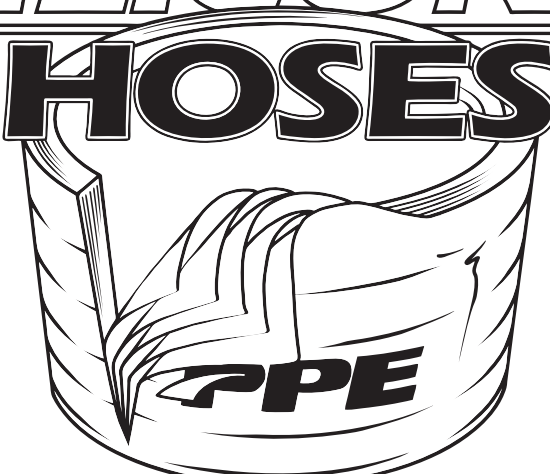


**PERFORMANCE
SILICONE
HOSES**

A detailed line drawing of a roll of silicone hose. The roll is shown from a three-quarter perspective, with the top edge of the hose material visible. The PPE logo is printed on the side of the roll. The text 'PERFORMANCE SILICONE HOSES' is written in a large, bold, outlined font above the roll.

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Step 1:

To gain access, the inner fender panel needs to be removed. A flat bladed screwdriver can be used to pry up the heads of the plastic fasteners..



Step 2:

With the inner fender out of the way, the lower drivers side hose is easily accessible. A cordless screwdriver is used to remove the clamps.



Step 3:

Due to time and heat, the stock hose may be hard to remove from the metal tubing. To ease removal, a 90-degree angled hook tool can be used to separate the hose from the metal tube.



Step 4:

The new PPE Performance Silicone hose was installed and was tightened into place with a set of PPE's stainless steel clamps.



Step 5:
The cover is removed to gain access to the upper hose connection.



Step 6:
The upper connection is loosened and the hose clamp removed.



Step 7:

A long extension makes it easier to get to the lower clamp. That clamp is loosened.



Step 8:

Again, due to heat and time, the hose may be hard to remove. Use a small 90-degree angled metal hook tool to separate the pieces, or you can try rocking the hose back and forth to cause it to break free. When loosened, the upper hose is removed.



Step 9:

Before installing the new PPE silicone hose, make sure that the clamps are on and facing in a direction to make them easily accessible to the socket.



Step 10:

After pulling the passenger side inner fender well, the lower passenger side hose clamps are removed.



Step 11:

Once the clamps are removed/loose, the hose is removed.



Step 12:

With the clamps on loosely and oriented correctly, the lower hose is installed.



Step 13:
The clamps are installed and tightened.



Step 14:
The inner wells are installed and the push fasteners are pushed in.



Step 15:

Once the second upper hose is replaced, the cover is installed and the job is done.



Step 16:

In little more than an hour you can replace your burst susceptible stock hoses with tough, burst resistant PPE Performance Silicone hoses. This is an upgrade that anyone can do to their Duramax, and it's one that every Duramax can benefit from.