

Fresh Aero Stainless Steel Tail Skids

Important Mounting Notes

Thank you for purchasing our stainless steel tail skid. This skid will protect your tail tiedown eye bolt from inadvertent tail touchdowns and dissipate the load gradually.

To mount this skid, remove the tail eye bolt and insert the eye bolt into the tail skid mounting hole.

Note: The skid mounting hole has tapered “leads” to allow the eye bolt to clear the bottom of the skid when it’s inserted into the hole and can be inserted only from from one side of the skid. Also, if you purchased a tail tiedown from us with the tail skid, the shank on your tiedown will be 3/16 inch longer to compensate for the thickness of the skid.

Hold the skid with the forward “U” curve up and away from you. Insert the eye bolt shank from the right side of the skid and the eye bolt will slide into the hole. Insert the eye bolt into the aircraft with the tail skid sandwiched between the eye bolt and the tail. Remember, the “U’ curve on the tail skid must be facing forward! Tighten securely and you’re good to go.

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