

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. The original bolts will be reused for the new installation. Note the orientation of the factory bracket on the vehicle.
3. Remove the tube-end mounting bracket and old lift support from the vehicle body. The original bolts will be reused for the new installation.
4. Remove the rod-end mounting bracket from the gas spring by drilling out the attachment rivet. Enlarge rivet hole in bracket to 5/16" diameter.
5. Install the rod-end mounting bracket on the hatch rotated a half-turn (180°) from the original position using the original mounting bolts. Install the provided ball stud, washer, and nut onto the bracket so the ball faces the driver's side of the vehicle.
6. Detach the tube-end mounting bracket from the old lift support by drilling out the attachment rivet. Enlarge rivet hole to 5/16" diameter.
7. Install the tube-end mounting bracket onto the vehicle body using the original mounting bolts.
8. Install new lift support in the same orientation as the old lift support. Press the plastic end fitting onto the ball stud one side at a time.
9. Check that all connections are tight and secure.