2-STROKE ENGINE BREAK-IN

After engine has been completely installed in chassis. Be sure all fluids have been filled (coolant, trans oil. Etc.). Before starting a freshly rebuilt or new engine it is strongly recommended to make sure that the carburetor has been thoroughly cleaned and fuel tank has been flushed clean. Fresh fuel/oil mixture has been used, air box has been cleaned and a new or freshly serviced air filter has been installed.

CAUTION: Make sure the jetting in your carburetor has been adjusted for you current engine build/rebuild. You cannot assume jetting will not change after a motor build/rebuild. In almost all cases a fresh engine will require richer carburetor setting.

Call DR with any questions on this subject. Failure to set carburetor correct will cause sever engine damage to your engine

Once the above steps have been completed, start your engine and follow the break-in procedure.

PART 1(2-Idle periods, 2-Cool down periods)

IDLE: Start engine and let idle with a fan blowing on the radiator, to simulate riding conditions without a load on the engine. Engine must idle for exactly 15 minutes.

COOL DOWN: Shut engine off after 15 minutes and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes. Let fan continue to blow on engine.

IDLE: Repeat first step.

COOL DOWN: Repeat second step.

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PART II (6-Riding periods, 6-Cool down periods)

RIDE: Ride machine for 15 minutes; make sure to vary your RPM range. Ride machine at 50% of your normal riding pace. Be careful not to put any unnecessary strain on the motor during break-in.

COOL DOWN: After 5 minutes of riding. Shut machine off and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

RIDE: Repeat initial riding period. But ride machine at 60% of your normal pace.

COOL DOWN: Shut machine off and let cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

RIDE: Repeat initial riding period, but ride machine at 70% of your normal pace.

COOL DOWN: Shut machine off and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

RIDE: Repeat initial riding period. But ride machine at 80% of your normal pace.

COOL DOWN: Shut machine off and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

RIDE: Repeat initial riding period. But ride machine at 90% of your normal pace.

COOL DOWN: Shut machine off and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

RIDE: Repeat initial riding period. But ride machine at 100% of your normal pace.

COOL DOWN: Shut machine off and let machine cool down for a minimum of 30 minutes.

Break in should now be complete. Confirm that carburetion settings are correct and give your machine a complete safety check before continuing your riding.

TIPS FOR A SMOOTHER BREAK-IN

- Do not use paddle tires. Stay away from deep sand dunes, mud etc until break-in is complete.
- Check coolant level after Cool Down periods. Make sure machine is cool before opening radiator cap.
- Break-in engine with same gasoline, premix oil, and same mix ratio that you plan to use permanently.

- Check carburetion jetting periodically during break-in.
- Check that all engine mount and chassis bolts are secure during Cool Down periods.
- Check ALL radiator hoses and carburetor clamps are secure.

