

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
KAWASAKI 800 SX-R Dry Pipe (FIN800SX01)

Q. After installing the pipe I do not notice a big difference in the performance of my watercraft.

A. There are several items to check for lack of performance: **1.** Double check all hoses, clamps & bolts used in the installation and look for any signs of exhaust or water leaks. **2.** Make sure the proper carb adjustments have been made as per the instructions. Remember, because of the number of variables involved, these carb settings are only a starting point. Your particular craft may require different settings for optimum performance.

Q. After installing the pipe my watercraft won't go past idle.

A. Be sure that you plugged the air temperature bypass connector into the green air temp sensor, not the white water temperature sensor that you disconnected from the stock chamber.

Q. Are any other modifications required to make the pipe work?

A. A 6-degree timing advance plate must be purchased, and installed, for the 2003 model only. The only other modification we highly recommend is aftermarket flame arrestors but you may just removed the rubber trumpets on the stock air box.

Q. My pipe has black stuff leaking at the manifold/chamber connection.

A. There will be a small amount of leakage from this connection but this is normal. We supply a silicone sleeve to slide over the connection to help keep it from spraying inside the hull. If it is leaking exhaust at the connection then the O-rings are probably not seated correctly (see proper O-ring installation diagram in instructions).

Q. The clear waterline on the chamber doesn't have constant water flow, is this normal?

A. Yes, this is an air bleed line so it won't have constant water flow. If there is exhaust with the water, you may have a cracked head gasket or cracked dome.

Q. I'm adding an aftermarket head, can I still run pump gas?

A. No.

Q. Will this pipe work on a stock engine?

A. Yes, the dry pipe was designed and tested using a stock engine with aftermarket flame arrestors. It also works very well on modified and superstock setups.