

READYLIFT[®]

SUSPENSIONS

67-19640 Ram 1500 Upper Control Arm Kit

IF your ReadyLIFT[®] product has a damaged or missing part, please contact customer service directly and a new replacement part will be sent to you immediately. For warranty issues, please return to the place of installation and contact ReadyLIFT.

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****Please retain this document in your vehicle at all times.****

Limited Lifetime Warranty

This unique product warranty proves our commitment to the quality and reliability of every product that ReadyLIFT manufactures. The ReadyLIFT product warranty only extends to the original purchaser of any ReadyLIFT product, if it breaks, we will give you a new part. Warranty does not apply to discontinued parts.

Our Limited Lifetime Warranty excludes the following ReadyLIFT items; bushings, bump stops, ball joints, tie rod ends, heim joints and shock absorbers. These parts are subject to wear and are not considered defective when worn. They are warranted for 12 months from the date of purchase for defects in workmanship.

This product warranty is voided if the vehicle is not aligned after kit installation and proper maintenance is routinely done.

Product purchased directly from ReadyLIFT has a 90 day return policy on uninstalled products from the date of purchase (may be subject to restocking fee). Uninstalled product returns must be in the original ReadyLIFT packaging. Please call **(877) 759-9991** to get an RGA# for any return. Customer is responsible for shipping costs back to ReadyLIFT. **Returns without RGA# will be refused.** Contact ReadyLIFT directly about any potentially defective parts prior to removal from vehicle.

ReadyLIFT products are **NOT** intended for off-road abuse. Any damage or failure as a result from off-road abuse voids the warranty of the ReadyLIFT product. ReadyLIFT is **NOT** responsible for any subsequent damages to any related vehicle parts due to misuse, abuse, improper installation, or lack of maintenance. Furthermore, ReadyLIFT reserves the right to change, modify or cancel this warranty without prior notice.



READ INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY AND COMPLETELY BEFORE BEGINNING INSTALLATION.

INSTALLATION BY A CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL MECHANIC IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

READYLIFT® IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE OR FAILURE RESULTING FROM IMPROPER INSTALLATION.

Safety Warning

MISUSE OF THIS PRODUCT COULD LEAD TO INJURY OR DEATH.

Suspension systems or components that enhance the on and off-road performance of your vehicle may cause it to handle differently than it did from the factory. Extreme care must be used to prevent loss of control or vehicle rollover during abrupt maneuvers.

Always operate your vehicle at reduced speeds to ensure your ability to control your vehicle under all driving conditions. Failure to drive safely may result in serious injury or death to driver and passengers.

Driver and passengers must ALWAYS wear your seat belts, avoid quick sharp turns and other sudden maneuvers. ReadyLIFT Suspension does not recommend the combined use of suspension lifts, body lifts, or other lifting devices.

You should never operate your vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Constant maintenance is required to keep your vehicle safe. Thoroughly inspect your vehicle before and after every off-road use.

It is the responsibility of the retailer and/or the installer to review all state and local laws, with the end user of this product, related to bumper height laws and the lifting of their vehicle before the purchase and installation of any ReadyLIFT products.

It is the responsibility of the driver/s to check their surrounding area for obstructions, people, and animals before moving the vehicle.

All raised vehicles have increased blind spots; damage, injury and/or death can occur if these instructions are not followed.

Installation Warning

All steps and procedures described in these instructions were performed while the vehicle was properly supported on a two post vehicle lift with safety jacks.

Use caution during all disassembly and assembly steps to insure suspension components are not over extended causing damage to any vehicle components and parts included in this kit.

Included instructions are guidelines only for recommended procedures and are not meant to be definitive. Installer is responsible to insure a safe and controllable vehicle after performing modifications.

ReadyLIFT Suspension recommends the use of an OE Service Manual for model/year of vehicle when disassembly and assembly of factory and related components.

Unless otherwise specified, tighten all bolts and fasteners to standard torque specifications listed within the OE Service Manual.

