

Metric / Standard Wrenches & Sockets

Strut Spring Compressor

05 - 12 Polaris Ranger XP / Crew 1" Front Suspension Lift Forward A-Arm Kit

Installation Instructions

(See Important Notes Below For Application Listings)

Before beginning the installation, thoroughly & completely read these instructions & the enclosed driver's WARNING NOTICE. Affix the WARNING decal in the passenger compartment in clear view of all occupants. Please refer to the Parts List to insure that all parts & hardware are received prior to the disassembly of the vehicle.

Important Notes:

Safety Glasses
Floor Jack
Jack Stands

Measuring Tape
Torque Wrench

- This lift is designed to fit midsize Polaris Ranger applications equipped with McPherson struts thru 2012. (See below for listed applications.)
 - 2005 2008 Polaris Ranger 500 XP
 - 2006 2009 Polaris Ranger 700 XP / Crew
 - 2010 2012 Polaris Ranger EV, 400, 500 XP / Crew
- McPherson struts are preloaded & are under extreme pressure. A strut spring compressor is required for their removal & installation.
- Pay close attention to the inner plunge socket depth of the cv-shafts & do not disengage during the disassembly & assembly of this product.

Component Box Breakdown:

Part #: FAA281

| ltem # | Description | Qty | Item # |
|----------|-----------------------|-----|---------|
| PR5FCA-L | POL RGR LEFT LWR ARM | 1 | HB-PR5 |
| PR5FCA-R | POL RGR RIGHT LWR ARM | 1 | I-FAA28 |
| HB-PR5A | HDW BG: PR5 LWR ARMS | 1 | |

| Item # | Description | Qty |
|----------|---------------------------|-----|
| HB-PR5SS | HDW BG: PR5 STRUT SPACERS | 1 |
| I-FAA281 | INSTRUCTION SHEET: FAA281 | 1 |

Hardware Bag Breakdown:

Part # HB-PR5A

| ltem # | Description | Qty |
|--------|-------------------------|-----|
| PA810 | POL RGR LWR ARM BUSHING | 8 |

Part # HB-PR5SS

| Item # | Description | Qty | Item # | Description | Qty |
|----------|-------------------------|-----|----------|---------------------------|-----|
| PR5FCS-S | POL RGR FRT COIL SPACER | 2 | PR5FSS-S | POL RGR FRT STR BODY SPCR | 2 |

Installation:

- 1. With the vehicle on flat level ground, set the emergency brake, & block the rear tires / wheels.
- Raise the front of the vehicle & support the vehicle with jack stands. <u>Note:</u> Pay close attention to the inner plunge socket depth of the cv-shafts & do not disengage.
- 3. Remove the front tires / wheels using a 19mm socket.
- Remove the OEM boot guards from the OEM lower A-arms using a T25 torx screwdriver. (See Photo # 1)
- 5. Disconnect the OEM front lower A-arms from the OEM steering knuckles using a 15mm wrench. (See Photo # 2)
- 6. Remove the OEM front lower A-arms from the frame using two 15mm wrenches. (See Photo # 3)



