

# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS 153205

# 2018+ Jeep JL & JLU 4" Lift Kit

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specified values.

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#### **RECOMMENDED TOOLS:**

- Properly rated floor jack and four (4) support stands
- Adjustable Axle Stands
- Wheel chocks
- 1/2" drive torque wrench up to 200 ft/lbs range
- Standard and Metric socket wrench set
- Standard and Metric wrench set
- Tape measure
- Pliers
- Medium weight ball peen hammer/ center punch
- · Drill with metal drill bits
- Marking pen

## 18+ JL WRANGLER LIFTING 4WD 4"

2018TB	FRONT STREET PERFORMANCE SHOCK			
153205-118	FRONT COIL SPRING			
153205-120	FRONT UPPER CONTROL ARMS			
153205-121	FRONT LOWER CONTROL ARMS	2		
153205-122R	FRONT ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK (RIGHT)			
153205-122L	FRONT ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK (LEFT)			
153205-123	FRONT ADJUSTABLE TRACK BAR			
153205-130L	FRONT BRAKE LINE BRACKET			
153205-130R	FRONT BRAKE LINE BRACKET			
2220TB	REAR STREET PERFORMANCE SHOCK			
153205-200-99	REAR TRACK BAR RELOCATOR	1		
153205-210D	REAR DRIVERS COIL SPRING	1		
153205-210P	REAR PASSENGERS COIL SPRING			
153205-211	REAR UPPER CONTROL ARMS			
153205-212	REAR LOWER CONTROL ARMS			
153205-215	REAR ADJUSTABLE TRACKBAR			
153205-216	REAR ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK	2		
	153205-777 HARDWARE KIT			
112050	BOLT M12 X 1.75 - 35MM	1		
111099	BOLT M12 X 1.75 - 90MM	1		
110243	NUT M12 X 1.75			
110228	M12 WASHER			
153205 <b>-</b> 200C	TRACK BAR SPACER			



### 1) KIT PREPERATION

a) Before beginning the install process, measure the hub to fender heights for your vehicle so you can compare the resulting height to the original. Measure vertically from the center of the wheel to the inner edge of the fender. Record the results here:

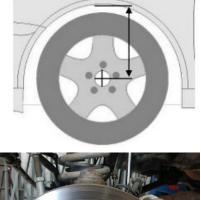
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b) Park the vehicle on a smooth, level concrete or seasoned asphalt surface and activate the parking brake. Block the REAR wheels of the vehicle with wheel chocks; making sure the vehicle's transmission is in 1st gear (manual) or "Park" (automatic).

! It is very important that the vehicle is properly supported during this installation to prevent personal injury and chassis damage. Make sure that the support stands are properly placed prior to performing the following procedures. We **DO NOT RECOMMEND** using wheel ramps while performing this installation. !

### 2) FRONT INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS

- a) Lift the front of the vehicle and properly support on jack stands Make sure to leave extra clearance as your new suspension setup will be 4 inches taller. Place a jack under the front axle as it will need to move independently from the frame.
- b) Remove the front wheels using a 22mm deep well socket. (If factory lug nuts are present) (PHOTO 1)
- b) Completely remove the front track bar using a 21mm socket and wrench at both ends. The bolts will be reused. (PHOTO 2 & 3)
- c) Remove the bottom sway bar bolts connecting it to the end links using an 18mm socket and wrench. Next remove the top sway bar end link nut using an 18mm socket and 6mm Allen wrench. Swing the sway bar out of the way. (PHOTO 4)
- d) Completely remove the front shock using an 18mm on both the upper and lower bolts. The shock hardware will be reused. (PHOTO 5)
- e) Loosen but do not remove the lower control arm bolts using a
  - 21mm socket and 24mm wrench to allow for the arm to swing. Do the same for the upper control arm using an 18mm socket and wrench.











