SAFETY COMPLIANCE TESTING FOR
FMVSS NO. 225
CHILD RESTRAINT ANCHORAGE SYSTEMS
LOWER AND TETHER ANCHORAGES

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2009 CADILLAC CTS, PASSENGER CAR
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PURPOSE OF COMPLIANCE TEST

1.0 PURPOSE OF COMPLIANCE TEST

A 2009 Cadillac CTS Passenger Car was subjected to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 225 testing to determine if the vehicle was in compliance with the requirements of the standard. The purpose of this standard is to establish requirements for child restraint anchorage systems to ensure their proper location and strength for the effective securing of child restraints, to reduce the likelihood of the anchorage systems’ failure and to increase the likelihood that child restraints are properly secured and thus more fully achieve their potential effectiveness in motor vehicles.

1.1 The test vehicle was a 2009 Cadillac CTS Passenger Car. Nomenclature applicable to the test vehicle are:

A. **Vehicle Identification Number:** 1G6DG577790130497

B. **NHTSA No.:** C90101

C. **Manufacturer:** GENERAL MOTORS CORP.

D. **Manufacture Date:** 08/08

1.2 TEST DATE

The test vehicle was subjected to FMVSS No. 225 testing during the time period August 20-21, 2009.
SECTION 2

COMPLIANCE TEST RESULTS

2.0  TEST RESULTS

All tests were conducted in accordance with NHTSA, Office of Vehicle Safety Compliance (OVSC) Laboratory Procedures, TP-225-01 dated 11 April 2005.

Based on the test performed, the 2009 Cadillac CTS Passenger Car appears to meet the requirements of FMVSS 225 testing.
3.0 TEST DATA

The following data sheets document the results of testing on the 2009 Cadillac CTS Passenger Car.
A. VISUAL INSPECTION OF TEST VEHICLE

Upon receipt for completeness, function, and discrepancies or damage which might influence the testing.

RESULTS: OK FOR TEST

B. REQUIREMENTS FOR CHILD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS AND TETHER ANCHORAGES

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DATA SHEET 2
REQUIREMENTS FOR CHILD RESTRAINT ANCHORAGE SYSTEMS
AND TETHER ANCHORAGES

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VEH. NHTSA NO: C90101; VIN: 1G6DG577790130497
VEH. BUILD DATE: 08/08; TEST DATE: AUGUST 20, 2009
TEST LABORATORY: GENERAL TESTING LABORATORIES
OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE

Number of rows of seats: 2
Number of rear, forward-facing designated seating positions: 3
Number of required CRAS (lower anchorages only, for convertibles/school buses): 2
Number of required tether anchorages (can be additional CRAS): 3
Is the vehicle a convertible? NO
Is the vehicle a school bus? NO

Does the vehicle have a CRAS (lower anchorage only, for convertibles/school buses) installed at a front passenger seating position? NO
If NO, skip to next question.
If YES, does the vehicle have rear designated seating positions? 
If NO, does the vehicle have an air bag on-off switch or a special exemption for no passenger air bag?
   If NO = FAIL  If YES = PASS
If Yes, does the vehicle meet the requirements of S4.5.4.1(b) of S208 and have an air bag on-off switch or a special exemption for no passenger air bag?
   Record the distance between the front and rear seat back: 
If Distance < 720 mm and vehicle has an air bag on-off switch or special exemption = PASS
If Distance ≥ 720 mm or no air bag on-off switch or no special exemption = FAIL

Does the vehicle have rear designated seating position(s) where the lower bars of a CRAS are prevented from being located because of transmission and/or suspension component interference? NO
If NO, skip to next question.
If YES, does the vehicle have a tether anchorage at a front passenger seating position?
   YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S5(e))

Number of provided CRAS (lower anchorage only, for convertibles/school buses), indicate if a built-in child restraint is counted as a CRAS: 2

