

#### 31054 **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

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

YEARS: 2010 - PRESENT

**MAKE: TOYOTA** 

4RUNNER (EXCLUDES TRAIL MODEL:

**STYLE: SUV** 

WARNING: NEVER EXCEED YOUR VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY For more information log onto www.curtmfg.com & for helpful towing tips log onto www.hitchinfo.com

**WEIGHT CARRYING:** 

TRAILER WEIGHT: 3,500 LBS. **TONGUE WEIGHT:** 350 LBS.

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

PRO INSTALL TIME: 30 MIN. **NOVICE INSTALL TIME: 60 MIN.** 

**INSTALLATION REQUIRES:** 

SCAN FOR MORE INFO

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 OUALITY OF THE INSTALL AND REDUCE THE TIME REQUIRED.

LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: MODERATE

4. NEED HELP OR HAVE SOME OUESTIONS? CALL TECHNICAL SUPPORT AT 877.287.8634

## 10mm 14mm 17mm 19mm 15/16" **TORQUE RATCHET WRENCH SOCKET SAFETY GLASSES**

### EASY MODERATE CHALLENGING WELDNUT CLEANING MAY **BE REQUIRED** REMOVE DRIVER AND

PART REMOVAL

PASSENGER UNDERBODY **PANEL** 

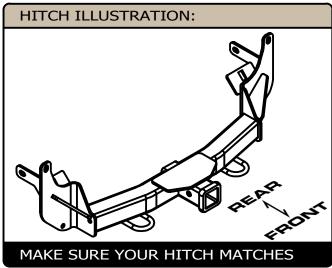


OPTIONAL UNDERBODY **PANEL TRIMMING** 



**NO DRILLING REQUIRED** 



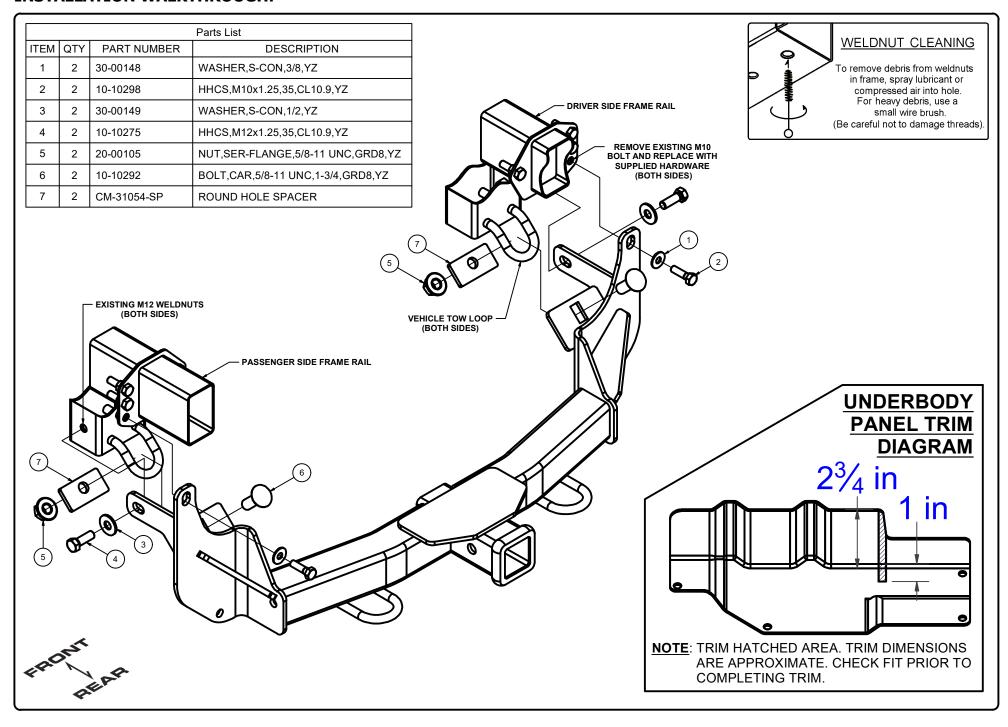


PERIODICALLY CHECK THIS RECEIVER HITCH TO ENSURE ALL FASTENERS ARE TIGHT AND ALL STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS ARE SOUND

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#### **INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:**



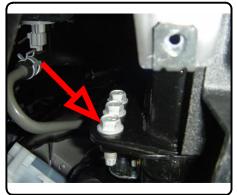
#### **INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:**

1. Remove driver and passenger side underbody panel by removing 5 fasteners from each. These will be returned to vehicle owner or trimmed and reinstalled in STEP 8.





2. Remove (1) hex bolt from the end of each frame rail (lowest outer bolt on each side) and return to vehicle owner. These will be replaced with the included M10 hardware.





