

The JIMS "FORCEFLOW" CYLINDER HEAD COOLER is designed for the Twin Cam Models 1999 to present. Also fits all JIMS Twin Cam Race Engines.

**NOTE:** These instructions show the installation of this product on a 2012 H-D Road Glide. This is probably the most difficult model to install on. On the other H-D Twin Cam models you need to follow the same

steps in installation. There will be some minor differences on each year or model wiring harness. It is highly recommended that you use the correct H-D service manual for reference in this installation. Refer to last page for parts list and for bubble reference callouts.

#### **OPERATION AND OPTIONS:**

The FORCEFLOW COOLER comes with a thermostat that actuates at 140 degrees along with an on/off cooler switch. It is the installer's option to use the thermostat system we've designed and where we recommend you locate it. If you choose to relocate the thermostat it is your option and responsibility of properly mounting. If you choose not to use the thermostat it is your responsibility to safely disconnect this system. Since JIMS hasn't tested this product in these optional changes or locations, Jims cannot back any warranty issues in this area.

### **IMPORTANT SAFETY ISSUE'S:**

We have designed the cooler to operate only when the ignition system is turned on by the operator as a safety factor. DO NOT MODIFY WIRING TO ALLOW COOLER TO OPERATE WITH THE IGNITION IN THE OFF POSITION.

## **Warning:** KEEP HANDS AWAY FROM MOVING FAN BLADE!

JIMS R&D Dept. tested the Forceflow cooler with a protected shroud around the fan blade and found that it cooled better without a shroud. So with that said do not get your hands etc. near the blade when in operation. **See Fig.A** 

Installation of the Forceflow Cooler is not intended to be a fix for a poorly tuned, or improper operating fuel system such as running to lean or rich, causing bluing of pipes or engine damage.

Read the complete instructions before starting the installation of this product.

JIMS cannot be responsible for the safety or quality of your work. If you do not know what you are doing then don't do it. Take it to a professional.

#### TOOLS AND SUPPLIES RECOMMENDED FOR INSTALLING THE "FORCEFLOW COOLER".

- 1. Common box end wrenches, ratchet and, socket set.
- 2. Quality ft-lb torque wrench
- 3. Box cutter or knife to modify the "wiring trough".
- **4.** The correct H-D Service Manual book per year and model you're working on.
- **5.** Blue Threadlocker, JIMS No.**4501** or equivalent.
- 6. Assorted wire tie wraps.



FIG.A



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#### PREPARATION AND INSTALLATION

- 1. Remove seat, and disconnect negative battery cable per H-D Service Manual.
- 2. Remove fuel tank, and, saddlebags, and side covers per H-D Service Manual and side covers.
- 3. Remove horn assembly with attached bracket per H-D Service Manual. Set aside the horn mount chrome acorn nut to use for the cooler installation. Leave the horn mount rubber isolator and upper horn bracket on the heads in place as shown. See Fig 1.
- **4.** Remove the top wire harness trough cover to gain access and to place the cooler main harness into.

### See Fig 2

5. Next you will need use a box cutter or knife to cut a notch out of the left side edge of the plastic harness trough on the 2008 and later model Touring Models. The notch should be positioned directly above the normal horn position. When cutting the notch be very careful not to cut any existing wiring. Should be about a 1" square cutout and smooth out any rough edges. See Fig 3

Note: Earlier Touring Models have a different wiring trough and need to be notched differently as required. Softail and Dyna don't use a wiring trough at all. They bundle the bikes trough harness across the top frame rail. They come with a tie wrapped bundled harness.

6. Locate the cooler main wire harness No. 5423 supplied with cooler kit and position it across the top frame rail on top of the existing bike harness. You need to lay the cooler harness on the left side of the bike harness trough so that you have the thermostat with bracket and white connecter at the front end of the bike. See Fig 4. On the Softail and Dyna models you need to route the cooler harness next to the bike harness on the top frame rail. To position it correctly you need to have the thermostat drop down to the old horn position. You need to have about a 9" lead hanging out of the harness tough or main bike harness area as shown to connect horn and cooler wiring. Note, that the wire harness needs to be routed over the top of the top horn mount not under. This routing will help keep wiring off cylinders when tie wrapped to horn bracket in final running position. The







wrapped to horn bracket in final running position. The other end of the cooler harness with the relay and orange wire positive with Deutsch connector & black negative large eyelet should be rout-



