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**BX3611 Installation Instructions**  
**2000-01 Subaru Legacy Outback (Not Sport)**  
**2002-03 Subaru Legacy Outback Wagon**  
**2003 Subaru Baja**

**Serial No.**

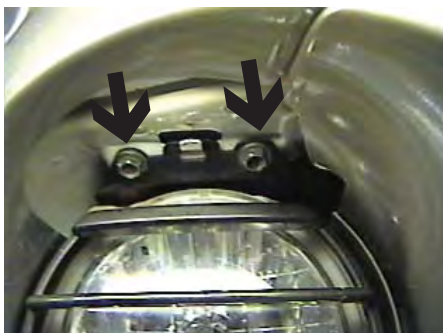
The front fascia, tie down brackets and fog lights are removed for baseplate installation. Tie down brackets will not be reinstalled. No holes to drill. The BX8869 is available for the vehicle. Attachment Tabs are 20 inches center to center and a height of 15 inches.



1. Remove the five push pins from the top side of fascia.



2. Using the 10MM socket, remove the metric bolt inside wheel well on upper fascia corner, both sides.



3. Just above fog lights, remove two metric bolts with the 10MM socket, both sides.



4. On the back side of fog lights remove one push pin, both sides.



5. Remove one push pin from lower fascia corner just forward of front tires, both sides. Pull fascia forward and set aside.



6. Using the 14MM socket, remove three metric bolts from tie down bracket, both sides. Tie down brackets will not be reinstalled. Metric bolts will be used to install baseplate later.



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7. Hold baseplate to align with tie down bracket mounting position and fasten with existing metric bolts, both sides. **Be sure and use loctite on all bolts before tightening.**
8. Hold fascia in place and mark areas that need to be trimmed on passenger's side, trim accordingly and reinstall fascia.
9. The dimensional variations between otherwise identical cars can be considerable. While the location and size of the holes in the baseplate were designed to allow for easy installation, it may be necessary to file a hole slightly to allow a bolt to clear.
10. Install the tow bar and safety cables according to the instructions included in their packages.
11. Do **not** substitute other devices if the tow bar pin and clip are lost.
12. **DEALER OR INSTALLER: BE CERTAIN THE USER RECEIVES THE INSTRUCTION SHEET.**





