

SECTION 16 CARPETS

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CARPETS—CJ MODELS

FRONT FLOOR MINI CARPET

Installation

- (1) Clean vehicle floor before installing carpet.
- (2) Position carpet on front floor and locate carpet to conform to floor contours and equidistant from right and left body panels.
- (3) Clean and dry mating surfaces for adhesive tape application.
- (4) Remove paper from adhesive-backed strips and press to vehicle floorpan.

FRONT AND REAR FLOOR CARPETS

Installation

- (1) Clean vehicle floor before installing carpet.
- (2) Position left and right front carpet panels in vehicle as shown in figure 16-1.

NOTE: Be sure carpet panels are installed against outside body panels and slits in carpet panel edges are over metal body flanges.

- (3) Drill 1/8-inch holes in floorpan at required locations for installation of snap studs.
- (4) Install snap studs into floorpan holes.
- (5) Engage carpet snaps on snap studs.
- (6) Position front floor carpet panel(s) in vehicle.
- (7) Remove paper from adhesive-backed hook strips and press to floorpan to mate with loop strips on undersides of carpet panel(s).
- (8) Remove additional material from left side of front floor carpet panel to accommodate larger jack retaining bracket, if required.

NOTE: Do not install snap studs for the front floor carpet panel(s) at this time.

- (9) Cut holes or slits in transmission carpet panel as required to fit vehicle. Carpet has been perforated where slits or cutouts are required.
- (10) Position carpet over lever(s).
- (11) Attach right front corner snap to snap stud on top of left front corner of carpet panel.
- (12) Snap transmission carpet panel to snaps in front floor carpet panel.
- (13) Drill 1/8-inch holes in floorpan at required locations for installation of snap studs.
- (14) Install snap studs into floorpan holes.
- (15) Engage carpet snaps on snap studs.
- (16) Remove paper from adhesive-backed hook strips and press to floorpan to mate with loop strips on underside of transmission carpet panel.

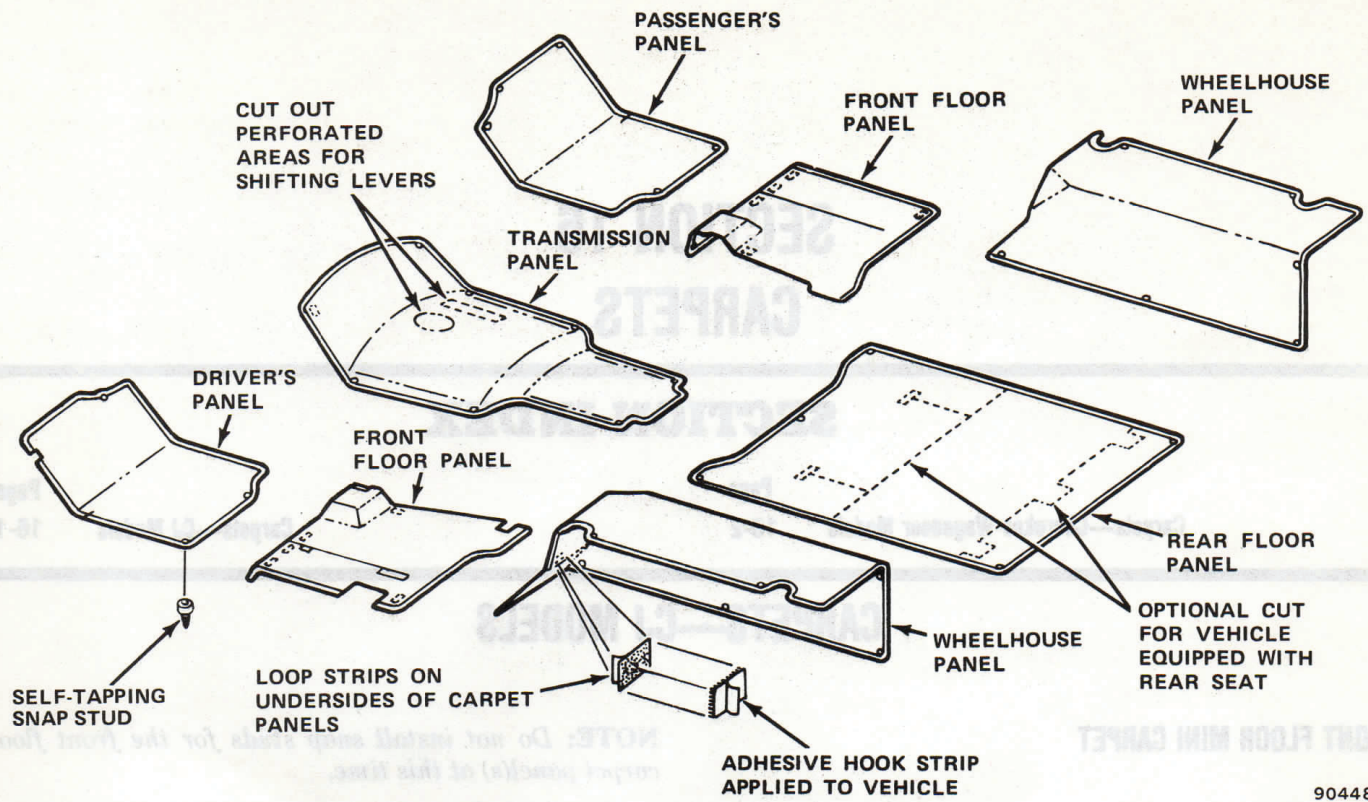
NOTE: A solid rear floor carpet panel is provided for vehicles without rear seats. The carpet may be installed by removing the rear seat or by cutting along lines on back side of carpet and installing front and rear pieces.

