

# **Axiom Journey Seatpost**

### **Before You Start:**

#### Package contents:

- Allen bolts (4)
- rubber pad
- face-plate

#### **Tools required:**

- 4 mm Allen key
- 1 piece of tape



## **Mounting Instructions:**

Warning: This rack should not be mounted to a carbon fiber seatpost.

**Warning:** If you are using this rack on a full suspension bicycle make sure the rack does not interfere with the rear suspension as it moves through its travel.

- 1. Use a piece of tape to mark the height of the seatpost.
- 2. Remove the face-plate and decide where the rack will be positioned on the seatpost and make a mark.

**Warning:** Make sure the support tube will not touch your rear tire. If you plan on installing fenders, position the rack higher. If you will be using a trunk bag consider lowering the rack.

3. Remove the seatpost from the seat tube.









- 4. With your 4 mm Allen key, loosely attach the face plate to the rack. Yes, you could do this while the seatpost is still on the bicycle but our way is easier, we've tested it.
- 5. (Optional) If you want to protect your seatpost from being marked by the rack, place the rubber pad in the clamp. However, you will get a better grip without the pad.
- 6. Loosely attach the faceplate, using all four bolts, to the rack and insert the seatpost in between the face-plate and the rack clamp.
- 7. While keeping the saddle aligned with the rack, tighten the four bolts, progressively tightening them in the following sequence:

2 rotations a.

2 rotations d.

2 rotations b.

2 rotations c.

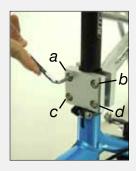
Repeat until tight.

- 8. Put the seatpost back into the seat tube.
- 9. Verify that the rack and the saddle are both in line with the top tube of your bicycle.













10. Check to make sure the rack is at the proper height:

We've said it all before and we'll say it again:

- The support tube should not be touching your tire.
- The rack should be positioned higher if you plan to install a rear fender or if you have a rear suspension bike.
- It should be positioned lower if you want to use a trunk bag.

**Warning:** For rear suspension bikes, ensure that the rack does not interfere with the wheel, the brake or the drivetrain when the suspension is at the end of its travel.

- 11. Remove the marking tape from your seatpost.
- 12. Add panniers and go for a ride!

