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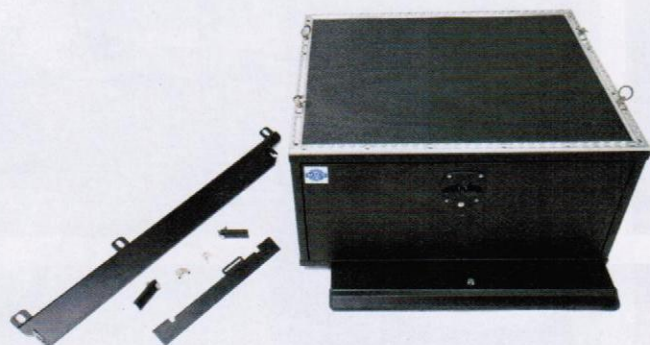
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## NOT-SO-LITTLE BLACK BOX

Haul and store more cargo safely and securely with Mac's Black Box, available for 2007-and-newer Jeep Wrangler JKs. This lightweight, powdercoated aluminum unit has a lockable drawer, integral locking floor cover, modular interior space compartments, and tie-down track. It features an exclusive pivot mount that allows you to swing the entire unit up and forward to access the factory storage areas below. The Black Box uses the rear seat bolt holes for mounting with no drilling. \$950. Mac's Custom Tie-Downs; 800/666-1586.

[www.macstiedowns.com](http://www.macstiedowns.com)

## STEP WIDE

Go Rhino! goes wide with its new 6-inch OE Xtreme Stainless Oval Sidebars. The polished bars come standard in 80- and 87-inch lengths and have extra-wide nonskid step pads for easy entry and exit. Custom-fit brackets require no drilling on most models and fit a variety of trucks and SUVs.

\$608. Go Rhino! Products; 888/427-4466

[www.gorhino.com](http://www.gorhino.com)



## DIFF APPEAL

The Proform/Specialty Auto Parts' Perfect Launch differential cover is made of reinforced lightweight aluminum and designed to strengthen the rear housing case in heavy torque situations. This product is currently available for GM 10-bolt, GM 12-bolt, and Ford 8.8-inch applications. All covers have a black-painted finish with milled logo. Each cover includes two bolts to stabilize bearing main caps, two magnetic drain plugs, and cover-mounting bolts. \$142. Proform/Specialty Auto Parts, USA, Inc.; 586/774-2500.

[www.proformparts.com](http://www.proformparts.com)



## SUPERFILTERS

The new Pro Guard D2 Performance fuel-filter kits help improve fuel filtration and flow to 2008-2010 Ford Super Duty 6.4-liter V-8s. The filters are made from NF21 synthetic materials that reduce flow restriction, utilize 99-percent filter efficiency, and weigh 2 pounds. The Pro Guard D2 fuel-filter kit includes both chassis mount and engine mount filters. \$50-\$62. Advanced Flow Engineering; 951/493-7155.

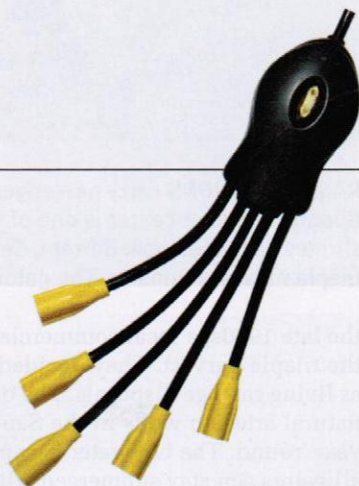
[www.afepower.com](http://www.afepower.com)



## OFF THE RACK

A.R.E. makes this rack for use on short- and longbed trucks. It is made from 100 percent aluminum, with a rear roller crossbar. These racks are designed for use for commercial vehicles. The no-drill AluRack attaches to factory tracks and also works with most aftermarket tracks. There are QuikClamp attachments to safely secure ladders, and there's also an optional locking ladder. Prices start at \$699. A.R.E.; 330/830-7800.

[www.4are.com](http://www.4are.com)



## GET LINKED

Clean up the look of your garage or office by eliminating overcrowded powerstrips or unuseable outlets with the PowerSquid Outlet Multiplier. Its tentacle design converts one grounded wall outlet to five grounded adapter-compatible outlets that provide greater flexibility. PowerSquid comes in a variety of models, ranging from basic outlet multipliers to advanced surge protectors. \$10-\$80. Flexity LLC; 614/291-9470

[www.powersquid.com](http://www.powersquid.com)