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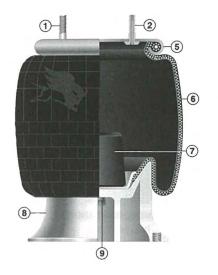
Q Product In Focus - Air Springs

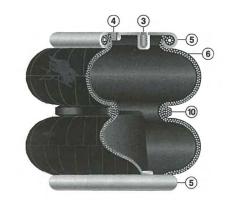
Features and Benefits

- Meets the highest international quality and environmental standards - ISO 9001, TS-16949 and ISO 14001
- Superior rubber and cord
- Engineered to meet OE specifications
- Corrosion resistance that withstands harsh operating conditions
- Excellent performance and quality through well developed product and manufacturing technology
- Convenient availability of range including Firestone brand to suit your application



Cross Section of Meritor Air Springs





- 1. Mounting Stud
- 2. Combo Stud
- 3. Blind Nut
- 4. Air Fitting Hole
- 5. Bead Plate
- 6. Rubber Bellows
- 7. Internal Bumper (optional)
- 8. Piston
- 9. Piston Bolt
- 10. Girdle Hoop





Q Product In Focus - Air Springs

Product Range - Top Selling Air Springs

Air Spring Part Number	OE Cross Ref	Rear	Application	
21229214	21229214	•	ROR CS9	
21221307	21221307	•	Holland (Please see ROR) Overslung U514 Overslung U524 & U534, Underslung E510, Overslung E520, E530, Kruger, R.F.S., ROR models	
21222442	21222442	•	ROR Flexair - FL9000, FL9000H FL9000L, FL9000HL FLEXLITE XL9000	
21227742	21227742	•	Ridestar RFS23T	
21208082	21208082	•	Holland (Please see ROR) HO41 & H134 Underslung HO42 Overslung, Indair Including Axle Lift 21208082 2120 8082FS 4 Stud Airspring, FL11000L, Weweller FL041, FL131	
MLF7104	05.429.43.51.0 05.429.43.60.0	•	BPW Type 36 Complete Assembly	
MLF7093	05.429.43.20.0	•	BPW Type 30 Complete Assembly (Plastic Piston)	
MLF7177	05.429.43.20.0 05.429.40.93.1	•	BPW Type 36 Complete Assembly (Plastic Piston)	
MLF7066	05.429.40.01.0	•	BPW Type 36 Service Assembly - Including Top Plate Only	
MLF7045	05.429.40.91.0	•	BPW Type 30K Service Assembly - Including Top Plate Only	
FS9622	K303-22	•	DAF Airglide Susp. 200, 400, 600 Series (for Outward Mounted Shock Absorbers) 9" Ride Height (large air fitting)	
FS9144	90557155	•	Mack Neway Air Susp. AD252-11" Ride Height	
FS9617	K303-18	•	DAF Airglide Susp. 200, 400, 600 Series (for Outward Mounted Shock Absorbers) 9" Ride Height (small air fitting), Kenworth Airglide Susp. 200, 400, 600 Series (With Shocks Mounted Outside Chassis Rail) With Outward Mounted Shock Absorbers & 9" Ride Height	
FS9625	K303-25	•	DAF Airglide Susp. 200, 400, 600 Series (for Outward Mounted Shock Absorbers) 10.5" Ride Height (large air fitting)	
FS9471	90557146 90557182	•	Iveco Eurostar LD5500 (520HP) With Neway AD246-10" FS9471 90557146 Air Suspension	
FS7001	1102-0023	•	Freightliner Freightliner Link Cabmate Suspension	





New Products & Supersessions

New Products

Part Number	Description	List Price **
8205983	Wheel Seal to suit Isuzu new drive axle wheel end	\$207.65
3100F8248	Centre Beam to suit Freightliner MFS axle	\$3218.18
E-UB8265-16	U Bolt Assy to suit U-Bolt Assembly, Square Bend, 7/8" - 14 Thd. x 5" Wide x 16" Long - Hendrickson	\$64.60
FS8614	Air Spring to suit Hendrickson Trailer OE# S26773	\$851.46

All parts displayed above will be available for immediate ordering. Lead times apply for the listed items. Not all parts are available to Independent Customers.

Please contact Meritor Customer Service on (03) 8353 6050 for further information.

Supersessions

Old Part Number	Description	New Part Number	List Price **
A3262A27A	Hub Cap 6 Hole 4P5	A3262X1506	\$61.37
A3262Z26A	Hub Cap 6 Hole 5P5	A3262Z1456	\$84.43
A3262B28A	Hub Cap 6 Hole 5P5	A3262Y1507	\$70.68

For a full list of supersessions, please Click Here.

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**All list prices are correct at time of printing and subject to change.

Please contact your local OE Dealer for pricing information.





Getting Technical - Air Spring Troubleshooting

Air Springs - Replacement Indicator Guide



Deformed Air Spring Caused by:

- Improper storage
- Improper transport
- Improper handling

Solution:

- Storage adhered to iso 5285 no daylight, dry area
- Normal room temp
- Avoid improper handling and transport



Overextension Caused by:

- Spring travel not restricted
- Incorrectly adjusted level control
- Air spring not suitable for application

Solution

- Check the shock absorbers
- Check & adjust level the control valve
- Double check if the air spring fits the OE part number



Damage of conical beads and nuts Caused by:

- Improper mounted
- bead plate Pinching of the bellows with metal part

Solution:

- Keep conical beads clean & corrosion free
- Avoid driving without pressure in the air suspension



Abrasion Caused by:

- Bellows contact with
- chassis parts Bellows contact with
- foreign bodies

Solution: Double check if the

- air spring fits the OE part number Check regularly
- & remove foreign objects stuck between bellows and piston



