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Model: LYAP-626

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

This manual provides essential information for the installation and maintenance of the Kojem Front Valance, designed for specific Ram pickup models. The front valance serves as a protective and aesthetic component for your vehicle's front end.

The Kojem Front Valance is a durable, black plastic component engineered to fit 2013-2018 Ram 2500 and Ram 3500 Pickup trucks. It functions as a lower radiator cover and can accommodate fog lights or turn signal lights, while also offering protection against impacts.



Image: Front view of the Kojem Front Valance, showcasing its black finish and overall shape. This component is designed to integrate seamlessly with the vehicle's front bumper area.

COMPATIBILITY

This front valance is specifically compatible with the following vehicle models:

- **2013-2018 Ram 2500 Pickup**
- **2013-2018 Ram 3500 Pickup**

It is a direct replacement for OEM part numbers 68196533AA and CH1090149. Please verify your vehicle's make, model, and year before proceeding with installation.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

The package includes the following item:

- 1 x Front Valance (Black Plastic)

Note: Mounting accessories and detailed installation instructions are not included in the package. Professional installation is highly recommended.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The Kojem Front Valance is designed for a straightforward screw-in installation. While the process is generally simple, professional installation is strongly advised to ensure proper fitment and secure attachment.

Required Tools (Not Included):

- Appropriate screwdrivers or wrenches for existing mounting points.
- Safety glasses and gloves.

General Installation Steps (Consult a professional or vehicle-specific guide):

1. **Preparation:** Park the vehicle on a level surface and engage the parking brake. Allow the engine to cool if recently operated.
2. **Access:** Depending on your vehicle's configuration, it may be necessary to lift the front of the vehicle using a jack and secure it with jack stands for better access to the underside.
3. **Remove Old Valance (if applicable):** Carefully unbolt or unclip the existing front valance. Note the location and type of fasteners used.
4. **Position New Valance:** Align the Kojem Front Valance with the mounting points on your vehicle's frame or bumper assembly.
5. **Secure:** Use appropriate screws (not included) to firmly attach the new valance. Ensure all mounting points are secured evenly to prevent vibration or misalignment.
6. **Final Check:** Verify that the valance is securely mounted and does not interfere with any other vehicle components.



Image: Side profile of the Kojem Front Valance, illustrating its curvature and mounting flange. This view highlights the design intended for aerodynamic flow and protection.

OPERATING PRINCIPLES AND FUNCTION

The front valance is a critical component that serves multiple functions on your vehicle:

- **Radiator Protection:** It covers the lower part of the radiator, protecting it from road debris, small impacts, and environmental elements.
- **Aerodynamics:** The design helps manage airflow under the vehicle, potentially improving aerodynamic efficiency.

and reducing drag.

- **Accessory Mounting:** It provides designated areas for mounting auxiliary lights such as fog lights or turn signal lights, enhancing visibility and safety.
- **Aesthetics:** Contributes to the overall finished appearance of the vehicle's front end.



Image: Angled view of the Kojem Front Valance, showing the integrated openings for potential light mounting and the robust plastic construction.

MAINTENANCE

The Kojem Front Valance is constructed from high-quality, impact-resistant plastic designed for durability in various environments. Minimal maintenance is required:

- **Regular Cleaning:** Clean the valance regularly with standard automotive cleaning products to remove dirt, grime, and road salt. This helps maintain its appearance and prevents material degradation.
- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect the valance for any signs of damage, cracks, or loose mounting screws. Address any issues promptly to ensure continued protection and secure fitment.
- **Avoid Harsh Chemicals:** Do not use abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the plastic finish.

TROUBLESHOOTING

While the Kojem Front Valance is a passive component, issues can arise primarily from improper installation or external damage.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Valance is loose or rattling.	Loose mounting screws or damaged mounting points.	Inspect all mounting screws and tighten them. If mounting points are damaged, professional repair or replacement may be necessary.
Cracks or visible damage.	Impact from road debris, curb, or minor collision.	Small cracks may be repaired with plastic repair kits, but significant damage usually requires replacement of the valance.
Difficulty aligning during installation.	Incorrect positioning or minor manufacturing variations.	Ensure the valance is correctly oriented and aligned with all vehicle mounting points. Apply gentle pressure to align if needed. If alignment issues persist, consult a professional.

For issues not covered here, or if you are unsure about any repair, it is recommended to consult a qualified automotive technician.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Kojem
Model Number	LYAP-626
Material	High Quality Plastic
Color	Black
Installation Type	Screw-In
Item Weight	Approximately 4.63 pounds
Package Dimensions	Approximately 75 x 14.57 x 6.3 inches
Manufacturer Part Number	LYAP-626
ABPA Partslink Number	CH1090149
Compatible OEM Part Number	68196533AA

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty details for this product are typically provided by the seller or manufacturer at the time of purchase. Please refer to your purchase documentation or contact the seller directly for information regarding warranty coverage, terms, and conditions.

For product support, technical assistance, or inquiries regarding installation, it is recommended to contact the seller or manufacturer directly. You can often find contact information on the product packaging or through the retailer's website where the product was purchased.

Manufacturer: FAMETRADE LLC

For general inquiries about Kojem products, you may visit the official Kojem store on Amazon: [Kojem Store](#)

