



Single Speed Wheel Removal/Replacement

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1 If wheel has a brake arm, remove brake arm bolt. Place bolt somewhere safe for reuse.



2 If the bike uses hand brakes, release brake caliper to allow tire to pass brake pads.



3 Using a wrench (15mm is standard) loosen axle nut on both sides of axle.



4 Allow the wheel to slide forward in the dropout. Remove chain from rear cog and hang on frame.



5 Remove wheel from bicycle.



6 Once repair is complete, return wheel to dropouts. Ensure cog is on right (drive) side of bike.



7 If hub has a coaster brake, loosely reattach brake arm.



8 Place chain on teeth of front and rear cogs. Chain should still hang loose between cogs.



9 Holding the wheel centered, pull back until chain is tight. Tighten the left (non-drive) nut.



10 Adjust chain tension by pushing front of wheel right (tighten) or



11 Tighten right (drive) nut. Test chain tension by pedaling back-



12 Reconnect hand brakes and/or tighten coaster brake arm bolt. Test brakes for effectiveness.

