



## BD Steering Box Support (SBS)

1994-2002 2500-3500 4x4 1994-2001 1500 4x4

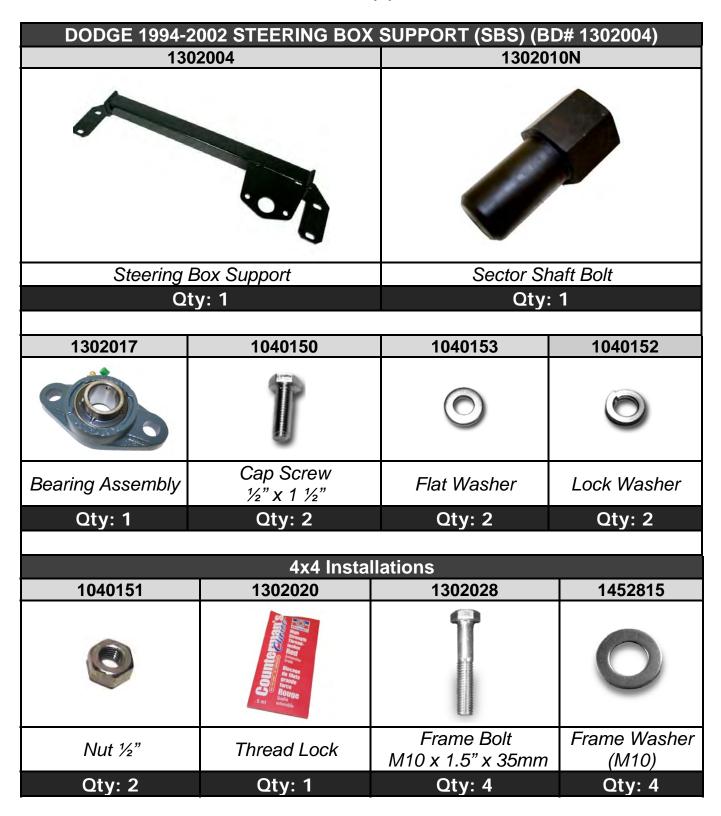
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## PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE INSTALLATION

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## KIT CONTENTS:

Please check to make sure that you have all the parts listed in this kit **before** you start the disassembly your truck.



#### Welcome

Thank you for purchasing a BD Steering Box Support. This manual is divided into different areas to assist you with your installation and operation of your steering box support system.

This product is not a replacement for a new steering box and/or ball joints, but it will aid in reducing the stress placed on the steering box and associated wear. All steering components should be checked and replaced if necessary prior to addition of the steering box support.

Installation should occur on a vehicle properly secured to prevent rolling.

Application of lubrication at regular chassis lube intervals will promote bearing life.

# THIS PRODUCT IS NOT SAFE TO USE AS A TOWING, WINCHING ATTACHMENT POINT.

## Required Tools

- 15mm, 17mm, and 19mm Socket / Wrench
- 1-5/16" Socket / Wrench
- 1-1/4" Socket / Wrench
- 1/8" Allen Wrench
- Torque Wrench (40-180 lbs-ft)

#### Maintenance

Grease bearings at regular oil change intervals for optimal protection of bearing from wear and contamination due to environment.

## INSTALLATION



## \*\* CAUTION \*\*

# THE SWAY BAR WILL DROP WHEN BOLTS ARE REMOVED, SO REMOVE WITH CAUTION.

Hold onto or otherwise support sway bar.

Remove the four mounting bolts (15mm) that secure the sway bar to the frame.



Allow the sway bar to swing down and rest on the steering linkage.



The 1-5/16" socket will be required to remove the steering box sector shaft bolt with lock washer. Retain the lock washer for re-installation with new nut.



The 1-1/4" Deep socket (180 lbs-ft) should be used to install the new sector shaft nut, re-using the stock lock washer.



Slide the support bar into place, where the mounting feet are positioned in between the sway bar mounting and the frame. When the sway bar is moved into place the large diameter hole on the bearing plate will be approximately centered on the sector shaft nut.



## Apply Loctite.

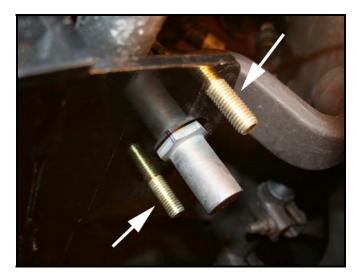
Install (**snug**, **not tight**) the four supplied **17mm** bolts with washers to re-secure sway bar and SBS to the frame, while allowing for final mounting position to be fine tuned.

