



Installation Instructions Supertop NX

Vehicle Application:
Jeep® YJ Wrangler 1988-1995
Part Number 54601

Installation Tips

Before you begin installing your new Supertop NX, please read all the instructions thoroughly.

For a smooth fit:

For easier installation, the top should be installed at a temperature above 72°F. Below this temperature, the fabric may contract an inch or more, making it difficult to fit the vehicle.

It is normal for the fabric to contract and wrinkle when stored in the shipping carton. Within a few days after installation, the fabric will relax and the wrinkles will disappear.



WARNING

Do not rely in any way on the components of this product to protect against injury or death in the event of an accident. Never operate the vehicle in excess of manufacturer's specifications.

Read and follow, precisely, all installation instructions provided when installing this product. Failure to do so may result in a poor fit and could place occupants of the vehicle in a potentially dangerous situation.



CAUTION

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

WEAR SEAT BELTS AT ALL TIMES



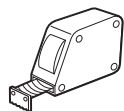
Tools



Safety Glasses



Center Punch



Tape Measure



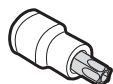
Hammer



Phillips Screwdriver



Ratchet



Tamper Proof
T50 Torx Sockets



Pencil

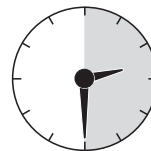


Power Drill



1/8" Drill Bit

Installation Time



2.5 Hours

Skill Level



2 - Moderatly Easy

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Sugerencias de Instalación

Antes de empezar a instalar esta unidad, lea atentamente todas las instrucciones.

Para un buen ajuste:

Para facilitar la instalación, el producto debe instalarse a temperaturas superiores a 72 °F (22 °C).

Por debajo de esta temperatura, la tela puede encogerse una pulgada o más, lo que dificultaría su ajuste al vehículo.

Es normal que la tela se contraiga o arrugue cuando está guardada en la caja de empaque. A los pocos días después de la instalación, la tela se relajará y las arrugas desaparecerán.



ADVERTENCIA

Este producto se diseñó principalmente para mejorar la apariencia del vehículo y proteger a los ocupantes de las condiciones climáticas comunes. De ninguna manera piense que los componentes de este producto pueden servir como medio de contención para los ocupantes del vehículo o que pueden protegerlos contra lesiones o la muerte en caso de accidente. Este producto no protegerá a los ocupantes contra caídas de objetos. Nunca conduzca este vehículo fuera de las especificaciones del fabricante.

USE LOS CINTURONES DE SEGURIDAD EN TODO MOMENTO

Lea y siga con precisión todas las instrucciones de instalación que se proporcionan para instalar este producto. Si no lo hace, podría producirse un mal ajuste que colocaría a los ocupantes del vehículo en una situación potencialmente peligrosa.



PRECAUCIÓN

Debe usar gafas protectoras en todo momento durante la instalación de este producto.

Conseils pour l'installation

Lire toutes les instructions au complet avant de commencer l'installation de cet assemblage.

Pour un ajustement sans problème :

Afin de faciliter l'installation, ce produit doit être installé à des températures au-dessus de 72 °F (22 °C).

Sous cette température, le tissu peut rétrécir d'un pouce (2,5 cm) ou plus, ce qui rendra l'ajustement sur le véhicule difficile.

Il est normal que le tissu rétrécisse et plisse pendant qu'il est dans la boîte d'expédition. En quelques jours après l'installation, le tissu se détendra et les plis disparaîtront.



AVERTISSEMENT

Ce produit est conçu principalement pour améliorer l'apparence du véhicule et pour protéger les occupants des conditions météorologiques usuelles. Ne jamais se fier aux composants de ce produit pour se protéger de blessures ou de la mort en cas d'accident. Ce produit ne protégera pas les occupants des chutes d'objets. Ne jamais utiliser le véhicule au-delà des caractéristiques techniques indiquées par le fabricant.

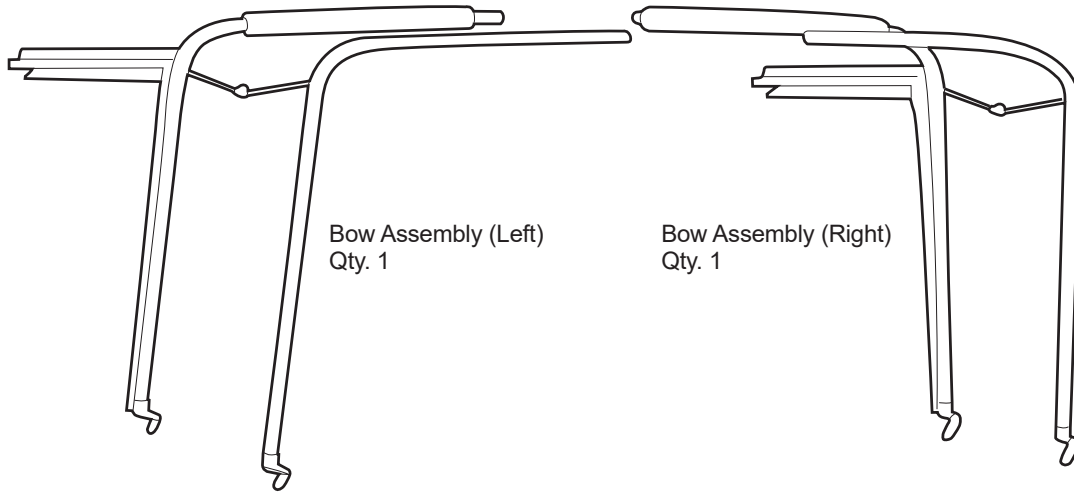
PORTER UNE CEINTURE DE SÉCURITÉ EN TOUT TEMPS

Lire et suivre, très fidèlement, toutes les instructions d'installation fournies lors de l'installation de ce produit. Ne pas suivre cette consigne peut causer une installation inadéquate et mettre les occupants du véhicule dans une situation potentiellement dangereuse.



MISE EN GARDE

Des lunettes de sécurité doivent être portées en tout temps lors de l'installation de ce produit.

