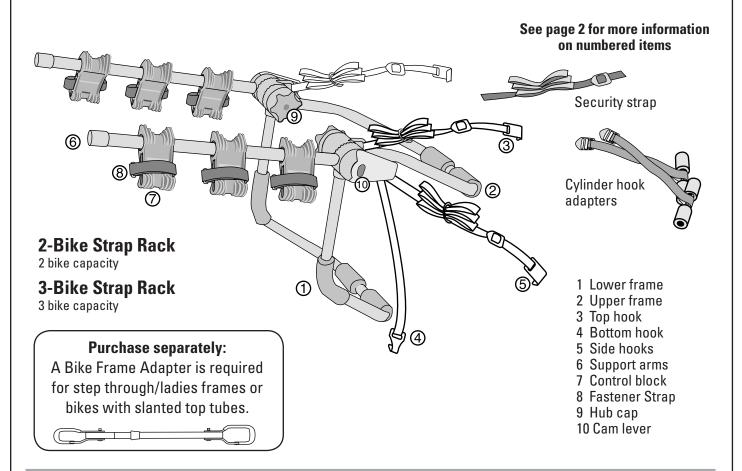


2 & 3-Bike Strap Rack



Some vehicles CANNOT SAFELY accept any rear strap rack.

- If your car has a severely curved boot or hatch lid, the carrier's strap hooks may slide to the side, causing
 your mount and bicycles to fall from your vehicle. If your car's boot or hatch edge is severely curved,
 DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT.
- Some boot or hatch lids may not be able to accept the hooks that hold the carrier on your vehicle. Make
 NO ATTEMPT to modify the hooks to fit your vehicle, it may damage your vehicle and/or cause the carrier
 to fall from the vehicle. If your straps are too short to tie knots behind the buckle, DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT.
- Some vehicles use lighter weight materials in the boot or hatch area. Check the integrity of the hatch to
 ensure the carrier's lower frame will not dent your vehicle. If your vehicle has a boot or hatch that is
 plastic where the lower frame, upper frame or hooks contact, DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT.
- Some vehicles are equipped with a rear mounted spoiler that may interfere with the upper frame or upper hook placement. If your vehicle has a spoiler and this product interferes in any way, DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT as the carrier may not mount safely and consequently damage your spoiler.
- Some vehicles are equipped with rear windshield wipers. Make sure the mount does not interfere.



IMPORTANT WARNING

IT IS CRITICAL THAT ALL PRORACK RACKS AND ACCESSORIES BE PROPERLY AND SECURELY ATTACHED TO YOUR VEHICLE. IMPROPER ATTACHMENT COULD RESULT IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT, AND COULD CAUSE SERIOUS BODILY INJURY OR DEATH TO YOU OR TO OTHERS. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR SECURING THE RACKS AND ACCESSORIES TO YOUR CAR, CHECKING THE ATTACHMENTS PRIOR TO USE, AND PERIODICALLY INSPECTING THE PRODUCTS FOR ADJUSTMENT, WEAR, AND DAMAGE. THEREFORE, YOU MUST READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE INSTRUCTIONS AND CAUTIONS SUPPLIED WITH YOUR PRORACK PRODUCT PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OR USE. IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE INSTRUCTIONS AND CAUTIONS, OR IF YOU HAVE NO MECHANICAL EXPERIENCE AND ARE NOT THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR WITH THE INSTALLATION PROCEDURES, YOU SHOULD HAVE THE PRODUCT INSTALLED BY A PROFESSIONAL INSTALLER SUCH AS A QUALIFIED GARAGE OR AUTO BODY SHOP.

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HOW TO FIT

Follow these mounting tips in the order below. Use diagram on cover for reference.

1. LOWER FRAME

Do not place the lower frame on glass, plastic, or thin metal (some SUVs and vans have a large section of poorly supported metal that will dent under the weight of a bike rack and bikes). A common location is a well-supported license plate area, just above or below the numbers.



2. UPPER FRAME

Rotate upper frame until it rests on the vehicle. The position is relative to the lower frame and will depend on vehicle shape, spoiler, etc. In general the lower frame should end up as vertical as possible. (Tilt forward or back if necessary to fit the vehicle better). Do not use this product if it interferes with your vehicles rear spoiler.