### 2) FRONT INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED

- g. Remove the brake line bracket from the bottom control arm location using a 15mm wrench. (PHOTO 6)
- h. Disconnect brake line mounting brackets, and any wiring that may be pulled on while lowering axle. (PHOTO 7, 8)
- i. The axle may need to be pushed downwards for the spring to move freely. Remove the spring but keep the spring isolators as these will be reused. (Spring compressors may be needed to help in this step.)
- Remove the bolts that connect the lower control arms to the axle and frame using a 21mm & 24mm wrench and socket, and remove the lower control arm (PHOTO 9)
- k. Adjust the new lower control arms to suggested length then tighten the jam nut. This measurement should be taken from eye to eye of the bushings. Using stock hardware, install the arm with its adjustable end toward the frame and non adjustable end to the axle. The greased zerk fitting should always be facing upwards to prevent from damage. The bend should face inwards for maximum wheel clearance. (PHOTO 10 & 11)
- I. Using an 18mm wrench remove the factory upper control arm. Adjust upper control arm to the suggested length and tighten the jam nut. Install following the same instructions as Step J, but with zerk fitting facing downward. (PHOTO 12) Refer to the torque specs once the lift components installation is complete.











Approx. Upper Control Arm Length : 525mm / 20.5

Aprrox Lower Control Arm Length: 620mm / 24.5"

Approx. Track Bar Length:875mm / 34.5"

Upper Control Arms: 120 ft-lbs Lower Control Arms: 150 ft-lbs Lower Shock Mount: 80 ft-lbs Upper Shock Mount: 80 ft-lbs Track Bar Mount: 120 ft-lbs





### 2) FRONT INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED

- m) Install the front coil springs with the spring isolators. It is easier to install the spring into the upper tower first, and then seat it on the lower seat. A spring compressor tool may help in this step. Rotate the spring so that the lower coil seats correctly. Raise the axle to securely hold the spring. (PHOTO 11)
- n) Install the top of the front shock dampers using the OEM hardware, and allow the shocks to hang freely. (PHOTO 12)
- o) Remove the front brake line bracket from its location on the frame and install the front brake line relocation bracket as shown using the factory hardware. The lines will attach in similar manner to the original. (PHOTO 13)
- p) Attach the lower shock ends to the axle and tighten. (PHOTO 14)
- q) Reinstall the Front wheels and lower the vehicle to the ground.
- r) Adjust the track bar to a suggested length from eye to eye. The adjustable track bar will reattach similarly to the OEM bar, with the adjustable end attaching to the frame using the supplied eyelet spacers. (If the track bar will not align, turning the steering wheel may help to align the bushing) (PHOTO 15 & 16)
- s) Attach the Sway bar to the end links, and tighten. Refer to the separate instructions for end link assembly and mounting. The front installation is complete.













### 3) Rear Lift Installation

- a) Jack up the vehicle and set it on supporting jack stands, being careful not to support the vehicle by the axle. Place a jack or axle stands under the rear axle as it will need to move independently from the frame.
- b) Remove the rear wheels using a 22mm deep well socket if the vehicle is equipped with the OEM lug nuts.
- c) Remove the factory sway bar end links using an 18mm wrench and wrench on the lower end, and a 18mm wrench and 6mm allen on the ball joint end. (PHOTO 18)
- d) Completely remove rear track bar from the vehicle using a 21mm socket & wrench, keep the hardware. (PHOTO 19)
- e) Loosen, but do not remove the hardware holding the upper and lower control arms to the frame and axle using a 21mm socket or wrench.
- f) Unbolt the brake hose bracket using a 13mm wrench. The hardware will be reused later. (**PHOTO 20**)
- g) Completely remove the rear shocks using an 18mm wrench.
- h) Be cautious and slowly lower the rear axle to remove the rear coil springs. Be careful not to pull any cables or wires.
- i) For steps **j** through **m**, work on one side at a time, to avoid the axle from twisting excessively.
- j) Remove the upper control arms. Keep all the hardware to reuse. (PHOTO 21)
- k) Assemble the rear upper control arm in the same manner as the fronts. Adjust to a suggested length noted below from eyelet to eyelet. Install the control arm with the heim end attaching to the frame with the greased zerk fitting pointing upwards to prevent damage.
- I) Remove the bolts holding the lower control arm using a 21mm socket at the axle and frame. Keep the factory hardware. (PHOTO 22)

Approx. Upper Control Arm Length : 450mm / 17.75"

Aprrox Lower Control Arm Length: 515mm / 20.25"

Approx. Track Bar Length:

950mm / 37.375"

