

INSTALLATION MANUAL

35-5008

Level of Difficulty

Easy

Parts List

1	3" Bull bar
1	Driver / left frame bracket
1	Passenger / right frame bracket
1	Driver / left support bracket
1	Passenger / right support bracket
6	Hex bolt, M8
10	Flat washer, M8
8	Lock washer, M8
4	Hex nut, M8
2	Bolt plate, M8
2	Plastic retainer, M8
4	Hex bolt, M12
8	Flat washer, M12
4	Lock washer, M12
4	Hex nut, M12

Tools Required

Socket set Level

Torque Specifications

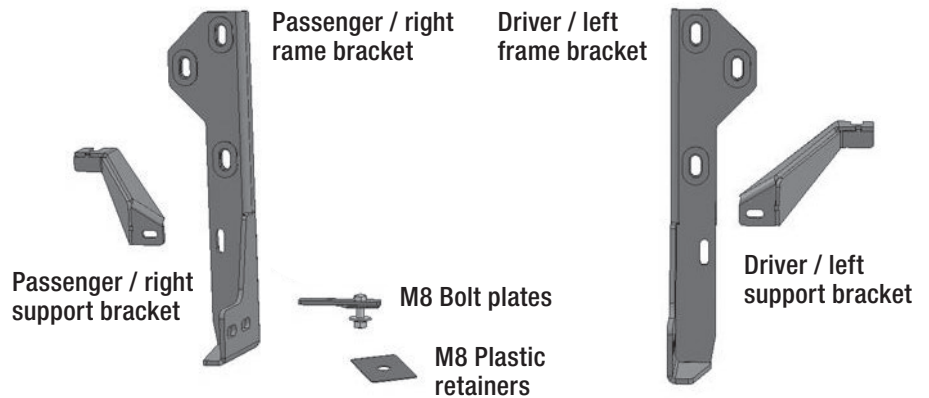
	Metric	SAE
M6 bolt	3 ft.-lbs.	
M8 bolt	7 ft.-lbs.	
M10 bolt	16 ft.-lbs.	
M12 bolt	28 ft.-lbs.	
1/4" bolt	3 ft.-lbs.	
5/16" bolt	7 ft.-lbs.	
3/8" bolt	16 ft.-lbs.	
7/16" bolt	20 ft.-lbs.	
1/2" bolt	28 ft.-lbs.	

Use above torque setting unless otherwise noted

Product Photo



Brackets and Hardware



Notes and Maintenance

Before you begin installation, read all instructions thoroughly.

Proper tools will improve the quality of installation and reduce the time required.

To protect the product, wax after installing. Regular waxing is recommended to add a protective layer over the finish. Do not use any type of polish or wax that may contain abrasives that could damage the finish.

For polished, gloss and other smooth finishes, polish may be used to clear small scratches and scuffs on the finish.

Mild automotive detergent may be used to clean the product. Do not use dish detergent, abrasive cleaners, abrasive pads, wire brushes or other similar products that may damage the finish.

Refer to the last page of this manual for warranty and product registration information.

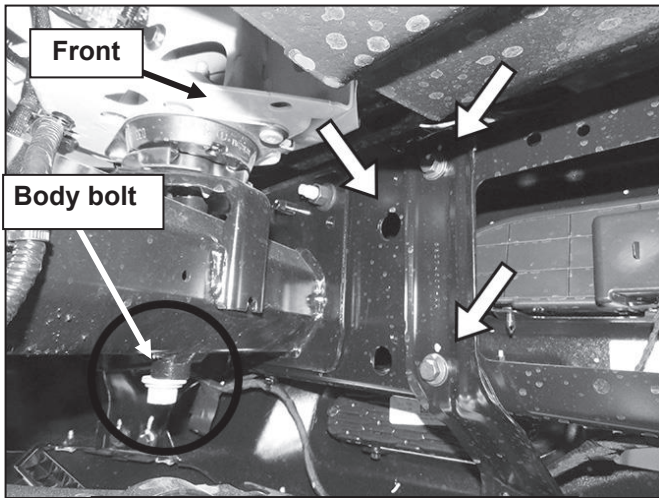
Refer to the table to the left when securing hardware during the installation process to help prevent damage to the product or vehicle.

