

STABILUS

103053

Replacement Instructions:

1. Follow general instructions on back of pouch. Read instructions through before beginning installation. Have someone to hold and support the hood, hatch, liftgate or trunk while replacing the old lift supports.
2. Remove the mounting bracket from the hatch. Keep original hardware for the new installation. Note the orientation of the factory bracket on the vehicle.
3. Remove the mounting bracket and old lift support from the vehicle body. Keep original hardware for the new installation. Note the orientation of the factory bracket on the vehicle.
4. Remove the tube-end mounting bracket from the old lift support by drilling out the rivet attachment. Enlarge hole to 1/4" diameter.
5. Attach the tube-end bracket to the new lift support using the provided small pin and e-clip in the same orientation as the original lift support.
6. Remove the rod-end mounting bracket from the old lift support by drilling out the rivet attachment.
7. Install the new large pin through the new lift support rod-end eyelet, then place the bracket onto the pin, followed by the new spring washer and steel washer. Next, install the provided e-clip.
8. Install the rod-end mounting bracket onto the vehicle body and the tube-end mounting bracket to the hatch using the original mounting bolts.
9. Check that all connections are tight and secure.