



# 31061 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



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

YEARS: "09" - CURRENT

MAKE: NISSAN

MODEL: TITAN

STYLE: TRUCK

**WARNING: NEVER EXCEED YOUR VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY**

**WEIGHT CARRYING:**  
TRAILER WEIGHT: 5,000 LBS.  
TONGUE WEIGHT: 500 LBS.

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

**INSTALLATION TIME: 45 MIN.**

THE INSTALL TIME LISTED IS FOR PROFESSIONAL INSTALLERS. IF YOU ARE HESITANT TO UNDERTAKE THIS TASK ON YOUR OWN, CONTACT AN AUTHORIZED CURT INSTALLER FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE.

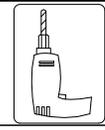
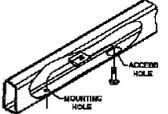
**INSTALLATION REQUIRES:**

 <b>SAFETY GLASSES</b>	 <b>POWER DRILL</b>	 <b>DRILL BIT 17/32"</b>
 <b>RATCHET</b>	 <b>SOCKET 19mm 17mm 11/16"</b>	 <b>BOXED END WRENCH 11/16"</b>
 <b>TORQUE WRENCH</b>	 <b>CENTER PUNCH</b>	 <b>SOCKET EXTENSION</b>

**INSTALLATION TIPS:**

- BEFORE YOU BEGIN INSTALLATION, READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY.
- TO EASE INSTALLATION, 2 PEOPLE MAY BE REQUIRED.
- USING PROPER TOOLS WILL GREATLY IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF THE INSTALL AND REDUCE THE TIME REQUIRED.
- NEED HELP OR HAVE SOME QUESTIONS? CALL TECHNICAL SUPPORT AT 877.287.8634

**LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: MODERATE**

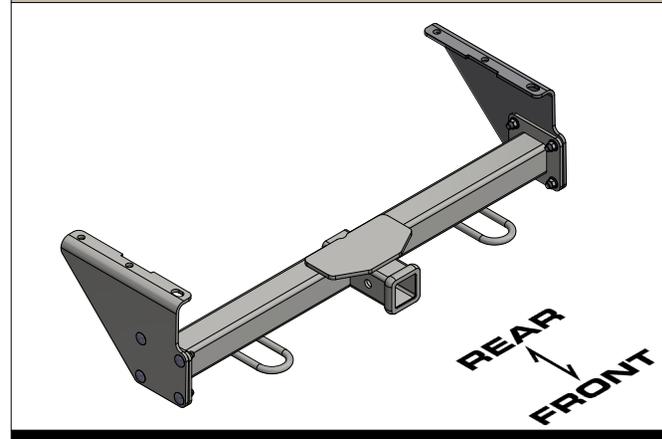
EASY	MODERATE	CHALLENGING
	<b>FRAME DRILLING REQUIRED</b>	
	<b>FISHWIRE HARDWARE</b>	
	<b>TEMPORARY TOW HOOK REMOVAL</b>	

