

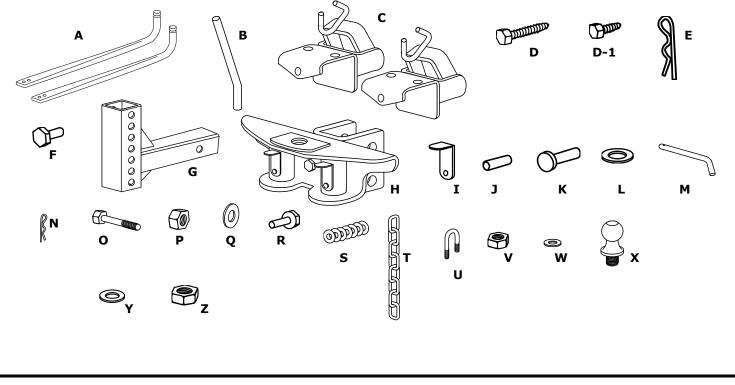
# **GENUINE PARTS**



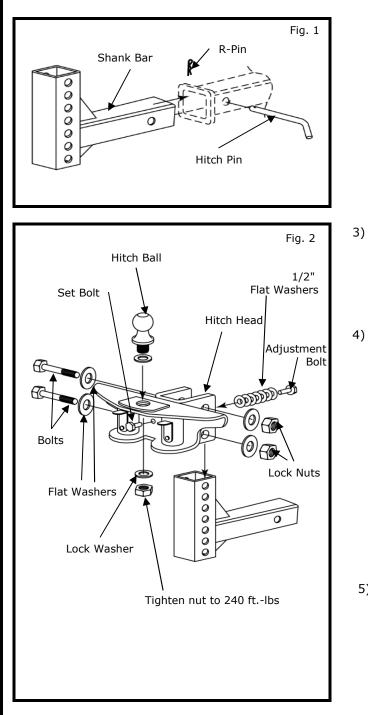
# **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

| DESCRIPTION:   | Weight Distributing Hite  | ch Ball Mount Class IV |  |
|--|---------------------------|------------------------|--|
| APPLICATION:   | See dealer application of | charts                 |  |
| PART NUMBER:   | 999T7 WQ820               |                        |  |
|  |                           |                        |  |
| TOOLS REQUIRED   | ):                        |                        |  |
| <ul> <li>14 mm Wrench or Ratchet &amp; Socket</li> </ul> |                           | • 27 mm Wrench         |  |
| <ul> <li>19 mm Wrench or Ratchet &amp; Socket</li> </ul> |                           | • 1.75" Wrench         |  |
| <ul> <li>23 mm Wren</li> </ul>                           | ch or Ratched & Socket    | Torque Wrench          |  |
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| А    | 2    | Spring Round Bar           |                     |
| В    | 1    | Pipe Handle                |                     |
| С    | 2    | Snap Up Brackets           |                     |
| D    | 2    | 1/2" x 4" Bolt             |                     |
| D-1  | 2    | 1/2" x 2" Bolt             |                     |
| Е    | 2    | Angle R-Pin                |                     |
| F    | 1    | 5/8" x1 1/2" GR 5 Set Bolt |                     |
| G    | 1    | Shank Bar                  |                     |
| Н    | 1    | Hitch Head                 |                     |
| Ι    | 1    | Spring Clip                |                     |
| J    | 2    | Set Key                    |                     |
| К    | 2    | Drive Rivet                |                     |
| L    | 1    | 1 1/4" to 1" Bushing       |                     |
| М    | 1    | 5/8" Hitch Pin             |                     |
| Ν    | 1    | R Pin                      |                     |
| 0    | 2    | 3/4" x 5" GR 5 Bolt        |                     |
| Р    | 2    | 3/4" Locknut               |                     |
| Q    | 4    | 3/4" Flatwasher            |                     |
| R    | 1    | Adjustment Bolt            |                     |
| S    | 7    | 1/2" Flatwashers           |                     |
| Т    | 2    | Lift Chain                 |                     |
| U    | 2    | 3/8" U-Bolts               |                     |
| V    | 4    | 3/8" Nuts                  |                     |
| W    | 4    | 3/8" Lockwashers           |                     |
| Х    | 1    | 2 5/16" Hitch Ball         |                     |
| Y    | 1    | Lockwasher                 |                     |
| Ζ    | 1    | Nut                        |                     |



### PRE-INSTALLATION WARNINGS, CAUTIONS, CRITICAL STEPS, and NOTES:



1) Put Shank Bar in hitch of vehicle. Line up hole of receiver tube of hitch with hole in Shank Bar.

