

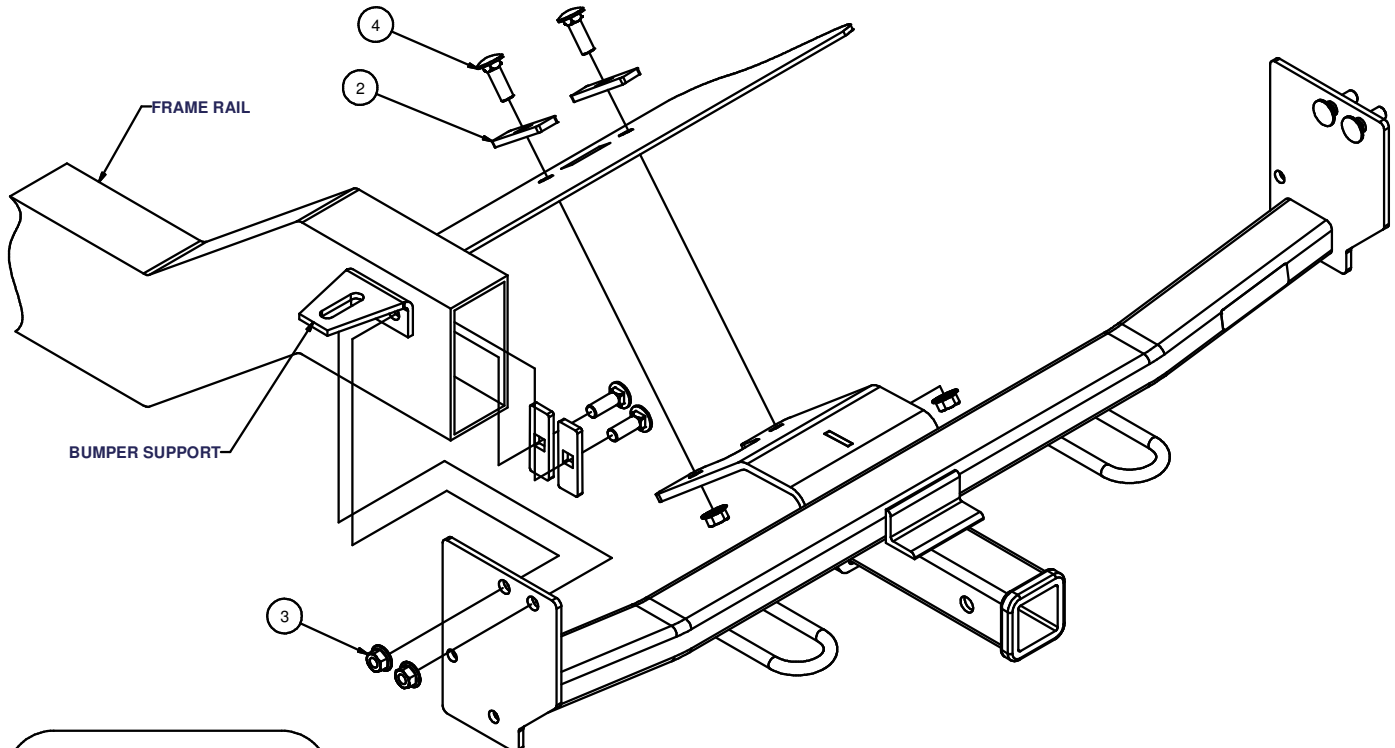
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31080 DODGE DAKOTA, DODGE DURANGO

GROSS LOAD CAPACITY WHEN USED AS A WEIGHT CARRYING HITCH: 3,500 LBS. TRAILER WEIGHT & 350 LBS. TONGUE WEIGHT.
GROSS LOAD CAPACITY WHEN USED AS STRAIGHT LINE PULL: 9,000 LBS. MAX. LINE PULL.

DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY.***

Parts List				
ITEM	QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	
1	1	1/2"	FISHWIRE TOOL	
2	6	CM-SP6	.250 x 1.00 x 3.00" SQUARE HOLE SPACER	
3	6	HFN 1213	HEX FLANGE NUT	
4	6	1/2-13 x 1 1/2	CARRIAGE BOLT	



HITCH WEIGHT: 38 LBS.

INSTALL TIME: 40 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

NO drilling required, Fishwire hardware into position

INSTALLATION STEPS

- 1) Remove the bolts that hold the bumper support (two per side) on the outside of the frame rails and discard bolts. Also discard the "J" nuts that they are bolted into. **(Note: The bumper support is only on some vehicles and may not have hardware to remove.)**
- 2) Fishwire the carriage bolt and reinforcement plate through the access hole in the crossmember, as shown.
- 3) Loosely install receiver assembly, using supplied hardware as shown.
- 4) Torque all 1/2" hardware to 110 lb-ft.

