

Item number: **VMC.11.056.10000**Revision: **00** · Date: **08 - 2026****V-LOC Side Carrier left** ~ 0.5 h.EASY      DIFFICULT

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WARNING SYMBOLS

The warning symbols used in these mounting instructions () indicate life-threatening situations, risks of injury and other hazards. Key words such as **DANGER**, **WARNING**, **CAUTION** or **NOTE** appear together with the aforementioned warning symbols and indicate important safety instructions for the installation and use of this product. When combined with warning symbols, these key words have the following meaning:

 **DANGER:** Indicates a dangerous situation that will lead to death or serious injury if unheeded!

 **WARNING:** Indicates a potentially dangerous situation that could result in death or serious injury if unheeded!

 **CAUTION:** Indicates a potentially dangerous situation that could result in minor or moderate injury if unheeded!

 **NOTE:** Indicates important information that will not lead to risk of death or injury; failure to heed it may result in property damage.

GENERAL INFORMATION

 **WARNING:** Installation and maintenance of this product requires advanced technical knowledge, proper tools and safe handling of tools and tightening torque specifications! For safety reasons, SW-MOTECH recommends having all work carried out by a qualified professional in a workshop!

 **WARNING:** If installing the product yourself, read and understand these mounting instructions completely before installation and use, and follow all instructions! Additionally, observe all relevant vehicle manufacturer specifications during installation and use! If any section of these mounting instructions is unclear or you require clarification, do not begin installation; discontinue any work already started and contact SW-MOTECH or a workshop with qualified professionals!

PREPARATION: Ensure a clean, level and well-lit work surface. Sort all product parts and check them against the parts list for completeness and integrity. Gather the necessary tools.

 **CAUTION:** Ensure the vehicle is securely parked (on a level, firm surface). Switch off the engine and remove the ignition key. Allow the engine and exhaust to cool completely. When working on the electrical system, disconnect the battery (start with the negative terminal). Use appropriate tools and always wear safety glasses and gloves during installation and maintenance. Have a second person assist you with installation.

INSTALLATION: All disassembled vehicle parts and connections must be reassembled according to the vehicle manufacturer's specifications or, if specified in these mounting instructions, replaced with SW-MOTECH parts.

 **WARNING:** Only use liquid thread locker if explicitly instructed in these mounting instructions or in the vehicle manufacturer's specifications to prevent threaded connections from loosening on their own! Do not apply liquid thread locker to plastic parts or use it in areas where the vehicle manufacturer prohibits it!

 **DANGER:** Tightening torques not specified in these mounting instructions must be taken from the vehicle manufacturer's specifications or determined by qualified workshop professionals! Tightening torques incorrectly may lead to broken components and serious injury!

FUNCTIONAL CHECK: After mounting, ensure that no moving parts are blocked and that vehicle functionality is not impaired. Cables, lines, and hoses must never rub against each other, be squeezed or excessively taut. Check this while the steering wheel is at full lock and throughout the entire suspension travel.

 **WARNING:** Perform a complete functional check before starting your journey. After the first 50 km, and then at regular intervals, check all fasteners for a secure fit and correct torque and retighten if necessary. Mounted accessories may affect handling and stability; conduct a careful test drive first and adjust your driving style accordingly!

STORAGE: When not in use, store the product in a dry, clean and weatherproof location.

DISPOSAL: Dispose of the product and packaging in an environmentally responsible manner in accordance with any applicable regulations at a suitable recycling or collection point. In particular, separate any electrical/electronic components and taken them to a specialized collection point. Be aware of local disposal regulations and follow them. To avoid waste, prioritize repair or reuse and properly separate materials by type.



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Take note of the symbols and what they mean in the ASSEMBLY section. If the term OEM appears in the ASSEMBLY section, the vehicle manufacturer's specifications must be observed and applied.



If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact our Customer Service team or our distributors. You can find our telephone number and a list of our distributors in our online shop:

www.sw-motech.com



Use thread locker: Indicates that a thread must be coated with liquid thread locker. H (HIGH): high strength; M (MEDIUM): medium strength; L (LOW): low strength.



Tighten/note the tightening torque information:

Indicates the tightening torque of a part specified by SW-MOTECH or the vehicle manufacturer (OEM).

