



11140 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



Safety glasses should be worn at all times while installing this product.

YEARS: 2006-PRESENT

MAKE: SAAB

MODEL: 9-3X & 9-3 SPORTCOMBI

STYLE: WAGON

WARNING: NEVER EXCEED YOUR VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY

WEIGHT CARRYING:

TRAILER WEIGHT: 2,000 LBS.
TONGUE WEIGHT: 200 LBS.

WARNING:

WE RECOMMEND THE USE OF 18050 STABILIZING STRAPS FOR ALL NON-TRAILER (WHEEL-LESS) LOADS. PLEASE SEE THE CURT CATALOG OR VISIT US ONLINE AT WWW.CURTMFG.COM FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

INSTALLATION TIME: **30 MIN.**

THE INSTALL TIME LISTED IS FOR PROFESSIONAL INSTALLERS. IF YOU ARE HESITANT TO UNDERTAKE THIS TASK ON YOUR OWN, CONTACT AN AUTHORIZED CURT INSTALLER FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE.

INSTALLATION TIPS:

1. BEFORE YOU BEGIN INSTALLATION, READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY.
2. TO EASE INSTALLATION, 2 PEOPLE MAY BE REQUIRED.
3. USING PROPER TOOLS WILL GREATLY IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE INSTALL AND REDUCE THE TIME REQUIRED.
4. NEED HELP OR HAVE SOME QUESTIONS? CALL TECHNICAL SUPPORT AT 800.798.0813

LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: **EASY**

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MODERATE

CHALLENGING



- NO DRILLING REQUIRED



- FASCIA TRIMMING REQUIRED

VEHICLE PHOTO:

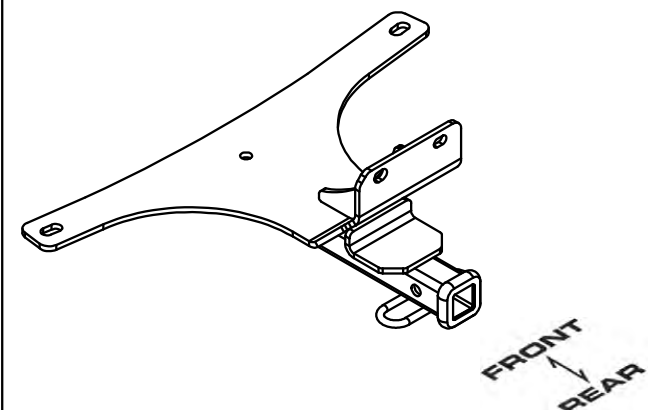


REPRESENTATIVE PHOTO

INSTALLATION REQUIRES:

 RATCHET	 TORQUE WRENCH	 6" SOCKET EXTENSION
 11/16" 9/16" 17mm 10mm SOCKET	 AVIATION SHEARS	 SAFETY GLASSES
 ROTARY TOOL (OPTIONAL)	 MASKING TAPE	

HITCH ILLUSTRATION:



