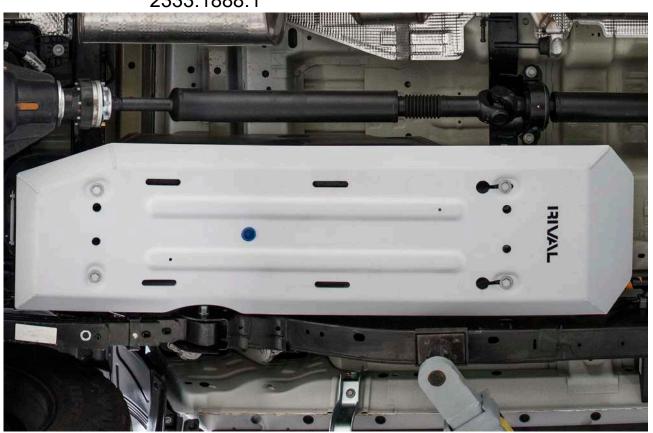
# **INSTALLATION MANUAL**

PRODUCT: GAS TANK SKID PLATE

APPLICATION: FORD RANGER (2022-) VOLKSWAGEN AMAROK (2023-)

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#### **CAUTION!**

To reduce the risk of serious injury or damage to property: Before you start installing and using this product, read the full instructions, pay special attention to the conditions of safe use and recommendations for installation! When installing or maintaining this product, it is necessary to use protective goggles. Check the integrity of the structure and the moment the fastening is tightened every 250 miles (400 kms) of mileage. Do not use this product if there is damage to the structure or fasteners!

#### NOTICE

Skid plate is an additional protection, but it can not guarantee to protect against all possible damage in collisions. When driving, be careful of objects and terrain that may damage sensitive parts of the vehicle.

## GAS TANK SKID PLATE

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Suited to vehicle: FORD RANGER\* 2.0D Bi-Turbo, 3.0D; AT; 4WD (2022-) VOLKSWAGEN AMAROK 2.0D, 3.0D; AT; 4WD (2023-)

Material: Steel / Aluminum



\*Applicable to Double Cab

### SAFETY NOTICE

\* The RIVAL gas tank skid plate is designed to complement the use and design of the specified vehicle under conditions specified by the vehicle manufacturer.

\* While driving the vehicle at any speed, collision with any other vehicle, animal or object must always be avoided.

\* Following any collision with any other vehicle, animal or object, the RIVAL gas tank skid plate and the vehicle must be inspected by a specialized or suitably qualified vehicle repairer for possible damage to the components and assemblies in order to confirm suitability for further use of the vehicle.

\* It is strongly recommended that you do not operate a vehicle with a damaged gas tank skid plate or its components. In the case of damage, please contact the nearest RIVAL dealer. Vehicle, or where the skid plate has been damaged, is extremely dangerous and must be avoided at all cost.

# **INSTALLATION NOTICE**

\* The RIVAL gas tank skid plate must be mounted and affixed to the vehicle according to this installation manual.

- \* Personal safety during the installation process must be adhered to at all times.
- \* Do not install this skid plate on vehicle models other than those allowed in this manual.
- \* Estimated time for installation: 1 hour.