Is the number of provided CRAS (lower anchorages only, for convertible/school buses) greater than or equal to the number of required CRAS (lower anchorages only, for convertibles/school buses)? YES
   YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S4.4(a) or (b) or (c))
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If the vehicle has 3 or more rows of seats is a CRAS (lower anchorage only for convertibles/school buses) provided in the second row:  N/A

YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S4.4(a)(1))

Number of provided tether anchorages (can be additional CRAS) indicate if a built-in child restraint is counted as tether anchorage (NOTE: a built-in child restraint can only be counted toward either the required number of CRAS or tether anchorages, not both):  3

Is the number of provided tether anchorages greater than or equal to the number of required tether anchorages?  YES

YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S4.4 (a) or (b) or (c))

If the vehicle has 3 or more rear dsp and a non-outboard dsp, is a tether anchorage or CRAS provided at a non-outboard dsp?  YES

YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S4.4 (a)(2))

Are all tether and lower anchorages available for use at all times when the seat is configured for passenger use?  YES

YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S4.6 (b))

Provide a diagram showing the location of lower anchorages and/or tether anchorages.

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X = Top Tether
* = Lower Anchors

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DATA SHEET 3
LOCATION OF TETHER ANCHORAGES

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DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT, RIGHT AND CENTER POSITIONS

Detailed description of the location of the tether anchorage:
LOCATED ON HAT SHELF BEHIND SEAT BACK.

Based on visual inspection, is the tether anchorage within the shaded zone? YES
If YES = PASS, skip to next section
If NO, After constructing the shaded zone, is the tether anchorage within the shaded zone?

If YES = PASS, skip to next section
If NO, Is it possible to locate a tether anchorage within the shaded zone without removing a seating component?
If YES = FAIL (S6.2.1)
If NO, Is a tether routing device provided?
If YES = PASS
If NO = FAIL (S6.2.1.2)

Is the tether anchorage recessed? YES
If NO, skip to next question
If YES, is it outside of the tether strap wraparound area? YES
YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S6.2.1)

Does the tether anchorage permit attachment of a tether hook? YES
YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S6.1(a))

Is the tether anchorage accessible without the need for any tools other than a screwdriver or coin? YES
YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S6.1(b))

After the tether anchorage is accessed, is it ready for use without the need for tools? YES
YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S6.1(c))

Is the tether anchorage sealed to prevent the entry of exhaust fumes into the passenger compartment? YES
YES = PASS  NO = FAIL (S6.1(d))

If the DSP has a tether routing device, is it flexible or rigid? N/A
DATA SHEET 3 CONTINUED

DESEIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT, RIGHT AND CENTER POSITIONS

If the DSP has a flexible tether routing device, after installing SFAD2 record the tether strap tension: N/A (Must be 60 N ± 5 N)

If the DSP has a flexible tether routing device, record the horizontal distance between the torso reference plane and the routing device: N/A
   Greater than or equal to 65mm = PASS Less than 65mm = FAIL

If the DSP has a rigid tether routing device, record the horizontal distance between the torso reference plane and the routing device: N/A
   Greater than or equal to 100mm = PASS Less than 100mm = FAIL

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DATA SHEET 4
LOWER ANCHORAGE DIMENSIONS

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DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT SIDE (DSP A)

Outboard Lower Anchorage bar diameter: 5.97 mm
6mm ± 0.1 mm = PASS Other size = FAIL (S9.1.1(a))

Inboard Lower Anchorage bar diameter: 5.97 mm
6mm ± 0.1mm = PASS Other size = FAIL (S9.1.1(a))

Are the bars straight, horizontal and transverse? YES
YES = PASS NO = FAIL

Length of the straight portion of the bar (outboard lower anchorage): 30 mm
Length ≥25mm = PASS Length <25mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (i))

Length of the straight portion of the bar (inboard lower anchorage): 30 mm
Length ≥25mm = PASS Length <25mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (i))

Length between the anchor bar supports (outboard lower anchorage): 38 mm
Length ≤60mm = PASS Length >60mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (ii))

Length between the anchor bar supports (inboard lower anchorage): 40 mm
Length ≤60mm = PASS Length >60mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (ii))