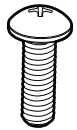


Bow Assembly (Left)
Qty. 1

Bow Assembly (Right)
Qty. 1



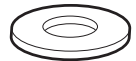
Screw #8 x 1/2 inch
Part # 200.48
Qty. 21



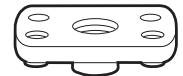
Phillips Head Bolt
5/16" x 1 inch
Part # 236.20
Qty. 12



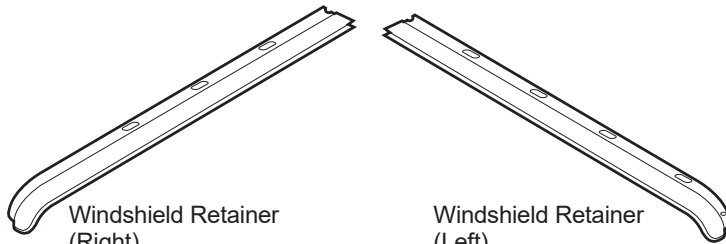
Snap Head Screw
Part # 200.49
Qty. 2



5/16" Flat Washer
Part # 233.04
Qty. 12

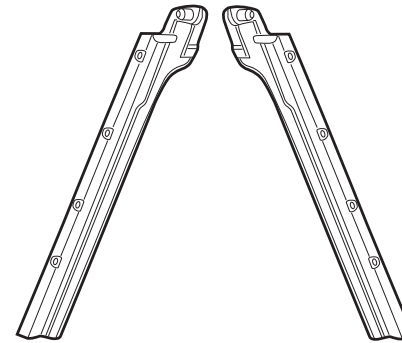


5/8" x 16 Tapping Plate
Part # 200.48
Qty. 12



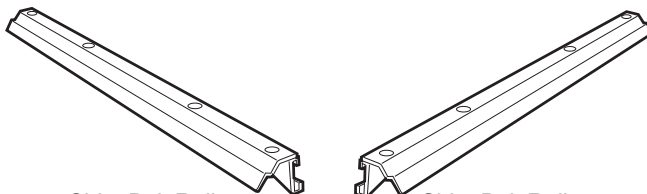
Windshield Retainer
(Right)
Qty. 1

Windshield Retainer
(Left)
Qty. 1



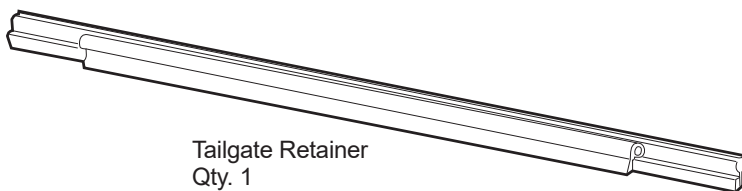
Windshield Flange
(Left)
Qty. 1

Windshield Flange
(Right)
Qty. 1

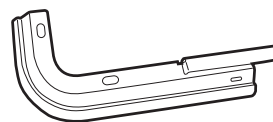


Side Belt Rail
(Left)
Qty. 1

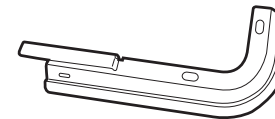
Side Belt Rail
(Right)
Qty. 1



Tailgate Retainer
Qty. 1



Corner Belt Rail
(Left)
Qty. 1



Corner Belt Rail
(Right)
Qty. 1

Not Shown

- 1 Top Fabric Assembly
- 1 Side Panel (Left)
- 1 Side Panel (Right)
- 1 Rear Window

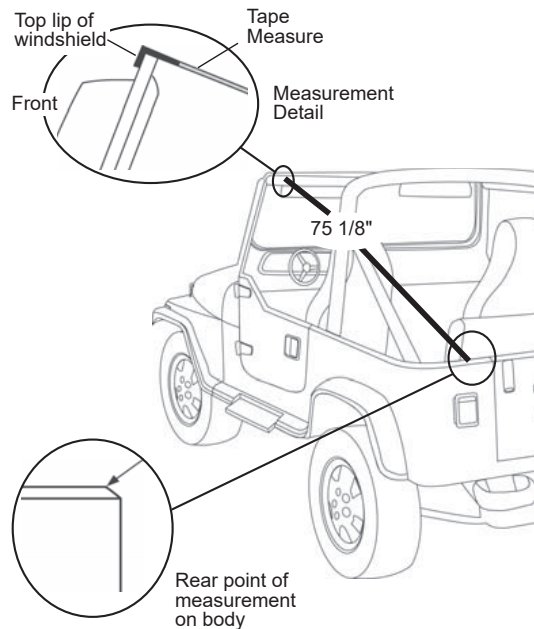


! WARNING Improper windshield adjustment will result in poor fitting top and doors, causing looseness or undue strain on the top.

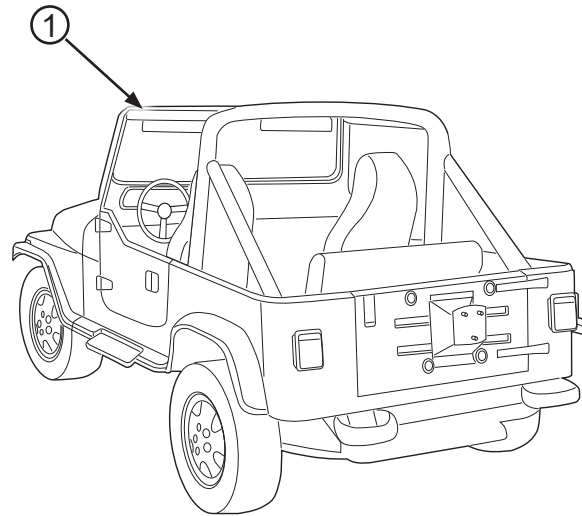
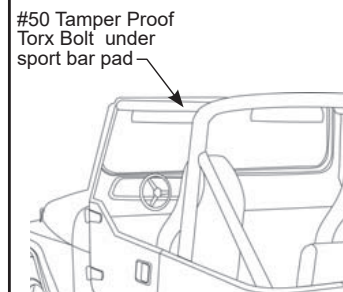
! WARNING After adjusting the windshield angle, make sure that the bolts on top of the sport tube and the windshield have been tightened.

Wrangler Windshield Measurement

Before installing the top, check the windshield measurement. The distance from the top lip of the windshield to the top outer edge of the body must be 75 1/8" on both sides of the vehicle. Measure 4"-6" inside the doors.



