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For Dodge Ram 1500 2500 3500 2WD (1994-2013)

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The maXpeedingrods 3" Lift Kit is designed to provide a 3-inch suspension lift for compatible Dodge Ram trucks. This kit enhances vehicle clearance, allows for the fitment of larger tires (up to 33 inches), and helps reduce the factory rake stance, improving the vehicle's off-road performance and aesthetic.

The components are manufactured from high-strength steel with a powder-coat finish to ensure durability and resistance against rust and corrosion.

COMPATIBILITY

This lift kit is compatible with the following 2WD Dodge Ram models:

- Dodge Ram 1500 2WD: 1994-2008
- Dodge Ram 2500 2WD: 1994-2013
- Dodge Ram 3500 2WD: 1994-2012

Note: This kit is **NOT** compatible with Mega Cab models.

Compatibility



	Make	Model	Year
For	Dodge	Ram 1500 2WD	1994-2008
		Ram 2500 2WD	1994-2013
		Ram 3500 2WD	1994-2012

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Image: Compatibility chart detailing applicable Dodge Ram models and years for the lift kit.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Upon unpacking, please verify that all components listed below are present and undamaged:

- 2 x Front Spring Spacers
- 2 x Rear Lift Blocks
- 4 x Bend U-Bolts
- Associated Installation Hardware (nuts, washers)

What's In The Box



Image: All components of the lift kit, including front spacers, rear blocks, U-bolts, nuts, and washers.

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INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

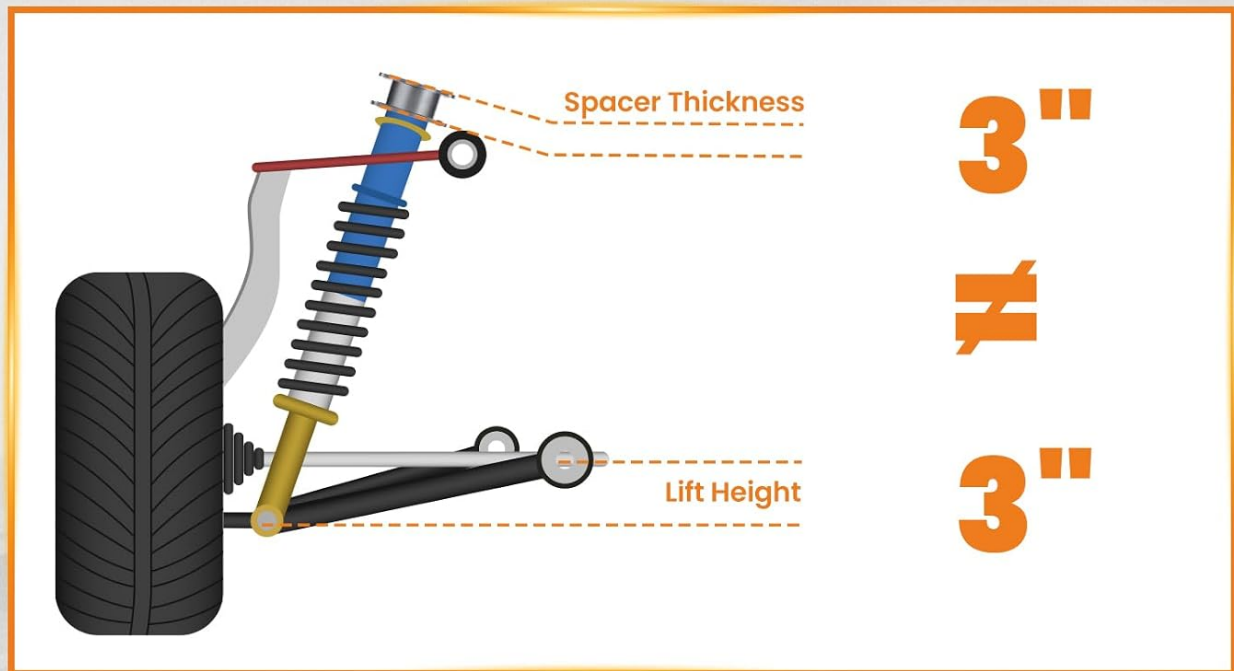
Professional installation is highly recommended for this product due to the complexities involved with vehicle suspension modifications. While no special tools or spring compressor are required, proper vehicle lifting equipment and mechanical knowledge are essential for safe and correct installation.

