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2005-2009 Jaguar V8 2004-2009 Jaguar Vanden 2010 Jaguar XJ 2004-2009 Jaguar XJ8 2004-2009 Jaguar XJR

Rear Suspension Air Strut

117J-28-R



BEFORE YOU BEGIN THE REMOVAL OR INSTALLATION, PLEASE READ ALL OF THE INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY! THE WARRANTY WILL BE VOID IF INSTRUCTIONS ARE NOT FOLLOWED EXACTLY. DO NOT WORK UNDER A VEHICLE SUPPORTED BY A JACK.

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REAR STRUT REMOVAL

1. Raise and support vehicle.

NOTE: With vehicle properly lifted, shift the car into neutral to release tension on the rear suspension prior to disassembly.

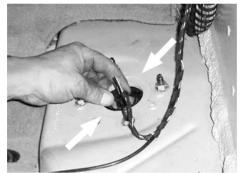
2. Remove the luggage compartement side trim to expose the top side of the air strut.



3. Disconnect the air line from the check valve.



4. Disconnect the electrical connector from the top of the air strut (push on the sides of the connector to release.)

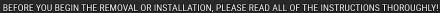


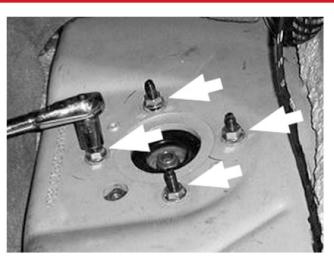
5. Remove the four (4) air strut top mounting nuts.



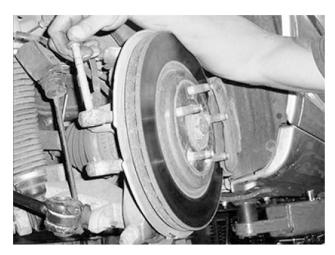
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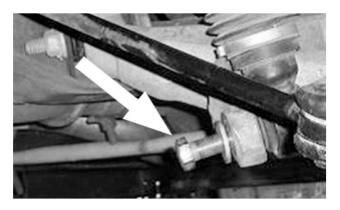




6. Detach the rear tie rod from hub mount.



7. Remove the lower air strut mounting bolt from lower control arm.



8. Remove air strut.

WARNING: Tighten all nuts and bolts to manufacturer's specifications during the installation process.

9. Installation is in reverse order of air strut removal. Tuck unsued airline into suitable location (away from moving arts and sources of heat).