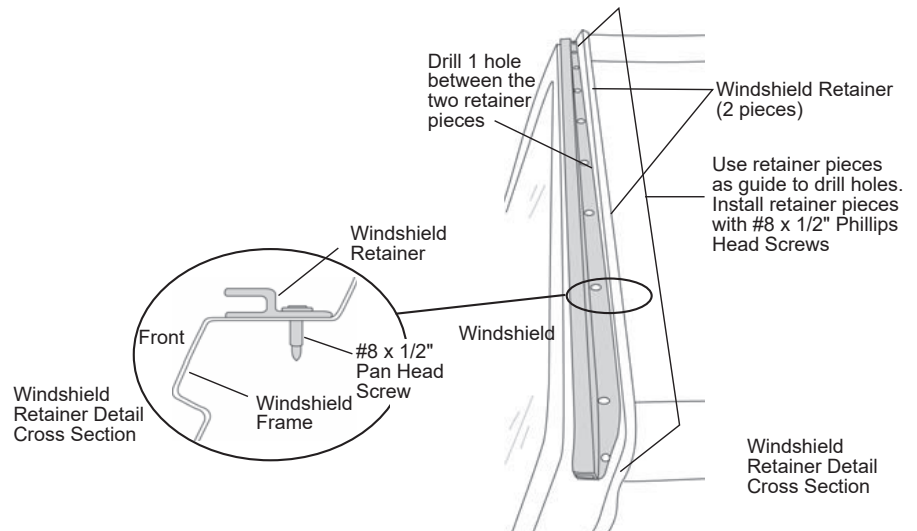
Wrangler/YJ Windshield Adjustment: If necessary, loosen the #50 Tamper Proof Torx Bolt on top of the side sport bar. Adjust the windshield and tighten the Torx Bolt.



! WARNING A loose Windshield Retainer may allow the top to disengage from the windshield, causing damage to the top and possible injury to the occupants of the vehicle. Make certain that the Windshield Retainer is securely fastened to the windshield during installation and at all other times by checking the tightness of the mounting screws every three months. Do not use any drill size other than 1/8". Failure to use the correct size may cause the Windshield Retainer to loosen.

1 Install Windshield Retainer

Position the two piece Windshield Retainer on top of windshield frame. Use retainer pieces as templates to mark, center punch and drill eleven 1/8" holes. Install with eleven #8 x 1/2" Pan Head Screws.

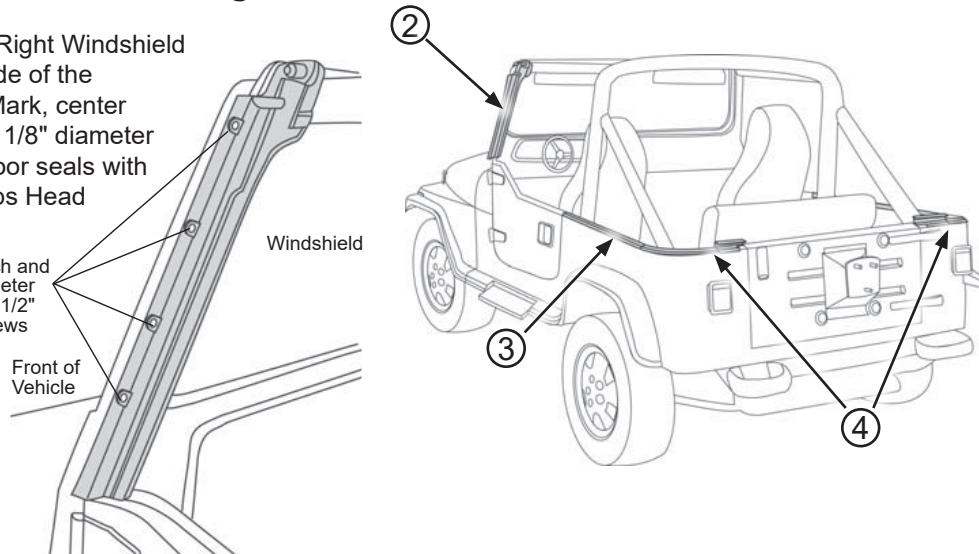




② Install Windshield Flanges

Install the Left and Right Windshield Flanges on each side of the windshield frame. Mark, center punch and drill four 1/8" diameter holes. Install the door seals with four #8 x 1/2" Phillips Head Screws.

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CAUTION

When drilling in the top edge of the vehicle body, check underneath for wiring for the rear lights. Pull the wiring out of the way before drilling.

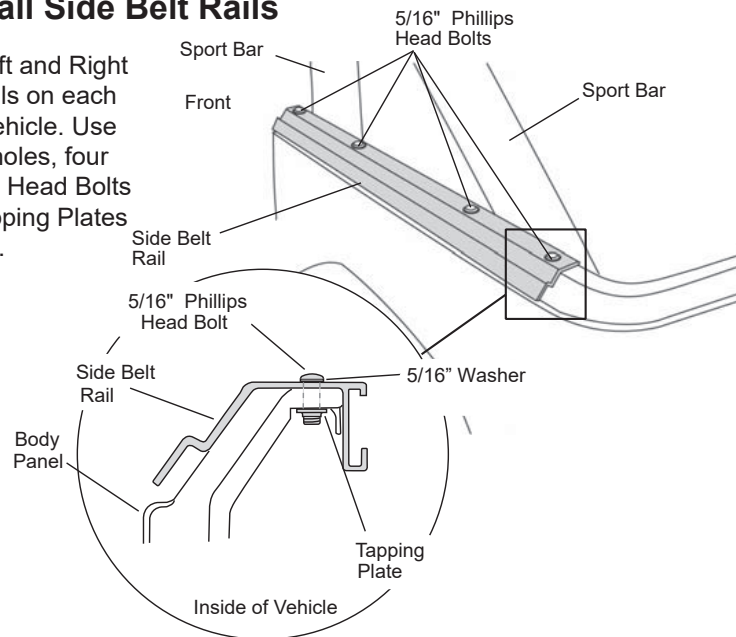
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Install Rear Corner Belt Rails

Install the Left and Right Rear Corner Belt Rails on each side of the vehicle. Notice that the Corner Belt Rails do not butt-up against the Side Belt Rails installed in Step 3, this is normal. Use the Corner Belt Rails as templates to mark, center punch and drill two 3/8" holes in the top edge of the vehicle body. Some vehicles may already have some of these holes. Install the Corner Belt Rails with two 5/16" Phillips Head Bolts, two 5/16" Washers and two 5/16" Tapping Plates. At the location of the remaining hole in the Corner Belt Rail, next to the tailgate, mark, center punch and drill a 1/8" hole. Install a #8 x 1/2" Pan Head Screw.

