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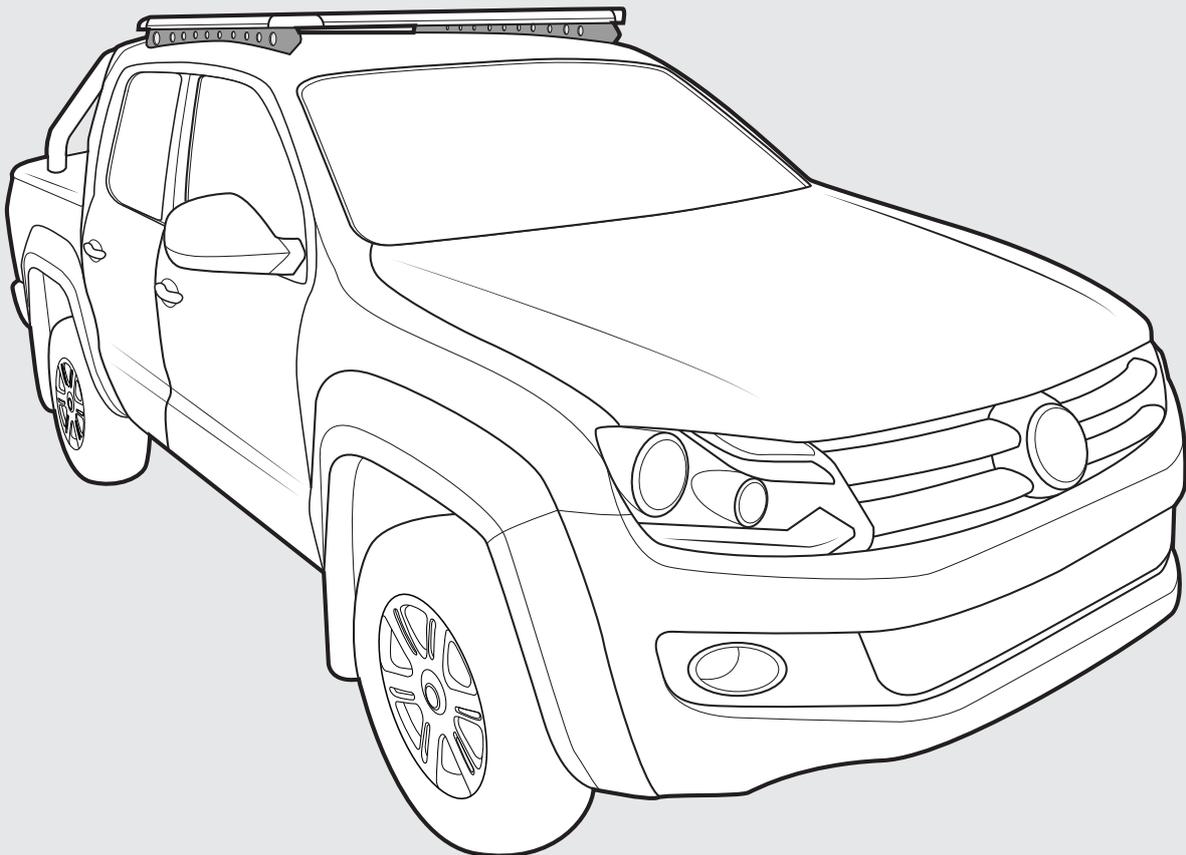
## VOLKSWAGEN Amarok Backbone

### RVAB1

**Important:**

1. Check the Rhino-Rack website to ensure you have the latest issue of these instructions.
2. Please refer to your fitting instruction to ensure that the roof racks are installed in the correct locations.
3. Check the contents of kit before commencing fitment and report any discrepancies.
4. Place these instructions in the vehicle's glove box after installation is complete.
5. These instructions must be followed for warranty to be upheld.

**Fit Time:** 1 hour



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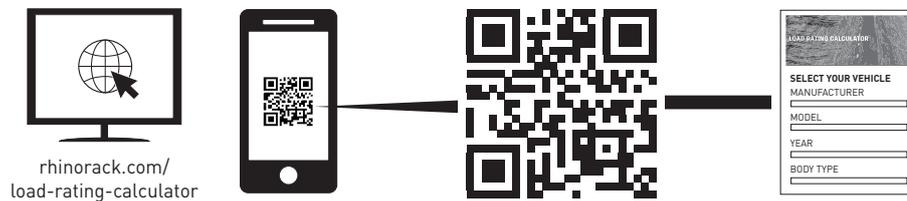
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## Carrying Capacity

Check the website and the vehicle owners hand book for your vehicle manufacturer's maximum carrying capacity. Load must be evenly distributed over the system.



### Cargo Load Limit

Total permissible weight allowed on top, and attached to the rack whilst the vehicle is in motion.



### System Weight

Total weight of the rack system. (e.g. Crossbars, Backbone, Platform)



### Max System Load Capacity

Please ensure you use the vehicle manufacturer's maximum roof allowance if it is lower than the figure listed in the fitting chart/supplement.



### Vehicle Manufacturer's Load Limit

Total permissible weight attached to the rack. This is inclusive of the weight of the rack system.

