



# INSTALLATION

## ALLEY CAT AIR FILTER KIT

## 9527

### PARTS INCLUDED

- 1 Alley Cat Cover
- 1 Backing Plate
- 1 Spider Bracket
- 1 Air Lock Ring
- 1 Velocity Ring
- 1 Alley Cat Cover Hardware Kit Containing:
  - 1 Double-Ended Stud
  - 1 Ratchet Ring
  - 1 Tri Bar
  - 3 Foam Blocks—**NOT USED**
- 1 Hardware Kit Containing:
  - 5 #8-32 X 3/8" Flat Socket Cap Screws
  - 1 #8-32 X 5/16" Button Socket Cap Screw
  - 1 #8 Flat Washer
  - 3 1/4"-20 X 3/4" Socket Head Cap Screws—**NOT USED**
  - 3 1/4"-20 X 1/2" Socket Head Cap Screws
  - 2 Vacuum Caps—Black Rubber
  - 1 Tube Retainer Plate
- 1 Mounting Kit Containing:
  - 1 Air Filter Adapter
  - 1 Inlet Flow Plate
  - 1 Support Bracket
  - 2 M6 Tapered Bolt Cap
  - 4 M6 X 1.0 X 13mm Socket Head Cap Screws
  - 1 M5 X .8 X 10mm Phillips Head Pan Screw
  - 2 M6 Flat Washers
  - 2 M6 Lock Washers
  - 1 90 Degree Elbow Barbed Fitting
  - 1 Straight Barbed Fitting
- 1 Main Filter Element
- 1 Round Center Filter Element
- 1 Installation Instructions

Please read and understand entire instructions before starting installation.

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### NOTICE

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### NOTICE

**IF INSTALLING THIS PRODUCT FOR ANOTHER PARTY, PLEASE MAKE SURE THEY RECEIVE THIS COPY OF THE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS SO THEY ARE AWARE OF THE IMPORTANT INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THEM.**

### TOOLS SUGGESTED

Metric and Standard Hex Wrench Sets, Metric Combination Wrench Set, Factory Service Manual.

### CUSTOMER SERVICE

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### INSTALLATION QUESTIONS

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**STRICTLY OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES IN ORDER TO USE THE PRODUCT PROPERLY AND AVOID POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS ACCIDENTS.**

**STEP 1** Read and understand all steps in the instructions before starting the installation. Park the motorcycle on a hard, level surface and turn off the ignition. Let cool.

**WARNING** YOU WILL BE WORKING AROUND THE ENGINE AND EXHAUST SYSTEM DURING INSTALLATION. ENSURE THAT THE ENGINE AND EXHAUST SYSTEM HAVE FULLY COOLED TO PREVENT INJURY.

**WARNING** A FACTORY SERVICE MANUAL WILL BE HELPFUL IN PERFORMING THIS INSTALLATION. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO PERFORM THIS INSTALLATION IF YOU ARE NOT CONFIDENT IN YOUR ABILITY TO COMPLETE ALL OF THE STEPS IN THE PROCEDURE; CONSULT A TRAINED TECHNICIAN. IMPROPER INSTALLATION COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH.

**NOTICE** The installation of any high performance air cleaner system can cause a "lean" fuel/air mixture. A "lean" fuel/air mixture can cause engine overheating resulting in severe engine damage. Küryakyn recommends installing our Wild Things Controller, P/N 9218, on fuel injected bikes, or having the bike tuned by an experienced tuner, on a dyno, with an exhaust gas analyzer.

