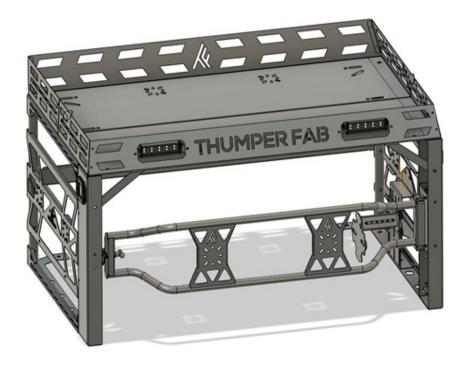


# Can-Am Defender Bed Rack

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#### **PARTS**

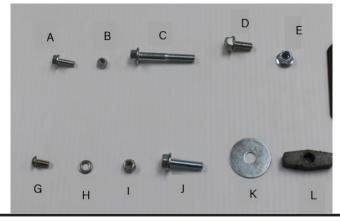
#### REF QTY **DESCRIPTION** 1 Rear Column - DR 2 1 Rear Column - PA Front Column - DR 3 1 4 1 Front Column - PA Light Cube Cover 5 2 Lower Main Rail - DR 6 1 Lower Main Rail - PA 7 1 Middle Rail - DR 8 Middle Rail - PA 9 1 Upper Main Rail - DR 10 1 11 1 Upper Main Rail - PA 12 1 Sway Support - DR 13 1 Sway Support - PA 14 1 Rear Brace 15 1 Upper Rack - REAR 16 Upper Rack - FRONT 1 17 2 Upper Rack Accent Panel 18 2 Upper Rack Connection Bracket

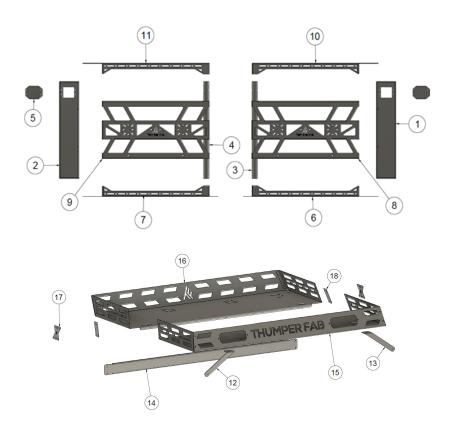
#### **HARNWARE**

REF	QTY	HARDWARE KIT
Α	19	M6-1.0 x 16mm Flange Bolts
В	19	M6-1.0 x 16mm Flange Lock Nuts
С	16	M8-1.25 x 55mm Flange Bolts
D	20	M8-1.25 x 20mm Flange Bolts
Е	40	M8-1.25 Flanged Lock Nuts
G	8	1/4-20 x 1/2 SS Button Heads
Н	8	1/4 1/2 Stainless Flat Washers
I	8	1/4 x 20 Stainless Nylon Lock Nuts
J	4	M8 x 1.25 x 30 Flange Bolt
K	4	5/16" Washer
L	4	Spacer

#### **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

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#### Assemble Each Side

These instructions will be followed for drivers and passengers side, they can be completed consecutively or individually. Separate and stage materials, this will be easiest on a table (**FIG 1**).



#### TOOLS

- 10mm Socket
- 13mm Socket
- 7/16" Socket
- · 10mm Wrench
- 13mm Wrench
- 7/16" Wrench
- Ratchet
- Rubber Mallet

FIG 1 - Separate & Stage Materials for Driver and Passengers Side

#### Hand Tighten Hardware for the Side Panels of Bed Rack

Assemble lower main rail - DR (6), rear column -DR (1), front column -DR (3), middle rail - DR (8) and upper main rail - DR (10). Using 16 X M8-1.25 x 55mm flange bolts (C), 12 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (D) & 28 X M8-1.25 x flange lock nuts (E), loosely attach side panel of bed rack (FIG 2).



FIG 2 - Hand Tighten Hardware for Each Side

Once loosely assembled, place side rails on top of Defender Bed rail for mounting (**FIG 3**).



FIG 3 - Put Loosely Assembled side Rails on Bed

#### **Insert Washers**

Using factory provided mounting holes fit the Spacers (L) in the four corners of the bed. Once fit securely, raise the bed for easier fastening of the hardware (FIG 4).





