



INSTALLATION MANUAL

13638

Level of Difficulty

Easy

Installation difficulty levels are based on time and effort involved and may vary depending on the installer level of expertise, condition of the vehicle and proper tools and equipment.

Weight Carrying Capacity

Gross trailer weight (GTW)	7,000 lbs.
Tongue weight (TW)	700 lbs.

Parts List

Item	Qty	Description
1	1	Trailer hitch
2	6	Carriage bolt, 9/16" - 12 x 1.75", grade 8
3	6	Spacer, .313" x 1.50" x 3.00"
4	6	Serrated-flange nut, 9/16" - 12

Tools Required

Ratchet	Socket, 7/8"
Torque wrench	Fishwire, 9/16" (includes 6 qty)

* For a tools reference guide visit
curtmfg.com/trailer-hitch-installation

⚠ WARNING

Never exceed the vehicle manufacturer's recommended towing capacity.

Product Photo



NOTICE

Visit www.curtmfg.com for a full-color copy of this instruction manual, as well as helpful videos, guides and much more!

Before you begin installation, read all instructions thoroughly.

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

Periodic inspection of the trailer hitch should be performed to ensure all mounting hardware remains tight and structural components are secure.

To help prevent damage to the product or vehicle, refer to the specified torque specifications when securing hardware during the installation process.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Safety glasses should be worn at all times while installing this product.

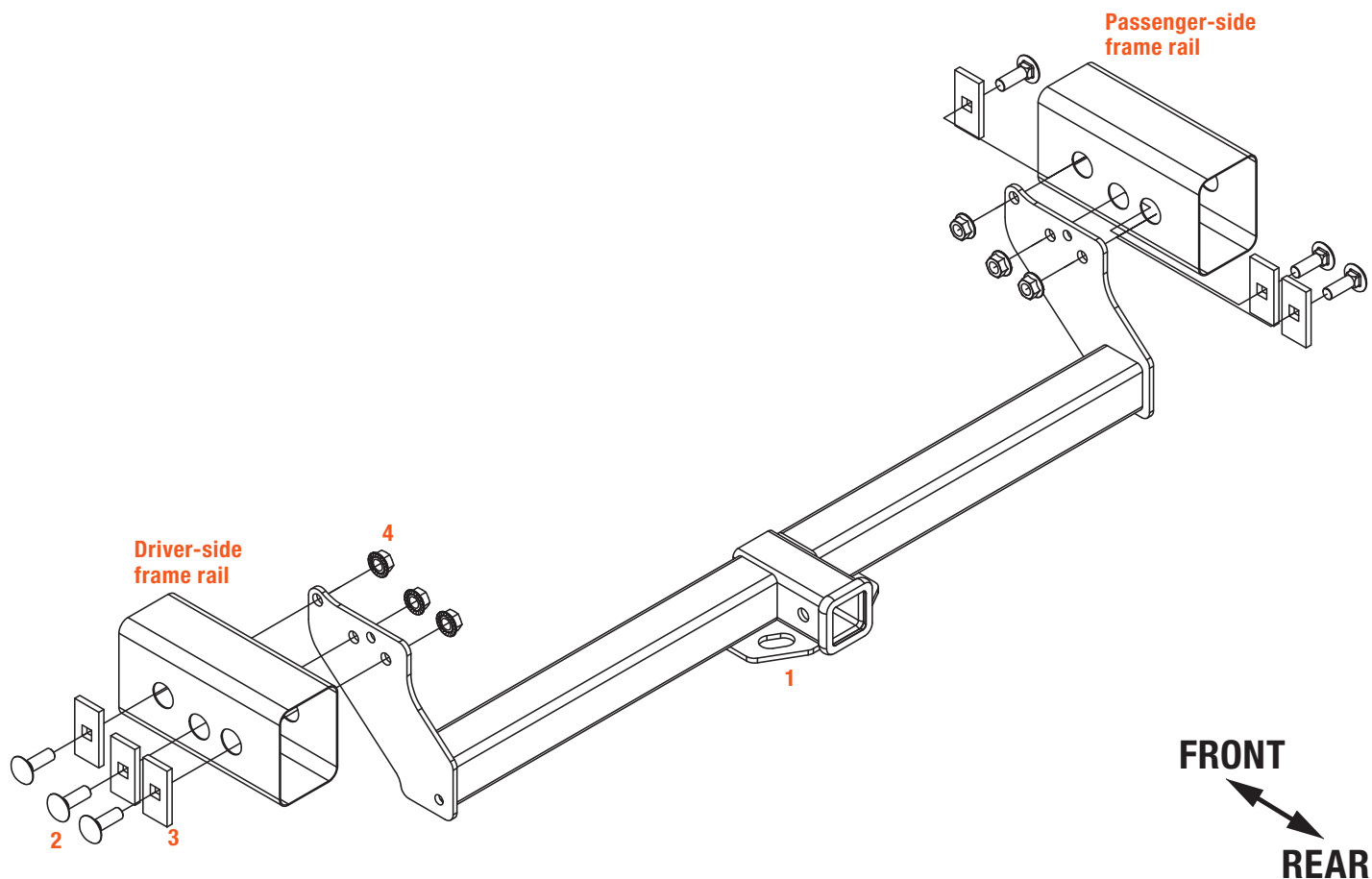
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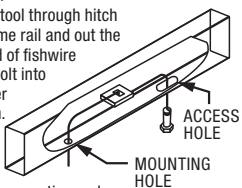
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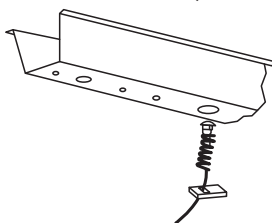
FISHWIRE TECHNIQUE

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 or spacer inside frame rail.



REVERSE PULL FISHWIRE TECHNIQUE

Attach the fishwire to the carriage bolt and slide the spacer onto the fishwire. Push the bolt through the hole followed by the spacer, as shown. Pull the bolt back into position, protruding from the frame.



Step 1

Remove 3 plugs from each frame rail towards the center of the vehicle.

Use the included fishwire tools to install the hardware in the vehicle frame leaving the fishwires attached.



Step 2

Raise the hitch into position pulling the fishwires through the proper holes in the hitch.

Pull the bolts through the hitch then carefully remove the fishwire and attach the nuts.

Torque all 9/16" hardware to 130 ft-lbs.



TOWING BASICS & SAFETY INFORMATION

For information on safely towing your trailer, visit curtmfg.com/understanding-towing.