

## BX1807 Installation Instructions 1980-83 1/2 Datsun 720 Series Pick-Up 1983 1/2-86 Nissan Pick-Up

Installation of this baseplate requires drilling holes in the vehicle's tie down brackets.

- 1. Read the General Instruction Sheet included with this baseplate.
- 2. The baseplate mounts to the front underside of the car using six provided bolts; three on each side of the car.
- 3. Remove the front bolts only, from the two clamps which secure the sway bar to the chassis. These bolts will not be used again.
- 4. Position the baseplate and start in both 10mm bolts provided.
- 5. The dimensional variations between otherwise identical cars can be considerable. While the location and size of the holes in the baseplate were designed to facilitate easy installation, it may be necessary to file a hole slightly to allow a bolt to clear.
- 6. Mark the location of the engine stone shield where the baseplate rests against any reinforcement beads. Remove baseplate and flatten beads which interfere. Reposition baseplate.
- 7. For 1980-83 1/2 Datsun Pickup ONLY Position a jack under the baseplate to hold it tightly against the frame and check the alignment of the two holes in each tie-down bracket with the holes in the baseplate. Holes in the tie-down bracket must be drilled out with a 9/16 drill to match baseplate.
- 8. For 1983 1/2-84 Nissan Pickup ONLY Position a jack under the baseplate to hold it tightly against the frame and center punch the location of two 9/16 diameter holes to be drilled in each tie-down bracket using the drawing provided as a template and compare with holes in baseplate.
- 9. Remove baseplate and drill holes in tie-down brackets.
- 10. Install baseplate and hand start all bolts to check alignment. Position jack under baseplate to hold it tightly against frame and tighten bolts.
- 11. With the baseplate properly installed, you are ready to install the Tow Bar. Hold the Tow Bar in position with the tabs aligned inside the tabs of the baseplate and insert the pins. Slide the hairpin clips through the holes in the pins.
- 12. INSTALL A SAFETY CHAIN OR CABLE AND ADJUST THE COUPLER.
- 13. Do Not Substitute other devices if the pin and clip are lost.
- 14. DEALER OR INSTALLER: BE CERTAIN USER RECEIVES INSTRUCTION SHEET.

## **Tools Required**

3/4" socket	17mm socket	hammer
14mm socket	5/8" socket	center punch
9/16" Drill	3/4" Wrench	•

## **Parts List**

Ref. No.	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	1	61-3543	Base Plate, BX1807
2	2	201-0423	
3	2	203-0104	10mm Lock Washer
4	4	201-0051	1/2-13 x 1-1/2 Bolt
5	4	203-0012	
6	4	202-0005	