PROCEDURE:

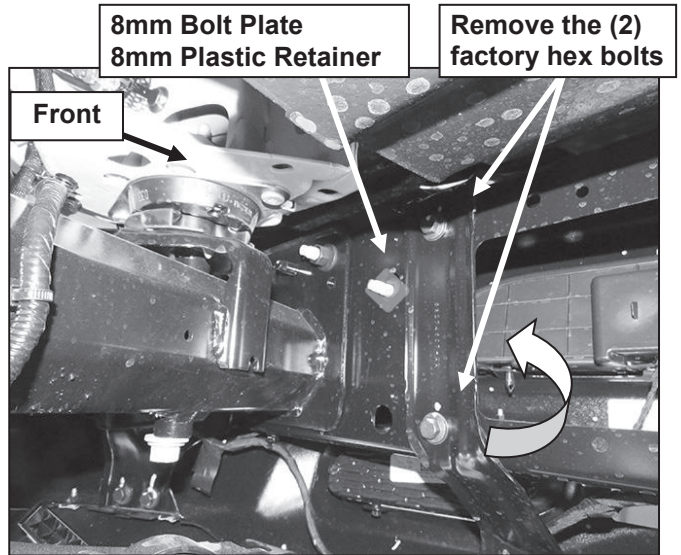
REMOVE CONTENTS FROM BOX. VERIFY ALL PARTS ARE PRESENT. READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE STARTING INSTALLATION. CUTTING IS REQUIRED. ASSISTANCE IS RECOMMENDED. INSTALLATION MAY INTERFERE WITH FRONT BUMPER MOUNTED SENSORS.

1. Start installation under the front bumper. Carefully remove the plastic lower air dam attached to the bottom of the bumper. Do not remove the electronic "active air dam" behind the bumper if equipped. Pay close attention to the type and location of all factory hardware for reinstallation.
2. Move to the back of the driver/left side of the bumper, **(Figure 1)**. Select (1) 8mm Bolt Plate and (1) 8mm Plastic Retainer. Insert the Bolt Plate into the space between the outer bumper cover and bumper bracket, **(Figure 2)**. Insert the threaded part of the Bolt Plate back through the hole in the bumper bracket. Thread the Plastic Retainer onto the Bolt Plate to hold it in place position. **NOTE:** The Plastic retainer is used to help hold the Bolt Plate in place but use is not mandatory for Bracket installation.
3. Next, Remove the (2) factory hex bolts attaching the bumper to the bumper bracket, **(Figures 1 & 2)**. Select the driver/left Frame Mounting Bracket. Attach the Bracket to the back of the bumper with the included longer (2) 8mm x 35mm Hex Bolts, (2) 8mm Lock Washers and (2) 8mm Flat Washers, **(Figure 3)**. Attach the Bracket to the 8mm Bolt Plate with (1) 8mm Flat Washer, (1) 8mm Lock Washer and (1) 8mm Hex Nut. Do not fully tighten hardware at this time.
4. Loosen but do not remove the hex bolt from the bottom of the frame, **(Figures 1 & 5)**. Select the driver/left Support Bracket, **(Figure 4)**. Insert the slotted end of the Bracket under the hex bolt.
 - a. On models with tow hooks, slide the Bracket between the head of the hex bolt and the large flat washer, **(Figure 5)**. Do not tighten hex bolt at this time.
 - b. On models without tow hooks, slide the Bracket between the steel sleeve on the frame and the head of the hex bolt, **(Figures 1 & 4)**.
5. Line up the lower end of the Support Bracket with the slot in the Frame Bracket. Attach the Support Bracket to the Frame Bracket with (1) 8mm x 30mm Hex Bolt, (2) 8mm Flat Washers, (1) 8mm Lock Washer and (1) 8mm Hex Nut, **(Figure 4)**.
6. Repeat **Steps 2—5** to install the passenger/right Frame and Support Bracket.
7. With assistance, position the Bull Bar up to the outside of the Mounting Brackets. Use the included (4) 12-1.75mm x 35mm Hex Bolts, (8) 12mm Flat Washers, (4) 12mm Lock Washers and (4) 12mm Hex Nuts to attach the Bull Bar to the Mounting Brackets, **(Figure 6)**. Do not tighten hardware.
8. Stand back from the vehicle and check to see that the Bull Bar is centered and level on the vehicle and adjust as necessary. Fully tighten first the hardware securing the Mounting Brackets and Support Brackets to the vehicle. Do not tighten the 12mm hardware attaching the Bull Bar to the Mounting Brackets.
9. Temporarily remove the Bull Bar.
10. Hold the plastic air dam up to the bumper and align it with the mounting points. Mark the location of the Mounting Brackets onto the back of the air dam, **(Figure 7)**. Cut an approximately 1-1/2" wide slot out of the bottom of the air dam. **NOTE:** The size of the slot is an estimate only and may vary due to different factory designs for the air dam and front bumper covers. **IMPORTANT:** To avoid weakening the air dam, do not cut the slot any larger than necessary to clear Brackets only. Do not cut through the top edge or mounting points, **(Figure 7)**. Make several small cuts first and check the fit often for a clean installation.
11. Reinstall the air dam using the factory hardware. **NOTE:** It may be necessary to loosen the Bracket hardware to reinstall the air dam.
12. Reinstall the Bull Bar as described in **Step 7**.
13. Level and adjust the Bull Bar and fully tighten all hardware.
14. Do periodic inspections to the installation to make sure that all hardware is secure and tight.

