

## TOP SLIDER BUMPER GUARDS INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

## Please Read Completely Before Starting PRE-INSTALLATION

Before beginning installation, open trunk lid/hatch door and position Top Slider (without removing paper backing from adhesive) in the approximate mounting location desired on bumper. Many bumpers taper, or narrow, from the center of the bumper outward, so are not consistent in width. For the best bumper coverage as well as appearance, you have the option of matching either the leading edge (that closest to the trunk) or the trailing edge (that closest to the back of the bumper.) Determining which "look" you prefer before mounting the Top Slider is recommended. Generally following the trailing edge (the most visible area) is advisable, but not in every case.

**Step 1:** Surface Preparation Prior to Installation: The mounting surface must be absolutely clean and free of wax, dirt, oil, etc. to ensure a lasting installation. Areas not clean or dry prevent adhesive from fully bonding to surface even though it may appear so during installation. (Note: Freshly painted surfaces should be fully cured before making installation.)

**CAUTION!!** Do not attempt installation unless ambient temperature is between 60°F and 90°F during installation.

## **MOUNTING**

**Step 2:** Find the centerline of your Top Slider by measuring the overall length and dividing in half. Carefully mark location with a grease pencil or tape. Find the centerline of the bumper and mark it with a grease pencil or tape.

**Step 3:** It is advisable to have a helper during installation procedure for ease in properly locating and positioning Top Slider on your first attempt. With helper holding one side up off of mounting surface, carefully peel off protective paper backing then align both centerlines front to rear were marked on vehicle and Top Slider. From the centerline follow the curvature of the bumper area to one end. Then from the centerline do the same to the otherside.

**Step 4:** After positioned, apply pressure to ensure good bonding. Should mounting tape not be in excellent condition due to lifting off after initial mounting or for any other reason, additional two sided tape should be applied. It is available at most auto parts stores.

CAUTION!! Do not subject Top Slider Bumper Guard to extreme temperatures, water or wind abuse for 24 hours.

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