

BIG BED

'HIGH-MOUNT ADAPTER' by ERICKSON

MANUFACTURING LTD.

To avoid personal injury and/or property damage, please read and follow ALL instructions before assembling and operating.

1. Never overload Big Bed®. Maximum capacity is 400 lb. (Evenly distributed load).
2. A **2" receiver** is required to use the Big Bed. Refer to manufacturer's hitch capacity.
3. Long and heavy loads reduce control of steering, and braking capability. Use extreme caution when hauling longer loads. Test control before accelerating.
4. Ensure that the locking pin (B & C), hitch pin (not included) are securely fastened to the Big Bed.
5. The load must rest and extend beyond the horizontal support of the apparatus.
6. Secure the load by utilizing the tie-down hook holes with weight appropriate strap. Fasten a red flag to mark the end of the load.
7. Do not leave the Big Bed in the receiver unless in use.
8. Check Government regulations for specific laws in your province or state on the allowable overhang out the back of your vehicle.
9. Proper use of this product is critical to safety, and beyond the control of Erickson Manufacturing Ltd. Erickson Manufacturing Ltd. neither guarantees nor is liable for any damage resulting from improper use. The liability of this product is limited to its purchase price if it proves to be defective in material and/or workmanship.

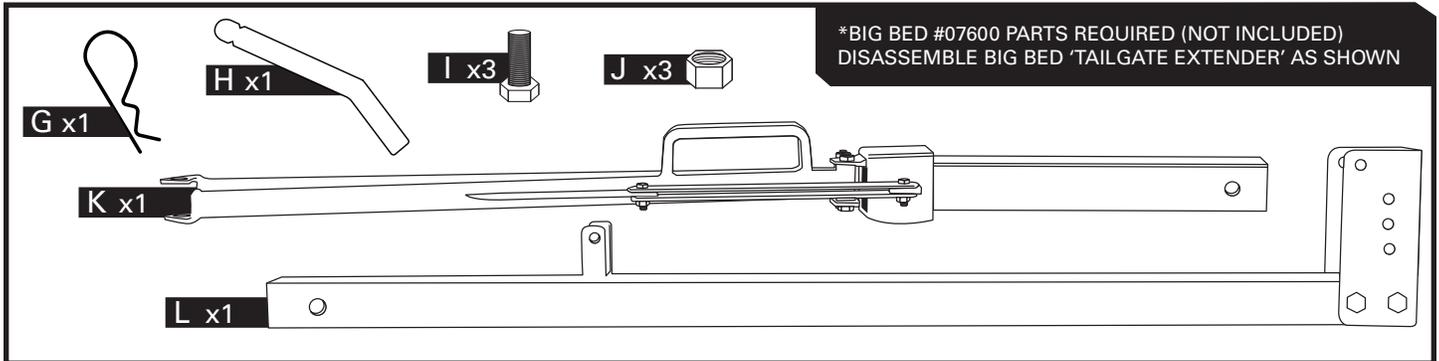
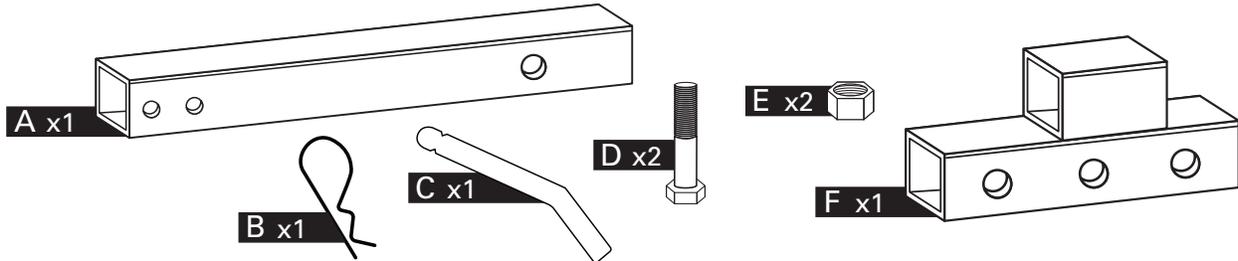
Usage

Ideal for short-bed trucks, SUVs, vans, rhino/gators, and all other vehicles capable of hauling a load. We recommend using your new Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter' for the following:

- Canoes
- Extension ladders
- Oversized sheets of plywood and drywall

Specifications

Rated Capacity	400 lb.
Dimensions (Installed)	67.8" x 52" x 32.2"



Assembly

*Use of the Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter' requires the Big Bed 'Tailgate Extender' to function.

