

GOBI LEXUS LX-570 REAR DOOR LADDER 2008-15 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

The Gobi ladder must be inspected before each use to make certain attachments are secure, and for evidence of Wear. Misuse of the ladder or failure to observe the manufacturer's instructions as to installation, proper Attachment and maintenance will void any warranties that may be implied by law.

CAUTION

**"LADDER IS TO BE TRAVERSED UPON
ONLY
WHEN THE REAR DOOR TAIL GATE
AND LIFT GATE ARE FULLY
CLOSED AND LOCKED"**

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Guidelines:

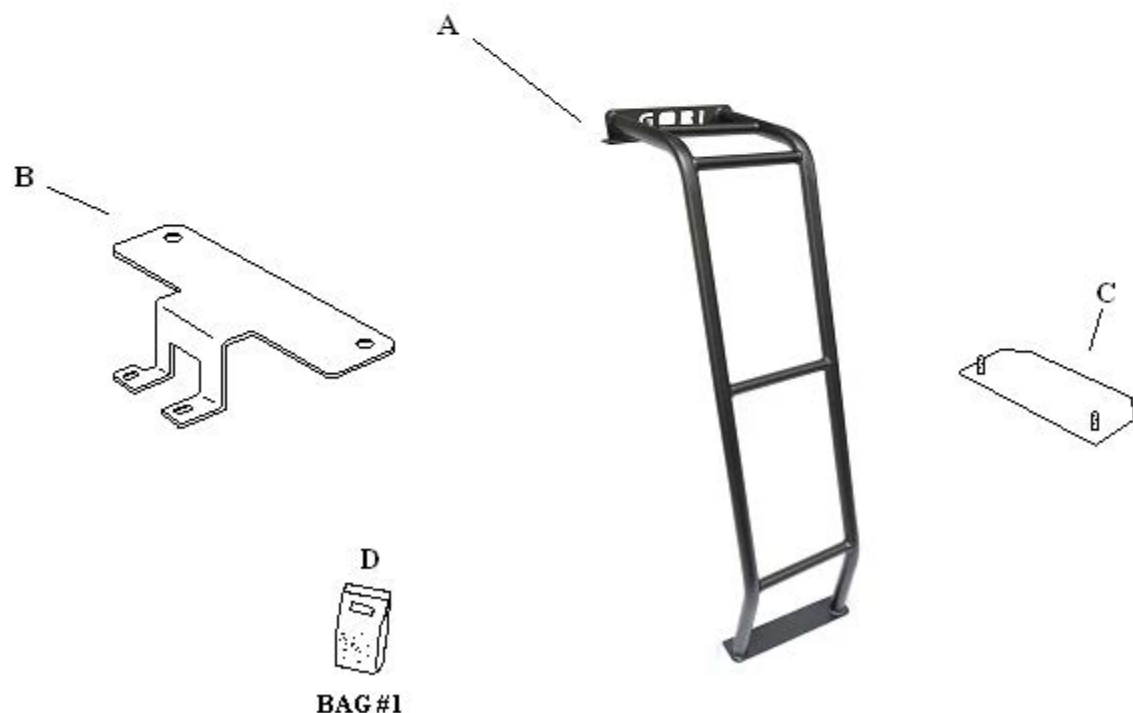
When using Load Carriers and Accessories, the user must understand the precautions. The points listed below will assist you in using the rack /carrier system and will encourage safety.

- For quality fits and safty, use only the recommended rack or accessory. Do not assume an accessory will fit, always check with dealer when obtaining new accessories. Use only approved accessories on load carriers. Using other brands will void your warrenty.
- Make sure all knobs, bolts, screws, straps, and locks are firmly attached, tightened and locked before every trip. Knobs, bolts, screws, straps, and locks must be periodically inspected for signs of wear, corrosion, and fatigue. Check your load at stops during the trip to insure continued fastening security.
- Check local and state laws governing projection of objects beyound the width of a vehicle. **Be aware of the width and height of your cargo since low clearance branches, bridges, and parking garages can affect the load** All cargo will affect the vehicle's driving behavior. Never drive with any lock, know, or rack in an open or unlocked position. All long loads such as, but not limited to sailboards, surfboards, kayaks, canoes, and lumber must be tied down front and rear to the bumpers or tow hooks, of the vehicle.
- Remove your rack accessories when they are not in use, before intering car washes, prior to taking in your vehicle for service, and whenever clearance may be an issue.
- All locks must be turned and moved periodically to insure smooth operation. Use graphite or similar dry lubricant to help this. Locks are designed to deter vandalism and theft. Remove valuable gear if your vehicle is unattended for an extended period. Place at least one key in the glove compartment.
- For safety to your vehicle and rack system, obey all posted speed limits and traffic cautions. Adapt your speed to the conditions of the road and the load being carried.
- Do not use load carriers and accessories for purposes other than those for which they were designed. Do not exceed their carrying capacity.
- Consult with your dealer if you have any questions regarding the operations and limits of this product. Review all instructions carefully.

