

SpynTec Industries Installation Instructions for the

# Dodge SpynTec Hub Conversion Kit





Warning - Installation should only be performed by a professional mechanic.

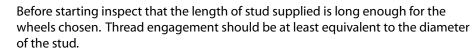


During the installation of the SpynTec front hub conversion kit, always ensure the vehicle is properly supported and prevented from rolling. Do not use a jack to support the vehicle. Always use properly rated jack stands in good working order. Make sure all vehicle work is performed on a hard, level, and stable surface. An unstable vehicle can fall and can kill or injure you.



Always wear proper safety gear. Debris can fall from the vehicle as well as tools failing. Wear your safety goggles.

For all fastener torque values and disassembly proceedures, refer to the Dodge Service Manual. These are available from your Dodge dealership. Torque values and disassembly / assembly pictures shown are only for reference.



As always, re-torque lug nuts to manufacturers' specifications after 50 miles. It's also a good preventative measure to do so after heavy off roading.

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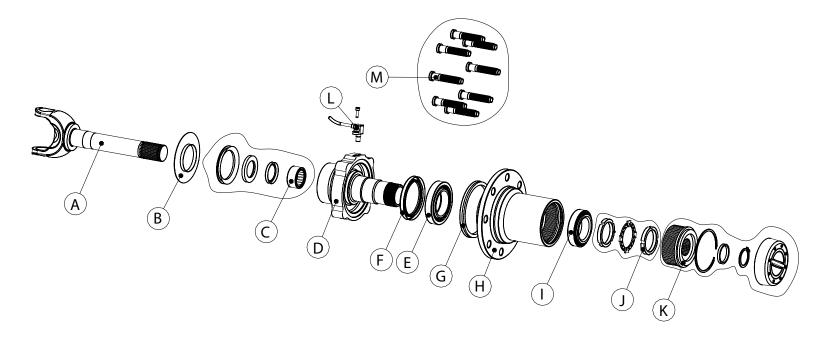
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Exclusions to this warranty: Finish, u-joints, seals, bearings, rotors, studs

Products covered by this warranty: SpynTec Hub Conversion Kit



## Key Description

- A 35 Spline Stub Shaft
- B Mud Slinger
- C Inner Spindle Bearing Kit
- D Spindle
- E Inner Wheel Bearing Inner Wheel Race
- F Hub Seal
- G V Lip Seal
- H Hub
- I Outer Wheel Bearing Outer Wheel Race
- J Spindle Nut Kit
- K Lockout Hub Assembly
- L Factory ABS Sensor
- M Wheel Stud

#### **SAI Part Number**

SAI 030.20.004.03 SAI 030.20.005.01 SAI 030.20.006.01 SAI 050.20.001.05 SAI 050.20.003.10 SAI 050.20.003.11 SAI 050.20.003.14 SAI 050.20.003.15 SAI 050.20.003.12 SAI 050.20.003.13 SAI 050.20.005.01 SAI 050.20.005.01 SAI 050.20.020.01 Reuse SAI 050.00.004.01

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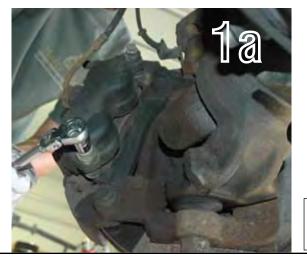
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#### **Tools and Supplies Needed:**

Floor Jack Jack Stands 5 mm Hex Wrench 14 mm 12 Point Socket 18 mm Socket 1-11/16 Socket Deadblow Hammer Flat Blade Screw Drivers Grinder or Belt Sander Spindle Nut Socket Snap Ring Pliers Wheel Bearing Grease Emery Cloth Anti Seize



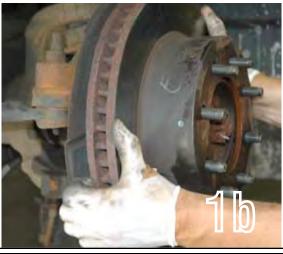
1a- After the wheel is unbolted, the brake caliper will need to be removed. A 18 mm socket or wrench will be needed.

1b -The factory rotor can now be removed.



Brake pads may contain asbestos. DO NOT use compressed air. Use a readily available brake cleaning fluid. Asbestos has been found to be a cancer causing agent.

2a -Next, a 1-11/16 socket and ratchet will be required to remove the axle nut, you will see four 6 or 12 point screws clamping the unit bearing to the knuckle. Carefully remove these (18 mm 6 point or 14 mm 12 point socket) as they will be reused during re-assembly. Sometimes a slight tap on the socket will ensure proper seating for 12 point spindle screws.







Us a 5 mm hex key to remove the screw from the sensor, but do not remove the sensor at this time as it may be damaged. Carefully tap on the unit bearing to seperate it from the knuckle. Pay close attention to not ruin the metal dust shield as this will be reused. Once the bearing is seperated from the knuckle, remove the sensor by pulling it straight out.

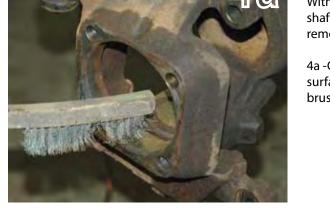


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With the sensor removed the shaft assembly can now be removed.

