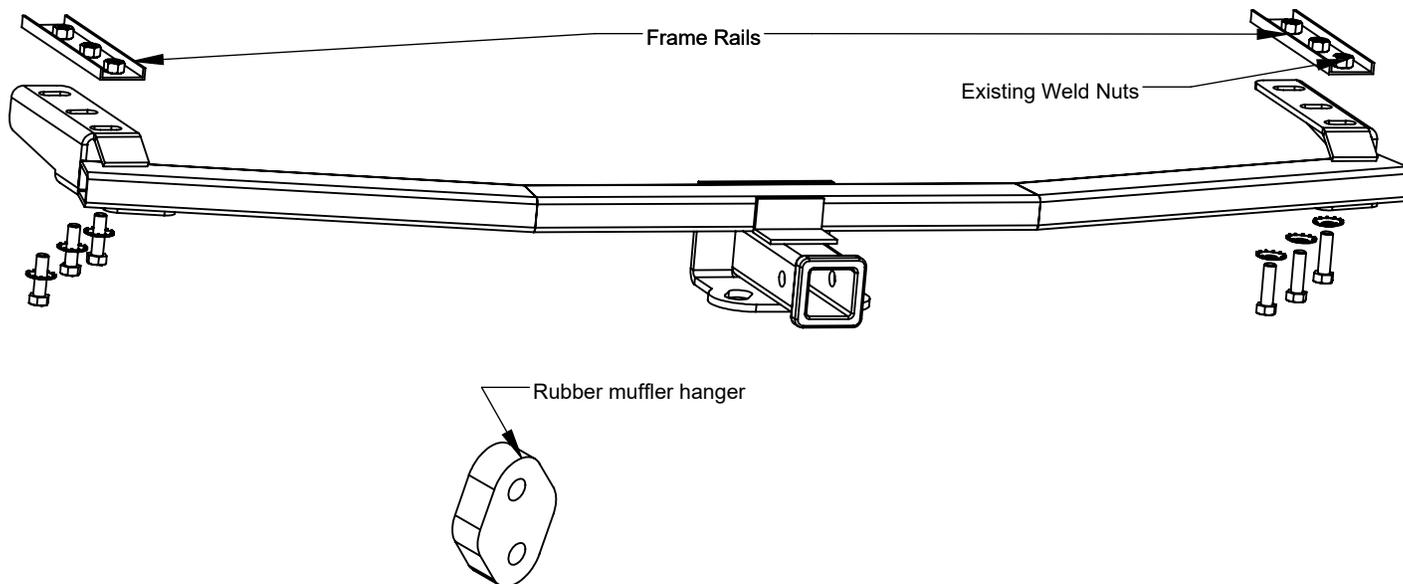


**CLASS 3 TRAILER HITCH
R3-0389
Honda Pilot/ Acura MDX**

**TOOLS REQUIRED:
DRILLS: None
WRENCHES: 10mm, 14mm, 17mm, 19mm**

HITCH RATING: 3,500 LBS WEIGHT CARRYING, 350 LBS TONGUE WEIGHT / 5,000 LBS WEIGHT DISTRIBUTING, 500 LBS TONGUE WEIGHT.
WARNING: CONSULT VEHICLE OWNERS MANUAL FOR TOWING RECOMMENDATIONS. DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY. THIS PRODUCT IS DESIGNED FOR TRAILER TOWING ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.

NOTE: INSTALL PARTS LOOSELY UNTIL ALL ATTACHMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO VEHICLE



Note: A transmission cooler and a power steering cooler are required for max. towing capacity (See vehicle owner's manual for details).

2001-2003 Acura MDX & 2003-2008 Honda Pilot:

1. Remove tow hook from driver's side of vehicle and return to vehicle owner.
2. Support the exhaust to prevent damaging the exhaust system. Lower the exhaust by removing the three rubber muffler hangers.
3. Raise the hitch into position and install the six metric hex bolts and conical washers provided into the six existing weld nuts in the frame.
4. Tighten all fasteners to the appropriate torque specifications shown below.
5. Reinstall the muffler hangers removed in step 2.
6. If exhaust rattle occurs, trim the rearward exhaust heat shield between cross tube and muffler.

Note: On the 2004-2006 Acura MDX there is a plastic fascia under covering that must be removed prior to hitch installation. Return to vehicle owner.

Thank you for purchasing a Rigid Hitch

TIGHTEN ALL FASTENERS TO THE TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS SHOWN BELOW

Hardware Package:

- (6) M12 x 1.25 x 35mm Hex Bolts
- (6) 1/2" Conical Washers
- (1) MRC-2 Cover

GIVE THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET TO VEHICLE OWNER

BOLT TIGHTENING TORQUE (LB-FT)			
BOLT SIZE	TORQUE	BOLT SIZE	TORQUE
3/8"	25 LB FT	8MM	20 LB FT
7/16"	50 LB FT	10MM	38 LB FT
1/2"	60 LB FT	12MM	68 LB FT
3/4"	120 LB FT		

THIS PRODUCT COMPLIES WITH SAFETY SPECIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR SAE AND VESC REGULATION V-5 FOR CONNECTING DEVICES AND TOWING SYSTEMS. DO NOT MODIFY THIS PRODUCT. INSTALL ONLY ON SPECIFIED VEHICLES IN GOOD CONDITION.

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