## Tools Required

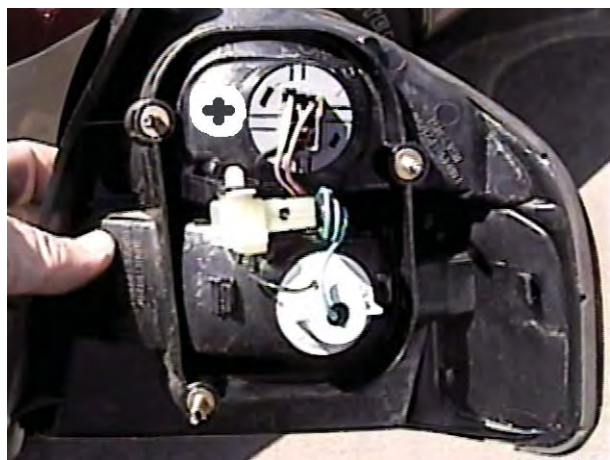
10MM Socket

Loctite Red

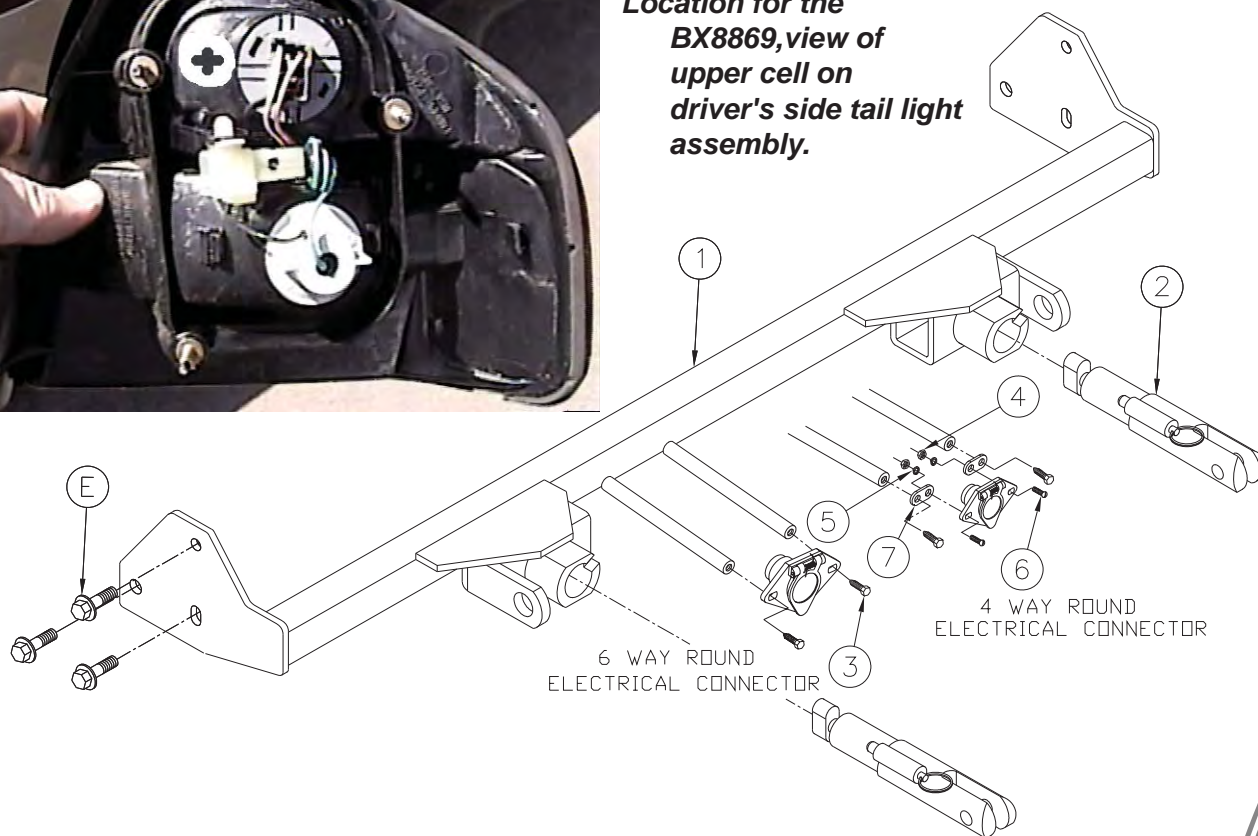
14MM Socket

## Parts List

Ref. No.	Qty.	Part No.	Description
1	1	61-5787	Weldment, Base Plate, BX3611
2	2	62-3468	Assembly, Attachment Tab, SF/ SB, (R)
3	2	201-0553	1/4-20 x 1/2 Hx. Wshd, Type F Screw
4	2	201-0192	#10-32 x 1/2 Slot, Rd. Hd. Screw
5	2	203-0054	#10 Lock Washer
6	2	202-0047	#10-32 Hex Nut
7	2	101-5822	Adapter, 4 Way Connector
E	6		Existing Metric Tie Down Bracket Bolts
	2	226-0046	Baseplate Safety Cable, 36" CL III (Not Shown)
	2	229-0359	Quicklink, 3/8, ZP (Not Shown)
	2	290-0437	Receiver, Cap Plug (Blk) (Not Shown)



*Location for the  
BX8869, view of  
upper cell on  
driver's side tail light  
assembly.*



**IMPORTANT:** Use only genuine factory replacement parts on your Base Plate. Do not substitute homemade or nontypical parts. If a bolt is lost or in need of replacement, for your safety and the preservation of your Base Plate, be sure to use a replacement bolt of the same grade (Usually Grade 5, refer to parts list). Repair parts may be ordered through your nearest **Blue Ox** dealer or distributor.