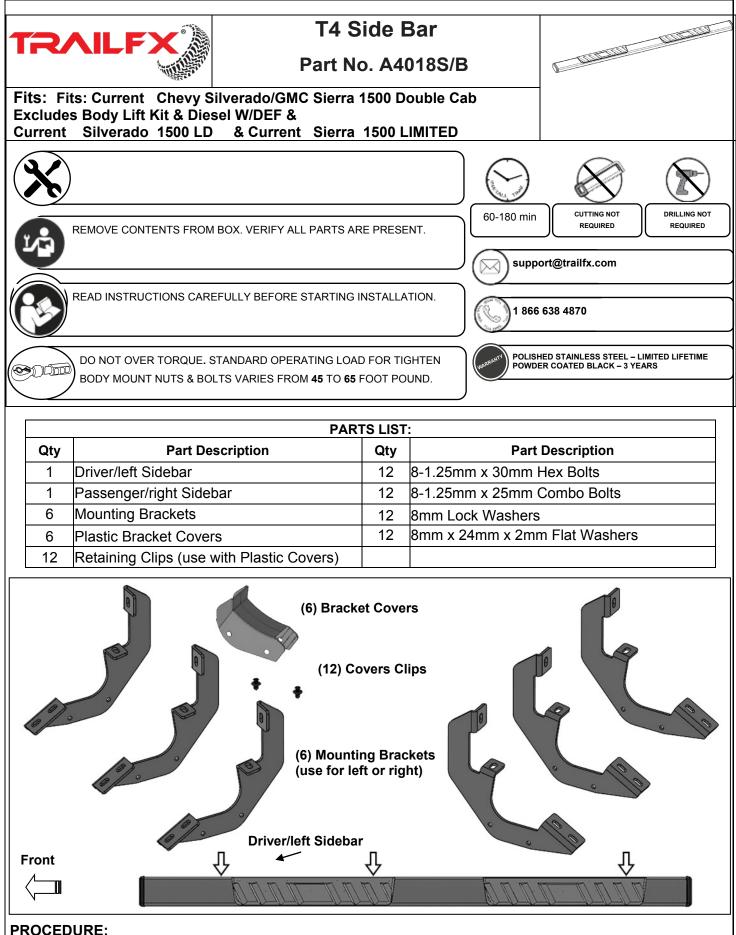
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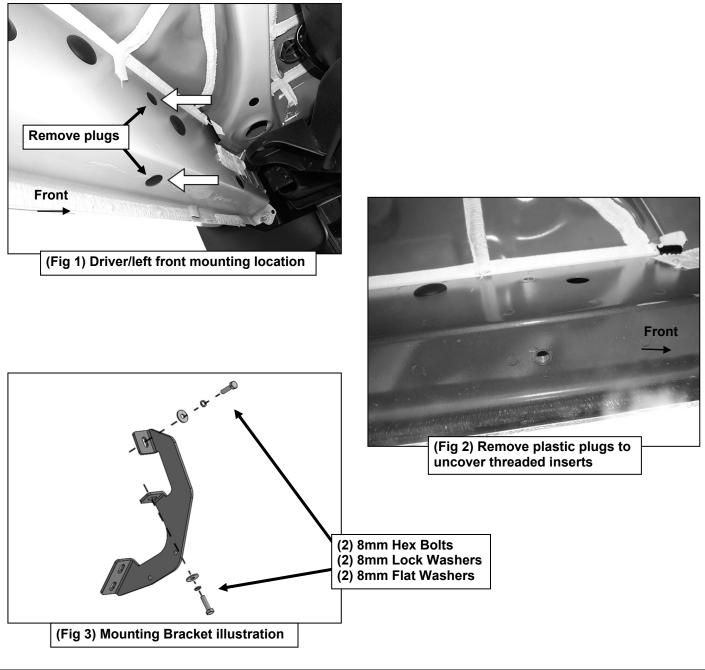


## REMOVE CONTENTS FROM BOX. VERIFY ALL PARTS ARE PRESENT. READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE STARTING INSTALLATION. ASSISTANCE IS RECOMMENDED.

