

CorkSport Performance

CX50-8-010 License Plate Relocation Kit

Installation Instructions for the CorkSport Performance License Plate Relocation Kit for the 2023+ Mazda CX-50

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INTRODUCTION

In this installation guide we have provided step by step instructions to install the CorkSport Performance License Plate Relocation Kit.

- Installation is shown on a 2023 Mazda CX-50. Other model years will be similar.

TOOLS:

- Medium Phillips Head Screwdriver (1)
- 10mm Socket-Deep (1)
- Small Flathead Screwdriver (1)
- 3/8" Ratchet (1)
- 17mm Socket - Deep (1)
- 1/4" Bit Driver (1)
- Wrench, 19mm (1)

PARTS:

- CorkSport License Plate Bracket (1)
- CorkSport CX-50 Tow Hook Screw (1)
- CorkSport 19mm Wrench (1)
- M12x20mm Stainless Steel Hex Head Bolt (1)
- M12 Stainless Steel Washer (1)
- Security Hex Bit (1)
- Security Hex Screws (4)
- 1/4" Bumper Plugs (2)

Step 1 — Getting Started



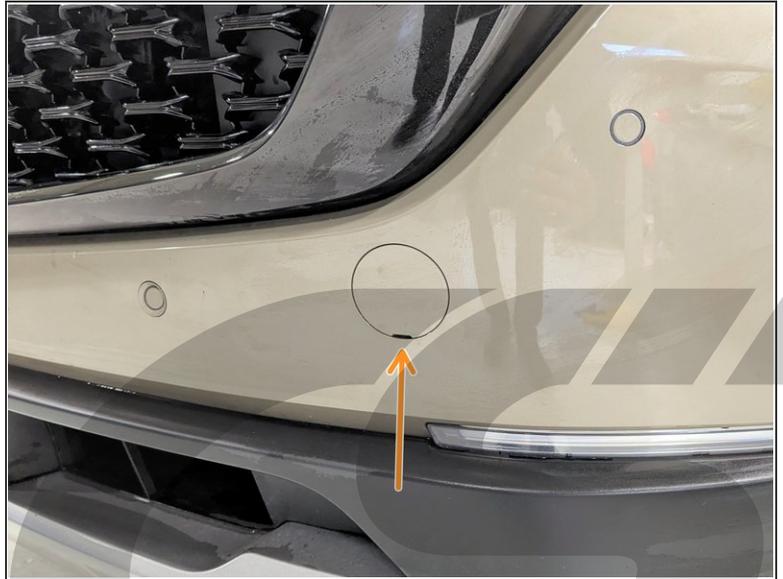
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- ⓘ How To Use These Instructions: The instruction format will relate colored marking in the image to the color dot in the text to the right of the image

Step 2 — Remove the License Plate and OEM Bracket



- Start by removing the License Plate using a screwdriver or 10mm socket and ratchet.
 - Using a 10mm socket and ratchet, remove the two bolts holding on the OEM License Plate Bracket.
 - **Optional:** If you would like to plug the holes that were used to secure the OEM bracket, use a 1/4" drill bit to enlarge the holes to fit the included plastic plugs.
- ⚠ Drilling the holes will require new hardware to be used if you want to return to using the OEM License Plate Bracket in the future**

Step 3 — Locate and Remove the Tow Hook Cover



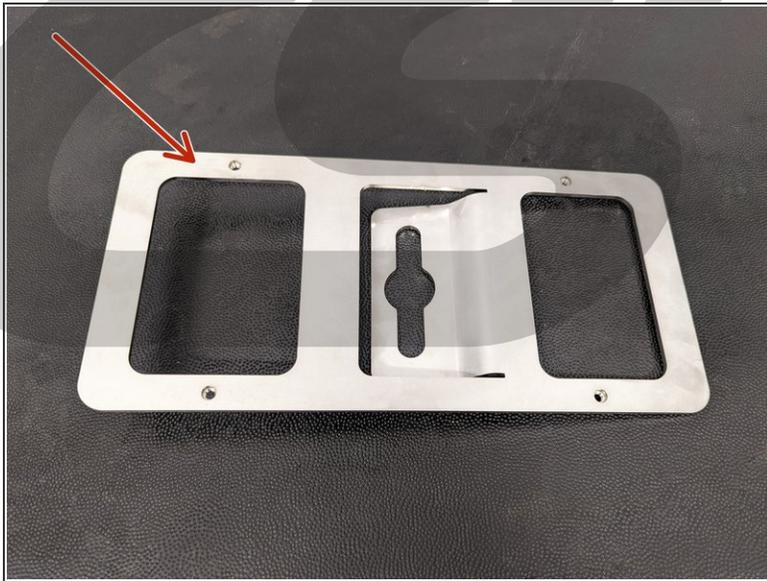
- Locate the Tow Hook Cover that is on the right side of the bumper.
- Using a flat head screwdriver, gently push upwards on the tab that is on the inside of the cover while prying outwards to remove

