

TECH TOPICS

Dear Peter,

My Traction is finally going, and the adapted VW throw out bearing is working fine.

As the VW throwout bearing has pivot pins, they must be cut off, thus allowing it to fit in the traction housing.

Next step is to drill four holes around the housing and tap threads in, placing screws in with Loctite, leaving one screw longer so the return spring can be attached. This makes the completed throwout bearing fractionally longer, but this is overcome by grinding or cutting the back edge of the traction housing, giving it the same length as the original.