4a -Clean the knuckle bore and surface with fine emery cloth or a brush to remove any scale.







5a -Using a small screw driver and hammer, tap the ujoint retaining clips from the inner axle shaft.

5b -Once the clips are removed go ahead and press or tap the ujoint the u-joint from the shaft.



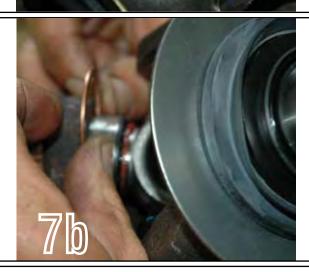


6a -Remove the caps from the ujoint and lightly grease the needle bearings.

6b - Gently align the cap to the ujoint cross paying close attention not to move the needle bearings from the wall of the cap.

7a -A gentle tap with a small hammer will seat the cap.

7b - Go ahead and repeat the process for the other side of the ujoint. Tap the caps down until the c-clip groove can be seen. Snap the c-clip onto the cap and repeat the process for the inner shaft.





8a -Put a light coat of anti-seize on the knuckle face and bore. This will help with removal later on.



#### Page 5 9a/9b -The assembled shafts can

be greased at the seal surface and slid into the housings.





10a -Slide the V lip Seal over the mud slinger as shown. Apply a thin film of grease on the lip.

10b -Slide the thrust washer with the chamfer side toward the center of the vehicle. This will sit flat up against the shaft. If installed incorrectly, there will be a gap between the thrust washer and the shaft.

11a -Slide on the factory brake dust shield and pilot the spindle in the knuckle. Route the ABS sensor through the metal dust shield.

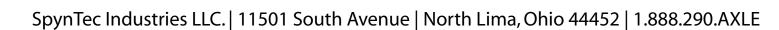
11b - Install the sensor BEFORE the spindle is completely seated in the knuckle. Ensure once again that the routing of the cable will not get cut on the bracket. The sensor will be a tight fit into the spindle. Make sure the sensor hole is alligned with the tapped hole.

12a/12b -Cut the screws back by approximately 3/8 of an inch. The final measurement from the backside of the screw head to the end of the screw should be around 1.80 inches.

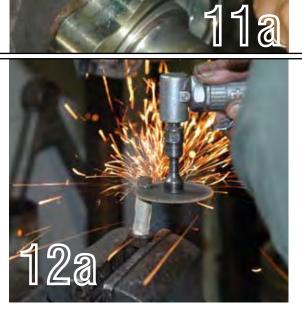


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13a -Anti seize the spindle screws before installing.

Hand thread the knuckle screws and work your way around in a circular pattern tightening them evenly. Tighten the screws to 149 ft-lbs.



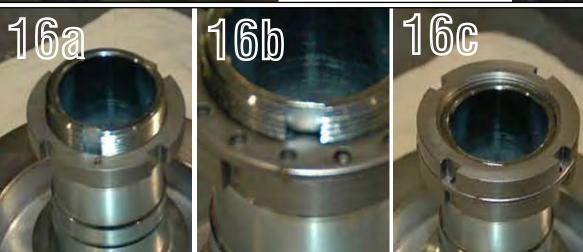
14a -Stretch the v-lip seal over the hub and press the grease seal into the hub after thoroughly packing the bearings with grease. Put a thin film of high quality grease on the lip of the v-lip seal.



15a -Slide the hub and rotor assembly onto the spindle. Pay close attention that the inner hub bearing seats against the shoulder on the spindle.

16b -Push the outer wheel bearing onto the spindle.





Before going into the installation of the spindle nuts onto the spindle. Look closely at the configurations to the left. 16a shows the nut with the pin facing toward the outside of the vehicle. This is so the tab washer in 16b can lock the nut in place keeping in from turning. 16c is simply a jamb nut pinching the nut washer assembly together.



16d- Thread the inner spindle nut onto the spindle. Using a spindle nut socket and torque wrench, tighten the spindle nut (photo 16a) to 50 ft-lbs. Do not over tighten the nut. Rotate the hub back and forth while tightening. Back off the spindle nut 1/4 turn. Slide on the lock washer (photo 16b). Make sure the pin is aligned with a hole on the nut. Thread the outer nut onto the spindle and torque to 125 - 150 ft-lbs.

There should be no endplay in the assembly at this point. If there is, repeat the process.



17a -Slide the lockout hub body into the wheel hub. You may have to slightly rotate the hub to get the splines located.

17b -Install the large snap ring into the groove in the wheel hub.

18 - Step 18 has been omitted.



19a -Lay the large o-ring onto the hub body.

19b -Lightly grease the o-ring on the hub dial body. Set the dial in the free position and align the holes in the dial to the tapped holes in the hub body. Slide the orings on the hex screws and torque to **25-30 in-lbs**.







19a -Slide the rotor onto the face of the hub. Make sure it is fully seated.

19b -Slide the caliper assembly over the rotor. Tighten the caliper mount screws to factory specifications.

The Spyntec assembly is complete at this time. You are ready to place the wheel on and torque down the lugnuts. Make sure you retorque the lugnuts after 50 miles as well as after heavy offroading.







Warning - If your sensor has pulled out of it's protective plastic cover, the sensor needs replaced with a new one. Failure to do so will result in a malfuction of the ABS system.