



How to change tailgate
struts on **VAUXHALL**
Corsa Mk II (C)
Hatchback (X01) –
replacement guide

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

ⓘ Important!

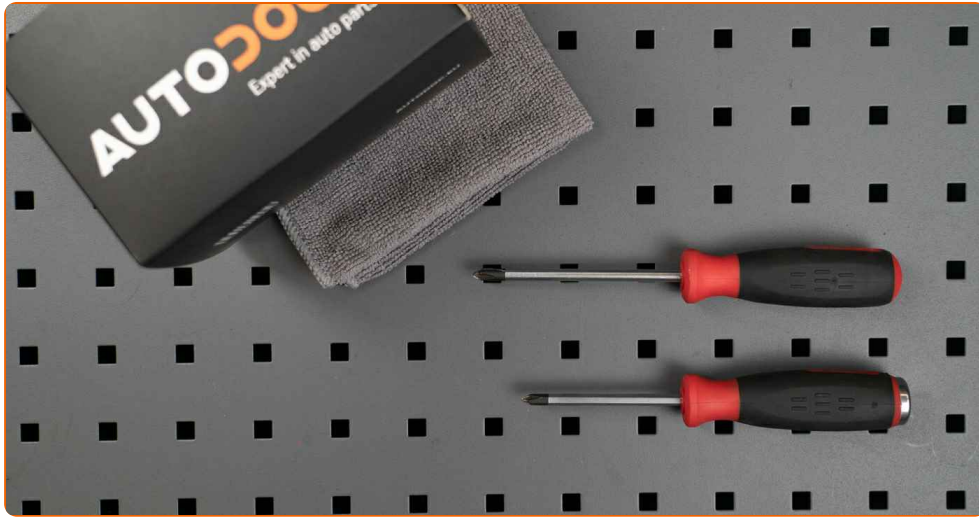
This replacement procedure can be used for:

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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: OPEL Corsa C Hatchback (X01) 1.3 CDTI (F08, F68)

REPLACEMENT: TAILGATE STRUTS – VAUXHALL
CORSA MK II (C) HATCHBACK (X01). TOOLS YOU
MIGHT NEED:



• Flat Screwdriver

• Hydraulic transmission jack

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Replacement: tailgate struts – VAUXHALL Corsa Mk II (C) Hatchback (X01).

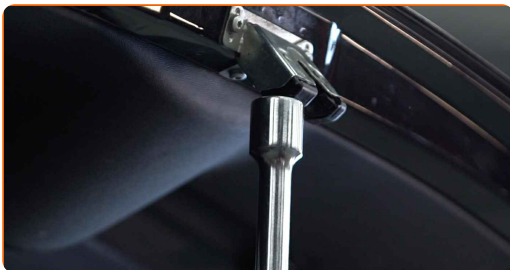
Tip:

- Right and left gas struts of the boot lid should be replaced simultaneously.
- The replacement procedure is identical for the right and left gas struts of the boot lid.
- Warning! Shut down the engine before starting any work – VAUXHALL Corsa Mk II (C) Hatchback (X01).

CARRY OUT REPLACEMENT IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

1 Open the boot lid.

2 Support the boot lid. Use a hydraulic transmission jack.

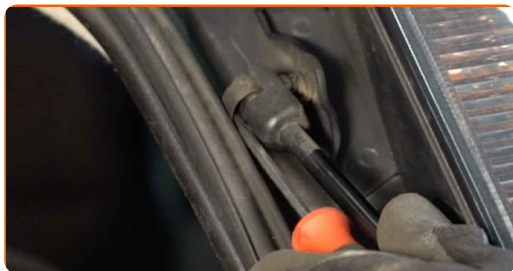


3 Release the circlip connecting the gas strut to the boot lid. Use a flat screwdriver.



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Release the circlip connecting the gas strut to the car body. Use a flat screwdriver.

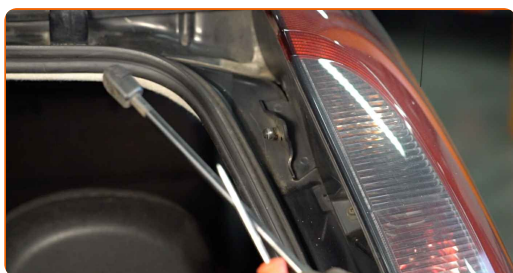


Replacement: tailgate struts – VAUXHALL Corsa Mk II (C) Hatchback (X01).
AUTODOC experts recommend:

- To avoid any injuries, be sure to hold the boot lid while demounting the gas struts.

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Remove the boot lid gas strut.

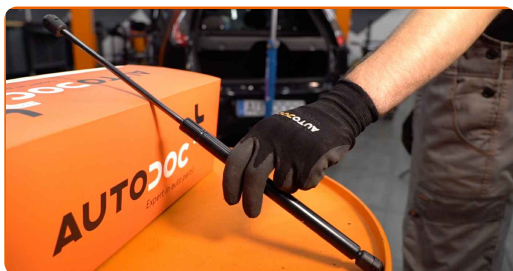


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Clean the mounting seats of the boot strut.



7 Install the new boot lid gas strut.



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Tip from AUTODOC:

- To avoid any injuries, be sure to hold the boot lid while installing the gas strut.

8 Snap on the circlip connecting the gas strut to the boot lid.



9 Snap on the circlip connecting the gas strut to the car body.



10 Remove the hydraulic transmission jack.



AUTODOC recommends:

- VAUXHALL Corsa Mk II (C) Hatchback (X01) – Do not lower the transmission jack sharply to avoid damaging components and mechanisms of the car.
- Check the working condition of the boot lid gas springs after they are installed.

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Close the lid of the luggage compartment.

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