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Included in kit

Letter	Description	Location	Quantity
A	GOBI LEXUS LX-570 2008-15 REAR DOOR LADDER	Main box	1
B	GOBI REAR LADDER SUPPORT PLATE 2008-15	strapped to ladder	1
C	LADDER HANGER PLATE	strapped to ladder	1
D	<p>GOBI LADDER MOUNTING HARDWARE</p> <p>CONTENTS: 2- 5/16" Nuts SS 2- 5/16" Lock washer SS 2- 3/8" Flat washer SS</p> <p>2- 5/16-18 x 1" SS Button head screws 2- 5/16" SS Flat washers 2- 5/16" SS Lock washers</p> <p>Pre-assembled to bottom of ladder</p>	BAG #1	1



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3-1/2"

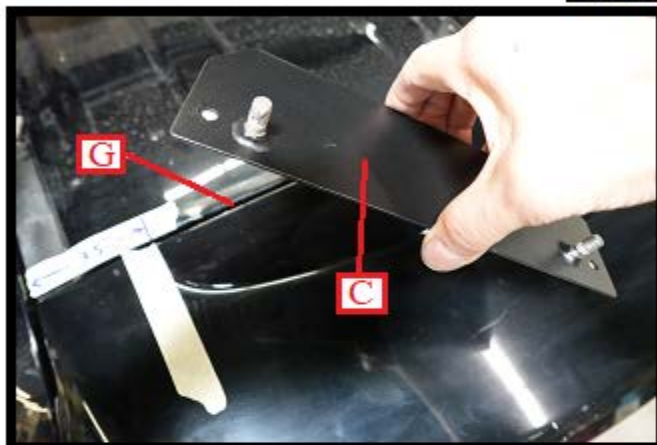
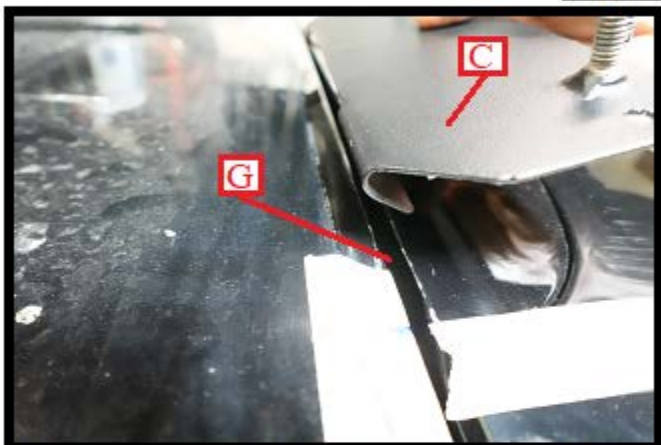
Fig. 1

As shown in Fig. 1 and Fig. 2, first clean off the top of the rear door with denatured alcohol to remove all dirt and debris. Then use a tape measure and mark with masking tape 3-1/2" from the outer edge of the vehicle's top rear driver side corner just above the rear door lift gate as shown.

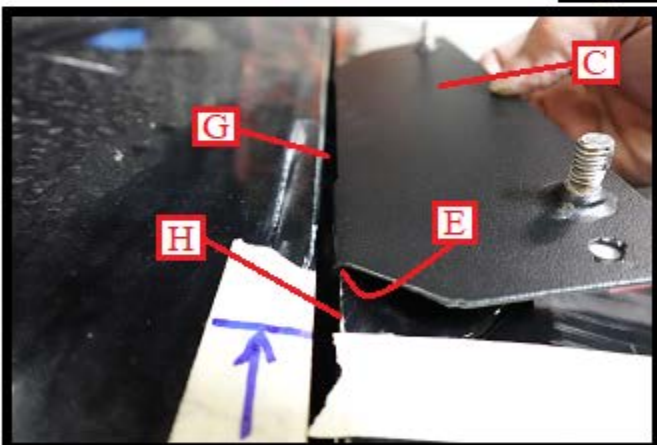
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Fig. 2

