

MAXIMUS-3



JK/10A/X & HARDROCK

STRIKER BAR

(Striker Bar & LED Light Brackets)

SKU# HR1007S

INSTALLATION GUIDES

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ENTIRE INSTALLATION GUIDE BEFORE YOU START. WE EXPECT YOU TO HAVE BASIC MECHANICAL ABILITIES TO PERFORM THIS INSTALLATION.

WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU SEPARATE AND IDENTIFY ALL THE PARTS AND HARDWARE KITS YOU RECEIVED WITH YOUR SHIPMENT BEFORE YOU PROCEED TO DISASSEMBLE YOUR JEEP.



IMPORTANT

Follow these instructions precisely. Maximus-3 is not liable for any damage caused by improperly installed products. It is the purchaser's responsibility to ensure both the installation and maintenance is performed properly as set forth in this guide. We recommend using anti seize paste on all non-thread lock bolts.

Component List:		Tools Required
Striker Bar	1	Metric Drive Socket (10MM, 13MM)
LED Light Bracket(s) (Optional)	2	Torx Wrench, Torx keys (L shape)
Bumper Reinforcement Bracket Assy RHS (Optional)	1	Phillips Screwdriver
Bumper Reinforcement Bracket Assy LHS (Optional)	1	
M6 Flanged Nuts – Zinc Plated (Packaged Kit)	2	

Installation

IF YOU HAVE A WINCH ALREADY INSTALLED, GO TO STEP (B)

1- Remove the Winch-delete Top Plate (Close-out Plate):

Cover the grille of your Jeep with a blanket or a mat to avoid surface damage (Recommended).

Using a metric torx bit and ratchet unfasten and remove the 8 top plate bolts, 4 in front and 2 on each side.

Carefully remove the top plate and place on a protective surface to avoid surface damage.



2- Remove the back u-nut from the bumper and the cover plate:

IF YOU ARE ALSO INSTALLING A WINCH GO TO STEP (B)

(A)- For No-winch Install:

Using a flat screw driver carefully remove 2 u-nuts from each side of cover plate shown in the image below *(you can also use a pair of pliers to pull it out as you will not need them for this installation).* Do not remove the 4 front middle u-nuts.



You do not need to remove the plastic filler trim between the bumper and the grille.

(B)- For Winch Install

Using a flat screw driver carefully pry the bumper mount bracket open and remove the back u-nut using another flat screw driver as shown in the image below (*you can also use a pair of pliers to pull it out as you will not need it for this installation*). Do the same on the other side.



3- Install the Reinforcement Brackets:

Slide the bumper reinforcement brackets into mounting pockets on the chassis frame and loosely hand-fasten using the M8 hex bolts and washers provided as shown below. Alternatively assemble in situ (Note the RHS and LHS brackets).



4- Install the Striker Bar & LED Light Brackets:

Place the Striker bar on the mounting locations on the bumper and align the front hole to corresponding mounting points on the bumper and insert the back stud (welded bolt) through corresponding holes on the bumper and reinforcement brackets you installed in step 3 (make sure the reinforcement brackets are loose enough to allow adjustment).



Align and tighten front bolts and back nuts. Make sure the bar is seated flat on the mounting surface. Now tighten the lower M8 hex bolts of the reinforcement brackets, 1 on each side.

Install your LED Bar (Optional)

Install the LED Light Brackets using the factory M6 bolts you removed in Step 2 and the 2 M6 nuts provided, 1 on each bracket (*you do not need the nuts for non-winch install*).

Install your LED or auxiliary lights following the instructions provided with the lights. Make sure you adjust the lights and tighten the mounting nuts/bolts.



Your installation is complete. If you have questions regarding this installation, please contact us at customerservice@maximus-3.com or call (248) 821-6654.



WARNING



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RETURN POLICY

(Procedures for Returning or Exchanging Products)

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Returns and Exchanges

At MAXIMUS-3, we strive to get your order to you complete, undamaged, and 100% correct. Your satisfaction is guaranteed. Products can be returned within 15 days of shipment if they are unused, uninstalled, unpainted, and in new and saleable condition. Returned products need to be in their original packaging with all parts and instructions included. All returns of non-defective, non-damaged, or special-order parts are subject to a 15% restocking fee unless we made an error.

All returns require a "Return Merchandise Authorization" (RMA) number from MAXIMUS-3 or one of our Distributors.

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It is imperative to make a note of any damage on the delivery receipt at the time of delivery. **Open and inspect** the merchandise carefully **before** signing the delivery receipt. We can only initiate claims if the damage was noted at the time of delivery. Freight costs are all based on shipments to commercial addresses (with a dock), if you require shipment to a residential address, additional charges may be applied to the order total.

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