

67-73 Ford Mustang 3018 Lock Plate Kit

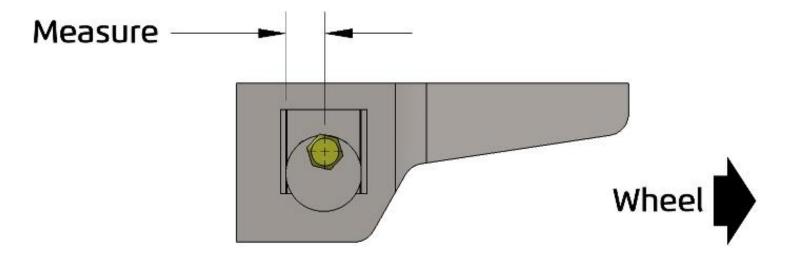
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Lock Plate Kit Installation

- 1 Perform a Front End Alignment
 - Set your front end alignment <u>prior</u> to replacing your eccentric lower control arm bolts with this lock out kit. It is easier to dial in your camber with the original eccentric bolt to start.
- 2 Measure the location of the Eccentric Bolt
 Once the alignment is complete, measure the position of the eccentric bolts on each side. Do this by recording the distance between the center of the eccentric bolt to one of the alignment gates on the subframe.

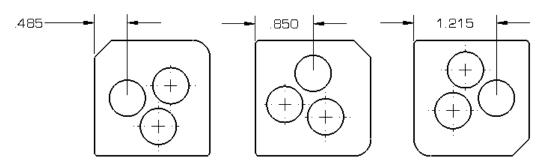


3 Choose the Matching Orientation

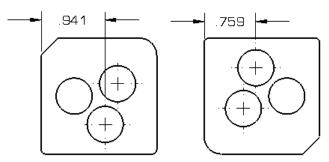
Although eccentrics have infinite adjustment, the Hotchkis lock out plates still have a generous 9 positions to choose from. This will be more than sufficient to dial in your camber.

Match the measurement from step 2 to one of the configurations below.

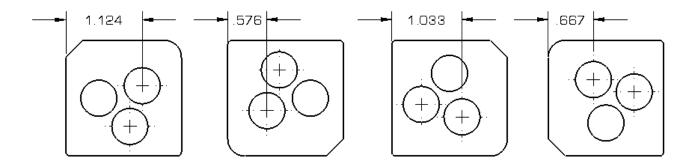
HOLE 1 (Closest to Chamfer) (This hole is MAX setting and CENTER setting)



HOLE 2 (Furthest from Chamfer)

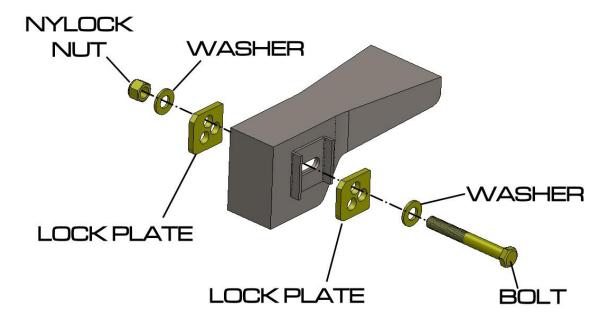


HOLE 3 (Closest to Radius)

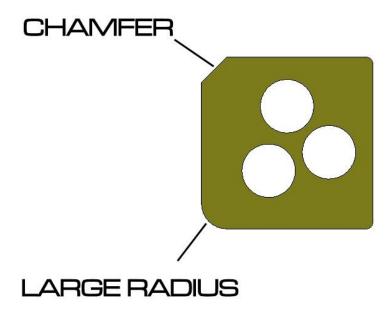


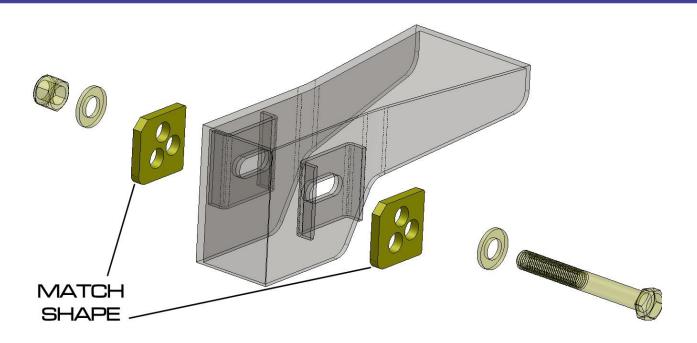
4 Replace the Eccentric with the Plates

Raise the front of the vehicle until just before the wheels lift off the ground. Remove the stock eccentric bolt and washers and the install the Hotchkis lock plates as shown below



The Hotchkis plates have a unique shape with a chamfer on one corner and a large radius on another. The last (2) corners are sharper corners. This shape allows for easy identifying to insure the clocking is the same for each pair of plates. Just remember chamfer goes with chamfer and radius goes with radius. Your holes will always line up.





Once the 1/2" bolt is fully tightened, you are finished and can rest assured knowing your alignment is locked down will not creep.



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