NOTE: Remove hitch bumper cover if applicable. See owners manual

- 2) Insert 5/8" Hitch Pin through Shank Bar and insert R-Pin through hole of Hitch Pin.
- To assemble Hitch Head to Shank Bar, adjust placement of Hitch Head up or down based on trailer height. Insert 3/4"x5"Bolts, 2 Flat Washers one on each side of Hitch Head and 2 Lock-nuts. This will hold Hitch Head on Shank Bar.
- To assemble Hitch Ball to Hitch Head, position Lockwasher between Hitch Head and Nut. Tighten Nut with torque wrench to 240 ft.-lbs.

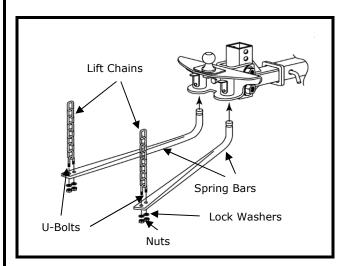
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Diameter of hole into which ballshank is installed must notexceed diameter of ball shank by more than1/16". Threaded shank must protrudebeyond bottom of nut when tightened. Failure to tighten as specified can result inball failure or loss of attachment. Never towmore weight than the rating of the ball orweight distribution hitch, which ever is lower. See vehicle owners manual for towing capacity.

5) Use 5/8"x1 1/2" GR 5 Set Bolts, 1/2" Flatwashers and Adjustment Bolt to level Hitch Head. Hitch Ball should tilt back, away from vehicle (when fully in-stalled with Bars, Hitch Ball should belevel).

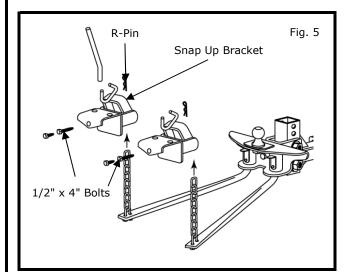
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- 6) Assembly of Spring Bars:
  - a) Attach Lift Chains to Spring Bars using 3/8" U-Bolts, 3/8" Nuts and 3/8" Lockwashers.
  - b) Use Grease to lube groove and top of Spring Bars. Insert Spring Bars into bottom of Hitch Head. A snap will be heard when groove of Spring Bar and Set Key set together.

- 7) Assembly of Snap Up Brackets (Use with A-Frame Only):
  - a) Install coupler of trailer on Hitch Ball using jack. Do not put full weight on hitch yet.



- b) On both sides, position Snap Up Brackets so Lift Chain on Spring Bars are straight up (vertical).
   Fasten Snap Up Brack-ets to trailer with 1/2"x4" Bolts.
- c) Insert Lift Chains onto Chain Hooks on Snap Up Brackets. Spring Bars should be level when Snap Up Brackets are raised and locked with Angle R-Pins.
- d) Adjust Spring Bar angles up or down with links of Lift Chains, Lift Chains must not be twisted. Use same amount of links on both sides.
- e) Let jack down on trailer to give full weighton Hitch.

### INSTALLATION PROCEDURE: VEHICLE PARTS REMOVAL

#### 8) **ADJUSTING HITCH**

- a) Hitch will settle. Make sure the SpringBars(A) and Hitch Head(H) are level and parallel to flat ground.
- b) Hitch can be adjusted by adding or sub-tracting washers from AdjustmentBolt (R).
- c) Spring Bars can be adjusted by lowering or raising the number of chain links used in the hook on Snap Up Bracket. Use the same amount of links on both sides.
- d) Use Pipe Handle(#2) to rotate hook in upright and locked position.

# **WARNING**

You must use Angle R-Pin(#5)to hold Snap Up Brackets in place. Somebending may be required on clip.

#### 9) TIGHTEN ALL BOLTS

- a) With Spring Bars tight and hooked up.
- b) 1/2"x4" Bolt(#4) tighten plus 1/4 turn.
- c) 5/8"x1 1/2" GR 5 Set Bolt(#6) tighten to50 ft.-lbs.
- d) 3/4"x5" GR 5 Bolt(#15) tighten to 250 ft.-lbs.
- 10) Check before towing:
  - a) Hitch Ball and Nut.
  - b) Coupler locked.
  - c) All fasteners.
  - d) 5/8" Hitch Pin and R Pin to receiver.
  - e) Snap Up Brackets and Angle R-Pins.

#### 11) Maintenance of Hitch:

- a) Lube all moving parts daily.
- b) Grease Spring Bars daily.
- c) Check for wear and replace if worn daily.
- d) Check all bolts for tightness and re-torque daily, if needed.

#### NOTE: REFER TO OWNER'S MANUAL FOR TOWING CAPACITY.

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