



Hitch Installation Instruction

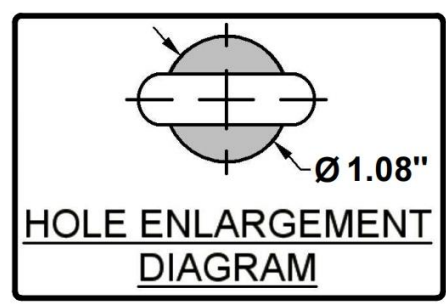
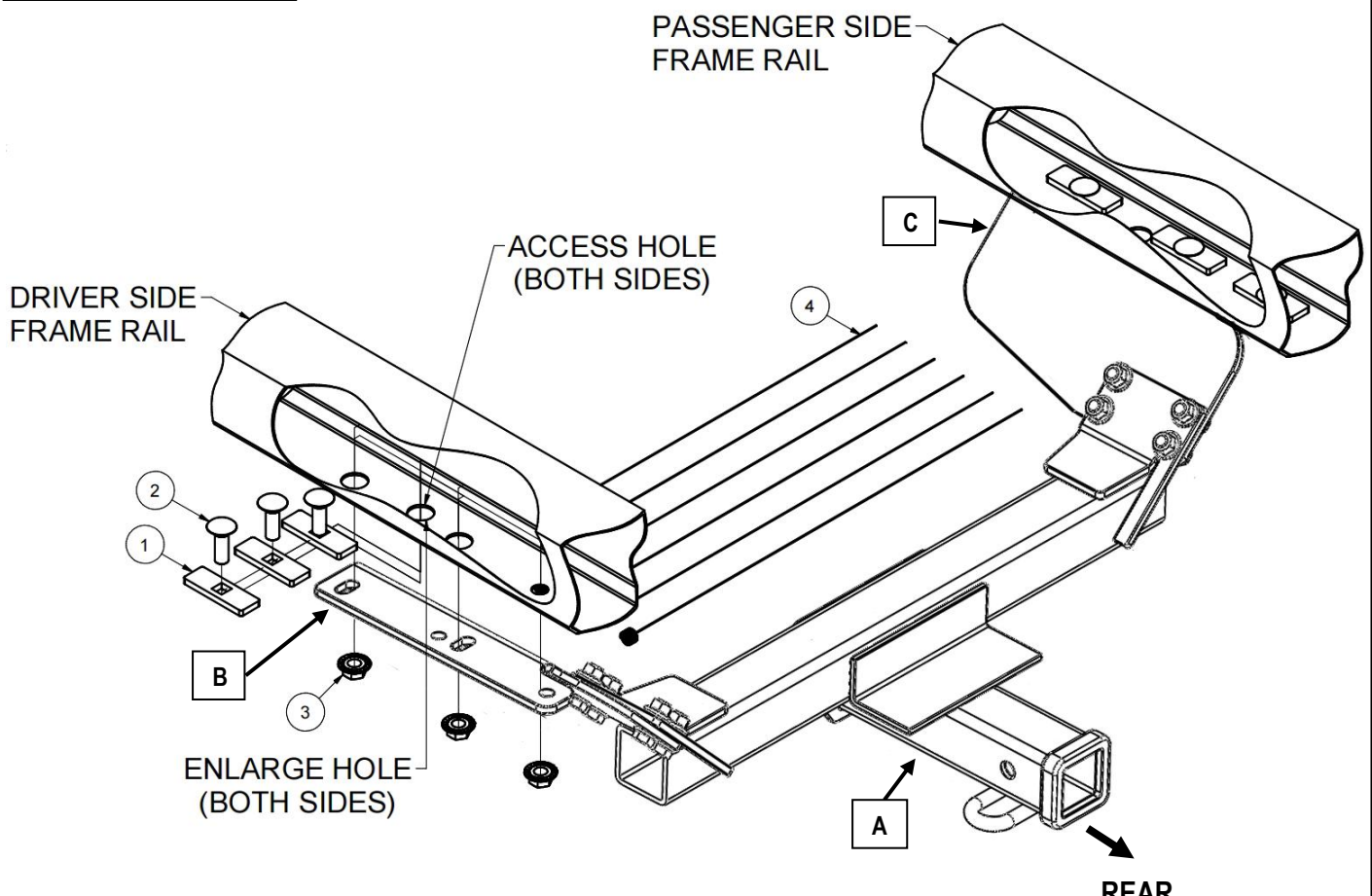
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Hardware List	Item	Part Name	QTY	Description	Item	Part Name	QTY	Description
Hitch Parts	A	Hitch Body	1		B/C	Mounting Brackets	2	B-Driver Side C-Passenger Side
	HW B (For Hitch Installation)	1	Spacers	6	With SQ Hole	3	Hex Flange Nuts	6
2		Carriage Bolts	6	M12X1.75-40	4	Fishwires	6	
HW A (For Hitch Assembly)	5	Hex Bolts	8	M12X1.75-35	7	Hex Flange Nuts	8	M12
	6	Flat Washers	16	M12				