Step 1 Remove Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter' from all packaging and ensure each part is included.

Step 2 Disassemble the Big Bed 'Tailgate Extender' and ensure each part is available.

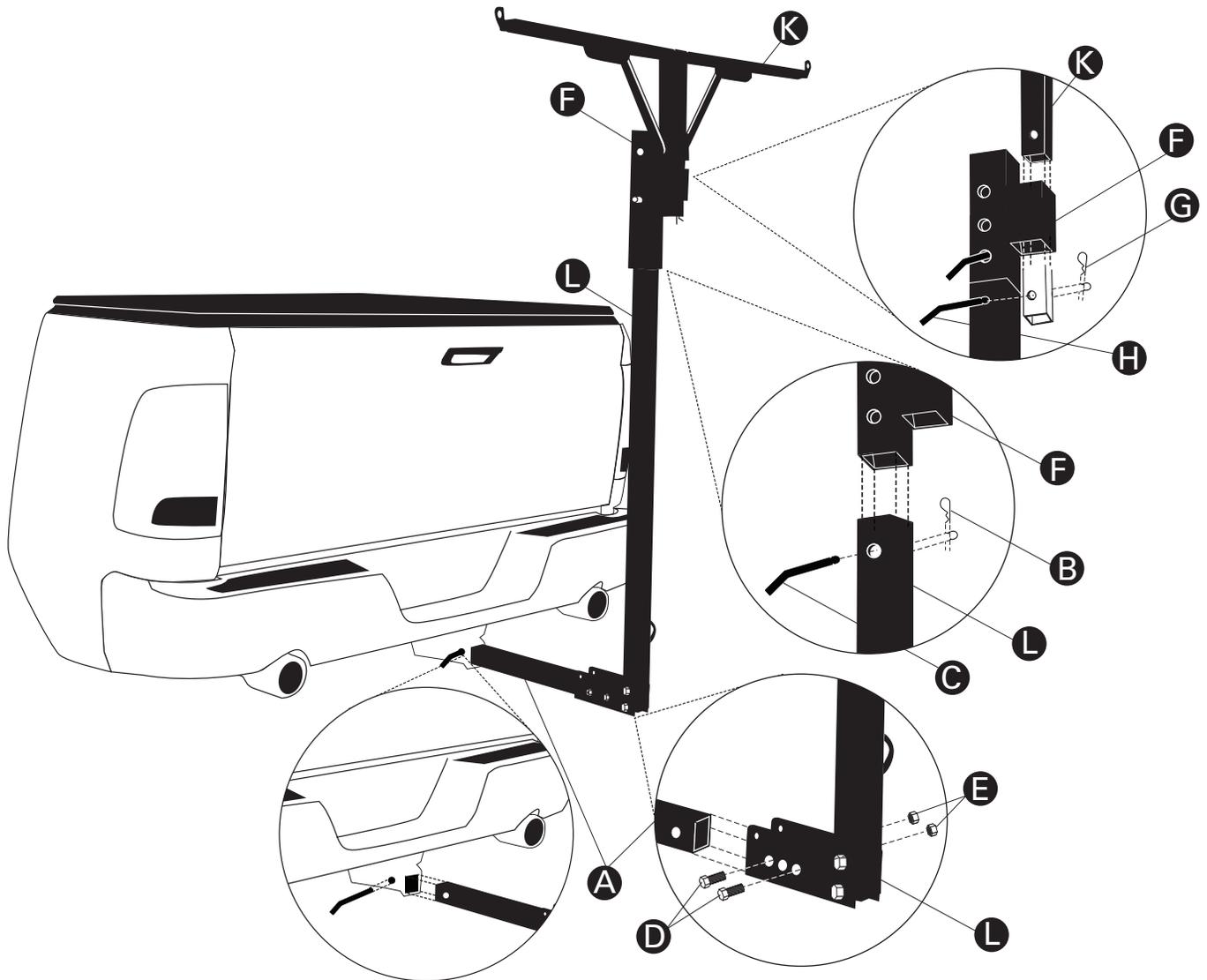
Step 3 Align part (A) with the bracket of part (L) and secure with bolts (D) and nuts (E) into the first and third holes. Tighten with socket wrench.