## Warning

- Check part number or kit is correct for use with your vehicle.
- Do not attempt to fit the rack system to your vehicle unless you fully understand these fitting instructions. Please direct any questions regarding fitting to the dealer from where the roof racks were purchased.
- Off-road conditions can be much more rigorous. Extreme care must be taken on any driven path that does not contain a surface protection layer (tar/bitumen).
- Racks must be removed when vehicle is put through an automatic car wash.
- With utility/pick up vehicles, the cabin and the utility tray/truck bed move independently. Racks and vehicle can be damaged if the item transported is rigidly fixed at points on both the cabin and utility tray/truck bed. Instead, rigidly fix to either the utility tray/bed racks or the canopy roof racks.
- Always ensure you fasten your load securely.
- Use only non-stretch fastening ropes or straps to attach cargo to your load.

## In service maintenance checks

- All bolt connections should be checked after driving a short distance when you first install your roof racks.
- All bolted connections should be checked again at regular intervals (weekly is recommended, depending on road conditions, usage, loads and distances travelled).
- All bolted connections should be checked each time they are re-fitted.
- Off-road conditions are more rigorous. Check all bolted connections and your load more regularly.
- Ensure that your vehicle manufacturer's GVM, and gross axle weights are not exceeded (refer to vehicle owner's manual).

### Torque Settings:

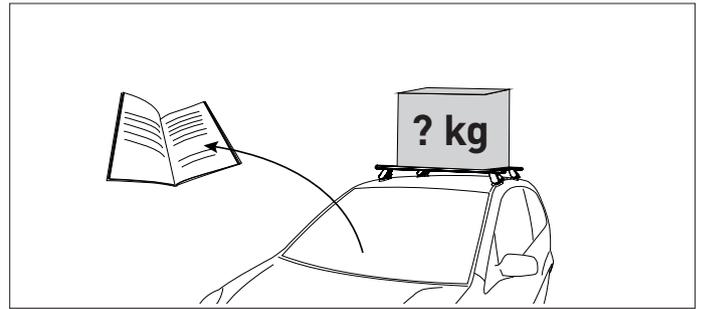
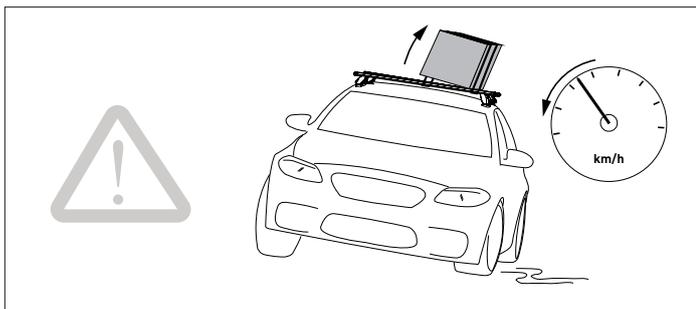
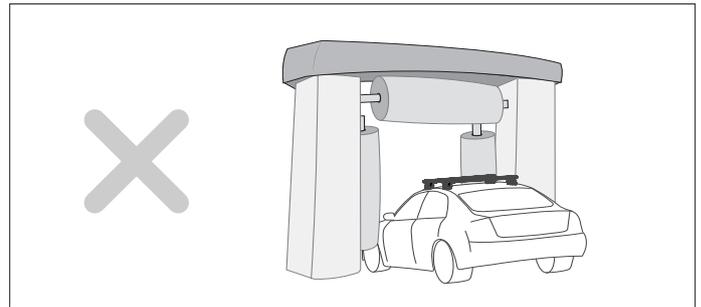
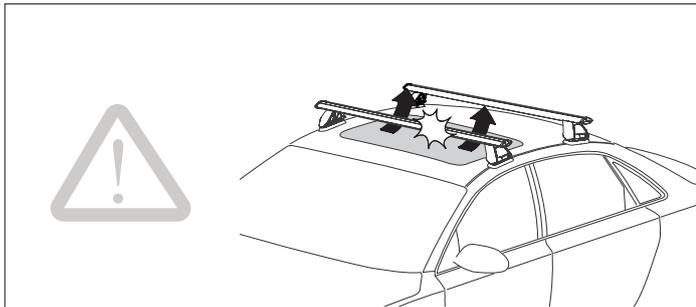
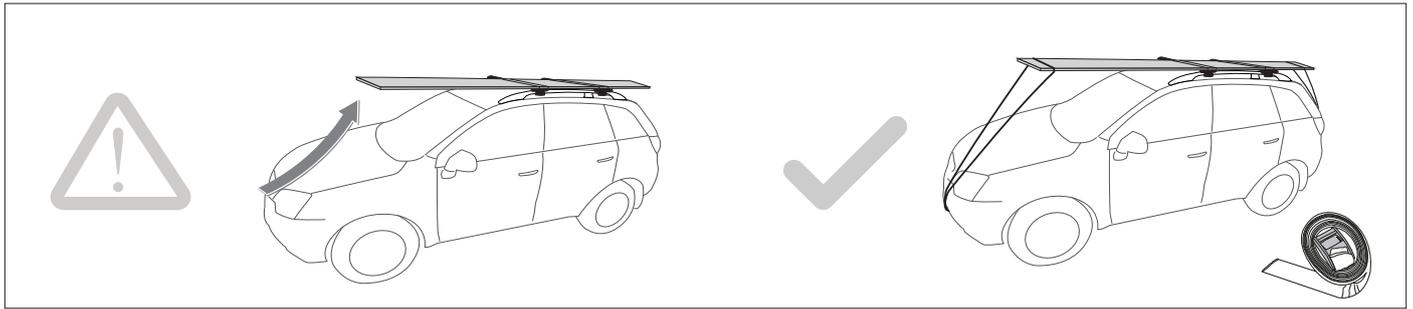
Unless stated otherwise in these instructions, all fasteners should be set to the following torque settings:



## Note for Dealers and Fitters

It is your responsibility to ensure these fitting instructions are given to the end user or client. These instructions remain the property of Rhino-Rack Australia Pty. Ltd. and may not be used or changed for any other purpose than intended.