Gross Load Capacity When Used As A Weight Carrying Hitch: 4500 LBS. Trailer Weight & 675 LBS. Tongue Weight.
 Gross Load Capacity When Used As A Weight Distribution Hitch: 4500 LBS. Trailer Weight & 675 LBS. Tongue Weight.
 DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY.

* Trimming Required
 * No Drilling Required



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FISHWIRE TECHNIQUE

INSERT COILED END OF FISHWIRE TOOL THROUGH HITCH MOUNTING HOLE IN VEHICLE FRAME RAIL AND OUT THE ACCESS HOLE. PASS COILED END OF FISHWIRE THROUGH SPACER AND THREAD BOLT INTO COIL. KINK WIRE TO KEEP SPACER SEPARATE FROM BOLT AS SHOWN. PULL FISHWIRE, SPACER, AND BOLT THROUGH FRAME AND OUT MOUNTING HOLE. USE FISHWIRE TO GUIDE HITCH DURING MOUNTING AND PREVENT LOSS OF BOLT / SPACER INSIDE FRAME RAIL.

****NOTE: SOME VEHICLES MAY FISHWIRE THROUGH END OF FRAME****

RUBBER ISOLATOR REMOVAL DIAGRAM

This technique can be used if an Exhaust Hanger Removal Pliers is not available.

Using a 5/8" open end wrench, slide the wrench up to the rubber isolator, cradling the hanger rod as shown. Next place the flat edge of a pry bar between the wrench and the hanger stop or hanger rod. Then simply rotate the pry bar toward the wrench to remove the rubber isolator.





Note: Using a spray lubricant or soapy water on the hanger rod and the rubber isolator helps removal.

Step	Description
1	Assemble Hitch Body (A) and Mounting Brackets (B, C) with (8) M12X1.75-35mm Hex Bolts, (16) M12 Flat Washers, (8) M12 Hex Flange Nuts.(Hardware in "HW A").
2	Locate and remove the (2) torx screws from the rear fascia. Save for reinstallation.
3	Lower the exhaust by removing the (4) bolts from each of the rear exhaust hanger brackets (2 per side) using a 15mm socket.
4	Finish lowering the exhaust by removing the exhaust rubber isolator in front of the muffler. Note: Be sure to support the exhaust. Slightly enlarge the center mounting point on both the driver and passenger side frame rails to allow the hardware to fit.

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5	Utilizing the access hole, fishwire (1) M12 carriage bolt and (1) spacer into each of the three mounting holes in both frame rails.		
			
6	Raise hitch into position and secure the hitch to the vehicle using (6) M12 hex flange nuts.		
			
7	Torque the M12 hardware to 58 ft-lb. Reinstall exhaust and fascia screws from step 1		
			

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8	Installation Complete.		
***Periodically Check The Receiver Hitch To Ensure That All Fasteners *** Are Tight & All Structural Components Are Sound.			

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