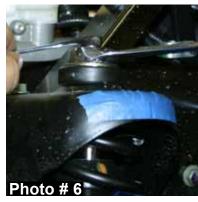


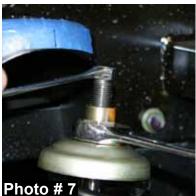


- 7. Remove the OEM bushings & sleeves from the OEM lower A-arms. (See Photo # 4)
- 8. Apply a thin layer of grease to the new Skyjacker bushings & OEM sleeves & install them into the new Skyjacker lower A-arms.
- 9. Install the new Skyjacker lower A-arms to the frame using the OEM hardware & two 15mm wrenches. (See Photo # 5)
- 10. Attach the new Skyjacker lower A-arms to the OEM steering knuckles Photo # 4 using the OEM hardware & a 15mm wrench.
- Compress the OEM front strut coil springs using a strut spring compressor. Remove the OEM upper strut mount retaining hardware using a 3/8" wrench & 19mm wrench. Remove the OEM strut assemblies from the upper frame mounts. (See Photo # 6)
- 12. Remove the OEM upper strut retaining hardware using a 3/8" wrench & 19mm wrench. Remove the OEM strut coil springs from the OEM strut assemblies. (See Photo # 7)
- 13. Remove the OEM brake line retaining clamps from the OEM strut assembly housings & loosen the pinch bolts on the OEM strut assembly housings using a 13mm wrench. (See Photo # 8)
- 14. Remove the OEM struts from the OEM strut assembly housings.
- 15. Install a new Skyjacker lower stut body spacer into the bottom of each OEM strut assembly housing. (See Photo # 9)













- 16. Install a new Skyjacker strut coil spring spacer on the top of each OEM strut assembly housing. (See Photo # 10)
- 17. Install an OEM strut coil spring washer on the top of each new Skyjacker strut coil spring spacer.
- 18. Install the OEM struts into the OEM strut assembly housings to where they are seated firmly against the previously installed Skyjacker lower stut body spacers & tighten the pinch bolts on the OEM strut assembly housings using a 13mm wrench. (See Photo # 11)
- Install the previously compressed OEM strut coil springs onto the OEM struts & install the OEM upper strut retaining hardware using a 3/8" wrench & 19mm wrench. (See Photo # 12)
- 20. Install the OEM struts assemblies into the upper frame mounts & install the OEM upper strut mount retaining hardware using a 3/8" wrench & 19mm wrench. (See Photo # 13)
- 21. Install the OEM brake line retaining clamps to the OEM strut assembly housings using a 13mm wrench. (See Photo # 14)
- 22. Install the front tires / wheels using a 19mm socket & lower the front of the vehicle to the ground.

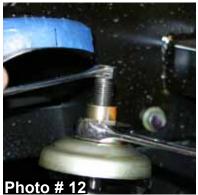
Final Notes:

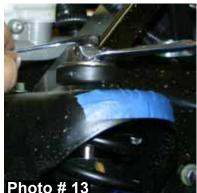
- After the installation is complete, double check that all nuts & bolts are tight. Refer to the following chart for the proper torque specifications. (Do not retighten any nuts & bolts where thread lock compound was used.)
- With the vehicle placed on the ground, cycle the steering lock to lock & inspect the steering, suspension, brake lines, front & rear drivelines, fuel lines, & wiring harnesses for proper operation, tightness, & adequate clearance.
- Have a qualified alignment center align the vehicle to the OEM specifications.
- After the first 100 miles, check all hardware for the proper torque & periodically thereafter.











| TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|
| INCH SYSTEM | | | METRIC SYSTEM | | |
| Bolt Size | Grade 5 | Grade 8 | Bolt Size | Class 8.8 | Class 10.9 |
| 5/16 | 15 FT LB | <u>20 FT LB</u> | 6MM | 5 FT LB | <u>9 FT LB</u> |
| 3/8 | 30 FT LB | <u>35 FT LB</u> | 8MM | 18 FT LB | <u>23 FT LB</u> |
| 7/16 | 45 FT LB | <u>60 FT LB</u> | 10MM | 32 FT LB | <u>45 FT LB</u> |
| 1/2 | 65 FT LB | <u>90 FT LB</u> | 12MM | 55 FT LB | <u>75 FT LB</u> |
| 9/16 | 95 FT LB | 130 FTLB | 14MM | 85 FT LB | 120 FT LB |
| 5/8 | 135 FT LB | <u> 175 FT LB</u> | 16MM | 130 FT LB | <u> 165 FT LB</u> |
| <u>3/4</u> | 185 FT LB | <u>280 FT LB</u> | <u>18MM</u> | 170 FT LB | 240 FT LB |

• The above specifications are not to be used when the bolt is being installed with a bushing.

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