Step 4 — Install the CorkSport Tow Hook Screw



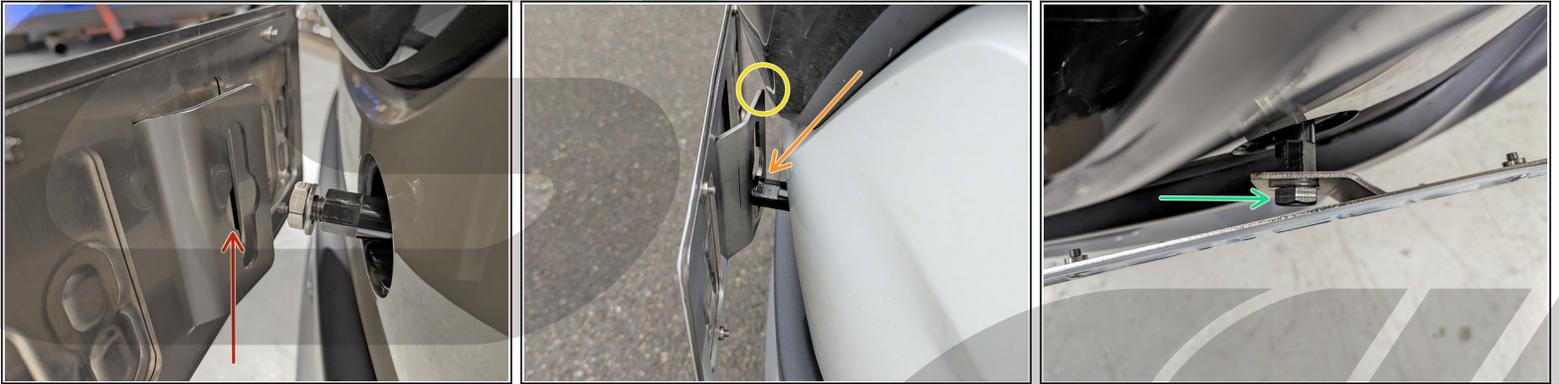
- Install the Tow Hook Screw using a 17mm socket and ratchet to 45 ft-lbs.
- Now install the Stainless Steel 19mm Bolt with the washer into the Tow Hook Stud, leaving ~ 1/4" of room between the washer and tow hook screw as shown.

Step 5 — Install the License Plate onto the CorkSport Bracket



- Place the CorkSport License Plate Bracket on a flat surface as shown.
 - ⓘ The left side of the bracket should be off the surface.
- Place your License Plate on the bracket and install the 4 security hex screws using a 1/4" bit driver and the included security bit until they are snug.

Step 6 — Place the License Plate on the Standoff



- Line up the large hole in the License Plate Bracket with the bolt and washer and slide it over the head of the bolt and washer.
- Slide the license plate bracket up about an inch and hold it there while you move to the next step
 - Don't move the bracket too high up in the slot as it will contact the grill
- Tighten the bolt using either the included wrench or another 19mm wrench until the License Plate Bracket is snug, but can still be rotated by hand.

Step 7 — Level the License Plate



- Rotate the license plate bracket until it is level on the car and tighten down the 19mm bolt until it is tight.
- ⓘ If parked on a flat surface you can place a level on top of the license plate to properly align it.

Step 8 — Installation Complete



- This completes your installation of the CorkSport Performance License Plate Relocation Kit!
- ⓘ Check the License Plate Bracket after driving to ensure that it remains tight.
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