

11568

88-89 MERCURY TRACER

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GROSS LOAD CAPACITY WHEN USED AS A WEIGHT CARRYING HITCH: 1,000 LBS. TRAILER WEIGHT & 100 LBS. TONGUE WEIGHT.

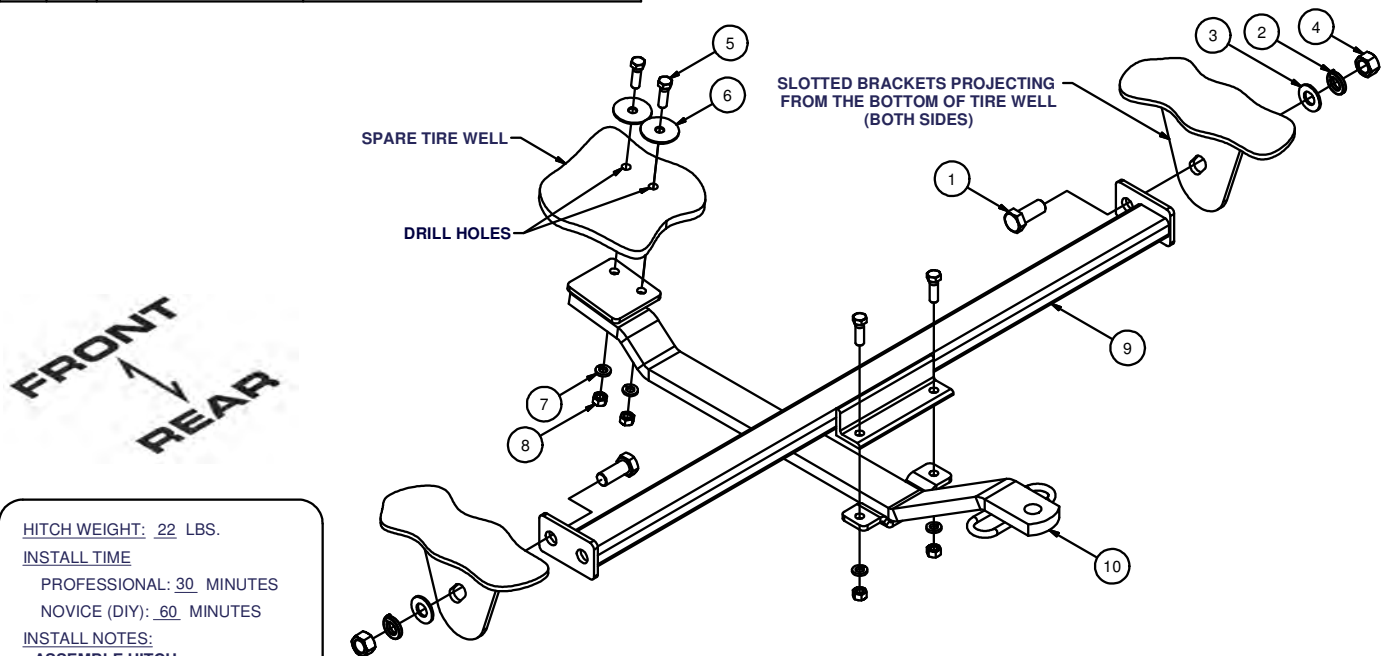
*****DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY.*****

WARNING: ALL NON-TRAILER LOADS APPLIED TO THIS PRODUCT MUST BE SUPPORTED BY 18050 STABILIZING STRAPS.

**** FAILURE TO PROPERLY SUPPORT NON-TRAILER LOADS WILL VOID PRODUCT WARRANTY****

HAVING INSTALLATION QUESTIONS? CALL TECHNICAL SUPPORT AT 1-800-798-0813

| Parts List | | | |
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| ITEM | QTY | PART NUMBER | DESCRIPTION |
| 1 | 2 | 5/8-11 x 1 1/2 HEX BOLT | 5/8-11 HEX BOLT |
| 2 | 2 | 5_8 LOCK WASHER | HELICAL LOCK WASHER |
| 3 | 2 | 5/8 | WASHER |
| 4 | 2 | 5_8 - 11 HEX-NUT | HEX NUT |
| 5 | 4 | 3/8 - 16 x 1 1/4 | HEX BOLT |
| 6 | 2 | 3/8" | FENDER WASHER |
| 7 | 4 | 3/8" | LOCK WASHER |
| 8 | 4 | 3/8 - 16 | HEX NUT |
| 9 | 1 | CM-11568-MBWA | MAIN BODY WELDMENT ASSEMBLY |
| 10 | 1 | CM-11568-BMWA | BALL MOUNT WELDMENT ASSEMBLY |



HITCH WEIGHT: 22 LBS.

INSTALL TIME

PROFESSIONAL: 30 MINUTES

NOVICE (DIY): 60 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

- ASSEMBLE HITCH
- REMOVE SPARE TIRE
- DRILLING REQUIRED
- SILICONE SEAL HARDWARE

INSTALLATION STEPS

1. Attach CM-11568-MBWA to CM-11568-BMWA as shown. Temporarily remove the spare tire.
2. Lift the assembled hitch into position under the vehicle so the hitch fits between the vehicle's slotted brackets projecting from the bottom of the tire well. Fasten the hitch to the brackets using fasteners as shown. Place flat washers against the outside of the slotted brackets.
3. Using the hitch as a template drill the spare tire well for 3/8" diameter hardware. Install fasteners at these holes noting that the fender washers are installed inside the tire well, opposite the hitch.
4. Torque all 3/8" fasteners to 45 lb-ft, and all 5/8" fasteners to 210 lb-ft.
5. Use silicone sealant to seal hardware installed through spare tire well.
6. Reinstall spare tire removed in Step 1.

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

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