



How to change rear  
shock absorbers on  
**PEUGEOT 206**  
**Hatchback (2A/C)** –  
replacement guide

## SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



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

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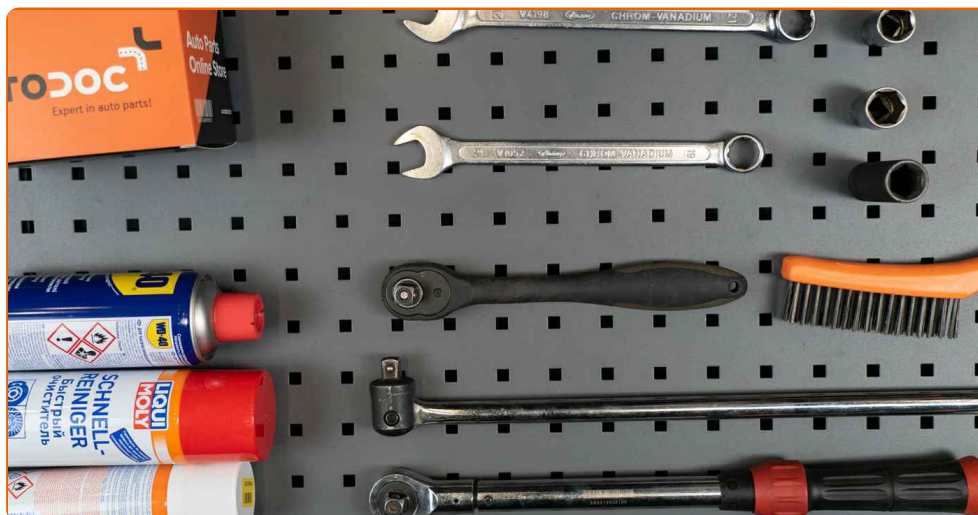
This replacement procedure can be used for:

PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.4 i, PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.9 D, PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 2.0 HDI 90, PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.4 HDi eco 70, PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.4 16V, PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.4 HDi

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: PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C) 1.6

**REPLACEMENT: SHOCK ABSORBERS – PEUGEOT 206 HATCHBACK (2A/C). LIST OF THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:**



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Combination spanner #19
- Combination spanner #21
- Drive socket # 19
- Drive socket # 21
- Wheel impact socket #19
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Tap wrench
- Hydraulic transmission jack
- Wheel chock

**Buy tools**

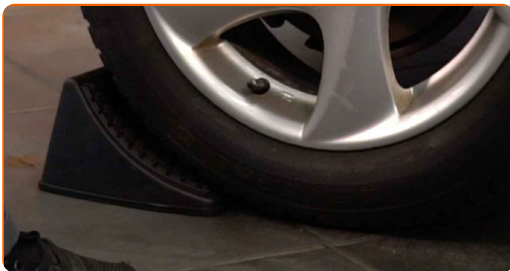
Replacement: shock absorbers – PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C).  
Professionals recommend:

- Both shock absorbers of the rear suspension should be replaced simultaneously.
- The replacement procedure is identical for the left and right shock absorbers of the rear suspension.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

**REPLACEMENT: SHOCK ABSORBERS – PEUGEOT 206 HATCHBACK (2A/C). RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STEPS:**

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Secure the wheels with chocks.



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Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #19.



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Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.

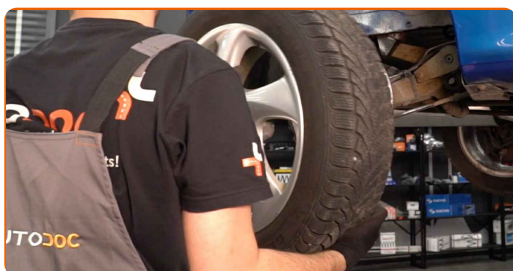
**4** Unscrew the wheel bolts.



