Stub Axle Bolt Instructions

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Trailer Stub Axle Bolt Compatibility and Intended Use

The Trailer Stub Axles are DRIVE SIDE and NON-DRIVE SIDE specific. The Trailer Stub Axle Bolts are designed to work with the Bill and Ted trailers. They are not intended for any other use.

1. BT0010—Surly Trailer Non-Drive Side (ND) Stub Axle RH Thread with Fixing Bolt and wheel offset washer (Figure 1)
2. BT0011—Surly Trailer Drive Side (D) Stub Axle LH Thread with Fixing Bolt and wheel offset washer (Figure 2)
3. BT0016—Non-Drive Side RIGHT HAND THREAD Fixing Bolt and wheel offset washer (Figure 3)
4. BT0017—Drive Side LEFT HAND THREAD Fixing Bolt and wheel offset washer (Figure 4)

Tools Required for Installation

- 6mm hex wrench
- Grease
- A medium strength thread locking compound
- Torque wrench that measures in Nm
**Installation of the Trailer Stub Axle Bolt**

1. Apply a light coating of grease to the entire inside of the trailer where the stub axles are inserted, the interface between the wedge and the axle, and on the threads of the internal bolt, and fully insert the axles into the trailer bed axle tube. **NOTE:** The stub axles for each side of your trailer are different! The stub axle marked ‘D’ goes into the right side of the trailer bed (bicycle drive side) and the stub axle marked ‘ND’ goes into the left side of the trailer bed (bicycle non-drive side).

2. During installation, rotate the stub axles so that the wedges are orientated in the 6 o’clock position. Finally, tighten the wedge bolts (torque = 20 Nm) to hold the stub axles in the trailer bed.

3. To install the wheels, grease the outside of the Trailer Stub Axle Bolt and place the wheel offset washer, smaller diameter end first, over the end of the Trailer Stub Axle Bolt with the proper wheel retaining bolt. Check the threads of the retaining bolts in your kit for a light blue dollop of thread locking compound. If some has already been applied, DO NOT apply more. If there is none present, apply a small amount of medium strength thread locking compound to the threads. Install the bolts and torque to 30 Nm.

**NOTE:** The wheel retaining bolts for each side of your trailer are different! The drive side bolt has left-hand threads and the non-drive side has right-hand threads. Markings on the bolt head will tell you which bolt to use on which side of the trailer.

**Ongoing Maintenance**

Periodically check to make sure the Trailer Stub Axle Bolts are properly tightened to the specified torque. Annually remove the Trailer Stub Axle Bolts from the trailer to reapply grease to prevent any parts seizing due to corrosion.

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