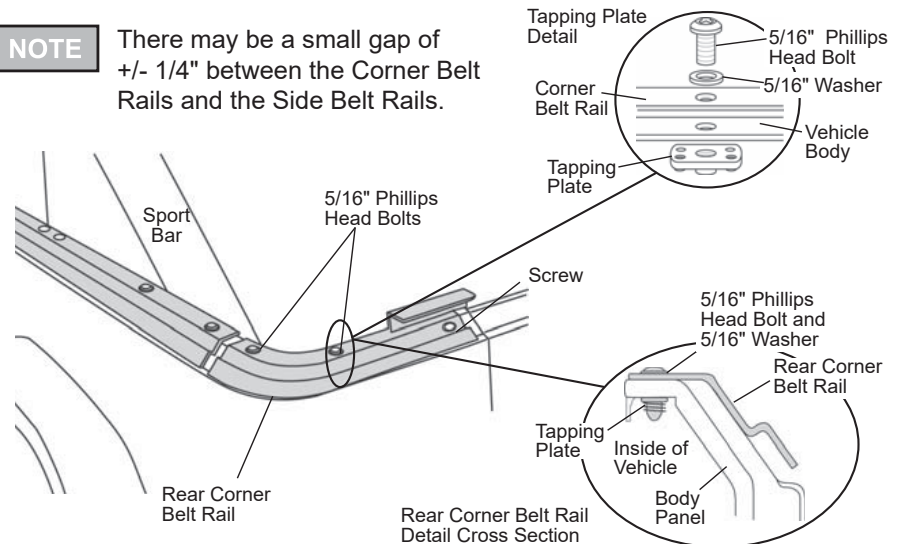
③ Install Side Belt Rails

Install the Left and Right Side Belt Rails on each side of the vehicle. Use the existing holes, four 5/16" Phillips Head Bolts and four Tapping Plates on each side.



NOTE

There may be a small gap of +/- 1/4" between the Corner Belt Rails and the Side Belt Rails.

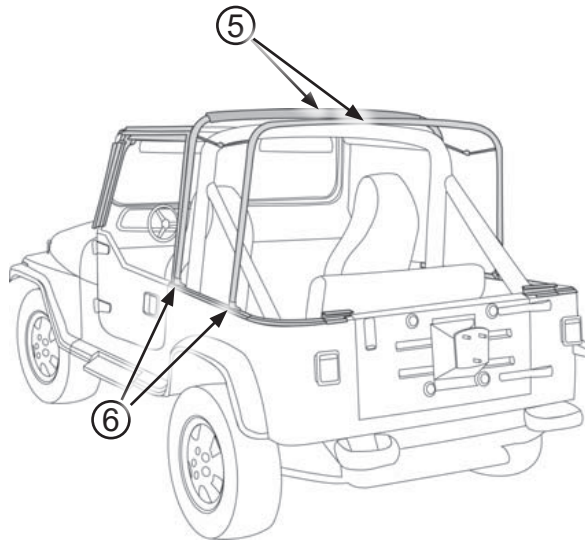
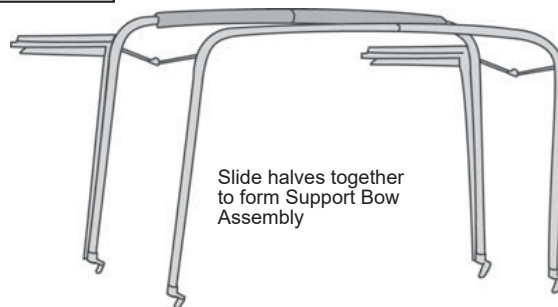
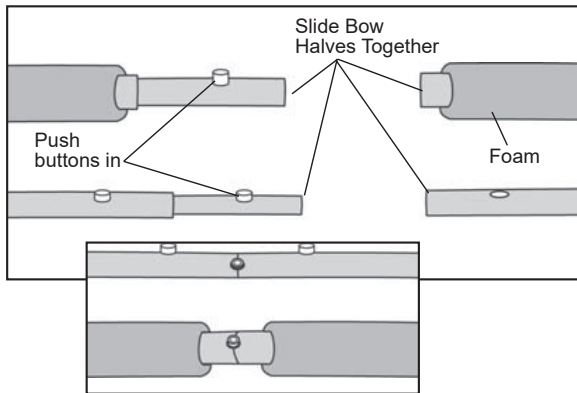




5 Assemble Support Bow

Assemble the two halves of the Support Bow. Orient the two pieces to each other and lay them on the floor. Slide the pieces together, pushing down on the buttons. Once the two halves are together install a Snap Head Screw in the hole formed in the center, front of each bow.

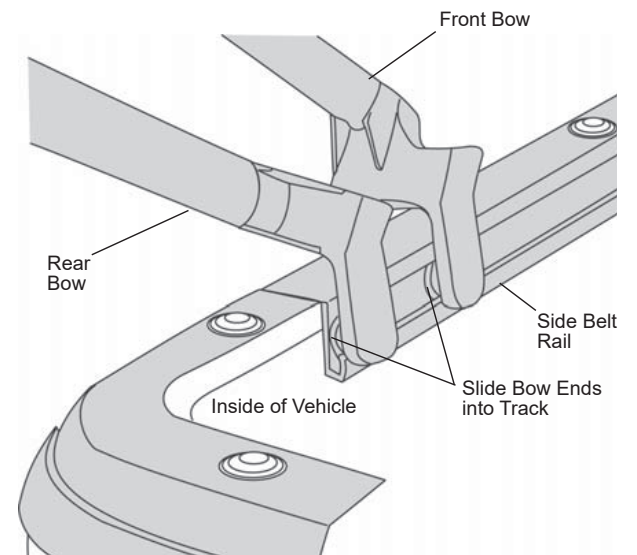
NOTE It may be helpful to use a flat screwdriver to push buttons down while sliding bow halves together.