3. TOP HOOKS

Confirm that the upper hooks can mount to the leading edge of the hatch or boot. The included cylinder hooks allow use on glass hatches, vehicles with a weather strip that interferes with top hooks, and vehicles with gaps too narrow to accommodate buckles.



4. BOTTOM HOOKS

The first choice is the bottom of the boot/hatch. Second choice is under the bumper if there is a rigid, metal attachment point. The third choice is tie down hooks underneath the vehicle or holes in the vehicle's frame. Confirm that straps are not near vehicle exhaust or rubbing on sharp metal edges.



5. SIDE HOOKS

Mount to the side of the boot/hatch. Position the hooks so that they will not slide up or down when tensioned.



6. SUPPORT ARMS

Adjust the support arms to be just up from horizontal. Confirm that the bikes will have sufficient ground clearance. If the bikes are too low, adjust the Shuttle's position up on the vehicle.

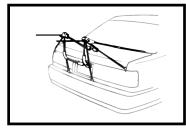








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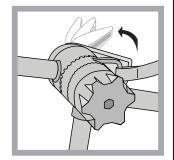
NOTICE: Improper attachment of this product may result in damage to your carrier, bicycles, vehicle, or vehicles driving behind you. It is your responsibility to ensure a safe installation.

- Straps require tightening before each use, and periodically during transit.
- Never drive off-road with bicycles loaded.
- Load is limited to 3 bikes with a total of no more than 40 kg (90 lbs).
- Reducing speed on corners or rough roads will reduce the risk of damage to bikes or vehicle.
- Do not open boot or hatch lid when carrier is attached.
- Do not let bicycle tyres or straps hang near vehicle's hot exhaust.
- Never modify any of the hooks in order to make them fit.
- Always use extra strap to secure bicycles to carrier.
- If any strap appears worn or frayed, discontinue use.
- Check and follow the laws in your area regarding displaying an accessory plate when your standard numberplate is obscured.



Begin by releasing levers to move Upper and Lower

 Open the cam levers to loosen the frames.



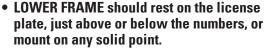


 Position Upper and Lower frames by turning hub adjustment (one way only)



Adjust the frame to fit your vehicle's shape.

HOLD THE CARRIER UP AGAINST THE REAR OF CAR.



• UPPER FRAME must clear a spoiler completely, and must rest on solid material.



Close the levers once you find the best fit.

• It should take some effort to close. For added snugness, after closing the cam lever, tighten the hubcap by turning it clockwise until it is hand tight.



If you have a vehicle with a glass hatch, or a van with a weather strip that interferes with upper hooks, or your vehicle has narrow gaps which do not permit use of upper hooks, go to Page 5, step 14 for instructions on installing Cylinder Hooks.

SECURE THE CARRIER HOOKS





Adjust the strap length until the carrier stays in the desired position.



Attach Bottom Hooks.

First choice:

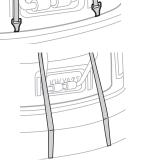
Bottom edge of the boot or hatch.



Under the bumper if there is a rigid, metal attachment point.

Third Choice:

Tie-down hooks under the vehicle or holes in the vehicle's frame.



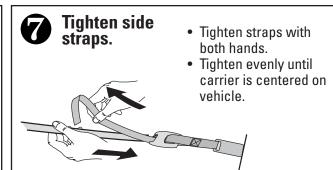


Confirm that straps are not near vehicle exhaust or rubbing on sharp metal edges.



Attach the hooks to the side of the boot or hatch lid. Adjust the strap until the carrier stays in place.

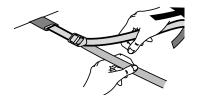






After side and bottom straps are tight—

• Tighten the upper straps AGAIN.

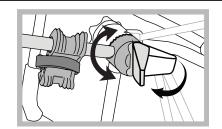


ADJUST THE SUPPORT ARMS.



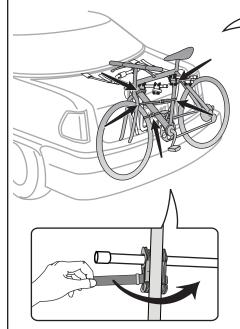
Adjust the support arms.

