

Installation Instructions



Extended Shade Top w/ Skylights Part # S/B97502 2020+ Jeep Gladiator® JT



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Introduction

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JT XRC Gen 2 Rear Bumper



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Important Notes Before Starting



IMPORTANT NOTE

Carefully read through this entire instruction manual thoroughly before attempting to install this part.



IMPORTANT NOTE

Soft top material will stretch upon installation and once fabric is warmed up. Allow cover to lay out in the sun for 30 minutes prior to install. We recommend install in temperatures above 75°F.



WARNING

Park vehicle on flat surface, chock all four wheels and engage parking brake prior to installation. Serious injury can occur when working on vehicles alone. When possible, work with another person to reduce risk of injury from strain or other dangers that can occur when working alone.



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Step 1:

Remove the hardtop or lower the soft top and remove the door surrounds. Locate the front of the top by wrapping the front red straps around the roll bar as close to the windshield as possible. Make sure the left and right straps are equally tight. The center Smittybilt logo should face down so it can be seen from the passenger compartment. Make sure the logo is centered on the OE top hold down bracket.



Step 2:

Starting on the passenger side, work your way from the front red straps towards the rear until you get to the back two straps. Do not tighten the rearmost two straps (per side) until the rear support bar is installed. Then, do the same on the driver's side trying to keep the tightness equal between sides.



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Step 3:

Wrap center sound bar straps around sound bar and tighten. These need to be just snug and they will tighten the front half of the top.



Step 4:

Secure the two windshield bracket straps on both sides of your JT. Feed the long part of the strap thru the bracket on the windshield and snap them together. You may loosen the red straps to allow easier fastening of these straps. Be sure to re-tighten red straps.



Step 5:

Next, install the **Rear Support Bar** by laying it across the rear of the vehicle so that it spans across the roll bars of your JT. Then, secure the top to the bar using the Velcro pocket located on the top. Tighten the remaining four straps.



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Step 6:

Apply the front center Velcro pad to the windshield. Ensure bracket is clean by cleaning with rubbing alcohol before applying Velcro. Let Velcro adhesive cure for 24 hours before attaching mesh top to Velcro.



Step 7:

Installation is now complete.

Note: If you are going to install a hard top on top of the mesh top, loosen front red straps and disconnect the button straps that tie into the windshield brackets. Unzip and stow front section of the mesh top and make sure the freedom panels can latch without interference of the mesh top, tuck mesh top below the windshield brackets. Ensure mesh top does not cover the freedom panel locating holes in the front of the roll bar.



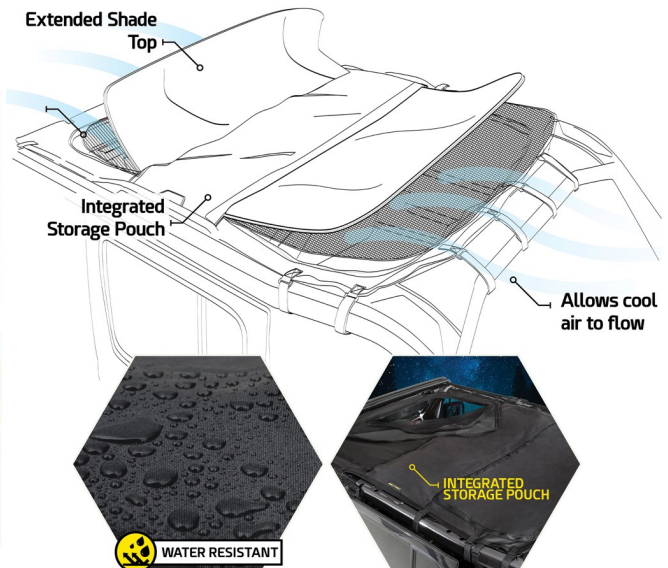
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Features and Use

This Extended Shade Top w/ Skylights features zippers front and rear for a fully topless experience. Simply unzip the flaps and stow them in the pouch over the sound bar. The pouch can be closed with the preinstalled Velcro when the entire flap is stowed inside the pouch.



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Stainless Steel Finish – Aluminum polish may be used to polish small scratches and scuffs on the finish. Mild soap, window or glass cleaner may be used to clean the finish. Dual state powder coat finish – Mild soap, window or glass cleaner may be used to clean the finish. In order to protect the finish, you may wax your product on a regular basis with pure carnauba automotive wax. Do not use any types of soap, polish or was that contains abrasive that could damage the finish. Textured coated finishes should be cleaned with a mild soap on a damp sponge. Do not apply polish or was that requires to be removed by means of buffing. This type of wax is commonly used at car wash facilities. Chrome Finish – Mild soap, window or glass cleaner may be used to clean the finish. In order to protect the finish, you should wax your product on a regular basis with pure carnauba automotive wax. Do not use any types of soap, polish or was that contains abrasive that could damage the finish.

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