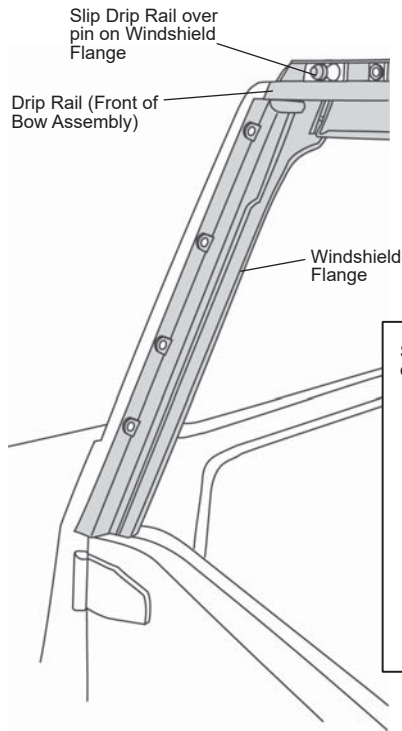


6 Install Bow Assembly in Belt Rails

Slide the ends of the front and rear bows into the tracks in the Side Belt Rails on each side of the vehicle. Start from the rear of the vehicle and slide the bow assembly toward the front.

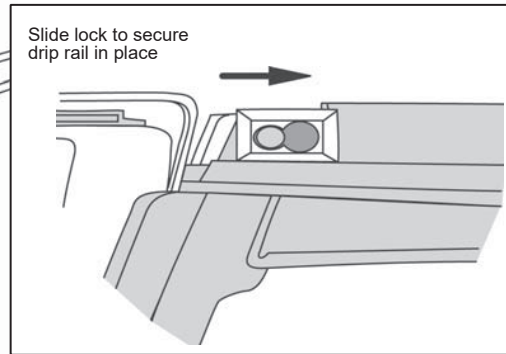
NOTE It may be helpful to have two people to slide both sides of the bow assembly forward at the same time.





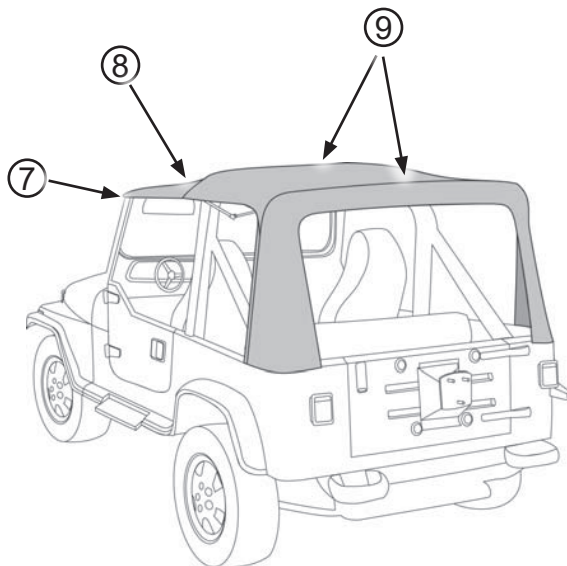
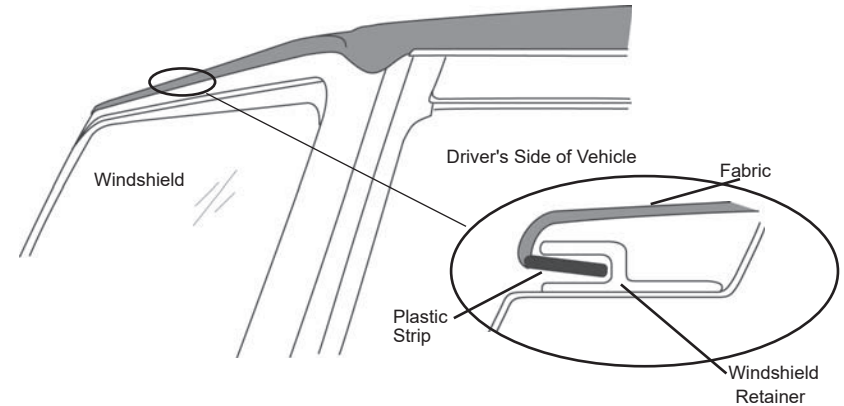
7 Secure Bow Assembly to Windshield Flanges

Attach the drip rail at the front of the Bow Assembly to the pin on the Windshield Flange and lock it into place on both sides of the vehicle.



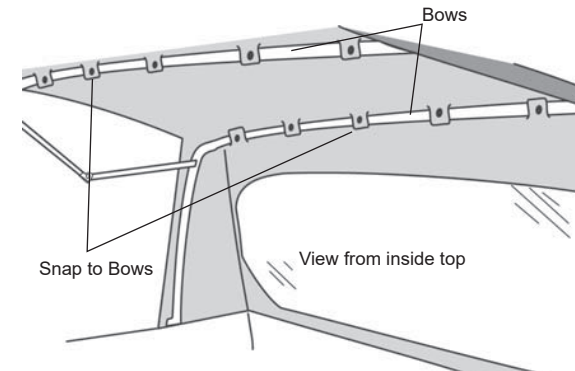
8 Secure Top Fabric to Windshield

Insert front of Top into Windshield Retainer.



9 Snap Top Fabric to Bows

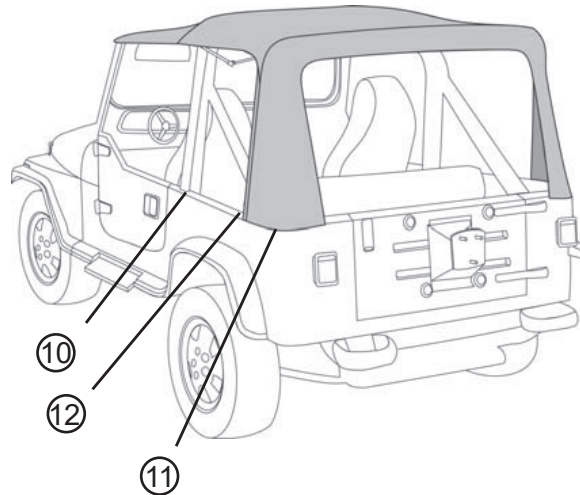
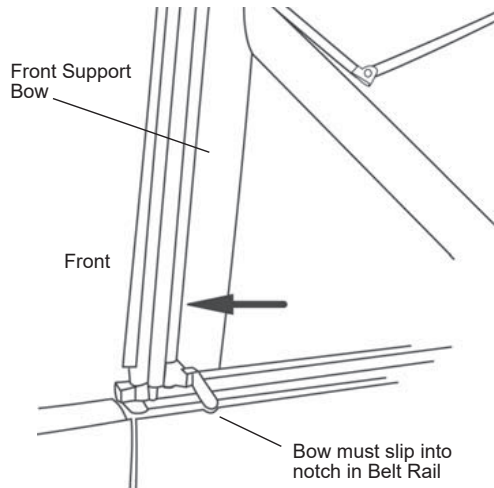
Locate the top and orient it on the vehicle. Start with the outside snaps and snap it to the Bows.





