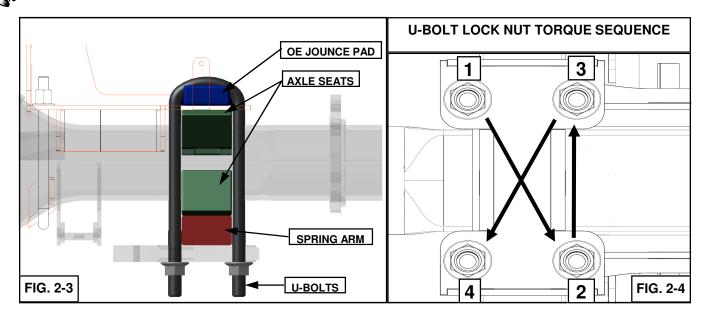
1. Mount upper stabilizer bar mount to the frame utilizing rear mounting holes of the upper air spring bracket using (4) 1411-1614 bolts and (4) 1480-1604 nuts.



3. Remove and discard axle mount U-bolts. Install stabilizer bar mount brackets using new U-bolts and free spinning lock nuts supplied.



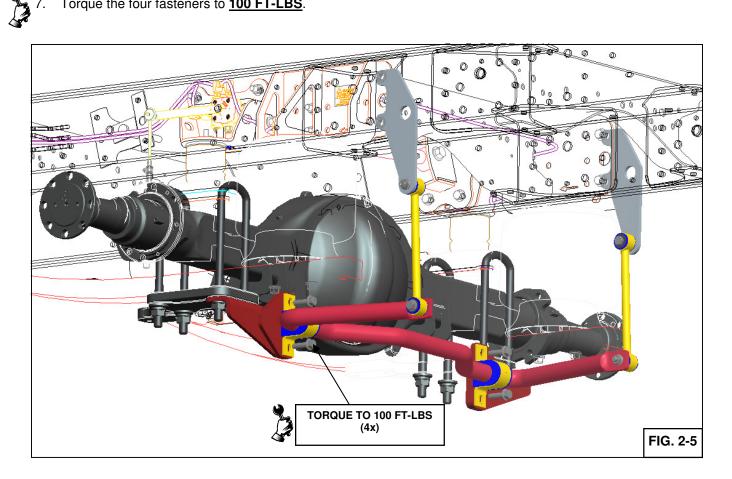
4. Torque the free spinning lock nuts on the U-bolts to <u>315 FT-LBS</u> via torque sequence shown below.



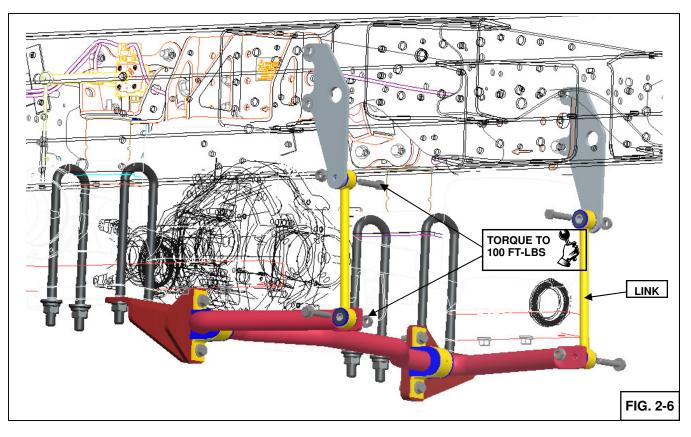
5. Pre-assemble bushing and clamp loosely to stabilizer bar (Fig. 2-5).

Assemble the stabilizer bar to the axle brackets using the (4) 1411-1614 bolts and (4) 1480-1604 nuts as 6. shown (Fig. 2-5).

Torque the four fasteners to 100 FT-LBS. 7.



- 9. Bolt links to the stabilizer bar using (2) 141A-1622 bolts and (2) 1480-1604 nuts.
- 10. Then align and bolt the link to the upper stabilizer bar bracket using (2) 1402-1620 bolt and (2) 1480-1604 nuts.
- 11. Torque the four fasteners to 100 FT-LBS.
 - 12. Verify all hardware is utilized and all fasteners are torque to proper values.
 - 13. Test drive and inspect vehicle to verify proper installation and function.