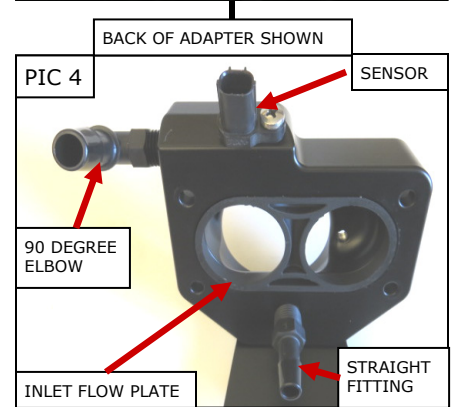
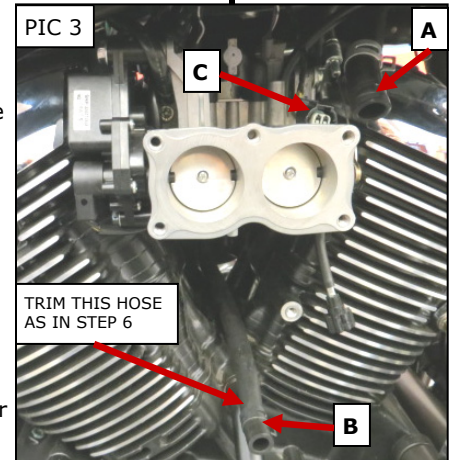
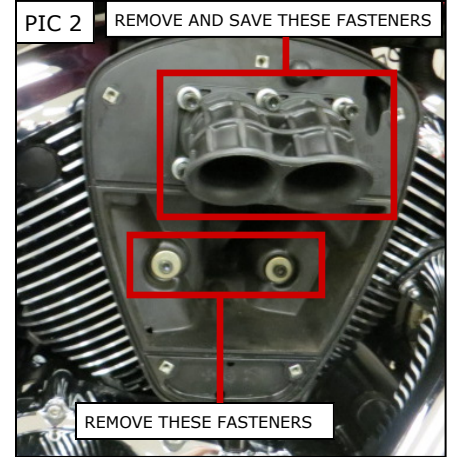
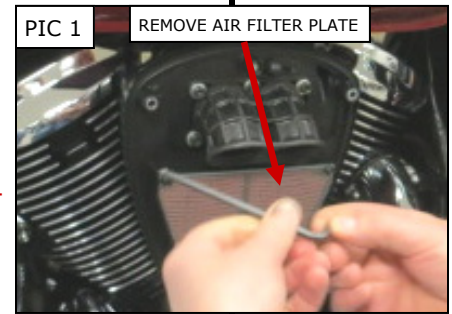
**STEP 2** Remove the stock air cleaner cover. Remove the fastener that holds the filter plate to the backing plate. PIC 1 Remove the five fasteners that secure the backing plate to the throttle body. PIC 2 Set these aside, you will reuse four of them. Remove the two lower mounting fasteners. PIC 2 Set these aside, they will not be reused. Gently pull the backing plate away from the throttle body and remove the two hoses ("A" and "B") and unplug the sensor ("C") at the top of the backing plate. PIC 3 Remove the sensor and o-ring from the backing plate. Set this aside, it will be reused.

**STEP 3** Locate the mounting hardware kit. Place the inlet flow plate into the back of the air filter adapter as shown in PIC 4. The radius side of the inlet plate goes towards the inside of the adapter.

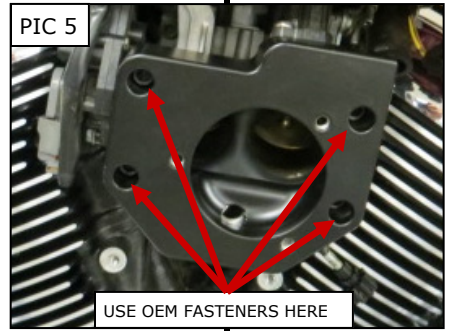
**STEP 4** Install the 90 degree elbow fitting to the side of the air filter adapter. PIC 4 This will angle back towards the engine. PIC 4 Install the straight barbed fitting to the bottom location on the back of the adapter. PIC 4 Using the supplied M5 X .8 X 10mm Phillips screw, attach the sensor and o-ring removed in Step 2 to the adapter. PIC 4

**STEP 5** Using two of the included M6 X 1.0 X 13mm socket head cap screws, M6 lock washers and M6 flat washers, loosely attach the support bracket to the bottom of the air filter adapter.

