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# Banks DynaFact<sup>®</sup> Overhead Console Pod

#### 2003 to 2007 Dodge Ram 1999 to 2007 Ford Super Duty 1999 to 2006 Chevy/GMC

THIS MANUAL IS FOR USE WITH KITS 63360, 63361, 63366, 63367

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## **General Installation Practices**

#### Dear Customer,

If you have any questions concerning the installation of your Banks Dyna-Fact® Overhead Console Pod, please call our Technical Service Hotline at (888) 839-2700 between 7:00 am and 4:00 pm (PT). If you have any questions relating to shipping or billing, please contact our Customer Service Department at (888) 839-5600.

Thank you.

**1.** For ease of installation of your Banks DynaFact<sup>®</sup> Overhead Console Pod familiarize yourself with the procedures by reading the entire manual before starting work. This instruction manual contains 4 pages of text, and illustration.

**2.** Route and tie wires and hoses a minimum of 6 inches away from heat source, moving parts and sharp edges. Clearance of 8 inches or more is recommended where possible.

#### **Tools Required:**

Medium grit sand paper

### Banks DynaFact<sup>®</sup> Overhead Console Pod Installation

Note: Due to normal manufacturing processes you may have "flashing" (small fibers of plastic) around the pod holes. Once the gauge(s) are installed in the pod you will not be able to see the flashing.

This mount is designed to hold gauges with a press or friction fit. To allow you flexibility in the positioning of your gauges, all of the holes are cut to the same size. Oil temperature gauges and boost gauges should fit into this mount with no modification. However, pyrometer gauges and tachometers have slightly larger cases and therefore require the holes to be slightly enlarged.

Identify the hole that you wish to use for the pyrometer or tachometer. Using medium grit sandpaper, a round file or a deburring tool, <u>SLOWLY</u> enlarge the hole. <u>BE CAREFUL AND CHECK FIT</u> <u>OFTEN</u>. The plastic material is easily removed. We recommend that you sand slightly and then check the fit, repeating the process until you have a desired fit. If you make the hole too large, the gauge may vibrate out. As a guide, you want the pyrometer and

Figure 1

tachometer to fit the way the boost and oil temperature gauges fit the factory-size hole.

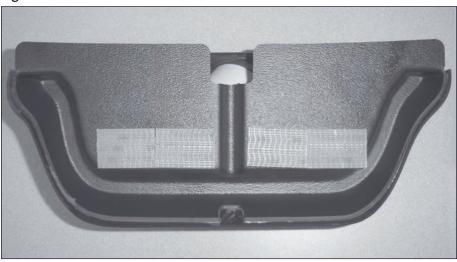
This Banks DynaFact<sup>®</sup> Overhead Console Pod is to be installed on the driver's side overhead.

**1.** Check fit the Overhead pod to ensure a snug fit between windshield and headliner. Trimming of leading edge that slides under headliner may be required for snug fit.

**2.** Install gauges and wiring into pod. Note: The Banks DynaFact Overhead Console Pod includes a gauge wire harness extension. This gauge extension harness is meant to lengthen the orginal harness. Some models will have extra wire that should be coiled and secured under the instrument panel. The gauges are mounted in a friction fit hole that may require light sanding to enlarge hole.

**3.** Clean window area and Overhead Pod where Velcro strips attach.

**4.** Apply Velcro to rear of as shown in **Figure 1**.



5. Peal backing off Velcro.

**6.** Insert top leading edge of pod back into the space between the windshield and metal roof edge, located under the headliner shown in **Figure 2**. Be careful not to damage Velcro strips before permanently affixing.

**7.** Feed wiring under headliner for several inches and slide pod into position above rear view mirror.

**8.** Push pod firmly against the head liner

**9.** With pod firmly against head liner, press bottom of pod against wind-

shield, apply firm pressure to bond Velcro to window (*note: hold firm pressure for at least one minute*)

**10.** Continue running wiring under headliner and down a-pillar.

**11.** Remove a-pillar and run lines out through the firewall toward engine.

**12.** Install a-pillar, ensuring that lines are not pinched.

**13.** Connect the gauge(s) to the vehicle. Follow the instructions provided with the gauge(s) for proper installation and operation.



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#### Figure 2