



Installation Instructions

FLUIDAMPR 551231

NOTE: FLUIDAMPR 551231 DOES NOT FIT ENGINE BASE EA113 APPLICATIONS. THESE APPLICATIONS USE A TIMING BELT AND REQUIRE FLUIDAMPR 551211.

NOTE: FACTORY HOLDING TOOL (T10355) REQUIRED AND PROFESSIONAL INSTALLATION RECOMMENDED.

NOTE: NEW CRANKSHAFT BOLT (WHT001760) REQUIRED EVERYTIME BOLT IS REMOVED.

1. Remove underbelly tray (longitudinal mounted) and/or wheel well splash shield (transverse mounted.) Longitudinal models require fan control module removal; transverse models require turbo discharge pipe removal.
2. Note belt layout, orientation, and direction of travel, for reinstallation. Locate automatic tensioner and release tension using a 17mm wrench rotating downward. Remove belt from engine.
3. Using a 24mm socket on the crankshaft pulley, rotate damper **clockwise** until the TDC Mark on the damper OD lines up with the arrow on the lower timing chain cover (4 o'clock position).

NOTE: Failure to set engine to TDC, or moving crankshaft while loosening or tightening crank bolt will result in engine damage.

4. Use factory holding tool inserted into 4 equally spaced through holes to hold crankshaft from turning (FSM requires using special holding tool T10355).
5. Loosen crankshaft bolt using a 24mm socket and a long breaker bar. Note: torque required to loosen bolt will be quite high, a long breaker bar and proper holding tool are required.
6. Remove bolt and OEM damper from engine. Apply pressure on pulley towards engine when removing crankshaft bolt.
7. Apply a small amount of oil to the timing cover seal and O ring supplied with the new crankshaft bolt.
8. Align Fluidampr 551231 milled tooth pattern with timing gear tooth pattern and hold Fluidampr against timing gear. Make sure O ring is installed onto new bolt and hand tighten bolt.
9. Using crankshaft holding tool and torque wrench, torque new bolt to 111 ft-lbs. Then torque bolt an additional 90 degrees.
10. Reinstall belt according to factory belt routing and make sure the belt runs in the same direction.
11. Reinstall fan control module and underbelly tray on longitudinal models; reinstall turbo discharge pipe and splash shields on transverse models.

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