## 14001 - TORSION BAR TOOL

## Caution: The prevent personal injury.

- Wear eye protection that meets ANSIZ87.1 and **OSHA** requirements.
- The torsion bar is under pressure, creating a potentially dangerous situation. Completely release tension before servicing the torsion bar
- -Disconnect shock absorbers before using the torsion bar tool.

## **REMOVAL:**

- 1. Support vehicle per vehicle manufacturer's recommendations such that the suspension is fully unloaded.
- 2. Attach the torsion bar tool (#14001) to the vehicle frame rail shown (Figure 1). Tighten the tool against the torsion key (Figure 2).
- 3. Loosen or remove the torsion bar adjusting bolt while counting the number of turns required. This helps to identify the original position of the adjusting bolt.
- 4. Remove the tool, and perform the required service.

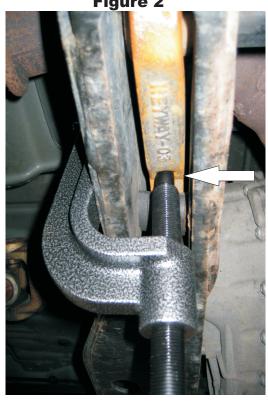
## **INSTALLATION:**

- 1. Attach the tool to the vehicle frame rail (Figure 1). Tighten the tool against the torsion key (Figure 2).
- 2. Tighten the tool to draw the torsion key into the frame rail.
- 3. Tighten the torsion bar adjusting bolt using the same number of turns recorded in step 3 of removal.
- 4. Remove the tool.
- 5. Refer to vehicle service manual for the correct suspension height and alignment specifications.

Figure 1



Figure 2



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