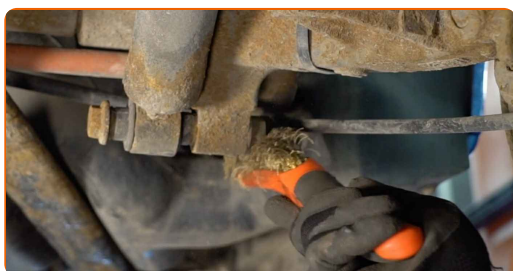
**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Important! Hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts. PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C)

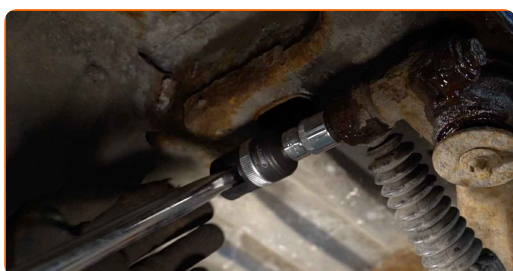
**5** Remove the wheel.



**6** Clean the shock absorber fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



**7** Unscrew the upper fastener of the shock absorber. Use a combination spanner #19. Use a drive socket #19. Use a ratchet wrench.



**8** Remove the fastening bolt.

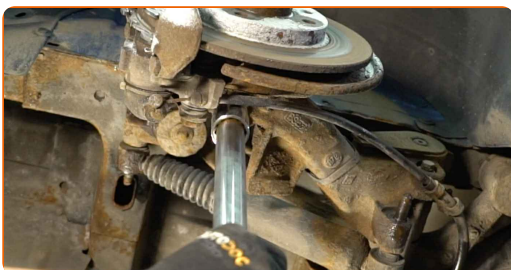
**9** Unscrew the lower fastener of the shock absorber. Use a drive socket #21. Use a tap wrench.



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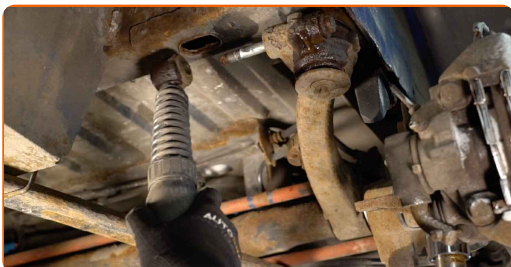
- To avoid injuries, hold the shock absorber when undoing the fastening bolts.

**10** Support the rear suspension beam. Use a hydraulic transmission jack.



**11** Remove the fastening bolt.

**12** Remove the shock absorber.

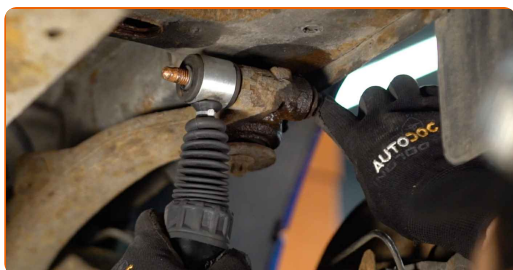


Replacement: shock absorbers – PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- Before installing a new shock absorber you should pump it manually 3-5 times.

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Place the shock absorber in the wheel arch and secure it.



AUTODOC recommends:

- Important! Hold the shock absorber while screwing in the fastening bolts. PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C)

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Install the fastening bolts.



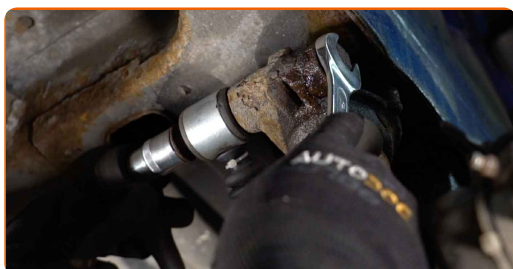
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Screw in the lower fastener of the shock absorber. Use a combination spanner #21. Use a drive socket #21. Use a ratchet wrench.