MAKE SURE YOUR HITCH MATCHES

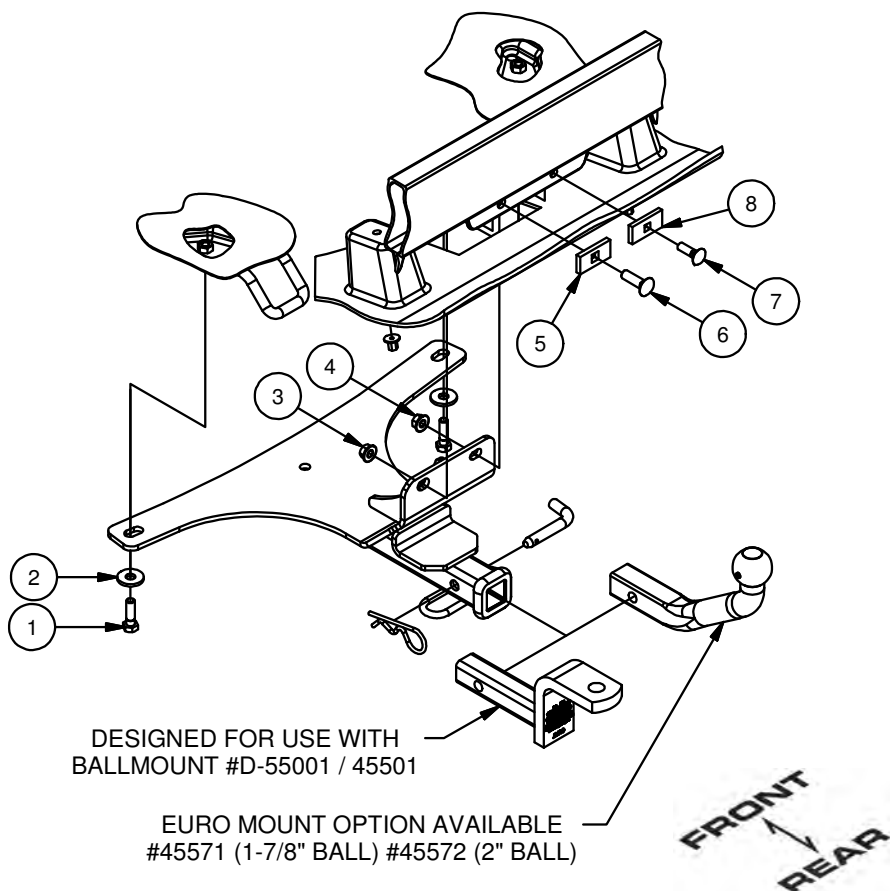
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For more information log onto www.curtmfg.com, & for helpful towing tips log onto www.hitchinfo.com

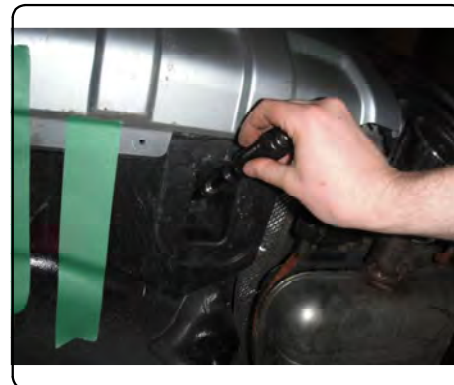
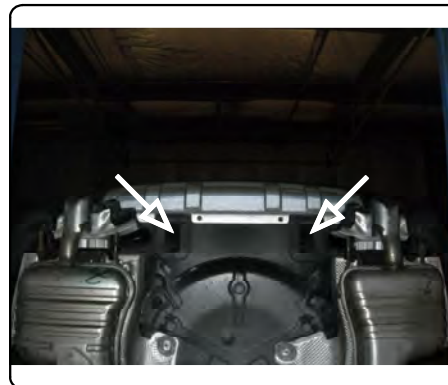
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INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:

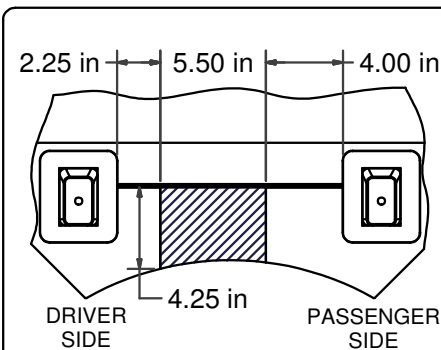
Parts List			
ITEM	QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	2	M10 - 1.5 x 25mm	HEX BOLT
2	2	7/16"	CONICAL TOOTHED WASHER
3	1	7/16-14	HEX FLANGE NUT
4	1	HFN3816	HEX FLANGE NUT
5	1	CM-SP7	.250 x 1.00 x 2.00" SQUARE HOLE SPACER
6	1	7/16-14 x 1 1/2	CARRIAGE BOLT
7	1	3/8-16 x 1 1/4 LG.	CARRIAGE BOLT
8	1	CM-SP18	.250 x 1.00 x 2.00" SQUARE HOLE SPACER