PARTS LIST • READ AND KEEP MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS!

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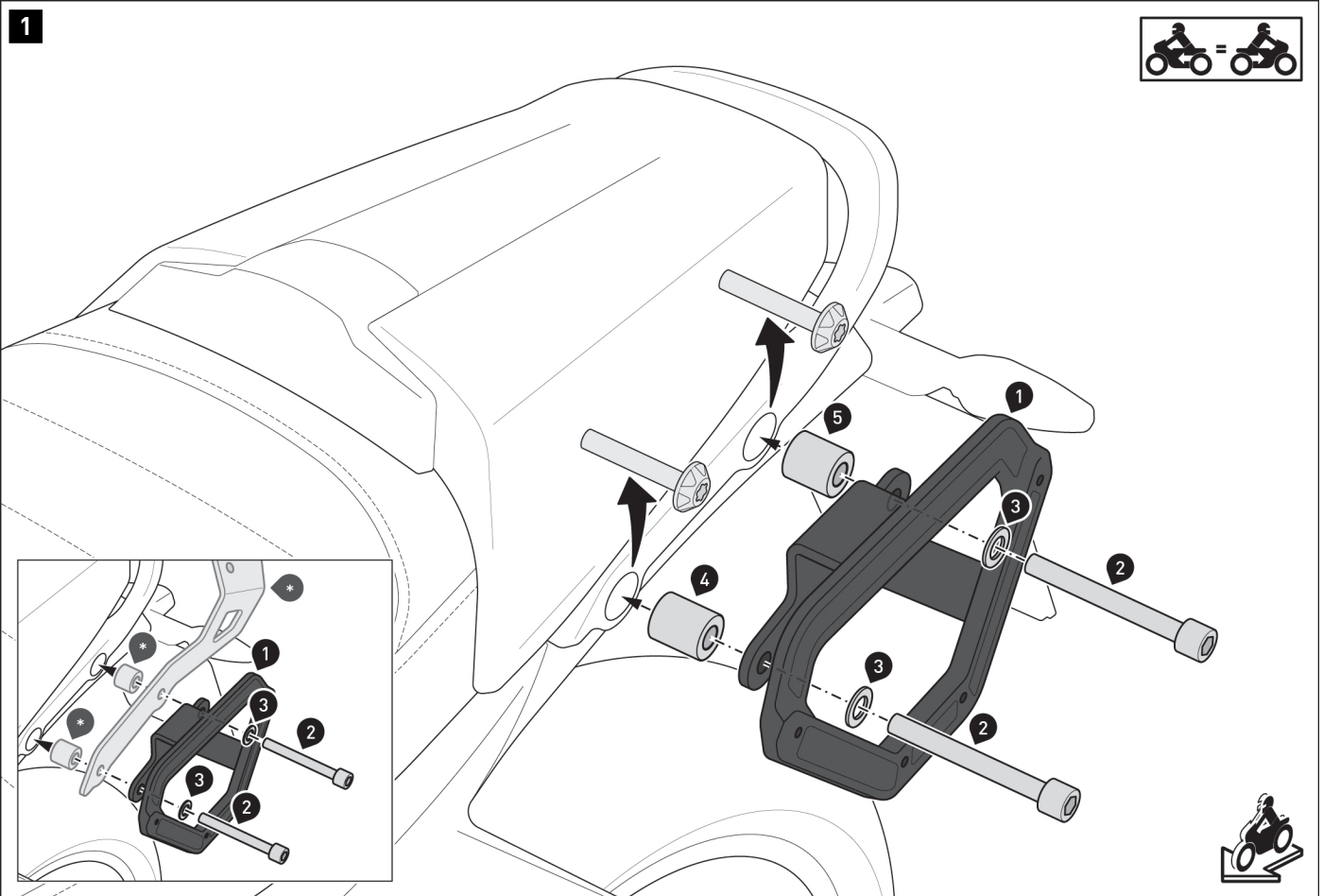
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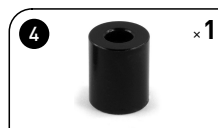
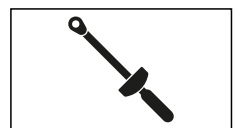
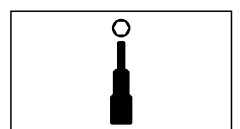
⚠ WARNING: Always wear eye and hand protection!
⚠ WARNING: Always use suitable tools!

