## How To Install Tire Bearings

### You Will Need:
- Hammer, Screwdriver,
- Block of Wood,
- Replacement Bearings
- Gloves and Eye Protection

### Step One:
Prop the tire up to allow room for the bearings to be removed from the hub. In this case, we have used a bucket.

### Step Two:
Place the screwdriver through the bearing hole until it hits the backside of the bearing on the opposite side.

### Step Three:
Hit the top of the screwdriver with a hammer until the bearing pops out into the bucket below. Hint: Change location on the backside of the bearing periodically for easier removal.

### Step Four:
Turn the tire over and repeat steps one through three so that both bearings are removed from the hub.

### Step Five:
To reinstall bearings, rest the new bearing on the opening in the hub and place the block of wood on top of the bearing to avoid hitting the bearing directly.

### Step Six:
Hammer directly onto the block of wood to get the bearing in the hub (the wood block will give you a more even hit). This will require a few hard pounds. Repeat on the other side to install both bearings.

### Helpful Hint
If the bearing drops freely into the hub prior to hitting with a hammer, remove the bearings and tap gently along the edge of the hub to create a tighter fit for the bearing.

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