CRF Pitch angle: 8.0°
Angle = 15°±10° = PASS Angle≠15°±10° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

CRF Roll angle: 0.1°
Angle = 0°±5° = PASS Angle≠0°±5° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

CRF Yaw angle: 0.0°
Angle = 0°±10° = PASS Angle≠0°±10° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

Distance between point Z on the CRF and the front surface of outboard anchor bar: 48 mm
Distance ≤70mm = PASS Distance > 70mm = FAIL

Distance between point Z on the CRF and the front surface of inboard anchor bar: 41 mm
Distance ≤70mm = PASS Distance > 70mm = FAIL
DATA SHEET 4 CONTINUED

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT SIDE (DSP A)

Distance between SgRP and the front surface of outboard anchor bar: 165 mm
Distance \( \geq \) 120 mm = PASS  Distance < 120 mm = FAIL

Distance between SgRP and the front surface of inboard anchor bar: 165 mm
Distance \( \geq \) 120 mm = PASS  Distance < 120 mm = FAIL

Based on visual observation, would a 100 N load cause the anchor bar to deform more than 5 mm?

_____ NO

If NO = PASS
If YES = FAIL (S9.1.1(g)), Provide further description of the attachment of the anchor bar:

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OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 RIGHT SIDE (DSP C)

Outboard Lower Anchorage bar diameter: 5.97 mm
6mm ± 0.1 mm = PASS Other size = FAIL (S9.1.1(a))

Inboard Lower Anchorage bar diameter: 5.97 mm
6mm ± 0.1mm = PASS Other size = FAIL (S9.1.1(a))

Are the bars straight, horizontal and transverse? YES
YES = PASS NO = FAIL

Length of the straight portion of the bar (outboard lower anchorage): 30 mm
Length ≥25mm = PASS Length <25mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (i))

Length of the straight portion of the bar (inboard lower anchorage): 30 mm
Length ≥25mm = PASS Length <25mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (i))

Length between the anchor bar supports (outboard lower anchorage): 40 mm
Length ≤60mm = PASS Length >60mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (ii))

Length between the anchor bar supports (inboard lower anchorage): 40 mm
Length ≤60mm = PASS Length >60mm = FAIL(S9.1.1(c) (ii))

CRF Pitch angle: 9.5°
Angle = 15°±10° = PASS Angle≠15°±10° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

CRF Roll angle: 0.0°
Angle = 0°±5° = PASS Angle≠0°±5° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

CRF Yaw angle: 0.0°
Angle = 0°±10° = PASS Angle≠0°±10° = FAIL (S9.2.1)

Distance between point Z on the CRF and the front surface of outboard anchor bar: 50 mm
Distance ≤70mm = PASS Distance > 70mm = FAIL

Distance between point Z on the CRF and the front surface of inboard anchor bar: 44 mm
Distance ≤70mm = PASS Distance > 70mm = FAIL
DATA SHEET 4A CONTINUED

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 RIGHT SIDE (DSP C)

Distance between SgRP and the front surface of outboard anchor bar: 165 mm
Distance ≥ 120mm = PASS Distance < 120mm = FAIL

Distance between SgRP and the front surface of inboard anchor bar: 165 mm
Distance ≥ 120mm = PASS Distance < 120mm = FAIL

Based on visual observation, would a 100 N load cause the anchor bar to deform more than 5 mm?

NO

If NO = PASS
If YES = FAIL (S9.1.1(g)), Provide further description of the attachment of the anchor bar:

COMMENTS:

RECORDED BY: G. Farrand DATE: 08/20/09

APPROVED BY: D. Messick
DATA SHEET 5
CONSPICUITY AND MARKING OF LOWER ANCHORAGES

VEH. MOD YR/MAKE/MODEL/BODY: 2009 CADILLAC CTS PASSENGER CAR
VEH. NHTSA NO: C90101; VIN: 1G6DG577790130497
VEH. BUILD DATE: 08/08; TEST DATE: AUGUST 20, 2009
TEST LABORATORY: GENERAL TESTING LABORATORIES
OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT AND RIGHT SIDE (DSP A AND C)

