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# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

CLASS 3 RECEIVER HITCH

APPLICATION: 2005-2014 NISSAN FRONTIER & 2008-2012 SUZUKI EQUATOR

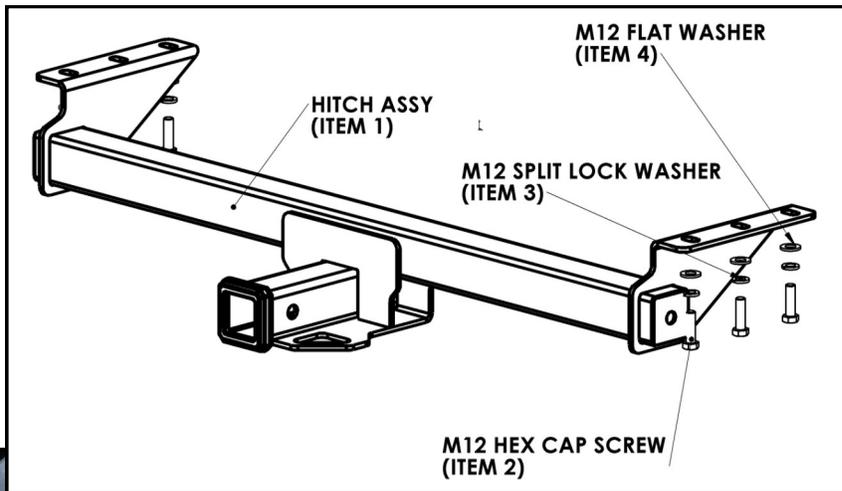
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ITEM	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	TOOLS NEEDED
1	1	RECEIVER HITCH ASSY	19MM SOCKET
2	6	M12 HEX CAP SCREW	RATCHET
3	6	M12 SPLIT LOCK WASHER	TORQUE WRENCH
4	6	M12 FLAT WASHER	

**WARNING: Never exceed the capacity ratings shown on the receiver hitch or the tow vehicle. See your vehicle's owners guide for towing guidelines.**

1. Remove contents from box, verify if all parts listed are present and free from damage. Carefully read and understand all instructions before attempting installation.
2. Locate the threaded holes that are pre-existing on the vehicle's rear frame section. Threads should be thoroughly cleaned with a wire brush and penetrating oil.
3. With assistance, lift the hitch assembly to the vehicle's frame. Align the mounting holes and secure the hitch with the supplied M12 hex cap screws, M12 split lock washers, and M12 flat washers.
4. Align the hitch as desired and tighten all of the fasteners to 70-80 ft-lbs.



**NOTICE:** This product complies with all safety specifications and requirements defined for V.E.S.C. regulation V-5 & SAE J684

## CARE INSTRUCTIONS

- BLACK FINISHES SHOULD BE CLEANED WITH MILD SOAP AND WATER.



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## WARNINGS & NOTICES FOR THE INSTALLATION OF WESTIN TOWING PRODUCTS - CLASS III RECEIVER HITCH

### NOTICE

Westin Receiver Hitches are designed to accommodate a 2" - square receiver type draw bar rated for class III/IV towing. Closely follow all Westin Installation Instructions for the proper installation of product. Improper installation can result in death, serious injury, and/or product and vehicle damage. In the operation of these products, it is imperative to observe precautions for your personal safety and the safety of others.

### **WARNING**

Failure to follow these instructions could lead to death, personal injury, and / or property damage.

#### FASTENERS:

All Westin supplied fasteners must be utilized and installed in accordance with the installation instructions and apply torque to the specifications as defined. **DOUBLE CHECK ALL FASTENERS BEFORE INITIAL USE, AND PERIODICALLY IN THE FUTURE TO ENSURE PROPER FUNCTION AND SAFETY.**

#### DRILLING:

Most Westin products do not require drilling for installation. If drilling is defined as required, use caution when drilling a vehicle. **FAILURE TO REVIEW AN AREA TO BE DRILLED MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR INJURY TO OTHERS AS WELL AS VEHICLE DAMAGE.**

#### EYE PROTECTION:

**ALWAYS WEAR SAFETY GLASSES OR GOGGLES DURING THE INSTALLATION PROCESS TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY.**

#### MAXIMUM TOWING/CARRYING CAPACITY:

The Westin Receiver Hitches will have a visible tow rating label affixed directly on the product. User should never exceed the vehicle manufacturers maximum tow and weight rating regardless of the capacity of the hitch. **FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES WILL VOID THE WESTIN WARRANTY AND MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR INJURY TO OTHERS AS WELL AS VEHICLE DAMAGE.**



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