Suspension components that use rubber or urethane bushings should be tightened with the vehicle at normal ride height. This will prevent premature wear or failure of the bushing and maintain ride comfort.

Larger tire and wheel combinations may increase leverage on suspension, steering, and related components.

Due to payload options and initial ride height variances, the amount of lift is a base figure. Final ride height dimensions may vary in accordance to original vehicle ride height. Always measure the vehicle ride height prior to beginning installation.

Factory wheels can be used but are not recommended with tires over **11.5" wide**. If wider tires are used, offset wheels may be necessary and trimming may be required.

The stock spare rim can be run in an emergency - exercise extreme caution under stock spare tire operating conditions. Please note that, if running the spare factory tire, it is done for short distances and a speed not to exceed 45mph or damage to differentials may occur.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Make sure to have any and all electronic systems calibrated as indicated by the manufacturer for the features of your vehicle. This includes but not limited to the steering wheel angle sensors, yaw sensors, cruise control, lane departure, etc.

The recommended tire and wheel specs are based off proper alignment specs to make sure the tire clears the back fender well. Trimming of the plastic may be necessary to run other wheel and tire combinations. It is up to the end user to verify all clearances before driving.

It is recommended to trial fit one wheel and tire combination for clearances.

VEHICLE HEIGHT MEASUREMENTS

	Driver Before	Driver After	Passenger Before	Passenger After
Front				
Rear				

BILL OF MATERIALS

COMPONENTS	QTY
Upper Control Arm, Left	1
Upper Control Arm, Right	1
Ball Joint Tapered Spacer	2

HARDWARE	QTY
FIR TREE CABLE TIE	2
M12-1.75 FLANGE NYLON LOCK NUT	2



Before starting installation: ReadyLIFT Suspension highly recommends that the installation of this product be performed by a professional mechanic with experience working on and installing suspension products. Professional knowledge and skill will typically yield the best installation results. If you need an installer in your area, please contact ReadyLIFT Suspension Customer Service to find one of our "Pro-Grade" Dealers.

INSTALLATION BY A PROFESSIONAL IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

- A Factory Service Manual for your specific Year / Make / Model is highly recommended for reference during installation.
- All lifted vehicles may require additional driveline modifications and / or balancing.
- A vehicle alignment is REQUIRED after installation of this product.
- Speedometer / Computer recalibration is required if changing +/- 10% from factory tire diameter.
- A vehicle lift or hoist greatly reduces installation time. Installation time estimates are based on an available vehicle hoist.
- Vehicle must be in excellent operating condition. Repair or replace any and all worn or damaged components prior to installation.

*****Parts shown in red for picture clarification only*****

ReadyLIFT recommends all steps and procedures described in these instructions be performed while the vehicle is properly supported on a two post vehicle lift with safety jacks.

Otherwise, park vehicle on a clean flat surface and block the rear wheels for safety. Engage the parking brake.

Disconnect the vehicle power source at the ground terminal on the battery.

Lock the steering wheel in the straight forward position with the column lock or steering wheel locking device.

Raise the front of the vehicle and support with safety jack stands at each frame rail behind the lower control arms.

Remove the front wheels.



Remove the brake line bracket at the frame rail. Gently pull the metal brake line through the frame rail to gain slack for the rest of the install.

Do not bend the line or disconnect the rubber line.



Remove the ABS wire harness from the upper control arm and frame rails. Cut the Christmas tree clip off the harness.

Do not cut the ABS wire.



Remove the axle nut. Press axle back through hub to allow for greater misalignment and ease in the removal/installation process.

NOTE: IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE AXLE BE PUSHED BACK THROUGH THE HUB ASSEMBLY. FAILURE TO DO SO CAN LEAD TO DAMAGE TO THE CV BOOT OR THE CV JOINT ITSELF. CARE MUST BE TAKEN WHEN HANDLING THESE CV AXLES.



Loosen but do not remove the upper control arm ball joint nut.