MARKING (Circles)

Diameter of the circle: 15.0 mm
Diameter ≥13mm = PASS Diameter <13mm = FAIL (S9.5(a)(1))

Does the circle have words, symbols or pictograms? PICTOGRAM
NO skip to next question
YES, are the meaning of the words, symbols or pictograms explained in the owner’s manual?
YES = PASS NO = FAIL (S9.5(a)(2))

Where is the circle located? Seat back or seat Cushion: Seat Back

For circles on seat backs, vertical distance from the center of the circle to the center of the anchor bar: 81 mm
Distance between 50&100mm = PASS Other Distance=FAIL (S9.5(a)(3))

For circles on seat cushions, horizontal distance from the center of the circle to the center of the bar: N/A
Distance between 75&125mm= PASS Other Distance=FAIL (S9.5(a)(3))

Lateral distance from the center of the circle to the center of the anchor bar: 10 mm
Distance≤25mm = PASS Distance >25mm = FAIL (S9.5(a)(3))

CONSPICUITY (No Circles)

Is the anchor bar or guide visible when viewed from a point 30° above the horizontal in a vertical longitudinal plane bisecting the anchor bar or guide? N/A
YES = PASS NO = FAIL (S9.5(b))

If there is a guide, is it permanently attached? N/A
YES = PASS NO = FAIL (S9.5(b))
DATA SHEET 5 CONTINUED

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: __ROW 2 LEFT SIDE AND RIGHT SIDE (DSP A & C)

Is there a cap or cover over the anchor bar? __ N/A ______

If YES, is the cap or cover marked with words, symbols or pictograms? ________

If NO = FAIL (S9.5(b))

If YES, is the meaning of the words, symbols or pictograms explained in the owner’s manual?

YES = PASS NO = FAIL (S9.5(b))

If NO, there are no requirements for having a cover.

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APPROVED BY: D. Messick
DATA SHEET 6
STRENGTH OF TETHER ANCHORAGES

VEH. MOD YR/MAKE/MODEL/BODY: 2009 CADILLAC CTS PASSENGER CAR
VEH. NHTSA NO: C90101; VIN: 1G6DG57790130497
VEH. BUILD DATE: 08/08; TEST DATE: AUGUST 20, 2009
TEST LABORATORY: GENERAL TESTING LABORATORIES
OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE
TEST NO: 6292

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 LEFT SIDE (DSP A)
SFAD: 2

Seat Back Angle: 26º

Location of seat back angle measurement: 2D Template

Head Restraint Position: FIXED

D-ring Position: N/A

Force at Point X (lower front crossmember for SFAD2) while securing belts and tether: 135 N

Lap belt tension: N/A (SFAD 1 only)

Tether strap tension: 60 N

Angle (measured above the horizontal at 500 N): 10º

Separation of tether anchorage at 500 N: NO

NO = PASS YES = FAIL (S6.3.1)

Force application rate: 577 N/S

Time to reach maximum force (24-30 s): 26 sec.

Maximum force (14,950 N ± 50 N): 14,941 N

Tested simultaneously with another DSP? NO

COMMENTS:

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DATA SHEET 6A
STRENGTH OF TETHER ANCHORAGES

VEH. MOD YR/MAKE/MODEL/BODY: 2009 CADILLAC CTS PASSENGER CAR
VEH. NHTSA NO: C90101; VIN: 1G6DG57790130497
VEH. BUILD DATE: 08/08; TEST DATE: AUGUST 20, 2009
TEST LABORATORY: GENERAL TESTING LABORATORIES
OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE
TEST NO: 6293

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: ROW 2 CENTER (DSP B)

SFAD: 1
Seat Back Angle: 26º

Location of seat back angle measurement: 2D Template

Head Restraint Position: N/A
D-ring Position: N/A

Force at Point X (lower front crossmember for SFAD2) while securing belts and tether: 135N
Lap belt tension: 55 N (SFAD 1 only)
Tether strap tension: 55 N

Angle (measured above the horizontal at 500 N): 10º

Separation of tether anchorage at 500 N: NO
NO = PASS YES = FAIL (S6.3.1)

Force application rate: 577 N/S

Time to reach maximum force (24-30 s): 26 sec.

