

Dorman 15872

Dorman 15872 Front Passenger Side Exterior Door Handle

MODEL: 15872

Brand: Dorman

1. Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your Dorman 15872 Front Passenger Side Exterior Door Handle. This replacement part is designed to match the fit and appearance of the original handle on specific Toyota vehicle models. Please review this manual thoroughly before proceeding with installation or use.

Compatible Vehicle Models:

- Toyota Avalon: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Camry: 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Corolla: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Hiace: 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Prius AWD-e: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Prius Prime: 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Prius: 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
- Toyota Venza: 2021, 2022
- Toyota Yaris: 2020, 2021, 2022

2. Safety Information

Always prioritize safety when working on your vehicle. Improper installation can lead to damage or injury. If you are not confident in your ability to install this part, it is recommended to seek assistance from a qualified automotive technician.

WARNING: This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, visit www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

3. Package Contents

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation:

- 1 x Dorman 15872 Front Passenger Side Exterior Door Handle



Figure 3.1: Top view of the Dorman 15872 Exterior Door Handle.

4. Setup and Installation

This exterior door handle is designed for direct replacement. It is vehicle position specific (Front Passenger Side). Ensure you have the correct handle for the intended position.

General Installation Guidelines:

1. **Preparation:** Park the vehicle on a level surface and engage the parking brake. Gather necessary tools, which may include screwdrivers, trim removal tools, and wrenches.
2. **Access:** Depending on your vehicle model, you may need to remove the interior door panel to access the handle's mounting hardware and linkage. Refer to your vehicle's specific service manual for detailed instructions on removing the door panel.
3. **Remove Old Handle:** Disconnect any electrical connectors (if present) and release the door lock and latch linkages from the old handle. Unbolt or unclip the old exterior door handle from the door frame.
4. **Install New Handle:** Position the new Dorman 15872 handle into the door opening. Secure it with the appropriate bolts or clips. Reconnect any electrical connectors and reattach the door lock and latch linkages.
5. **Test Functionality:** Before reassembling the door panel, test the new handle's operation. Ensure it opens and closes the door smoothly and that the locking mechanism functions correctly.
6. **Reassemble:** Reinstall the interior door panel and any other components removed during the process.

Note: For precise, vehicle-specific instructions, consult your vehicle's official service or shop manual.



Figure 4.1: Rear view of the handle, illustrating mounting points for installation.



Figure 4.2: Bottom side view of the handle, showing its profile and attachment points.

5. Operating the Door Handle

The Dorman 15872 exterior door handle operates identically to the original equipment. To open the door, grasp the handle and pull it outwards. Ensure the door is unlocked before attempting to open it. The handle is designed for smooth and reliable operation.

6. Maintenance

This door handle requires minimal maintenance. Periodically inspect the handle for any signs of damage or wear. Clean the handle with a mild automotive cleaner and a soft cloth. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents that could damage the finish.

7. Troubleshooting

- Handle feels stiff or sticky:** Ensure no debris is obstructing the handle mechanism. Lubricate moving parts with a silicone-based lubricant if necessary.
- Door does not open:** Verify that the door is unlocked. Check the internal linkages to ensure they are properly connected to the handle.
- Handle is loose:** Inspect the mounting hardware behind the door panel. Tighten any loose fasteners.

If issues persist after basic troubleshooting, consult a qualified automotive technician.

8. Specifications

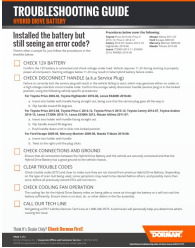



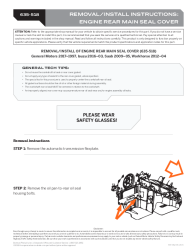
Feature	Specification
Brand	Dorman
Model Number	15872
Material	Alloy Steel
Color	Black
Product Dimensions	11.88"L x 3.75"W
Exterior Finish	Ready To Paint If Needed
Specific Uses	Door
Special Feature	Easy to Install
Lock Type	No Lock
Item Weight	0.35 Pounds (5.6 ounces)
Hand Orientation	Right (Passenger Side)
Included Components	1 Exterior Door Handle
Indoor/Outdoor Usage	Outdoor
UPC	194883532144

9. Warranty and Support

For information regarding warranty coverage or technical support, please refer to the official Dorman Products website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

Dorman Products: www.dormanproducts.com

Related Documents - 15872

	<p>Dorman Hybrid Drive Battery Troubleshooting Guide</p> <p>A comprehensive troubleshooting guide for Dorman Hybrid Drive Batteries, offering step-by-step procedures to resolve common error codes and ensure proper installation and function.</p>
	<p>Chevrolet Silverado Interior Door Handle Installation and Removal Instructions</p> <p>Detailed instructions for installing and removing the interior door handle kit for Chevrolet Silverado models, including parts list and required tools.</p>
	<p>Dorman Automotive Hardware Catalog: Comprehensive Fasteners and Components</p> <p>Explore the Dorman Automotive Hardware Catalog, featuring a wide range of fasteners, nuts, bolts, springs, and specialized tech trays for automotive repair and maintenance. Find part numbers and applications for efficient inventory and service.</p>
	<p>Dorman 601-037 Steering Column Lock Actuator Programming and Verification Guide</p> <p>Detailed instructions for programming and verifying the Dorman 601-037 Steering Column Lock Actuator, including safety precautions and troubleshooting tips.</p>
	<p>Dorman 635-518 Engine Rear Main Seal Cover Removal and Installation Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive removal and installation instructions for the Dorman 635-518 Engine Rear Main Seal Cover. This guide provides step-by-step procedures, technical tips, and compatibility information for General Motors, Isuzu, Saab, and Workhorse vehicles.</p>



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