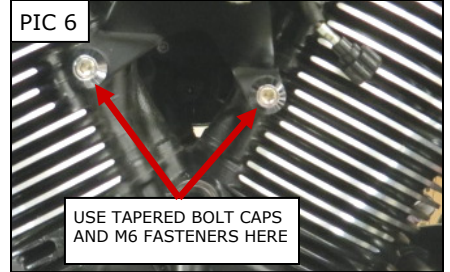
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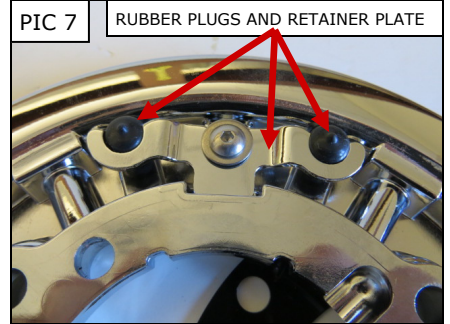
**STEP 6** Attach the air filter adapter to the throttle body using four of the OEM throttle body fasteners removed in Step 2. PIC 5 Attach the hose marked "A" in PIC 3 to the 90 degree elbow fitting on the adapter. Connect the hose marked "B" in PIC 3 to the straight fitting on the adapter. (This hose may have to be trimmed approximately one inch for proper fitment from the end shown in PIC 3.) Plug the wire harness marked "C" in PIC 3 to the sensor.



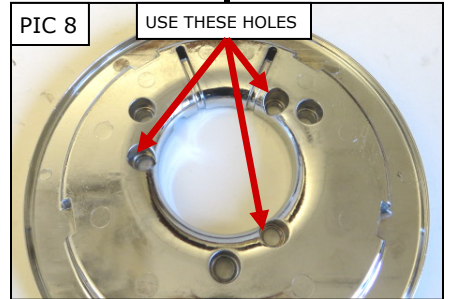
**STEP 7** Attach the legs of the support bracket to the cylinders using the two remaining M6 X 1.0 X 13mm socket head cap screws and M6 tapered bolt caps. PIC 6 Tighten securely. Tighten the two M6 socket head cap screws from Step 5 securely.



**STEP 8** Locate the backing plate for the Alley Cat air cleaner. Install the included black rubber vacuum caps over the nipples on the backing plate. Attach the tube retainer plate with the supplied #8-32 button socket cap screw and #8 flat washer. Tighten securely. PIC 7 The dropped center of the tube retainer plate goes towards the backing plate.



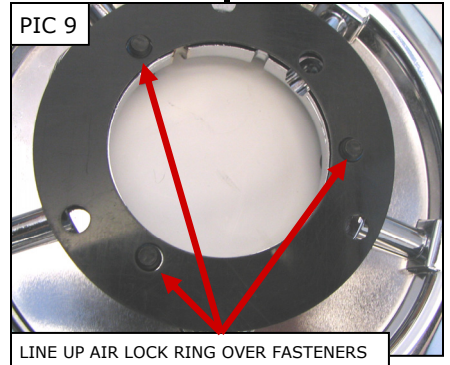
**STEP 9** Insert the 1/4-20 x 1/2" fasteners through the mounting holes (PIC 8) from the front of the backing plate. Place the air lock ring over these from the back side. PIC 9 The air lock ring will act as a gasket between the backing plate and the air filter adapter, **no extra gasket** will be needed here. Attach the backing plate assembly to the air filter adapter. PIC 10



**STEP 10** Line up the velocity plate on the front of the backing plate so the slots in the edge line up with the slots on the backing plate and the cut out is lined up with the three openings in the top of the backing plate. PIC 11

**STEP 11** Install the spider bracket over the slots in the backing plate and velocity plate. Attach it to the backing plate with the supplied #8-32 X 3/8" countersunk socket cap screws. PIC 12

**STEP 12** Install the outer portion of the air filter to the backing plate. This will snap in place over the velocity plate. Install the center portion of the filter to the outer portion. There is a hex cut into the back center of the center filter that will fit over the hex post on the Spider Bracket. Rotating the filter will allow this post to fall into the cut-out.



