

PUTCO 1988-1998 CHEVY SILVERADO & GMC SIERRA INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOG BAR

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Please read all instructions before installation and to check to see that all parts are included.

Section I – Installation Preparation

Kit Contents

Item #	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1	1	Hog Bar
2	2	Brackets

Bolt Kit Contents







Item #	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1	4	8mm bolts (00721)
2	4	Lock Washers (782)
3	4	Flat Washer (771)
4	2	Bolt plates (1965)
5	2	Flange Nuts 3/8-16 (789)



Recommended Tools

Safety Tools	
Eye Protection	
Special Tools	
Installation Tools	
18mm Socket	
19mm Socket	
¾" Wrench	
Ratchet	
Wiping Cloth (non-scratch)	
Special Chemicals	

Legend




	STOP: Damage to the vehicle may occur. Do not proceed until process has been complied with.
	OPERATOR SAFETY: Use caution to avoid risk of injury.
	CRITICAL PROCESS: Proceed with caution to ensure a quality installation. These points will be audited on a completed vehicle installation.
	GENERAL PROCESS: This highlights specific processes to ensure a quality installation. These points will be audited during the accessory installation.
	TOOLS & EQUIPMENT: Calls out the specific tools and equipment recommended for this process.
	REVISION MARK: This mark highlights a change in installation with respect to previous issue.

LIMITED WARRANTY

Putco guarantees its Stainless Steel and Aluminum products against defects in workmanship and material for as long as you own your vehicle. All painted products have a 90 day warranty on the painted surface. Any defects resulting from faulty material or workmanship will be warranted by Putco and repaired or replaced at our discretion. Putco assumes no extra labor costs. Damages caused by freight carriers, improper installation, misuse, collision, or neglect will not be warranted by Putco.

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A. Pre-installation Preparation

-  1. Verify kit contents.
-  2. Remove protective wrapping from hog bar and place on a non-abrasive surface.
-  3. Remove the brackets and hardware from the box.

B. Remove Tow Hooks




-  1. Locate the Bolts that hold the tow hooks in place we will be using these bolts for the brackets.
-  2. Remove the bolts that hold the tow hooks in place by using an 18mm socket these bolts are threaded into a plate on the inside of the frame.



Figure C1







C. Install Brackets

-  1. Begin to mount the brackets in place where you removed the tow hooks shown in (fig. C1) using the bolts you removed in step two.



IMPORTANT: Make sure you leave these bolts loose.

D. Install Hog Bar

-  1. You will need to remove your license plate so you can attach it to the front of your hog bar.
-  2. Place hog bar up to the brackets and thread the bolt with washer into the hog bar.
-  3. Tighten the bolts that mount from the bracket to the hog bar for both sides. (Fig. D1)
-  4. Center the Hog Bar on the truck.
-  5. Tighten the bolts that hold the bracket to the frame of the truck for both sides.
-  6. Make sure all bolts are tight & license plate is secured to the front of the hog bar.

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