Strike the upper ball joint boss on knuckle with a dead blow hammer to dislodge the taper.

Remove the nut and let knuckle hang out of the way.

NOTE: ENSURE THAT ALL ABS WIRES AND BRAKE LINES ARE LOOSE AND FREE TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THOSE SYSTEMS.

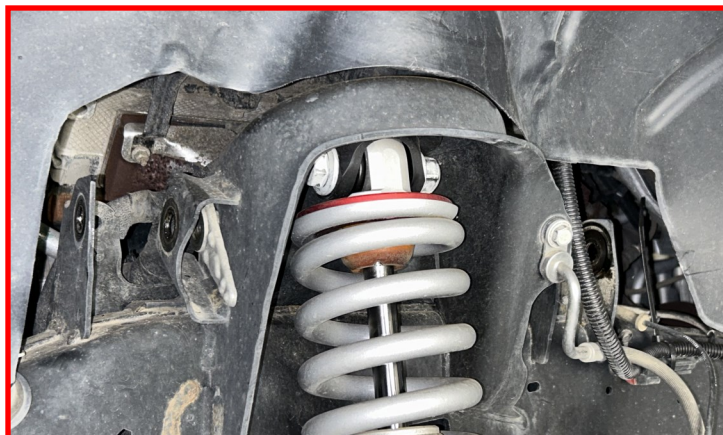


Remove the factory upper control arm from the frame.

Retain factory control arm pivot hardware.

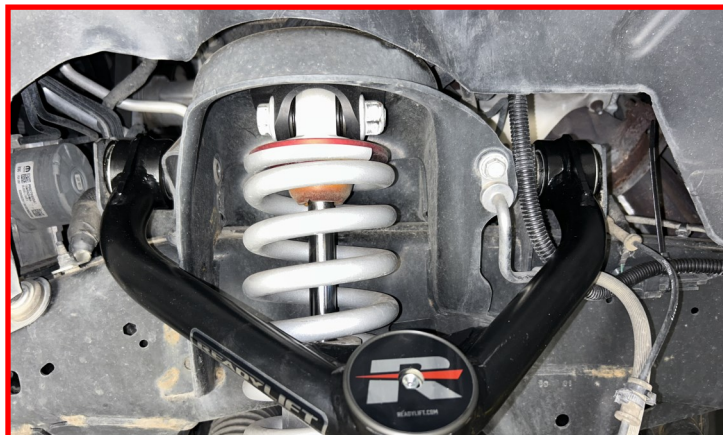
Discard factory upper control arms.

NOTE: STRUT ASSEMBLY IS REMOVE ONLY FOR CLARIFICATION. THIS STEP IS NOT NECESSARY TO INSTALL THE UPPER CONTROL ARMS.

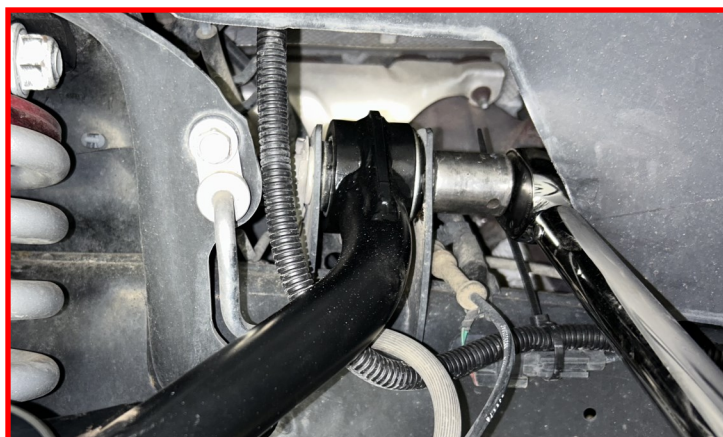


Install the appropriate side control arm to the frame rail using the **factory hardware**.

Do not tighten at this time.



Torque the upper control arm hardware to **125 ft-lbs.**



Locate the supplied tapered washer and locking flange nut.