**STEP 13** Insert the 5/16" (larger) end of the stud through the outside of the Alley Cat Cover. PIC 13

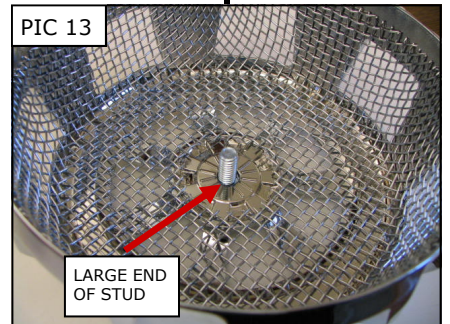
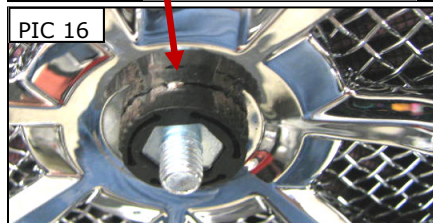
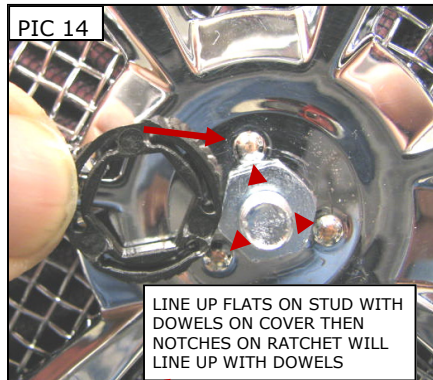
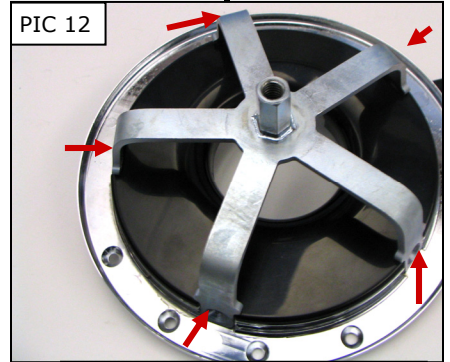
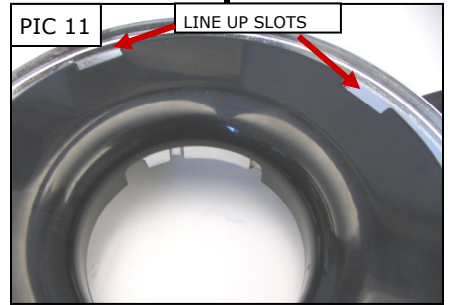
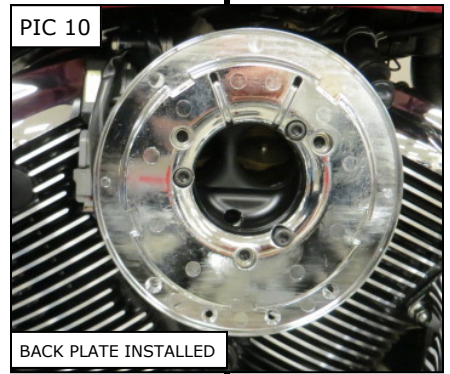
**STEP 14** Place a drop of blue thread locker on the 5/16" (larger) end of the double-ended stud. Place the Alley Cat Cover over the filter and secure to the Spider Bracket with the stud. Tighten to 36-60 in/lbs, lining up the flats on the stud with the dowels on the cover as shown in PIC 14 and PIC 15.

**STEP 15** Place the nylon ratchet over the hex on the stud on the outside of the cover. There are indents in the nylon ratchet that will fit over the dowels on the cover. PIC 14 You may have to loosen or tighten the stud slightly to get the indents and dowels to line up. PIC 16 Place a drop of blue thread locker on the threads of the stud and thread the Tri-Bar fastener to the stud. There are teeth on the nylon ratchet that the teeth on the Tri-Bar will engage to help hold the Tri-Bar in place. **The Tri-Bar only needs to be finger tight! DO NOT over tighten it!**

**STEP 16** **Double check the tightness of all related fasteners, check for hose clearance and check throttle for correct operation, making sure it returns properly, before starting the bike.**

**NOTICE** Some of our high performance air cleaners extend beyond the stock/OEM unit to achieve smoother air flow and better performance. Riding position may be affected, so it is important to familiarize yourself with the new riding position.

**NOTICE** It is the installer's responsibility to ensure that all of the fasteners (including pre-assembled) are tightened before operation of the motorcycle. Küryakyn will not provide warranty coverage on products or components lost due to improper installation or lack of maintenance. Periodic inspection and maintenance are required on all fasteners.



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