

PARTS & INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS DRIVE PRO™ SNOW PLOW MOUNTING CARTON 18532 2015 & LATER CHEVROLET COLORADO/CANYON 4x4 MODELS

Residential Use Only

End user must be given this instruction sheet prior to delivery of Snow Plow.

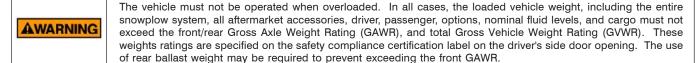
SAFETY DEFINITIONS

A	This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.				
DANGER Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result death or serious injury.					
WARNING Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.					
ACAUTION	CAUTION Indicates an potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.				
CAUTION	CAUTION used without the safety alert symbol indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in property damage.				

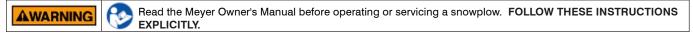
IMPORTANT NOTICE

In conjunction with FMVSS (Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards) and OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) guidelines, Meyer Products has designed this plow package with the following guidelines:

CAUTION	Installation of a snowplow may effect your new vehicle warranty.
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According to the NHTSA (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration) new and untitled vehicles need to be verified by the installer that snowplow and ballast (if needed) do no exceed the front/rear GAWR and total GVWR.



GENERAL INFORMATION

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS should be used when Hydraulic Unit is in OPERATION and plow is in a RAISED position. Lower plow to ground when vehicle is PARKED in case of hydraulic failure.

Check contents against the parts list to determine all are correct and included, and also to familiarize yourself with them.

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CAUTION: To avoid harm to vehicles electrical system always disconnect battery before beginning installation. DO NOT BURN holes or WELD vehicle frame. This may cause frame failure.

OVERHAUL and **SERVICE INFORMATION** are covered on separate instructions.

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PARTS LIST						
ITEM	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION			
	18532	1	MOUNTING CARTON			
1	10601	1	LH Mounting Bracket			
2	10602	1	RH Mounting Bracket			
3	10627	1	Under Frame Weldment			
	08083	1	HARDWARE BAG			
4	14595	3	•• Special Bolt 3/4"			
5	20097	4	•• Bolt 1/2-13 x 2" Gr. 5			
6	20141	2	•• Bolt 5/8-11 x 2" Gr. 5			
7	20173	2	•• Bolt 3/4-10 x 4-1/2 Gr. 5			
8	20305	4	•• Locknut Esna 3/8-16			
9	20307	6	•• Locknut Esna 1/2-13			
10	20309	3	•• Locknut Esna 5/8-11			
11	20310	5	•• Locknut Esna 3/4-10			
12	20353	4	•• Flatwasher 3/8"			
13	20359	4	•• Flatwasher 3/4"			
14	21001	2	•• Spacer			
15	22232	2	•• U-Bolt 3/8"			
*	19836	1	Universal Clevis (Part of Drive Pro CLF Carton)			
	P.A.F.		MEYER			
	PART NO.	QTY.	DESCRIPTION			
	16600	1	Pivot A-Frame Carton			

Parts indented are included in the carton, bag or assembly under which they are indented.

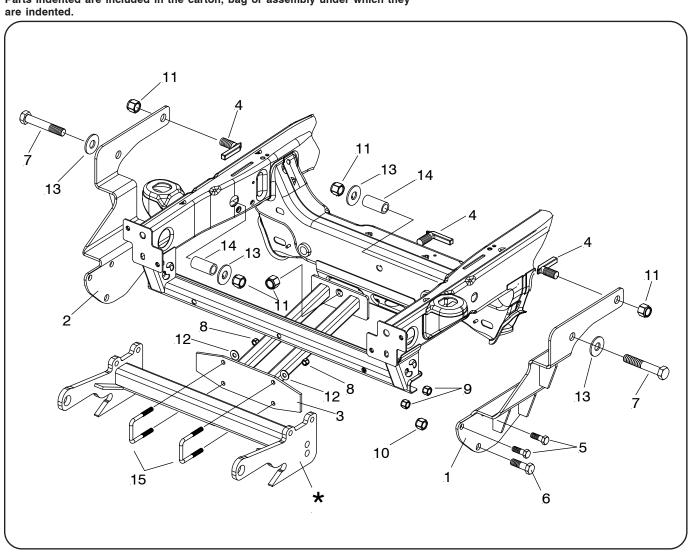
IMPORTANT

After first use, retighten all mounting bolt connections to specified torque. All mounting bolt connections to be checked periodically for tightness.

