

CONVERTIBLE TOP FOR SUZUKI BRUTE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Using the metal screws (No. 75) provided, install the bow mounting brackets (No. 33L & 33R) on top of the body edge. Locate and drill 3/16" holes in the center of the body edge by measuring from the rear of the vehicle to the front mounting hole 32" as illustrated in Fig. 3.

2. Locate vertical rod brackets (No. 77) on top of the body edge, behind the door openings as illustrated in Fig. 1. Locate and Mount rear of bracket with existing bolts. Drill a 3/16" hole to install the No. 14 x 1/2" metal screws in the slotted holes.

3. Assemble the two halves of each bow (No. 51 & No. 52), and slide the bow covers over the legs of the bows.

4. Bolt the bows to the mounting brackets with U-bolts (No. 35) and wing nuts (No. 34), using the center of the three lower holes in the bracket. (See fig. 2.) The other two holes are to adjust the tightness of the top after it is installed. Make sure the large holes in the front bow are facing forward. Note that the bows will have to be sprung in to fit onto the brackets.

5. Drill 1/8" holes on top of the windshield to install the two-piece aluminum retainer (No. 59) with the No. 10 x 1/2" metal screws (No. 76) provided. (See fig. 4.) Make sure the pieces are centered, and that the opening is facing forward and down.

6. Install six metal screw studs (No. 61) in the rear bow in holes provided. (The half of the snap that goes into the body is referred to as the stud.)

7. Lay the top over the vehicle, and hook the plastic strip into the retainer on top of the windshield frame. Lift the bows, placing the top over them and snap the flaps on the inside of the top to the rear bow.

8. Slide the horizontal rods (No. 53L & 53R) through the fabric sleeves over the top of the door openings and hook them into existing brackets in the upper corners of the windshield.

9. Place the small plastic sleeves over the top end of the vertical rods. Then slide the rods (No. 54) up through the openings behind the doors and connect with the horizontal rods. Place the bottom end of the rods in their brackets (No. 77).

10. Make sure the zippers are closed on the rear curtain and then install studs (No. 61) as follows:

11. Starting at the rear corners of the vehicle, locate and drill 1/8" holes to install studs to match up with snaps in the top. It is important that the fabric be pulled down and to the rear firmly to insure a good fit. Snap the top to these corner studs.

12. Install studs next to the door openings in the same manner. Pull the fabric forward and down this time. Install remaining studs on the side panels and tailgate to match up with the remaining snaps. Pull the fabric tight as you go to eliminate wrinkles.

13. Install the door hinges (No. 60L & 60R) using the 1/4" x 1 1/2" bolts. (See fig. 5.) Measure 1 1/4" forward from door opening. Bolt pivots (No. 69L & 69R) to OUTSIDE of doors. Leave bolts loose in order to adjust doors.

14. Install doors by hooking into hinges and then tighten hinges for proper fit.

15. Install door handles (No. 91 & No. 89) as illustrated in fig. 6. Tension of inside handle (No. 89) against striker plate may be adjusted by bending the handle.

PACKING LIST

REF. NO	DESCRIPTION	QTY.	PART NO.
—	* Top Assembly	1	241-0202
—	* Door only - left	1	241-0205L
—	* Door only - right	1	241-0205R
54	Vertical rod	2	24-054
53L	Horizontal rod - left	1	24-053L
53R	Horizontal rod - right	1	24-053R
51	Front bow	1	24-051
52	Rear bow	1	24-052
59	Aluminum retainer	2	24-059
	BOW MOUNT KIT		
33L	Bow mount bracket - left	1	80-001
33R	Bow mount bracket - right	1	70-295L
35	U-bolt	2	70-295R
34	Wing nut 1/4"	2	70-293
75	Metal Screw No. 14 x 1/2"	4	90-303
	DOOR HANDLE KIT		
79	Washer 3/8"	2	80-002
89	Inside handle	2	90-079
91	Outside handle	2	70-089
87	Handle cover	2	70-091
	SMALL PARTS KIT		
61	Stud - metal screw	25	80-047
	Bolts 1/4" x 1 1/2"	4	90-061
76	Metal Screw No. 10 x 1/2"	6	90-041
	Bolts 1/4" x 1/2"	8	90-076
	Lockwashers 1/4"	12	90-082
	Nut 1/4"	4	90-110
60L	Door Hinge - left	2	90-109
60R	Door Hinge - right	2	24-060L
77	Vertical Rod Bracket	2	24-060R
			70-122

