

Kit Contents		
Description	Pcs	
Shock absorber	2	
Dust boot	2	
Spring	2	
Lock nut	2	
Spacer	2	
Spring seat	2	
Mounted on shock absorber		
Sleeve	1	
Used for both front and rear		
C-spanner	2	
Öhlins Sticker	1	
Öhlins Owner's Manual	1	

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Before you install this product, read the Öhlins Owner's manual. This product is an important part of the vehicle and the vehicle stability.

Shock Absorber Kit for BMW 3-series (F30)

BMS MP00 front

Mounting Instructions



It is advisable to have an Öhlins dealer install the shock absorber.

When installing, read your Vehicle Service Manual.

1

Raise the vehicle and put it on jack stands.

Ensure that it is securely supported.

2

Remove the front wheels.

3

Loosen the bolts for the lower strut attachments.

Caution!

Support the wheel hubs in an appropriate way on each side of the vehicle so that the brake hoses can not be damaged.

4

Loosen the upper attachments. Remove the original struts from the car.

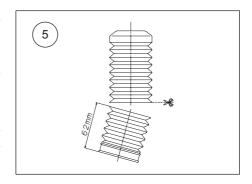
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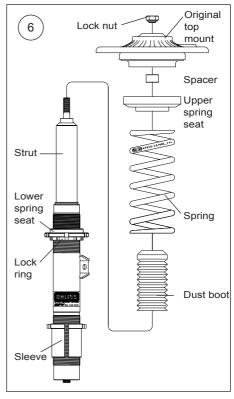
Cut the dust boot 62 mm from the lower end with a pair of scissors according to fig 5.

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Tighten the lower spring seat and the lock nut to 50 - 60 Nm. Fit the dust boot, the spring, the upper spring seat, the spacer, the original top mount and the lock nut to the strut according to fig 6.

Tighten the top nut to 35 - 40 Nm.





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Install the Öhlins McPherson struts on the vehicle according to fig 7a.

Install the stabilizer link according to fig 7b.

8

Fasten the upper attachments.

Note!

When tightening the top mount nut, the shock absorber shaft must be held in position with a 6 mm Allen key.

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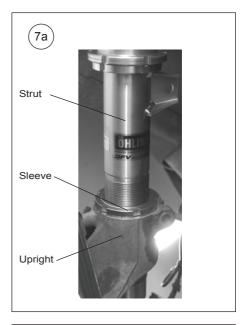
Raise the wheel hub with a jack to remove the freeplay of the lower strut attachment bolts before tightening them.

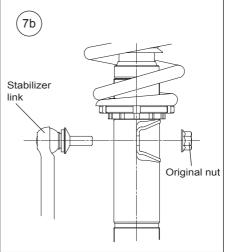
Note!

Make sure that all bolts are tightened to the correct torque and that nothing fouls or restricts movement of the strut when it is being fully compressed or extended. Test this over the whole steering range from lock to lock.

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Make sure that all removed parts are reinstalled in the same way as they were before the installation of the Öhlins shock absorber.





ADJUSTMENTS

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The standard preload is 5 mm, see figure.

SETUP DATA

Click setting		
Track	0-7	clicks
Winding road	5-10	clicks
Street	10-20	clicks
Spring preload	5	mm
Shock absorber length	520	mm
Spring		

Spring

Spec: H200, ID65, 60 N/mm

The actual vehicle height

With both the preload and height adjustments in their standard positions, the vehicle is lowered approximately 20 mm when compared to the original suspension. As the height adjuster is turned one rotation, the position moves 1.5 mm.

The adjustment range is the standard position -5/+15 mm. If the bracket is moved outside the adjustment range, it may come loose.

95 Spring preload adjuster 65 Height adjuster Click adjuster

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Description Pcs Shock absorber 2 Lock nut M10 2 **Bushing spacer** 4 Dust boot 2 Spring 2 Spring reload adjuster 2 Rubber seat 2 2 Lower plastic seat Tie-rap

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Shock Absorber Kit for BMW 3-series (F30)

BMS MP00 rear

Mounting Instructions



It is advisable to have an Öhlins dealer install the shock absorber. When installing, read your Vehicle Service Manual.

1

Raise the vehicle and put it on jack stands.

Ensure that it is securely supported.

2

Remove the rear wheels

3

Remove the lower and the upper attachments and remove the original shock absorbers.

4

Remove the spring.

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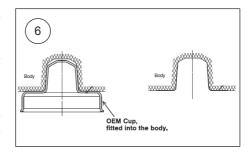
Set the spring seat of the spring preload adjuster to the position according to fig 5.

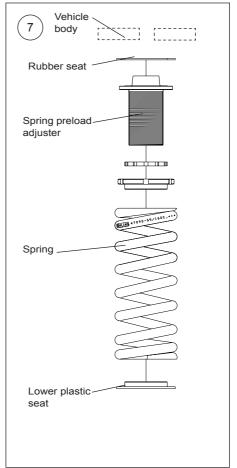
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Remove the OEM upper spring cup according to figure 6.

7

Install the Öhlins spring and the spring preload adjuster on the vehicle according to fig 7.





8

Tighten the lock ring to 50 - 60 Nm. Fit the bushing spacers, the dust boot, the original top mount and the lock nut according to fig 8. Tighten the lock nut to 30 Nm.

Note!

When tightening the lock nut, the shock absorber shaft must be held in position with a 4 mm Allen key.

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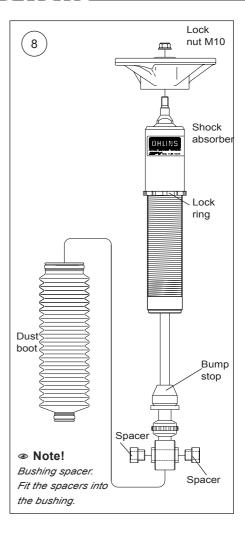
Install the Öhlins shock absorbers on the vehicle.

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Make sure that all removed parts are reinstalled in the same way as they were before the installation of the Öhlins shock absorber.

Note!

Make sure that all bolts are tightened to the correct torque and that nothing fouls or restricts movement of the shock absorber when it is being fully compressed or extended



ADJUSTMENTS

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SETUP DATA

Recommended set-up		
Click setting		
Track	0-7	clicks
Winding road	5-10	clicks
Street	10-20	clicks
Spring preload position	22	mm
Shock absorber length	545	mm
Spring		
Spec: H230, ID65, 160 N/mm		

Vehicle Height

With both the preload and height adjustments in their standard positions, the vehicle is lowered approximately 15 mm when compared to the original suspension. As the height adjuster is turned one rotation, the position moves 1.5 mm.

The adjustment range is the standard position ±15 mm.

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Length

Click adjuster

adjuster

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