FIG 4

#### Secure Spacers using Bolt Assembly in Front Corners of Bed

Using the 7/16" socket & 7/16" wrench, tighten in this order: 1 X M8-1.25 x 30mm flanged bolt (J), 1 X Spacer (L), 1 X 5/16" washer (K) & 1 X M8-1.25 flanged lock nut (E) tighten on both front corners of the bed. Once front 2 mounting fasteners are hand tight, lower bed for remainder of install (**FIG 5**).

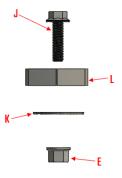




FIG 5 - Using 7/16" Socket & 7/16" Wrench Install Spacers to Front Corners of Bed

#### Remove the Two Middle Rail Screws to Fasten Rear Brace

Remove the 4 X M8-1.25 x 55mm Flange Bolts (**C**) and 4 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (**E**) to be able to install the rear brace (**14**) (**FIG 6**).



FIG 6 - Rear Brace (14) Connects Driver & Passenger Side

#### **Fasten Rear Brace**

Using the rear brace (14), connect both sides using 4 X M8-1.25 x 55mm flange bolts ( $\bf C$ ) and 4 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts ( $\bf E$ ) hand tighten ( $\bf FIG~7$ ).

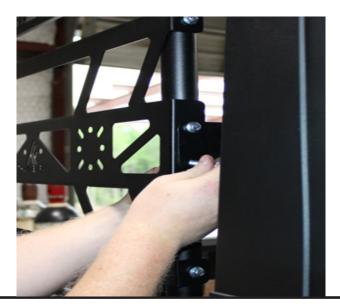


FIG 7 - Connect the Rear Brace to the Bed Rack using a 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench

#### **Install Upper Basket**

Place the upper rack - FRONT (16) on top of the bed rack towards the front of the unit. Secure into place using 2 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (I) & 2 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (J). Next, place the upper rack - REAR (15) behind the upper rack - FRONT (16) using 2 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (D) & 2 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (E)(FIG 15). Once hand tight install sway supports (12 & 13) using 4 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (D) and 4 X M8-1.25 flange lock nut (E) (FIG 16).



FIG 15 - Secure Upper Front and Rear Racks using 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench

FIG 16 - Use 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench to install Sway Supports (12 & 13)

Fasten front and rear racks from the underside using 3 X M6-1.0 x 16mm flange bolts (**A**) and 3 X M6-1.0 flange lock nuts (**B**). Using 10mm socket and 10mm wrench to fasten the upper rack connection brackets (**18**) and the upper rack accent panels (**17**) with 8 X M6-1.0 x 16mm flange bolts (**A**) and M6-1.0 lock nuts (**B**). Tighten all bed rack bolts using 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench (**FIG 17**).





FIG 17 - Fasten together Upper Rack - FRONT and Upper Rack - REAR using 10mm Socket and 10mm Wrench

#### **ACCESSORIES**

#### **PARTS**

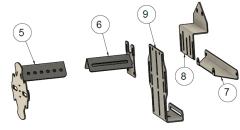
#### REF QTY DESCRIPTION **LIGHT KIT (INSTRUCTIONS IN BOX)** 1 **Cube Lights** 2 2 6" Light Bar 3 1 Rack Harness 4 1 Bike Harness **SPARE TIRE CARRIER** Tire Mount Assembly 5 Frame Mount Assembly 6 1 Tire Adjuster Mount Brace 7 1 1 Tire Height Adjuster 8 Tire Diameter Adjuster Mount 9 1 **REAR DOOR** 10 Rear Door 11 Latch A 12 1 Latch B 13 1 Latch C 14 1 Mount Hinge

#### **HARDWARE**

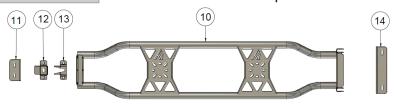
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FOR OPTIONAL SPARE TIRE CARRIER				
Α	16	M8-1.25 x 20mm Flange Bolt		
В	16	M8-1.25 Flange Lock Nut		
С	2	M12-1.5 Hex Cap Screw		
D	2	M12-1.5 Wheel Nut		
Е	4	M8 Flat Washer		
FOR OPTIONAL REAR DOOR				
F	2	M6-1.0 x 16mm Flange Bolts		
G	2	M6-1.0 Flange Lock Nuts		
Н	6	M8-1.25 20mm Flange Bolts		
I	6	M8-1.25 Flanged Lock Nuts		
J	2	3/8"-24 Hiem Joints		
K	2	3/8"-24 Jam Nuts		
L	2	3/8"-16 x 1-1/2" Flange Head		
М	2	3/8"-16 Lock Nut		
N	1	Retractable Spring Plunger		
0	2	1 1/4" Tubing Plugs		