Bellow rubs off at shoulder Caused by:

- Bead plate diameter incorrect
- Bellows too long for application

Solution:

Use original parts Avoid wrong cross references



Chemical contamination Caused by:

Usage of oils and lubes

Solution:

- Avoid usage of lubes or cleaners which contain mineral oils
- Check air springs on a regular basis



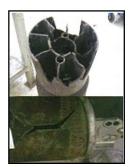
Broken off thread bolts Caused by:

Excessive torque

Use of oils or lubricants

Solution:

- Don't exceed recommended torque as per manual
- Avoid usage of oils and lubes



Air spring bursting, broken piston Caused by:

Overload

- Exceeding the
- maximum allowable pressure

Solution:

Never exceed the maximal allowed weight of the vehicle





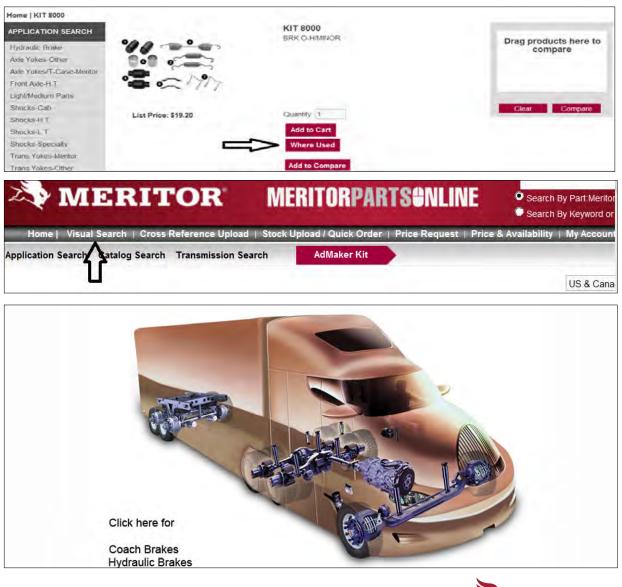


Getting Technical - Visual Search Additions to MPO

Enhancements to www.meritorpartsonline.com

Catalogue - (Please refer to Screen Shots)

- On Part Number Detail page, added 'Where-Used' option which displays other kits/assemblies containing the searched part number.
- Visual Search now includes clutch, gearing and suspension products.
- From left-hand navigation, facets are sorted by numerical sequence (not by number of hits). Example: Brake Diameter: 10.00, 12.00, 12.25, 14.50, etc.

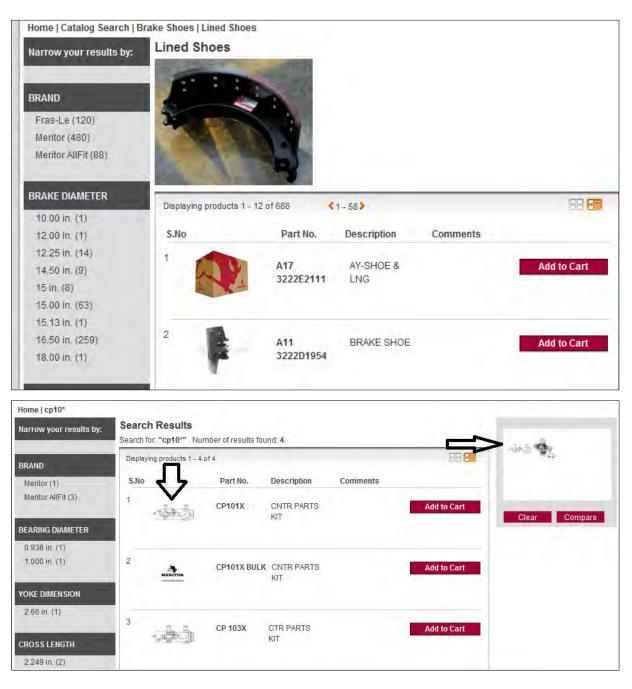






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🏰 Employee Profile - Tej Mugathi

Role at Meritor: Customer Service Officer Year Joined: 2013

What is your background in Customer Service? I am an IT professional and this is my first job in Customer Service. I am excited to work in customer service as it gives me the opportunity to improve my communication and interpersonal skills.

What are your main responsibilities?

I enter customer orders into the system, load and maintain pricing in the system by liaising with the Sales department. I raise requests to the finance team to setup respective customer accounts, pricing structures and change of address.

I am also involved in major projects (e.g.: Customer Transformation Project) from the customer service department and also liaise with IT department to perform testing, prepare flowcharts and documentation. I also consolidate customer orders, workbench and print shippers to deliver goods to the customer. I prepare process documents for the activities carried out in customer service team and communicate with external customers as required.

How do you maintain excellence in customer service?

Understanding the customer service process helps me to address the internal and external customer's request in a timely manner. I am always looking for continuous improvement opportunities to enhance the service experience and to better support the customer.

Why do you like working in customer service?

Working in customer service gives me the opportunity to communicate with a wide range of people. Understanding customer requirements and supporting their needs on time gives me great satisfaction.

How does your work impact on the relationship between the customer and sales?

Entering customer orders accurately, maintaining pricing and keeping customer details up-to date as well as consolidating customer orders on time greatly supports the customer, which improves relationships and builds confidence between customer and sales.

What are your interests and hobbies outside work?

I love spending time with my family and friends. My hobby is dancing, and I have recently joined in a dance group and performed at South Asian Food Festival, Werribee.







Advertising

Look out for our ad on Brake Shoe Kits in the next edition of Big Rigs! For more information on our comprehensive range of brake shoe kits, please contact your local Meritor Representative or call Customer Service on 03 8353 6050.