**VEHICLE PHOTO:**



REPRESENTATIVE PHOTO

**HITCH ILLUSTRATION:**



MAKE SURE YOUR HITCH MATCHES

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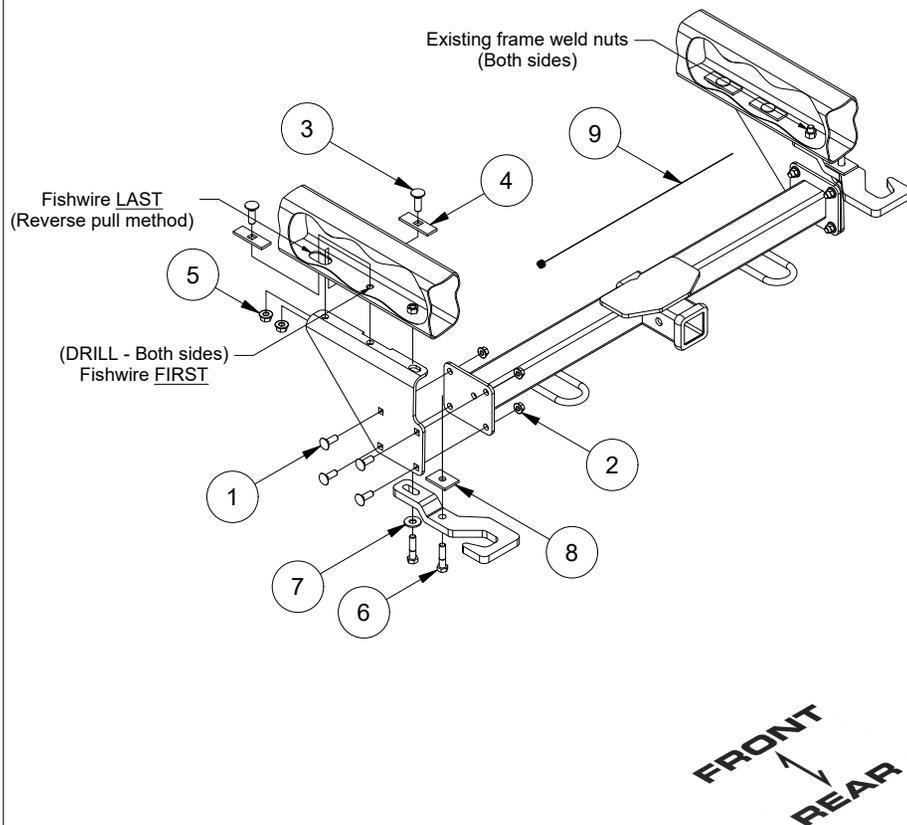
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## INSTALLATION WALKTHROUGH:

Parts List			
ITEM	QTY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	8	10-10281	BOLT,CAR,7/16-14 UNC,1-1/4,GRD8,YZ
2	8	20-00103	NUT,SER-FLANGE,7/16-14 UNC,GRD8,YZ
3	4	10-10287	BOLT,CAR,1/2-13 UNC,1-1/2,GRD8,YZ
4	4	CM-SP40	.188 x 1.00 x 3.00" SQUARE HOLE SPACER
5	4	20-00062	NUT, SER-FLANGE, 1/2-13 UNC,GRD8,YZ
6	4	10-10487	HHCS,M12x1.25,50,CL10,9,YZ
7	2	30-00149	WASHER,S-CON,1/2,YZ
8	2	CM-SP32	.188 x 1.50 x 2.00" ROUND HOLE SPACER
9	4	1_2 FISHWIRE	1/2" FISHWIRE

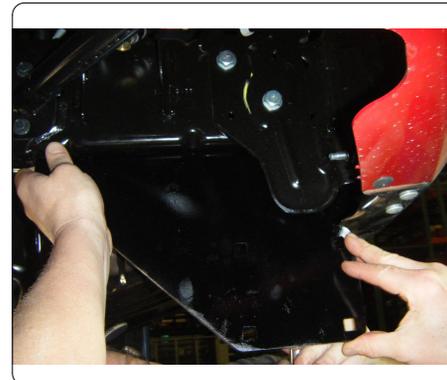
### ILLUSTRATION



1. Remove tow hooks and set aside for later reattachment. Hardware to be returned to vehicle owner and will not be reused.



2. Raise side plates up to frame and secure each side plate at its forward most mounting hole. (Finger tighten only). Rearmost mounting hole must align with large slot in frame. Using middle hole in each side plate as a template, center mark, then remove side plates.
3. Drill holes into frame using a 17/32" drill at the center marked locations from Step #2.

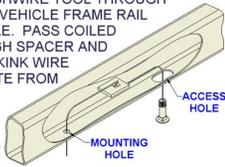


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4. Fishwire hardware into frame as shown in ILLUSTRATION and the two details shown below.

