

Did You Know?

Advice for the professional
DYK18-104

Drag Link Identification

2011-2016 Ford Super Duty

Overview

When replacing the drag link on 2011-2016 Ford F-250/-350 Super Duty trucks, technicians need to confirm the frame configuration before ordering the part.

Ford Super Duty Trucks come in many different configurations. Pickups use a standard frame configuration, where the frame rails are about 37" apart and have a hump over the rear axle.

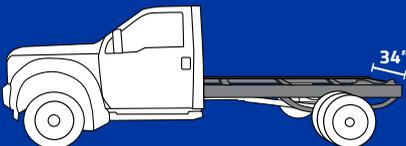
The Chassis Cab configuration uses commercial frame, with frame rails 34" apart. Commercial frame is the industry standard for upfitter bodies. The frame rails are flat, which allows a custom bed or upfitter body to be used.

The drag link is different for commercial frame trucks than for standard frame trucks. The **longer** MOOG® DS300039 drag link fits the Chassis Cab commercial (narrow) frame trucks; the **shorter** DS300040 drag link fits standard frame applications.

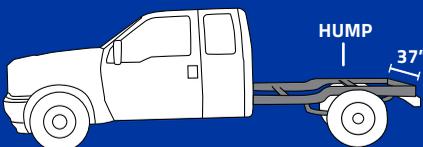
VEHICLES AFFECTED

FORD	F-250	2011-2016
	F-350	

Determine the type of frame:



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Installation Procedure

Order and install the appropriate MOOG® drag link as shown.

DS300039 - Install this 36.9" drag link for Commercial frame vehicles with 34.1"-34.2" between frame rails, frame rails straight over rear axle.

DS300040 - Install this 34.5" drag link for Regular frame vehicles with 36.6"- 37.7" between frame rails, frame rails hump over rear axle.

MOOG DS300039 and DS300040 drag links are built from premium forged steel and feature premium MOOG ball joint technology with:

- MOOG patented pressed-in cover plate design and a Belleville washer to ensure proper preload and consistent socket torque for the life of the part.
- MOOG gusher bearing technology for maximum durability and longer life.
- Hardened, full-ball stud for smooth and reliable operation over the lifetime of the part.



DS300039 - Commercial Chassis Cab Frame



DS300040 - Standard Pickup Frame

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