ed back to the battery area. See Fig 5

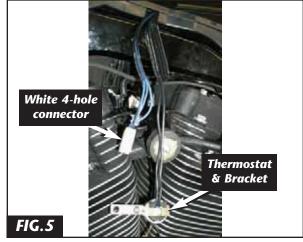
- Remove the front cylinder valve cover screw as shown.See Fig 6
- 8. Locate the thermostat with mounting bracket on the harness hanging down between the cylinders. Mount the bracket No. 5434 with thermostat using No. 5439 hex head bolt, No. 2014 washer, and spacer No. 5438 to the valve cover as shown. Torque to 15-18 ft-lbs using Blue Threadlocker JIMS No. 4501. At this location the thermostat will activate the fan at 140 degrees with a slight air gap. If you prefer to locate the thermostat in a different location then that's your option. See Fig 5 and Fig 7.
- 9. Remove the top center case bolt from the engine case. On a H-D OEM engine case you will have to remove the shifter rod nut and washers at the front gear shifter lever to get clearance to remove the OEM case bolt.

### See Fig 8

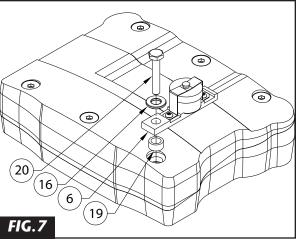
#### STOCK H-D ENGINE CASES

**See Fig 9** Refer to call out bubbles in **Fig 9** and last instruction page parts list for assembly reference.

- A. If your engine cases are factory cases you need to locate the 5/16"-18 case stud No. **5414** provided with the cooler parts.
- B. Next lightly coat the threads on the end of stud No.5414 without the slot on it with Blue Threadlocker.
- C. Insert the coated end of stud No. **5414** into the top center case bolt hole and tighten stud snug with a good flat blade screwdriver. Slide No.**2014** flat washer onto the stud.
- **D.** Coat I.D. of nut No. **1222** with Blue Threadlocker and thread on and torque to 15-19 ft-lbs using a 1/2" deep socket and torque wrench.
- **E.** Coat I.D of jam nut No. **5436** with Blue Threadlocker and thread onto the same stud but don't tighten yet.
- F. Next install AN-washer No. 1216 onto No. 5414 stud against jam nut and then No. 5413 lower mount bracket and another No.1216 AN-washer.
- **G.** Install Blue Threadlocker to I.D. of acorn nut No. **5427** and thread onto the stud.







Before tightening position the lower bracket in the correct upright position using the box wrench to hold the previous loose jam nut No. **5436** to tighten against bracket. Now tighten acorn nut No. **5327** to 8-9 ft-lbs with a 1/2" socket and torque wrench. **See Fig 11** 

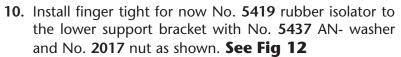
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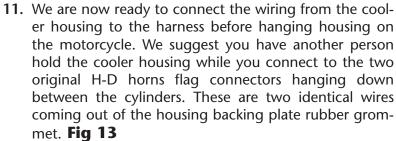


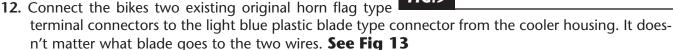
H. Now fit up the shifter rod linkage and see if you have adequate clearance when shifting. If your shift rod is hitting on the acorn nut then swap it out for a normal No. 1222 nut we've provided in kit to gain more clearance. Check clearance again. If that doesn't clear then move the jam nut on shaft inward. Retighten the outside nut and check shift rod clearance. Then bolt up shift rod washer and nut. Move on to Step 10.

### **JIMS ENGINE RACE CASES**

For information on installing this Forceflow cooler kit you should have ordered a **No. 5447** JIMS Engine hardware mounting kit. Follow the instructions in that hardware kit to install the special top center case bolt hardware. Then proceed back to this **5400-IS** cooler instruction sheet and continue on at step **No.10**.

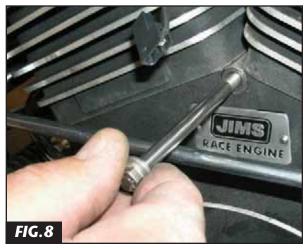


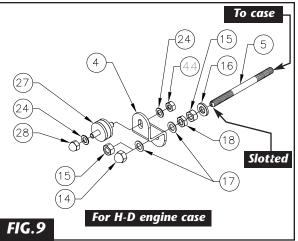




**Note:** For added insulation from weather, position existing shrink wrap and heat as required before doing the final positioning and tie wrapping also may add more shrink wrap if desired.