Maximum force (14,950 N ± 50 N): 14,932 N
Tested simultaneously with another DSP? NO

COMMENTS:

RECORDED BY: G. FARRAND DATE: 08/20/09
APPROVED BY: D. MESSICK
DATA SHEET 7
STRENGTH OF LOWER ANCHORAGES (Forward Force)

VEH. MOD YR/MAKE/MODEL/BODY: 2009 CADILLAC CTS PASSENGER CAR

VEH. NHTSA NO: C90101; VIN: 1G6DG577790130497

VEH. BUILD DATE: 08/08; TEST DATE: AUGUST 20, 2009

TEST LABORATORY: GENERAL TESTING LABORATORIES

OBSERVERS: GRANT FARRAND, JIMMY LATANE

TEST NO: 6291

DESIGNATED SEATING POSITION: __ROW 2 RIGHT SIDE (DSP C)

Seat Back Angle: __26°__

Location of seat back angle measurement: __2D Template__

Head Restraint Position: _FIXED_

Force at lower front crossmember for SFAD2 while tightening rearward extensions: __135 N__

Angle (measured above the horizontal at 500 N): __10°__

Force application rate: __423 N/S__

Time to reach maximum force (24-30 s): __26 sec._

Maximum force (10,950 N ± 50 N): __10,950 N__

Displacement, H1 (at 500N): __0__

Displacement, H2 (at maximum load): __54.8 mm__

Displacement of Point X: __54.8 mm__ (H2-H1)

Displacement > 175 mm = FAIL (S9.4.1(a))

Tested simultaneously with another DSP? _NO_

Distance between adjacent DSP’s: __360 mm__

COMMENTS:

RECORDED BY: __G. FARRAND__ DATE: __08/20/09__

APPROVED BY: __D. MESSICK__
DESCRIPTION OF WHICH DSP’S ARE EQUIPPED WITH TETHER ANCHORAGE AND CHILD RESTRAINT ANCHORAGE SYSTEMS: YES

PASS X FAIL

STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR PROPERLY ATTACHING A CHILD RESTRAINT SYSTEM’S TETHER STRAP TO THE TETHER ANCHORAGE. DIAGRAMS ARE REQUIRED: YES

PASS X FAIL

DESCRIPTION OF HOW TO PROPERLY USE THE TETHER ANCHORAGE AND LOWER ANCHOR BARS: YES

PASS X FAIL

IF THE LOWER ANCHOR BARS ARE MARKED WITH A CIRCLE, AN EXPLANATION OF WHAT THE CIRCLE INDICATES AS WELL AS ANY WORDS OR PICTOGRAMS: YES

PASS X FAIL

COMMENTS:

RECORDED BY: G. Farrand DATE: 08/20/09

APPROVED BY: D. Messick
### SECTION 4

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SECTION 5
PHOTOGRAPHS
2009 CADILLAC CTS
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FIGURE 5.1
LEFT SIDE VIEW OF VEHICLE
2009 CADILLAC CTS
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FIGURE 5.2
RIGHT SIDE VIEW OF VEHICLE
FIGURE 5.3
¼ FRONTAL VIEW FROM LEFT SIDE OF VEHICLE
THIS VEHICLE CONFORMS TO ALL APPLICABLE U.S. FEDERAL MOTOR
VEHICLE SAFETY, BUMPER, AND THEFT PREVENTION STANDARDS IN
EFFECT ON THE DATE OF MANUFACTURE SHOWN ABOVE.

FIGURE 5.5
CLOSE-UP VIEW OF VEHICLE CERTIFICATION LABEL
### TIRE AND LOADING INFORMATION

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The combined weight of occupants and cargo should never exceed 404 kg or 891 lbs.