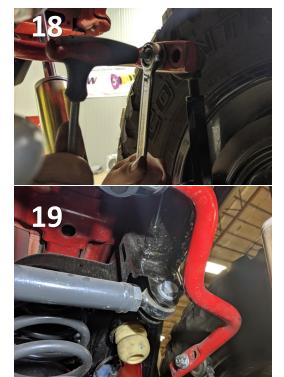
Upper Control Arms: 120 ft-lbs

Lower Control Arms: 150 ft-lbs

Lower Shock Mount: 80 ft-lbs

Upper Shock Mount: 80 ft-lbs

Track Bar Mount: 120 ft-lbs









### 3) Rear Lift Installation continued

- m) Assemble the rear lower control arm in the same manner as the fronts. Adjust to a suggested length measured from eyelet to eyelet and tighten jam nut.. Install the control arm with the heim end attaching to the frame with the greased zerk fitting pointing upwards to prevent damage, using factory hardware.
- n) Repeat the control arm steps for the opposite side
- o) Install the new rear springs making sure to seat them properly and raise the axle to ensure the springs no longer move freely.
- p) Install the new rear dampers using the stock hardware, the remaining steps can be done on the ground. (PHOTO 23 & 24)
- q) To install the rear Trackbar roll center correction bracket, mount it using the bolt that will pass through the preexisting hole. Then mark the hole to be drilled with a paint marker, dismount the relocation bracket, and drill a hole for a 12mm Bolt to pass through. Do not oversize this hole as it will compromise the structural integrity of the bracket. (PHOTO 25 & 26)
- r) Install the rear trackbar bracket, including the spacer sleeve where the original trackbar mounted, using the supplied hardware. Torque the supplied bolts and nuts on the bracket to 100 ft-lbs, and ensure that the bracket is tight, and clamping down on the stock bracket securely.
- s) The rear trackbar should be adjusted to a recommended length on the previous page. Install with the nonadjustable end into the relocation bracket and the heim attaching to the body. Torque to 120 ft-lbs. Tighten the jam nut. (PHOTO 27)
- t) Check all hardware and tighten to factory torque specs as needed.
- u) Install the quick disconnect end links according to the separate instructions provided.
- v) Be sure to torque any and all hardware previously loosened, removed or replaced.











## 4) Post Install

- a) IMPORTANT: The Adjustable control arms and track bars, as well as the factory tie rod may need to be adjusted to center the steering wheel before driving the vehicle. Failure to do so can cause an error message on the dash, odd handling, and can result in an accident.
- b) Check that all components and fasteners have been properly installed, tightened and torqued.
- c) Check brake hoses, and other components for any possible interference.
- **d)** Torque the lug nuts to OEM (factory) specifications.
- **e)** Test drive the vehicle in a remote location so that you can become accustomed to the altered driving characteristics and handling. Be aware that the vehicle will handle substantially different now that it has been modified.
- f) We recommend the vehicle be taken to a qualified wheel alignment facility to be realigned to factory specifications after completing the install.
- g) Installation is complete. Check <u>ALL</u> of the hardware and re-torque at intervals for the first 10, 100, 1000 miles.



# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS 153205A-888

# 2018+ Jeep JL & JLU Quick Disconnect Swaybar End Link Kit

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#### **RECOMMENDED TOOLS:**

- (If lifting vehicle) Properly rated floor jack and two (2) support stands
- Torque wrench
- Standard and Metric socket wrench set
- · Standard and Metric wrench set
- Pliers
- Safety Glasses

# JEEP JL / JLU QUICK DISCONNECT

QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	153205-122R	FRONT ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK RIGHT
1	112326	Jam Nut 1//2"-20
1	110269	Curved Disc Spring
1	110268	Cotter Pin 3MM
1	112248	Male Heim Joint 1/2" -20
2	57401-045	Bearing Spacer
1	116002	Clevis Pin
1	153205-122BW	Endlink With Bushing
1	153205-122B-99	End Link
1	113502	Bushing
1	153205-122L	FRONT ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK RIGHT
1	112326	Jam Nut 1//2"-20
1	110269	Curved Disc Spring
1	110268	Cotter Pin 3MM
1	112248	Male Heim Joint 1/2" -20
1	110273	1/2" - 20 Thin Nylock Nut
2	57401-045	Bearing Spacer
1	116003	Clevis Pin Stud
1	153205-122BW	Endlink With Bushing
1	153205-122B-99	End Link
1	113502	Bushing
2	153205-216	REAR ADJUSTABLE ENDLINK
1	112326	Jam Nut 1//2"-20
1	110269	Curved Disc Spring
1	110268	Cotter Pin 3MM
1	110273	1/2" - 20 Thin Nylock Nut
1	112248	Male Heim Joint 1/2" -20
2	57401-045-95	Bearing Spacer
1	116003-95	Clevis Pin / Stud
1	153205-216BW	Endlink With Bushing
1	153205-216B-99	Endlink
1	113502	Bushing



