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# Jeep JK Front Sway Bar Links

**Installation Instructions** 

Applications: 2007-2018 Jeep Wrangler (JK/JKU)



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Thank you for purchasing the best aftermarket products available for your vehicle. We strongly feel that the parts you are about to install should meet or exceed your expectations for performance. Proper assembly is critical to the performance of these components and the vehicle as a whole. Please take the time to carefully read these instructions and familiarize yourself with the installation procedure before working on your vehicle. If you have any questions PLEASE contact Synergy Manufacturing BEFORE beginning installation. Thanks again for supporting Synergy – enjoy the performance benefits of the best aftermarket products available for your vehicle!

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#### **GENERAL NOTES**

- These instructions are also available on our website; www.synergymfg.com. Check the website before you begin for any updated instructions and additional photos for your reference.
- For non-Rubicon models (without the electronic disconnect sway bar) we recommend installation of the Synergy 8077 JK Front Sway Bar Quick Disconnect Kit for increased suspension articulation while off road.
- Replacement bushings and tie rod ends are available from our web site; www.synergymfg.com.

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## **TOOLS REQUIRED**

- 14, 15, 18 and 19mm sockets/wrenches
- Torque Wrench
- Drill with 1/2" metal cutting bit

### **ESTIMATED INSTALLATION TIME**

#### .5 Hours

#### **INSTALLATION**

- 1. Remove the factory sway bar links with a 18mm socket/wrench. Save the factory hardware.
- 2. If using the sway bar end links in conjunction with a Synergy Sway Bar Disconnect Kit, remove the sleeves from the bushings. Install the Disconnect study per the kit instructions.
- 3. On some models a ½" drill bit or reamer will be needed to enlarge the holes in the sway bar for the new tie rod end studs. See **Figure 1.**



Figure 1. Drilling Out the Sway Bar

4. Make sure the sway bar links are the same length by adjusting (threading) the tie rod ends.

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- 5. Install the sway bar link rod ends into the sway bar, with the nuts towards the frame. Tighten to 60 lb-ft. Use an open end 14mm wrench to hold the flats on the stud next to the dust boot in order to prevent the stud from spinning. The nut requires a 15mm socket.
- 6. If using the sway bar end links in conjunction with a Synergy Sway Bar Disconnect Kit, slide the bushing end of the sway bar links over the studs. We recommend a light grease, soap or even just water as a lubricant to help the bushings slide on the studs. It may be necessary to raise or lower the axle on one side in order to get the hardware to line up.
- 7. If not using a Synergy Sway Bar Disconnect Kit, install the axle side of the links to the axle brackets. It may be necessary to raise or lower the axle on one side in order to get the hardware to line up. Torque lower bolt to 75 lb-ft. See **Figure 2**.



Figure 2. Correctly Installed Axle Side Sway Bar End Link

8. Recheck all hardware after 100 miles of driving and after every trip off road.

#### **Installation is Complete**

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