#### **INSTALLATION MANUAL**



PRODUCT: ENGINE SKID PLATE

APPLICATION: LEXUS GX550 (2024-Present)

PART NO: 2333.3217.1.6

UP-TO-DATE MANUAL





#### **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 installed components and torque all hardware every 250 miles (400 kms). Discontinue use if there is any damage to the structure or fasteners!

### **NOTICE**

Skid plates are supplemental protection. We cannot guarantee protection against all possible damage from impacts. When driving, be careful of objects and terrain that may damage sensitive parts of the vehicle.

#### **ENGINE SKID PLATE**



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Vehicle Lexus GX550 (2024-Present)

Compatibility: 3.4; AT; 4WD

Material: Aluminum



#### SAFETY NOTICE

- \* The RIVAL skid plate is designed to complement the use and design of the specified vehicle under conditions underlined by the vehicle manufacturer.
- \* While driving the vehicle at any speed, collision with another vehicle, animal or object must always be avoided.
- \* Following any collision with another vehicle, animal or object, the RIVAL skid plate and the vehicle must be inspected by a specialized or suitably qualified vehicle technician 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 skid plate or its components. In the case of damage, please contact the nearest RIVAL dealer. A damaged vehicle or skid plate is extremely dangerous and should be avoided at all cost.
- \* If applicable, we recommend using a funnel when changing the oil to prevent spills and ensure a clean process.

#### **INSTALLATION NOTICE**

- \* The RIVAL skid plate must be mounted 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 listed in this manual.
- \* We recommend using blue threadlocker on all hardware
- \* Estimated time for installation: 1 hour.

#### **REQUIRED TOOLS**

**TORQUE SETTING** 

\* Basic tool kit

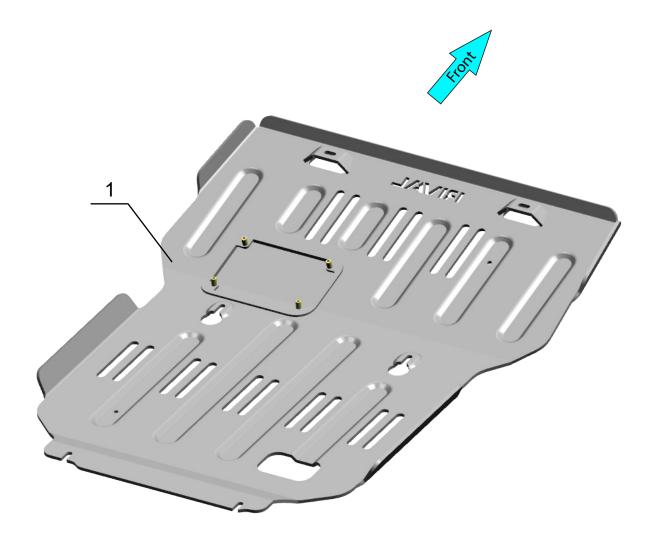
\* Torque wrench

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\* M8 - 24 N·m (17.7 lb/ft)

# **PARTS LISTING**



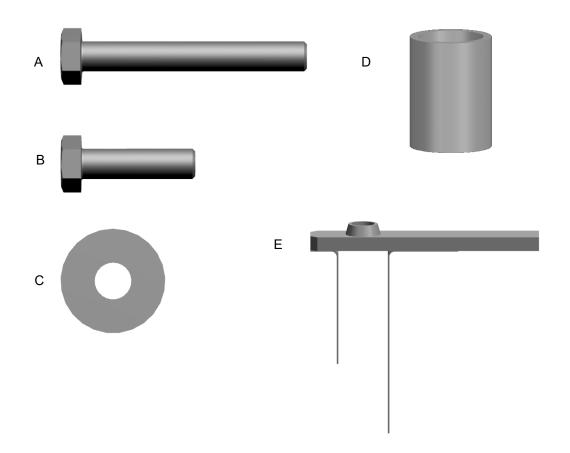


1. Skid plate.....Qty 1

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## **PARTS LISTING**





A.Bolt M8x1.25x60	Qty 2
B.Bolt M8x1.25x30	Qty 4
C. Washer M8	Qty 6
D. Spacer 35mm	Qty 2
E. Insert nut M8 with wires	Qty 1

# **SPARE PARTS**



F.Countersunk bolt M6x20 for service port......Qty 4

### **INSTALLATION PROCEDURE**



\*If equipped, remove factory or any aftermarket skid plates that might interfere with installation.

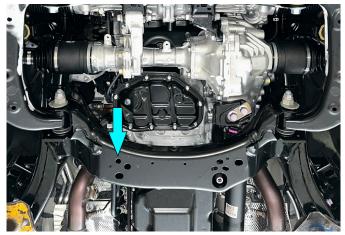


Fig. 1

1. Install M8 insert nut (item E) as shown in Fig. 1.

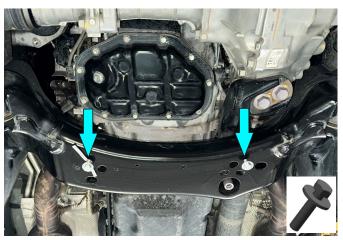


Fig. 2

2. Loosely install supplied M8x30 bolts with M8 washers (items B, C) as shown in Fig. 2. \*Do not tighten yet.

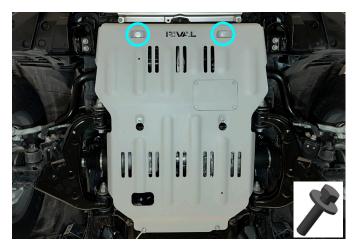


Fig. 3

3. Slide rear of the engine skid plate (item 1) over previously installed hardware. Secure the front of the skid plate using M8x30 bolts and M8 washers (item B, C) as shown in Fig. 3. \*Do not tighten yet.

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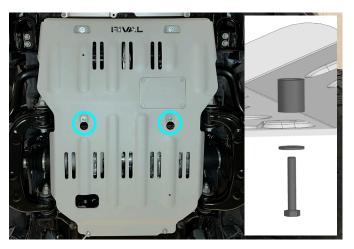


Fig. 4

4. Secure the middle of the engine skid plate (item 1) using remaining M8x60 bolts, M8 washers and spacers (items A, C, D) as shown in Fig. 4.

\*Once all bolts are installed, check skid plate alignment and torque all hardware.

### **INSTALLATION PROCEDURE**



Before operating a vehicle fitted with RIVAL Skid Plates:

- Make sure all fittings are properly torqued.
- Ensure the integrity of the structure and its components.



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