- Open ONE cam lever at a time to adjust the carrier arms. (Opening both levers will loosen your frame adjustments!)
- Adjust the support arms to be slightly higher than horizontal.
- Confirm that the bikes will have sufficient ground clearance.





Secure bicycles to upper and lower frames.



Close straps over hike frames.



- Load the heaviest bike first.
- Place frame into control blocks and secure with fastener strap.
- Always load bikes in cradles closest to vehicle.
- Use security strap provided to secure bikes to the lower frame of the carrier to help prevent the bikes from swinging.
- Stabilise bike wheel closest to car (strap not included).
- Cover pedals or sharp edges to protect car.
- Alternate the direction of the bikes to avoid interference between handlebars.

A Bike Frame Adapter (see cover page) is required for step through/ ladies frames or bikes with slanted top tubes.



Failure to load bikes properly can result in property damage, personal injury, or death.





Bikes should be as level as possible to avoid ground clearance issues and possible ejections.



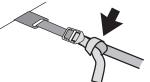
3 Tighten straps again!

The weight of the bikes may cause the straps to loosen.

After tightening the top straps:

- Tie a knot next to the buckle.
- Use O-rings to bundle excess strap.







If the strap is too short to tie a knot after the buckle, do not use this product.



SAFETY CHECKS

- PERIODICALLY TIGHTEN ALL STRAPS AND KNOBS DURING USE.
- TIGHTEN STRAPS WITH EACH **NEW LOAD.**
- KEEP BICYCLE TYRES AND STRAPS AWAY FROM VEHICLE'S EXHAUST.
- NEVER DRIVE OFF-ROAD WITH **BICYCLES LOADED.**

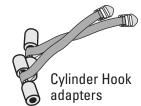
Before driving away, be sure all bikes, hooks and straps are secured according to instructions. Failure to perform safety checks before driving away can result in property damage, personal injury, or death.

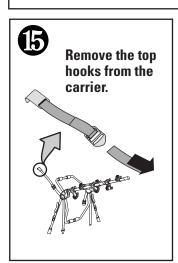
CYLINDER HOOK INSTRUCTION

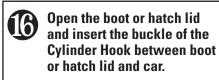


INSTALL THE CYLINDER HOOKS:

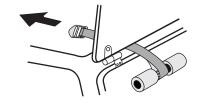
- WITH CYLINDER HOOKS, YOUR LOAD IS LIMITED TO 2 BIKES ONLY!
- Do not use if strap will deform or damage trim or hatch.
- Do not open boot or hatch lid when Cylinder Hooks are installed.
- Do not allow strap to rub against sharp edges.





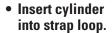


Keep the cylinders away from the edge.

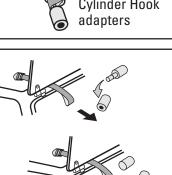


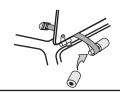
IF THE BUCKLE WILL NOT FIT—





Replace cylinder pad.

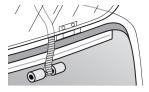






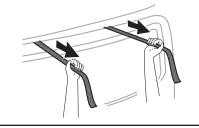
Before closing the hatch...

The cylinders must be free from contact between hatch door and vehicle's frame.





Pull firmly on the straps to seat the cylinders.





WARNING

Never open your boot or hatch lid while strap carrier is installed. The Cylinder Hooks can slip causing the carrier to fall off the vehicle.

Always remove the carrier, leaving the Cylinder Hooks in place, reversing the installation process. Failure to remove the carrier may cause damage to boot or hatch lid.

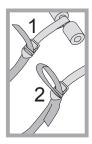


While supporting the carrier with your body, attach the adapter straps to your carrier's top straps.



Thread the top straps through the Cylinder Hook buckle as shown.

Failure to correctly thread the strap can result in property damage, personal injury, or death.



RESUME STRAP MOUNT INSTRUCTIONS PAGE 3, STEP 5.



