



INSTRUCTIONS

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REAR AXLE NUT COVER KIT

GENERAL INFORMATION

Table 1. General Information

Kits	Suggested Tools	Skill Level ⁽¹⁾
43422-09, 43000018	Safety Glasses, Torque Wrench	 1 Dark wrench
<i>(1) Only simple tools and techniques required</i>		

KIT CONTENTS

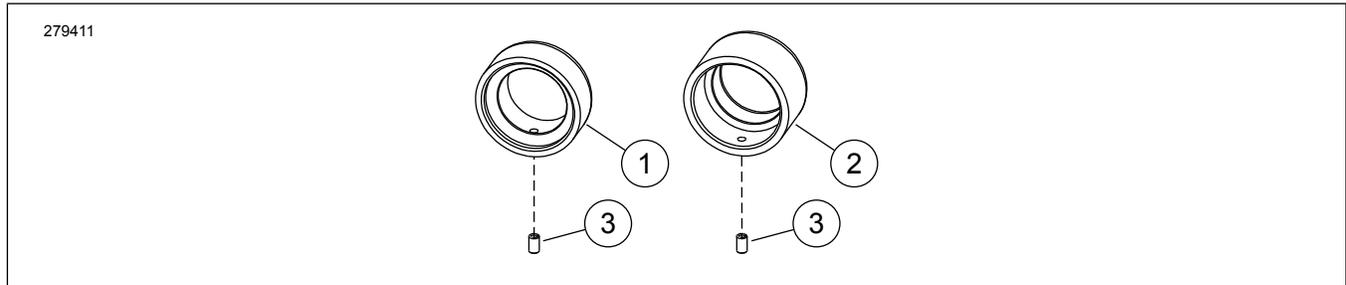


Figure 1. Rear Axle Nut Cover Kit

Table 2. Kit Contents: Flat-Out Bar

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Verify that all contents are present in the kit before installing or removing items from vehicle.				
Item	Qty	Description	Part No.	Notes	
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Axle nut cover, right (short)	Not sold separately		
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Axle nut cover, left (long)	Not sold separately		
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Set screw	4636		

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Models

For model fitment information, see the Parts and Accessories (P&A) Retail Catalog or the Parts and Accessories section of www.harley-davidson.com.

Verify that the most current version of the instruction sheet is used. It is available at: h-d.com/isheets

Contact Harley-Davidson Customer Support Center at 1-800-258-2464 (U.S. only) or 1-414-343-4056.

Installation Requirements

⚠ WARNING

Rider and passenger safety depend upon the correct installation of this kit. Use the appropriate service manual procedures. If the procedure is not within your capabilities or you do not have the correct tools, have a Harley-Davidson dealer perform the installation. Improper installation of this kit could result in death or serious injury. (00333b)

NOTE

This instruction sheet references service manual information. A service manual for the year and model motorcycle is required for this installation and is available from:

- A Harley-Davidson dealer.
- H-D Service Information Portal, a subscription-based access available for most 2001 and newer models. For more information see *Frequently ask questions about subscriptions*.

These items are available at your local Harley-Davidson dealership.

- Loctite[®] 243 Medium Strength Threadlocker and Sealant - Blue (Part No. 99642-97) is required for proper installation of this kit.

NOTE

The set screws in this kit are treated with a thread locking agent. When replacing or reinstalling the set screws,



- *Thoroughly remove all existing threadlocking agent from fastener and mounting hole threads before applying new threadlocking agent.*
- *Apply Loctite 243 (blue) to the set screw threads.*

INSTALL

NOTE

- *The **shorter** axle nut cover mounts on the axle bolt head. The **longer** axle nut cover mounts on the axle nut.*
 - *Verify that the axle has not been installed from the left side (with the castle nut on the right side) during previous service. The axle **MUST** be installed from the right side. See service manual.*
1. See Figure 1. Partially install a set screw (3) into the threaded hole in each axle nut cover (1, 2).
 2. Adjust the position of the exhaust system as necessary to provide axle nut clearance.
 3. Tighten the axle nut-cover set screws (3) securely.