

### AS-3358 ARNOTT REMANUFACTURED FRONT RIGHT AIR STRUT 2014-2020 MERCEDES-BENZ S-CLASS/MAYBACH (W222) W/AIRM ,W/OUT 4MATIC,W/OUT ABC, EXCL. AMG



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- Not to be stored below 5°F (-15°C) and above 122°F (50°C).
- Avoid damage to air lines and cables.
- Removal and installation is only to be performed by fully qualified personnel.
- Use car manufacturer's diagnostic software.

**CAUTION**: Damage to the vehicle and air suspension system can be incurred if work is carried out in a manner other than specified in the instructions or in a different sequence.



To avoid the possibility of short circuits while working with electric components consult your owner's manual on how to disconnect your battery.



Consult your vehicle owner's manual, service manual, or car dealer for the correct jacking points on your vehicle and for additional care, safety and maintenance instructions. Under no circumstances should any work be completed underneath the vehicle if it is not adequately supported, as serious injuries and death can occur.

### **AIR STRUT REMOVAL**

- 1. RAISE VEHICLE AT LIFTING POINTS PRESCRIBED BY MANUFACTURER
- 2. REMOVE APPLICABLE ENGINE BAYTRIMTO GAIN ACCESS TO THE TOP STRUT MOUNT. (FIGURES 1, 2)

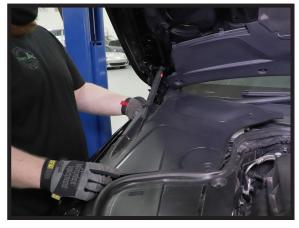


FIGURE 1

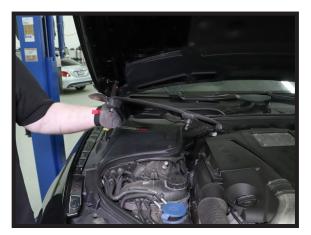


FIGURE 2

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3. SLOWLY DISCONNECT AIR LINE FITTING FROM THE TOP OF THE STRUT. (FIGURE 3)



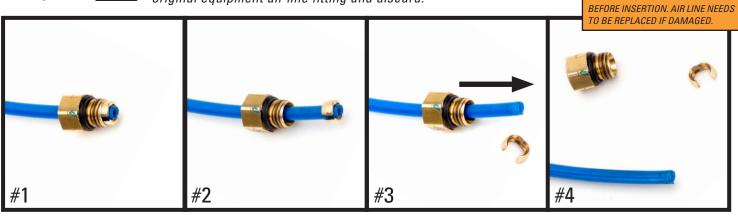
FIGURE 3

4. REMOVE USED AIR LINE FITTING FROM THE AIR LINE AND DISCARD. USE THE FIGURE BELOW AS AN EXAMPLE. (FIGURE 4)





Prior to inserting the existing air line into the new air strut you will need to remove the old original equipment air line fitting and discard.



OE AIR LINE FITTING

SLIDE THE THREADED PORTION UP THE LINE AND SPREAD THE COLLET OPEN TO REMOVE

SLIDE THE AIR FITTING OFF OF THE AIR LINE

DISCARD OE AIR LINE FITTING

NOTE: SCRATCHES AND/OR DEEP CUTS IN THE

AIR LINE CAN RESULT IN POSSIBLE

LEAKS. INSPECT THE AIR LINE

FIGURE 4

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5. REMOVE FRONT RIGHT WHEEL. (FIGURE 5)



FIGURE 5

6. DISCONNECT THE TWO (2) ELECTRICAL CONNECTORS FROM THE STRUT. (FIGURES 6, 7)





FIGURE 6

FIGURE 7

7. UNROUTE THE LINES AND DISCONNECT THE STRUT WIRE HARNESS FROM THE LOWER MOUNT OF THE STRUT. (FIGURES 8, 9)



FIGURE 8



FIGURE 9

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8. REMOVE LOWER STRUT BOLT AND NUT. (FIGURES 10, 11)





FIGURE 10 FIGURE 11

9. REMOVE THE THREE (3) TOP MOUNT NUTS. (FIGURE 12)

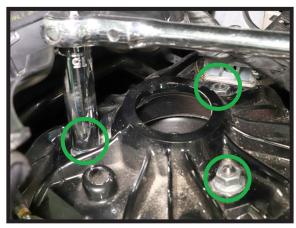


FIGURE 12

10. REMOVE BOLT AND NUT FROM SPINDLE AND DISCONNECT. (FIGURES 13, 14)







FIGURE 14

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11. REMOVE THE STRUT FROM THE VEHICLE. (FIGURE 15)



FIGURE 15

12. REMOVAL COMPLETE.



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### **AIR STRUT INSTALLATION**



Tighten all nuts and bolts to manufacturer's specifications during the installation process.

1. REMOVE THE SHIPPING PLUG FROM THE CHECK VALVE AND INSTALL THE VOSS FITTING FROM THE PROVIDED ACCESSORY KIT ON TO THE ARNOTT AIR STRUT. REMOVE THE SHIPPING PIN FROM THE VOSS FITTING. (FIGURES 16, 17, 18)



FIGURE 16







FIGURE 18

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2. INSTALL THE ARNOTT STRUT IN THE VEHICLE. (FIGURE 19)



FIGURE 19

3. RECONNECT THE SPINDLE TO INSTALL THE BOLT AND NUT. TIGHTEN TO MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS. (FIGURES 20, 21)







FIGURE 21

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4. REINSTALL THE BOTTOM MOUNT BOLT AND NUT. TIGHTEN TO MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS. (FIGURE 22)



FIGURE 22

INSTALL THE THREE (3) TOP MOUNT NUTS PROVIDED IN THE ACCESSORY KIT. TIGHTEN TO 5. MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS. (FIGURE 23)

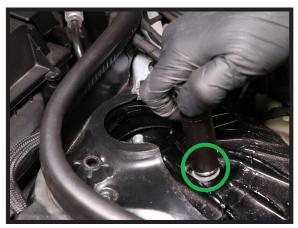


FIGURE 23

CONNECT THE TWO (2) ELECTRICAL CONNECTORS TO THE NEW STRUT SOLENOID. (FIGURES 24, 25) 6.



FIGURE 24



FIGURE 25

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7. REINSTALL THE STRUT WIRE HARNESS USING THE PROVIDED ZIP TIE AND REROUTE THE LINES. (FIGURES 26)



FIGURE 26

8. PUSH THE AIR LINE INTO THE AIR FITTING ON THE TOP OF THE STRUT UNTIL IT IS FULLY SEALED/SEATED (FIGURE 27)



FIGURE 27

- 9. REINSTALL THE APPLICABLE ENGINE BAY TRIM.
- 10. REINSTALL THE FRONT RIGHT WHEEL.
- INFLATE THE AIR STRUT PER MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS. 11.
- 12. LOWER THE VEHICLE.
- 13. INSTALLATION COMPLETE.

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