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How to change front anti roll bar links on **Fiat Bravo 2** – replacement guide



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(i) Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

FIAT 500 C Convertible (312) 0.9, FIAT BRAVO II (198) 1.4 16V, FIAT FIORINO Box Body / Estate (225) 1.3 D Multijet, FIAT 500 Hatchback (312) 0.9, FIAT BRAVO II (198) 1.6 D Multijet, FIAT QUBO (225) 1.3 D Multijet, FIAT BRAVO II (198) 1.9 D Multijet, FIAT 500 Hatchback (312) 1.2 LPG, FIAT BRAVO II (198) 1.4 LPG, FIAT Linea (323\_, 110\_) 1.4 T-Jet, FIAT Linea (323\_, 110\_) 1.9 16V, FIAT Linea (323\_, 110\_) 1.8, FIAT Linea (323\_, 110\_) 1.4, FIAT BRAVO II (198) 2.0 D Multijet, FIAT FIORINO Box Body / Estate (225) 1.2 Flex, (+ 44)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.



### REPLACEMENT: ANTI ROLL BAR LINKS – FIAT BRAVO 2. TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Copper grease
- HEX bit No.H5
- Combination spanner #17
- Drive socket # 10
- Drive socket # 17

- Wheel impact socket #17
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Phillips Screwdriver
- Hydraulic transmission jack
- Wheel chock

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#### AUTODOC recommends:

- Replace the stabiliser links on Fiat Bravo 2 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 – FIAT BRAVO 2. RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STEPS:**



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.







Unscrew the wheel bolts.



#### AUTODOC recommends:

• Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts. Fiat Bravo 2

5

Remove the wheel.



6

Chock the opposite wheel. Use a hydraulic transmission jack.



7

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





8

Unscrew the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the shock strut. Use a drive socket #17. Use a ratchet wrench.



9

Unscrew and remove the wheel arch cover fasteners. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench. Use a Phillips screwdriver.



10

Remove the wheel arch cover.



11

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





12

Unscrew the fasteners connecting the stabiliser link to the stabiliser bar. Use HEX No.H5. Use a combination spanner #17. Use a ratchet wrench.



13

Remove the stabilizer rod.



Replacement: anti roll bar links – Fiat Bravo 2. Professionals recommend:

• Examine stabiliser bushes. Replace them if needed.

14

Install a new rod, tighten the fasteners.





15

Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the stabilizer bar. Use a combination spanner #17. Use HEX No.H5. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 55 Nm torque.



16

Remove the hydraulic transmission jack.



## Replacement: anti roll bar links – Fiat Bravo 2. Tip from AUTODOC experts:

 Lower the hydraulic transmission jack smoothly, without jerks, to avoid damaging assemblies and mechanisms.



Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the shock strut. Use a combination spanner #17. Use HEX No.H5. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 55 Nm torque.



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Install the wheel arch cover to its mounting seat.



#### 19

Install and tighten the wheel arch cover fasteners. Use a drive socket #10. Use a ratchet wrench. Use a Phillips screwdriver.



20

Clean the wheel rim mounting seat. Use a wire brush. Treat the contacting surface. Use copper grease.

#### 21

#### Install the wheel.



#### AUTODOC recommends:

• Important! Hold the wheel while screwing in the fastening bolts. Fiat Bravo 2

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22

Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



23

Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 120 Nm torque.



24

Remove the jacks and chocks.





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