



Nickless Cage Installation Instructions

WARNING

Installing this Salsa product on a bicycle requires in-depth knowledge of bicycle mechanics and professional-grade tools. If you do not have the proper tools or knowledge to perform this installation, please take your bicycle to your local bicycle dealer. Failure to appropriately install this product may lead to component failure, resulting in serious injury or death. We recommend that you have this product installed, adjusted and maintained by a professional bicycle mechanic.

Tools: 4mm hex wrench, torque wrench

Nickless Cage Installation

The Nickless Cage mounts to standard water bottle cage bosses with M5 bolts.

WARNING: Where you position the Nickless Cage will depend on personal preference, frame size and geometry. Make sure that the cage does not interfere with the function of your bicycle BEFORE attempting to ride.

Standard Mounting

1. Mount the cage to the frame or fork using M5 bolts (fig. 1)
2. Torque bolts 3–5 Nm
3. Place your bottle in the cage and go for a ride (fig. 2)

Hose Clamp Mounting

We designed the Nickless Cage with slots to accommodate hose clamps for mounting to frames or forks without the necessary braze-ons.

WARNING: Hose clamps are designed to generate a large amount of clamping force: use at your own risk. Salsa is not responsible for bodily injury or damage to your frame or fork as a result of improperly installing hose clamps.

- Do not use hose clamps on carbon fiber frames or forks
- Do not use hose clamps on thin-walled aluminum frames or forks
- Use of hose clamps may void the frame or fork warranty. Check with the manufacturer

To install:

1. Wrap the clamping area with a rubber shim to avoid scratching your frame
2. Route the clamp through the slots in the Nickless Cage and around the frame/fork tube
3. Snug the clamp with a screwdriver

WARNING

- Do not modify the Nickless Cage. Doing so will void the warranty (see next page)
- Make sure your load is secure before riding (i.e. no loose straps to get caught in the wheels)



Figure 1



Figure 2



Nickless Cage Installation Instructions cont'd

Warranty

Salsa Cycles warrants this new Salsa product against defects in materials and workmanship for five (5) years from the original date of retail purchase by the consumer. This limited warranty is expressly limited to the repair or replacement of the original product, at the option of Salsa Cycles, and is the sole remedy of the warranty. This limited warranty applies only to the original purchaser of the Salsa product and is not transferable. In no event shall Salsa Cycles be liable for any loss, inconvenience or damage, whether direct, incidental or consequential or otherwise resulting from breach of any express or implied warranty or condition, of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, or otherwise with respect to this product except as set forth herein.

This warranty does not cover the following:

- Damage due to improper assembly or follow-up maintenance or lack of skill, competence or experience of the end user
- Products that have been modified, neglected, used in competition or for commercial purposes, misused or abused, involved in accidents or anything other than normal use
- Damage or deterioration to the surface finish, aesthetics or appearance of the product
- Normal wear and tear
- Labor required to remove and/or refit and re-adjust the product within the bicycle assembly

This warranty gives the consumer specific legal rights, and those rights and other rights may vary from state to state.

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