10 Slide Support Bow

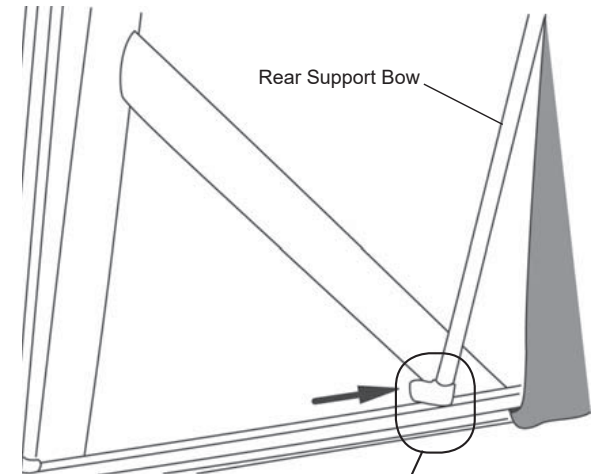
Push Front Support Bow all the way forward.



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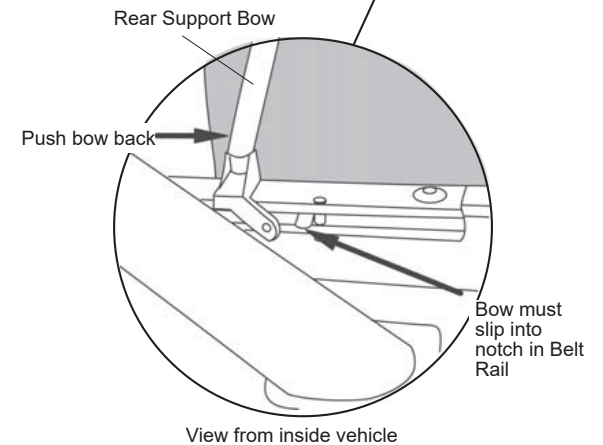
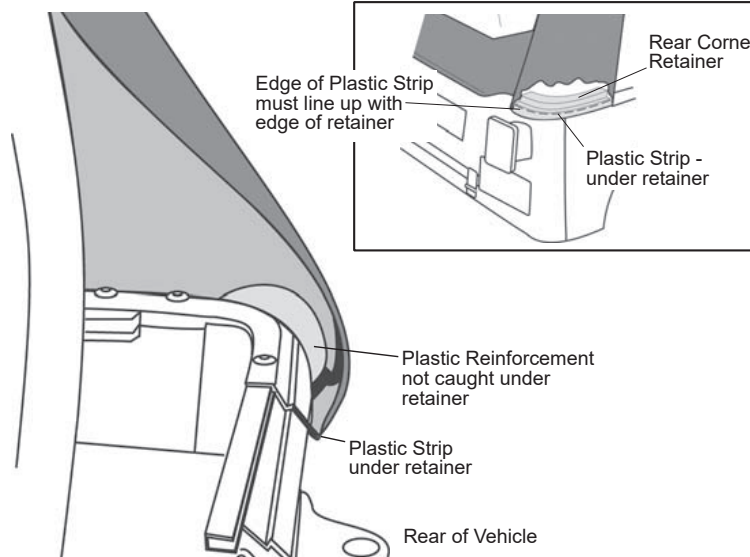
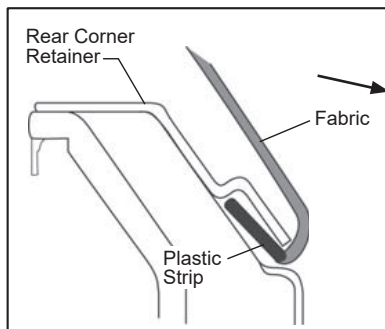
Pull the bottom of the Rear Support Bow back until it snaps into the notch in the Side Belt Rail.

NOTE Zippers must not be caught or folded behind Rear Support Bow.



12 Secure Rear Corners

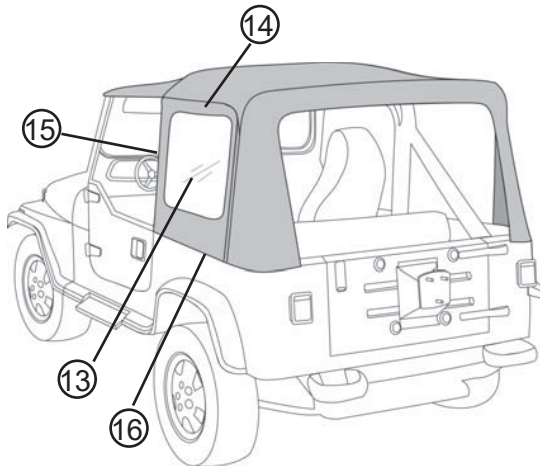
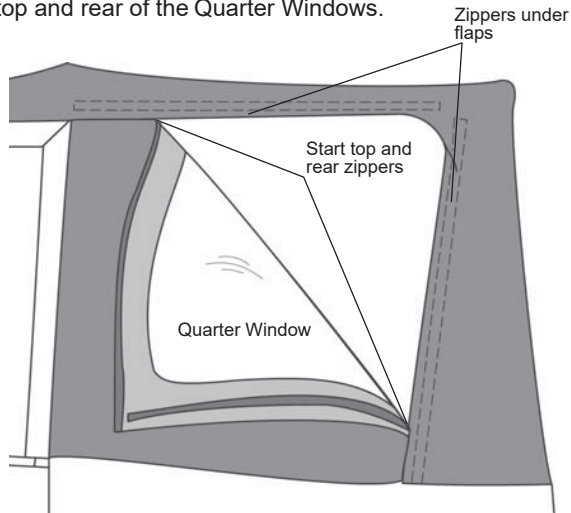
Insert rear corners of Top into Rear Corner Retainers.





