

FITTING INSTRUCTIONS

Subaru Forester Wagon – T4S601



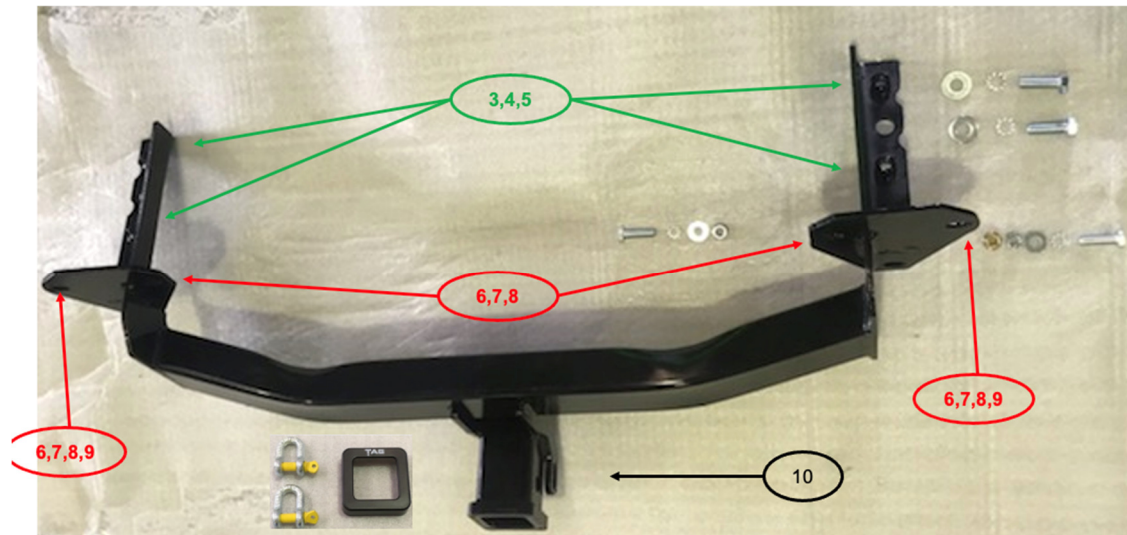
Max Towing Capacity: 1800kg	Towbar Weight: kg
Max Ball Load: 180kg	Wiring Harness Part #: UNT276



Tools Required:

- Spanners, Sockets, Torque Wrench

Kit Contents					
Item No.	Description	Qty	Item No.	Description	Qty
1.	Towbar – T7S692 / T4S601	1	6.	M10 x 1.25 x 35 Bolt & Nut	4
2.	Ball Mount – L4120	1	7.	M10 Shake proof washer	4
3.	½" x 1 ½" UNC Bolt	4	8.	M10 Flat Washer	4
4.	½" Shake proof washer	4	9.	M10 x1.25 Gold locking nut	2
5.	½" Flat Washer	4	10.	Class 4 Pin & clip	1



Warning:

- This product is for towing purposes only and must only be loaded as shown in your vehicle Owners Manual.
- This towbar is NOT to be drilled, cut, welded or modified in any way.
- Check behind chassis rail and body panels before drilling to ensure no hazards are present

General:

- Before fitting this towbar read fitting instructions and check installation hardware is correct.
- Check that the towbar is suitable for the vehicle and be wary of any changes to the vehicle design that may conflict with the fitting of this towbar.
- After drilling, blow any filings clear, remove any swarf and treat exposed metal with a rust inhibitor.
- If this vehicle requires a bumper cut out, please check to make sure that you measure twice and check twice before cutting any panels as some bumper profiles can change. If you are not sure, then please ask your towbar supplier

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Step 1 Remove tail lights		
Instructions	Tools	Torque Spec
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Remove plastic covers from the taillight assemblies.b. Remove 3x M6 bolts fastening the taillight and bumper per side.c. Taillight assembly releases outwards from body. Disconnect wiring harness.d. Remove plastic scrivet from within cavity.e. Retain all fasteners.	Trim tool, 10mm spanner, trim removal tool.	

Step 2 Remove bumper bar		
Instructions	Tools	Torque Spec
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Remove screws fastening the bumper to the body.b. Remove 6x Torx head screw fastening mudflap.c. Remove 2x bolts rearward of the mudflap.d. Repeat on LHS. Retain all fasteners.e. Remove 2 screws from the bottom of the bumper either side of spare wheel.f. Remove 2x screws from rear most lower bumper retainers & 4 screws attaching lower splash guards.g. Beginning at each wheel arch, gently peel the bumper away from the body around to the base of the taillight cavity.h. Disconnect the reverse sensor harness from the bumper.i. Retain the foam infills located on the crash bar.	Phillips screwdriver, Torx wrench, 10mm spanner.	

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Step 3 Install Towbar		
Instructions	Tools	Torque Spec
<p>a. Remove five bolts and towing hook from the LHS chassis rail and discard. Remove & discard bumper retaining brackets & bolts.</p> <p>b. Lift the towbar to the chassis. Loosely secure side arms with M12x 40 bolts, flat & shake proof washers.</p> <p>c. Loosely secure centre plate to crossmember with 4x M12x 40 bolts, flat & shake proof washers.</p> <p>d. Fasten all bolts.</p>	18mm socket & spanner	90Nm

Step 4 Cut Bumper Bar		
Instructions	Tools	Torque Spec
<p>a. Cut the bumper bar to suit the hitch box. (110w x 80h).</p> <p>b. Remove the horizontal centre tab located above the hitch cut-out.</p> <p>c. Trim the RHS splash guard adjacent rear. (see pic)</p> <p>d. Refit the bumper bar in reverse of steps 1 & 2.</p> <p>e. Fasten lower rear bumper retainers with M8 hardware.</p>	Air saw, 13mm spanner & sockets	

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WARRANTY STATEMENT

The manufacturer of TAG branded products, warrants your TAG Towbar for its full product life under the following conditions:

- You can show proof of purchase.
- The towbar has been correctly installed by a suitably qualified installer.
- The towbar has not been modified or abused in any way and has only been used for the purpose intended.
- The towbar was not fitted second hand to your vehicle.

The extent of this warranty includes materials and workmanship used in the manufacture of the towbar and is to the equivalent value of current, full replacement cost.

Nothing stated or implied in this warranty limits in any way, the statutory rights that you may have.

To make a claim visit the original installer in the first instance or, if you are unable to or are not satisfied with their help, then contact us directly by email at warranty@tagtowing.com