### FISHWIRE TECHNIQUE

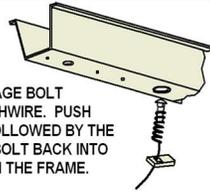
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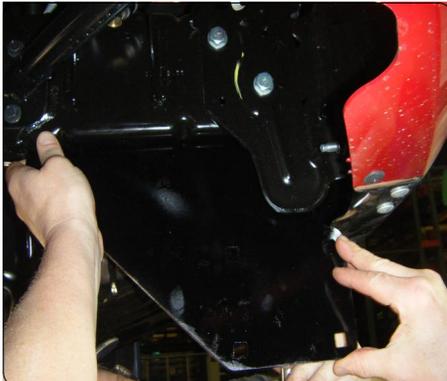
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### REVERSE PULL FISHWIRE TECHNIQUE

ATTACH FISHWIRE TO CARRIAGE BOLT AND SLIDE SPACER ONTO FISHWIRE. PUSH THE BOLT THRU THE HOLE FOLLOWED BY THE SPACER (AS SHOWN). PULL BOLT BACK INTO POSITION, PROTRUDING FROM THE FRAME.



5. After fishwiring hardware into frame raise side plates and tow hooks into position and bolt to frame using spacers, 1/2"-13, and M12 hardware. (Finger tighten only).



6. Assemble center hitch to side plates using 7/16" hardware as shown in ILLUSTRATION and pictures below.

Torque M12 fasteners to 86 lb-ft., 1/2" fasteners to 110 lb-ft., and 7/16" fasteners to 70 lb-ft.



7. Installation complete.



**\*\*\*DO NOT EXCEED VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED TOWING CAPACITY \*\*\*.**

#### 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.

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#### VEHICLE RECOVERY AND WINCHING TIPS

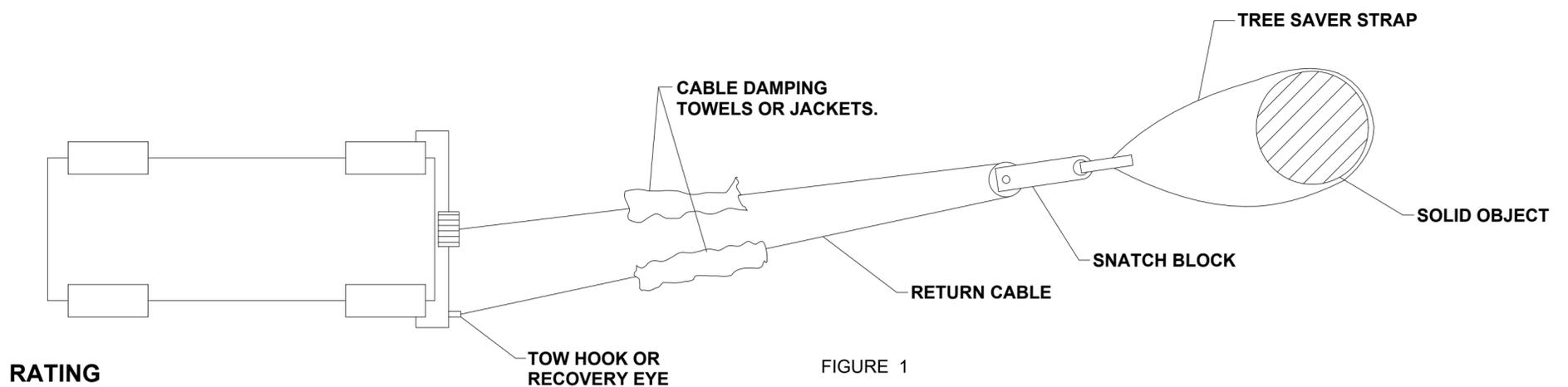
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2) Observe winch manufacturer's recommendations, cautions and warnings.

3) Attach return cable to tow hook or recovery eye when using a snatch block (See figure 1).