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**FIGURE 5.6**
CLOSE-UP VIEW OF VEHICLE TIRE INFORMATION LABEL
2009 CADILLAC CTS
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FIGURE 5.8
MEASUREMENT OF LOWER ANCHOR SYMBOL
2009 CADILLAC CTS
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FMVSS NO. 225

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ROW 2, RIGHT SIDE WITH 2-D TEMPLATE
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ROW 2, RIGHT SIDE, TOP TETHER ROUTING
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FIGURE 5.31
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ROW 2, LEFT SIDE, OUTBOARD SRP MEASUREMENT
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ROW 2, LEFT SIDE INBOARD SRP MEASUREMENT
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ROW 2, RIGHT SIDE, OUTBOARD SRP MEASUREMENT
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FIGURE 5.36
¾ LEFT FRONT VIEW OF VEHICLE IN TEST FIXTURE
2009 CADILLAC CTS
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FIGURE 5.37
¾ RIGHT FRONT VIEW OF VEHICLE IN TEST RIG
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FIGURE 5.39
POST TEST ROW 2, LEFT SIDE WITH SFAD 2
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FIGURE 5.40
PRE-TEST ROW 2, RIGHT SIDE WITH SFAD 2
Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children (LATCH)

The LATCH system holds a child restraint during driving or in a crash. This system is designed to make installation of a child restraint easier. The LATCH system uses anchors in the vehicle and attachments on the child restraint that are made for use with the LATCH system.

Make sure that a LATCH-compatible child restraint is properly installed using the anchors, or use the vehicle's safety belts to secure the restraint, following the instructions that came with that restraint, and also the instructions in this manual. When installing a child restraint with a top tether, you must also use either the lower anchors or the safety belts to properly secure the child restraint. A child restraint must never be installed using only the top tether and anchor.

In order to use the LATCH system in your vehicle, you need a child restraint that has LATCH attachments. The child restraint manufacturer will provide you with instructions on how to use the child restraint and its attachments. The following explains how to attach a child restraint with these attachments in your vehicle.

Not all vehicle seating positions or child restraints have lower anchors and attachments or top tether anchors and attachments.

**Lower Anchors**

Lower anchors (A) are metal bars built into the vehicle. There are two lower anchors for each LATCH seating position that will accommodate a child restraint with lower attachments (B).

**Top Tether Anchor**

A top tether (A, C) anchors the top of the child restraint to the vehicle. A top tether anchor is built into the vehicle. The top tether attachment (B) on the child restraint connects to the top tether anchor in the vehicle in order to reduce the forward movement and rotation of the child restraint during driving or in a crash.

Your child restraint may have a single tether (A) or a dual tether (C). Either will have a single attachment (B) to secure the top tether to the anchor.
Some child restraints with top tethers are designed for use with or without the top tether being attached. Others require the top tether always to be attached. In Canada, the law requires that forward-facing child restraints have a top tether, and that the tether be attached. Be sure to read and follow the instructions for your child restraint.

If the child restraint does not have a top tether, one can be obtained, in kit form, for many child restraints. Ask the child restraint manufacturer whether or not a kit is available.

### Lower Anchor and Top Tether Anchor Locations

- **(Top Tether Anchor):** Seating positions with top tether anchors.
- **(Lower Anchor):** Seating positions with two lower anchors.

Rear Seat

The top tether anchors are located under the covers on the rear seatback filler panel. Be sure to use an anchor located on the same side of the vehicle as the seating position where the child restraint will be placed.

Accident statistics show that children are safer if they are restrained in the rear rather than the front seat. See Where to Put the Restraint on page 1-44 for additional information.

### Securing a Child Restraint Designed for the LATCH System

**CAUTION:**

If a LATCH-type child restraint is not attached to anchors, the child restraint will not be able to protect the child correctly. In a crash, the child could be seriously injured or killed. Install a LATCH-type child restraint properly using the anchors, or use the vehicle's safety belts to secure the restraint, following the instructions that came with the child restraint and the instructions in this manual.
**CAUTION:**

Do not attach more than one child restraint to a single anchor. Attaching more than one child restraint to a single anchor could cause the anchor or attachment to come loose or even break during a crash. A child or others could be injured. To reduce the risk of serious or fatal injuries during a crash, attach only one child restraint per anchor.

