

INSTALLATION MANUAL

13659

Level of Difficulty

Moderate

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)	2,000 lbs.
Tongue weight (TW)	300 lbs.

Parts List

Item	Qty	Description
1	1	Trailer hitch

Tools Required

Ratchet	Torque wrench
Socket, 7mm	Socket, 15mm
Torx bit, T-15	Flathead screwdriver
Tape measure	Trim panel pry tool
Tape	Socket extension, 6"
Reciprocating saw	Rotary tool

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

⚠ WARNING

Never exceed the vehicle manufacturer's recommended towing capacity.

Product Photo



NOTICE

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Before you begin installation, read all instructions thoroughly.

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

This installation requires:

- This installation requires temporary rear fascia removal and trimming of lower fascia panel.
- No drilling 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.

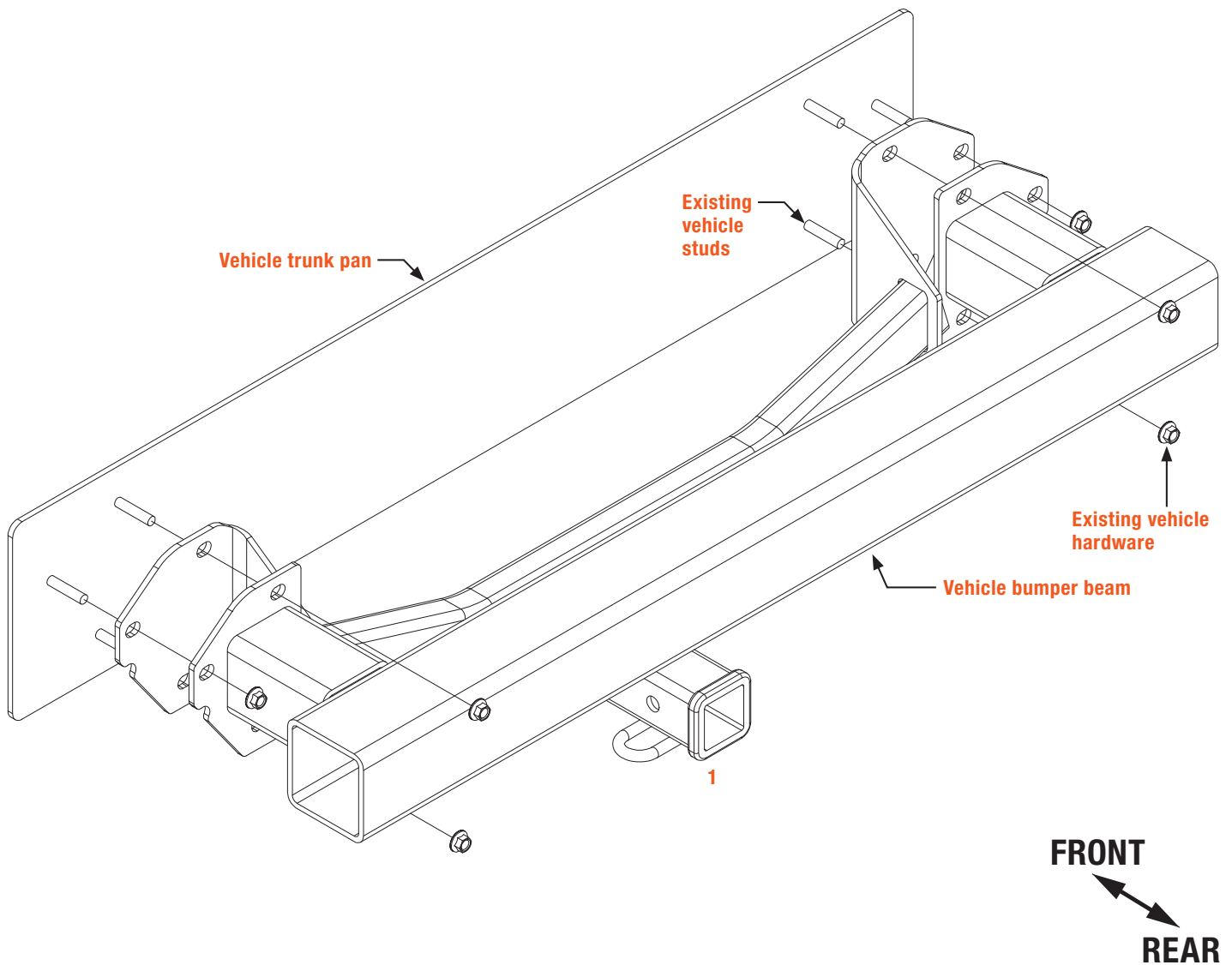
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ASSEMBLY

Parts List

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1	1	Trailer hitch



Step 1

Using a T15 torxbit, remove the screws securing the fender liner to the rear fascia on both sides.

