

KIT #8148050

1973-1978 GM Blazer, Jimmy 283-400

NOTE: THE CATALYTIC CONVERTERS ARE NOT SUPPLIED WITH THIS EXHAUST SYSTEM. This item is not legal for use on vehicles originally equipped with a catalytic converter, not legal for sale in California.

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**HARDWARE KIT:**

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| 4) LB7 HANGERS          | 1) #16526 LEFT MANIFOLD PIPE         |
| 4) SNAPPER GROMMETS     | 1) #16528 RIGHT MANIFOLD PIPE        |
| 4) 5/16" X 1-1/2" BOLTS | 1) #16527 LEFT FRONT EXTENSION PIPE  |
| 4) 5/16" NUTS           | 1) #16529 RIGHT FRONT EXTENSION PIPE |
| 4) 2-1/4" CLAMPS        | 1) #15509 RIGHT TAIL PIPE            |
| 2) F3214 FLANGES        | 1) #15508 LEFT TAIL PIPE             |

HANGER CONSISTS OF AN 'L' STRAP CONNECTED TO THE FRAME WITH A 5/16" BOLT, WASHER, SNAPPER GROMMET, AND NUT.

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**INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS:**

NOTE: DO NOT TIGHTEN ANY CLAMPS OR NUTS UNTIL THE LAST STEP!!

- 1) REMOVE THE OLD EXHAUST SYSTEM. SAVE THE OLD SLEEVES (IF NECESSARY) FROM THE ORIGINAL FRONT PIPES. REMOVE THE OLD HANGERS.
- 2) INSTALL THE LEFT (#16526--83 DEG. BEND) AND RIGHT (#16528--45 DEG. BEND) MANIFOLD PIPES USING THE NEW GASKETS AND FLANGES, AND THE OLD SLEEVES IF NECESSARY. TIGHTEN ONLY ENOUGH TO HOLD IN PLACE.
- 3) INSTALL THE LEFT (#16527--55" LONG S-BEND) AND RIGHT (#16529--45" LONG S-BEND) EXTENSION PIPES TO THE MANIFOLD PIPES USING 2-1/4" CLAMPS. NOTE: FOR VEHICLES REQUIRING CATALYTIC CONVERTERS TO MEET EPA GUIDELINES, CONVERTER PART # 73-7774 OR EQUIVALENT SHOULD BE INSTALLED ON PIPES #16527 & #16529. SEE DRAWING. CONVERTERS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THIS KIT.
- 4) INSTALL THE MUFFLERS ONTO THE FRONT EXTENSION PIPES USING 2-1/4" CLAMPS. ROTATE THE FRONT EXTENSION PIPES TO CLEAR THE TRANSFER CASE, DRIVESHAFT, AND FRAME. OVER THE FRONT OR REAR OF THE MUFFLERS YOU WILL FIND A CROSS-MEMBER OR BODY MOUNT THAT A HOLE CAN BE DRILLED FOR A 5/16" BOLT TO HOLD AN LB7 HANGER IN PLACE. ATTACH THE LB7 TO THE FRAME USING A 5/16" BOLT, GROMMET, AND NUT, AND CLAMP TO THE MUFFLER USING A 2-1/4" CLAMP.
- 5) INSTALL THE LEFT (#15508) AND RIGHT (#15509) TO THE REAR EXTENSIONS USING A 2-1/4" CLAMP.
- 6) TRIM TAIL PIPES TO YOUR DESIRED LENGTH. AS THE TAIL PIPE GOES UNDER THE FRAME ON ITS WAY OUT OF THE VEHICLE, FIND A HOLE IN THE AREA OR DRILL A 5/16" HOLE IN THE FRAME. INSTALL AN LB7 HANGER USING A 5/16" BOLT, NUT AND GROMMET AND CLAMP THE HANGERS TO THE TWO PIPES USING 2-1/4" CLAMPS.
- 7) MAKE SURE THAT ALL THE PARTS OF THE SYSTEM ARE CLEAR OF FRAME MEMBERS, ALL HOSES, SUSPENSION, AND BRAKE AND FUEL LINES. STARTING AT THE EXHAUST MANIFOLDS, TIGHTEN ALL CONNECTIONS AND NUTS. MAKE SURE ALL PARTS ARE CLEAR AND WILL NOT LEAK OR RATTLE. AFTER SEVERAL DAYS OF DRIVING RETIGHTEN ALL BOLTS.

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