TORQUE TABLE					
LOCATION	FASTENER	TORQUE			
FRAME MOUNTED FRONT HANGER	1/2 UNC NUTS	100 FT-LBS			
FRAME MOUNTED UPPER AIR SPRING BRACKET	1/2 UNC NUTS	100 FT-LBS			
FRAME MOUNTED LATERAL CONTROL ROD BRACKET	1/2 UNC NUTS	100 FT-LBS			
AXLE MOUNTED LATERAL CONTROL ROD BRACKET	5/8 UNF NUTS (U-BOLT)	150 FT-LBS			
LATERAL CONTROL ROD	5/8 UNC NUTS	160 FT-LBS			
AIR SPRING TOP STUD	3/4 UNC JAM NUTS	50 FT-LBS			
AIR SPRING BOTTOM	1/2 UNC BOLTS	30 FT-LBS			
TRAILING ARM AXLE LOCATION	M20 LOCK NUTS (U-BOLT)	315 FT-LBS			
FRONT TRAILING ARM PIVOT BOLTS	3/4 UNC NUTS	275 FT-LBS			
SHOCK ABSORBER	METRIC NUTS	60 FT-LBS			
AIR CONTROL BOX	5/16 UNF NUTS	20 FT-LBS			

3. OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

The UltraRide® Rear Stabilizer Kit needs no lubrication and little maintenance. The following components should be checked at the time the vehicle is being serviced. However, immediate corrective action should be taken if a serious malfunction occurs. See the Parts List Drawing on following page for details.

WARNING! If maintenance or service is to be done on the air system, be sure to drain all air from system. Serious injury could occur if components are removed while system is full of air.

PRODUCT OWNER RESPONSIBILITIES

- Owner is solely responsible for pre-operation inspection, periodic inspections, maintenance, and use of the product as specified in the particular LINK MFG. instructions available by product model, except as provided in this warranty, and for maintenance of other vehicle components. Of particular importance is the re-torque of fasteners including axle u-bolts, torque rod bolts and track rod bolts. This re-torque must be performed within 90 days of the suspension being put in service.
- Owner is responsible for "down time" expenses, cargo damage, and all business costs and losses resulting from a warrantable failure.
- □ The UltraRide® Chassis Air Suspension is fully automatic in controlling the height of the chassis. No manual intervention to control air pressure or ride height is needed during the course of operation.

CHECK AFTER THE FIRST 1000 MILES:

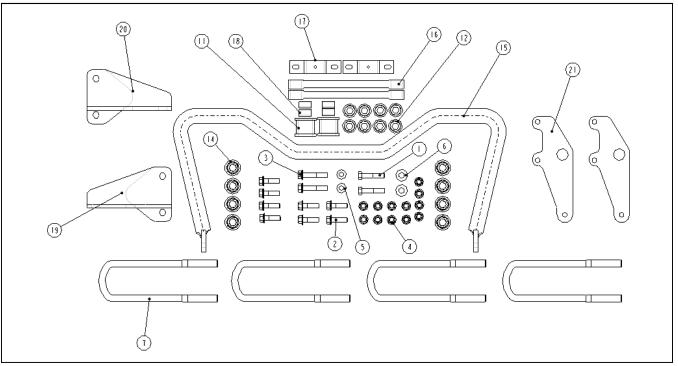
- □ Recheck & tighten any loose fasteners.
- □ Check for any loose or worn components.

CHECK AFTER EVERY 30,000 MILES:

Check stabilizer bar pivot bushings and connecting link bushings for wear; replace if worn.

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ITEM	PART #	DESCRIPTION	QTY
1	1402-1620	1/2 X 2 1/2 UNC HEX CAP SCR (GR 8)	2
2	1411-1614	1/2 X 1 3/4 UNC FLANGE BOLT (GRADE 8)	8
3	141A-1622	1/2 X 2 3/4 UNC FLANGE BOLT (GR 8) O&P	2
4	1480-1604	1/2 UNC TOP LOCK FL NUT (GR G) O&P	12
5	1488-1602	1/2 SAEHARDENED WASHER	2
6	1488-2003	5/8 SAE PLAIN WASHER, OIL&PHOS	2
7	14950038	U-BOLT, M20 X 2.50, 79 X 315	4
8	1500-1182	BOX(10 X 3 X 20.5)	2
9	1500-1255	BOX(4.25 X 2.50 X 8.00	1
10	1500-1278	BOX(22X3X49)	1
11	15000926	BUSHING-SWAY BAR, POLYURETHANE	2
12	15000927	BUSHING	8
13	15001816	BAG-PLASTIC, HEATSEALED (8.0 X 15.0)	1
14	15060451	M20X2.5 FREE SPINNING LOCK NUT	8
15	80001950	SWAY BAR	1
16	80001951	LINK-CONNECTING	2
17	80001952	CLAMP-MOUNT, SWAY BAR	2
18	80001953	TUBE-BUSHING	4
19	800M1055	BRACKET-MOUNT, SWAY BAR	1
20	800M1056	BRACKET-MOUNT, SWAY BAR	1
21	81000510	BRACKET-MOUNT, FRAME	2





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