13. Next locate the cooler assembly backing plate upper and lower mounting tab holes on both the 1/4" and 5/16" rubber isolator studs. If the assembly looks like its centered then you should do the final tightening of the previously finger tightened lower No. 2017 nut to the rubber isolator and lower bracket. If you cannot align the upper and lower rubber isolator studs to the backing plate tab holes with out forcing them, causing distortion to the isolators, then you need to space up the horn or motor mount bracket. You will need to add one thick washer No 5453 to each side horn mount. Place these washers under the horn or motor mount bracket. Try just one pair of washers or if needed stack two an each side of mount as shown. **See Fig 1** 



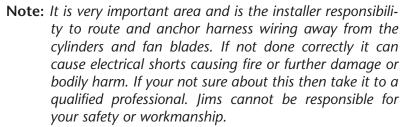




14. Locate the other wire coming out of the housing grommet. It has a four pin male white plastic connector that you connect to the new main cooler harness hanging down from the motorcycles main harness area.

### See Fig 5

- 15. Connect the two white plastic connectors together. They will only connect when positioned correctly to each others notch. See Fig 14
- **16.** Now its time to do the final positioning of the wire loom in the area behind the cooler assembly and up on the upper horn mount to the main loom area.



- 17. Do a temporary install of the cooler assembly on the two rubber isolator mounts Hand tighten your stock H-D horn mount acorn nut on the top larger rubber isolator and a No. 5438 acorn from kit to secure assembly.
- **18.** Check wiring coming out of the back of cooler housing and take out any slack by lightly pulling on harness FIG.12 going up to the upper horn mount area and up to the notched out area of the harness trough. Do a visual check inside cooler to see that all wiring has clearance. No wiring can come in contact with the fan blade, including cylinders. Reposition any extra slack in the harness back to the battery area. Route wiring over top for upper horn mount to trough area and secure by tie wrapping for the final operating position.
- 19. Remove the cooler assembly top and lower mounting nuts to apply Blue Treadlocker to both. Install Logo disc No.5426 to the upper isolator mount and then the H-D original horn mount acorn and do the final tightening torque to 7 to 9 ft lbs.
- 20. Install the lower the washer No. 1683 and apply Blue Threadlocker to No. **5427** acorn nut and do a final tight-







ening. After the cooler is anchored take your finger and spin the fan blade to check for clearance. You should have at least 1/4" between cylinder and fan blade. See Fig 15

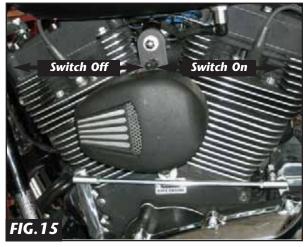


- 21. Now tuck in the cooler harness into the left side of the motorcycle trough harness. Then reinstall the wire harness upper trough cover back in it normal position on FLH touring models per H-D Service Manual. On the FXST or FXD models securing the cooler harness wiring with tie wraps will be required.
- **22.** Remove left side fuse cover per H-D Service Manual and locate the Deutsch Data Link Connector. **See Fig 16**
- 23. Locate the other Deutsch connecter housing from the cooler harness coming from underneath the back end of the trough cover. Connect to the Data Link Deutsch Connector. Reinstall the fuse side cover. **Fig 16**
- 24. Locate the negative battery cable and set the negative cooler wiring eyelet on top of it and mount negative battery cable to the battery post as shown. **See Fig 17**
- **Note:** If your vehicle does not have a Deutsch connector, simply use this wire to tap into any ignition accessory circuit.
- 25. Pull aside and cooler wire harness relay section and install the ECM caddy cover as per H-D Service Manual. After the caddy cover is in place then lay the relay wire harness section right along the side of the frame as shown. You can also anchor it if you like. **See Fig 18**

**Note:** If your vehicle does not have a have, or has a different Deutsch connector, simply use this wire to tap into any ignition accessory circuit.

- **27.** Reinstall the fuel tank, fuel lines, saddlebags and seat per H-D Service Manual.
- 28. Now you need to take a test ride and get the motor warmed up. position cooler switch in the on position (forward is "OFF" and rear is "ON" position) **See FIG.15.** Easiest way to check temp. is with a infrared heat gun. When your engine heats up enough to bring the top rocker box to 140 degrees the cooler should start up. If you find your fan motor is not going on then turn the toggle switch to the other position and see if that starts the fan motor.









Note: If your a Dealer Service Dept. installing this product for a customer please forward the JIMS Warranty Card to the customer or end user when completing service and advise to complete and mail in.

#### **6 MONTH WARRANTY**

JIMS will repair or replace at our option any product found to be defective in materials or workmanship for six (6) months from date of purchase. This warranty does not cover items damaged by accident, misuse, or neglect. Any implied warranties are expressly excluded, and JIMS shall not be liable for any loss of product use, or other consequential or incidental costs incurred by the user of our tools.