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The handling characteristics of the vehicle changes when a load is transported on the roof. Exercise extreme care when transporting wind-resistant loads. Special consideration must be taken when cornering and braking.

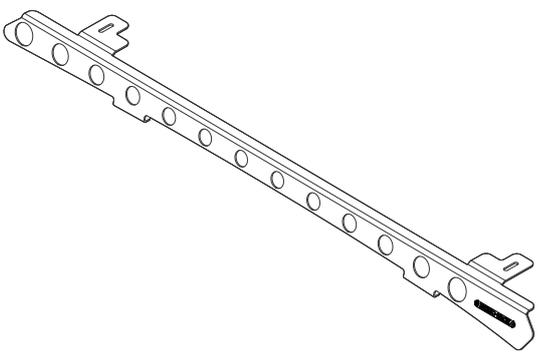
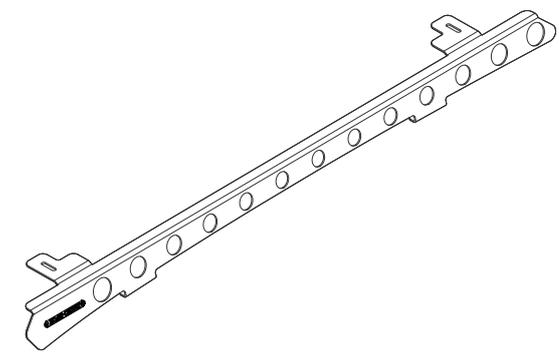
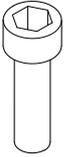
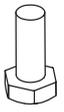
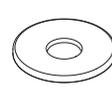
Off-road conditions can be much more rigorous. Extreme care must be taken in off-road conditions.

Ensure Ladder is well supported on the ground to support tent. Take extreme caution when climbing heights above 1.2m/4ft.

Paddle/ Surfboards should be fixed to the front of the vehicle.

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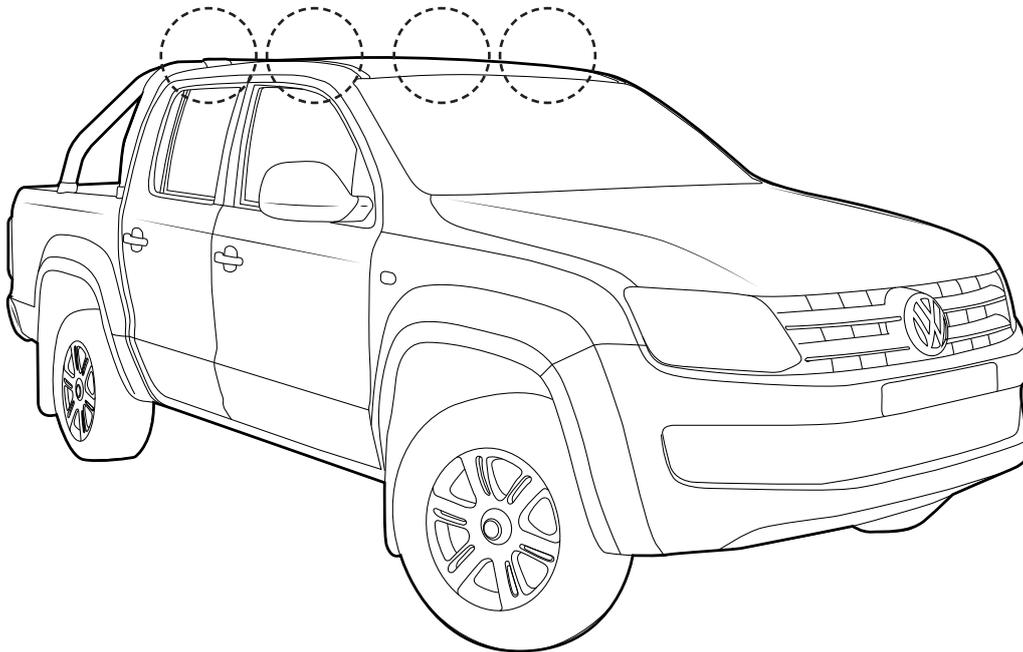
## Parts List

<p>Backbone Right</p>  <p><b>A</b> x1</p>	<p>Backbone Left</p>  <p><b>B</b> x1</p>		
<p>M6 x 16mm Socket Head Screw</p>  <p><b>C</b> x4</p>	<p>M6 Spring Washer</p>  <p><b>D</b> x4</p>	<p>M6 x 18 Flat Washer</p>  <p><b>E</b> x4</p>	<p>Butyl Patch 20 x 20mm</p>  <p><b>F</b> x4</p>
<p>Pioneer NG Bolt Kit</p>  <p><b>G</b> x4</p>	<p>Ball End Allen Key</p>  <p><b>H</b> x1</p>	<p>M8 x 20mm Hex SetScrew</p>  <p><b>I</b> x4</p>	<p>M8 Spring Washer</p>  <p><b>J</b> x4</p>
<p>M8 x 19mm Flat Washer</p>  <p><b>K</b> x4</p>	<p>M8 Channel Nut</p>  <p><b>L</b> x4</p>	<p>Instruction</p>  <p><b>M</b> x1</p>	

