

## Powerflex polyurethane bushes.

Posted by Marty J - 2011/05/12 19:52

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## Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.

Posted by Harper - 2011/05/12 20:00

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Yip I'm in. Get me a deal on the suspension bushes if you want! :)

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## Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.

Posted by Marty J - 2011/05/12 20:07

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Harper did you not see my post about Demon Tweeks doing discounts on the Powerflex bushes ?

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## Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.

Posted by ricky2 - 2011/05/12 20:17

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## Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.

Posted by spurs mr2 - 2011/05/12 20:18

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id be intertested as well.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Harper - 2011/05/12 20:21

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Nope. I'll check their site now.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/05/12 20:30

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ricky2 wrote:

Marty J wrote:

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These are the standard Toyota items.

<http://i67.photobucket.com/albums/h295/MartyJ1/stbush2.jpg>

<http://i67.photobucket.com/albums/h295/MartyJ1/gromet.jpg>

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by anto300zx - 2011/05/13 01:05

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id be in for this to.you should see if they would make a new bush for the rubber one that joins the steering pinon arm to the rod that goes up to the colum,they do this on the skyline and 180sx with good results.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/05/13 11:55

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Anto do you know the Toyota part number, is it 45254-17030 ?

Take a look at the diagram in the link below and see if that's the one.

[http://www.toyodiy.com/parts/p\\_J\\_1993\\_TOYOTA\\_MR2\\_SW20-ACMZZ\\_4501.2.html?hl=45254](http://www.toyodiy.com/parts/p_J_1993_TOYOTA_MR2_SW20-ACMZZ_4501.2.html?hl=45254)

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by anto300zx - 2011/05/13 12:10

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no thats not the one its part of 45230b its to hard to see ! il take the one out of the mr2 i have for spares and get a pic up and il bring it to a fabricators and see if he could copy it in aluminum.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/05/17 12:17

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UPDATE

I am pleased to announce that the sales manager of Powerflex has agreed in principle to have the MR2 SW20 steering rack bushes produced.

I have no eta or prices yet, but I am sure they will be reasonably priced like all the other Powerflex products. I will update you when they are ready.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Harper - 2011/05/17 13:30

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Nice work homeboy !!

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Quandry - 2011/05/17 16:44

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well done Marty :) KC for you ;)

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/06/16 12:17

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UPDATE

I have been speaking to the Powerflex sales manager today. He told me that Powerflex will have some upgraded steering rack bushes for the SW20 MR2 produced in 2-3 weeks time. They will be sending me some bushes to try on my MR2 before they go on sale.

Pricing will be decided by Powerflex when they are ready to produce the steering rack bushes.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Harper - 2011/06/16 13:32

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I take it these will fit with the other rack your getting built?

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/06/16 14:24

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Harper these Powerflex bushes fit on the standard MR2 SW20 power steering rack. I think that you are slightly mixed up, I am developing a rhd quick steer pinion which uses the standard MR2 SW20 power steering rack.

This is partly why I aproached Powerflex because if someone replaces their standard pinion for my quick steer pinion, then that would be a good time to replace the ageing steering rack bushes with the upgraded Powerflex type.

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**Re: Powerflex polyurethane bushes.**

Posted by Marty J - 2011/07/11 22:00

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UPDATE

The steering rack bushes are supposed to be going into production at the end of this week.

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