

PUTCO 2006 DODGE RAM GRILLE INSERT INSTALLATION SHEET

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Please read all instructions before installation and to check to see that all parts are included.

Please consult your Vehicles owners manual for vehicle air flow restrictions

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Section I – Installation Preparation

Kit Contents

Item #	Quantity Reqd.	Description
1	2	Grille insert
2	1	Mounting Kit

Bolt Kit Contents

Item #	Description
1	Metal Mounting Clips
2	Foam Spacers

Recommended Tools

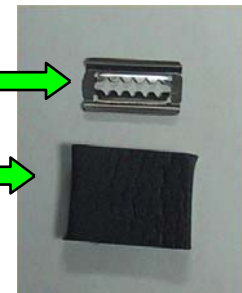
Safety Tools	
Eye Protection	
Special Tools	
Installation Tools	
Screw Driver	
8mm Socket	
Ratchet	
Wiping Cloth (non-scratch)	



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Metal Mounting Clip →

Foam Spacer →



Legend




	STOP: Damage to the vehicle may occur. Do not proceed until process has been complied with.
	OPERATOR SAFETY: Use caution to avoid risk of injury.
	CRITICAL PROCESS: Proceed with caution to ensure a quality installation. These points will be audited on a completed vehicle installation.
	GENERAL PROCESS: This highlights specific processes to ensure a quality installation. These points will be audited during the accessory installation.
	TOOLS & EQUIPMENT: Calls out the specific tools and equipment recommended for this process.
	REVISION MARK: This mark highlights a change in installation with respect to previous issue.

LIMITED WARRANTY



Putco guarantees it's Stainless Steel and Aluminum products against defects in workmanship and material for as long as you own your vehicle. All painted products have a 90 day warranty on the painted surface. Any defects resulting from faulty material or workmanship will be warranted by Putco and repaired or replaced at our discretion. Putco assumes no extra labor costs. Damages caused by freight carriers, improper installation, misuse, collision, or neglect will not be warranted by Putco. Please consult your Vehicles owners manual for vehicle air flow restrictions. **Putco is not liable for any vehicle damage resulting from the installation of our Grille inserts.**


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A. Pre-installation Preparation

-  1. Verify kit contents.
-  2. Remove protective wrapping from inserts and place on a non-abrasive surface.
-  3. Remove the brackets and hardware from the box.




B. Remove Factory Grille & Frame Assembly

-  1. Open hood. (Fig. B1)
-  2. Remove eighteen 8mm nuts and bolts that hold the frame and grille in place.(Fig. B2)

 **IMPORTANT:** Keep all hardware in a safe location. You will need this to reinstall your grille.

-  3. After removing the grille shell lay grille face down on a protective work surface such as a blanket.

C. Remove Factory Grille Insert

-  1. Remove the factory grille insert by prying the plastic tabs apart with a screwdriver. (Fig. C1)
-  2. With all of the tabs free you may now remove the factory grille insert.
-  3. Repeat step one and two on the opposite side to remove the factory grille insert.


 **IMPORTANT:** You may want to store your factory grille insert in a safe place for future use.



Figure B1

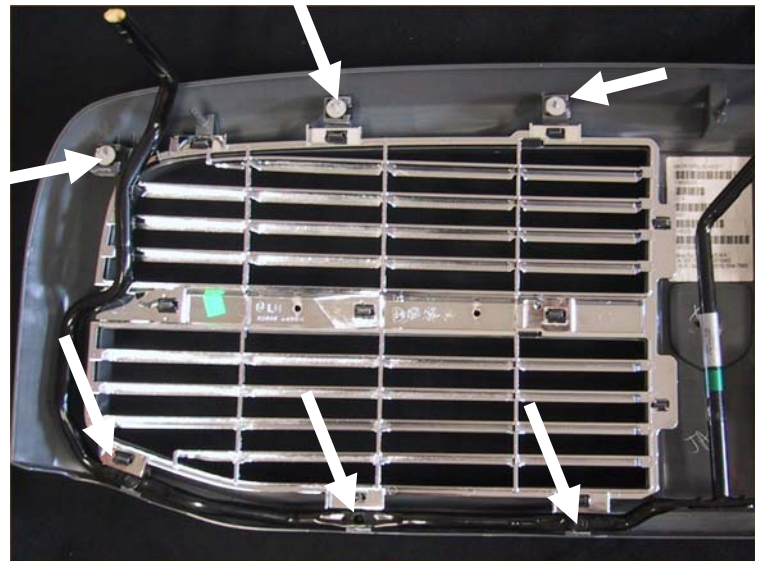


Figure B2

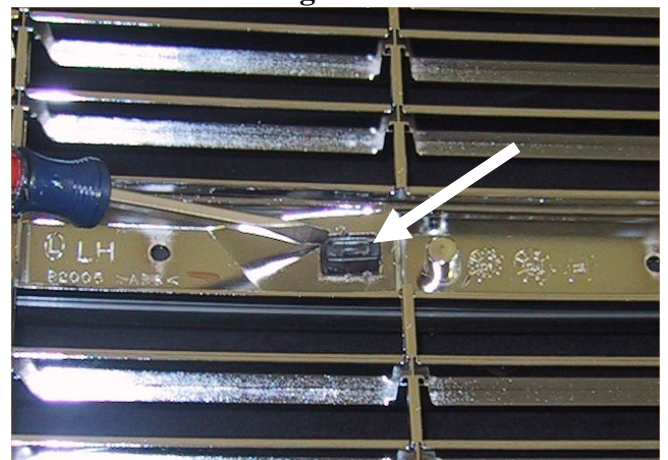


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D. Install grille insert

- ➔ 1. Align the tabs with the corresponding mounting points on the grille insert.
- ➔ 2. With grille in position apply the foam spacer on to the tab and then place metal mounting clip over the spacer. (Fig. D1)
 - i. **NOTE:** Cut a slit in the center of the foam spacer.
- 🛑 3. Repeat step two for the remaining tabs.



Figure D1

E. Reinstall Factory Grille

- ➔ 1. With the installation of your grille you now need to reinstall your factory grille into your truck.
- ➔ 2. Assemble the frame to the grille using the 8mm bolts.
- ➔ 3. Assemble the grille and frame to the hood of the truck
- ➔ 4. Make sure all nuts and bolts are tight and that your grille insert is secure.
- 🛑 5. Close hood.

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