

## Steeda S550 Mustang Trunk “POP” Kit



### Installation Instructions for Part #:555-0696 and 555-0697

#### Tools Needed

1. Flat head screwdriver

#### Installation

1. Open the trunk and locate the struts holding it upright.  
See Figure 1.
2. Using a flat head screwdriver, pry the clips holding together the ball and socket joint on the strut as shown in Figure 2.  
**NOTE:** It is easiest to disconnect the joint attached to the decklid first, then move to the bottom clip.
3. Remove the strut.  
**NOTE:** Remove and replace one side at a time.
4. Install the Steeda struts in the same orientation as the factory ones removed, starting with connecting the bottom joint first.  
**NOTE:** The clips do not need to be removed for this step. Simply press the socket joint onto the ball attached to the vehicle.
5. Repeat for the opposite side.
6. Shut the decklid and press button either on the car or on the key fob to open the decklid.

**NOTE:** Closing the decklid will require slightly more force. Varying temperatures and different wing and spoiler packages may alter the desired results.



Figure 1: Factory trunk struts



Figure 2: Strut removal process