Step 4 Insert part (F) into the length of part (L) and secure with locking pin (B & C) /or nut (J) and bolt (I). Height can be adjusted by moving the locking pin (B & C) into any of the three holes.

Step 5 Insert part (K) into the cavity of part (F). Secure with locking pin (G & H) /or nut (J) and bolt (I).

Step 6 After use, the Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter' must be disassembled. Reverse steps 5 through 3.

***Recommended** - Insert the locking pin (B & C), and bolts (D) and nuts (E) into the three holes of part (F). Insert part (A) into the cavity of part (F) and stow in clean-dry area. Re-assemble the Big Bed 'Tailgate Extender' and stowe with the Big Bed 'High-Mount' adapter.



Installation

Step 1 Insert the assembled Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter' apparatus into a 2 inch receiver hitch (not included). Install hitch pin (not included) to secure the Big Bed.

Step 2 Ensure the apparatus is secure to the vehicle. Spread the apparatus (K).

Step 3 Ensure the height of the vehicle cab/sports rack is equal to Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter'. The height can be raised/lowered by adjusting the locking pin (B & C) in part (F & K)

Step 4 Evenly distribute the load across the Big Bed 'High-Mount Adapter'. Fasten the load securely with load appropriate tie-down straps.

Step 5 Secure a red flag to mark the end of the load. If hauling in the evening fasten a light to the load to mark the end of the load.

Warranty

Warranty Qualifications

Effective from the day you purchase the product. Please keep your dated purchase invoice as proof.

Repair/Replacement Warranty

Erickson Manufacturing Ltd. warrants to the original purchaser that the mechanical components will be free of defect in material and workmanship for 90 days from the original date of purchase. Transportation charges on product submitted for repair or replacement under warranty are the sole responsibility of the purchaser. This warranty only applies to the original purchaser and is not transferable.

Do Not Return The Unit to the Place of Purchase

Contact Erickson Manufacturing Ltd's Technical Service and service people will troubleshoot any issue via phone or email. Repairs or replacements without prior authorization, or at an unauthorized repair facility, will not be covered by this warranty.

Warranty Exclusions

This warranty does not cover the following repairs and equipment:

Normal Wear

This warranty does not cover the repair when use has exhausted the life of a part or the equipment as a whole.

Installation, Use and Maintenance

This warranty will not apply to parts and/or labor if this product is deemed to have been misused, neglected, involved in an accident, abused, loaded beyond specifications, modified, or installed improperly. Normal maintenance is not covered by this warranty.

Other Exclusions

This warranty excludes:

- Cosmetic defect such as paint, decal etc.
- Wear items
- Accessory parts
- Failures due to acts of God and other force majeure events beyond the manufacturer's control.
- Problems cause by parts that are not Erickson Manufacturing Ltd. parts.

Limits of implied Warranty and Consequential Damage

Erickson Manufacturing Ltd. disclaims any obligation to cover any loss time, use of this product, freight, or any incidental or consequential claim by anyone from using this product. **THIS WARRANTY IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.** A unit provided as exchange will be subject to the warranty of the original unit. The length of the warranty governing the exchanged unit will remain calculated by reference to the purchase date of the original unit. This warranty gives you certain legal rights which may change from state to state. Your state and/or province may also have other right you may be entitled to that are not listed within this warranty.

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