#### TOOLS - Rear Door

- 14mm Socket
- 9/16" Socket
- 14mm Wrench
- 7/8" Wrench
- 9/16" Wrench
- 11/16" Wrench



Spare Tire Holder



Rear Door

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#### **ACCESSORY INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **Optional Spare Tire Carrier Install**

Using 8 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (**A**) and 8 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (**B**) assemble the tire adjuster mount brace (**7**), tire height adjuster (**8**), and tire diameter adjuster mount (**9**) (**FIG 17**).



FIG 17 - Assemble Spare Tire Mount using 13mm Wrench and 13mm Socket

Using the remaining 8 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts ( $\bf A$ ), and 8 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts ( $\bf B$ ) to fasten the frame mount assembly ( $\bf 6$ ) to the tire mount assembly ( $\bf 5$ ). Use the 2 X M12-1.5 hex cap screws ( $\bf C$ ) and 2 X M12-1.5 wheel nuts ( $\bf D$ ) to attach tire to mount assembly ( $\bf 5$ )(FIG 18).



FIG 18 - Assemble Spare Tire Mount using 13mm Wrench and 13mm Socket

#### **Optional Rear Door**

Remove the 2 rear middle rail bolts on both sides. Connect latch A (11), latch B (12) & latch C (13) with slots centered use 2 X M6-1.0 x 16mm flange bolts (A) and 2 X M6-1.0 lock nuts (B) and 10mm socket and 10mm wrench. Insert the new piece (latch) in to the driver side rear column (1), loosley fasten using 4 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (H) and M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (I) (FIG 19).



FIG 19 - Use 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench to fasten latch assembly to Driver Rear Column

#### **Secure Hiem Joints**

Thread 2 X 3/8"-24 hiem joints (J) and 2 X 3/8"-24 jam nuts (K) into weldnuts provided in mount hinge (14). **Do Not Tighten!!** Using the 6 X M8-1.25 x 20mm flange bolts (H) and 6 X M8-1.25 flange lock nuts (I) fasten the mount hinge (14) to the passenger rear column using a 13mm socket and 13 mm wrench (FIG 18).



FIG 18 - Loosley install Mount Hinge (14) using 13mm Socket and 13mm Wrench

#### Installation of Rear Door

Place the rear door (10) into place on the hiem joint and test fit door swinging path using 2 X 3/8-16 x 1-1/2" flange head bolts (L) and 2 X 3/8-16 lock nuts (M). Adjustment of hiem joints (J) will need to be performed to align the retractable spring plunger (N) with the latch assembly, this may take several attempts, back out lower hiem and screw in upper hiem to adjust door height at latch (FIG 19).

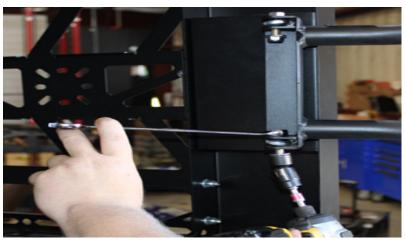


FIG 19 - Use 9/16" Socket & 9/16" Wrench to tighten Door Mounting Bolts & 11/16" Wrench for 2 X 3/8-24"Jam Nuts (K)

#### **Retractable Spring Plunger**

Install the retractable spring plunger (N). Once door is aligned properly using adjustment of hiem joints (J) the door should easily swing and close properly. Tighten all remaining hardware and install 2 X plastic tubing plugs in the end of the driver side door (O) using rubber mallet (FIG 20 & 21).



FIG 20 - Install Retractable Spring Plunger (N) using 7/8" Wrench



FIG 21 - Install Plastic Tubing Plugs
(O)

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# TF40702 Defender Nerf Rails (3 Seat)



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