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How to change front anti roll bar links on **AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5)** – replacement guide







SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



This video shows the replacement procedure of a similar car part on another vehicle

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This replacement procedure can be used for:

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The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

This tutorial was created based on the replacement procedure for a similar car part on: VW PASSAT Variant (3B6) 1.9 TDI

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REPLACEMENT: ANTI ROLL BAR LINKS – AUDI A4 SALOON (8D2, B5). TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Combination spanner #16

- Drive socket # 16
- Wheel impact socket #17
- Torque wrench
- Wheel chock

Buy tools

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Replacement: anti roll bar links – AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5). Tip from AUTODOC:

- Replace the stabiliser links on AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5) in pairs.
- The replacement procedure is identical for both stabiliser links on the same axle.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

REPLACEMENT: ANTI ROLL BAR LINKS – AUDI A4 SALOON (8D2, B5). USE THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE:

1

Secure the wheels with chocks.



2

Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



3

Raise the front of the car and secure on supports.

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4 Unscrew the wheel bolts.



Replacement: anti roll bar links - AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5). Tip:

- To avoid injury, hold up the wheel when unscrewing the bolts.
- Remove the wheel.



6 Clean the stabiliser link fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



Unscrew the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the stabilizer bar. Use a combination spanner #16 (2 pieces).



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Unscrew the fastener connecting the stabilizer bar with the control arm. Use a combination spanner #16 (2 pieces).



9 Remove the stabilizer rod.



Replacement: anti roll bar links – AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5). AUTODOC experts recommend:

• Examine stabiliser bushes. Replace them if needed.



Clean the mounting seats of the stabiliser link. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



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11 Install a new rod, tighten the fasteners.



Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the stabilizer bar. Use a combination spanner #16. Use a drive socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 40 Nm torque.+90°



AUTODOC recommends:

- Important! Be sure to use new fasteners.
- Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer bar with the control arm. Use a combination spanner #16. Use a drive socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 40 Nm torque.+90°



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AUTODOC recommends:

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Treat the surface where the brake disc contacts the wheel rim. Use copper grease.



Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.



AUTODOC recommends:

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17 Install the wheel.



Replacement: anti roll bar links – AUDI A4 Saloon (8D2, B5). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- To avoid injury, hold up the wheel when screwing in the fastening bolts.
- Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 120 nm torque.



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Remove the jacks and chocks.







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