



# **EZ Claw Center Post Mount**

# Installation Instructions

Item # EZCCPM | The **EZ Claw Center Post Mount** is a six-foot, stand-alone, bolt-on bracket that accepts tensioners and accessories when the back of the semi cab is inaccessible or the tractor's wheelbase is too long.

#### Kit Includes:

- (1) Base Plate Member (Part A)
- (1) Upright Support (Part B)
- (2) Center Post (Part C)
- (1) Universal Head Mount (Part D)
- (4) Frame Anchor (Part E)
- (1) Base Support Member (Part F)
- (8) 1/2-13 x 13" Long G8 Flange Bolt
- (8) 1/2-13 G8 Flange Lock Nut-YZN
- (36) 3/8-16x1" Long G8 Flange Bolt
- (36) 3/8-16 Flange Locknut

#### **Recommended Tools for Installation:**

- (1) Battery Powered Impact Driver
- (1) 3/4" Socket
- (1) 3/4" Open Ended Wrench
- (1) 9/16" Socket
- (1) 9/16" Open Ended Wrench



# **EZ CLAW CENTER POST MOUNT PARTS LIST**



PART A
BASE PLATE MEMBER
EZ-0241
QUANTITY: 1



PART B
UPRIGHT SUPPORT
EZ-0242
QUANTITY: 1



PART C CENTER POST EZ-0243 QUANTITY: 2



PART D UNIVERSAL HEAD MOUNT EZ-0244 QUANTITY: 1



PART E FRAME ANCHOR EZ-0245 QUANTITY: 4



PART F BASE SUPPORT MEMBER EZ-0248 QUANTITY: 1



MOUNTING HARDWARE
(QTY 8) 1/2-13 x 13" LONG G8 BOLT
(QTY 16) 1/2-13 G8 FLAT WASHER-YZN
(QTY 8) 1/2-13 G8 LOCK NUT-YZN



ASSEMBLY HARDWARE
(QTY 36) 3/8-16x1" LONG G8 FL BOLT
(QTY 36) 3/8-16 FL LOCKNUT

## **Installation Instructions**

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Attach Part A to Part C.

Locate Base Plate Member (Part A) and Center Post (Part C). Set Part C on Part A and install nuts and bolts loosely through the four holes in the back and two holes in the bottom. Ensure head of the bolts are oriented as shown in Fig. 1 for proper frame rail clearance. After all nuts and bolts are installed, tighten all bolts.

Install nuts and bolts on Part F.

Locate Base Support Member (Part F). Install on assembly from Step 1. Loosely install four bolts and nuts through the front of Part F and six bolts from the bottom as shown. After all bolts are installed, proceed with tightening, making sure slotted holes for the frame are aligned.

Connect Part B to Part C.

Locate Upright Support (Part B) and connect to back side of Center Post (Part C) with four nuts and bolts. Do not tightnen bolts at this time. Set assembly aside.

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Attach Part D and Part C.

Locate the second Center Post Upright (Part C) and the Universal Head Mount (Part D). Set Part D on top of Part C and install nuts and bolts through the four holes in the back and two holes on top. After all bolts are installed, proceed with tightening.

Combine Head Assembly and Base Assembly.

Set Head Assembly (Step 4) on top of Base Assembly (Step 1-3). Loosely install four nuts and bolts through Part B and two nuts and bolts in the center to join in the uprights. After all nuts and bolts are installed, tighten all bolts.

Stand Center Post Mount up.

Stand assembled Center Post Mount in desired location on the frame rails of

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Locate 1/2" Mounting Bolts from the included Mounting Hardware Kit. Install 13" bolts down through the base of the Center Post Mount avoiding any frame hardware that may exist on the truck.

Locate Frame Anchor (Part E) and 1/2" flange nuts. Install Part E on two of the bolt assemblies making sure it crosses under the frame. Install 1/2" lock nuts. Repeat for the other three frame anchors.

If 1/2" Mounting Bolts are not used in the front hole of the Base Support Member (Part F), extra 3/8" bolts and nuts are included to secure these components.

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### Install the EZ Claw Line Saver.

Locate the EZ Claw Line Saver(s) (sold separately) and install on the universal head mount (see Fig. 3), utilizing mounting hardware supplied with the Line Saver, Ensure the Line Saver(s) are mounted so the cable extends from the top, guiding over the stainless steel guide roller as shown.

**Attach Hose Assembly.** 

Using an EZ Claw Sling (EZCS) or Hose & Cable Block (EZCHCH38), attach the EZ Claw Line Saver cable to the hose assembly.

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Figure 1

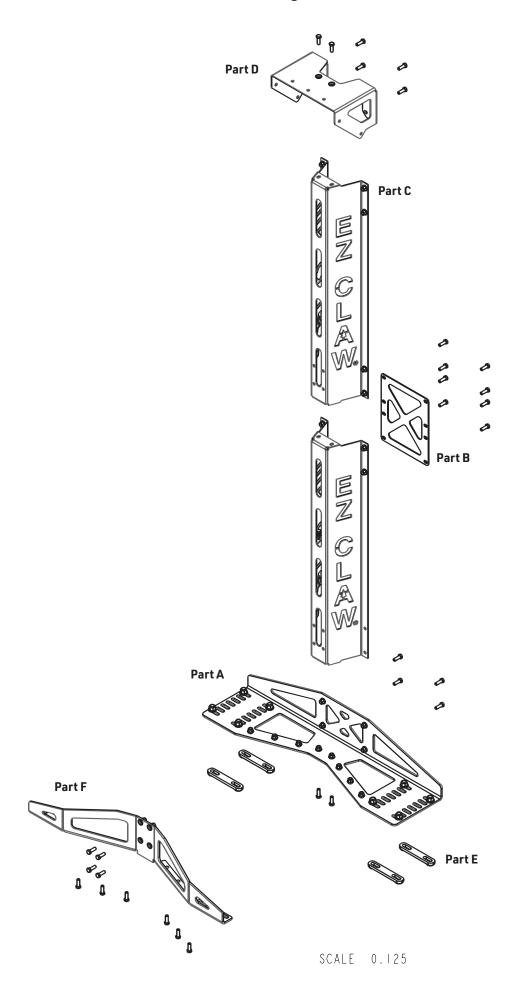


Figure 2