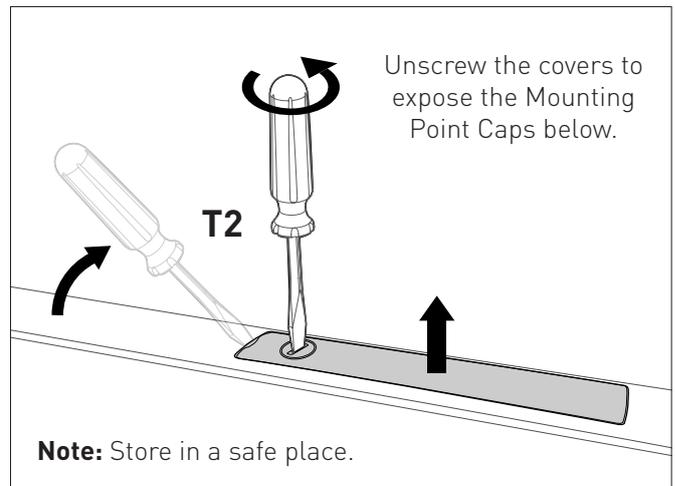
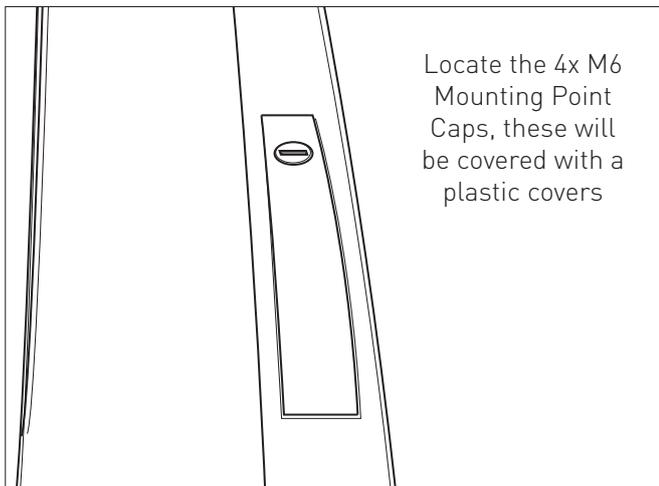
### Tools Required:

- T1 - 13mm Socket Wrench/ Spanner
- T2 - Flat Blade Screw Driver
- T3 - Clean Cloth