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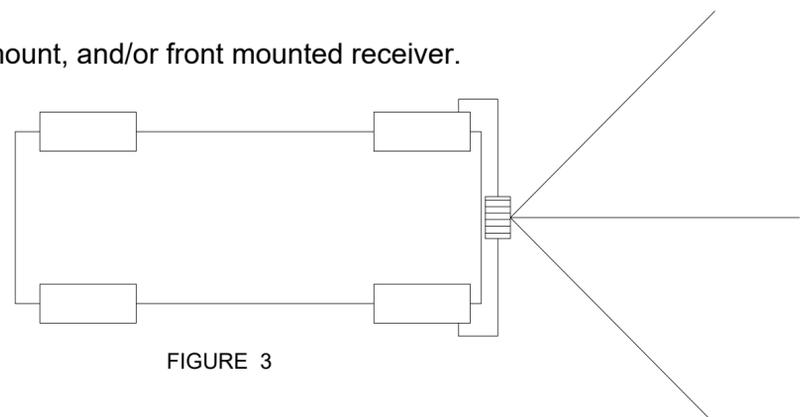
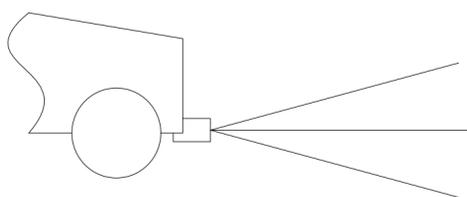


#### RATING

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2009 - CURRENT NISSAN TITAN

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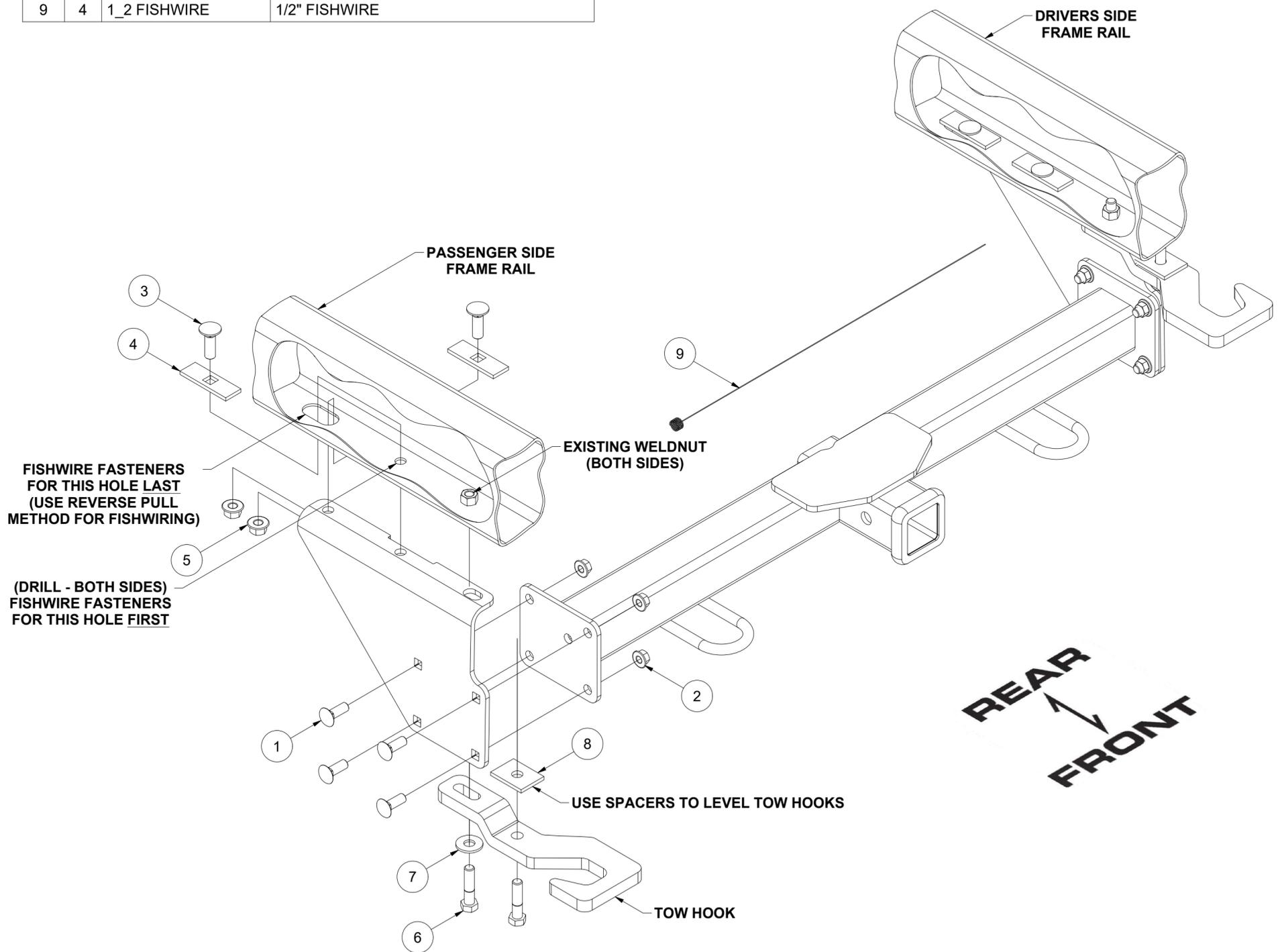
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FISHWIRE FASTENERS FOR THIS HOLE LAST (USE REVERSE PULL METHOD FOR FISHWIRING)

