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Preparation

**Part Number: PT929-50180** 

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#### **Kit Contents**

Item#	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1	1	Applique, RR Bumper
2		

# **Hardware Bag Contents**

Item#	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1		
2		

#### **Additional Items Required For Installation**

Item#	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1		
2		

#### **Conflicts**

None

## **Recommended Tools**

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Personal & Vehicle	Notes		
Protection			
Protective Blanket			
Special Tools	Notes		
Squeegee	4" (3M <sup>TM</sup> Gold) or		
	4" (3M <sup>TM</sup> Silver)		
Low Friction Sleeve	3M SA-1		
Surface Thermometer Infrared Non-contact		n-contact	
Heat Gun	Master Heat Gun HG-301A		
	or equivalent		
<b>Installation Tools</b>	Notes		
Lint Free Cloth			
Spray Bottle	For wetting agent		
<b>Special Chemicals</b>	Notes		
Cleaner	VDC approved cleaner and		
cleaning method		thod	
Wetting Agent	Johnson's Baby Shampoo		
Note: Solution depends on	mixed PER	mixed PER LITER of water:	
the part and the vehicle	Temp	Shampoo	
surface temperature. Not	65º F	.5 mL	
only on ambient	70° F	.75 mL	
temperature.	80° F	1 mL	
	90° F	1.5 mL	

#### **General Applicability**

MY18 and newer LS/LSh vehicles

### **Recommended Sequence of Application**

Item #	Accessory
1	
2	

\*Mandatory

#### Vehicle Service Parts (may be required for reassembly)

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Item#	Quantity Reqd.	Description	
1			
2			

### 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.



**CAUTION:** A process that must be carefully observed in order to reduce the risk of damage to the accessory/vehicle and to ensure a quality installation.



<u>TOOLS & EQUIPMENT:</u> Used in Figures 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.



7 SAFETY TORQUE: This mark indicates that torque is related to safety.

#### Procedure

Care must be taken when installing this accessory to ensure damage does not occur to the vehicle. The installation of this accessory should follow approved guidelines to ensure a quality installation.

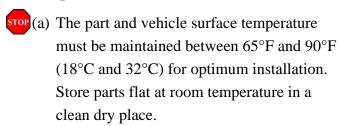
These guidelines can be found in the "Accessory Installation Practices" document.

This document covers such items as:-

- Vehicle Protection (use of covers and blankets, cleaning chemicals, etc.).
- Safety (eye protection, rechecking torque procedure, etc.).
- Vehicle Disassembly/Reassembly (panel removal, part storage, etc.).
- Electrical Component Disassembly/Reassembly (battery disconnection, connector removal, etc.).

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# 1. Prepare the Vehicle.

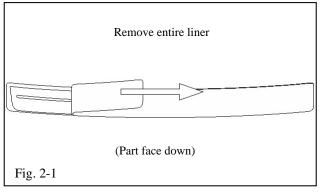


- (b) Place a protective blanket in the trunk area to protect it from overspray of the wetting agent.
- (c) Clean the entire application surface to remove grease and wax. Clean the entire area with a VDC approved cleaner and cleaning method.
  - (d) Wipe the cleaned surface with a clean, dry, lint-free cloth.

# Install the Rear Bumper Applique.

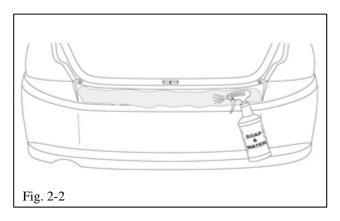
**NOTE:** The premask of the part may be blue or white. The installation method is the same for either material.

(a) Place the part face down on a clean flat surface. Remove the entire liner (Fig. 2-1).

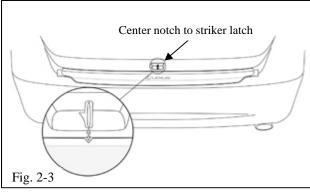


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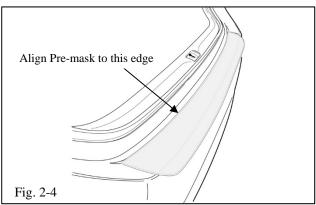
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(b) Spray the bumper and the applique with wetting agent (Fig. 2-2).

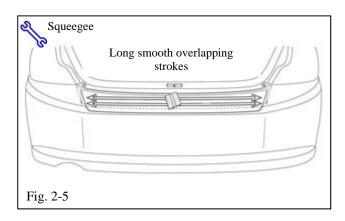


(c) Place part face up onto rear bumper. Align the center notch on the premask directly below the striker latch opening (Fig. 2-3).



(d) Align the leading edge of the pre-mask along the vertical surface of the bumper being sure not to roll onto the vertical surface. (Fig. 2-4).

**NOTE:** Do not smooth the part by hand.

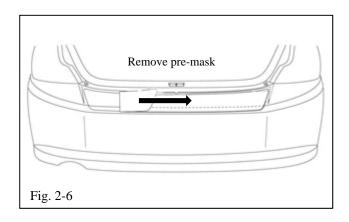


(a) Using long smooth overlapping strokes, squeegee from the center outwards of the horizontal surface (Fig. 2-5).

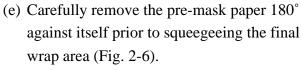
# NOTE:

- Do not use excessive force as it may cause creasing of the applique.
- If the part moves as you begin to squeegee, either excessive force is being used or mixture contains too much soap.

Procedure

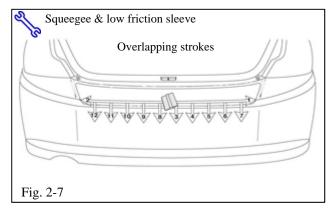


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NOTE: It may be necessary to press down on the corner of the part as you roll back the premask.



(f) Wrap the squeegee with a low friction sleeve before proceeding (Fig. 2-7).



(g) While holding the squeegee at a 45° angle, make smooth continuous strokes from the center outwards on the angled surface shown. (Fig. 2-7).



(h) While holding the squeegee at a 45° angle, make smooth overlapping downward strokes at a 45° angle from the center of the applique on the horizontal surface onto the angled surface (Fig. 2-7).



**NOTE:** Pay close attention to the edge of the applique at the transition point from the horizontal to the angled surface of the bumper.

- (i) Ensure water mixture has been eliminated.
- (j) Dry off the vehicle with a clean, lint free cloth.

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Checklist - these points **MUST** be checked to ensure a quality installation. Check: Look For: **Accessory Function Checks** Look for bubbles, loose and lifting edges. Proper adhesion – Visual Removed items have been discarded & replaced items are in place. With light pressure, rub a hand over the top Proper adhesion – Physical of the part and if a crackling sound occurs, re-squeegee. If bubbles cannot be worked out to the nearest edge, replace the part. The part must be centered within the Proper alignment – Cross-Car bumper +/-3 mm. Vehicle Appearance Check Ensure no damage (including scuffs and After accessory installation and removal of protective cover(s), perform a visual scratches) was caused during the installation process. inspection. (For PPO installations, refer to TMS Accessory Quality Shipping Standard.)