**CAUTION:**

Children can be seriously injured or strangled if a shoulder belt is wrapped around their neck and the safety belt continues to tighten. Buckle any unused safety belts behind the child restraint so children cannot reach them. Pull the shoulder belt all the way out of the retractor to set the lock, if your vehicle has one, after the child restraint has been installed.

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**Notice:** Do not let the LATCH attachments rub against the vehicle's safety belts. This may damage these parts. If necessary, move buckled safety belts to avoid rubbing the LATCH attachments.

Do not fold the empty rear seat with a safety belt buckled. This could damage the safety belt or the seat. Unbuckle and return the safety belt to its stowed position.

1. Attach and tighten the lower attachments to the lower anchors. If the child restraint does not have lower attachments or the desired seating position does not have lower anchors, secure the child restraint with the top tether and the safety belts. Refer to your child restraint manufacturer instructions and the instructions in this manual:
   1.1. Find the lower anchors for the desired seating position.
   1.2. Pull the child restraint on the seat.
   1.3. Attach and tighten the lower attachments on the child restraint to the lower anchors.

2. If the child restraint manufacturer recommends that the top tether be attached, attach and tighten the top tether to the top tether anchor, if equipped. Refer to the child restraint instructions and the following steps:
   2.1. Find the top tether anchor.
   2.2. Press the ribbed area of the cover to open the cover and expose the anchor.
   2.3. If you have an adjustable head restraint, raise the head restraint.
   2.4. Route, attach and tighten the top tether according to your child restraint instructions and the following instructions:

   **If the position you are using does not have a head restraint and you are using a single tether, route the tether over the seatback.**

   **If the position you are using has a fixed head restraint and you are using a dual tether, route the tether around the head restraint.**
If the position you are using has a fixed head restraint and you are using a single tether, route the tether over the head restraint.

3. Push and pull the child restraint in different directions to be sure it is secure.

Securing a Child Restraint in a Rear Seat Position

When securing a child restraint in a rear seating position, study the instructions that come with the child restraint to make sure it is compatible with this vehicle.

If the child restraint has the LATCH system, see Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children (LATCH) on page 1-45 for how and where to install the child restraint using LATCH. If a child restraint is secured in the vehicle using a safety belt and it uses a top tether, see Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children (LATCH) on page 1-45 for top tether anchor locations.

Do not secure a child seat in a position without a top tether anchor if a national or local law requires that the top tether be anchored, or if the instructions that come with the child restraint say that the top strap must be anchored.

In Canada, the law requires that forward-facing child restraints have a top tether, and that the tether be attached.

If the child restraint does not have the LATCH system, you will be using the safety belt to secure the child restraint in this position. Be sure to follow the instructions that came with the child restraint.

Secure the child in the child restraint when and as the instructions say.

If more than one child restraint needs to be installed in the rear seat, be sure to read Where to Put the Restraint on page 1-44.

1. Put the child restraint on the seat.
2. Pick up the latch plate, and run the lap and shoulder portions of the vehicle's safety belt through or around the restraint. The child restraint instructions will show you how.

3. Push the latch plate into the buckle until it clicks. Position the release button on the buckle so that the safety belt could be quickly unbuckled if necessary.

4. Pull the rest of the shoulder belt all the way out of the retractor to set the lock.
5. To tighten the belt, push down on the child restraint, pull the shoulder portion of the belt to tighten the lap portion of the belt and feed the shoulder belt back into the retractor. When installing a forward-facing child restraint, it may be helpful to use your knee to push down on the child restraint as you tighten the belt.

6. If the child restraint has a top tether, follow the child restraint manufacturer’s instructions regarding the use of the top tether. See Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children (LATCH) on page 1-45 for more information.

