

Note!

Please note that there can be small differences between your product and the images in these instructions.

Note!

Please note that during storage and transport, especially at high ambient temperature, some of the oil and grease used for assembly may leak and stain the packaging. This will not cause damage to the product, wipe off the excessive oil or grease with a cloth.

Kit Contents		
Description	Part No	Pcs
Front fork kit	FGK236	1
Öhlins sticker (60x23) wh	00191-32	2
Öhlins sticker (60x23) blue	00191-33	2
Owner's manual	07284-01	1

This kit should only be installed by an authorized Öhlins dealer. The installation procedure requires certain tools.

Note!

Before you install this product, check the kit contents. If anything is missing, please contact an Öhlins dealer.

Before you install this product, read the Öhlins Owner's manual and this document. This product is an important part of the vehicle and the vehicle stability.

Front Fork Kit for BMW R1200R

FGK 236

Mounting Instructions



TOOLS, GREASE AND FLUID

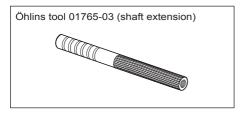
Tools needed for the original front fork

- Refer to the vehicle service manual for tools needed for removing/installing the front fork from the vehicle.
- Refer to the vehicle service manual for tools needed for removing the cartridge from the front fork.

Grease and fluid:	
Function grease	00159-02
Öhlins front fork fluid	01309-01

Tools needed for the Öhlins cartridge

- · Allen key 8 mm (bottom screw)
- · 19 mm wrench (shaft extension)
- 3 mm Allen key (compression and rebound bleed adjusters)
- · 14 mm socket (preload adjuster)
- · Ruler (oil level)





1 - Remove the original front fork

We strongly recommend to let an Öhlins dealer install this product.

If you work with a lifted vehicle, make sure that it is safely supported to prevent it from tipping over.

Note!

When you work with this product, see the vehicle service manual for vehicle specific procedures and important data.

Note!

Before you install this product clean the vehicle.

1.1

Put the motorcycle on a work stand so that the front wheel barely touches the ground.

1.2

Remove the front fender, brake calipers and the front wheel

1.3

Release the spring preload.

1.4

Loosen the screws to loosen the upper triple clamp.

1.5

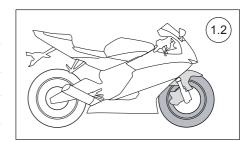
Loosen (do not remove) the top cap 1/2 turn.

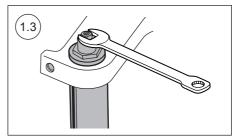
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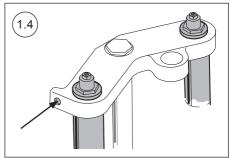
Loosen the screws to loosen the lower triple clamp.

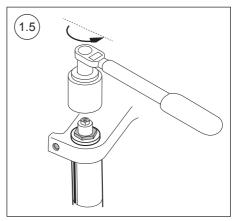
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Remove the front fork legs from the triple clamps.









2 - Disassemble the original front fork

2.1

Loosen the top cap from the outer tube.

2.2

Pull down the outer tube.

2.3

Loosen and remove the top cap from the shaft, see the vehicle service manual for correct tool.

2.4

Remove the spring and surrounding parts from the fork leg. Note that the 2 plastic tubes shall not be removed (see position A in the figure).

It is important that the two plastic tubes inside the outer tube are not removed since this may cause the front fork to work improperly and therefore risk of danger when using the product.

2.5

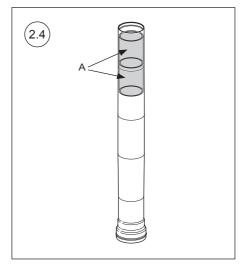
Drain the fork leg from oil.

2.6

Loosen the cartridge, see the vehicle service manual for correct tool.

2.7

Remove the cartridge from the fork leg.



3 - Install the Öhlins front fork kit

Caution!

Do not mix the parts. Work with only one fork leg at a time.

Caution!

