



How to change rear  
wheel bearing on  
**RENAULT Megane I Box  
Body / Hatchback  
(SA0/1\_)** – replacement  
guide

## SIMILAR VIDEO TUTORIAL



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

### Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_) 1.9 (SA0U, SA0R, SA0A),

RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_) 1.9 dCi

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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: RENAULT TWINGO I (C06\_) 1.2

**REPLACEMENT: WHEEL BEARING – RENAULT MEGANE I BOX BODY / HATCHBACK (SA0/1\_). LIST OF THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:**



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- All-purpose cleaning spray
- Copper grease
- Drive socket # 30
- Wheel impact socket #17
- Torque wrench
- Tap wrench
- Hammer
- Circlip pliers
- Bush and bearing driver set
- Rubber mallet
- Crow bar
- Wheel chock

**Buy tools**

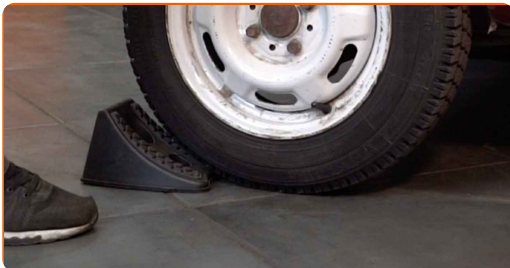
Replacement: wheel bearing – RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_). Professionals recommend:

- Do not re-use the bearing assembly of your RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_) car.
- The wheel hub bearing replacement procedure is identical for both wheels on the same axle.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

**REPLACEMENT: WHEEL BEARING – RENAULT MEGANE I BOX BODY / HATCHBACK (SA0/1\_). RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STEPS:**

1

Secure the wheels with chocks.



2

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



**3** Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.

**4** Unscrew the wheel bolts.



**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts.  
RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_)

**5** Remove the wheel.



**6** Clean the brake drum. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



7

Remove the hub bearing protection cap. Use a hammer. Use a crowbar.



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- Some cars are not equipped with wheel hub caps.

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Clean the wheel hub fastener. Use WD-40 spray.



9

Unscrew the wheel hub axle nut. Use a drive socket #30. Use a tap wrench.



10

Remove the brake drum.



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- Examine the brake drum. Replace it if necessary.

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Remove the wheel hub bearing retaining ring. Use circlip pliers.



12

Press out the wheel hub bearing. Use a bush and bearing driver set.



13

Clean the hub bearing mounting seat. Use WD-40 spray.



14

Press a new bearing into the wheel hub. Use a bush and bearing driver set.



**AUTODOC recommends:**

- Replacement: wheel bearing – RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_). Do not use excessive force during installation. This may damage the part.

**15**

Install the wheel hub bearing retaining ring. Use circlip pliers.



**16**

Clean the hub bearing mounting seat. Use all-purpose cleaning spray.



**17**

Install the brake drum and fasten it.





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Tighten the hub. Use a drive socket #30. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 170 Nm torque.



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- The wheel bearing unit must not tilt on the axle pin.

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Install the hub bearing protection cap. Use a rubber mallet.



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



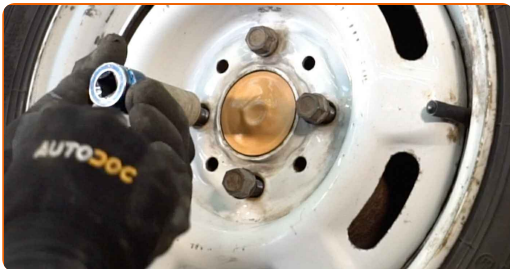
**21** Install the wheel.



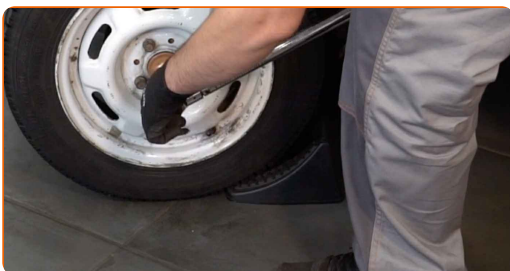
Replacement: wheel bearing – RENAULT Megane I Box Body / Hatchback (SA0/1\_). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- To avoid injury, hold up the wheel when screwing in the fastening bolts.

**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 a torque wrench. Tighten it to 90 nm torque.



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Remove the jacks and chocks.



**WELL DONE!** 

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