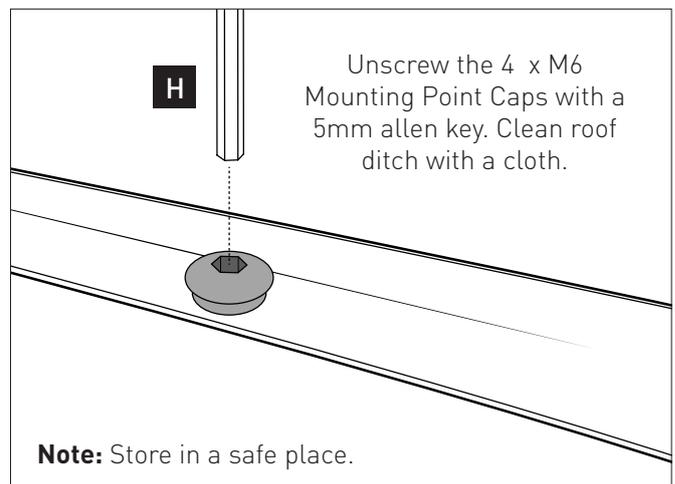
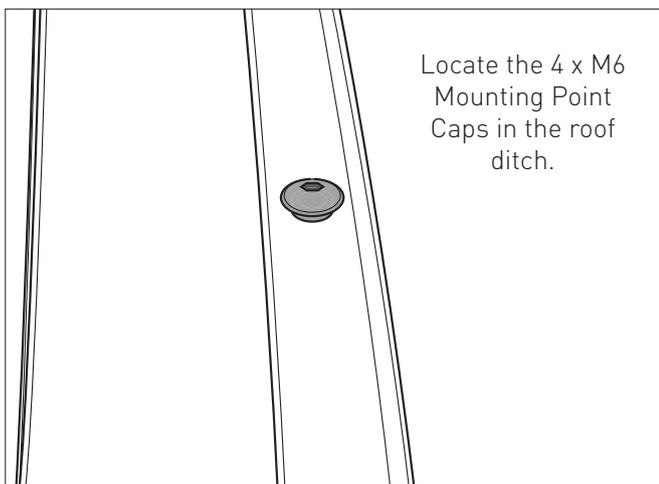
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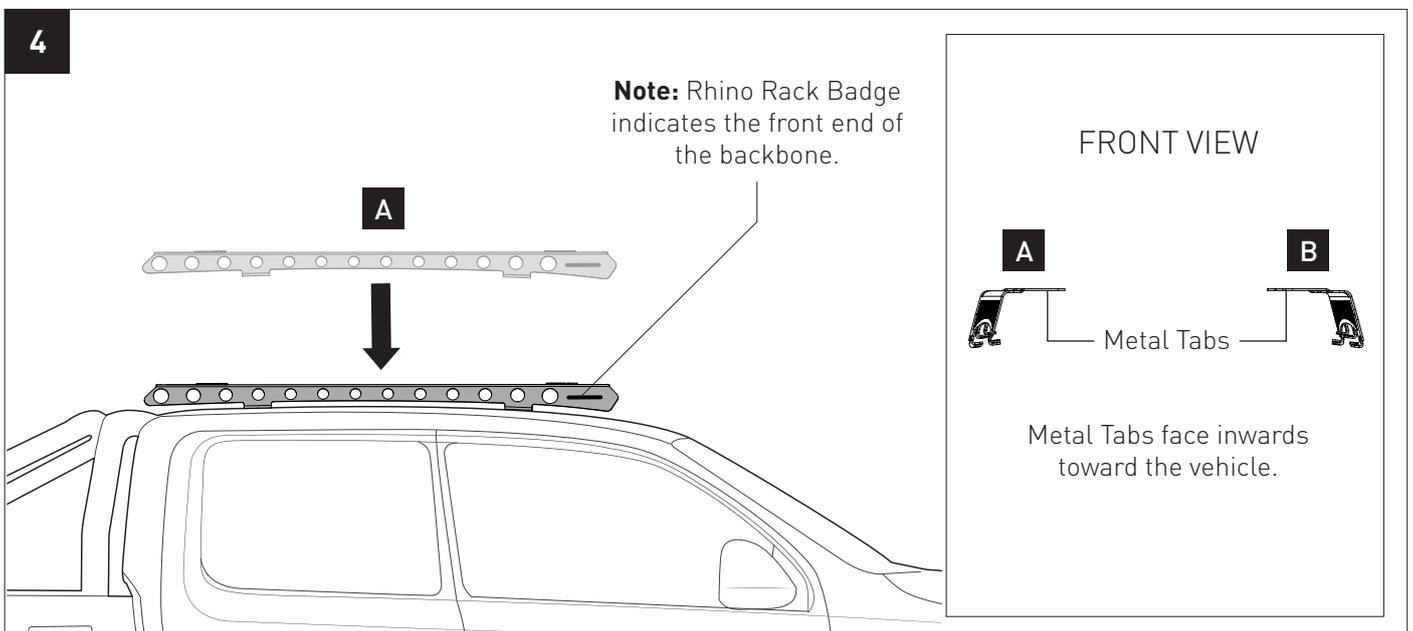
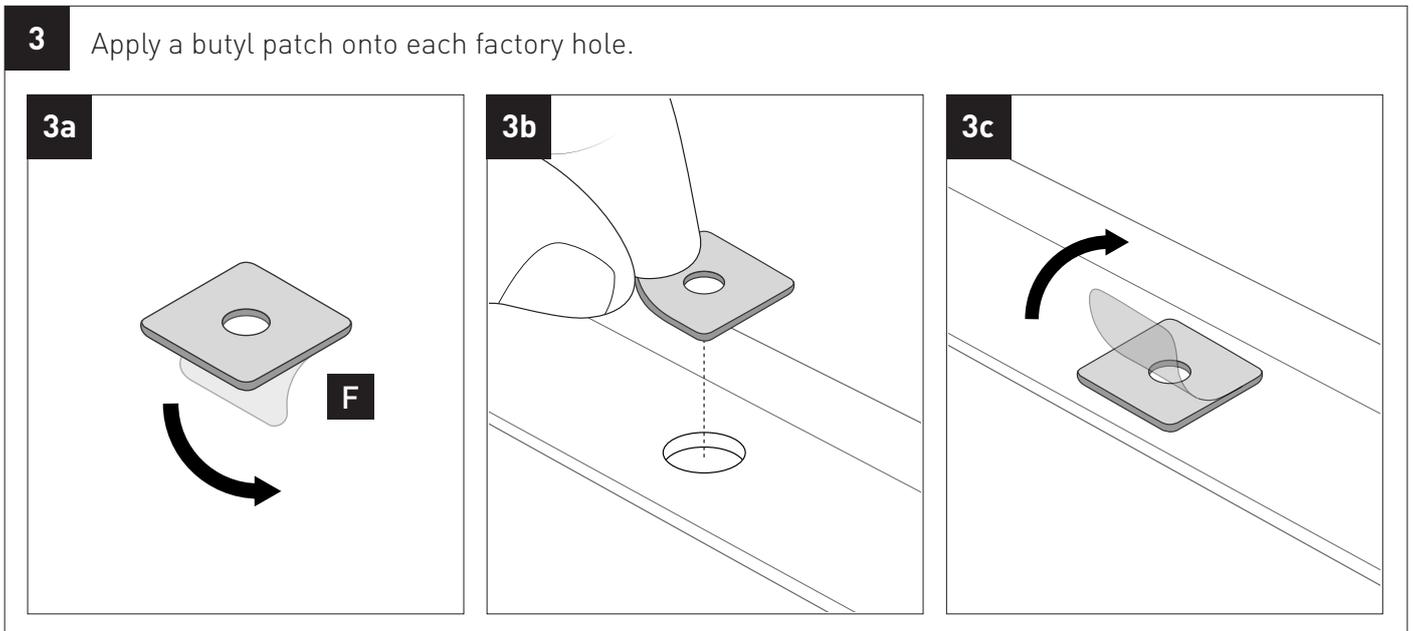
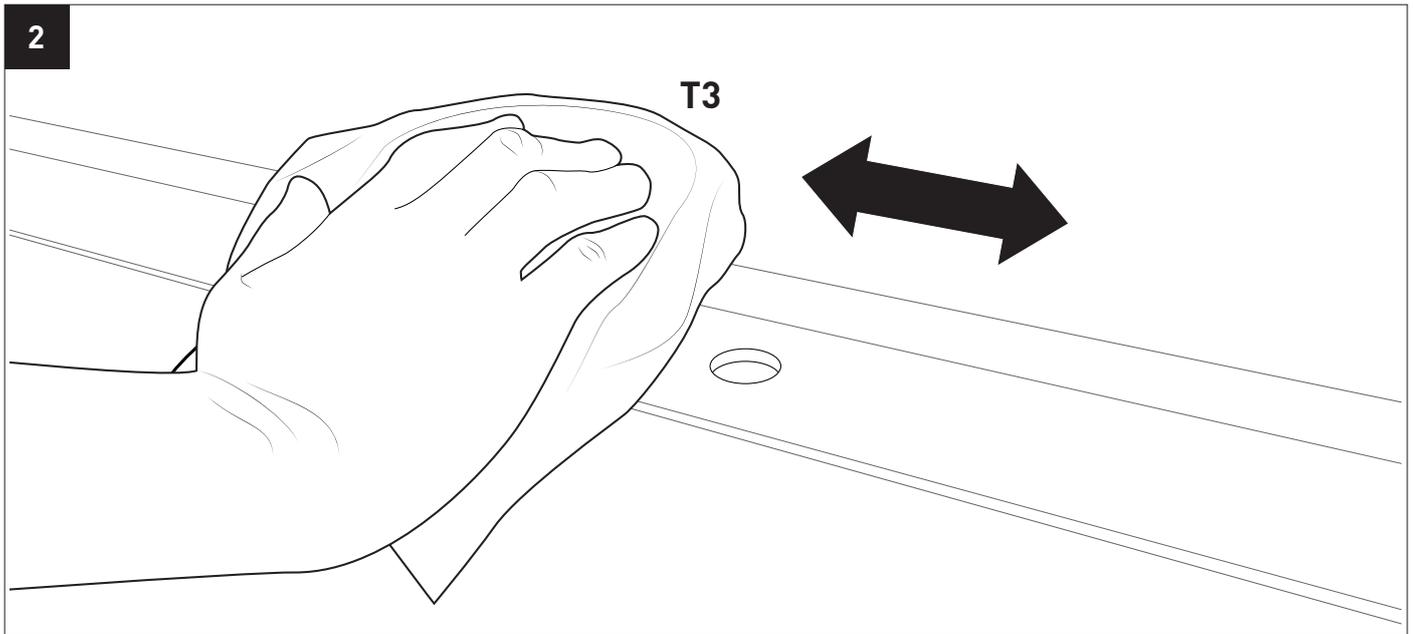
### ROOF WITH DITCH FILL