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IF YOU NEED FURTHER CUSTOMER SUPPORT:

Please contact your dealer or call us at 1800 143 548 (AU) & 0800 4776 722 (NZ) Monday – Friday, 8.30 am to 5:00 pm

WARRANTY & DISCLAIMER

Yakima Australia Pty Ltd ABN 58 154 440 221
17 Hinkler Court, Brendale QLD 4500
Tel: 0800 4776 722 (NZ) or 1800 143 548 (AU) Email: warranty@yakima.co.nz or warranty@yakima.com.au

- Where the product is supplied to the customer for other than business purposes within the meaning of section 43 of the New Zealand Consumer Guarantees Act 1993, the provisions of that Act shall apply. It is important that anyone who fits or uses this product does so in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 2. Where the product is supplied to the customer for business purposes within the meaning of section 43 of the New Zealand Consumer Guarantees Act 1993, the provisions of that Act and all other representations or terms (including any conditions or warranty expressed or implied by law, statute or otherwise) not expressly included in this leaflet are hereby expressly excluded shall have no effect and the clauses (a) and (b) shall apply.
- 3. Subject to the Additional Information (Australia), where the product is supplied and purchased in Australia, the following shall apply:
 - (a). THE SUPPLIER WARRANTS the product to be free from defects in materials and/or workmanship for a period of three (3) years from the date of original purchase (the warranty period). Proof of purchase is required. Subject to the limitations and exclusions set out below, the Supplier hereby agrees to remedy any defects in materials or workmanship becoming apparent during the warranty period, by replacing or repairing any defective product or component (at its option) free of charge to the purchaser in respect of replacement parts or labour. Any defective product or component must be notified and where practicable, returned at the purchaser's expense to the Supplier immediately upon discovery of the alleged defect and no attempt made on the part of the purchaser to repair it.
 - (b). EXCEPTIONS, EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS TO WARRANTY. The product and/or its components must be fitted/assembled and loaded in accordance with the Supplier's written instructions and any requirements set out in the car's owner manual. This warranty does not cover defects, loss or damage resulting from circumstances beyond the Supplier's control including, but not limited to misuse, overloading, or failure to assemble and/or fit the product or component in accordance with the Supplier's written instructions. Nor does the warranty cover defects, loss or damage resulting from accidents, unlawful use of the vehicle or defects/inconsistencies in the vehicle on which the product or component is fitted. Liability for direct, indirect, special, punitive, incidental, exemplary, contractual or consequential damage or loss arising from defects, faulty materials or design omissions or negligence or workmanship in the product or its components is hereby expressly excluded subject to the following. Certain Commonwealth legislation, including the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), and other State and Territorial legislation confers upon purchasers rights which cannot be excluded from or be restricted or modified by contract. Any conditions, guarantees and/or warranties implied by law and incapable of exclusion are deemed to be expressly incorporated herein. Nothing herein contained is intended nor shall be permitted to be inconsistent with any such conditions, guarantees and/or warranties. To the extent permitted by legislation all conditions, guarantees and/or warranties such as implied warranties which are capable of exclusion are hereby expressly excluded and negatived.

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IMPORTANT LEGAL NOTICE

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and for compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

This warranty does not change or take away your rights under the Australian Consumer Law. Your right to claim under this policy for the benefits covered is in addition to other rights and remedies you have under the law in relation to the product.

Where you become aware of defects in materials or of workmanship, and wish to make a claim under this warranty you must do the following for the warranty to be honoured by your Prorack dealer or Yakima Australia Pty Ltd ABN 58 154 440 221 (Yakima):

- Make a claim as soon as practicable by contacting the Prorack dealer from whom you purchased the product, who will give you
 instructions on how to proceed.
- 2. If you are unable to contact the Prorack dealer, or the dealer is not able to remedy the defect, you should contact Yakima as soon as practicable at:

Call: 0800 4776 722 (NZ) or 1800 143 548 (AU) Email: warranty@yakima.co.nz or warranty@yakima.com.au

Alternately, you can write to Yakima at 17 Hinkler Court, Brendale QLD Australia 4500 in order to make a claim under your warranty.

- 3. Upon contacting Yakima directly, you should explain as fully as possible the defect. A Yakima representative will provide you with appropriate instructions for returning the product together with a copy of the original purchase invoice or receipt to Yakima.
- 4. The costs and expenses associated with making a claim under your warranty including the costs of complying with those instructions and of returning the product to Yakima or the Prorack dealer will be borne by you.
 Following receipt of the product and purchase invoice or receipt, Yakima or the Prorack dealer must inspect the product to determine whether the claim falls within the warranty. If:
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 - 4.2 the claim does not fall within the warranty, Yakima will return the product to you at your expense.