⚠ NOTE: The detailed drawing shows the installation of the side carrier with the SW-MOTECH rack. Use the mounting parts included with the rack [-] in combination with the mounting parts shown for the side carrier.

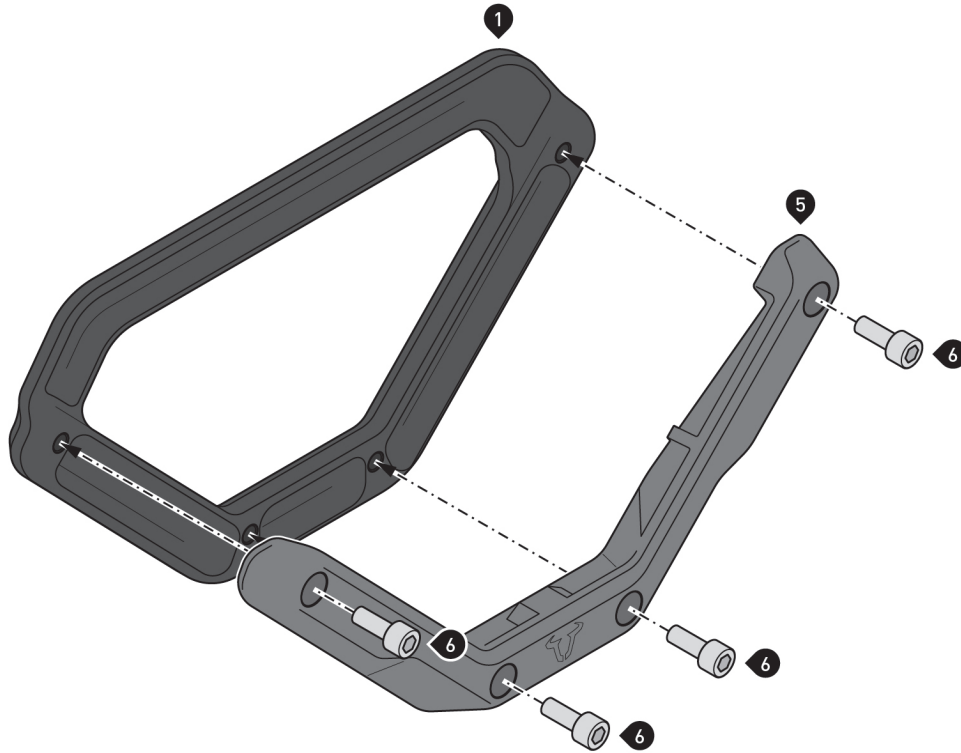
Remove the original screws from the vehicle.

Screw the side carrier (1) to the vehicle.

⚠ WARNING: Use liquid threadlocker!
 Tighten the screws (2) according to the vehicle manufacturer's specifications.



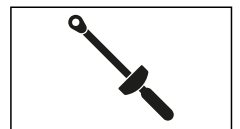
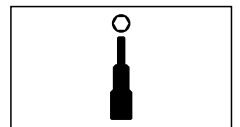
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Screw the base (6) to the side carrier (1).

▲ WARNING: Use liquid threadlocker!

Tighten the screws (7) as specified in the mounting instructions.



PRODUCT-SPECIFIC NOTES

⚠ DANGER: The maximum load indicated per side carrier/vehicle side includes the weight of the case/luggage and adapter kit! The maximum load capacity as specified by the vehicle manufacturer applies!

 ≤ 10 kg (≤ 22 lbs)	 ≤ 130 km/h (≤ 80 mph)
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⚠ NOTE: The side carrier was designed exclusively for use with SW-MOTEC adapter kits and luggage solutions.

⚠ WARNING: Ensure that any luggage attached to the side carrier does NOT come into contact with the exhaust flow of a modified exhaust system! Risk of burns!

⚠ WARNING: The side carrier is NOT suitable for offroad use!

⚠ NOTICE: Be sure to follow all country-specific regulations for the registration and operation of your vehicle, as well as any applicable TÜV regulations. Any parts requiring registration should be entered into your vehicle documents after installation by your inspection authority.