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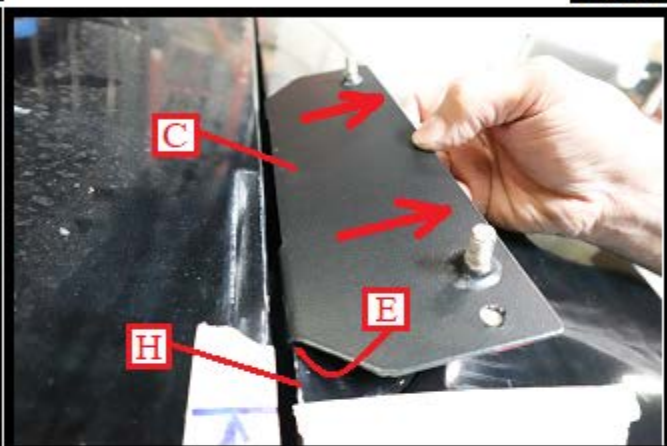
Fig. 3**Fig. 4**

As shown in Fig. 3 and Fig. 4, remove the ladder hanger plate (C) from your parts kit. Do not peel off the double back tape protective cover. Place hanger plate (C) over the rear door and into the top door edge (G).

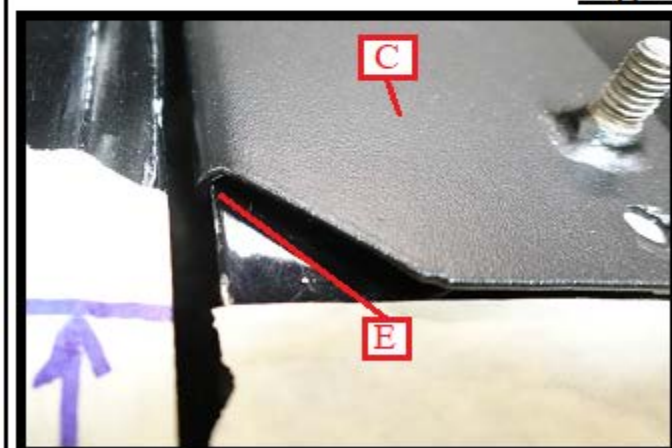
Fig. 5**Fig. 6**

As shown in Fig. 5 and Fig. 6, place hanger plate (C) into gap (G) so that the inside edge (E) of hanger plate (C) contacts the rear door top edge (H) as shown. Align the left edge of hanger plate (C) with masking tape marker and allow to rest on the roof top. This exercise provides you with an understanding of how the hanger plate is to be installed.

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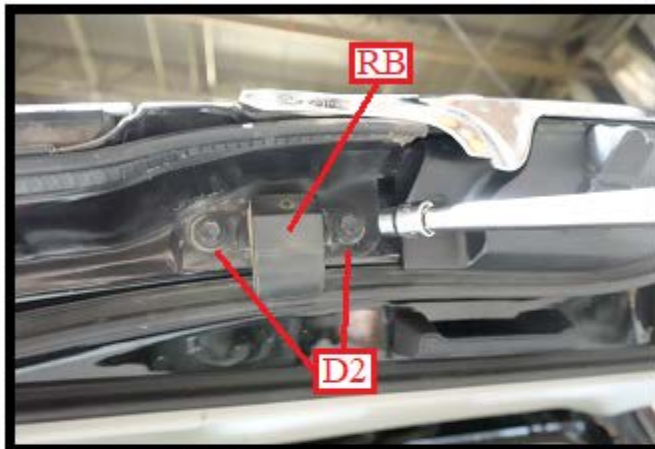
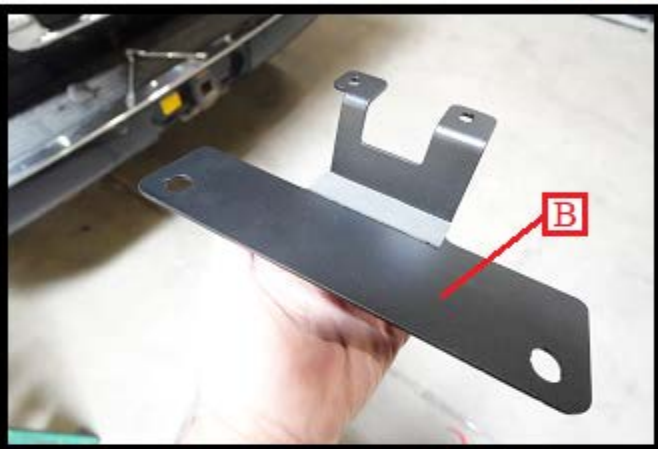
Fig. 7**Fig. 8**

As shown in Fig. 7, remove hanger plate (C) and peel off the double back protective tape cover. Then reinstall hanger plate as previously shown in Fig. 3 through 6. Make certain to lift the front of the hanger plate as shown in Fig. 8 while pulling in the direction of the red arrows. This will provide a tight fit between the inside edge (E) of hanger plate (C) and the top edge (H) of the door.

