Owner's Manual & Safety Instructions

Save This Manual Keep this manual for the safety warnings and precautions, assembly, operating, inspection, maintenance and cleaning procedures. Write the product's serial number in the back of the manual near the assembly diagram (or month and year of purchase if product has no number). Keep this manual and the receipt in a safe and dry place for future reference. 20j

BADLAND WINCHES™

ATV WINCH
MOUNTING PLATE



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When unpacking, make sure that the product is intact and undamaged. If any parts are missing or broken, please call 1-888-866-5797 as soon as possible.

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⚠WARNING

Read this material before using this product. Failure to do so can result in serious injury. SAVE THIS MANUAL.

Specifications

Winch Compatibility	2,500 & 3,500 lb Badland Winches

Important Safety Information

Assembly Precautions

1. Install only according to these instructions. Improper installation can create hazards.
2. Verify Plate is compatible with the ATV it is being mounted on.
3. Before installing, read and understand instructions and safety precautions in ATV manufacturer's service manual.
4. Wear ANSI-approved safety goggles and heavy-duty work gloves during mounting.
5. Keep work area clean and well lit.
6. Keep bystanders out of the area during mounting and use.
7. Do not mount or use winch when tired or when under the influence of alcohol, drugs or medication.
8. Weight capacity and other product capabilities apply to properly and completely assembled product only.

Use Precautions

1. This product is not a toy. Do not allow children to play with or near this Plate.
2. Use as intended only.
   This Plate is designed to be used with 2,500 & 3,500 lb Badland Winches. Do not weld, bend, drill new holes in, or otherwise modify this Plate. Modifications may compromise the structure of this product, leading to sudden failure under load and decreased capacity.
3. Inspect before every use; do not use if parts are loose or damaged.
4. Do not exceed 3,500 lb. capacity. Mounting location and hardware must support winch and load. **Be aware of dynamic loading!** Sudden load movement may briefly create excess load causing product failure.
5. Maintain product labels and nameplates. These carry important safety information. If unreadable or missing, contact Harbor Freight Tools for a replacement.

Mounting Instructions

Read the ENTIRE IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION section at the beginning of this document including all text under subheadings therein before set up or use of this product.

1. **CAUTION!** Before attaching the Plate to ATV, turn off ATV's engine and set emergency brake.
2. With assistance, position Plate between front frame rails of ATV.
3. Align mounting holes in Plate with the factory bolt holes in the frame of ATV. Then, securely attach Plate to ATV's frame with 4 sets of 8mm diameter ASTM Grade 5 Bolts, Washers, Lock Washers, and Nuts (not included).
4. Using the appropriate size ASTM Grade 5 Bolts, Washers, Lock Washers, and Nuts, attach Winch's Fairlead onto front of Plate. Then run the Winch's Hook through the Fairlead.
5. Align mounting holes in base of the Winch (sold separately) with mounting holes in Plate.
6. Securely attach Winch to Plate, using correct hardware.



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Note: If product has no serial number, record month and year of purchase instead.

Note: Reference UPC 193175331267.

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