1. Remove (2) fascia nuts from the under body panel.



2. Mark and trim the under body panel. **Note:** Dimensions are approximate, confirm fit prior to trimming.

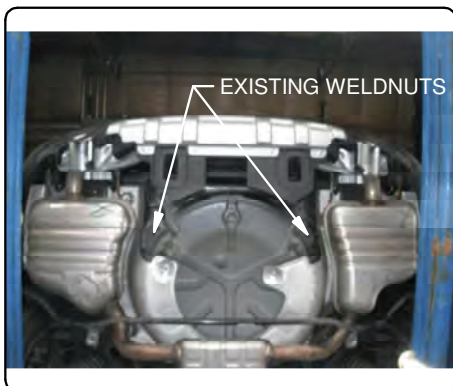
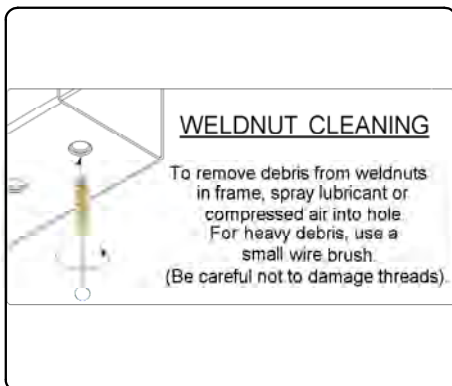


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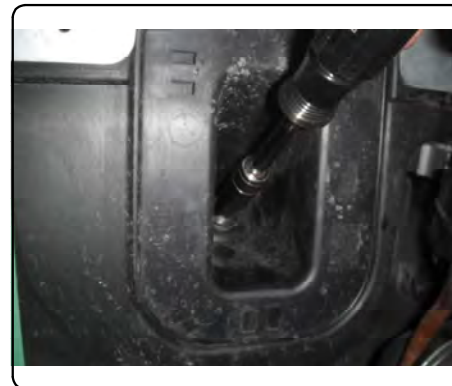
3. Insert a 7/16-14 x 1 1/2 carriage bolt and SP7 spacer through the hole in the driver side of the bumper beam tab. Insert a 3/8-16 x 1 1/4" carriage bolt and SP18 spacer through the hole in the passenger side of the bumper beam tab.



4. Raise hitch into position and loosely secure the rear of the hitch to the fasteners installed in Step (3) with a 7/16-14 flange nut and a 3/8-16 flange nut. Secure the front of the hitch to the existing weldnuts with M10-1.5 x 25mm hex bolts and 7/16" conical toothed washers.



5. Torque all 3/8" fasteners to 45 ft-lbs. Torque all 7/16" fasteners to 70 ft-lbs. Torque all M10 fasteners to 45 ft-lbs. Reinstall the (2) fascia nuts removed in Step (1).



Install Complete.



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SAAB 9-3 X & SPORTCOMBI

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GROSS LOAD CAPACITY WHEN USED AS A WEIGHT CARRYING HITCH: 2,000 LBS. TRAILER WEIGHT & 200 LBS. TONGUE WEIGHT.

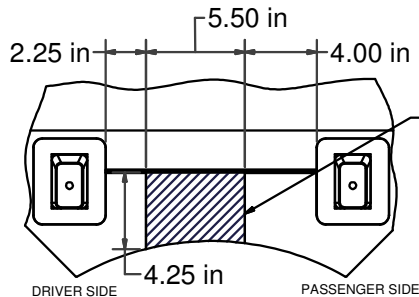
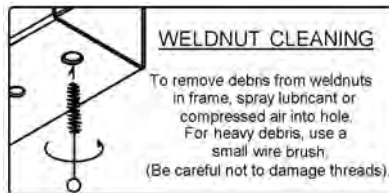
DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY.

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**

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UNDERBODY TRIM DIAGRAM

HITCH WEIGHT: 20 LBS.

