

Sway Bar Kit 65-66 Ford Galaxie 22389

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Please call us at 877 - 4NO - ROLL if you have any questions
regarding the service or installation of your Hotchkis Performance products.

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ THE <u>ENTIRE</u> INSTRUCTION MANUAL BEFORE STARTING THIS INSTALLATION.

THE HOTCHKIS REAR SWAY BAR REQUIRES THE INSTALLATION
OF HOTCHKIS LOWER TRAILING ARMS (P/N 1319) IN ORDER TO INSTALL.

Front Installation

1F Gain Access to the Front End

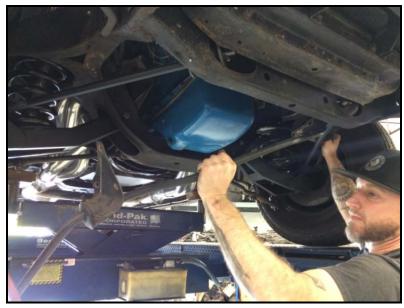
Drive the front onto floor ramps or raise front end with floor jack. If you are using a floor jack place jack stands in proper position to secure the vehicle.





2F Remove Original Sway Bar Uninstall the original sway bar by unbolting the bushing brackets from the frame and disconnecting the end links. You may discard the bar and the end links, but keep the 3 frame bolts from each side.

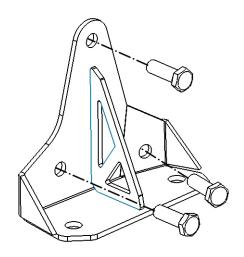






3F Install Frame Brackets
Using the included hardware, install the Hotchkis frame brackets as shown in the diagram. You can full tighten this hardware. Note there is a left and right bracket.

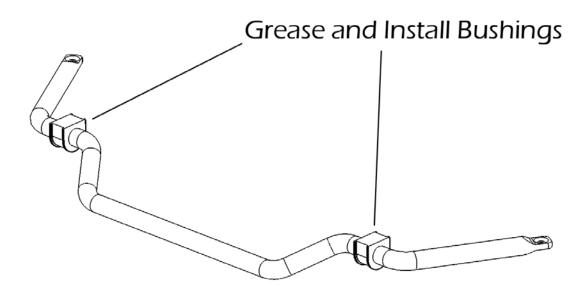
DRIVER SIDE



Reinstall OE Bolts

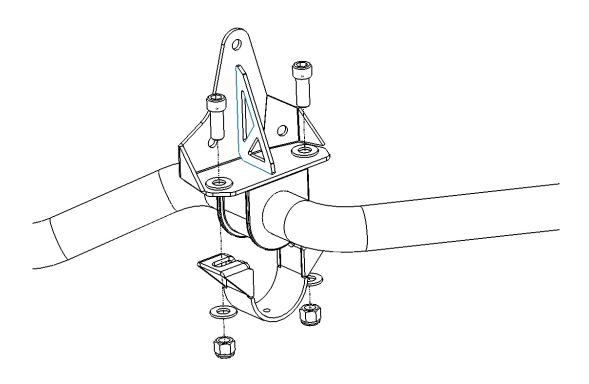


4F Install bushings onto bar Grease the inner surface of the Hotchkis bushings with the provided silicon lube. Install the bushings onto the bar as shown on the diagram.





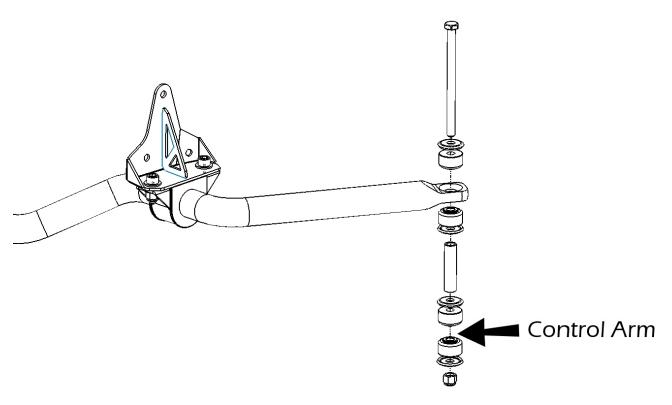
5F Attach the Bushing Mounts
Position the sway bar on the vehicle and slide the bushing brackets over the bushings. With the provided hardware, bolt the bushing brackets onto the frame brackets. Do not fully tighten the bolts at this time.





6F Attach the End Links

Using the 9.8125G end link kit, install the end links as shown in the diagram. It is typically easier to leave the first end link loose until you start the other side. Once both end links are assembled, completely tighten the end links. You know when the links are completely tight when the bushings bulge slightly.