Locknuts are furnished **DO NOT** tighten bolts and nuts until installation is complete (unless otherwise specified), then be sure to tighten all attaching parts per specified torque chart.

TORQUE CHART FOOT

Bolt Nut Size	Gr.	Gr. 5	Gr.
1/4 - 20	4 - 5		
5/16 - 18	9-11		
3/8 - 16	17 - 20	26 - 29	
7/16 - 14		42 - 46	60 - 66
1/2 -13		64 - 72	90 - 100
5/8 - 11		127 - 141	179 - 198
3/0-11		127-141	179-190



VEHICLE RECOMMENDATIONS

AWARNING

 Due to weight restrictions on these vehicle's front GAWR, a Drive Pro 6' 8" or 7'-6" moldboard is the largest that can safely be installed on a Chevrolet Colorado/Canton. The front GAWR must also be at least 2753 lbs as shown on the driver's side door sticker. Also limit to driver and one passenger only while plow is installed unless specified below.

AWARNING

 Ballast weight is required on all Chevrolet Colorado models. 400 lbs. of ballast must be securely attached 32 inches behind the rear axle:

Salt or sand in bags are recommended as ballast.

 Front end wheel alignment and headlight aim may require readjustment after installation of equipment, and is the responsibility of the equipment installer. Failure to adjust front wheel alignment may cause premature uneven tire wear. If required, reset to chassis manufacture's specifications found in the Chevrolet Shop Manual.

Rear ballast is determined by weighing a vehicle's front and rear axles and adding weight behind the rear axle until front axle weight is under or equal to the vehicle specific front GAWR while not exceeding the rear GAWR and GVWR.

Vehicle option packages may vary. If in doubt, it is always a good idea to weigh the vehicle to ensure all weight ratings are not exceeded with plow in the raised position.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Remove air dam, save along with hardware to reinstall after mounting is off the truck.
- **B.** Position LH & RH Mounting Bracket (1 & 2) to the outside of the frame on the vehicle. Insert Spacer (14 to the inside holes and attach front holes to the frame using 3/4-10 x 4-1/2" Bolt (5), 3/4" Flatwasher (13), and 3/4"-10 Locknut (14) and Spacer (14).
- C. Mark rear holes for LH & RH Mounting Bracket to vehicle frame and drill using a 1" drill bit. Only drill the outside of the frame.
- D. Attach LH & RH Mounting Bracket (1 & 2) to the outside of the frame on the vehicle rear holes using Secial Bolt 3/4" (4) and 3/4"-10 Locknut (14).
- E. Attach the Drive Pro[™] Clevis (*) to the LH & RH Mounting Bracket (1 & 2) using 1/2-13 x 2" Bolts (5) and 1/2-13 Locknuts (9) in the upper two holes. In the bottom hole, fasten with a 5/8-11 x 2" Bolt (6) and 5/8-11 Locknut (10).
- F. Drill out hole in vehicle cross member to 1". Attach Under Frame Weldment (3) to vehicle crossmember using Special Bolt 3/4" (4) and 3/4"-10 Locknut (14). Attach Under Frame Weldment (3) to Drive Pro™ Clevis (*) using U-Bolt 3/8" (15), 3/8" Flatwasher (12 and 3/8-16 Locknut (8)

Note: before tightening the fasteners, the clevis (*) should be level with the ground and pushed back as far under the vehicle as possible.

- **G.** Tighten all fasteners to their proper torque. Tighten bolts in the same order they were assembled to the vehicle.
- **H.** Install recommended ballast for this vehicle. Using salt or sand bags are suggested for weight.
- Install remaining snowplow hardware per separate instructions.



Be sure that load is secure while transporting. With ballast weight in place, be sure that only the driver is in vehicle while plowing to avoid overloading.

Meyer Products or Diamond Equipment assumes no responsibility for installations not made in accordance with these instructions.