Important Considerations:

- **Spacer Thickness vs. Lift Height:** The actual lift height achieved will be greater than the physical thickness of the spacers. This is due to the geometry of the suspension system, where the spacer alters the angle of the lower control arm, providing an amplified lift. For example, a 1.5-inch thick front spacer can result in a 3-inch lift.
- **Vehicle Alignment:** After installation, a professional wheel alignment is mandatory to ensure proper steering, tire wear, and vehicle handling.
- **Torque Specifications:** Always refer to your vehicle's service manual for correct torque specifications for all fasteners. Overtightening or undertightening can lead to component failure or unsafe operation.

- **Safety First:** Always use appropriate safety gear, including eye protection and gloves. Ensure the vehicle is securely supported on jack stands before working underneath.

3" Lift $\neq$ 3" Spacer Thickness



The Spacer will alter the angle of the lower control arm, providing an additional lift beyond the spacer thickness

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Image: Diagram illustrating how a spacer's thickness (e.g., 1.5 inches) translates to a greater lift height (e.g., 3 inches) due to suspension geometry.

General Installation Steps (Consult a professional for detailed instructions):

1. Safely lift the vehicle and support it on jack stands. Remove the wheels.
2. For the front, carefully disassemble the necessary suspension components to install the front spring spacers above the coil springs.
3. For the rear, lower the axle slightly to insert the rear lift blocks between the leaf springs and the axle. Secure with the new, longer U-bolts and hardware.
4. Reassemble all components, ensuring all fasteners are torqued to factory specifications.
5. Reinstall wheels and lower the vehicle.
6. Perform a professional wheel alignment immediately after installation.

3" Front & 3" Rear Lift

BEFORE

AFTER



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Image: Visual comparison of a truck before and after the installation of a 3-inch front and rear lift kit, showing increased ground clearance.

MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and safe operation of your lift kit and vehicle suspension, regular maintenance is recommended:

- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically inspect all lift kit components, including spacers, blocks, U-bolts, nuts, and washers, for any signs of wear, damage, or corrosion.
- **Torque Check:** After the initial 500 miles of driving and then every 5,000 miles, re-check the torque on all fasteners associated with the lift kit and suspension components. Fasteners can loosen over time due to vibrations and road conditions.
- **Cleaning:** Keep the components clean from excessive dirt, mud, and road salt, especially if driving in harsh conditions. This helps prevent corrosion.
- **Alignment Check:** Consider having your vehicle's alignment checked annually or if you notice any unusual tire wear or steering issues.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues after installing the lift kit, consider the following:

- Uneven Lift:** Ensure all components are installed correctly and on the appropriate side of the vehicle. Verify that the correct kit was purchased for your specific vehicle model and year.
- Noise (Clunking/Squeaking):** Check all fasteners for proper torque. Loose components can cause noise. Inspect for any contact between suspension components or the frame that might be causing friction.
- Steering Issues / Tire Wear:** These are strong indicators of an incorrect wheel alignment. A professional alignment is crucial after any suspension modification.
- U-Bolt Fitment (for Ram 2500/3500):** Some users have reported that the provided U-bolts may not fit certain 2500/3500 models without modification or replacement. If this occurs, sourcing appropriately sized U-bolts from a local automotive parts supplier may be necessary.
- Difficulty with Installation:** If you encounter significant difficulties, it is best to cease work and consult with a certified automotive technician.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	maXpeedingrods
Model Number	SE89WN
Maximum Lifting Height	3 Inches
Auto Part Position	Rear, Front
Material	High-strength Steel with Powder Coat Finish
Item Weight	20.9 pounds
Product Dimensions	13.78 x 9.84 x 6.3 inches

WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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