2003-2010 Dodge Ram 2500 4WD SKYJACKER 2003-2010 Dodge Ram 3500 4WD 2011-2013 RAM 2500 4WD -SUSPENSIONS 2011-2012 RAM 3500 4WD SKYJACKER.COM **HD OEM Replacement Required Tools List: Steering Stabilizer Kit** • SAE Sockets \ Wrenches (3/4") Installation Instructions Metric Sockets \ Wrenches • Diagonal Cutting Pliers Standard Flathead Screwdriver 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:			Hardware Bag Breakdown:		
Part # 2013			Part # HB-7013		
Item #	Description	Qty	Item #	Description	Qty
2000AS	ADX HD STEERING DAMPER, ALU	1	HOURGLASS 5/8	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.50, RED	2
ADXSD	DECAL, ADX 2.0 STABILIZER	1	141509	ES25 SLEEVE, 1.50 LONG	1
HB-8013	HDWR BAG: 2013/8013 STAB.	1	142121	ES24 SLEEVE, 1.38 LONG	1
Part # 7013			12X412FTB	1/2 X 4-1/2 FINE THREAD BOLT	1
Item #	Description	Qty	12FTN	1/2-20 FINE N/I LOCK NUT	1
7000WS	STEERING DAMPER, WHITE	1	12SAEW	1/2 SAE WASHER	1
B10RS	BOOT STABILIZER, RED	1	12USSW	1/2 USS WASHER	1
BTIE	BOOT CABLE TIE, RED	1	81004	TAPERED SLEEVE, 1/2 ID	1
HYDRO 6X2-CL	DECAL, HYDRO STABILIZER	1	58SP	SPACER, 5/8 ID X 1-1/4 OD	1
HB-7013	HDWR BAG: 7013/9013 STAB.	1	Part # HB-8013		
Part # 8013			Item #	Description	Qty
Item #	Description	Qty	HG5815-K	HOURGLASS, 5/8 X 1.50, BLACK	2
8000BS	STEERING DAMPER, BLACK	1	141509	ES25 SLEEVE, 1.50 LONG	1
B10KS	BOOT STABILIZER, BLACK	1	142121	ES24 SLEEVE, 1.38 LONG	1
BTIE-K	BOOT CABLE TIE, BLACK	1	12X412FTB	1/2 X 4-1/2 FINE THREAD BOLT	1
MXSD	DECAL, BLACK MAX STABILIZER	1	12FTN	1/2-20 FINE N/I LOCK NUT	1
HB-8013	HDWR BAG: 2013/8013 STAB.	1	12SAEW	1/2 SAE WASHER	1
Part # 9013			12USSW	1/2 USS WASHER	1
Item #	Description	Qty	81004	TAPERED SLEEVE, 1/2 ID	1
9000WS	STEERING DAMPER, SILVER	1	58SP	SPACER, 5/8 ID X 1-1/4 OD	1
B10KS	BOOT STABILIZER, BLACK	1			
BTIE-K	BOOT CABLE TIE, BLACK	1			
SSD	DECAL, SILVER STABILIZER	1			
HB-7013	HDWR BAG: 7013/9013 STAB.	1			

Pre-Installation Tips: Install Stabilizer Boot, Bushings & Sleeves.

- 1. Install supplied Stabilizer Boot over Skyjacker Steering Stabilizer. Attach boot to cylinder body with supplied Boot Cable Tie. Remove excess cable tie with diagonal cutting pliers.
- Coat Hourglass Bushings with a water resistant grease & press into Each Stabilizer Eye. Coat 1.38" Steel Sleeve with a water resistant grease & press into Cylinder Body Eye Bushing. Coat 1.50" Steel Sleeve with a water resistant grease & press into Shaft Rod Eye Bushing.

Installation: <u>Note</u>: Save all factory components & hardware for reuse, unless noted.

1. Chock rear tires\wheels. Ensure that vehicle transmission is in PARK & engage emergency brake. **Note:** Be sure steering wheel\wheels are pointing straight forward.

Photo # 1

Photo # 2

- Remove OEM steering stabilizer from passenger side OEM frame mount & from drag link \ tie rod assembly stud mount. (Photo # 1)
- Install Skyjacker #7013 Steering Stabilizer. Install shaft eye of stabilizer to tie rod with supplied hardware. (Photo # 2 Hardware & # 3 Overview)

Skyjacker # 81004 Tapered Sleeve is a pinch sleeve. Tap sleeve into tapered hole of OEM drag link assembly stud mount using a standard flathead screwdriver & hammer.

Place supplied large OD 1/2" USS Washer onto 1/2" x 4-1/2" Bolt.

Insert bolt with washer through shaft eye of stabilizer (with sleeve in eye).

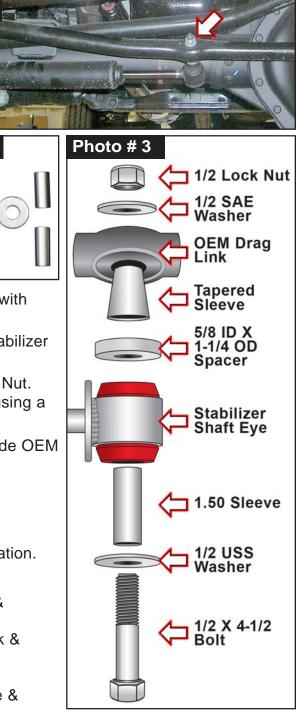
Place supplied 5/8" ID x 1-1/4" OD Spacer between stabilizer & drag link. Continue bolt through drag link.

Attach with 1/2" SAE Washer & 1/2" Nylon Insert Lock Nut. Secure, but **Do Not Completely Tighten** at this time using a 3/4" socket \ wrench.

- 4. Install cylinder eye of stabilizer into OEM passenger side OEM frame mount with OEM hardware.
- 5. Tighten at frame mount. Torque 56 ft-lb. Tighten at drag link mount. Torque 65 ft-lb.
- 6. Cycle steering from side-to-side & check for adequate clearance. Check all brackets & bolts for proper installation.

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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