Driver Side Installation Pictured



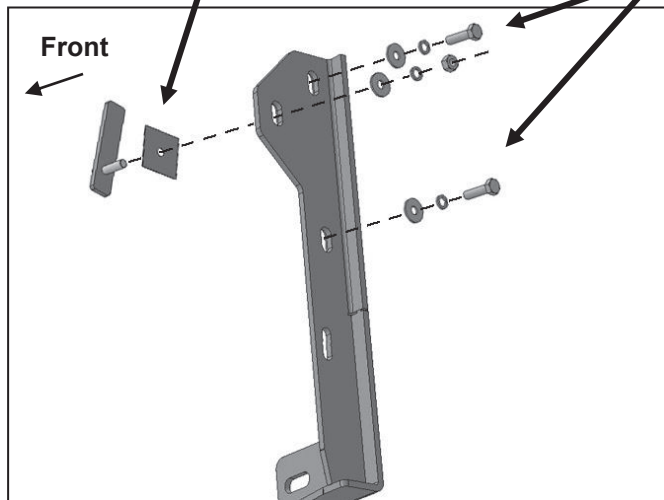
(Fig 1) Driver/left mounting location pictured from behind bumper



(Fig 2) Insert Bolt Plate back through bumper bracket (arrow)

8mm Bolt Plate
8mm Plastic Retainer
8mm Flat Washer
8mm Lock Washer
8mm Hex Nut

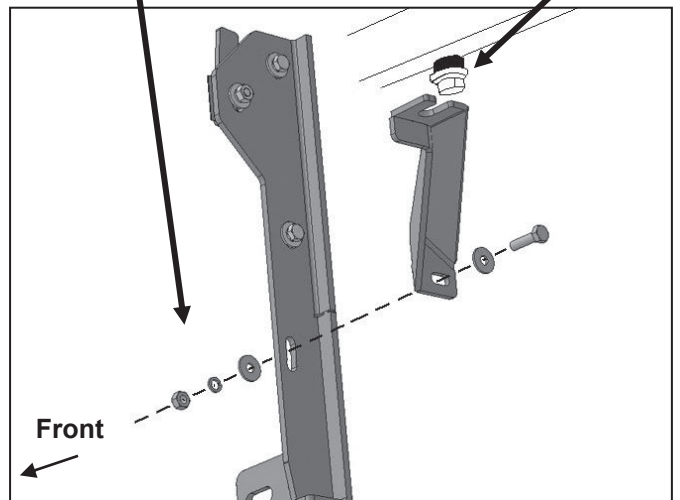
(2) 8mm x 35mm Hex Bolts
(2) 8mm Lock Washers
(2) 8mm Flat Washers



