

### 31061 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



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

YEARS: "09" - CURRENT

**MAKE: NISSAN** 

**MODEL: TITAN** 

**STYLE:** TRUCK

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

**WEIGHT CARRYING:** 

TRAILER WEIGHT: 5,000 LBS.
TONGUE WEIGHT: 500 LBS.

GROSS LOAD CAPACITY WHEN USED AS A STRAIGHT LINE PULL: 9,000 LBS MAX.

### INSTALLATION TIME: 45 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.

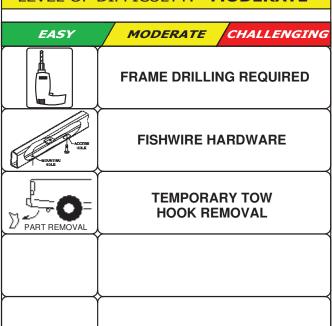
### **INSTALLATION REQUIRES:**

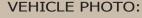


### **INSTALLATION TIPS:**

- 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

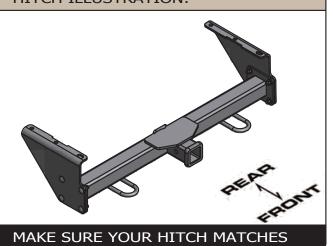
### LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: MODERATE







### HITCH ILLUSTRATION:



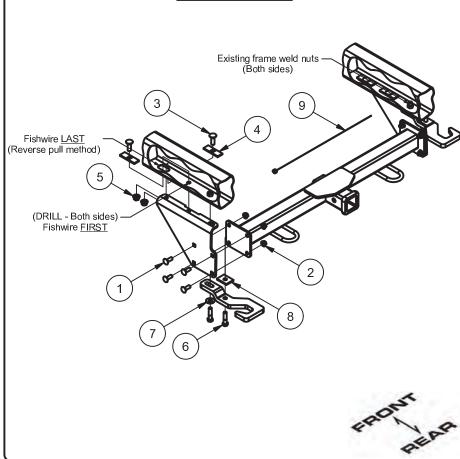
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### **INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:**

Parts List				
QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION		
8	7/16-14 × 1 1/4	CARRIAGE BOLT		
8	7/16-14	HEX FLANGE NUT		
4	1/2-13 × 1 1/2	CARRIAGE BOLT		
4	CM-SP40	.188 x 1.00 x 3.00" SQUARE HOLE SPACER		
4	HFN 1213	HEX FLANGE NUT		
4	M12 - 1.25 × 50 HEX	HEX BOLT		
2	1/2"	CONICAL TOOTHED WASHER		
2	CM-SP32	.188 × 1.50 × 2.00" ROUND HOLE SPACER		
4	1_2 FISHWIRE	1/2" FISHWIRE		
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1. Remove tow hooks and set aside for later reattachment. Hardware to be returned to vehicle owner and will not be reused.





- 2. Raise side plates up to frame and secure each side plate at its forward most mounting hole. (Finger tighten only). Rearmost mounting hole must align with large slot in frame. Using middle hole in each side plate as a template, center mark, then remove side plates.
- 3. Drill holes into frame using a 17/32" drill at the center marked locations from Step #2.



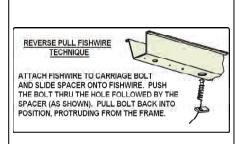


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4. Fishwire hardware into frame as shown in <u>ILLUSTRATION</u> and the two details shown below.

INSERT COILED END OF FISHWIRE TOOL THROUGH
HITCH MOUNTING HOLE IN VEHICLE FRAME RAIL
AND OUT THE ACCESS HOLE. PASS COILED
END OF FISHWIRE THROUGH SPACER AND
THREAD BOLT INTO COIL. KINK WIRE
TO KEEP SPACER SEPERATE FROM
BOLT AS SHOWN. PULL
FISHWIRE, SPACER, AND
BOLT THROUGH FRAME
AND OUT MOUNTING HOLE
USE FISHWIRE TO GLIDE
HITCH DURING MOUNTING AND PREVENT LOSS OF BOLT /
SPACER INSIDE FRAME RAIL.
"NOTE: SOME VEHICLES MAY FISHWIRE THROUGH END OF FRAME"



5. After fishwiring hardware into frame raise side plates and tow hooks into position and bolt to frame using spacers, 1/2"-13, and M12 hardware. (Finger tighten only).





6. Assemble center hitch to side plates using 7/16" hardware as shown in <a href="ILLUSTRATION">ILLUSTRATION</a> and pictures below.