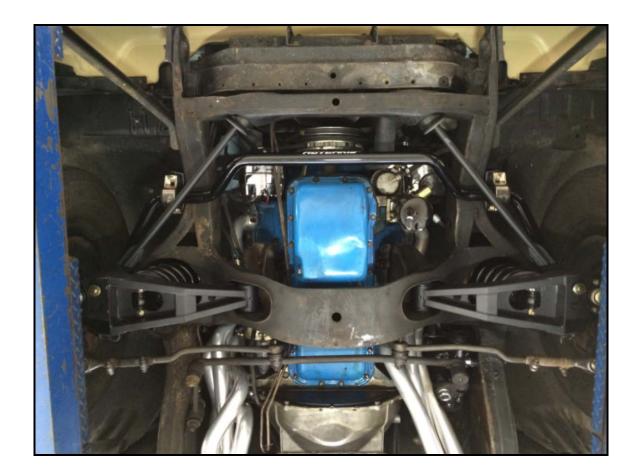






7F Finish Tightening Bushing Brackets
After the end links are fully tightened, we can now completely tighten the bushing brackets from step 5F. Safely lower the vehicle back onto the ground and you are finished with the installation.







Rear Installation

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1R Gain Access to the Rear End

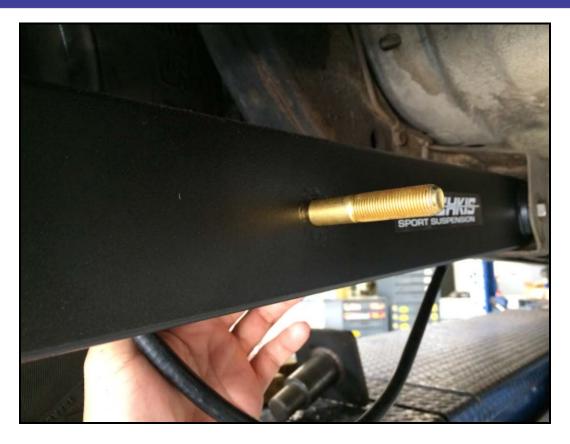
Drive the rear onto floor ramps or raise rear end with floor jack. If you are using a floor jack place jack stands in proper position to secure the vehicle.



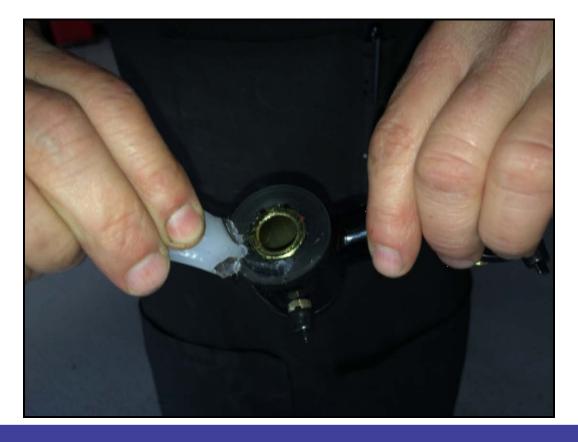
2R Install the Dogbone End Links

Your rear sway bar will mount to the rear axle tubes, but we will need to attach the dogbone end links to the Hotchkis lower control arms. Using the provided hardware, install the longer end link bolt (w/ washer) through the trailing arm.





Lube the sides of the bushing on the dogbone and install onto the trailing arm.



Insert the sway bar end bolts as shown below. Position the bar up to the car and attach the end link to the end of the bar. The hole closest to the end of the bar is the softer of the two holes. Spin the washer and nut onto the end link bolts by hand. Do not fully tighten yet.







3R *Install the Bushing Mounts*

Grease the inner surface of the sway bar bushings. Install the bushings onto the bar.

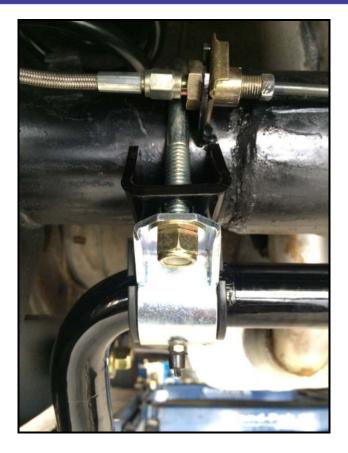


Rotate the bar up to the axle tubes and see if the brake line tabs on the axle are in the way of the U-bolts or axle brackets. If the brake line tabs are in the way, they will need to be cut off and relocated.







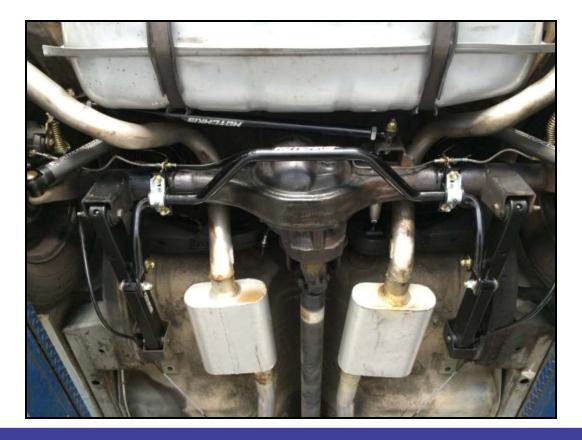


Sandwich the axle bracket and bushing bracket with the u-bolt. Use washers with the nylock nuts provided.





Fully tighten all hardware at this time.



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- Is the product appropriate to your application?
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- Do you have the original invoice or sales receipt?
- Is the return date within 36 months from the purchase date?
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- Is the product unmodified and clean?
- Is the reason for return a legitimate product defect?

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