7. Push and pull the child restraint in different directions to be sure it is secure.

To remove the child restraint, unbuckle the vehicle safety belt and let it return to the stowed position. If the top tether is attached to a top tether anchor, disconnect it.
APPENDIX B

MANUFACTURER’S DATA
SEAT REFERENCE POINT (SRP) AND TORSO ANGLE DATA
FMVSS No. 225
(All dimensions in mm)


SEAT STYLE:  FRONT ROW:  40/40  /  SECOND ROW:  60/40  /  THIRD ROW:  N/A

Use Center of Adjuster Anchorage

LEFT SIDE VIEW OF TEST VEHICLE
Table 1. Seating Positions\(^1\) and Torso Angles

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Note: All dimensions are in mm. If not, provide the unit used.
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Note: Use the center of anchorage.
TETHER ANCHORAGE LOCATIONS
FMVSS No. 225
(All dimensions in mm)


SEAT STYLE: FRONT ROW: _40/40_ / SECOND ROW: _60/40_ / THIRD ROW: _N/A_ 

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Note: The location shall be measured at the center of anchorage.

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Table 3. Seating Reference Point and Tether Anchorage Locations

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Note: Use the center of anchorage.

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NOMINAL DESIGN RIDING POSITION

For adjustable driver, passenger, 2"nd row and 3"rd row seat backs, describe how to position the inclinometer to measure the seat back angle. Include a description of the location of the seat back adjustment latch detent if applicable. Indicate if applicable, how the detents are numbered (is the first detent "0" or "1"?). Indicate if the seat back angle is measured with the dummy in the seat.

Seat back angle for driver’s seat = ____24____ degrees.

Measurement Instructions:

Inclinometer is placed on the headrest rod to measure the seat back angle. 24 degrees of the seat back angle translates to 8.0 deg at the headrest rod.

Seat back angle for passenger’s seat = ____24____ degrees.

Measurement Instructions:

Inclinometer is placed on the headrest rod to measure the seat back angle. 24 degrees of the seat back angle translates to 8.0 deg at the headrest rod.

Seat back angle for 2"nd row seat = ____26____ degrees.

Measurement Instructions:

No program specific measurement requirements.

Seat back angle for 3"rd row seat = ____N/A____ degrees.

Measurement Instructions:

No program specific measurement requirements.
TETHER ANCHORAGE LOCATIONS - VERTICAL
FMVSS No. 225
(All dimensions in mm)

MODEL YEAR: _2009_/ MAKE: _CADILLAC_/ MODEL: _CTS_/ BODY STYLE: _SEDAN__________

SEAT STYLE: FRONT ROW: _40/40_/ SECOND ROW: _60/40_/ THIRD ROW: _N/A_________

LEFT SIDE VIEW OF TEST VEHICLE

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Table 4. Vertical Dimension For The Tether Anchorage

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<td>N3 (Right)</td>
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Note: All dimensions are in mm. If not, provide the unit anchorage.

For each vehicle, provide the following information:

1. How many designated seating positions exist in the vehicle?
   Total 5. There are two (2) designated seating position for front row seat and three (3) for the second row seat.

2. How many designated seating positions are equipped with lower anchorages and tether anchorages? Specify which position(s).
   2- LH and RH second row (not center). The left and right seating positions of the second row seat are equipped with lower anchorages.

3. How many designated seating positions are equipped with tether anchorages? Specify which positions(s)
   The left, center and right seating positions of the second row seat are equipped with tether anchorages.

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4. Lower Anchorages Marking and Conspicuity: Whether the anchorages are certified to S9.5(a) or S9.5(b) of FMVSS No. 225, Certified to S9.5(a)

Driver's Seat Anchorage Point Clarification
(Due to 2-slot latch design at driver's forward outboard attachment to body)

(X,Y,Z) Coordinates of the "Driver's Seat Front-Outboard Seat Adjuster Anchorage" provided by GM on 11/1/08

CARS
FRONT
APPENDIX C
PLOTS
GTL 6293, NHTSA C90101

225, Child Restraint, Top Tether.

(Thousands)
Force in Newtons