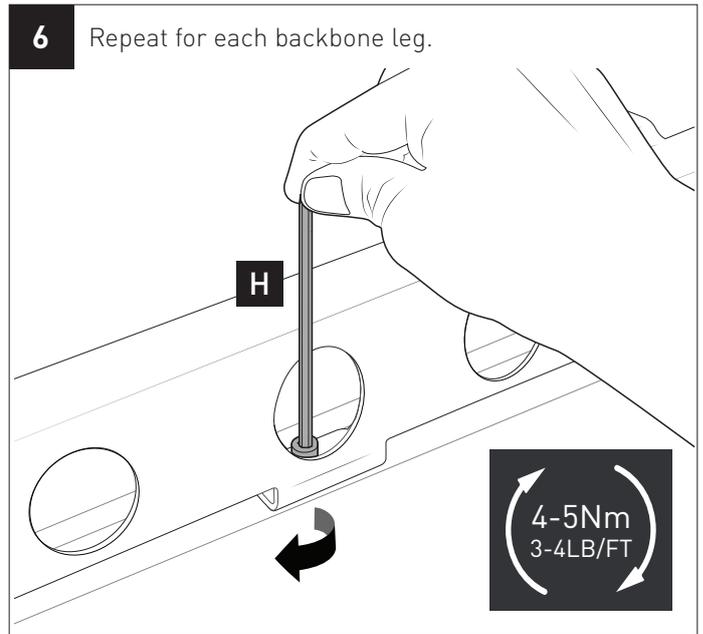
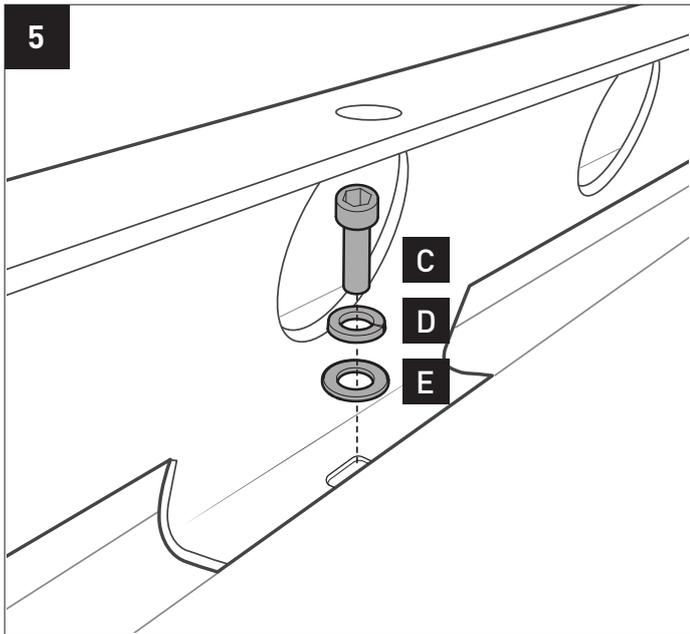
### ROOF WITH NO DITCH FILL



