

Fitting a GripSport Van-Rack to the REAR bumper.

IMPORTANT – MUST READ

Even if it LOOKS like your van has a nice, solid chassis and rear bumper-bar across the back and even though it may SEEM perfectly logical to carry your bikes there... be aware that the amount of “bounce” at the rear of a van is surprisingly severe... even if you don’t notice it. This can result in damage to bikes, bike rack, and even the van itself. In fact, some van manufacturers will void their warranty, and you may find insurance claims are denied, if a bike rack is fitted to the rear against the advice of the van or rack manufacturer. So **our** advice is as follows...

- 1/ The correct, proper and safest place to carry bikes is on the “A” frame.
- 2/ We recommend against fitting bike racks to the rear of caravans & camper trailers.

But it IS possible... in SOME cases

GripSport Van-Racks (1 & 2-bike **ONLY**) should only be fitted to the rear of a van...

- using the GripSport “Bolt-On Mount”
- to a rear bumper made of 50mm x 75mm rectangular steel box section
- after determining the rear of your van is strong enough - consult your caravan dealer or manufacturer for advice.