

ROUGH COUNTRY

SUSPENSION SYSTEMS®



1229BAG5

GM 2014-18 1500 Full Skid Package

Thank you for choosing Rough Country for your suspension needs.

Rough Country recommends a certified technician install this system. In addition to these instructions, professional knowledge of disassemble/reassembly procedures as well as post installation checks must be known. Attempts to install this system without this knowledge and expertise may jeopardize the integrity and/or operating safety of the vehicle.

⚠ WARNING Please read instructions before beginning installation. Check the kit hardware against the parts list on the rear cover of these instructions. Be sure you have all needed parts and know where they go. Also please review tools needed list and make sure you have needed tools.

PRODUCT USE INFORMATION

⚠ WARNING As a general rule, the taller a vehicle is, the easier it will roll. Seat belts and shoulder harnesses should be worn at all times. Avoid situations where a side rollover may occur. Generally, braking performance and capability are decreased when larger/heavier tires and wheels are used. Take this into consideration while driving. Do not add, alter, or fabricate any factory or after-market parts to increase vehicle height over the intended height of the Rough Country product purchased. Mixing component brands is not recommended.

⚠ WARNING Rough Country makes no claims regarding lifting devices and excludes any and all implied claims. We will not be responsible for any product that is altered. If question exist we will be happy to answer any questions concerning the design, function, and correct use of our products.

NOTICE DEALER AND VEHICLE OWNER

Any vehicle equipped with any Rough Country product should have a "Warning to Driver" decal installed on the inside of the windshield or on the vehicle's dash. The decal should act as a constant reminder for whoever is operating the vehicle.

Tools Needed:

9/16" socket/wrench

Kit Contents:

1-Front Skid
1-Lower Driver Skid
1-Lower Passenger Skid
1-1229Bag4



Torque Specs:

Size	Grade 5	Grade 8	Size	Class 8.8	Class 10.9
5/16"	15 ft/lbs	20ft/lbs	6MM	5ft/lbs	9ft/lbs
3/8"	30 ft/lbs	35ft/lbs	8MM	18ft/lbs	23ft/lbs
7/16"	45 ft/lbs	60ft/lbs	10MM	32ft/lbs	45ft/lbs
1/2"	65 ft/lbs	90ft/lbs	12MM	55ft/lbs	75ft/lbs
9/16"	95 ft/lbs	130ft/lbs	14MM	85ft/lbs	120ft/lbs
5/8"	135ft/lbs	175ft/lbs	16MM	130ft/lbs	165ft/lbs
3/4"	185ft/lbs	280ft/lbs	18MM	170ft/lbs	240ft/lbs



1. Place the truck on a smooth level surface and set the parking brake.
2. Place the Lower Driver skid below the crossmembers and insert two of the 3/8" bolts and washers into the rear cross-member mounting holes. Hand tighten. **See Photo 1.**
3. Place the Lower Passenger skid on the passenger side below the crossmembers and insert two of the 3/8" bolts into the rear mounting holes. Next insert two of the 3/8" bolts, washers, and nuts into the center holes tying the driver and passenger skid plate together. Hand tighten. **See Photo 2.**

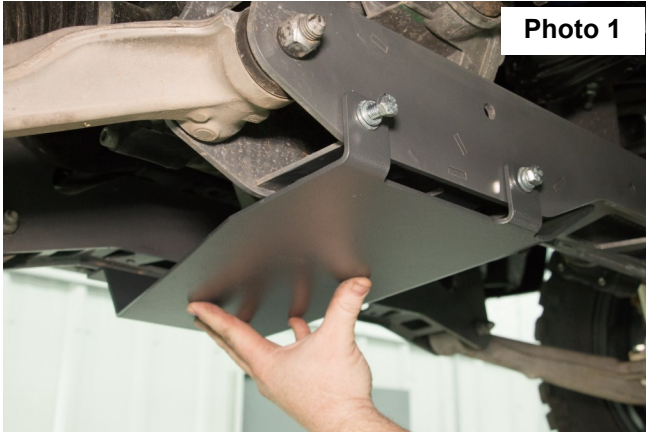


Photo 1

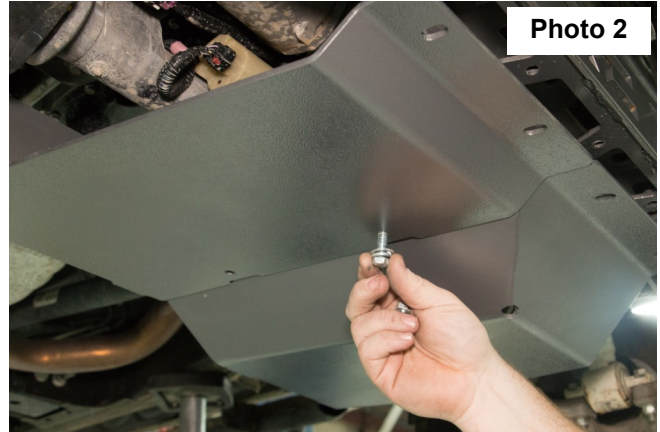


Photo 2

4. Hold the front crossmember into place and insert four of the 3/8" bolts and washers in the lower mounting location of the front skid plate. **See Photo 3.**
5. Next insert two of the 3/8" bolts and washers into the top mounting location. Now that all bolts are started you can go back and tighten each bolt with a 9/16" socket and wrench. **See Photo 4.**

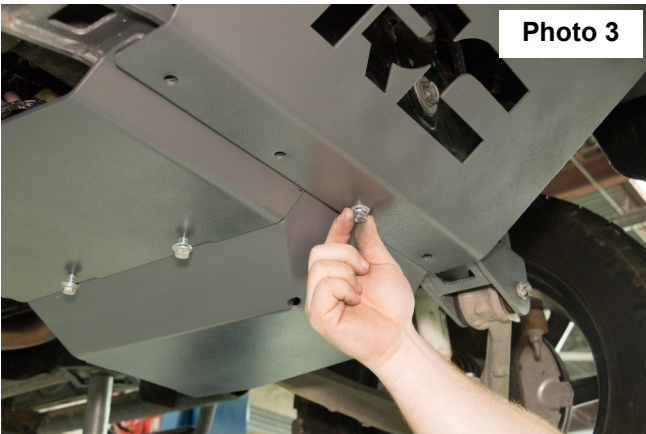


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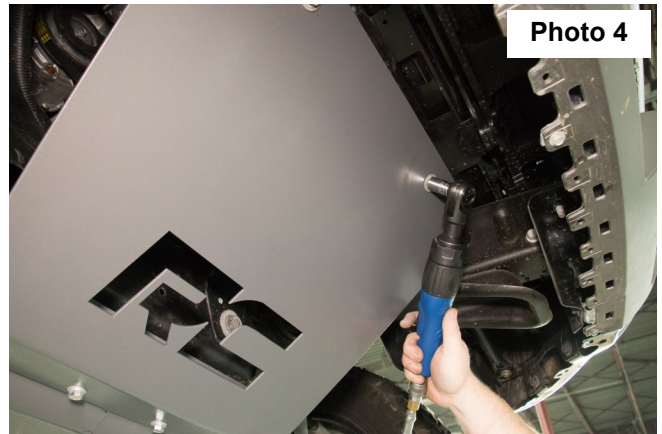


Photo 4

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