The front fork kit consists of one compression cartridge and one rebound cartridge.

Important:

- Install the cartridge marked "Comp" (Compression) in the left side fork leg.
- Install the cartridge marked "Reb" (Rebound) in the right side fork leg.

3.1

Remove the top cap.

3.2

Remove the spring support and the preload tube

3.3

Insert the cartridge in the fork leg. Make sure that the adapter connects properly to the fork bottom.

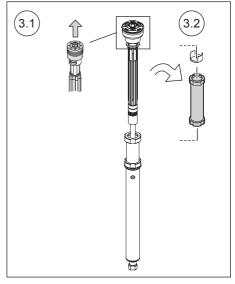
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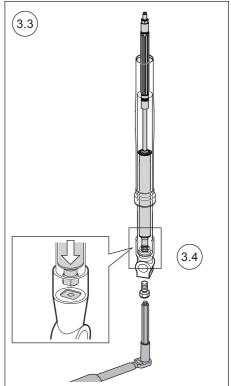
Apply threadlocker on the screw, see the vehicle service manual.

Use an Allen key (8 mm) to tighten the screw, see the vehicle service manual for correct torque.

3.5

Pour 0.5 litre Öhlins Front Fork fluid into the fork leg.





3.6

Use a 3 mm Allen key to open the compression and the rebound bleed adjusters fully. Install the top cap directly to the shaft extension (No spring or preload tube). Pull up the outer tube and tighten it to the top cap. Only tighten with your hand.

3.7

Pull the outer tube up and down 10-15 times to pump out all air from the cartridge.

3.8

Remove the top cap from the fork leg.

3.9

Make sure that the shaft assembly is in the bottom of the fork leg and that the outer tube is in its bottom position.

Measure the oil level with a ruler. See setup data and oil level-force diagram in this folder.

3.10

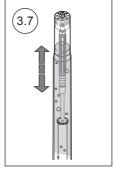
Attach tool (01765-03) on the top of the shaft extension. Install:

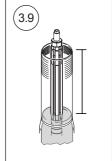
- preload tube (A)
- spring (B)
- upper spring support (C)

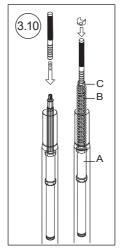
See the Owner's Manual for available springs.

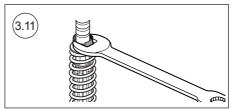
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Pull up the shaft assembly and grab the spring support with a 19 mm wrench.









3.12

Make sure that the compression/rebound adjusters are fully open before installing the top cap.

Use a 3 mm Allen key to open the compression and rebound bleed adjusters.

Use a tool 14 mm socket for the preload adjuster.

Remove the pull-up tool and install the top cap to the shaft extension. Tighten to 15 Nm.

3.13

Pull up the outer tube. Make sure the fork leg is in a fully extended position. Use tool (00797-08) to tighten the top cap to the outer tube.

Tighten to 10 Nm.

3.14

Set the spring preload, rebound and compression adjusters, see setup data in this manual.

Use a 3 mm Allen key for the compression and rebound bleed adjusters.

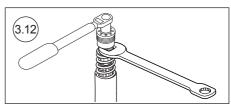
Use a tool 14 mm socket for the preload adjuster.

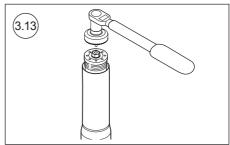
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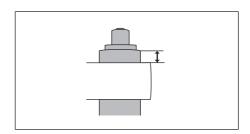
Install the front fork legs into the triple clamps at the position recommended in setup data (Fork leg position). See the vehicle service manual for correct procedure and tightening torque.

Note!

Measure the fork leg position from the upper triple clamp to the top of the outer tube.







SETUP DATA

Compression	12	clicks
Rebound	12	clicks
Spring preload	9	mm
Oil level	130	mm
Fork leg position	Standard position	
Öhlins front fork fluid	01309-01	

SPRING RECOMMENDATION

Part No.	Spring rate N/mm
08423-90	9.0

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