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MAGNETRONIC IGNITION SYSTEM

6 Cylinder Lucas 20-series Distributors (For Negative Earth Vehicles Only) Anti-clockwise Rotation

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Check the sealed bag in this kit contains all of the following:

1x Magnetic Timing Disc (414) 1x Magnetronic Module

1x Countersunk Screw 2BA 1 X M4 Split-ring Washer

1x Cable Tie

1x Adapter Plate (20417) 1x M4 x 8 Cheesehead Screw

Please note the drawing on page 4 of this leaflet

- Disconnect battery and ensure hand brake is applied.
- MAGNETRONIC operation that the distributor earth strap is still securely attached to the Remove Distributor Cap, Rotor Arm, Points and Condenser. It is important to
- Secure the flattened hole in the adaptor plate over the distributor base plate pivot pin and secure the adaptor plate with the supplied countersunk screw.

NOTE:

- On recently manufactured distributors the hole in the base plate for the countersunk screw might not screw must be fitted instead. have the 2BA thread used on the original distributors in which case a 4mm countersunk metric
- In addition please note that on some distributors the pivot pin might have to be shortened down
- ring washer. Make sure the screw is tightened effectively Install the MAGNETRONIC Module making sure the post on the bottom of the module locates in the hole on the adaptor plate. Secure using the M4 cheesehead screw and split
- Ś Place wires in the split plastic grommet and insert the grommet into the slot in the distributor slack in the wires to allow the advance mechanism to move freely. Make sure the wires wil Feed the MAGNETRONIC wires around the distributor body making sure there is sufficient not foul or touch the MAGNETRONIC rotor or cam and secure using the cable tie provided.
- Fit the magnetic disc over the cam

NOTE

On new manufactured replacement distributors the cams may be wider than the original models and material may have to be removed from inside of the trigger disc collar to allow the disc to fit.

of the rotor arm. Approximately line up the indicator dot with tip if the rotor arm. Ensure that the disc is pushed fully home, Gentle heating of the disc by immersion in hot water prior to fit in one of 6 positions. The upper surface of the disc has a depression to match the shape With the peaks of the distributor cam located between the internal ribs of the disc it will only fitting may ease assembly.

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CAUTION

DISCONNECT THE BATTERY BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO FIT THIS UNIT

vehicle wiring damage. on it will short out the battery and might cause a fire or vehicle earth with the battery connected and the ignition the ignition call might not be fused. If this wire touches The wire from the Ignition_switch to the positive terminal of

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Please read the fitting Instructions fully before starting installation.

2x Connectors 1x Distributor Wire Plastic Grommet

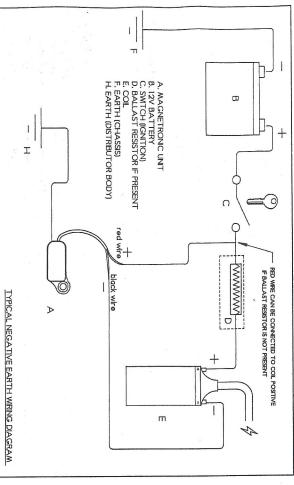
Please note: This ignition system must be used with an ignition coil having a resistance of at least 2. Ohms including the ballast resistor (where one is fitted). 3.0 Ohms is recommended.

- 8. The clearance between the underside of the disc and the top of the module should be approximately 1.5mm If necessary the two small lugs on the trigger disc can be removed and the disc fitted in a lower position.
- Fit the spade connectors to the module wires Use an appropriate electrical connector crimping tool (not supplied).

Note:

- If your vehicle has been converted from Positive Earth the ignition coil connections might not have been changed over for the new Earth polarity. You must ensure the Magnetronic wires are attached to correctly connected coil terminals (see diagram).
- 10. Connect the Red wire to the coil terminal connected to the ignition feed (+ or SW). If a ballast resistor is fitted to the vehicle the Red wire must be connected to the ignition switch side of that resistor. Connect the Black wire to the Negative coil terminal (- or CB). This is the terminal that the contact breaker was originally connected to. The original wire connected to the condenser is not required.
- 11. Refit the Rotor Arm and Distributor cap.
- 12. Check timing as per the vehicle manufacturers instructions.

WIRING DIAGRAM



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TROUBLE SHOOTING

If there is no spark from the coil when cranking the engine, switch on the ignition and check for 12 Volts on Red supply wire for the module.

Check the terminals on the Red and Black wires to verify that they are crimped properly and attached to the correct terminals.

With the ignition switched off remove the distributor cap and check the air gap between the MAGNETRONIC module and disc. The gap should be approximately 1.5mm (.060") and must be between 0.75 mm (.030") and 2.55 mm (.100").

If this is all correct then check the operation of the module.

CHECKING MODULE OPERATION

With THE TRANSMISSION IN NEUTRAL AND THE HAND BRAKE SET.

Disconnect tachometer sense lead from ignition coil if applicable.

- Set a voltmeter on a DC volts range between 15 and 60 volts.
- Connect the positive meter lead to the minus (-) ignition coil primary terminal
- Connect the negative meter lead 10 engine ground.
- Crank engine.

If the needle jumps back and forth between approximately I volt and 13 volts the ignition system is working properly and the coil is bad or the rotor is bad.

If the needle stays at about 13 volts either the Red or Black wire is not making connection to the coil primary terminals.

If the needle stays at about I volt, there may be an excessive air gap [greater than 3.2mm (.125")] between the magnetic trigger disc and the ignition module preventing it from switching or the ignition module has been damaged by connecting the Red and Black wires to the wrong terminals on the ignition coil.

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