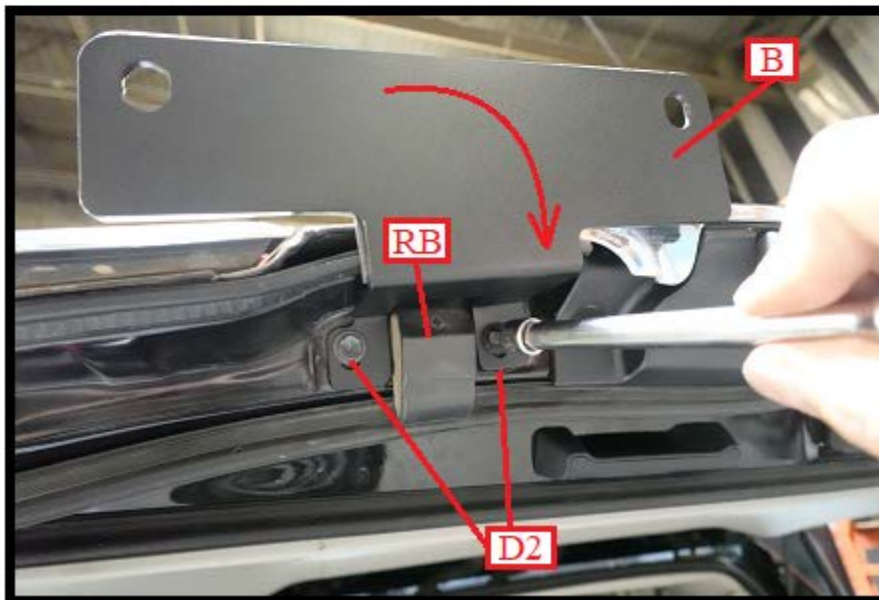
Fig. 9**Fig. 10**

As shown in Fig. 9 and Fig. 10, while holding pressure in the directions of the red arrows lay hanger plate (C) down onto the top of the rear door and hold down with pressure for approximately 30 seconds.

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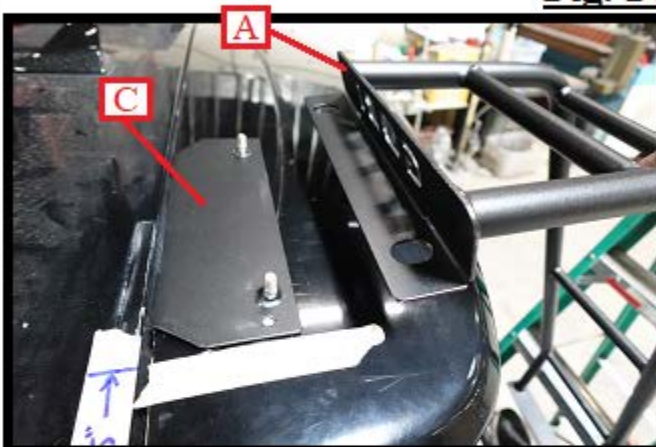
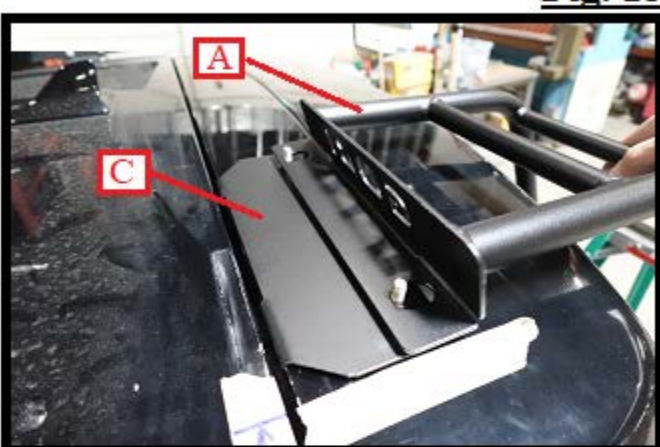
Fig. 11**Fig. 12**

As shown in Fig. 11, raise the rear door and use a 10mm wrench and remove both screws (D2). The rubber bumper (RB) will come off at this time. Keep the rubber bumper (RB) nearby as it will be needed shortly. As shown in Fig. 12, remove the lower ladder support plate (B) from your hardware kit. Place the rubber bumper (RB) back in place on the door and set the lower support plate (B) over the top of the rubber bumper (RB) as shown in Fig. 13.

