Trailer Hitch
Hookup Checklist

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- ☑ Correct size trailer ball in use
- ☑ Trailer ball tightly secured to the ball mount
- ☑ Ball mount pinned securely in the receiver
- ☑ Trailer coupled all the way onto the ball
- ☑ Trailer coupler release latched down
- ☑ Trailer jack retracted or removed
- ☑ Trailer wiring harness connected to vehicle
- ☑ Safety chains crossed and hooked from the underside
- ☑ Weight distributing hitch spring bars firmly attached to the hitch
- ☑ Weight distributing hitch spring bars tension set correctly
- ☑ Breakaway switch cable securely attached to vehicle
- ☑ All trailer lights - running, brake, turn signals working
- ☑ Trailer brake controller working and adjusted correctly