



INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Rear Anti-Sway Bar
2002 - 2005 Evolution VIII
Part # 62.1440
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WHO SHOULD INSTALL THIS PRODUCT?

Progress Technology products should only be installed by a qualified licensed mechanic experienced in the installation and removal of suspension components. Please read instructions from start to finish and verify the parts in the parts list before beginning installation.

Parts List

Description	Quantity	Description	Quantity
25mm Sway Bar	1	Right Mounting Bracket	1
Bushing	2	3/8-16 x 1.00 HHCS	4
U-bracket	2	3/8-16 Nylock Nut	4
Lube	1	3/8 SAE Flatwasher	8
Left Mounting Bracket	1		

1. Park vehicle on a smooth, level, asphalt or concrete surface. Block front wheels. Jack up rear end of car and support with jackstands. Remove rear wheels and tires.
2. Remove the lower shock bolts and the outer lower control arm bolts. Allow the control arms to swing down. Remove stock sway bar and brackets. Leave the end links attached to the upper control arms. (A)
3. Install the new bushing bracket mount in the same manner as the stock mount. Use factory hardware to fasten the bracket to the chassis. Torque bolts to approx. 33 ft-lbs. (B)

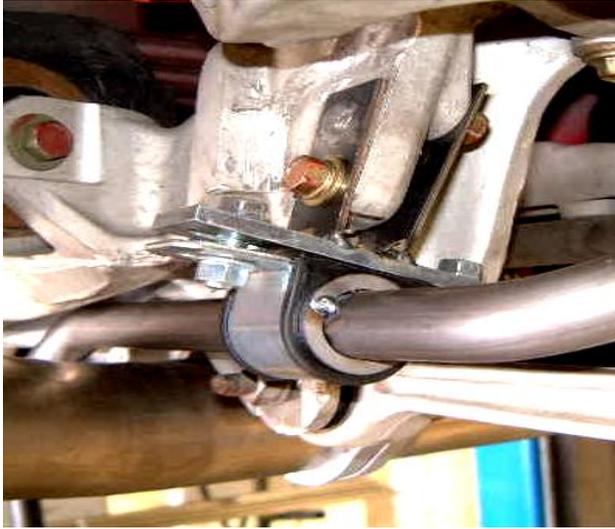


(A) Remove stock mounting bracket

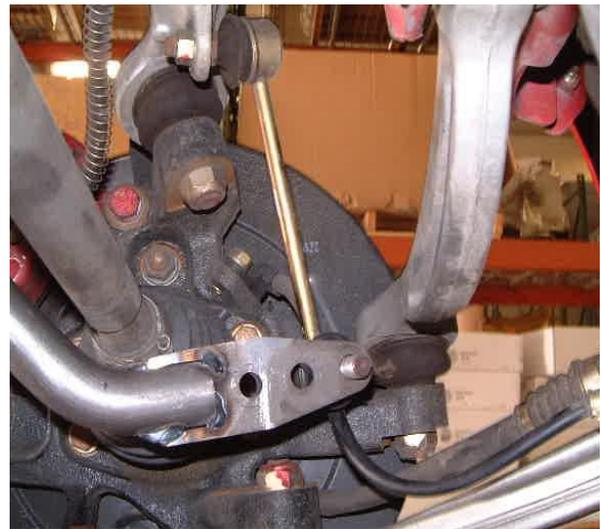


(B) Mount new Progress bracket

4. Locate the pivot "D shaped" polyurethane bushings and tube of special grease supplied in the hardware kit. Cut the end off of the grease tube and apply the grease to the bore of the polyurethane bushings (in the hole). Open the bushings and snap them over the new anti-sway bar, as positioned on the stock bar. Place the new brackets (supplied) over the pivot bushings. Attach sway bar to the brackets using 3/8 hardware provided (C)
5. Attach end links to the bar using stock nut. (D)



(C) Passenger side shown above



(D) Driver side shown set to soft setting

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT ADJUSTABLE SETTINGS:

We strongly suggest that your technician initially sets the end links in the softest setting. The softest setting will be the setting with the end links closest to the end or tip of the sway bar, furthest from the mounting bushings.

After installing the sway bar, we suggest that you drive the car carefully and within your abilities, noticing the changes in the handling characteristics. If driving in poor weather, exercise additional care during cornering and braking until you are familiar with the handling.

If you chose to use the firmer settings, again remember to drive the vehicle carefully, and take note of the changes you have made to the suspension. You will notice a handling difference with each sway bar settings.

6. Reattach the lower control arm to the shock and upright. Tighten to factory specifications.
7. Install wheels and tires. Lower rear of car onto ground, and roll car back and forth to settle suspension.
8. Installation is complete. **Check assembly periodically for tightness.**

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