

# SUSPENSION SPRINGS WITH INCONSTANT WIRE DIAMETER

TECHNICAL INFO NO. 1121

## VEHICLE MANUFACTURER / MODELS:

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| <b>Mercedes Benz</b> | Vito, Viano                |
| <b>Opel</b>          | Astra G, Astra F, Kadett E |
| <b>BMW</b>           | 3er (E46)                  |
| <b>VW</b>            | Passat 35i, Transporter    |
| <b>Renault</b>       | Clio II                    |

## APPLIES TO PART NO.:

| MANUFACTURER / MODELS: | RUVILLE-No.   | OE-No.          |
|------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Mercedes Benz          | <b>894101</b> | 639 324 05 04   |
| Opel Astra G           | <b>894302</b> | 90576166        |
| BMW E46                | <b>895037</b> | 33 53 1 095 709 |
| Opel Astra F           | <b>894310</b> | 424319          |
| VW T4 Transporter      | <b>895464</b> | 701 511 105 K   |
| VW T4 Transporter      | <b>895472</b> | 701 511 105 M   |
| VW T4 Transporter      | <b>895475</b> | 701 511 105 A   |
| VW Passat 35i          | <b>895480</b> | 333 511 105     |
| Renault Clio II        | <b>895534</b> | 77 00 839 337   |

### IMPORTANT NOTE!

When replacing the springs, also check the joints / bushings of the wheel suspension system and the steering. Springs always need to be replaced in pairs.

Observe all information provided by the manufacturer! Please refer to the known standard media, e.g. TEC-DOC, Online Catalogue etc. for the precise vehicle allocation.

RUVILLE now supplies mini-block springs with inconstant wire. These springs, which are only used on the rear axle, have a compact form similar to a barrel which is why they are called „barrel springs“.

From a technical point of view, axle springs with inconstant wire have a progressive spring rate. This means that the wire diameter increases. The mini-block spring stands out because the coils can lie within each other during compression without touching. This reduces the number of active coils. Thanks to the smaller wire diameter at the ends of the spring, the axle spring offers a high level of driving comfort when the vehicle has a light load. At the same time, the increasing wire diameter guarantees assured handling even when the vehicle is heavily loaded.



Picture 1: Suspension springs with inconstant wire



Picture 2: Fahrwerksfeder mit inkonstantem Draht



### INFORMATION

Corresponding spare parts can be found in our online catalogue at [www.ruville.de](http://www.ruville.de). Where reference is made to the spare parts numbers of the vehicle manufacturers, this is only for the purposes of comparison.