

## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

## **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

# 34271 - Ford 4.6L V8 Modular Engine

**Important:** Before attempting installation, please read these instructions.

**NOTE:** The PRO/SPORT SFI Bonded Steel Crankshaft Damper has a specially machined inner

bore, sized for an interference fit to the crankshaft which requires special attention

prior to installing.

- 1. Engine must be completely cold.
- 2. Remove Poly-Vee belt.
- 3. Remove original Damper, using a Damper puller or removal tool.
- 4. Inspect crank snout to ensure there are no burrs or rust, if required polish with very fine emery paper or steel wool, wash clean.
- 5. Examine key, should the key be damaged or loose in the key-way groove of the crankshaft, install a new key.
- 6. Replace the front timing cover oil seal.
- 7. The PRO/SPORT Damper can be installed just like any other Damper using a Damper installation tool. However, you can make installation much easier by placing Damper in a preheated oven at the lowest temperature (max. 250°F or 120°C) for 15 minutes. This process will expand the hub of the Damper.
- 8. If you are <u>NOT</u> using a professional installation tool, it is ESSENTIAL that the Damper be preheated as outlined in step 7 above, to expand the hub. All subsequent steps will need to be followed carefully.
- 9. Smear crank snout and the timing case oil seal with clean oil.
- 10. If you are not using a Damper installation tool, remove Damper from oven, using insulated, heat proof gloves. Smear bore of Damper with oil.
- 11. Immediately locate Damper on to the crankshaft and rotate until the hub locates in the key-way.

## IMPORTANT - DO NOT ALLOW DAMPER TO COOL.

- 12. If using a professional Damper installation tool, install the Damper following the instructions supplied with your installation tool and ignore step 13.
- 13. If you are not using an installation tool, quickly, utilizing a block of aluminium to protect the machined face, drive the Damper on the crankshaft.





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14. Promptly reinstall the Damper retaining bolt and washer and tension to 90 lb/ft torque.

**NOTE:** Use LOCTITE to secure the crankshaft bolt.

- 15. The 34271 Damper has been machined to accept the standard poly-vee belt. The front of the Damper has three machined holes to facilitate use of a Damper puller for removal.
- 16. Recheck for adequate clearance of all components before re-starting engine.

Should you have any difficulty fitting your PRO/RACE "All Steel" Crankshaft Vibration Damper, please contact:

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