

FHR PISTONS

Installation Instruction

CALCULATING TOP RING END GAP

Top Ring Example - Street Normally Aspirated 4.000" bore x .004" gap factor = .016" total top ring end gap.

Second Ring: Set second ring end gap at .004 per inch of bore minimum.

TOP RING END GAP FACTORS FOR ALL APPLICA TIONS LOCATED ON PAGE 2.

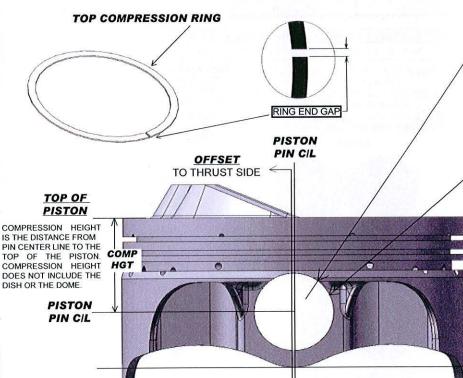
TRU-ARC LOCKRING INSTALLATION

- 1. KEEP OPEN END OF LOCKRING FACING DOWN.
- 2. DO NOT OVER COMPRESS LOCK.

TRU-ARC

LOCKRING

3. DO NOT USE LOCKS WHEN PRESS FITTING THE PIN.



PISTONS WITH OFFSET PIN

SOME FHR PISTONS ARE MANUFACTURED WITH OFFSET PIN BORES. OFFSET PIN BORES ARE DESIGNED TO QUIET YOUR ENGINE. THE OFFSET MUST ALWAYS BE TOWARDS THE THRUST FACE SIDE OF THE ENGINE. PISTONS WITH OFFSET PIN BORES WILL

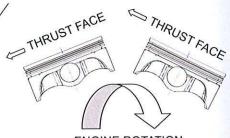
HAVE A MARK ON THE TOP WHICH SHOULD POINT TO THE FRONT OF

LUBE PIN HOLE

- 1. USE HIGH QUALITY OIL OR SUPPLIED LUBE. NEVER USE GREASE
- 2. PRESS FIT, USE ROD HEATER.
- 3. DO NOT USE LOCKS WHEN PRESS FITTING THE PIN.

DIAL POINT

MEASURE PISTON MAJOR AXIS (DIAMETER) HERE



ENGINE ROTATION clockwise

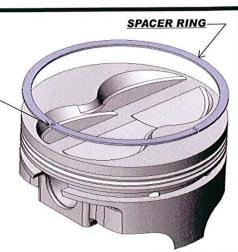
SPACER RING

THE ENGINE.

THE SPACER RING SUPPORTS THE OIL RAIL ON LONG ROD APPLICATIONS WHEN THE WRIST PIN IS INTERSECTING THE OIL GROOVE. THE SPACER RING SHOULD BE LOCATED IN THE BOTTOM OF THE OIL GROOVE. TO INSTALL, SPIRAL THE RING INTO THE OIL GROOVE. TAKE CARE NOT TO DISTORT OR BEND THE SPACER RING.

DIMPLE

DIMPLE SHOULD BE PLACED OVER THE OPENING FORMED BY THE PIN INTERSECTING THE OIL GROOVE. THE RAISED SECTION SHOULD BE PLACED FACING DOWN.



General Clearance Guidelines

APPLICATION	RING END GAP FACTOR	4032 PISTON TO WALL CLEARANCE	
		Alloy 3.5"TO 4.1"	4.1"AND UP
STREET NORMALLY ASPIRATED	0.0040	.00250035	.00350045
STREET TOWING	0.0045	.00300040	.00400050
STREET NITROUS OR SUPER CHARGED	0.0050	.00350045	.00450055
CIRCLE TRACK 2 BBL / RESTRICTOR	0.0040	.00300040	.00450055
CIRCLE TRACK UNRESTRICTIED	0.0040	.00350055	.00450065
CIRCLE TRACK ALCOHOL INJECTION	0.0040	.00350055	.00450065
CIRCLE TRACK ALCOHOL CARB	0.0045	.00400060	.00500070
DRAG GASOLINE	0.0040	.00400060	.00500070
DRAG ALCOHOL	0.0040	.00300060	.00400070
DRAG SUPERCHARGED OR NITROS	0.0050	.00500080	.00600090
DRAG SUPERCHARGED ALCOHOL	0.0050	.00400060	.00500070
MARINE NORMALLY ASPIRATED	0.0040	.00350050	.00450060
MARINE SUPERCHARGED	0.0045	.00450060	.00550070

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Final piston clearance should be based solely on the demands of your application.

Factors such as fuel type, altitude, outside temp., humdity, tune up, and many others factors need to be taken into account for your final clearance.

PISTON ORIENTATION

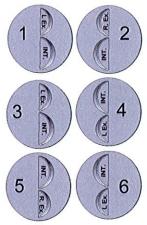


QUENCH AREA(YELLOW):

Quench is the area behind the valves. This area should match the flat area on your cylinder head. Proper quench promotes cooling of the piston and can be effective in reducing detonation.

CHEVY V-6 262 4 LEFTS AND 2 RIGHTS

FRONT



FORD 390FE, 406FE, 410FE, 427FE 428FE, 438FE, 452FE, 455FE

FRONT

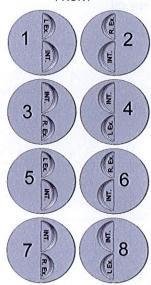


<u>CHEVY</u> 302, 305, 327,334, 350, 377, 383, 400, 434

<u>CHRY</u> 318, 340, 360, 383, 400, 408, 440, 450, 463, 468, 493, 498, 505, 520

<u>OLDS</u> 403, 455 <u>BUICK</u> 455 <u>PONTIAC</u> 389, 400, 428, 455

FRONT



FORD CLEY 351C&W/C,377C,387C,402C FORD BB 429, 460, 502, 520, 545 CHEVY BB 396/402, 427, 454, 489, 502, 540

FRONT



CHECKING CYLINDER HEADS: WE THE MANUFAC-TURER SUGGEST CHECKING CYLINDER HEADS WITH CLAY OR SOME OTHER METHOD BEFORE FINAL ASSEM-BLY TO ASSURE PROPER PISTON TO HEAD CLEARANCE.

<u>FORD</u> 289, 302, 331, 347, 351W, 372W, 383W, 393W, 408W, 416W, 418W <u>CHEVY</u> LS SERIES

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TOYOTA 22R YRS 1985 AND NEWER

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