

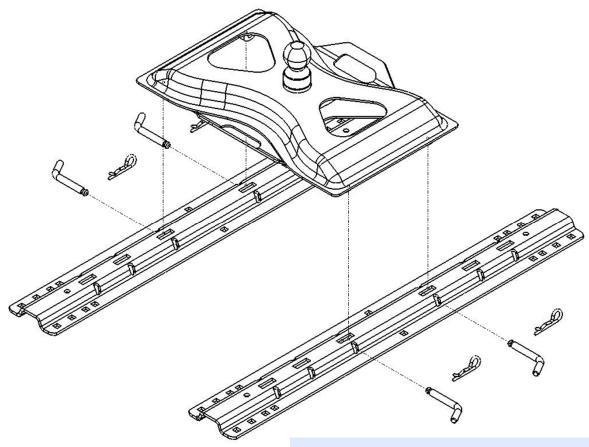
INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

GOOSENECK HITCH

Product No. **58079**

SMALL PARTS PACKAGE 30553

You *can* take it with you.



WARNING

DO NOT EXCEED THE MANUFACTURERS **GVWR** FOR YOUR VEHICLE.

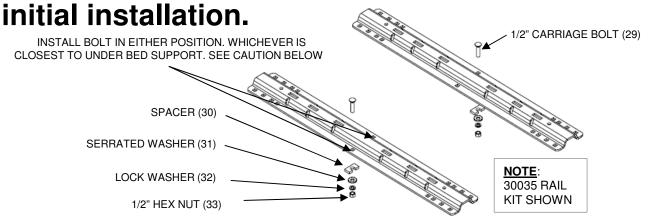
Note!

Block rear of trailer when loading and unloading trailer to prevent negative trailer tongue load when using this product.

- Place base rails across truck bed. Place hitch on base rails to establish spread between rails and
 install base rail mounting kit per installation instructions. If not directed in base rail mounting
 instructions, drill holes and add additional fasteners (supplied with the gooseneck ball mount) at center
 holes in base rails using the hole closest to the truck bed channel (See page 2).
- 2. Install pull pins and lock in place with spring cotter pins.
- 3. When safety chains are used, place chain link in slot and install additional pull pins (not furnished) and lock in place with spring cotter pins (not furnished). Safety chain kit 50223 can be used.

Caution: Before towing, inspect hitch for damage, clean and lubricate ball, inspect all clips and pins that hold the ball in place and the hitch to the rails.

Supplement to base rail kits – if not directed by



ADDITIONAL MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Install base rails as instructed in base rail instructions. The instruction below is for the addition of the 2 center bolts if not already installed.

1. Place base rails in accordance with base rail mounting instructions.



CAUTION - BEFORE DRILLING ANY HOLES, CHECK FOR CLEARANCE AROUND THE GAS TANK OR OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS.

- 2. Using the center hole in the base rail as a guide, drill a 1/2" hole through the truck bed. Paint bare metal.
- 3. Insert 1/2" carriage bolt (29) into the hole. Install 1/2" serrated washer (31), 1/2" lock washer (32) and 1/2" nut (33).
- 4. Insert spacer (30) between the truck bed and the base rail. It will go in between at the corrugation of the bed. To keep bed from crushing when the bolt is tightened.
- 5. Repeat for the other base rail.
- 6. Torque the 1/2" nuts to 75 ft/lbs.