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Encode Installation and Cam end play
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The following customer actions automatically voids the warranty.
1) Use of any other spark plug wires other than resistor type wires with at least 4,000 ohms of resistance. 2) Use of non-resistor spark plugs. 3) Drilling or cutting of any kind into the module. 4) Incorrect wiring of the module. 5) Use of module on systems with defective charging systems. 6) Use of defective coils. 7) Directly shorting the coil output wires to +12 VDC. 8) Physical damage to the ignition. 9) Any other items covered in the warranty & instruction manual.

Limited Warranty

P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. warrants to the original retail purchaser of a Power Arc IDS Ignition that it will, free of charge, repair or replace at its own option, the product if returned to P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. within 6 months after purchase and if found by P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. to be defective in material or workmanship. This warranty is not transferable by the purchaser and shall be voided: if alterations not authorized by P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. are made in the equipment or if the serial number or date of manufacture has been altered, defaced or removed. Nor does this warranty apply if the equipment has been subjected to accident, misuse, improper hookup, damaged by flood, fire, or act of God, or has been used on circuits or voltages other than those indicated in its instruction manual. If the equipment is found to be defective in materials or workmanship the equipment will be returned and P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. will pay the return shipping (this does not include next day shipping, second day shipping, shipments outside of the continental U.S. A. or shipments outside of the U.S.A.). All warranty work outside of the U.S.A. must include prepayment of return shipping. Customs, duties or tariffs are not covered by this warranty. If the equipment is found to be defective, but is due to customer misuse (as described in warranty) P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. will notify the customer and if the customer wants the defective equipment returned P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. will return the equipment C.O.D. freight. If the equipment is found to be in operational order when returned to the factory P. A. Ignition Co., Inc. will return the module with a $30.00 service charge plus freight and C.O.D. Charges.

Any module returned under the warranty must include note of explanation of failure and be accompanied by a dated bill of sale.

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Some states do not allow the exclusions or limitations of incidental or consequential damages, or allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may have other rights which vary from state to state.
WARNING: Do not touch coil output wires (White & Black) To +12. DO NOT USE SOLID OR SPIRAL WOUND SUPPRESSION SPARK PLUG WIRES, USE RESISTOR WIRES ONLY. FAILURE TO OBSERVE THESE PRECAUTIONS WILL DAMAGE IGN. & VOID THE WARRANTY.

"See Encoder Installation and Cam end play on back page.

1. Remove all components from the ignition cone cam cover or distributor, exposing the shaft end.
2. Mount Ignition Coil in suitable location.
3. Pull ignition wire through wire hole. Make sure not to run wiring near high heat areas of the motorcyle, such as the exhaust system. Rock the ignition into cam cover or distributor.
4. Insert the lock down screws & tighten and rotate the distributor if used to best location for the wires to exit and lock distributor down.
5. Hook ignition positive (red) wire to the ignition supply, usually at the coil positive (center terminal) with the kill or ignition switch wire.
6. Hook the green wire to the tach trigger wire of motorcycle if used.
7. Insert the encoder standoff through the center hole of the ignition step side out. Set the Encoder Disk centered on the Standoff. Put the locking washer and flat washer on the bronze flange bushing and push thru the Encoder Disk. Apply pink Locitite to the screw and insert the screw with flange bushing and washer and lightly tighten, making sure the optical encoder is centered by the step in the washer (see diagram below).
8. Rotate the engine to TOP DEAD CENTER FRONT CYLINDER COMPRESSION STROKE. If your engine does not have Front Cylinder Top Dead Center timing marks, it may be necessary to use a dial test indicator to locate TDC.
9. Turn the Ignition and Kill Switch on and rotate the Optical Encoder Counter in the Opposite direction of Normal rotation until the Static Timing LED lights and stop. Holding the Optical Encoder tighten the Adapter Hex screw firmly to hold the Encoder wheel in place. Recheck top dead center timing mark to make sure the timing has not moved. Do finish or fine adjustments by rotating Distributor when Optical Encoder has been firmly tightened.
10. Hook the White wire to the rear coil & the Black wire to the Front cylinder coil. Do not hook the White or Black wire to positive.
11. Start the Engine.

*See Encoder Installation and Cam end play on back page.

**Coil Hookup Guidelines**
1. Use of coils other than PA coils will result in loss of Multi-Spark capabilities.
2. Do not touch the Black or White coil output wire to +12 vdc.
3. A total of 2.8 ohms is the minimum allowable coil resistance.
4. Do not hook up coils with power (12 vdc) applied to the coils.