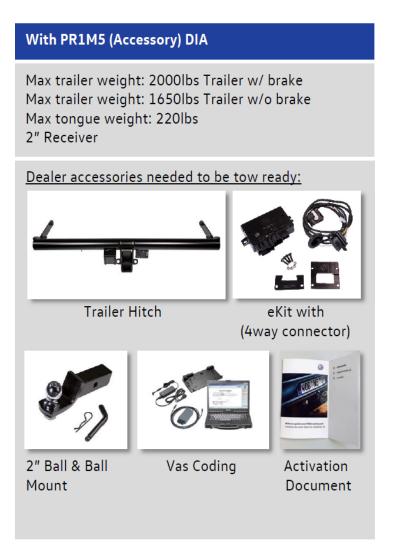


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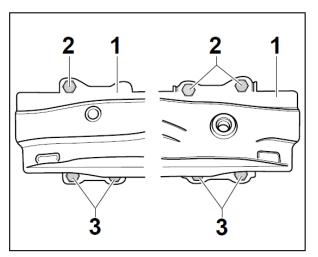
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Step 1) Refer to Elsa Pro and remove rear bumper cover.

Step 2) Refer to Elsa Pro to remove left side body vent.



**Step 3)** Remove inner bumper impact bar, Re-install bolts located in position 2 to seal the interior against the ingress of exhaust gasses.



Step 4) Remove body plug and pass trailer electrics harness through

**Note:** The close out panel does not need to be removed but it does allow greater access to the body plug if the panel is removed.

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**Step 5)** Mount the trailer electrics module to the body. Insert all 3 connectors into the module as shown above. The white ground wire connects to the chassis ground point. ( on Atlas it will be directly below the module, On Cross Sport is will be located up on the wheel well area.

Step 6) Install the trailer hitch assembly, torque the bolts to 70Nm + 135 degrees.

**Step 7)** Install GSM antenna previously removed, Refer to ESLA Pro for proper torque and positioning. Route trailer harness along trailer hitch and mount the 4 pin connector using the provided hardware.

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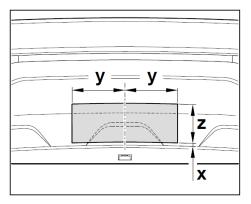
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### Step 8) Bumper preperation

- A) It is recommended to replace the lower valance with one that has the factory cut out for the trailer hitch. For vehicles with park distance control it is also necessary to cut out the 2 sensor holes. Refer to Elsa pro for lower valance replacement and part distance sensor installation.
- B) Cutting the trailer hitch opening is also an approved method.
  - 1) Determind center of bumper cover and mark the section according to image below.
  - 2) X = .59in (15mm)
  - 3) Y = 7.09in (180mm)
  - 4) Z = 5.90in (150mm)
  - 5) Carefully cut out the section using suitable tools and debur the cutting edges, as necessary.



Step 9) Re-install bumper cover and other parts previously removed.

**Note** pay special attention to wheel house moldings for damage and broken retainers and replace as necessary.



Step 10) Connect the can buss connectors under the right side of the dash near the lower A-Pillar.

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**Step 11)** Connect scan tool, scan vehicle, Select special functions, Adaption, selection option 4 (perform conversion retrofit with protection license).

Step 12) Perform function test of trailer electrics.

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