



## Pro Moto Seatpost Installation Instructions

### WARNING

Installing this Salsa product on a bicycle requires in-depth knowledge of bicycle mechanics and professional-grade tools. If you do not have the proper tools or knowledge to perform this installation, please take your bicycle to your local bicycle dealer. Failure to appropriately install this product may lead to component failure, resulting in serious injury or death. We recommend that you have this product installed, adjusted and maintained by a professional bicycle mechanic.

**Tools:** 5mm hex wrench  
All-purpose bicycle grease (alloy Pro Moto 2 seatposts)  
Carbon assembly paste (carbon Pro Moto 1 seatposts)  
Torque wrench

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1. Prep the seat tube.
  - Make certain both the seatpost and seat tube are clean and free of debris
  - For Pro Moto 2 alloy seatposts, apply grease to the inside of the frame's seat tube (fig. 1)
  - For ProMoto 1 carbon seatposts, apply a thin and even coat of carbon assembly paste to inside of the seat tube
2. Install the seatpost. Snug the seatpost clamp bolt, but don't tighten fully yet.
3. Install your saddle.
  - Make certain that the saddle rails are positioned in between the upper and lower grooves of the seat clamp
  - Position the clamp in the mid section of the saddle rails
  - Tighten the seat clamp bolts using a 5mm hex wrench (fig. 2-3)
  - Tightening the clamp bolts also adjusts the angle of your saddle. Fine-tune as needed until your desired riding position is reached
  - Make sure these bolts are tightened to 12 Nm
4. Tighten seatpost clamp.
  - Adjust your seat to the appropriate height
  - Make sure the seatpost is inserted into the tube to at least the minimum insertion point (fig. 4-5)
  - Tighten the seatpost clamp to manufacturer's specifications. Salsa Lip-Lock seatpost clamps are tightened to 5 Nm



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4



Figure 5



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#### **WARNING: Pro Moto 1 Carbon**

Regularly inspect your carbon fiber Pro Moto 1 for:

**Cracks**—Inspect for cracks, broken, or splintered areas. Any crack is serious. Do not ride any bicycle or component that has a crack of any size.

**Delamination**—Composites are made from layers of fabric. Delamination means that the layers of fabric are no longer bonded together. Do not ride any bicycle or component that has any delamination. These are some delamination clues:

1. A cloudy or white area. This kind of area looks different from the ordinary undamaged areas. Undamaged areas will look glassy, shiny, or “deep,” as if one was looking into a clear liquid. Delaminated areas will look opaque and cloudy.
2. Bulging or deformed shape. If delamination occurs, the surface shape may change. The surface may have a bump, a bulge, soft spot, or not be smooth and fair.
3. A difference in sound when tapping the surface. If you gently tap the surface of an undamaged composite you will hear a consistent sound, usually a hard, sharp sound. If you then tap a delaminated area, you will hear a different sound, usually duller, less sharp.

**Unusual Noises**—Either a crack or delamination can cause creaking noises while riding. Think about such a noise as a serious warning signal. A well maintained bicycle will be very quiet and free of creaks and squeaks. Investigate and find the source of any noise. It may not be a crack or delamination, but whatever is causing the noise must be fixed before riding.

#### **Warranty**

Salsa Cycles warrants this new Salsa product against defects in materials and workmanship for three (3) years from the original date of retail purchase by the consumer. This limited warranty is expressly limited to the repair or replacement of the original product, at the option of Salsa Cycles, and is the sole remedy of the warranty. This limited warranty applies only to the original purchaser of the Salsa product and is not transferable. In no event shall Salsa Cycles be liable for any loss, inconvenience or damage, whether direct, incidental or consequential or otherwise resulting from breach of any express or implied warranty or condition, of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, or otherwise with respect to this product except as set forth herein.

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- Damage due to improper assembly or follow-up maintenance or lack of skill, competence or experience of the end user
- Products that have been modified, neglected, used in competition or for commercial purposes, misused or abused, involved in accidents or anything other than normal use
- Damage or deterioration to the surface finish, aesthetics or appearance of the product
- Normal wear and tear
- Labor required to remove and/or refit and re-adjust the product within the bicycle assembly

This warranty gives the consumer specific legal rights, and those rights and other rights may vary from state to state.

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