#### **FOR WARRANTY**

All returns for warranty must authorized by the sales dept. before returning product.

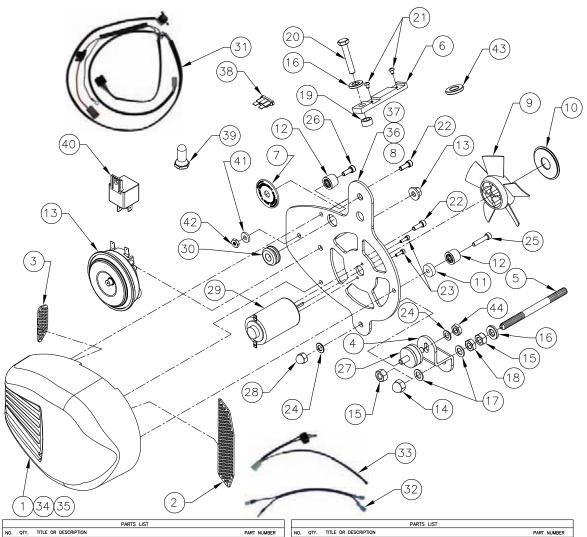
#### **WARNING!!!**

REMEMBER TO KEEP HANDS AND ALL OBJECTS CLEAR OF THE SPINNING FAN BLADE WHENEVER FORCEFLOW UNIT IS SWITCHED TO THE "ON" POSITION.









PARTS LIST				
NO.	QTY.	TITLE OR DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER	
1	1	COVER, CYLINDER COOLER, POLISH	5407-2	
2	1	SCREEN, SCOOP	5412	
3	1	SCREEN, FRONT	5411	
4	1	MOUNT, LOWER, MOTOR HD, ZINC	5413	
5	1	STUD, CASE, 5/16-18, CYLINDER COOLER	5414	
6	1	MOUNT, THERMOSTAT	5434	
7	1	PLATE, DISC, LOGO	5426	
8	1	BACKING PLATE CYLINDER COOLER, POLISH	5406-2	
9	1	MACHINED, FAN BLADE	5405	
10	1	COVER, END, FAN	5428	
11	1	SPACER WASHER	5452	
12	2	BUMPER, HARD THERMOPLASTIC	5451	
13	1	HORN, ROOT w/ FLANGE NUT	5410	
14	1	NUT, ACORN, 5/16-18, NICKEL PLATE	5427	
15	2	NUT, 5/16-18, SAE	1222	
16	2	WASHER, FLAT, 5/16", SAE	2014	
17	2	WASHER, FLAT, 5/16", AN, .0507 THICK	1216	
18	1	NUT, 5/16-18, JAM	5436	
19	1	SPACER, 5/16 ID x 1/4"	5435	
20	1	BOLT, 5/16-18 x 1-1/2" HH	5439	
21	2	SCREW, 6-32 x 3/16", BUTTON HEAD	5440	
22	2	SCREW, 10-32 x 1/2", SHCS	1294	
23	2	SCREW, 3mm x .5 x 10mm, SHCS	5421	
24	2	WASHER, FLAT, 1/4", AN, .0507 THICK	5437	

NO.	QTY.	TITLE OR DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER
23	2		5421
24	2	WASHER, FLAT, 1/4", AN, .0507 THICK	5437
25	1	10-32 x 7/8" SHCS	5271
26	1	10-32 x 5/8" SHCS	5450
27	1	ISOLATOR, Ø1" x 1/2", 1/4-20 x 1/2"	5419
28	1	NUT, ACORN, 1/4-20, NICKEL PLATE	5438
29	1	MOTOR, DETMAR	5404
30	1	GROMMET, $3/8$ " ID x $1/8$ " PANEL	5418
31	1	WIRING HARNESS MAIN	5423
32	1	WIRE EXTENSION HORN	5433
33	1	HARNESS POWER ON/OFF	5408
34	1	COVER, CYLINDER COOLER, BLACK	5407-1
35	1	COVER, CYLINDER COOLER, SILVER	5407-3
36	1	BACKING PLATE CYLINDER COOLER, BLACK	5406-1
37	1	BACKING PLATE CYLINDER COOLER, SILVER	5406-3
38	1	AMT 15 AMP FUSE	5432
39	1	SWITCH BOOT	5417
40	1	RELAY	5422
41	1	#10 FLAT WASHER	5449
42	1	10-32 NUT	1399
43	4	WASHERS, OPTIONAL HORN MOUNT	5453
44	1	NUT, 1/4-20	2017
45	1	WARRANTY CARD	5454
46	1	INSTRUCTION SHEET	5400-IS

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