

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS LAT-NR180 LED Tail Lights for 1968 Chevelle



Installation:

Kit Includes:

- 1. Remove the chrome tail light cover. There are four nuts on the back of the housing.
- 2. Remove the tail light lens.
- 3. Remove the light bulb.
- 4. Remove the original bulb connector from the back side of the housing.







- 5. Now is a good time to clean the lens and housing. If lenses are in bad shape a new set is recommended.
- 6. Remove the nuts and back plate from the back of the new LED assembly.





7. Insert the new LED assembly into the hole where the original bulb and connector were located. Use caution when feeding the wires through the socket opening to avoid damaging the wire insulation.

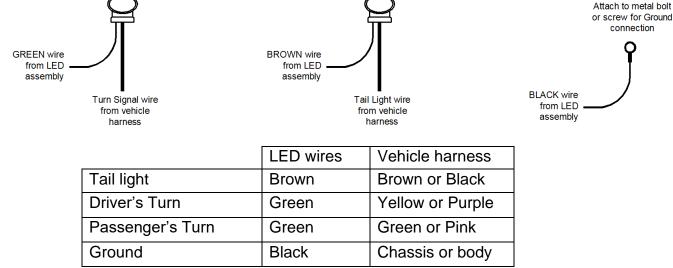


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- 8. Feed the wires through the large hole in the back plate. Guide the back plate onto the back side of the housing. The flat side of the mounting disk should be toward the outside and the side with the slight raised center should go in towards the housing. This will align the mount in the original housing.
 - Secure the back plate with the supplied #6 nuts.
 - 10. Install the lens and reassemble the housing, ensuring all gaskets are intact and in place.
 - 11. Cut off the existing light socket as it will not be used. Do not strip the wires. Trim the wires from LED assembly to appropriate length once mounted, making sure wires are routed cleanly and securely.
 - 12. Use the supplied moisture resistant pigtail connectors* to attach the wires from the new LED assembly to the existing vehicle harness. Insert appropriate wire from vehicle harness and mating LED assembly wire into a connector and crimp following instructions below.
 - *For the best connection, soldering is recommended. But to simplify installation, the supplied connectors will provide a fast weather resistant connection.

The correct crimp method for the supplied connectors is:

- 1.) Insert **UNSTRIPPED** wires into the connector and ensure they are all they way in by observing the clear bottom of the connector to see the wires are touching the end.
- 2.) Use pliers to push the blue cap down flush with the edge of the clear body, completing the connection. The connection will only be correct if pressed firmly down with pliers.



- 13. Repeat for the other side.
- 14. Test the tail lights, brake lights, and turn signals. If the turn signals do not flash you will need to upgrade your flasher. If you are replacing only the rear turn signals you should be able to use a heavy duty electronic flasher from your local parts store. If you are replacing both front and rear or do not have front bulbs you will need a no-load flasher. Dakota Digital part number LAT-NLF.





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