

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 tube-end of the old lift support from the vehicle hatch using an open-end wrench.
3. Install provided ball stud and washer into the threaded hole in the hatch.
4. Unbolt the two mounting screws to remove the rod-end bracket and old lift support from the vehicle. Keep original hardware for use on new installation. Note the orientation of the original bracket on the vehicle.
5. Remove the rod-end mounting bracket from the old lift support by drilling out the attachment rivet, and enlarge the hole to 5/16" diameter.
6. Install the new lift support to the bracket using the supplied hardware as follows: 1) insert pin through the underside of the bracket, 2) place lift support eyelet over pin. 3) place washer over the pin, and 4) complete assembly by securing the e-clip in the pin groove.
7. Use the two original screws to install rod-end mounting bracket to the vehicle.
8. Install the tube-end of the new lift support by simply pressing the plastic end fitting onto the ball stud.
9. Check that all connections are tight and secure.