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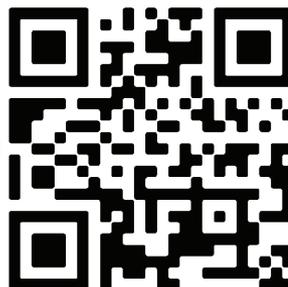
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**7** PLATFORM INSTALLATION



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**RHINO-RACK | PIONEER VEHICLE FITTING INFORMATION**

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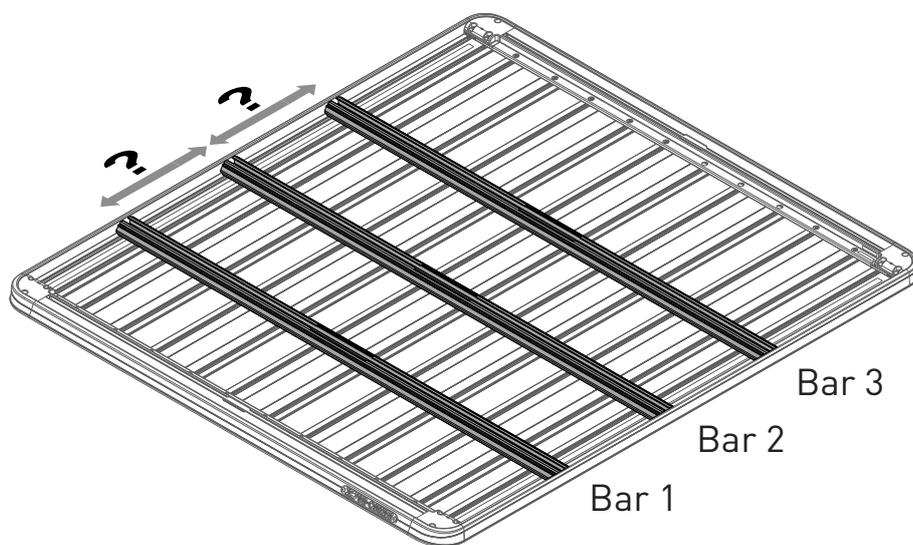
UP TO 96 Kg + 24 Kg = UP TO 120 Kg  
 212 lbs + 53 lbs = 265 lbs

VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S ROOF LOAD LIMIT

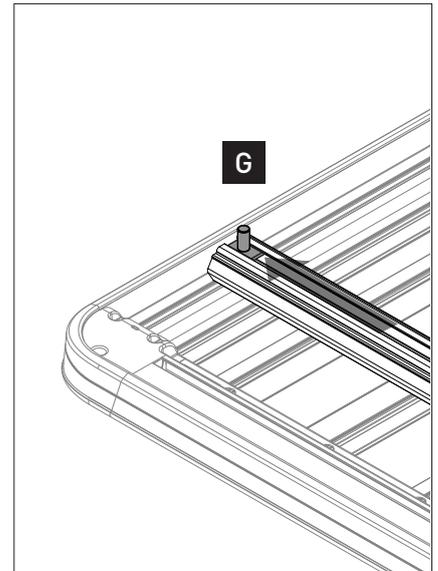
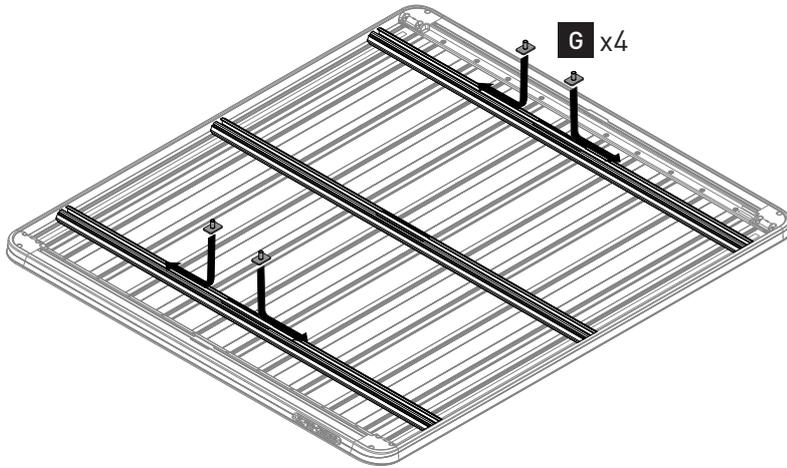
UNDERBAR SPACING