- (17) Position rear floor carpet panel in vehicle. Align front edge of panel with edge of step in floor panel. Center panel between wheelhouses.
- (18) Drill 1/8-inch holes in floorpan at required locations for installation of snap studs.
- (19) Install snap studs into floorpan holes.
- (20) Engage carpet snaps on snap studs.

WHEELHOUSE CARPETS

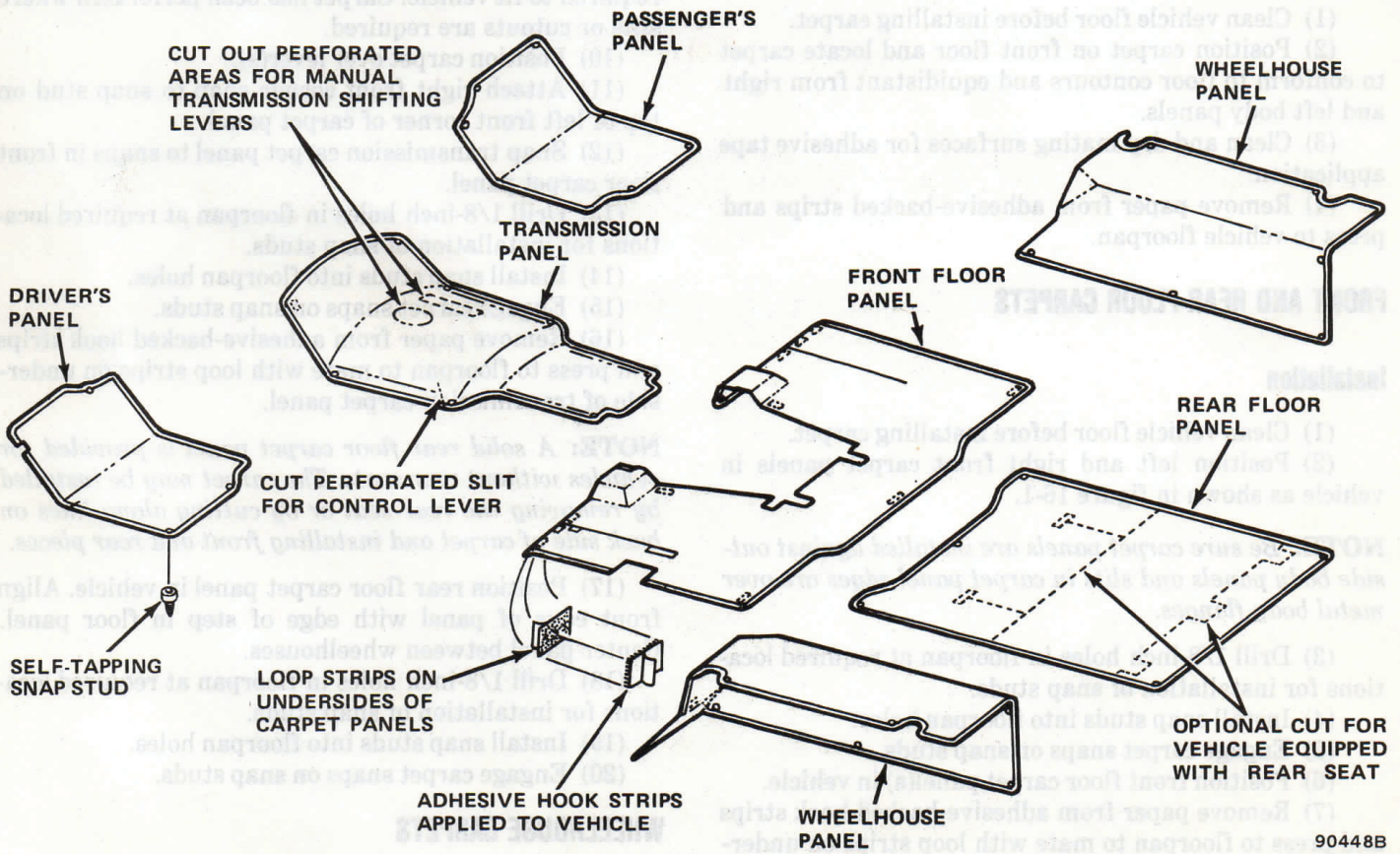
Installation

- (1) Clean vehicle wheelhouses before installing carpet.



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Fig. 16-1 Carpet Installation—CJ Models

- (2) Position left and right wheelhouse carpet panels in vehicle as shown in figure 16-1.
- (3) Drill 1/8-inch holes in wheelhouse at required locations for installation of snap studs.
- (4) Install snap studs into wheelhouse holes.

- (5) Engage carpet snaps on snap studs.
- (6) Remove paper from adhesive-backed hook strips and press to wheelhouse to mate with loop strips on undersides of carpet panels, if equipped.

CARPETS—CHEROKEE-WAGONEER MODELS

REAR CARGO CARPET

Installation

- (1) Remove rear seat from vehicle.
- (2) Position carpet in vehicle and pull seat belts through cutout sections.

- (3) Drill 1/8-inch holes in floorpan at required locations for installation of snap studs.
- (4) Install snap studs into floorpan holes.
- (5) Engage carpet snaps on snap studs.