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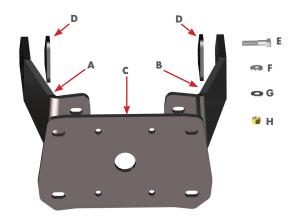
## PONTOON M-BRACE MOUNTING BRACKET INSTRUCTIONS

#### **Hardware Kits:**

- **A.** (1) Port Side Arm
- **B.** (1) Starboard Side Arm
- C. (1) Center Plate
- **D.** (2) Backer Plates
- **E.** (12) 3/8" x 1-3/4" Bolts
- **F.** (8) 3/8" Flat Thunder Washers
- G. (16) Flat Thin Washers
- H. (12) 3/8" Lock Nuts

#### **Installation Tools:**

- 9/16" Socket with ratchet
- 9/16" Wrench
- Center Punch
- Drill
- Steel Drill Bits 1/4" & 7/16"
- Tape
- Marker



- **STEP 1** Hold drill template to the mounting surface and mark hole locations. Do this for both sides. **FIG. 1** Check all clearances.
- **STEP 2** Put the mounting bracket together as illustrated **FIG. 2** (Do not fully tighten yet). Re-check clearances with loosely assembled bracket.
- STEP 3 Drill holes in pontoon mounting surface using template to guide FIG. 3
  - Use a center punch to mark the center of hole locations.
  - Drill first with a 1/4" drill bit
  - Finish the hole with a 7/16" drill bit
- **STEP 4** Repeat step 3 for the opposite side of pontoon M brace/frame rail.

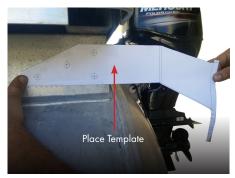


Figure 1

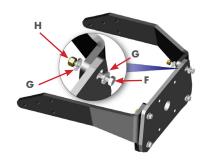


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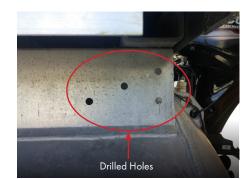


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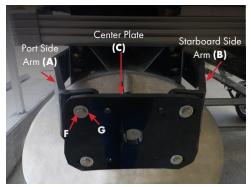
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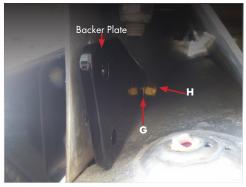
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**STEP 5** Bolt the adapter plate to pontoon. Be sure to install the backer plates on the inside of the pontoon mounting surface. Tighten the bolts that hold the Center Arm to the Port and Starboard Arms last. **FIG. 4, 5 & 6**.

IMPORTANT: If M-Brace is covered, it will need to be cut to install backer plates. See **M-Brace Cuts** section at bottom of page.

STEP 6 Install the Power-Pole shallow water anchor by following the Hardware Kit for Adapter Plate Instructions.





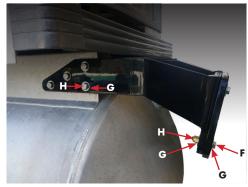


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Figure 6

### **M-Brace Cuts**

- WARNINGS: Check with boat manufacturer to ensure the warranty will not be voided when cutting to install the M-Brace Pontoon Bracket.
  - Check before cutting to ensure there are no hoses or wires behind the M-Brace.

If the back of the M-Brace is covered, a hole may need to be cut to fit the backer plates (D) behind the pontoon mounting surface. Follow accompanying diagrams for cutting suggestions Fig. 7-A & 7-B.

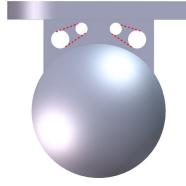


Figure 7-A

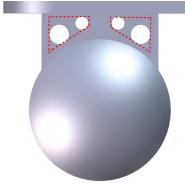


Figure 7-B

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