| WEIGHT CARRYING: | TRAILER WEIGHT: <br> TONGUE WEIGHT: | 8000 | LBS. |
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WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION:
TRAILER WEIGHT: 12,000 TONGUE WEIGHT: 1,200
LBS. ONGE WEIGHT: 800 LBS.

## INSTALLATION TIPS:

1. BEFORE YOU BEGIN INSTALLATION, READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY.
2. TO EASE INSTALLATION, 2 PEOPLE MAY BE REQUIRED.
3. USING PROPER TOOLS WILL GREATLY IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE INSTALL AND REDUCE THE TIME REQUIRED.



MAKE SURE YOUR HITCH MATCHES

PERIODICALLY CHECK THIS RECEIVER HITCH TO ENSURE ALL FASTENERS ARE TIGHT AND ALL STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS ARE SOUND
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## INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:



1. If present on vehicle remove tow hooks before installing hitch and return hooks and hardware to vehicle owner. Raise hitch into position. Fasten hitch by threading (10) M12 x 40 mm bolts with conical washers into existing weld nuts as shown.

2. Torque 12 mm fasteners to $86 \mathrm{lb}-\mathrm{ft}$.


## TOWING SAFETY INFORMATION

## Gross Trailer Weight / GTW

The Gross Trailer Weight is the weight of the trailer \& cargo.
Measure this by putting the fully loaded trailer on a vehicle scale.


## Tongue Weight / TW

The downward force that is exerted on the hitch ball by the coupler. The tongue weight will vary depending on where the load is positioned in relationship to the trailer axle(s). To measure the tongue weight, use either a commercial scale or a bathroom scale with the coupler at towing height. When using a bathroom scale with heavier tongue weights, use the method shown and multiply the scale reading by 3 .


## Weight Carrying / WC

The total weight of both the trailer and the cargo inside.
Never exceed the weight capacity of your trailer hitch.

## Weight Distribution / WD

Used to balance the weight of the cargo between the front and rear wheels throughout the trailer, allowing for better steering, braking, and level riding.
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## Sway Control

A device used to reduce the lateral movements of the trailer that are caused by the wind. This works in conjunction with a weight distribution hitch. Do not use this on a class 1 or 2 hitch, or with surge brakes.

## How Much Can You Safely Tow?

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## Ball Mount

The ball mount is placed inside the opening of the receiver hitch which is mounted to the vehicle. Make sure a hitch pin and clip is properly securing the ball mount to the receiver hitch before you begin towing

- A: Rise. B: Drop. C: Hole Size. D: Length.



## Trailer Ball

The connection from the hitch to the trailer. There are many factors that determine the correct hitch ball:
Number one is the hitch ball's gross trailer weight rating.
The mounting platform must be at least $3 / 8$ thick.
The hole diameter must not be more than $1 / 16^{\prime \prime}$ larger
than the threaded shank
Every time you tow, check the nut and lock washer to
make sure they are fastened securely.

- A: Ball Dia. B: Shank Length. C:Shank Dia. D: Shank Rise.


## Coupler

The component that is placed over the trailer ball to connect the vehicle to the trailer. Be sure that the coupler size matches the size of the hitch ball and that the coupler handle is securely fastened. To determine what size hitch ball you need for your application you will need to know the size of coupler that is on the trailer. Be sure your coupler is properly adjusted to the ball you are using.
NOTE: For added security the use of safety devices such as Coupler Safety Pins and Locks is strongly recommended.

## Safety Chains

Safety chains are a requirement and should be crossed under the tongue of the trailer so that the tongue will not drop to the road if it becomes separated from the hitch. Always leave enough slack so you can turn. Never allow the safety chains to drag on the ground and never attach the chains to the bumper.
Trailer Classification: Safety Chain Breaking Force - Minimum
Class 1: 2,000 lbs. ( 8.9 kN )
Class 2: 3,500 lbs. $(15.6 \mathrm{kN})$
Class 3: 5,000 ibs. ( 22.2 kN )
The strength rating of each length of safety chain or its equivalent and its attachments shall be equal to or exceed in minimum breaking force the GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating) of the trailer.

## Electrical

Trailer lights, Electric Brakes, Break-away systems - Every time you tow, be sure to check that all components are working properly.
Wiring identification by color:


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| Parts List |  |  |  |
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| ITEM | QTY | PART NUMBER | DESCRIPTION |
| 1 | 10 | $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | CONICAL TOOTHED WASHER |
| 2 | 10 | M12-1.25 $\times 40$ HEX | HEX BOLT |



TOOLS REQUIRED

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| $17 \mathrm{~mm} \& 19 \mathrm{~mm}$ SOCKETS |
| RATCHET |
| TORQUE WRENCH |
| SAFETY GLASSES |

 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).



HITCH WEIGHT: 48 LBS
INSTALL TIME
PROFESSIONAL: 15 MINUTES
NOVICE (DIY): 30 MINUTES
INSTALL NOTES:

- NO DRILLING REQUIRED
- REMOVE TOW HOOK


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