2017-2023 Bolt EV – (3) in wheel well, (1) bottom fascia corner.

2022-2023 Bolt EUV, 2027+ Bolt – (2) in wheel well.

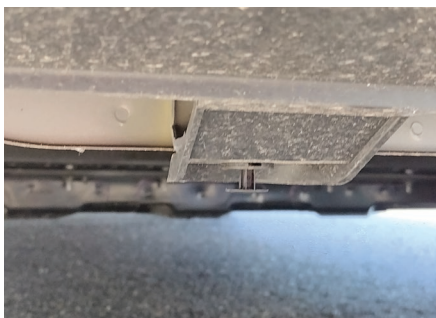
Remove the plastic wheel well trim by carefully pulling the lower rearmost part of the trim. Remove until the top edge of the rear fascia is exposed. Using either a 7mm socket or T15 torxbit, remove (1) bolt located behind the wheel well trim securing the top corner of the rear fascia on each side of vehicle.



Step 2

Open the rear liftgate. Using a T15 torxbit, remove (2) screws securing the fascia to the bottom hatch opening.

Remove (2) push clips from the bottom of the fascia using a flat head screwdriver.



Step 3

Remove the rear fascia by gently pulling on the fascia starting at the wheel wells and working toward the middle of the vehicle.

Before fully removing the rear fascia, disconnect the electrical connector located on driver side. Set fascia aside for later reinstallation.

Note: Tape panel edges to prevent paint damage during removal and reinstallation.



Step 4

Unclip the electrical harness from the bumper beam.

Using a 15mm socket, remove the (6) M10 nuts securing the bumper beam to the vehicle. Remove bumper beam and electrical harness bracket if equipped.

Note: Temporarily secure electrical harness bracket to vehicle using tape to prevent harness damage while hitch is being installed.



Step 5

Raise the hitch and bumper beam into position onto the existing vehicle studs. Be sure to reinstall electrical harness bracket that was removed in Step 4. Secure hitch, bumper beam and bracket using the (6) nuts removed during Step 4. Be sure to reclip the electrical harness to the bumper beam.

Torque M10 hardware to 32 ft lbs.



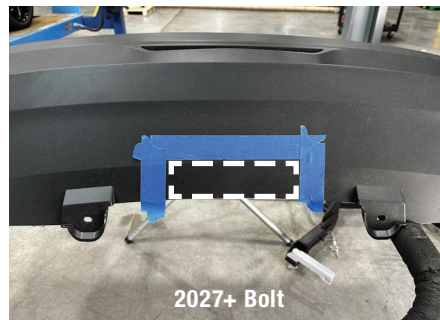
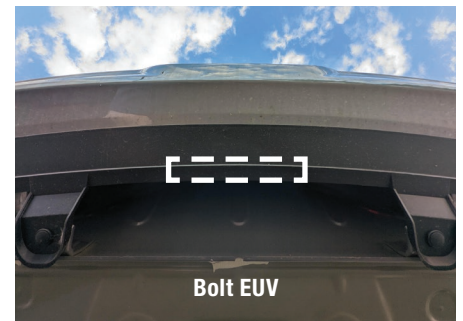
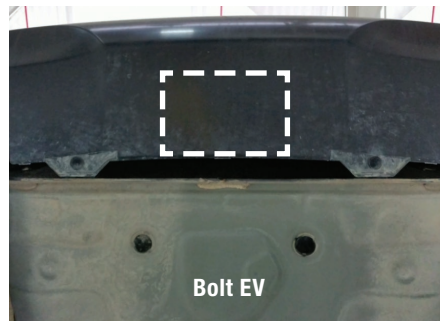
Step 6

Mark out and trim lower fascia using the appropriate trim diagram and approximate dimensions as reference.

2017-2023 Bolt EV – 4-1/2" x 8-3/8"

2022-2023 Bolt EUV – 1-1/8" x 8-3/8"

2027+ Bolt – 2-3/4" x 8-3/8"



Step 7

Reinstall fascia making sure to reconnect the electrical harness. Repeat Steps 1-3 in reverse order to finish the installation.

Final Installed Image



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