3. Lift hitch into position, locating the vehicle tow loops under the hitch mounting plates.





4. Loosely insert the included M10 hex bolts with 3/8" conical tooth washers into weldnuts which bolts were removed from in STEP 2.





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#### **INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:**

5. Loosely insert M12 bolts with 1/2" conical tooth washers into existing weldnuts on the outsides of frame rails.





6. Insert 5/8" carriage bolts through the hitch mounting plates and tow loops. Secure hitch to tow loops by attaching supplied spacers and 5/8" flange nuts to carriage bolts.





7. Torque all M10 fasteners to 48 ft-lbs, all M12 fasteners to 86 ft-lbs and all 5/8" fasteners to 210 lb-ft.





8. If trimming option is selected, trim underbody panels removed in STEP 1 and reinstall. See UNDERBODY PANEL TRIM DIAGRAM on page 2 and photo below.





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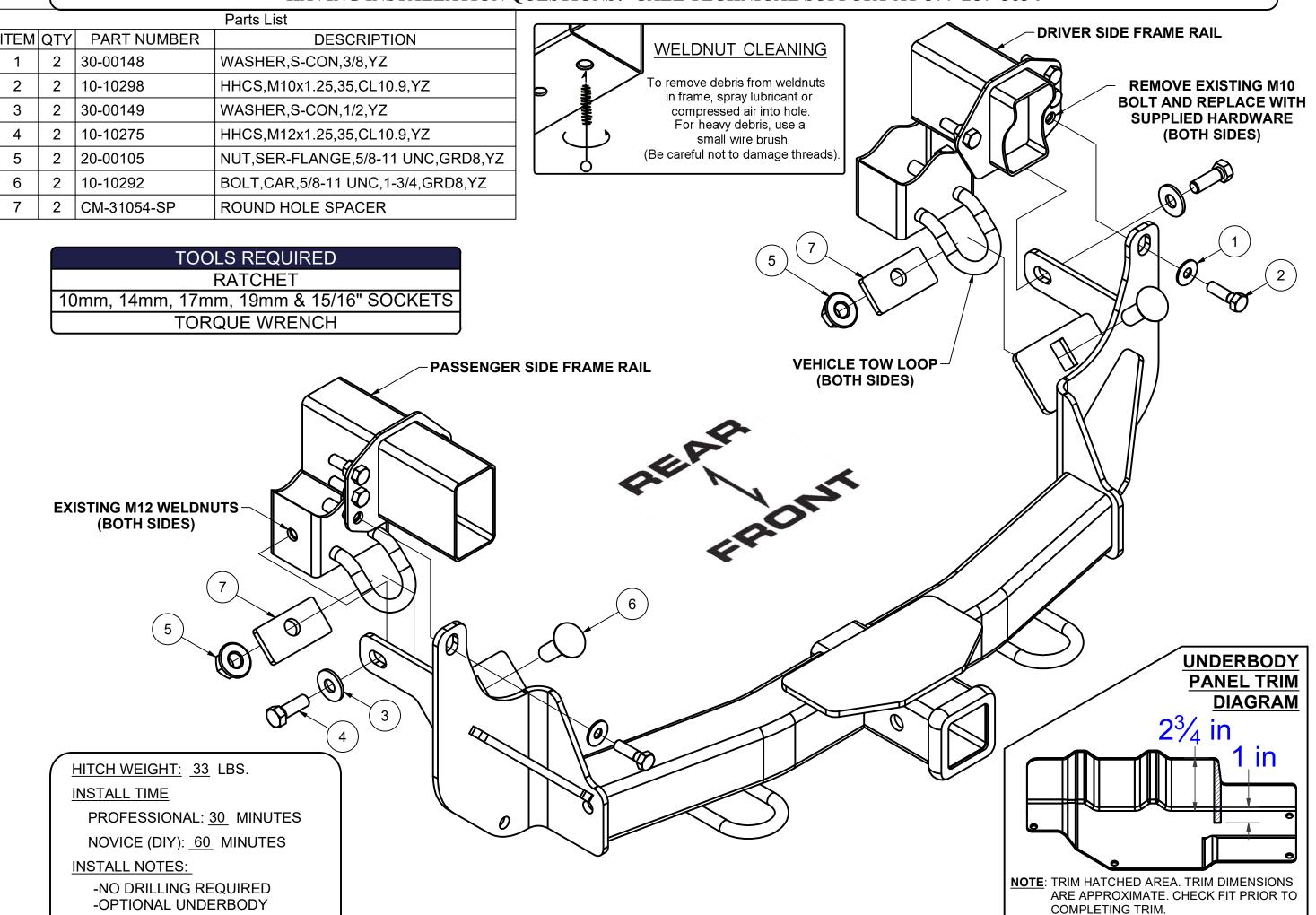
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## **INSTALLATION STEPS**

