## Instructions Aluminium Lift Blocks - for 4x4 Strut-Top and Leaf Spring Vehicles

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#### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

• Lift blocks are intended for original (OE) coil and leaf springs only.

• It is recommended Lift Blocks are installed by a qualified person only.

• A wheel alignment will be required directly after install.

• U bolts are to be re-checked for tightness after 100-500kms

### **INSTALL GUIDE - Front Blocks**

• Raise vehicle evenly and safely support. A 2-post hoist is best.

Never rely on a Jack only

• Proceed to remove wheels;

- 1. Loosen and disconnect upper ball joint.
- 2. Loosen (only) upper inner bushings.
- 2. Un-bolt swaybar links.
- 3. Disconnect ABS wires.

# Note - you may have to loosen hub nut to help with strut removal/install.

4. Remove Strut from vehicle. Place supplied Lift Block on top of strut top. Use original nuts here - depending on OE stud length you may not require supplied washers here.

5. Bolt strut back in - rotate strut 180 degrees. Note - some cars do not have evenly spaced studs - <u>the OE strut top may have to be</u> <u>rotated on OE spring</u>.

Aluminium Lift Blocks are machined from high quality 6061 material (with steel inserts). Designed to offer a conservative ride-height increase while maintaining OE quality ride comfort with original springs.

**Contents:** - Aluminium strut top spacer x2 - with pressed studs and washers.

Aluminium leaf spring spacer x2
with U bolts/nuts/washers



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#### Continued - Rear Blocks

• Place a Jack or Jack Stand under Axle - on one side first.

• Disconnect lower bushing mount.

## Loosen all 4 U bolts, but only remove 1 side initially.

• Proceed to un-bolt U bolts on one side. Lift vehicle up slowly. Lubrication may be required as these nuts will be tight.

Use a rag to clean surfaces between leaf and Axle.

### IMPORTANT - check the following at full droop;

- 1. Brake lines.
- 2. Hand brake cable.
- 3. ABS wires.
- 4. Diff breather.

• Bolt together with supplied M14 U bolts nuts and washers.

• Tighten slowly and evenly - check thread length while tightening. Check U bolts are 'straight' against Axle.

• After install, road test then re-check U-bolt nuts.

# A wheel alignment is necessary immediately after install.

• It is common for leaf spring blocks to continue to 'settle' over time. Re-check U bolts after 500-1000kms travelled.

Locating dowel - to sit in Axle plate hole. Tighten U bolts evenly. Re-ckeck after initial road test

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### Instructions Brake Line - Extension

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Install Guide

IMPORTANT - BRAKE LINE LENGTH MUST BE ASSESSED WHEN VEHICLE IS LIFTED.

#### CHECK LENGTH WHEN VEHICLE IS JACKED UP AND WHEN AXLE IS FULLY DROPPED.

• Raise vehicle evenly and safely support.

Never rely on a Jack only.

• Locate brake line(s) near rear axle housing.

Depending on model - there will be 1 spacer required on Axle housing, or 2 spacers on chassis.

Discard original bolt(s).

Tighten bolts to 21Nm

**Application** - Toyota Hilux 4x4

Always refer complete catalogue listing

**Contents** - Steel tube x2

- M10 bolt x2
- Spring washer x2



Supplied Spacer

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