NOTE: THE TAPERED WASHER WILL BE INSTALLED WITH THE LARGER OPENING TOWARDS THE KNUCKLE.

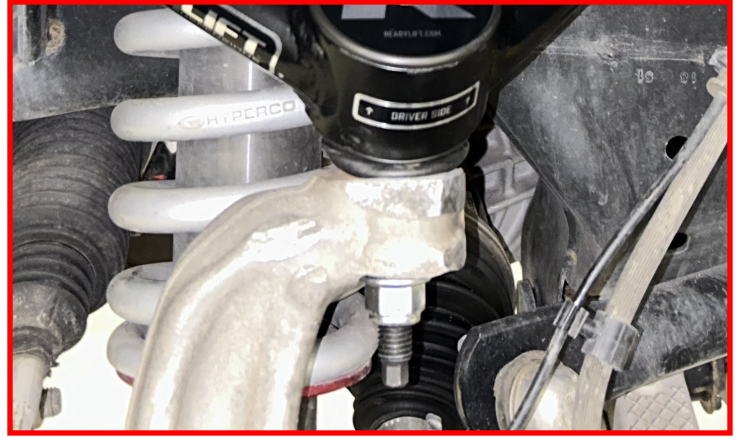


Attach the upper control arm ball joint to the knuckle using the provided hardware.

Torque the nut to **65 ft-lbs**.

Use a suitable grease gun, fill the upper ball joint with grease until the boot just starts to expand.

NOTE: DO NOT OVER GREASE. OVER GREASE CAN CAUSE PRE-MATURE WEAR.



Install the axle nut. Before tightening the axle nut ensure the splines are fully engaged in the hub assembly.

Torque the axle nut to **185 ft-lbs**.



Using the supplied fir tree cable tie, attach the abs cable to the tab on the upper control arm.

Install the brake line bracket onto the strut tower.

Torque the factory bolt to **25 ft-lbs**.



Connect the vehicles power source at the negative ground terminal.

Install the front wheels and lower the vehicle to the ground. Torque the lug nuts to the wheel manufacturers specs.

Turn the steering wheels from lock to lock and verify all clearances between the tire, body, ABS, brake line and suspension components. Adjust as necessary.

Have the alignment set by a reputable alignment shop.



FAILURE TO PERFORM THE POST INSPECTION CHECKS MAY RESULT IN VEHICLE COMPONENT DAMAGE AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH TO THE DRIVER AND/OR OTHERS.

Final Checks & Adjustments

Once the vehicle is lowered to the ground, check all parts which have rubber or urethane components to ensure proper torque. Torque lug nuts to the wheel manufacturer specs. Move vehicle backwards and forwards a short distance to allow suspension components to adjust. Turn the front wheels completely left then right and verify adequate tire, wheel, brake line, and ABS wire clearance. Test and inspect steering, brake and suspension components for tightness and proper operation. Inspect brakes hoses and ABS lines for adequate slack at full extension, adjust as necessary.

RECHECK ALL HARDWARE FOR PROPER TORQUE VALUES AFTER 500 MILES, AND THEN PERIODICALLY AT EACH SERVICE INTERVAL THERAFTER.

Vehicle Handling Warning

Increasing the height of your vehicle raises the center of gravity and can affect stability and control. Use caution on turns and when making steering corrections.

Vehicles with larger tires and wheels will handle differently than stock vehicles. Take time to familiarize yourself with the handling of your vehicle.

Wheel Alignment/Headlamp Adjustment

It is necessary to have a proper and professional wheel alignment performed by a certified alignment technician. Align the vehicle to recommended specifications. It is recommended that your vehicle alignment be checked after any off-road driving.

In addition to your vehicle alignment, for your safety and others, it is necessary to check and adjust your vehicle headlamps for proper aim and alignment. If the vehicle is equipped with active or passive safety/collision monitoring and/or avoidance systems including, but not limited to, camera- or radar-based systems, check and adjust your vehicle's systems for proper aim and function.