BAR NO.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
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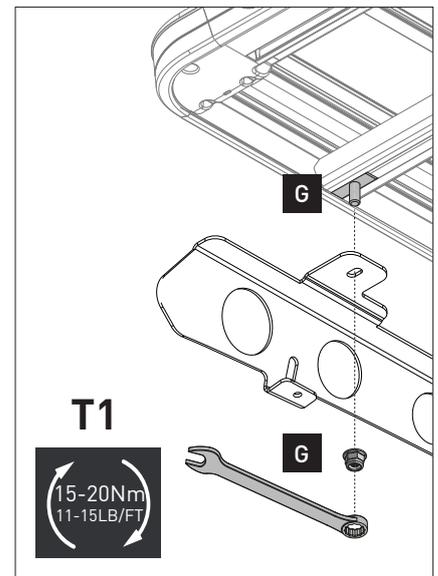
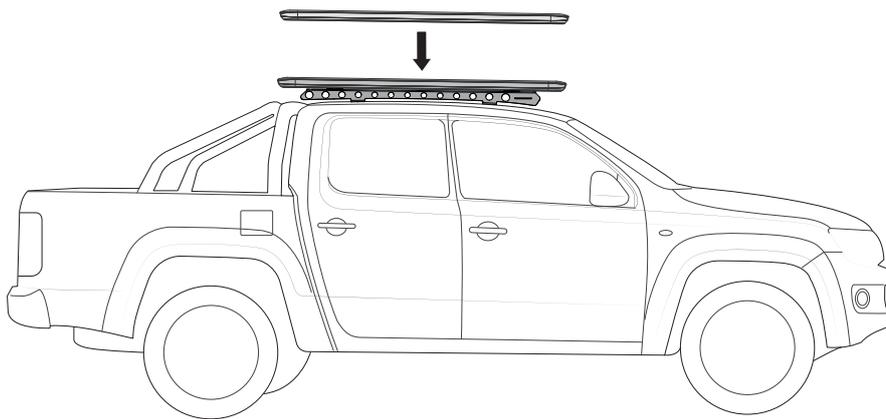
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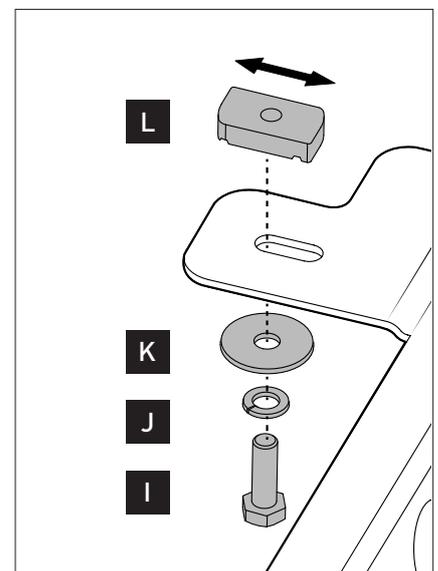
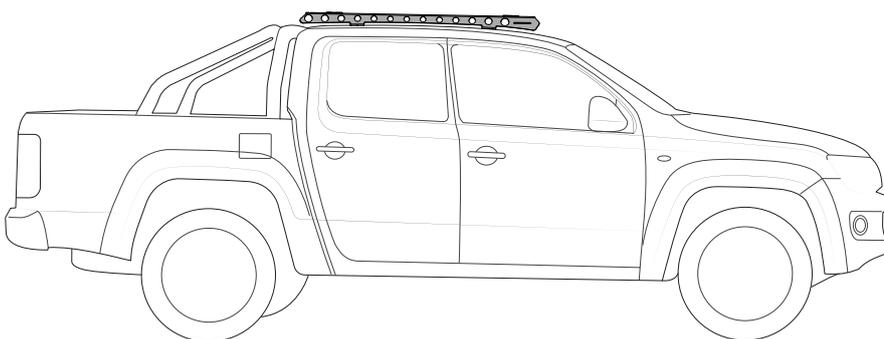
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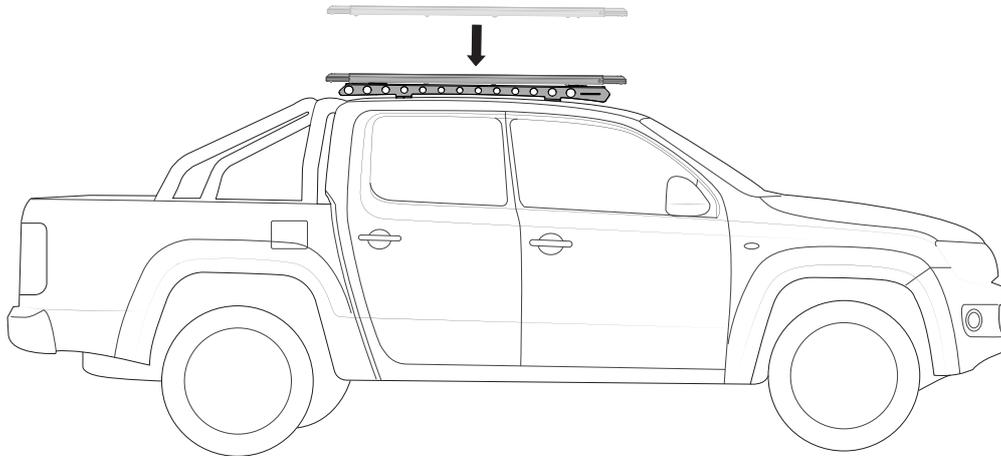
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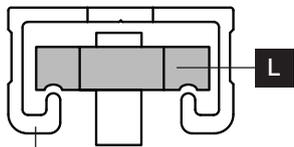
## 11 For 4XXXX Series Platform



12 For 4XXXX Series Platform



Ensure channel nut has rotated within Pioneer underbar and is fixing Pioneer securely.



Pioneer underbar

