AEROMOTIVE
Part # 11801
01-10 CHEVY/GMC Duramax Fuel System Kit
INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

CAUTION:

Installation of this product requires detailed knowledge of automotive systems and repair procedures. We recommend that this installation be carried out by a qualified automotive technician.

Installation of this product requires handling of diesel. Ensure you are working in a well ventilated area with an approved fire extinguisher nearby. Extinguish all open flames, prohibit smoking and eliminate all sources of ignition in the area of the vehicle before proceeding with the installation.

When installing this product, wear eye goggles and other safety apparel as needed to protect yourself from debris and sprayed diesel.

Aeromotive system components are not legal for sale or use on emission controlled motor vehicles.

This kit contains the following parts:

1 ea Frame Bracket 1
1 ea Frame Bracket 2
1 ea ¾” Pickup Tube
1 ea Bottom Plate Baffle
2 ea 2” Bracket Spacers
1 ea Fuel Pump Assembly (130gph)
1 ea ½” Return Hose Assembly
1 ea ½” Feed Hose Assembly
1 ea 5/8” Suction Hose Assembly
1 ea Intank Return Assembly
1 ea Boxed, Pickup Tube Assembly
1 ea Wiring Harness
1 ea ½” Fuel Line Cap
1 ea Pump Power Harness
2 ea P/N 15129 AN10 to ½” J2044 Quick Connect
1 ea P/N 15130 AN12 to 5/8” J2044 Quick Connect
1 ea 15632 0-15psi, 1/8” npt, Fuel Pressure Gauge
1 ea Basket
1 ea Foam Core
3 ea 3/8-16 Zinc Plated Jam nut
2 ea AN-10 o-ring
1 ea AN-12 o-ring
3 ea 3/8-16 x 4” Hex Head Bolt
2 ea 3/8-16 x 3” Tapered Socket Cap Screw
12 ea Tie-Wraps
3 ea Zinc Plated Lock Washer

PUMP SPECS:

Regulator Adjustment Pressure Range: 2-20psi
Flow Output @ 13.5V: 130gph @ 10psi
Filter Micron Rating: 2 Micron (CATERPILLAR 1R-0750)
Coolant Ports: AN-08 ORB
Inlet Port: AN-12 ORB
Outlet/Return Port: AN-10 ORB
Filter Threads: 1”-14
Factory Pressure setting: 10 psi
Gauge Port: 1/8” NPT

WARNING: DO NOT REVERSE POLARITY ON FUEL PUMP! PUMP DAMAGE WILL ACCUR.
WARNING!

Always be aware of flammable situations. Drilling and grinding can be potential ignition sources. Extinguish all open flames, prohibit smoking and eliminate all sources of ignition in the area of the vehicle and workspace before proceeding with the installation. Ensure you are working in a well ventilated area with an approved fire extinguisher nearby.

WARNING!

Installation of this product requires modification to a fuel tank, failure to satisfy all safety considerations will result in fire, explosion, injury and/or loss of life to yourself and/or others.

WARNING!

Mechanical and hydraulic lifting devices can tip over or lower accidentally due to incorrect maneuvering or technical errors. A falling object can cause injury and/or loss of life to yourself and/or others. When working under the vehicle always use stands and ensure that the ground or floor is stable and level. Never crawl under a vehicle which is only supported by a jack.

CAUTION:

Make sure all batteries are disconnected before starting installation. Most diesel truck have two 12v batteries.
1. Find a suitable mounting location on the driver side frame rail. The pump can be mounted on the inside or outside of the frame (typical mounting on the inside).

2. Assemble the bracket to the frame as illustrated in FIGURE 1-1. Use the 3/8” x 4” bolt, lock washers and nuts.

**NOTE:** When installing the top bolts in the mounting plate, be sure not to pinch any tubes or wiring between the plate and frame.
3. Choose the holes that best set the pump height closest to the floor pan. This will allow maximum clearance for road debris (on or off road). Feed the tapered head 3/8" bolts thru the back side of the bracket. **FIGURE 1-2**

4. Slide the two spacers over the two bolts to space the pump away from the frame and wiring. Now tighten the pump to the bracket. **FIGURE 1-3**
5. Screw the three port fittings into the pump. Ensure that the fitting have the o-rings installed on them. If not, do that at this time. **FIGURE 1-4**

6. Before removing the fuel tank from the vehicle, mark the tank where there is adequate room between it and the bed. These locations will be used to determine the best spot for the feed and return tubes. Remove the fuel tank from the vehicle and place it on the ground. Remove the factory fuel level sending unit and set aside (careful not to damage it and note the orientation of the float arm). Choose a location that's close to the factory tank opening because you have to reach the backside to install a nut. Before drilling your holes make sure the factory fuel level arm will not come in contact with the Aeromotive baffled pickup assembly (**Location marks are examples only**). Failure to do so will result in the gas gauge not working. **FIGURE 1-5**
7. Find a spot on the tank suitable for the pickup tube assembly. Make sure you have enough room for the 100 micron pre-filter and baffle assembly inside the tank (tank wall clearance and factory basket clearance). Drill a 1” hole for the pickup tube assembly (clean out all debris after drilling hole).