(DRILL - BOTH SIDES) FISHWIRE FASTENERS FOR THIS HOLE FIRST

USE SPACERS TO LEVEL TOW HOOKS

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HITCH WEIGHT: 39 LBS.

INSTALL TIME

PROFESSIONAL: 45 MINUTES

NOVICE (DIY): 90 MINUTES

INSTALL NOTES:

- DRILLING REQUIRED
- REMOVE TOW HOOKS

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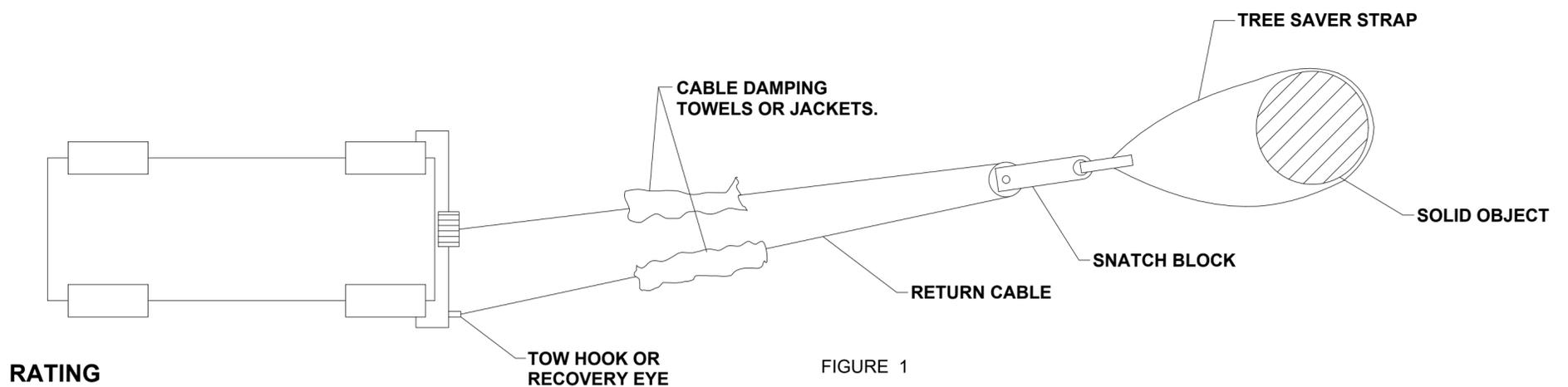
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