The bracket is aligned when sector shaft nut is centered in hole.

\*\*\*It may be necessary to loosen the sway bar end link bolts to ease process. (15mm)

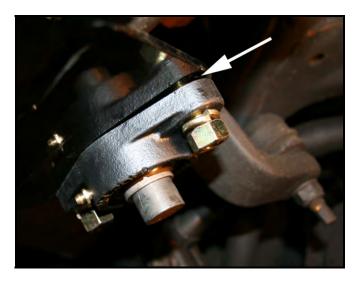


Install two bolts through the small holes in bearing mounting area, so that the threads are hanging through the bracket.

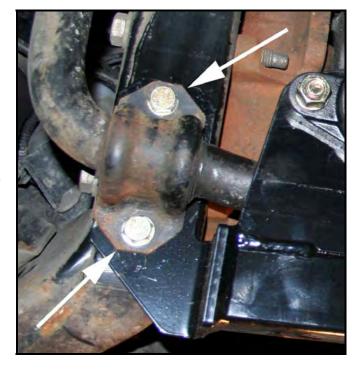


Install the bearing assembly over the sector shaft nut until the bearing block comes to rest on the support bracket (noting that the block may not be flat to the mount at this point).

With two bolts slid through holes in bearing block, install the lock washer and nut. Snug them but do not tighten.



Tighten the four sway bar mounting bolts (17mm) to 40 lbs-ft (as per Dodge Specification).



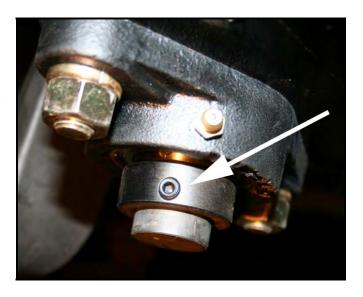
Ensure free movement (rotation) of the steering box sector shaft nut. If not free moving undo sway bar bolts and readjust.

Tighten bearing with lock washers and nuts (19mm).



Remove the set screws and apply Loctite.

Install and tighten the set screws (3/32" Allen wrench).



Check that the zerk grease fitting is tight. Use standard grease gun to apply grease to the bearing.

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The Seller assumes no liability regarding the improper installation or misapplication of the product. It is the installer's responsibility to check for proper installation, and, if in doubt, contact the manufacturer.

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Limited Warranty Details			
	Parts	Labour	
Product Name	(Months/Miles) <sup>1</sup>	(Months/Miles) <sup>1, 2</sup>	Notes
Torque Converters (Dodge)	24/ 24,000	12/12,000	Limited to 400RWHP
Torque Converters (Ford & Allison)	12/ 12,000	12/ 12,000	Limited to 400RWHP
Transmissions	12/ 24,000	12/ 24,000	Limited to 400 RWHP
Extended Warranty Package (Transmissions & Torque Convertor)	36/ 100,000	36/ 100,000	Limited to 400 RWHP
Race Transmissions	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Valve / Accumulators Bodies	12/ 24,000	12/ 24,000	
Transmission Pans	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Auto / Torq / Towloc's	12 / 24,000	Not Eligible	
Flex Plates	12 / 24,000	Not Eligible	
Injectors & Injection Pumps	12 / 24,000	12/ 24,000	Race Pumps 90 days parts/No labour
Tuners and Chips	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Not Eligible	
X-Monitor / Cool Down Timers	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Intake / Exhaust Manifolds	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Exhaust Kits	24 Months	Not Eligible	Surface rust not eligible
Turbo Guards / Boost Builders / Waste Gate Kits	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Intercoolers / Hoses / Clamps	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Transmission Coolers	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	
Manual Transmission Clutches	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	
Short Shifters	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Engine / Head Stud kits	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	
Engine Brakes	24/ 24,000	12/ 24,000	
Steering Stabilizers / Sway bars	12/ 24,000	Not Eligible	
Boost Coolers	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	
Gauges and Mounts	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	Manufacturer <sup>3</sup>	
Performance Turbos	12/ 12,000	Not Eligible	
MaxFlow Fuel Pumps	60/ 75,000	Not Eligible	
Auxiliary Fuel Pumps	12/ 12,000	Not Eligible	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Warranty is based on whichever occurs first (Months or Mileage).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Prior approvals must be given to qualify for labour reimbursement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> As per Manufacturer's warranty