

FTS220512 Dirt Logic 2.25 Dual Steering Stabilizer System 2005 - 2017 Ford F250 & F350 4WD

PARTS LIST:

	FTS220512	05-17 F-250/F350 Dual D/L Stabilizer
Qty	Part #	Description
2	FT220512i	Instruction Sheet
1	FT30730	Axle Bracket
1	FT30311	Hdwr Sub-Assembly Kit
2	FT85000-U	Steering Stabilizer

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2	FT30148	Tie Rod Bracket
1	FT30221BK	Stabilizer Bracket
1	FT86079	Hardware Kit
1	FT58H	Axle U-bolt hardware
1	FT739U	Axle U-Bolt
4	FT740U	Tie Rod U-Bolt
1	FTAS12	Sticker
1	FTLOCK	Thread Locking Compound
1	FTREGCARD	Registration Card

HARDWARE LIST:

Qty	Description
8	3/8"-16 Nyloc Nut
8	3/8" SAE Flat Washer
2	1/2"-13 x 2" Hex Bolt
2	1/2" SAE Flat Washer
2	1/2"-13 x 3" Hex Bolt
2	1/2"-13 Nyloc Nut
4	1/2" SAE Flat Washer
2	9/16"-12 x 1 3/4" Hex Bolt
2	9/16"-12 Nyloc Nut
4	9/16" SAE Flat Washer

TOOL LIST:

- Assorted Metric & Standard Wrenches
- Torque Wrench
- Measuring Tape
- Die Grinder With Cut-Off Wheel

WARNING

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY FROM START TO FINISH BEFORE BEGINNING INSTALLATION.

CHECK ALL PARTS INCLUDED IN THIS KIT TO THE PARTS LIST ABOVE BEFORE BEGINNING INSTALLATION OF THIS KIT.

DO NOT ALTER THE FINISH OF THESE COMPONENTS, EXAMPLE- CHROMING, ZINC PLATING OR PAINTING. CHANGING THE FINISH CAN CAUSE STRUCTURAL FATIGUE OF COMPONENTS.

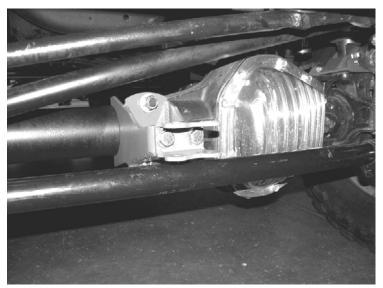
THIS STABILIZER KIT WILL NOT WORK ON STOCK HEIGHT VEHICLES IT IS DESIGNED TO WORK <u>ONLY</u> ON VEHICLES WITH FABTECH LIFT SYSTEMS

THIS KIT REQUIRES THE REMOVAL OF THE FACTORY STABILIZER AND BRACKETRY. DO NOT RUN THE FACTORY STABILIZER WITH THIS SYSTEM.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Disconnect the negative battery terminal. Park the truck on level ground and set the emergency brake. Locate and remove any existing stabilizer(s), brackets, and hardware that are installed on the truck. Do not re-install a stabilizer in the factory position, as it will interfere with the new stabilizers. **NOTE: WHEN INSTALLING ON 2017 MODELS, LEAVE FACTORY STABILIZER INSTALLED.**

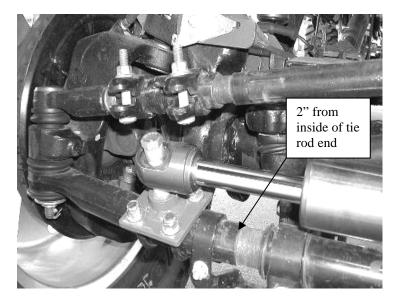
2. Locate FT30730 axle bracket and FT30221 stabilizer bracket. Attach the stabilizer bracket to the two front holes on the axle bracket using the supplied 9/16" x 1 ³/₄" hardware and torque to 55 ft lbs. SEE PHOTO BELOW.



 Install the assembled stabilizer bracket. The bracket should mount both onto the axle tube and differential housing.
Use the supplied FT739U U-Bolt and hardware to attach the axle bracket to the axle. Leave loose at this time.

4. Working on the driver side of the truck, locate FT30148 Tie Rod End Bracket and position it 2" from the outer tie rod end. Use the FT740U U-Bolt and 3/8" hardware to attach the bracket to the tie rod end. Leave loose at this time. 5. Locate FT85000-U Steering Stabilizer, supplied shock half bushings and shock sleeves. Press two bushing halves into the body end of the Stabilizer. Press a sleeve into the bushings. Attach the stabilizer to the bracket on the axle using the 1/2" x 3" hardware. Use a small amount of thread locking compound on the bolt and torque to 30 ft. lbs.

6. Compress the Steering Stabilizer to expose $5\frac{1}{2}$ of the shaft, set the tie rod bracket to match and tighten the u-bolts to 30 ft. lbs. Attach the end of the stabilizer to the tie rod bracket using the supplied misalignment spacers and hardware. Use a small amount of thread locking compound on the nuts and torque to 35 ft. lbs. SEE PHOTO BELOW.



Picture Shown on Pass. Side of Truck.

7. Repeat Steps four through six on the passenger side of the truck.

8. Torque the axle bracket u-bolt to 80 ft lbs.

9. Use a die grinder with a cut off wheel to cut off the thread remaining on the axle bracket u-bolt flush with the c-nut.

11. Steer the truck fully to the left and right to make sure the steering stabilizers are not bottoming out. Adjust the tie rod end bracket(s) as needed

12. Re-torque all the hardware after 200 miles.

RETORQUE ALL NUTS, BOLTS AND LUGS AFTER 50 MILES AND PERIODICALLY THEREAFTER.

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