PERIODICALLY CHECK THIS RECEIVER HITCH TO ENSURE THAT ALL FASTENERS ARE TIGHT AND THAT ALL STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS ARE SOUND.

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FRONT MOUNTED ACCESSORIES

1) Do not exceed front axle Gross Weight Rating (GAWR). Consult owners manual or specification plate located on driver's door frame. Measure gross front axle weight by placing front wheels of loaded vehicle on a scale.

WARNING: Exceeding GAWR may overload the front axle and/or suspension. This could result in **accident, property damage and personal injury.**

- 2) Reposition front mounted license plate if obstructed.
- 3) Do not obstruct vehicle lights.
- 4) Allow free air flow into grille opening.
- 5) Rear wheel traction may be reduced. This could effect handling. Reduce speed and drive with caution.
- 6) Accessories extend front of vehicle. This may reduce approach angle. Use caution when parking and maneuvering.
- 7) Do not obstruct driver view.

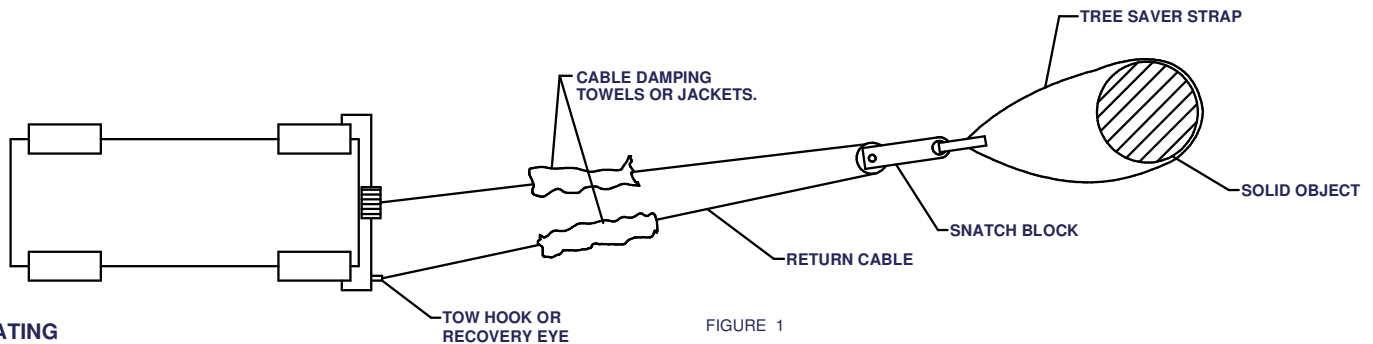
VEHICLE RECOVERY AND WINCHING TIPS

1) Use OEM tow hooks, recovery eyes or a clevis mount for attachment of a tow strap or winch cable.

WARNING: NEVER use a ball and/or ball mount as an anchor point for tow strap or winch cable. Severe personal injury or death could result.

- 2) Observe winch manufacturer's recommendations, cautions and warnings.
- 3) Attach return cable to tow hook or recovery eye when using a snatch block (See figure 1).

CAUTION: Do not attach return cable to winch mount. This may overload winch mount and/or front mounted receiver.



RATING

- For **Maximum** line pull rating, winch cable must not exceed:
- 15 degree angle up or down from horizontal (See Figure 2).
 - 45 degree angle left or right from straight ahead (See Figure 3).

CAUTION: Exceeding the maximum line pull rating may over load winch, winch mount, and/or front mounted receiver.

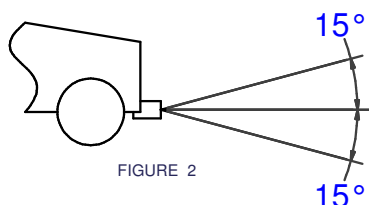


FIGURE 2

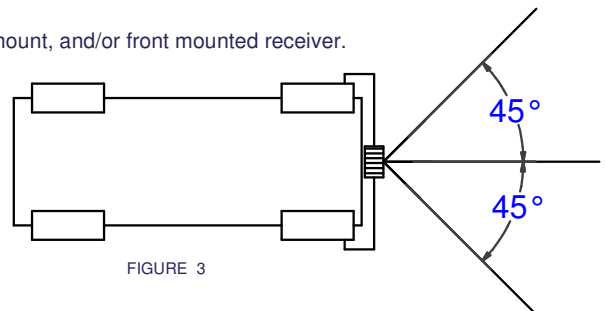


FIGURE 3