

## 2007- 2017 Jeep Wrangler JK With HD Tie Rod Assembly Dual Steering Stabilizer Part # 5206 / 7206 / 8206 / 9206

**REQUIRED TOOL LIST:** 

- Safety Glasses
- Metric / Standard Wrenches & Sockets
- Measuring Tape
- Torque Wrench



Before beginning the installation, thoroughly & completely read these instructions & the enclosed driver's WARNING NOTICE. Affix the WARNING decal in the passenger compartment in clear view of all occupants. Please refer to the Parts List to insure that all parts & hardware are received prior to the disassembly of the vehicle.

#### **Important Note:**

- This dual steering stabilizer kit is designed to be used with the Skyjacker heavy duty tie rod assembly (Part # JK717TR) or other aftermarket tie rod assembly using a 1.75" OD tie rod tube.
- Steering stabilizer boots are not included with this dual stabilizer kit to maintain proper clearances.

#### **Component Box Breakdown:**

#### Part #: 5206 / 7206 / 8206 / 9206

Item #	Description	Qty	Item #	Description	Qty
5202FS	FOX STEERING DAMPER	2	MXSD-S	BLACK MAX STAB DECAL	2
	(Included With 5206)			(Included With 8206)	
7202WS	WHITE STEERING DAMPER	2	SSD	SILVER STABILIZER DECAL	2
	(Included With 7206)				
8202BS	BLACK STEERING DAMPER	2	HB-7206	HDWR BAG: 7206 / 9206	2
	(Included With 8206)			(Included With 7206 / 9206)	
9202WS	SILVER STEERING DAMPER	2	HB-8206	HDWR BAG: 5206 / 8206	1
	(Included With 9206)			(Included With 5206 / 8206)	
7204-MB	MAIN BRACKET	1	I-7206	INST SHT: 5206/7206/8206/9206	1
HYDRO 4.75-CI	- HYDRO SHOCK DECAL	2			
	(Included With 7206)				

### Hardware Bag Breakdown:

### Part # HB-7206 (Included With 7206 / 9206)

ltem #	Description	Qty
7204-FP	FRONT PLATE BRACKET	1
7206-D	DRIVERS BRACKET	1
7206-P	PASSENGER BRACKET	1
140629	EB6 STUD BAG - P932/140629	4

Item #	Description	Qty
HOURGLASS 5/8	HOURGLASS 5/8 BUSHING	4
38X134X234U	3/8 X 1 3/4 X 2 3/4 U-BLT RD	4
38X234X3U	3/8 X 2 3/4 X 3 U-BOLT RD	2
38FSCTN	3/8 SERRATED CRSE NUT	12

### Part # HB-8206 (Included With 5206 / 8206)

Item #	Description	Qty	Item #	Description	Qty
7204-FP	FRONT PLATE BRACKET	1	HG5815-K	HOURGLASS 5/8 BUSH / BLK	4
7206-D	DRIVERS BRACKET	1	38X134X234U	3/8 X 1 3/4 X 2 3/4 U-BLT RD	4
7206-P	PASSENGER BRACKET	1	38X234X3U	3/8 X 2 3/4 X 3 U-BOLT RD	2
140629	EB6 STUD BAG - P932/140629	4	38FSCTN	3/8 SERRATED CRSE NUT	4

# Installation:

- 1. Park the vehicle on a level concrete or asphalt surface with the front tires / wheels pointing straight forward.
- 2. Set the emergency brake & block the rear tires / wheels.
- 3. Remove the steering stabilizer from the OEM mount on the axle & tie rod assembly.
- Install the supplied studs to the new Skyjacker axle bracket using a 3/4" socket / wrench & adjustable pliers. (See Photo # 1)
- Install the new Skyjacker axle bracket under the axle tube against the differential housing using the supplied 3/8" x 2 3/4" x 3" u-bolts, nuts, & a 9/16" socket / wrench. <u>Note: Do not fully tighten at this</u> <u>time.</u> (See Photo # 2)
- 6. Install the supplied polyurethane bushings into each eyelet of the new Skyjacker steering stabilizers.
- 7. Install the body end of each new Skyjacker steering stabilizer to the new studs on the new axle bracket.
- Install the new Skyjacker front plate to the new studs on the new axle bracket using the supplied 1/2" flat washers, lock washers, nuts, & a 3/4" socket / wrench. (See Photo # 3)

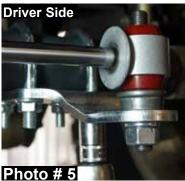






- 9. Extend the new Skyjacker steering stabilizers exactly halfway (4 1/8" = 7202WS, 8202BS, 9202WS & 3 9/16" = Fox 5202FS). The center to center length will be 16 5/8" (7202WS, 8202BS, & 9202WS) & 16 7/8" (Fox 5202FS) when the new steering stabilizers are extended half way.
- 10. Install the new Skyjacker driver & passenger side tie rod brackets to the Skyjacker heavy duty tie rod assembly or aftermarket 1.75" OD tie rod assembly using the supplied 3/8" x 1 3/4" x 2 3/4" u-bolts, nuts, & a 9/16" socket / wrench. <u>Note:</u> The new tie rod brackets are to be installed with the offset portion of the bracket pointing toward the ground & each stabilizer mounting tab toward the outside of the vehicle. (See Photo # 4 & # 5)
- 11. Install the supplied studs to the new Skyjacker tie rod brackets using a 3/4" socket / wrench & adjustable pliers. (See Photo # 4 & # 5)
- 12. Install the shaft end of each new Skyjacker steering stabilizer to the new studs on the new tie rod brackets. (See Photo # 4 & # 5)





- 13. With the tie rod assembly rolled up, tighten the new Skyjacker axle bracket so there is 1/4" clearance between the new steering stabilizer bodies & the tie rod assembly.
- 14. Turn the front tires / wheels of the vehicle to the left & right to check that the new Skyjacker steering stabilizers & all brackets are adjusted properly & tightened securely.

### Final Notes:

- After the installation is complete, double check that all nuts & bolts are tight.
- Cycle the steering of the vehicle left to right & check all parts for adequate clearance.
- After the first 100 miles, check all hardware for the proper torque & periodically thereafter.

TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS					
	INCH SYSTEM			METRIC SYSTEM	
Bolt Size	Grade 5	Grade 8	Bolt Size	Class 8.8	Class 10.9
5/16	15 FT LB	<u>20 FT LB</u>	6MM	5 FT LB	<u>9 FT LB</u>
3/8	30 FT LB	<u>35 FT LB</u>	8MM	18 FT LB	<u>23 FT LB</u>
7/16	45 FT LB	<u>60 FT LB</u>	10MM	32 FT LB	<u>45 FT LB</u>
1/2	65 FT LB	<u>90 FT LB</u>	12MM	55 FT LB	75 FT LB
9/16	95 FT LB	<u>130 FTLB</u>	14MM	85 FT LB	120 FT LB
5/8	135 FT LB	<u> 175 FT LB</u>	16MM	130 FT LB	165 FT LB
3/4	185 FT LB	280 FT LB	18MM	170 FT LB	240 FT LB

• The above specifications are not to be used when the bolt is being installed with a bushing.

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