* specify color

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TOP VIEW

FIG. 3

Indicated measurement
is to front screw hole

32"

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Outside
of
Vehicle

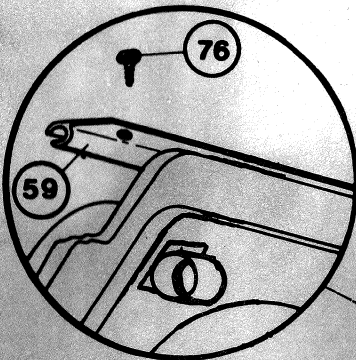


FIG. 4

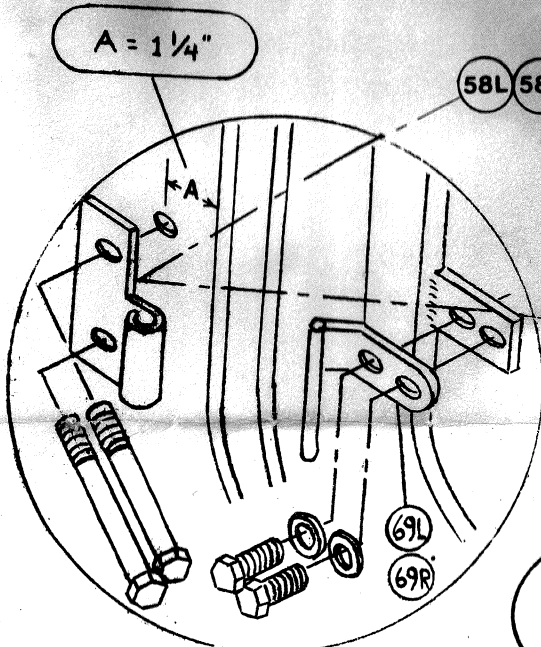


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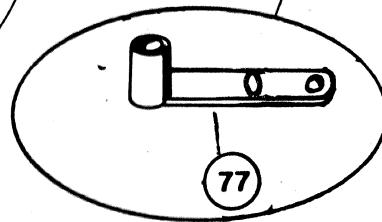


FIG. 1

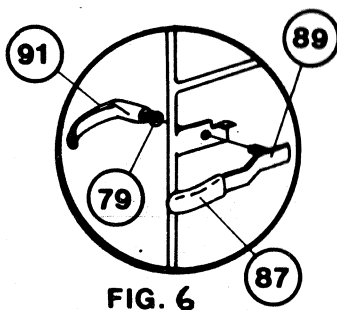


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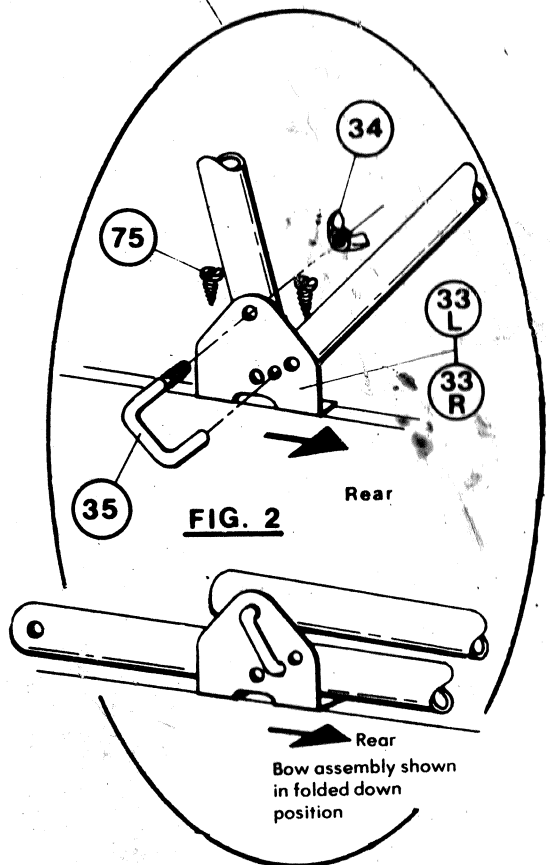