**1.** Start the installation under the driver/left side of the vehicle. Locate the plastic plugs along the bottom edge of the body. Mounting Brackets will bolt to the 1st, 2nd and 4th threaded mounting holes,

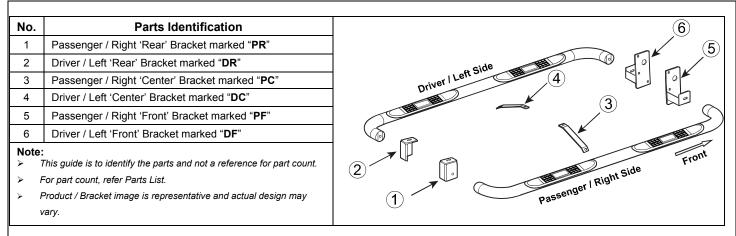
(Figure 1). Remove the plastic plugs from each mounting location, (Figure 2). Directly above each threaded insert is a top mounting location on the side of the body panel. Hold a Bracket up in place to help determine the correct mounting holes to use along the body. **NOTE:** Thread an 8mm Hex Bolt into the threaded inserts to clear paint as required.

- Select (1) Mounting Bracket, (Figure 3). Starting at the front of the driver/left side, attach the Mounting Bracket to the factory threaded holes with (2) 8mm Hex Bolts, (2) 8mm Lock Washers and (2) 8mm Flat Washers, (Figure 3). Do not tighten hardware at this time.
- **3.** Select (1) Plastic Bracket Cover, (**Figure 4**). Slide Plastic Cover over Bracket. Line up the (2) mounting holes in the Cover with the holes in the Bracket. Insert (1) Plastic Clip into each hole and push center pin to expand Clip, (**Figure 4**).
- 4. Repeat Steps 1—3 to attach the center and rear Brackets with Covers to the center and rear mounting locations along the body panel, (Figures 5 & 6).
- 5. Select the Driver/left Sidebar. Use the illustration above to help determine the correct Sidebar. NOTE: The front stepping pad is farther away from the front end of the Sidebar. Place the Sidebar on top of the Brackets. IMPORTANT: Do not slide, (front to back), the Sidebar on the Brackets or damage to the finish may result.
- 6. Attach the Sidebar to the Brackets with (6) 8mm Combo Bolts, (Figure 7).
- 7. Level and adjust the Sidebar and fully tighten all hardware.
- 8. Repeat Steps 1—7 to install the Passenger/right Sidebar.
- 9. Do periodic inspections to the installation to make sure that all hardware is secure and tight.



#### **Driver/left side Installation Pictured**

# **Driver/left side Installation Pictured** (2) Retaining Clips (Fig 4) Plastic Cover attached to Bracket Front (Fig 5) Driver side 2<sup>nd</sup> mounting location Front (Fig 6) Driver side rear mounting location (2) 8mm Combo Bolts Front (Fig 7) Attached Sidebar to Mounting Bracket



#### PRODUCT CARE

- Periodically check the product to ensure all fasteners are tight and components are intact.
- Regular waxing is recommended to protect the finish of the product.
- Use ONLY Non-Abrasive automotive wax. Use of any soap, polish or wax that contains an abrasive is detrimental and can scratch the finish leading to corrosion.
- Aluminum polish may be used to polish small scratches and scuffs for Stainless Steel finish.
- Mild soap may be used to clean the product for both Stainless Steel and Black finish.

#### FAQ's

#### 1. Hardware's are not of correct size.

In GMC / Chevrolet truck model 2006 & up, customer needs to reuse the factory body bolts to install the bracket. If your vehicle is not GMC / Chevrolet 2006 & up, ensure that holes are not partially covered with any plastic grommet or rust? If it is, remove the plastic grommet & rust from the thread holes & re-try the installation.

#### 2. Mounting Bracket are not getting Installed properly.

In some cases Illustration images shown in Installation manual may not be the exactly same as per actual vehicle images ,also if Driver / Passenger side mounting brackets are very identical in the design, suggest referring Parts Identification guide to avoid fitment issue.

#### 3. Products are thumping / rattling after installation.

Ensure that all required mounting brackets / hardware's are installed & tighten correctly. Suggest using white lithium / regular grease between the metal to metal contact surfaces.

#### 4. Side Bar is not aligning with vehicle / Step Pads are not aligning with vehicle doors.

Side bar may be interchanged or mounting brackets are not installed at the correct position in the vehicle. Refer Parts identification guide.
5 Missing / Excess Hardware

### Missing / Excess Hardware. Recheck hardware count as per the part list.

6. Product not installing properly. Ensure make model year, cab length and bed size of your vehicle is listed in the application. All installation steps are followed correctly.

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