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INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS:

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SKU: 110-91316

PARTS LIST FOR SKU: 110-91316

QUANTITY	PART #	DESCRIPTION
2	3157	U-Bolt Top Plate

TECH NOTES

This kit is intended to be used with Cognito square U-bolts and to replace to rounded U-bolt top plate found on some GM 1500 models.

INSTALLATION

1. Raise the rear of the vehicle off the ground using a lift or jack stands.
2. Ensure that brake lines and wires will not be overextended with the suspension past full droop.
3. Remove lower shock mount bolts holding the shocks to the axles on both sides of the vehicle.
4. Support one side of the rear axle and remove the U-bolt nuts from that side of the vehicle. Remove the factory U-bolts.
5. Lower the support under the axle until there is enough room to access the spring pack.
6. Use a C-clamp to hold the leaf spring together.
7. Use vise grips to hold the round head of the center pin and remove the center pin nut.
8. Remove the factory U-bolt top plate from the top of the leaf spring pack.
9. Reuse the factory center pin and nut to install the **3157** Cognito U-Bolt Plate on top of the leaf pack. Torque to manufacturer's specification.
10. Raise the axle, install U-bolts, and torque to manufacturer's specification. Tighten the nuts evenly in a star pattern.
11. Repeat steps 4 through 10 for opposite side of vehicle.
12. Reinstall the factory rear shock lower bolts to the axle and torque to factory specification.



WARNING

Please read this entire instruction sheet before beginning installation. Proper installation of these components requires a qualified mechanic. Always wear safety glasses when using power tools, and take appropriate precautions when working under a vehicle. If these instructions are not properly followed you may jeopardize your, and your passenger's safety, and severe frame, suspension or tire damage may also result from improper installation.

Modification of vehicle suspension can interfere with ride-height sensors, active suspension, lane departure features, semi-autonomous, and autonomous driving features. It is the responsibility of the installer to determine feature compatibility prior to installation. Recalibration of sensors may be required in the event of any modification.



WARRANTY / RETURN POLICY / SAFETY

Cognito Limited Lifetime Warranty

Cognito Motorsports, Inc. hereinafter “Cognito,” warrants to the original retail purchaser, that its suspension products are free from workmanship and material defects for as long as the purchaser owns the vehicle on which the product(s) were originally installed. This warranty will be void if any modifications are made to the components, including alterations to the surface finish, i.e.; painting, powder coating, plating, and/or welding, or if they are improperly installed. Cognito truck suspension products are not designed nor intended to be installed on “competition” vehicles used in race applications, stunt or for exhibition purposes that are outside of the intended operating conditions specified by the manufacturer. Racing and competition are defined as any contests between two or more vehicles; or vehicles competing individually on off road circuits in timed events (whether or not such contests are for an award or prize).

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Product Safety Advisory

The installation of Cognito steering and suspension components will modify your vehicle’s original factory equipment and geometry, which may cause it to handle differently than a stock (unaltered) vehicle. Installation of these components is not intended to strengthen nor reinforce the vehicle’s frame, nor are they designed to increase rollover protection. It is necessary to periodically inspect all suspension and drive train components for proper attachment, torque specifications, operation, and for any potential unusual wear or damage. Installation of these parts will modify the height of the vehicle and may raise the center of gravity. Modifying vehicle height combined with off road operation may increase your vehicle’s susceptibility to rollover conditions, which may cause serious injury or death. Many states regulate allowable vehicle height modifications, and it is your responsibility to know and comply with the legal requirements specified by the laws where you reside. Modifications to your vehicle’s ride height may also affect the ride quality, driver input response, trackability and handling, and wear to your vehicle’s suspension components and tires.



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