INSTALL TIME

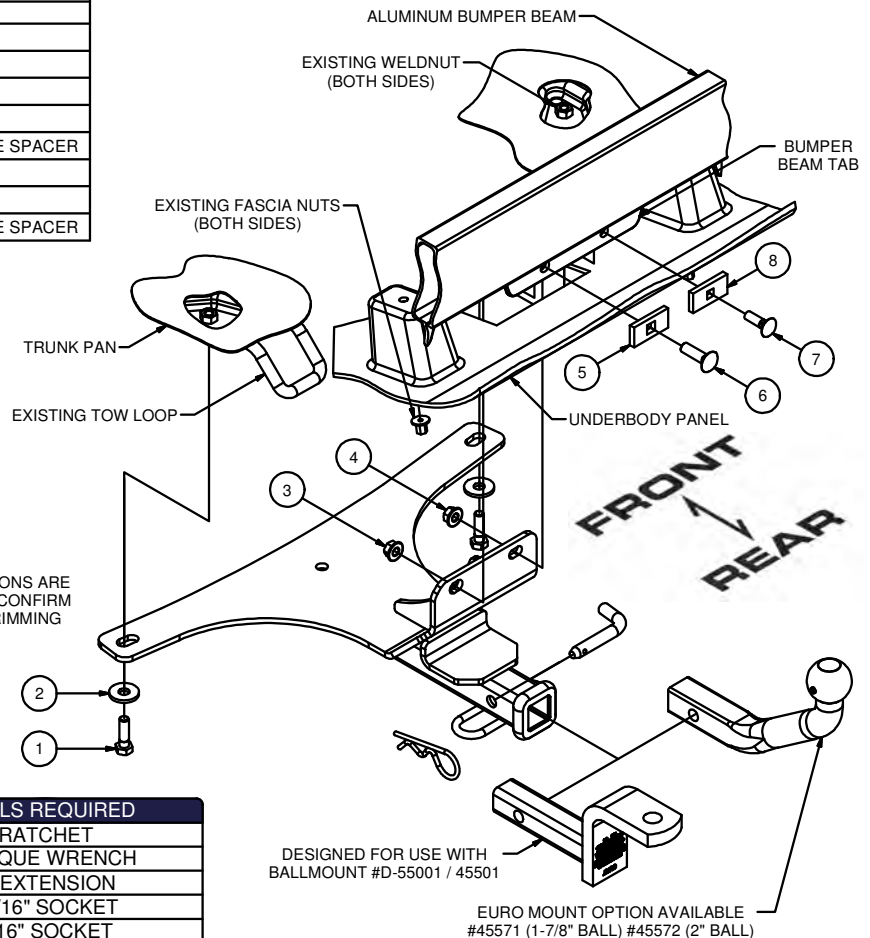
PROFESSIONAL: 30 MINUTES

NOVICE (DIY): 60 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

- NO DRILLING REQUIRED
- FASCIA TRIMMING REQUIRED

TOOLS REQUIRED	
RATCHET	
TORQUE WRENCH	
6" EXTENSION	
11/16" SOCKET	
9/16" SOCKET	
17mm SOCKET	
10mm SOCKET	
AVIATION SHEARS	



INSTALLATION STEPS

1. Remove (2) fascia nuts from the under body panel.
2. Mark and trim underbody panel. **Note:** Dimensions are approximate, confirm fit prior to trimming. (See Underbody Trim Diagram)
3. Insert a 7/16-14 x 1 1/2 carriage bolt and SP7 spacer through the hole in the driver side of the bumper beam tab. Insert a 3/8-16 x 1 1/4 carriage bolt and SP18 spacer through the hole in the passenger side of the bumper beam tab.
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5. Secure the front of the hitch to the existing weldnuts with M10-1.5 x 25mm hex bolts and 7/16" conical toothed washers. (See Weldnut Cleaning Diagram)
6. Torque all 3/8" fasteners to 45 ft-lbs.
Torque all 7/16" fasteners to 70 ft-lbs.
Torque all M10 fasteners to 45 ft-lbs.
7. Reinstall the (2) fascia nuts removed in Step (1).

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