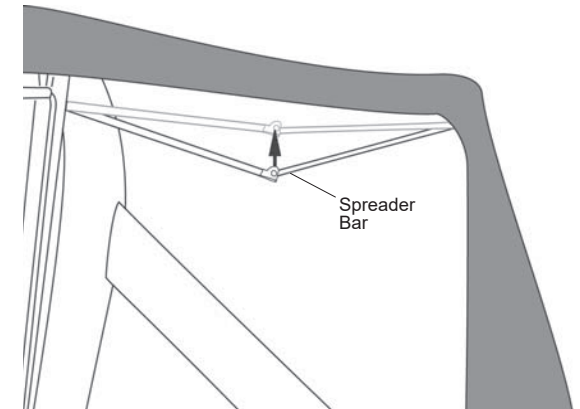
13 Install Quarter Windows

Start the zippers 2-3 inches on the top and rear of the Quarter Windows.



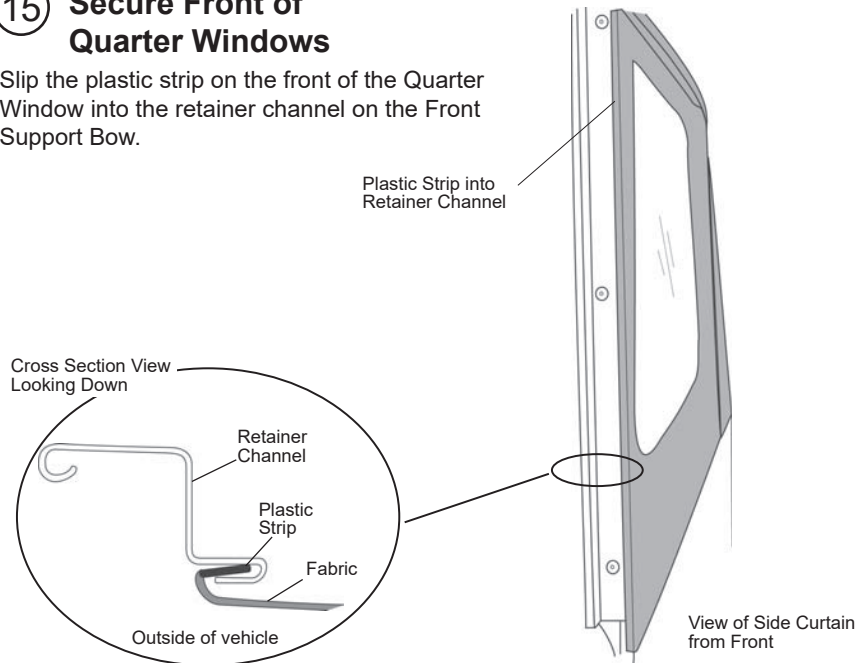
14 Tension Top Fabric

While pushing the lock buttons, push the spreader bars up until they snap into place. Do not push past horizontal.



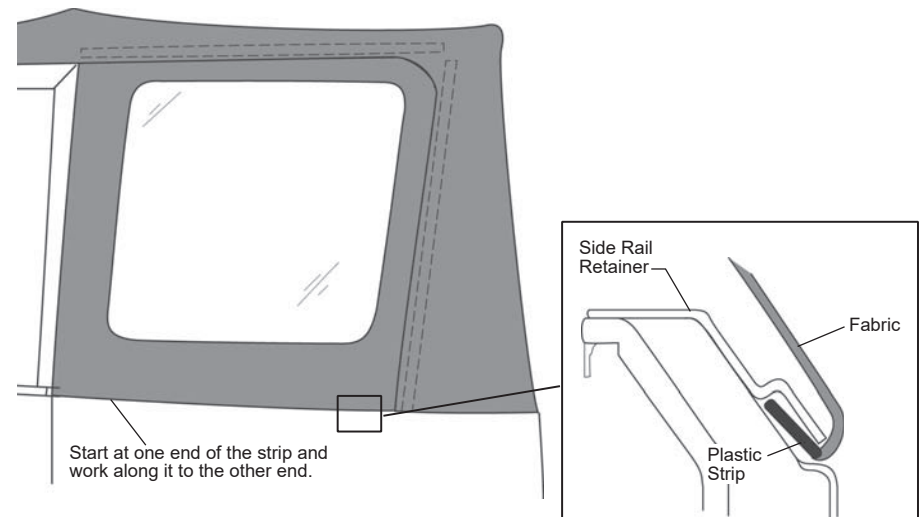
15 Secure Front of Quarter Windows

Slip the plastic strip on the front of the Quarter Window into the retainer channel on the Front Support Bow.



16 Secure Bottom of Quarter Windows

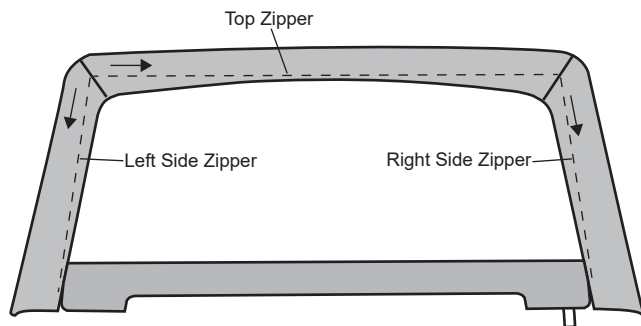
Slip the plastic strip on the bottom of the Quarter Windows into the Side Retainers. Close the top and rear zippers on the Quarter Windows.





