

FORD F150 TAILGATE HANDLE

Back Up Camera

Product Manual / Installation Instructions



Rear View Camera Systems

Model # RVS-F150

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 REAR VIEW
SAFETY
REVERSE WITH CONFIDENCE™

What's in the Box?

Note: Your configuration will vary depending on your item options

- 1 Color Sony CCD night vision weather proof backup camera
- 1 Power Wire

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Introduction

Please read all of the installation instructions carefully before installing the product. Improper installation will void manufacturer's warranty.

Congratulations on purchasing a Rear View Backup Camera System! With this manual you will be able to properly install and operate the unit.

The Backup Camera System is intended to be installed as a supplemental aid to the rear view mirror in your vehicle. The Backup Camera System should not be used as a substitute for the standard rear view mirror or for any other mirror in your vehicle.

In some jurisdictions, it is unlawful for a person to drive a motor vehicle equipped with a TV viewer or screen located forward of the back of the driver's seat or in any location that is visible, directly or indirectly, to the driver while operating the vehicle.

Safety Information

Please read the entire manual and follow the instructions and warnings carefully. Failure to do so can cause serious damage and/or injury, including loss of life. Be sure to obey all applicable local traffic and motor vehicle regulations as it pertains to this product. Improper installation will void manufacturer's warranty.

USAGE

- The Rear View Camera System is designed to help the driver safely detect people and/or objects helping to avoid damage or injury. However, you the driver, must use it properly. Use of this system is not a substitute for safe, proper or legal driving.
- Never back up while looking at the monitor alone. You should always check behind and around the vehicle when backing up, in the same way as you would if the vehicle did not have the Rear View Camera System. If you back up while looking only at the monitor, you may cause damage or injury. Always back up slowly.
- The Rear View Camera System is not intended for use during extensive back-up maneuvers or backing into cross traffic or pedestrian walkways.
- Please, always remember, the area displayed by the Rear View Camera System is limited. It does not display the entire panorama that is behind you.

Safety Information

INSTALLATION

- Electric shock or product malfunction may occur if this product is installed incorrectly.
- Use this product within the voltage range specified. Failure to do so can cause electronic shock or product malfunction.
- Take special care when cleaning the monitor.
- Make sure to firmly affix the product before use.
- If smoke or a burning smell is detected, disconnect the system immediately.
- Where the power cable may touch a metal case, cover the cable with a friction tape. A short circuit or disconnected wire may cause a fire.
- While installing the Rear View System be careful with the wire positioning in order to avoid wire damage.
- The Rear View System should only be used when the vehicle is in reverse.
- Do not watch movies or operate the monitor while driving; as it may cause an accident.
- Do not install the monitor where it may obstruct drivers view or obstruct an air bag device.
- Dropping the unit may cause possible mechanical failure.

Safety Information

If you have questions about this product, contact:

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Before You Begin Installation

Before drilling please check that no cable or wiring is on the other side of the wall. Please clamp all wires securely to reduce the possibility of them being damaged while vehicle is in use. Keep all cables away from hot or moving parts and electrical noisy components.

We recommend doing a benchmark test before installation to insure that all components are working properly.

Step 1: Choose the monitor and camera locations.

Step 2: Install all cables in vehicle, when necessary a 0.8 (20mm) hole should be drilled for passing camera cable through vehicles walls. Install split grommets where applicable.

Step 3: Once all cables and wiring have been properly routed, perform a system function test by temporarily connecting the system. If the system seems to not be operating properly see troubleshooting (page 15).

Installation Guide

Camera & Cable

When installing the camera at the rear of the vehicle, remove the existing tailgate handle and replace with the tundra tailgate handle.

Be sure to position the cable properly. The aviation camera cable uses aircraft grade connectors which means the camera cable can be exposed to all weather elements. Do not run the cable over sharp edges, do not kink the cable and keep away from HOT and rotating parts.

Fasten all cables and secure all excess cable. Connect camera to the camera extension cable which runs inside the vehicle. Attach camera to the center of the license plate area using the screws provided and adjust the angle. **Figure 1.1**

Wiring

After connecting the camera to the "camera cable" the camera should be plugged into AV2 input. Connect the RED 12V power wire to an ignition power source and the BLACK 12V ground wire to a chassis ground.