### 1) KIT PREPERATION

Park the vehicle on a smooth, level concrete or seasoned asphalt surface and activate the parking brake. Block the REAR wheels of the vehicle with wheel chocks; making sure the vehicle's transmission is in 1st gear (manual) or "Park" (automatic).

! Lifting the vehicle with a floor jack is not required for this installation. If lifting to perform installation, it is very important that the vehicle is properly supported on jack stands to prevent personal injury and chassis damage. Make sure that the support stands are properly placed prior to performing the following procedures. We DO NOT RECOMMEND using wheel ramps while performing this installation. !

### 2) FRONT INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Remove Lower end link bolts using two 18mm wrenches. Save the hardware for later. Note the direction the bends on the end links face. The new ones will be installed in the same direction. (PHOTO 1)
- b. Remove end links using a 6mm allen key and 18mm wrench. (PHOTO 2)
- c. Install threaded pin into axle tab on driver side facing inboard with the cotter pin hole angled as shown. Hold the pin by the 2 flat surfaces to tighten the supplied nut. Place spring washer on the pin as shown. (PHOTO 3)
- d. Insert the original lower swaybar bolts into the swaybar from the inside facing outward. (PHOTO 4)
- e. Install the new front end links with a cone spacer on each side and the original lower nut on the drivers side. On the passenger side, use the supplied nylon lock nut. Leave the jam nut on the end link loose at this time.

(PHOTO 5)











### 2) FRONT INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED

- f. Assemble front passenger quick release clevis pin with spring washer as shown. (PHOTO 6)
- g. Insert front passenger end link bushing into its location on the axle. Press the clevis pin through the bracket. Insert cotter pin to secure the clevis pin in place. Make sure cotter pin is fully seated on the clevis pin. (PHOTO 7,8)
- h. Slide the driver side end ink onto the pin on the axle, and secure with cotter pin. (PHOTO 9,10)
- Adjust end links to desired length (The arms on the ends of the swaybar should sit horizontal while the vehicle is at ride height.) Tighten jam nut while keeping the heim joint centered. (PHOTO 11)













### 3) REAR INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Remove Lower end link bolts using two 18mm wrenches. Save the hardware for later. Note the direction the bends on the end links face. The new ones will be installed in the same direction.
- b. Remove end links using a 6mm allen key and 18mm wrench. (PHOTO 12)
- c. Install threaded pins into both axle tabs facing outboard with the cotter pin holes facing vertically. Hold the pin by the 2 flat surfaces to tighten the supplied nut. Place spring washer on the pin. (PHOTO 13)
- d. Insert the original lower swaybar bolts into the swaybar from the inside facing outward. (PHOTO 14)
- e. Install the new rear end links with a cone spacer on each side and the original lower nuts. Leave the jam nut on the end link loose at this time. (PHOTO 15)
- f. Adjust end link lengths as necessary and tighten jam nuts.
- g. Slide the end links onto the clevis pins and secure with the provided cotter pins. (PHOTO 16, 17)













## 4) Post Install

- a) Check that all components and fasteners have been properly installed, tightened and torqued.
- **b)** Check brake hoses, and other components for any possible interference.
- c) If on jack stands, remove stands and lower vehicle at this time.
- **d)** If removed, torque the lug nuts to OEM (factory) specifications.
- e) Test drive the vehicle in a remote location so that you can become accustomed to the altered driving characteristics and handling. Be aware that the vehicle may handle differently now that it has been modified.
- f) Installation is complete. Check <u>ALL</u> of the hardware and re-torque at intervals for the first 10, 100, 1000 miles.