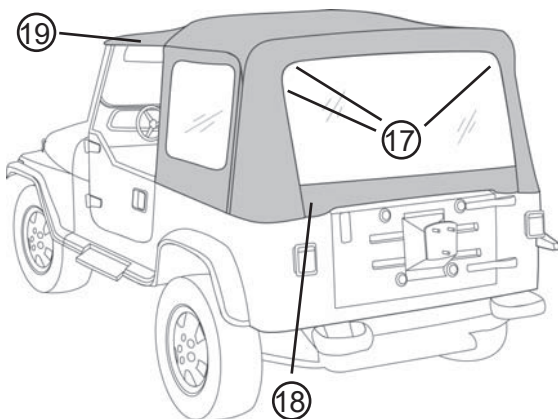
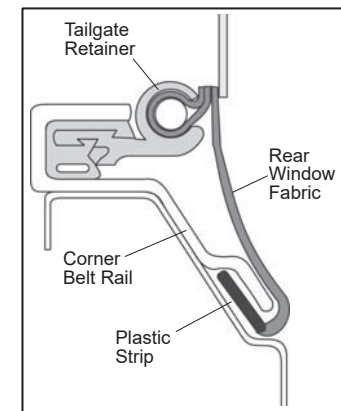
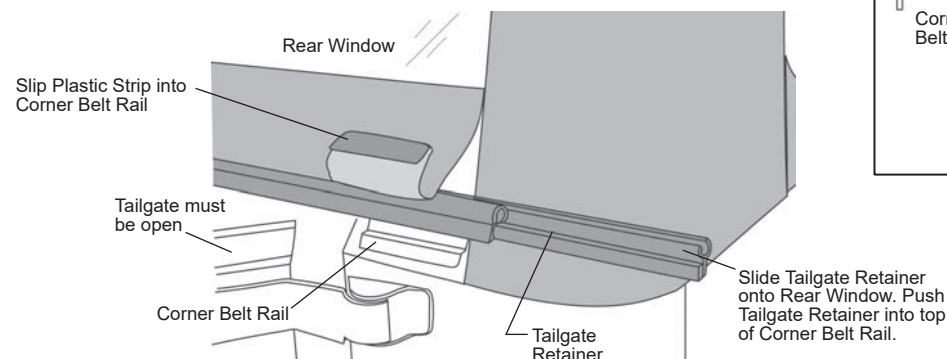
17 Install Rear Window

Start the three zippers on the Rear Window 2 -3 inches.



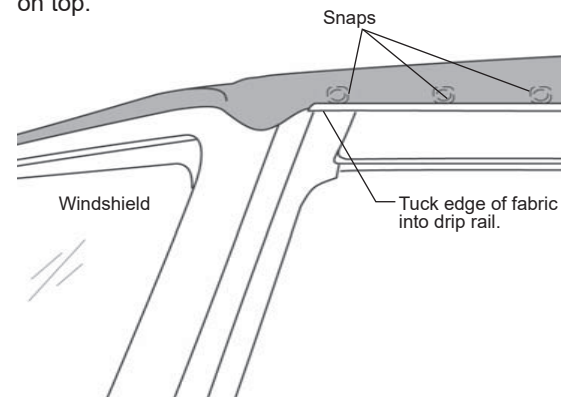
18 Install Tailgate Bar

Open the tailgate. Slide the Tailgate Retainer onto the bottom of the Rear Window. Close the Rear Window zippers. Push the Tailgate Retainer into the top of the Corner Belt Rails. Slip the plastic on the bottom of the fabric under the bottom of the Corner Belt Rails then finish zipping the Rear Window.



19 Secure Top Fabric Above Doors

Fasten snaps on top, above doors, to studs on vehicle. Studs will slide to match location of snaps on top.



Care and Maintenance of your Bestop Product

Your Bestop product is made of the finest materials available. To keep it looking new and for the maximum possible wear, it will need periodic cleaning and maintenance.

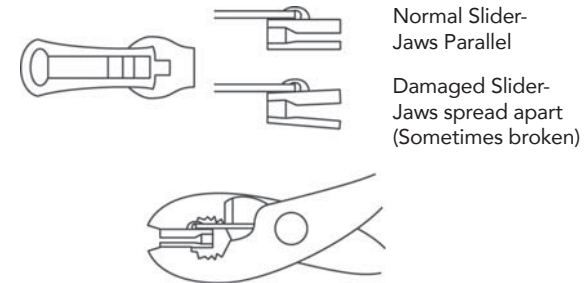
Fabric: The fabric should be washed often using soap, warm water and a soft bristle brush. Rinse with clear water to remove all traces of soap. Bestop recommends using Bestop Cleaner (part no. 11201-00) and Bestop Protectant (part no. 11202-00) for Vinyl fabric and Bestop Twill Protectant (part no. 11207-00) for Twill fabric. Bestop Cleaner and Bestop Protectant are specially formulated to provide a total cleaning and protection system. Bestop Cleaner safely removes the toughest stains, will not harm vehicle finishes, is biodegradable and environmentally friendly. Bestop Protectant protects against UV-fading, cracking and hardening, and repels dust, grease, dirt and mildew.

Windows: Keep windows clean to avoid scratching. DO NOT use a brush on the windows! Wash with a water-soaked cloth or sponge and a mild dishwashing detergent. Bestop recommends Bestop Vinyl Window Cleaner (part no. 11203-00), which safely cleans and protects vinyl windows and helps prevent UV damage. NEVER WIPE THE WINDOWS WHEN THEY ARE DRY. Be careful when cleaning snow or frost from the vinyl windows since they are easily scratched and may crack at low temperatures. DO NOT roll the sides or rear window in cold weather. The windows become stiff and will crack. Cracks caused by misuse in cold temperatures are not covered under warranty.

Water: Seeping through at the seams may be stopped by applying 3-M Scotchgard® on the inside of the seams.

Snaps: Keep snaps cleaned and lubricated with silicone to help prevent snaps from sticking to the studs. If a snap does become stuck to a stud, use a screwdriver and GENTLY pry apart to prevent permanent damage to the snap or the top fabric.

Zippers: Keeping zippers cleaned and lubricated with Bestop's Zipper Cleaner (part no. 11206-00) will help prevent damage and keep the zippers in smooth working condition. If a zipper opens behind the slider, the slider may have been spread apart. This problem can usually be repaired by using an ordinary pair of pliers to bring the sides back into parallel. Return slider to the end of the zipper in the normal Open position. Squeeze lightly at first and test the zipper. If the zipper continues to remain open squeeze more firmly with the pliers and try the zipper again. Repeat this procedure until the zipper operates correctly.



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