The GREEN wire is the REVERSE trigger wire. Connect this wire to the vehicle's backup light circuit to activate the rear-view image whenever the vehicle shifts into reverse. To connect a second camera, connect it to AV1 and it can be turned on by pressing the power button on the monitor. **Figure 1.2**

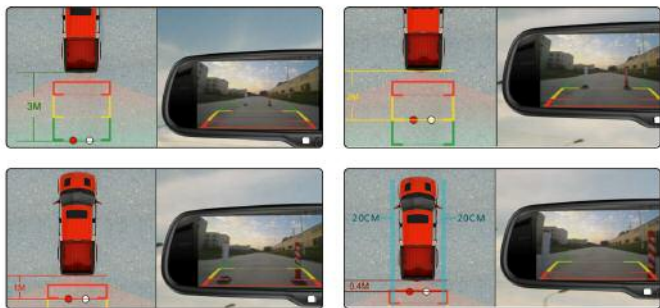
Installation Guide

Safety

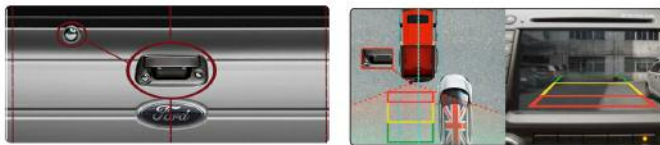
- Before drilling, be sure no cable or wire is on the other side.
- Feed as much cable as possible into vehicle & clamp securely. This reduces the possibility of cable being hooked or snagged.
- Camera: Drill a 20mm (0.8in) diameter hole into vehicle body near the camera and bracket. Insert camera cable into vehicle (be careful not to kink cable) and fit grommet into hole. Apply sealant around grommet to increase resistance to water penetration.

Adjustable Grid Line

Generally, to help drivers estimate the distance from obstacles, there are three lines for reference - red, yellow and green. Those three lines are displayed on the monitor when car is reversing. The green line is 3m from the back of car and the yellow line is 2m. The distant red line is 1m from the backside of car while the closed red line is 0.4m. Both reference lines on the left and right should leave 0.2m space from the car.



Regular guide line is fixed. But installation sites of cameras are different as well as car size. The fixed guide line is not accurate enough for drivers. There will be a great difference between regular and fixed guide lines and car's real guide lines, especially when camera is mounted on the left or right side of car backside. It may cause accidents.

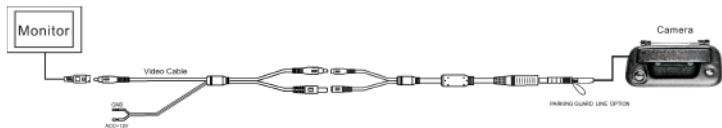


Installation and Wiring

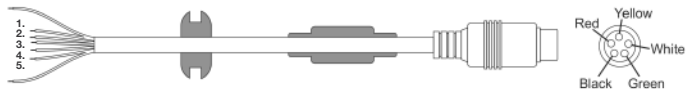
Figure 1.1



Figure 1.2



Splicing



1. Red - Power (+)
2. Yellow - Video
3. Green - Mirror / Normal Imaging
4. White - Audio
5. Black - Ground (-)

Positioning



No Image On Screen

- Do a hard reset, unplug all cables and power cables, leave out for 1 minute and then re-connect them.
- Check to ensure that the connection to the camera is tight.
- Verify camera cable is plugged into port labeled Backup Camera
- Verify that the green positive trigger on power harness is put to power 12v+.
- Verify camera is on correct camera input
- Verify cable is connected to monitor
- Verify camera is connected to cable
- Connect known working camera and cable to monitor.
- Verify Green trigger is receiving power

Camera Dimensions



Camera Specifications

Camera	1/3 SONY IC Sensor
Current Consumption	MAX: 150mA
Sensor	CMD-III, 1/4"
Resolution (TV Lines)	420
Minimum illumination	0.5 Lux
Angle	170°
Effective Pixels	648*488
TV System	NTSC
Video Output	Full color vdeo out: 1.0Vp-p 75(ohm) load
Working Voltage	DC9-16V
Video Color	Full color
Water Proof	IP67-IP68
Operating Temperature	-30°C to +70°C
Parking guar line	On/Off Switchable
Image	Mirror

Warranty

One Year Warranty

Rear View Safety Inc. warrants this product against material defects for a period of one year from date of purchase. We reserve the right to repair or replace any such defective unit at our sole discretion.

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