

## Important Information

**Care Instruction:** Clean ute posts prior to installation of the Heavy Duty cross bar.

#### Maximum carrying capacity: 50kg per cross bar.

#### **Recommendations:**

It is essential that all bolt connections be checked after driving a short distance when gutter mount legs and cross bars are first installed. Bolt connections should be checked again at regular intervals (probably once a week is enough, depending on road conditions, usage, loads and distances travelled). You should also check the cross bars each time they are re-fitted. Make sure to fasten your load securely. Ensure all loads are evenly distributed and that the centre of gravity is kept as low as possible.

#### Use only non-stretch fastening ropes or straps.

## Sensitivity to cross winds, behaviour in curves and braking.

The handling characteristics of the vehicle, changes when you transport a load on the roof. For safety reasons, we recommend you exercise extreme care when transporting wind-resisting loads; special consideration must be taken into account when braking.

## Please remove cross bars & legs when putting vehicle through an automatic car wash.

## Load ratings:

Maximum permissible load is 50kg (include the weight of the cross bar and legs, 5kg). When cross bars are to be used in off-road conditions, please build a safety factor of 1.5 into this load limit - 33kg for off-road use. Although the cross bars are tested and approved to AS1235-2000, Australian road conditions can be much more rigorous. However, increasing the number of cross bars does not increase the vehicles maximum permissible roof loading.

### Note for Dealers and Fitters:

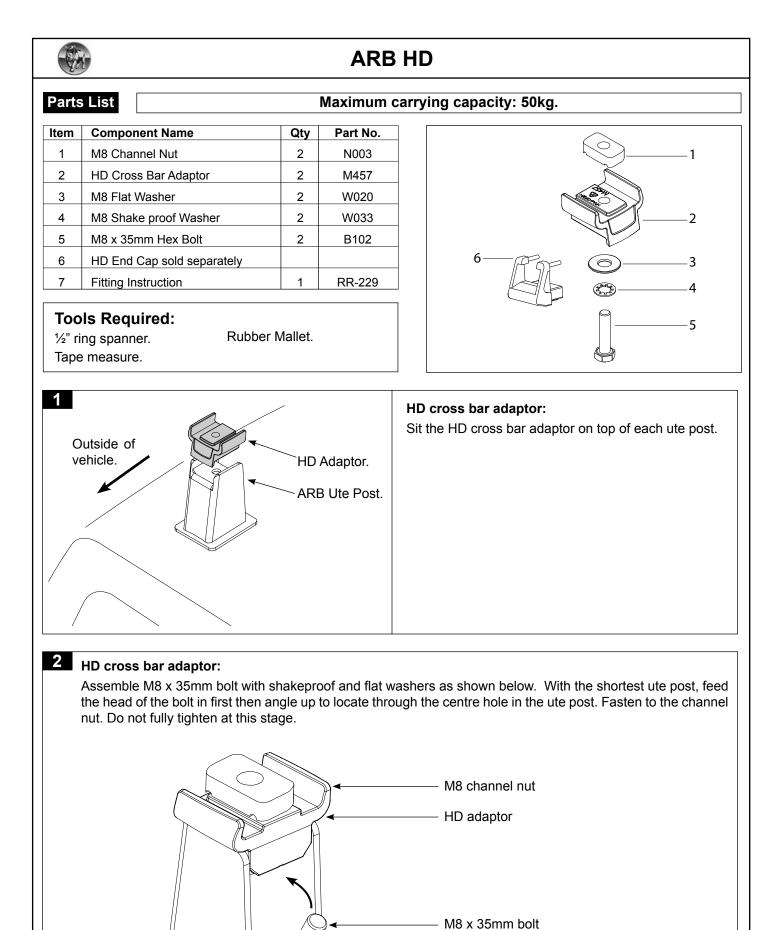
It is your responsibility to ensure instructions are given to the end user or client.

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