

2011-2019 Chevrolet \ GMC 2500HD\3500HD 2WD\4WD Steering Stabilizer **HD OEM Replacement Installation Instructions** 

## **Required Tools List:**

- SAE Sockets \ Wrenches (11/16" & 3/4")
- Metric Sockets \ Wrenches
- Diagonal Cutting Pliers
- Needle Nose Pliers
- Ball Peen Hammer
- Safety Glasses
- Wheel Chock
- Torque Wrench





Before beginning the installation, read these instructions thoroughly & completely. Please refer to the Parts List to insure that all parts & hardware are received prior to disassembly of the vehicle. If any parts are found to be missing, contact SKYJACKER® Customer Service at 318-388-0816 to obtain the needed items. If you have any questions or reservations about installing this product, contact SKYJACKER® Technical Assistance at 318-388-0816.

# **Component Box Breakdown:**

### Part # 7011

Item #	Description	Qty
7000WS	STEERING DAMPER, WHITE	1
HYDRO 6X2-CL	DECAL, HYDRO STABILIZER	1
HB-7011	HDWR BAG: 7011 & 9011	1

#### Part # 8011

Item #	Description	Qty
8000BS	STEERING DAMPER, BLACK	1
MXSD	DECAL, BLACK MAX STABILIZER	1
HB-8011	HDWR BAG: 8011	1

#### Part # 9011

	Item #	Description	Qty
	9000WS	STEERING DAMPER, SILVER	1
	SSD	DECAL, SILVER STABILIZER	1
	HB-7011	HDWR BAG: 7011 & 9011	1

# Hardware Bag Breakdown:

#### Part # HB-7011

Item #	Description	Qty
12X212FTB	1/2 X 2-1/2 FINE THREAD BOLT	1
12FTN	1/2-20 FINE N/I LOCK NUT	1
12SAEW	1/2 SAE WASHER	2
403712	ES22 SLEEVE, 1.25 LONG	1
HG58125	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.25, RED	1
HOURGLASS 5/8	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.50, RED	1
P837	TAPERED STUD MOUNT, 141264	1

#### Part # HR-8011

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Item #	Description	Qty
12X212FTB	1/2 X 2-1/2 FINE THREAD BOLT	1
12FTN	1/2-20 FINE N/I LOCK NUT	1
12SAEW	1/2 SAE WASHER	2
403712	ES22 SLEEVE, 1.25 LONG	1
HG58125-K	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.25, BLACK	1
HG5815-K	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.50, BLACK	1
P837	TAPERED STUD MOUNT, 141264	1

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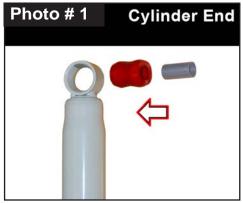
# Pre-Installation Tips: Install Stabilizer Bushings, Sleeve and Stud.

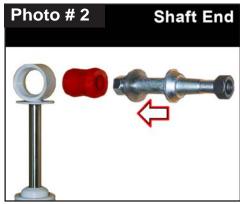
1. <u>Tech Note</u>: Install shorter 1.25" poly bushing \ 1.25" steel sleeve into cylinder body end. Install longer 1.50" poly bushing into stabilizer shaft end. (See Photo # 1)

Coat Bushings with a water resistant grease & press into each stabilizer eye.

Coat Sleeve with a water resistant grease & press into cylinder eye bushing.

2. Coat straight portion of #P837 Stud with a water resistant grease & press into stabilizer shaft eye bushing.





Install large flat washer, lock washer & nut. (See Photo # 2) Tighten nut using 11/16" socket\ wrench until lock washer is compressed & bushing starts to swell slightly.

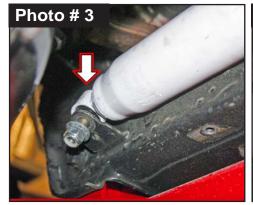
## **Installation:** Note: Save all factory components & hardware for reuse, unless noted.

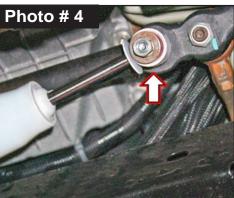
- 1. Chock rear tires\wheels. Ensure that vehicle transmission is in PARK and engage emergency brake. **Note:** Be sure steering wheel\wheels are pointing straight forward.
- 2. Disconnect OEM steering stabilizer from OEM frame mount.
- 3. Disconnect OEM steering stabilizer stud from OEM center steering link.

  Remove OEM steering stabilizer. **Note:** Stud is a tapered press fit & may be difficult to remove. Apply penetrating oil. Tap stud using a ball peen hammer to loosen.
- 4. First attach Skyjacker Steering Stabilizer cylinder body to OEM frame mount with supplied 1/2" x 2-1/2" Fine Thread Bolt with 1/2" SAE Washer down through mount. Attach with supplied 1/2" SAE Washer with 1/2" Nylon Insert Lock Nut using a 3/4" socket\wrench. (See Photo # 3)

Next, extend stabilizer shaft end out & attach stabilizer stud to OEM center steering link mount. (See Photo # 4) Tighten supplied stud with supplied lock nut using a 3/4" socket\wrench.

Tighten & Torque at Frame Mount & Center Steering Link Mount Stud. 65 ft-lb.





5. After installation be sure to cycle steering & check for adequate clearance.

#### Final Notes:

- After installation is complete, double check that all nuts & bolts are tight.
- With vehicle placed on ground, cycle steering lock to lock & inspect steering for proper operation, tightness & adequate clearance.
- After first 100 miles, check all hardware for proper torque & periodically thereafter.

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