PANEL TRIMMING

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- 3. Lift hitch into position, locating the vehicle tow loops under the hitch mounting plates.
- 4. Loosely insert the included M10 hex bolts with 3/8" conical tooth washers into weldnuts which bolts were removed from in STEP 2.
- 5. Loosely insert M12 bolts with 1/2" conical tooth washers into existing weldnuts on the outsides of frame rails.
- 6. Insert 5/8" carriage bolts through the hitch mounting plates and tow loops. Secure hitch to tow loops by attaching supplied spacers and 5/8" flange nuts to carriage bolts.
- 7. Torque all M10 fasteners to 48 ft-lbs, all M12 fasteners to 86 ft-lbs and all 5/8" fasteners to 180 lb-ft.
- 8. If trimming option is selected, trim underbody panels removed in STEP 1 and reinstall. See UNDERBODY PANEL TRIM DIAGRAM above.

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# **TOYOTA 4RUNNER**

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### FRONT MOUNTED ACCESSORIES

1) Do not exceed front axle Gross Weight Rating (GAWR). Consult owners manual or specification plate located on driver's door frame. Measure gross front axle weight by placing front wheels of loaded vehicle on a scale.

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

- 2) Reposition front mounted license plate if obstructed.
- 3) Do not obstruct vehicle lights.
- 4) Allow free air flow into grille opening.
- 5) Rear wheel traction may be reduced. This could effect handling. Reduce speed and drive with caution.
- 6) Accessories extend front of vehicle. This may reduce approach angle. Use caution when parking and maneuvering.
- 7) Do not obstruct driver view.

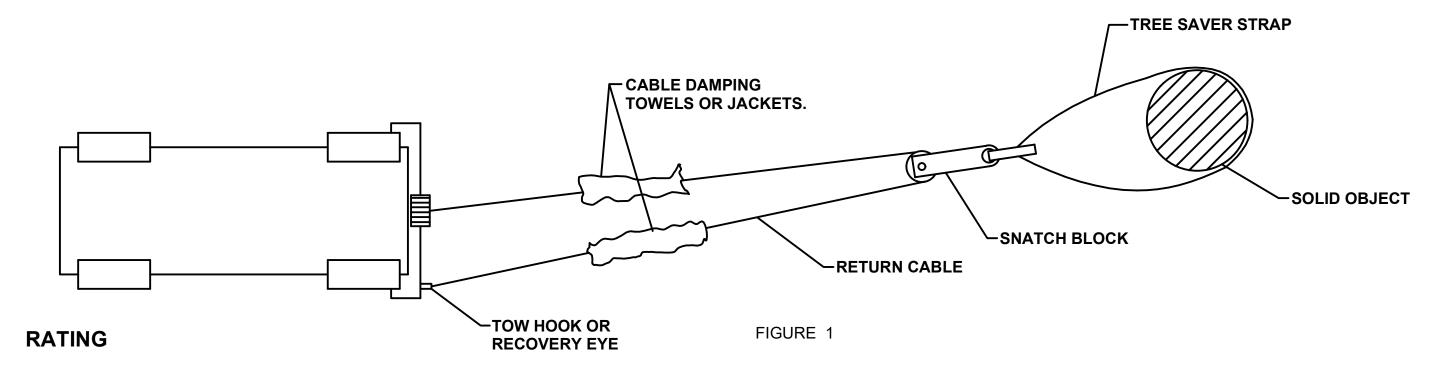
### **VEHICLE RECOVERY AND WINCHING TIPS**

1) Use OEM tow hooks, recovery eyes or a clevis mount for attachment of a tow strap or winch cable.

**WARNING: NEVER** use a ball and/or ball mount as an anchor point for tow strap or winch cable. Severe personal injury or death could result.

- 2) 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 1).

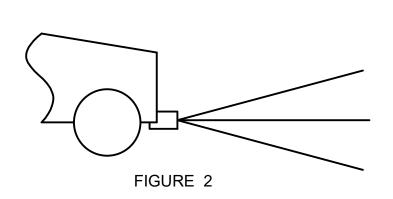
**CAUTION:** Do not attach return cable to winch mount. This may overload winch mount and/or front mounted receiver.

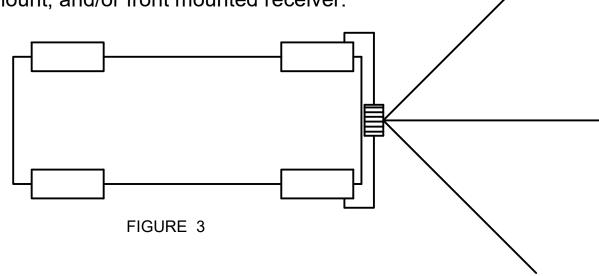


For Maximum line pull rating, winch cable must not exceed:

- 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.





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