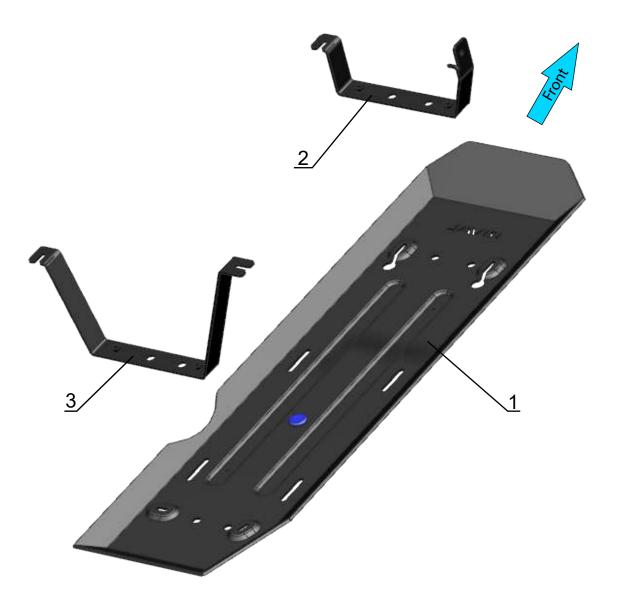


\* Basic tool kit

\* Torque wrench

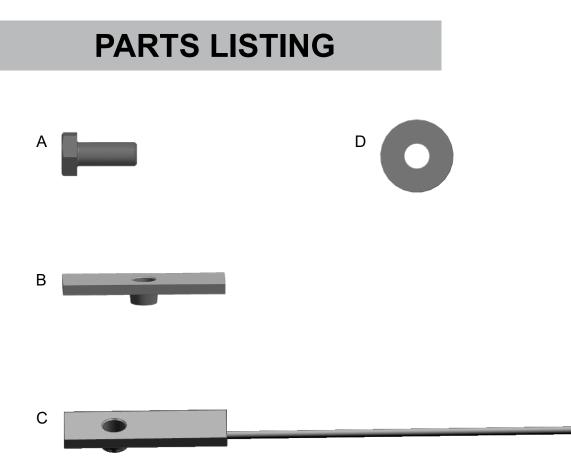
\* M10 - 47 H·m (34.7 lb/ft)

## **PARTS LISTING**



1. Gas tank skid plate	Qty 1
2. Front mount bracket	Qty 1

3. Rear mount bracket.....Qty 1



Α.	Bolt M10x25	Qty 6
Β.	Insert nut M10x65	.Qty 1
C.	Insert nut M10x65 with wire	.Qty 1
D.	Washer 10	.Qty 6



\*If equipped, remove the factory skid plate or any other aftermarket skid plate. \*Set aside hardware for re-use later on.





1. Loosen left OE bolts, as shown in fig.1 and fig.2.

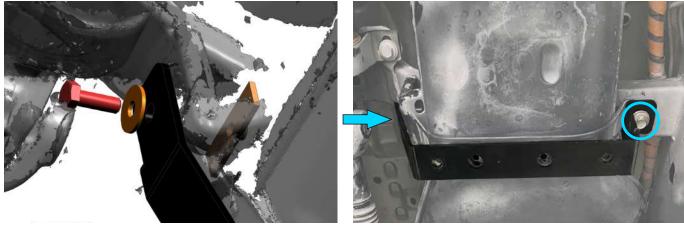


Fig. 3

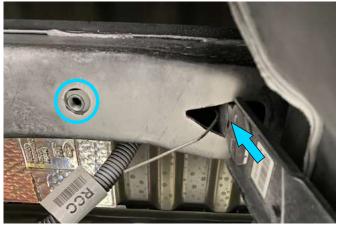
Fig. 4

Fig. 2

2. Install the front mount bracket (item 2) and fix, using OE bolt, bolt M10x25 (item A), washer 10 (item D) and insert nut M10x65, as shown in fig.3 and fig.4.

\*Tighten hardware after that.

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3. Install insert nut M10x65 with wire (item C), as shown in fig.5.

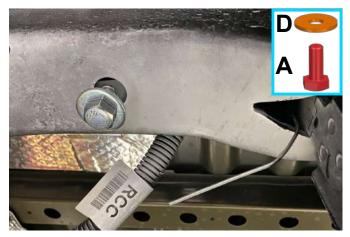


Fig. 6

4. Attach bolt M10x25 (item A) and washer 10 (item D) to insert nut M10x65 with wire (item C), as shown in fig.6.
\*Do not tighten yet.



Fig. 7

5. Install the rear mount bracket (item 3) and fix on installed bolts M10x25 and washers 10 from step 4 and OE bolt, as shown in fig.7. **\*Tighten hardware after that.** 

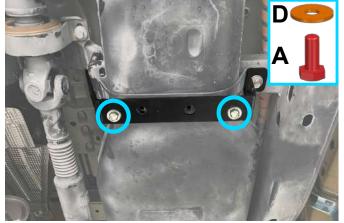


Fig. 8

6. Attach bolts M10x25 (item A) and washers 10 (item D) to installed front mount bracket (item 2) from step 2, as shown in fig.8. **\*Do not tighten yet.** 

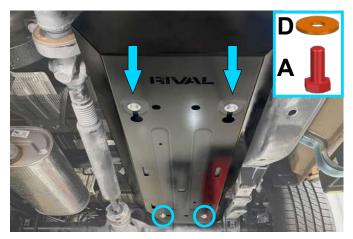


Fig. 8

7. Put gas tank skid plate (item 1) on installed bolts M10x25 and washers 10 from step 6. Fix the rear part of skid plate to rear mount bracket (item 3), using bolts M10x25 (item A) and washers 10 (item D), as shown in fig.8. **\*Tighten hardware after that.** 

Before operating a vehicle fitted with RIVAL Skid Plate:

- make sure all fittings are tightened;
- ensure the integrity of the structure and its components.