(Fig 3) Driver/left side Frame Bracket layout

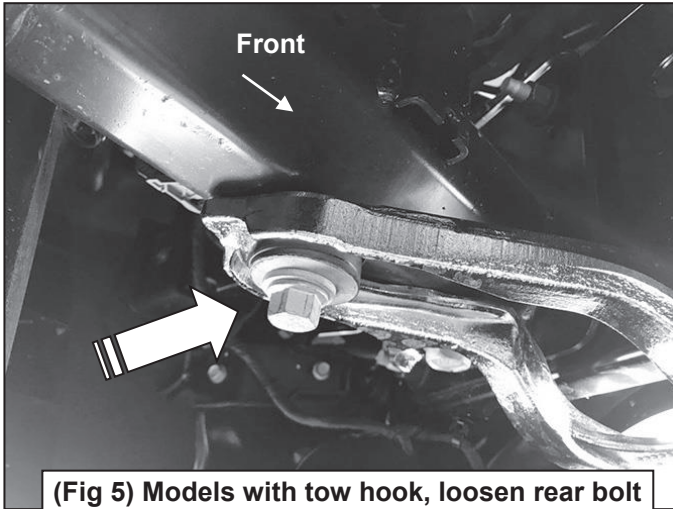
8mm x 30mm Hex Bolt
(2) 8mm Flat Washers
8mm Lock Washer
8mm Hex Nut

Loosen factory hex bolt



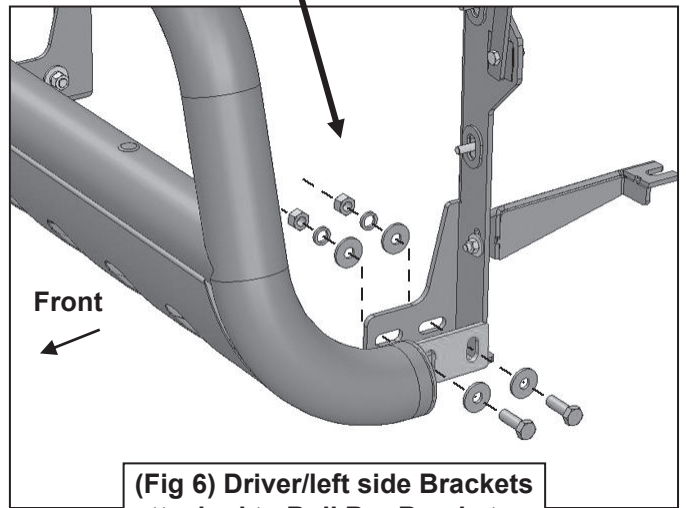
(Fig 4) Driver/left side Support Bracket attached to factory bolt and Frame Bracket

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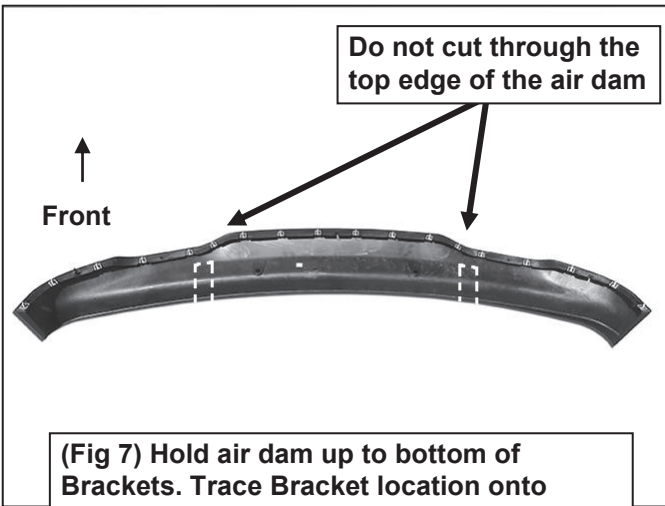


(Fig 5) Models with tow hook, loosen rear bolt (arrow) and slide top of Support Bracket between head of bolt and large flat washer

- (2) 12mm x 35mm Hex Bolts
- (4) 12mm Flat Washers
- (2) 12mm Lock Washers
- (2) 12mm Hex Nuts



(Fig 6) Driver/left side Brackets attached to Bull Bar Bracket



(Fig 7) Hold air dam up to bottom of Brackets. Trace Bracket location onto inside of air dam. Dashed lines indicate approximate sections to cut from air dam

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