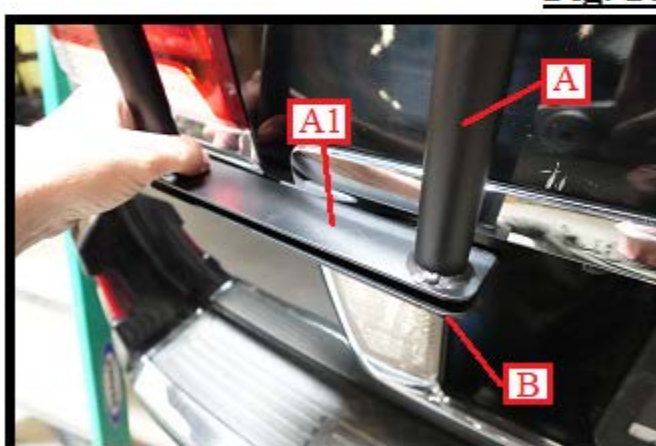
Fig. 13

As shown in Fig. 13, re-thread screws (D2) back in place over support plate (B) and rubber bumper (RB). Make certain to rotate lower ladder mounting plate (B) in the direction of the red arrow (clockwise) then fully tighten both screws (D2).

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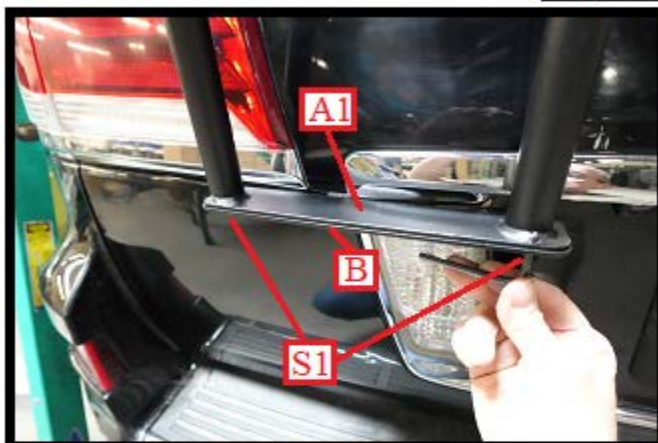
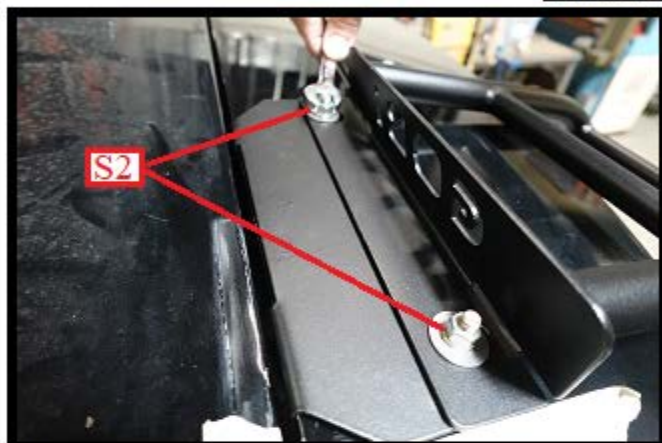
Fig. 14**Fig. 15**

Remove two 5/16-18 x 1" button head screws, lock washers and flat washers (S1) shown in Fig. 17 from the bottom of ladder (A). Place the screws on the rear bumper as they will be needed shortly. Place ladder (A) as shown in Fig. 14 and Fig. 15 onto hanger plate (C).

Fig. 16**Fig. 17**

As shown in Fig. 16, align the bottom plate (A1) of ladder (A) with the lower ladder support plate (B). As shown in Fig. 17, locate both screw sets (S1) removed earlier as explained in Fig. 14. Thread both screws (S1) up through support plate (B) then into the bottom of ladder (A1) as shown.

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Fig. 18**Fig. 19**

As shown in Fig. 18, align the lower ladder plate (A1) with support plate (B) and fully tighten both screws (S1) with the supplied 3/16" Allen wrench in your kit. As shown in Fig. 19, remove from your hardware kit two 5/16" nuts, lock washers and flat washers (S2) and thread them onto both hanger plate threaded studs. Tighten in place but do not over tighten.

Fig. 20**Fig. 21**

As shown in Fig. 20, remove from your hardware kit one piece of 1-1/4" x 4" clear wear tape (CT). Clean the surface of the lower rear door tail gate with denatured alcohol prior to applying the clear tape. As shown in Fig. 20 and Fig. 21, peel off the protective cover from the clear tape and place on the rear door as shown in alignment to the upper door clear protective tape (T).

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Remove all masking tape markers
Installation complete