



**P/N 2112HKR & 2112-1HKR**  
**SUPER COMPETITION FULL LENGTH CAR HEADERS**  
**1955-57 Chevy Passenger, Wagons (265-400)**

**NOTE:** Will not fit convertible models. **NOTE:** Will fit with angle plug heads. **NOTE:** Will fit 605 gearbox.

**NOTE:** Designed for use with Danchuk style engine mount and rear transmission crossmember. Stock mid mount and ears on frame must be removed.

**NOTE:** Maximum ground clearance design for cars lowered up to 4 inches.

Thank you for choosing HOOKER HEADERS as your high-performance exhaust system. Extensive dyno/track testing has enabled HOOKER to offer the most advanced design in exhaust systems. The installation, while not complex, will take a certain amount of time. However, the additional horsepower and improved performance will more than justify your efforts. Proper installation and maintenance will ensure long life and maximum performance from your Hooker exhaust system.

**WARNING! Breaking in an engine with ceramic-coated headers WILL result in damage to the coating and will VOID all warranties. Ceramic-coated headers require several heat cycles to fully cure before they will withstand extreme heat. HOOKER recommends using a cast-iron exhaust manifold or an old header to break in new engines to avoid coating damage.**

**BEFORE STARTING**

Your vehicle must be raised a minimum of 36 inches. A floor hoist is ideal. If no hoist is available, we strongly urge the use of axle stands as a safety measure. **CAUTION! YOUR CAR SHOULD NOT BE SUPPORTED ON A BUMPER JACK.**

**INSTALLATION PROCEDURE – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

**LEFT SIDE:**

1. Disconnect battery to prevent damage to the electrical system.
2. Disconnect the headpipe from the exhaust manifold and push aside.
3. Remove the clutch linkage, spark plugs, dipstick tube, generator, and exhaust manifold.
4. Starting from below, work the header up through the chassis into position.
5. Place the gasket in position and start all bolts (most restricted first).
6. Tighten all bolts (most restricted first).
7. Replace the clutch linkage, dipstick tube, generator, and spark plugs.

**RIGHT SIDE:**

1. Disconnect the headpipe from the exhaust manifold and push aside.
2. Remove the stock exhaust manifold and spark plugs.
3. Unbolt the idler arm from the frame and push forward.
4. Starting from below, work the header up through the chassis into position.
5. Place the gasket in position and start all bolts (most restricted first).
6. Tighten all bolts (most restricted first).
7. Replace idler arm to the frame.
8. To connect the collectors to the headpipes, purchase Hooker Header reducer kit, P/N 11030HKR.

**NOTE: A dual exhaust system can be fabricated using Hooker Competition Turbo 21005HKR or 21106HKR and a universal tailpipe.**

9. Connect the battery, start the engine, and check for leaks. Be sure all brake lines, fuel lines, transmission cooler lines, and electrical wires have sufficient clearance. Reroute, as necessary.
10. When finished, give your vehicle a test drive, checking for any new noises. After several days of driving, retighten all bolts.

**Any questions? Please contact Technical Service: 1-866-464-6553 or 270-781-9741. For online help, please refer to the website: [www.holley.com](http://www.holley.com).**

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