### Parts:

2 - Front Strut Spacers2 - Pre-load Spacers

6 - 10mm Nuts

# GMC/Chevrolet Colorado/Canyon 2WD/4WD 2" Front leveling Kit

## PRE-INSTALLATION

### Professional installation by a certified technician is strongly recommended.

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#### **NOTES:**

The following instructions assume the use of factory wheels with size 265/70/17 tires. The use of wider tires will require trimming and offset wheels.

#### **REQUIRED TOOLS:**

22mm Socket 21mm Socket 18mm Wrench 17mm Wrench 15mm Socket/Wrench 13mm Socket 10mm Wrench 6mm Allen Wrench Pry Bar Dead Blow Hammer

## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

- STEP 1: Jack up front of vehicle so that front wheels are off the ground. Support vehicle with jack stands.
- STEP 2: Remove front wheels. (22mm deep well socket)
- STEP 3: Remove skid plate. (15mm socket)
- STEP 4: Unplug two connectors from front side of rack and pinion.
- STEP 5: Remove sway bar links from both sides. (13mm socket and 15mm wrench)
- STEP 6: Remove sway bar from frame. (10mm socket)
- STEP 7: Remove tie rod end. (10mm wrench on stud and 21mm wrench)
- STEP 8: Remove ABS wire from stock brake line bracket and move out of the way to prevent damage.
- STEP 9: Remove upper ball joint. (6mm allen wrench on stud and 18mm wrench)
- STEP 10: Remove lower strut bolt. (21mm socket)
- STEP 11: Remove upper strut nuts. (18mm wrench) Remove strut assembly from vehicle.
- STEP 12: Mark line from top plate of strut to lower spring hat to help allignment during reassembly
- STEP 13: Using strut compressor, disassemble strut. (15mm wrench)
- STEP 14: Remove lower spring hat and seal cover with dead blow hammer.
- STEP 15: Slide pre-load spacer on strut, then reassemble stut and seal cover with factory hardware.
- STEP 16: Install strut spacer on top of strut. Re-install strut assembly in factory location and secure with included 10mm nuts on upper mounts. (Hand tighten)
- STEP 17: Re-install strut in lower mount and secure with factory hardware. (21mm socket)
- **STEP 18:** Tighten upper strut nuts. (17mm wrench)
- STEP 19: Use pry bar to push down on upper control arm to reattach ball joint. (Hand tighten nut)
- STEP 20: Tighten upper ball joint. (6mm allen wrench on stud and 18mm wrench)
- STEP 21: Re-attach ABS wire to clip on brake line bracket.
- STEP 22: Re-install tie rod end. (10mm wrench on stud and 21mm wrench)
- STEP 23: Repeat steps 7-22 on other side of vehicle.
- STEP 24: Install sway bar on frame with factory hardware. (10mm socket)
- STEP 25: Install sway bar links with factory hardware. (13mm socket and 15mm wrench)
- **STEP 26:** Reconnect two connectors on rack and pinion.
- STEP 27: Re-install skid plate. (15mm socket)
- STEP 28: Re-install front wheels and lower vehicle.

## POST-INSTALLATION

- **STEP 1:** Check for proper torque on all fasteners. Check steering for proper working order and check for interference. Test brake system. Check clearance between all rotating, mobile, fixed and hot parts.
- STEP 2: Check distance between tire sidewall and the brake hose during full-turn to full-turn steering sweep. Do not skip this step! Any contact may result in component failure.
- STEP 3: Adjust headlights to proper alignment.

MAINTENANCE: After 500 miles, re-torque all fasteners. (Recommended every 1000 miles thereafter) Have all suspension, driveline and steering components inspected buy a certified technician durning routine maintenance (Recommended every 3000 miles)