

MSD INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

MSD Self-Powered Timing Light PN 8991

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The MSD Self-Powered Timing Light uses six AAA alkaline batteries. The flash range will accurately read through 8,000 rpm.

Parts Included:

- 1 - Timing Light
- 1 - Inductive Pickup

TIMING TIPS WITH THE SELF-POWERED TIMING LIGHT

- This timing light is equipped with 6 AAA batteries that can shift during transit and may cause the timing light to operate erratically, or not at all. If the light does not operate properly, remove the two screws and the rear cover to expose the battery holder. Remove the two covers and reseal the batteries.
- There are two buttons to activate the timing light designed for easy reach. Operation is the same with either button. The function switches can be easily (and inadvertently) depressed, so when storing the timing light, make sure the area around the switches is clear. Otherwise, the batteries will be dead on the next use.
- The inductive pickup is labeled to point towards the plug or distributor when installed on the spark plug wire. This direction does not affect the MSD Timing Light.
- When installing the inductive pickup, try to isolate it from other spark plug wires to prevent any possibility of other firing signals from interfering.
- Make sure the inductive pickup clamp is closed all the way to ensure good contact.
- When the batteries start to die the strobe will become erratic and intermittent.
- To replace the batteries, remove the two Phillips head screws on the outer edge of the back cover. Slide the battery pack out and replace the batteries. Use care not to over-tighten the screws when installing. When changing the batteries, if you see corrosion, you will need to clean and scrape the terminals before installing the new batteries. If the corrosion is too severe, the timing light will have to be sent in for service.

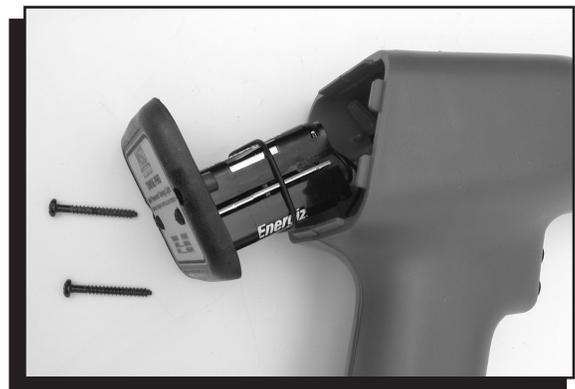


Figure 1 Replacing the Six AAA Batteries.

