Before Using Your Car Top Carrier

The user must read and understand these Instruction Sheets and the Warranty.

Installation is the end user's responsibility and beyond Cequent Consumer Products control. Therefore, Cequent Consumer Products exclusively limits its Warranty to the repair or replacement of a defective product. Damage to your vehicle, your cargo or any person or property is excluded.

- Make sure your Car Top Carrier is secure before every trip. Your Car Top Carrier must be inspected for signs of wear or damage before each use. Check at each stop to ensure your Car Top Carrier is secure.
- A Remove your Car Top Carrier when not in use and before entering automatic car washes.
- ALWAYS obey all posted speed limits and be aware of traffic conditions. Adapt your speed to the conditions of the road and the load being carried.
- Check local and state laws governing projection of objects beyond the perimeter of a vehicle. Be aware of the width and height of your cargo since low clearance branches, bridges, and parking garages can affect the load.
- ⚠ Do not <u>use your Car Top Carrier</u> for purposes other than those for which it was designed. Do not exceed your vehicle's rated roof capacity.
- Your Car Top Carrier will not prevent property damage that may result from improper loading, securing, or driving.
- ▲ Do not attempt to modify your Car Top Carrier or any of the system components.

This Car Top Carrier is IPX4 compliant (IEC standard 60529). This rating means this product can withstand the splashing and spraying of water. NOTICE: This product is NOT WATERPROOF. Valuables and water-sensitive items should be sealed in waterproof plastic bags before placement in this Car Top Carrier. Cequent Consumer Products, Inc. is not responsible for any damages due to water.

Review all Warnings, Instructions, and Warranty information carefully. Failure to follow these warnings and instructions instructions will void the Warranty.







Installation and Cargo Loading Instructions

AWARNING

To Prevent Serious Injury or Death:

- INSPECT for signs of wear and damage BEFORE each use. DO NOT use if worn or damaged.
- DO NOT EXCEED your vehicle's rated roof capacity. Consult the owner's manual for your vehicle.
- DO NOT use your Car Top Carrier to transport people, animals, or flammable liquids.

Check local and state laws governing projection of objects beyond the perimeter of a vehicle. Be aware of the width and height of your cargo since low clearance branches, bridges, and parking garages can affect the load.

A If your vehicle does not have roof rack side rails or cross bars, DO NOT use your Car Top Carrier.

- 1. Check there is no debris and the roof is clean.
- 2. Place the your Car Top Carrier on the vehicle roof between the roof rack side rails. If cross bars are installed on your vehicle, reposition the cross bars near your Car Top Carrier.

NOTE: Always face the side with no zipper towards the FRONT of the vehicle.

3. Unzip the carrier and load cargo into the carrier. Place heavy, large objects in first. This may require a partner to help you. Continue loading lighter items on the top, creating a compact load.

▲ Consider placing items in plastic bags before loading for extra protection from water condensation.

- 4. Close the zipper and fold the flap to completely cover the entire zipper and secure using hook and loop fasteners to hold the flap in place.
- 5. Feed the straps through the strap holder locations.
- 6. Loop both ends of each strap under either a side rail or a cross bar. Feed ends through the buckles. Alternate tightening both ends of each strap until the Car Top Carrier is secure. Tie off excess strap to prevent the straps from flapping while driving.

A minimum of two straps must be used at all times.

If your vehicle has:

- Both side rails and cross bars Use all four straps.
- Side rails only Use two straps on the driver side and two straps on the passenger side.

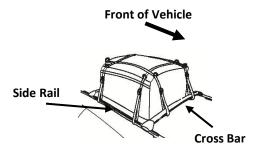
NOTE: To prevent the bag from sliding off the back of the roof, the front strap must be forward of the side rail center support post on both sides.

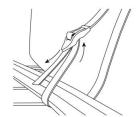
 Cross bars only – Use two straps on the front and two straps on the rear.

NEVER use straps to secure additional cargo. All objects must be placed inside your Car Top Carrier.

7. CHECK That Car Top Carrier IS SECURE.

If your Car Top Carrier is not secure, DO NOT use your Car Top Carrier. Remember the cargo can shift or the cross bars or your Car Top Carrier can loosen during travel. Readjust as needed. If movement continues, stop use.





While Driving

AWARNING

To Prevent Serious Injury, Death and Property Damage:

- REDUCE YOUR SPEED. Your vehicle can handle differently when transporting cargo on the roof.
- ALWAYS obey all posted speed limits and be aware of traffic conditions.
- FREQUENTLY check your Car Top Carrier and the your cargo is secure. Cargo can shift or your Car Top Carrier can loosen during travel. Readjust as needed. If movement continues, stop use.
- ALWAYS use caution when opening sunroof, tailgate or hatch when using your Car Top Carrier to transport cargo to prevent damage to vehicle.

After Driving

AWARNING

To Prevent Serious Injury and Property Damage:

- ALWAYS unload all objects before removing your Car Top Carrier from roof.
- ALWAYS remove your Car Top Carrier from your vehicle after unloading.

THIS WARNING IS GIVEN IN COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

The proper attachment of this product in accordance with the enclosed instructions is critical to its proper performance. Cequent Consumer Products, Inc. has no control over, or responsibility for, the attachment or the installation. Cequent Consumer Products, Inc. is NOT responsible nor will be held liable for any damage resulting from its attachment or improper use. Cequent Consumer Products, Inc. shall not be liable for any claims of any kind greater than the purchase price of the product.