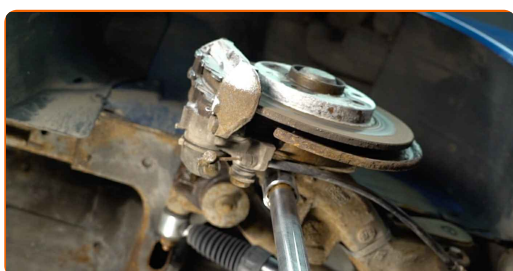




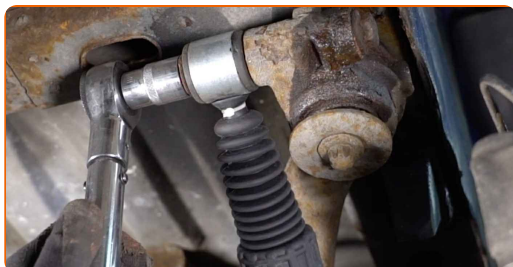
- 16** Screw the upper fastener of the shock absorber. Use a combination spanner #19. Use a drive socket #19. Use a ratchet wrench.



- 17** Raise the hydraulic transmission jack by 10-15 cm.



- 18** Tighten the top shock absorber fastening. Use a combination spanner #19. Use a drive socket #19. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 70 Nm torque.

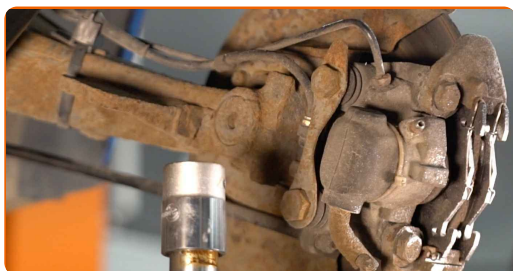


- 19** Tighten the lower fastener of the shock absorber. Use a combination spanner #21. Use a drive socket #21. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 150 Nm torque.





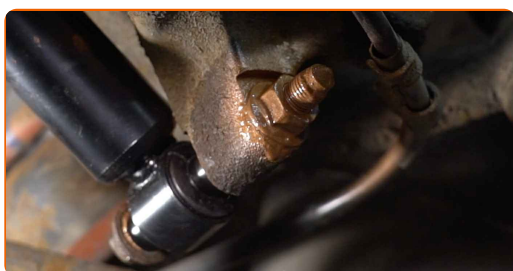
**20** Remove the mounting from under the rear axle beam.



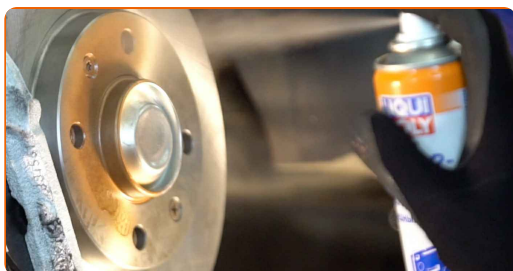
**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Replacement: shock absorbers – PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C). Lower the transmission jack smoothly, without jerks, to avoid damaging components and mechanisms.

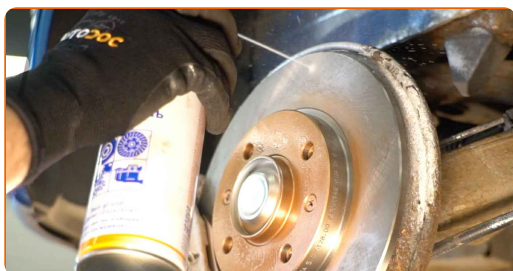
**21** Treat the shock absorber fasteners. Use copper grease.



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



**23** Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.



Replacement: shock absorbers – PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.

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Install the wheel.

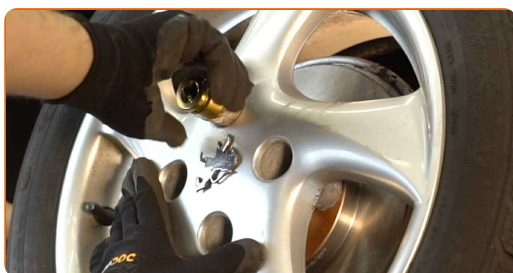


AUTODOC recommends:

- Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while screwing in the fastening bolts on the car. PEUGEOT 206 Hatchback (2A/C)

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Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #19.



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Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 100 Nm torque.



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Remove the jacks and chocks.



**WELL DONE!** 

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