Wedgetail Rails and Platform Fitting Instruction

To suit—Kia Tasman Gen 1 Dual Cab 2025—Current(Factory roof rail and non roof rail models)



Congratulations on the purchase of your Australian made Wedgetail Roof Rack product.

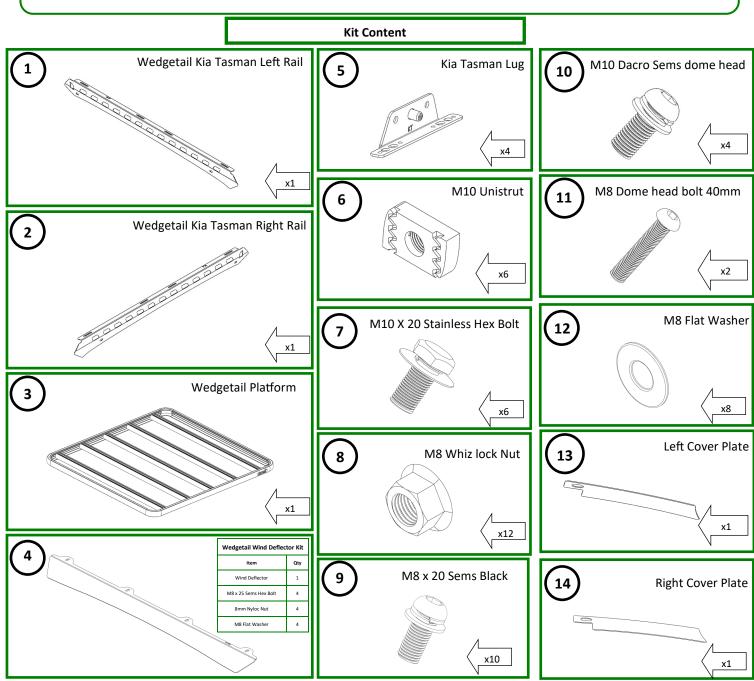
Please read and follow the instructions carefully to ensure correct fitment.

Contact us if any parts appear missing, incorrect, or damaged.

Clean the roof prior to fitting the roof racks.

Tools Required:

- Hex key (5mm & 6 mm)
- Spanner (13mm & 17 mm)
- Silicone/urethane sealer



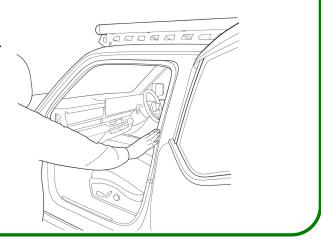
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Headlining Removal

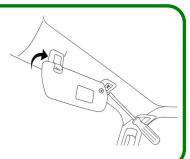
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- To allow access to roof rail fastenings the headlining needs to be lowered at the outer edges. (X-pro model)
- Remove upper sections of door rubbers.



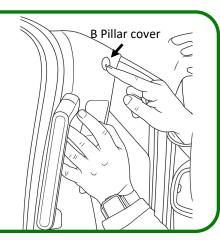
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- Use trim removal tool or small screw driver to remove plastic covers to expose screws where required
- Remove the following: Pillar mounted Grab handles and Sun visors.



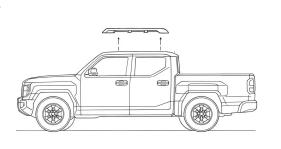
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- Remove B Pillar cover as shown to reveal bolt
- Remove Bolt with 10mm Socket.
- Unclip all pillar covers at the top to allow roof headlining to drop.
- Unclip headlining near sunroof area to allow lining to lower if needed.



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- Remove nuts from underside of rails (Small 1/4 ratchet or air ratchet suitable 10mm socket)
- 6 nuts to be removed (per side)
- Remove roof rails



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Fastening lugs to roof

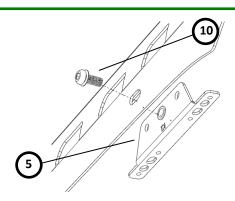


- Assemble the front and rear lug to the rail as shown
- (Use rail and lugs to mark rear lug position)

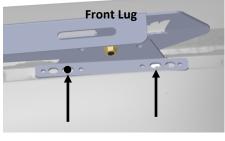


Fitting Note:

If the vehicle has factory rails jump to step 8

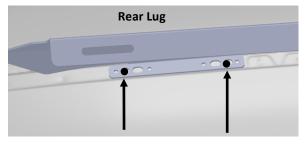


- Place the rail and lug in the roof gutter
 - Align the inside slot on the (front lug) with the factory hole
 - Mark the other slots as shown to be drilled
 - (Inner slot on front lug and the outer slot on rear lug)



Mark the other slot

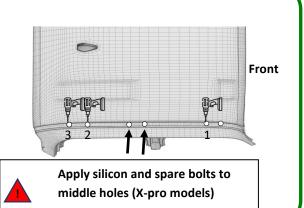
Align slot to the hole



Mark both outer slots



- Remove the rail from the gutter and drill pilot holes
- Enlarge to 9mm use drilling depth sleeve to preserve damage to headlining or internal wiring.



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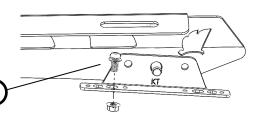
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- Apply silicone or urethane sealer (natural cure sealants only) under both whole lugs
- Place the rail and lug in the gutter and align with the two front and two rear holes which have been drilled

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If using Bolts (Roof Rail Models)

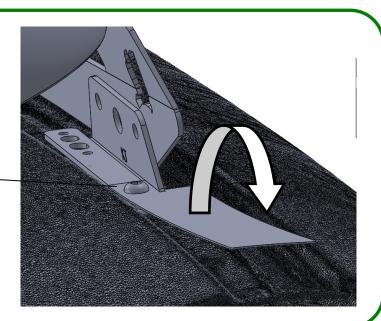
- Install all 4 lugs into factory roof mountings using 8mm bolts and nuts.
- Leave the front hole for the next step



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- Attach the cover plate as shown, using the M8 40mm bolts.
- Bend by hand the cover plate to match the shape of the roof.





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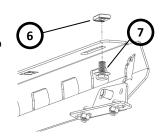
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Assemble the Wedgetail Platform to the rails

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- Attach the channel nuts to the top of rail.
 - Fit 10mm Bolt / Split washer / Flat washer / Channel Nuts to the top of rail.
- * Channel nuts to the top as shown in the following diagram



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Place the Wedgetail Platform on the rails (Wind deflector mounting towards the front of vehicle),
then spin the channel nuts 90 degree in the channel on the underside of the rack till they lock into the channels. Do not tighten fully.

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Centralize the rack side to side (using a tape measure) on the wedgetail rails.

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- Fully tighten remaining bolts in the following order:
 - 1. Rails to the platform
 - 2. Rails to lugs
 - 3. Attach wind Deflector.

NOTE-Ensure the channel nuts are 90 degrees to the channels.



Check fastenings are firmly tensioned at regular intervals.

Do not overtighten, this will preserve the spring washers.



Fitting Note:

Where a wind deflector is used, we recommend a minimum of 15mm clearance from the vehicle roof.

Where necessary manually adjust the wind deflector or wind deflector mountings as required.

Thank you for your purchase.

Please complete your warranty application following correct installation.

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