FIG. 2

→ Rear
Bow assembly shown
in folded down
position

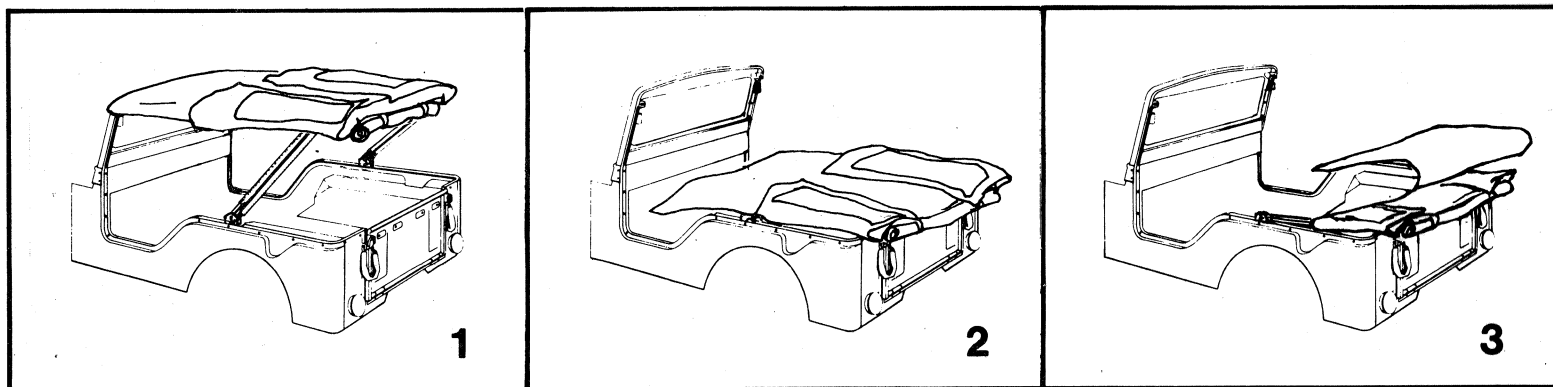
CARE AND FOLDING INSTRUCTIONS FOR CONVERTIBLE TOPS

To keep your top looking good, as well as prolong its life, you should wash it regularly with a nondetergent soap, water and a soft bristle brush. Use a soft cloth and water on the windows, because they scratch easily. Soap left on the fabric may tend to "yellow" it, and should therefore be rinsed thoroughly.

Like many materials, the vinyl windows and fabric used in making your top will contract and become less pliable in cold weather. It is therefore advisable to put your top up or down only when the temperature is 72° F. or above. Special care should be taken to avoid rolling or unrolling the rear curtain in cold weather to avoid cracking the window.

A little care in handling and cleaning will go a long way in keeping your convertible top looking its best.

NOTE: The seams around the windows and on the deck of your top have been electronically sealed to make them completely water-proof. Under normal conditions, the sewn seams will be water-tight as well. Under severe conditions, some seams may wick or leak moisture. However, this situation may be easily remedied by applying a water repellent spray (like 3M's Scotchgard®), to both the inside and outside of the leaky seam. These products are available in most supermarkets and department stores. (leakage is not covered by warranty)



- 1) Unzip and roll the rear curtain up to the inside and fasten it to the top with attached straps.
- 2) Unsnap the top from the vehicle body.
- 3) Remove rods from door openings.
- 4) Fold side panels of top up on to top deck and push front bow back against rear bow. (See figure 1)
- 5) Unfasten at windshield and lay top down on vehicle body. (See figure 2)
- 6) Fold top from front to rear into approximately 10" sections. (See figure 3)
- 7) In order to help keep your top clean and secure while in the convertible position, it is advisable to store it in a top boot.

WARRANTY

Every BESTOP convertible top is guaranteed to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of 90 days after date of purchase. Liability for such defects is limited to replacement or repair of defective merchandise at our expense and in our factory. Only after defects have been determined and assessed by our factory; the defective merchandise may be returned (shipping prepaid) to our factory for repair or replacement.

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