8. Measure the depth of the tank through the hole you just drilled. Add 1” to the measurement and cut the pickup tube. **FIGURE 1-6**
   **NOTE:** The tube will be longer than needed and is a built-in cushion. You can shorten the pickup tube to better fit your vehicle.

![Figure 1-6]

9. Insert the pickup tube assembly as illustrated in **FIGURE 1-7**. Place one PTFE washer, lock nut and filter assembly into tank using the factory fuel module **(do not tighten anything yet)**. Lightly oil the pickup tube and insert it thru the pickup tube clamp. There will be some resistance because of the two sealing o-rings. Lube the end of the tube and push it into the filter assembly and tighten the filter clamp (tube can be tilted toward the factory open to aid in assembly). Now tighten the pickup tube clamp lock nut.

![Figure 1-7]
10. Assemble the baffled pickup assembly and insert it into the tank. **FIGURE 1-8**

*Note: The round bottom plate can be trimmed to fit down in the tank or cut in half and assembled in the tank.*

11. Push the pickup tube assembly down into the baffle until the filter rests on the bottom plate. Position the outlet toward the middle of the vehicle and tighten the tube clamp on top of tank. **FIGURE 1-9**
12. Attach the 5/8” J2044 connector onto the pickup tube. Use light oil to ease the installation, tighten clamp.  

**FIGURE 1-10**

13. Find a location on the tank approximately 2.5-3” away from the pickup tube. Mark this spot and drill a ¾” hole for the return tube assembly.

14. Measure from the top of the hole you just drilled to half way down the black Aeromotive basket. Cut the return tube assembly to length. Insert it into the tank as shown in **FIGURE 1-11**.
15. As you are inserting the return tube into the tank, guide the tube in between the black rubber basket and yellow foam. Once installed, tighten lock nut inside of tank. **FIGURE 1-12**

![FIGURE 1-12](image)

16. Reinstall the factory pickup assembly noting the position of the fuel level as it was removed. Position the tank under the vehicle and attach the feed and return lines. Place rubber cap over factory feed line connection and secure with tie wrap. Raise tank and position it into place. **FIGURE 1-13**

![FIGURE 1-13](image)
17. Route line away from moving parts and hot exhaust and secure in place with provided zip ties.

18. Now attach the feed and return lines to the pump and install fuel pressure gauge in the 1/8” npt gauge port. Route the lines as such to take out excess length. **FIGURE 1-14**

19. Disconnect the factory J2044 connector with the appropriate ½” fuel disconnect tool about mid frame on the drivers side (where the soft line meets the steel line). Connect the last Aeromotive red fuel line to the factory steel line and then to the outlet on the pump. Route the line to take up excess slack. **FIGURE 1-15**
20. Aeromotive has made wiring up your new diesel lift pump very quick and easy with the use of Delphi weather pack connections and nylon power braiding. There are only three connections that need to be made:
   1. Pump weather pack connection
   2. Power and ground connection
   3. Mini Fuse tap connection

21. Find a suitable place in the engine bay to mount the relay and fuse holder. Once mounted route the fuel pump power wire to fuel pump and make the connections (pump power connection shown). **FIGURE 1-16**

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![](image1)

**FIGURE 1-16**

22. Locate the fuse box and remove the top cover to gain access to the fuses. Using a voltmeter or test light, find a fuse that is “hot” when the key is in the “on” position. Remove the selected fuse and replace it with the mini-fuse tap. Take the factory fuse you just removed and place it in the empty spot on the fuse tap. **FIGURE 1-17**

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![](image2)

**FIGURE 1-17**

*Note: Commonly used fuses for tap are: TBC Batt, Ign 1 or 2, ACC and HVAC.*

23. Connect the Red (+) and Black (-) to the battery terminals. Make sure all wiring and fuel lines are secured properly.
24. The system is now ready to prime. The Aeromotive diesel lift pump is a self priming system and does not require you crack or bleed any part of the system. Turn the key to the “on” position. Verify the pump is running by checking the fuel pressure gauge (pressure is pre-set at 10psi). Check for leaks at this time.

25. If you wish to adjust pressure you can do that at anytime. Loosen the jam nut on the top of the regulator and turn the adjusting stud to adjust pressure. Clockwise raises pressure while counterclockwise lowers.

26. Start the vehicle and verify all connections are leak free.
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