

This tool is essential for replacing the bonded rubber/plastic rear axle mounting bushes fitted to VAG vehicles, without removing the rear axle assembly from the vehicle.

NB – Not to be used for bush removal.

Application				
Audi	A3	1.4 1.6 1.8	2.0 Petrol 1.9D/TD	2001-2003
Volkswagen	Golf IV Bora	1.4 1.6 1.8	2.0 Petrol 1.9D/TD	2001-2003

Due to a difference in material and composition it is recommended when replacing these bushes that both sides are replaced at the same time. This will ensure that wheel alignment and tyre wear problems are avoided.

Safety Precautions

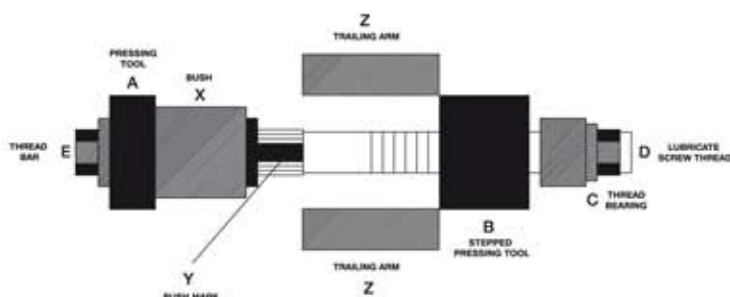
Always refer to a reputable workshop manual for detailed instructions relevant to the vehicle.

Always ensure the car is securely supported by axle stands or ramps with wheels chocked and hand brake on.

Always wear eye protection when working underneath the vehicle.

Do not over tighten or use impact tools.

ALWAYS LUBRICATE THE SCREW THREAD BEFORE USE



Instructions

1. Securely support the vehicle and remove the rear wheels as specified in your workshop manual
2. Remove both front mounting bolts from the rear axle mounting bracket
3. Pull the front end of the trailing arm down the mounting bracket and wedge into position, using a solid object between the arm end and the underside of the vehicle.
4. Note the exact position in the arm of the rubber mounting
5. Remove the old mounting bush from the trailing arm
6. Lubricate the screw threads of the too (D)
7. Align the Y mark on the new bush with the mark on the axle trailing arm
8. Assemble the tool as shown and insert the new bonded mounting into position (see Fig 2) (ITEM B HAS A LIP THAT SITS FLUSH AGAINST THE TRAILING ARM (Z))
9. With a 24mm tool, slowly turn the thrust bearing (C) to pull the new mounting into the rear axle.
10. Re-assemble in accordance with your workshop manual

Repeat steps 3-9 for the other side.