Torque M12 fasteners to 86 lb-ft., 1/2" fasteners to 110 lb-ft., and 7/16" fasteners to 70 lb-ft.





7. Installation complete.





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WARNING: Exceeding GAWR may overload the front axle and/or suspesion. This could result in accident, property damage and personal injury.

- Reposition front mounted license plate if obstructed
- 3) Do not obstruct vehicle lights
- 4) Allow free air flow into grille opening
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- Do not obstruct driver view.

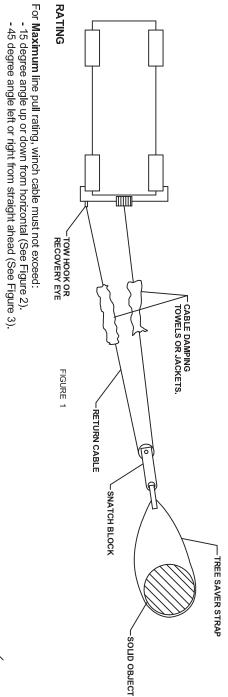
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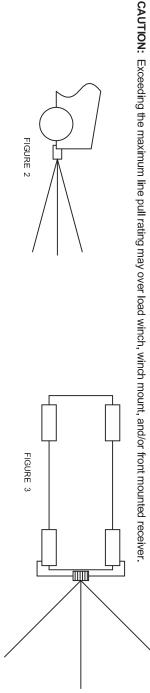
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- Observe winch manufacturer's recommendations, cautions and warnings.
- 3) Attach return cable to tow hook or recovery eye when using a snatch block (See figure

CAUTION: Do not attach return cable to winch mount. This may overload winch mount and/or front mounted receiver.



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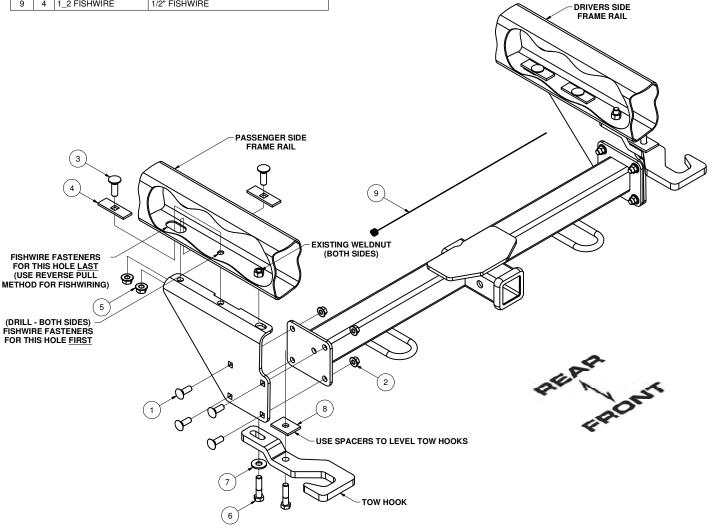
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TOOLS REQUIRED
SAFETY GLASSES
POWER DRILL
1/2" DRILL BIT
RATCHET
SOCKET 19mm,17mm, 11/16"
BOXED END WRENCH 11/16"
TORQUE WRENCH
CENTER PUNCH
SOCKET EXTENSION





REVERSE PULL FISHWIRE
TECHNIQUE

ATTACH FISHWIRE TO CARRIAGE BOLT
AND SLIDE SPACER ONTO FISHWIRE. PUSH
THE BOLT THRU THE HOLE FOLLOWED BY THE
SPACER (AS SHOWN). PULL BOLT BACK INTO
POSITION, PROTRUDING FROM THE FRAME.

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HITCH WEIGHT: 39 LBS.

INSTALL TIME

PROFESSIONAL: 45 MINUTES

NOVICE (DIY): 90 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

- DRILLING REQUIRED - REMOVE TOW HOOKS

### **INSTALLATION STEPS**

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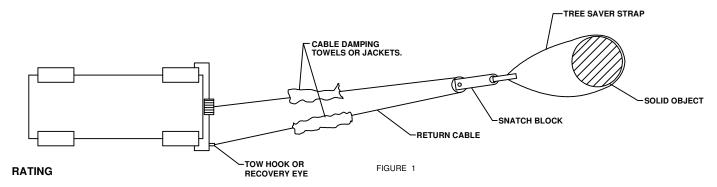
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For Maximum line pull rating, winch cable must not exceed:

- 15 degree angle up or down from horizontal (See Figure 2).
- 45 degree angle left or right from straight ahead (See Figure 3).

CAUTION: Exceeding the maximum line pull rating may over load winch, winch mount, and/or front mounted receiver.

FIGURE 2

FIGURE 3

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