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BED RAIL CAP SHIMS

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INSTALLATION GUIDE

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Keep an eye out for these icons:

TOOLS REQUIRED:





2016-UP TOYOTA TACOMA

PARTS INCLUDED:



2 X 8 Pack of shims (16 Shims Total)





Scissors

PRE-INSTALLATION NOTE:

To ensure the shims stick, make sure the surface temperature of your bed rail caps is at least 50°F and will remain so for at least a day.



REMOVE THE BED RAIL CAPS

To remove the bed rail cap, start at the tail of the bed right above the tail light on either side.

Be careful not to bend or crease the bed rail cap. Stay as close to the clip that you are trying to release as possible.



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Using your fingers, grasp onto the bed rail cap on the inside and pull directly up. Multiple clips may be released at one time during this process.

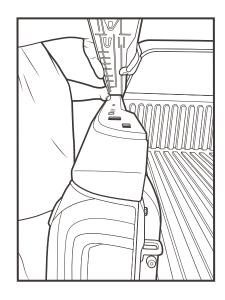


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Using upward force, continue working towards the cab releasing clips until you have completely removed one of the bed rail caps from the truck.



Repeat steps 1-4 on the other side.



INSTALL THE SHIMS



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You will need to clean the underside of the bed rail caps. We recommend alcohol and a lint free cloth to remove any contaminants or dirt. Allow them to dry.

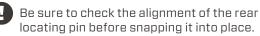
Each bed rail cap will require 8 shims. Using the illustration as a guide, test fit the shims in the shown locations on the underside of the bed rail caps. They will all be towards the inside of the bed rail cap. You will need to cut one shim in half and trim another.



During placement it can be helpful to set the shims with the adhesive backing up to confirm placement before removing tape.

Peel the tape and place the shims at the locations determined during the previous step. Be sure to press firmly along the entire shim to ensure adhesion.

Install the bed rail cap by starting at the cab. Make sure the clips and locating pins are aligned and begin pressing them back into the slots by applying downward pressure and working towards the tailgate.





Repeat this process on the other side.

This completes the bed rail cap shim installation for the Tacoma.

Please continue with the Bulkhead Prep Kit before starting the installation of your DiamondBack cover.

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	— Cut in half shim locations —	H	
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	Trimmed shim locations	E	
	LAST SHIM		