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2004-2005 BMW 645ci

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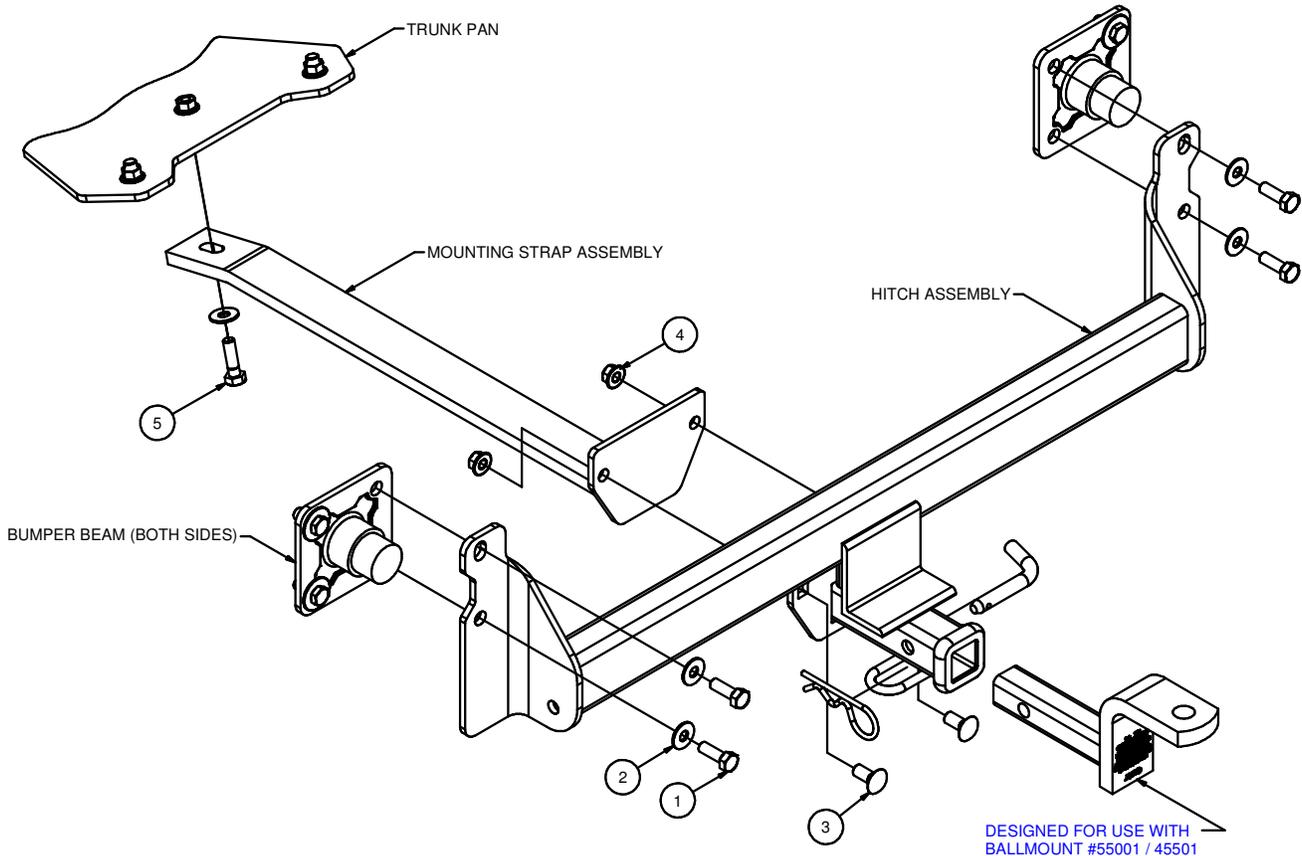
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Parts List			
ITEM	QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	4	M10 - 1.5 x 30 HEX	HEX BOLT
2	5	3/8"	CONICAL TOOTHED WASHER
3	2	7/16-14 x 1	CARRIAGE BOLT
4	2	7/16-14	HEX FLANGE NUT
5	1	M10 - 1.5 x 35mm	HEX TAP BOLT



DESIGNED FOR USE WITH BALLMOUNT #55001 / 45501

HITCH WEIGHT: 34 LBS.

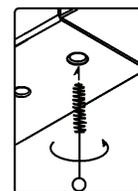
INSTALL TIME

PROFESSIONAL: 20 MINUTES

NOVICE (DIY): 45 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

- NO DRILLING REQUIRED
- REMOVE UNDERBODY PANEL
- REMOVE FACTORY HARDWARE



WELDNUT CLEANING

To remove debris from weldnuts in frame, spray lubricant or compressed air into hole. For heavy debris, use a small wire brush. (Be careful not to damage threads).

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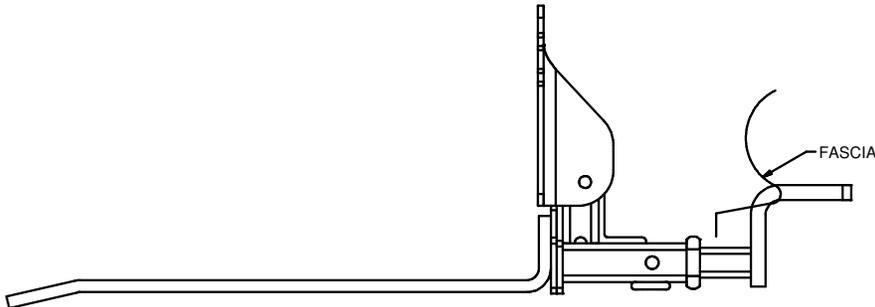
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INSTALLED HITCH POSITION

TOOLS REQUIRED
SOCKET WRENCH
TORQUE WRENCH
16mm SOCKET / WRENCH
17mm SOCKET / WRENCH
11/16" SOCKET / WRENCH
10mm SOCKET
10" SOCKET EXTENSION
UNIVERSAL JOINT ADAPTER
SMALL FLAT SCREWDRIVER



BUMPER BEAM BOLT REMOVAL DIAGRAM
(DRIVER SIDE SHOWN)

INSTALLATION STEPS

1. Using a small flat screwdriver, unclip the center underbody panel from the rear bumper fascia.
2. Pull rear of center underbody panel down enough to allow access to nuts holding panel to vehicle trunk pan.
3. Using a 10" socket extension, universal joint adapter, and 10mm socket, remove three (3) factory nuts holding center underbody panel to the vehicle trunk pan.
4. Remove center underbody panel. Return panel and nuts to vehicle owner.
5. Remove two (2) bolts from inside of bumper beam on both driver and passenger side of vehicle. Return bolts to vehicle owner. (See BUMPER BEAM BOLT REMOVAL DIAGRAM.)
6. Remove one (1) bolt from center of trunk pan. Return bolt to vehicle owner.
7. Raise HITCH ASSEMBLY into position. Install supplied M10-1.50 x 30mm bolts and 3/8 in. conical toothed washers through HITCH ASSEMBLY, as shown.
8. Secure MOUNTING STRAP ASSEMBLY to HITCH ASSEMBLY with 7/16 in. carriage bolts and hex flange nuts, as shown.
9. Secure MOUNTING STRAP ASSEMBLY to trunk pan with M10-1.50 x 35mm bolt and 3/8 in. conical toothed washer, as shown.
10. Torque M10-1.50 hardware to 45 lb-ft and 7/16 in. hardware to 70 lb-ft.

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