

Tow-Trust Towbars

Important: Please read General Notes overleaf before fitting

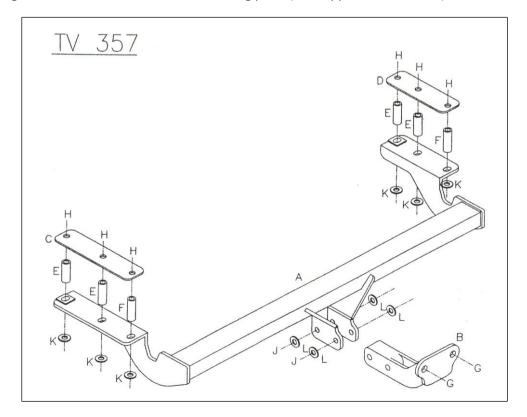


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TV357 Vauxhall Astra Hatchback 2004 - 2009

Item	Qty	Description	Item	Qty	Description
Α	1	Crossmember	G	2	M16 x 50 Bolts, Nuts & S/P Washers
В	1	Extension Bar	Н	6	M10 x 90 Bolts, Nuts & S/P Washers
С	1	Large L/H Clamp Plate	J	2	M12 x 85 Grade 10.9 Bolts & Nyloc Nuts
D	1	Small R/H Clamp Plate	K	6	10 x 25 Flat Washers
E	4	19 x 56 Spacer Bushes	L	4	12 x 25 Flat Washers
F	2	19 x 58 Spacer Bushes			

- 1. Temporarily remove the rear boot edge panel and boot floor covering. Pull the side trims out of the way to reveal the six dimples in the boot floor.
- 2. Remove mastic compound from boot floor to allow Item **C** to seat correctly.
- 3. Drill the six dimples out to 20mm through the top skin only.
- 4. Locate Item **E** and Item **F** down into each chassis and place Item **C** and Item **D** over each set of spacer bushes. (Remove all mastic from boot floor so that clamp plates fit to bare metal.)
- 5. Place Item **H** down through the clamp plates and spacer bushes.
- 6. Temporarily remove the two rubbers from the rearmost exhaust so that the exhaust is lowered out of the way.
- 7. Using Item K and the nuts and washers provided loosely bolt Item A to the bolts already in place.
- 8. Fully tighten all nuts and bolts and ensure the towbar is rigid and secure.
- 9. Refit exhaust rubbers. (On sports models it may be necessary to bend the exhaust hangers down slightly to give clearance for the towbar.)
- 10. Using Item J with Item L bolt Item B to Item A.
- 11. Using Item **G** bolt the ball bracket and wiring plate (not supplied with this kit) to the mounting plate.



Note

- 1. Recommended Torque Setting for M12 Grade 10.9 -139 Nm. (For other Torque Settings see notes overleaf.)
- 2. Nose load limits and vehicle manufacturers trailer / caravan weight limits must be observed.