

Installation Tutorials

Sensor Mounting Methods

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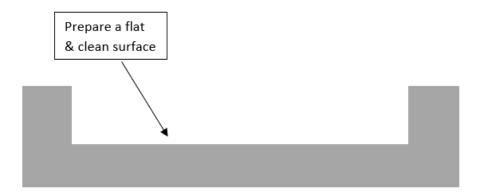
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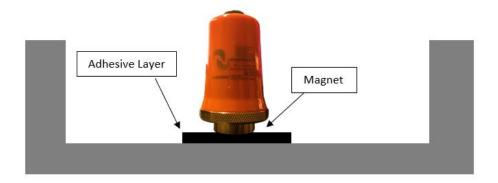
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1. Adhesive / Magnet Mounting Installation

- 1. Ensure mounting surface is clean and free from any residue or paint to ensure bonding of the adhesive
- 2. A smooth, flat mounting surface is desirable, and can be achieved by milling or grinding at the mounting surface
- 3. Place a small portion of adhesive on the underside of the mounting base (magnet)
- 4. Firmly press down the housing and magnet to mounting area to force the adhesive out from under the mounting base (magnet)
- 5. Hold the sensor housing onto surface for around 30s until the adhesive can support the weight of RotationLF sensor, ensuring the housing does not move or slide on the adhesive
- 6. Allow full cure for adhesive







2. Sensor Installation onto Mounting Hardware / Stud Mounting

- 1. Prepare flat surface using a spot face tool and drill pilot hole for tapping
- 2. The mounting surface should be clean and free from any residue or paint
- 3. Tap for desired threading (1/4" 28UNF)
- 4. Add thread locker to stud before installing sensor
- 5. Hand-tighten the sensor to the mounting disk properly
- The mounting torque is important to the frequency response of the sensor for the following reasons:
 - If the sensor is not tight enough, proper coupling between the base of the sensor and the mounting disk will not be achieved
 - o If the sensor is over tightened, stud failure may occur





3. Motor Fin Mount Probe / Pad Installation

- Prepare cooling fins on motor for mounting by scraping or grinding any paint or debris between cooling fins
- 2. Clean mounting area with a spray degreaser that will not leave a thin film lubricating residue
- 3. Apply adhesive to the sides and the bottom of the probe portion of the motor fin mount probe/pad (Please note: the area is roughened to enhance the bonding area)
- 4. Place the motor fin mount probe/pad between the motor fins at the desired location
 - The probe must fit in between the motor fins and the bottom of the probe must contact the motor casing
 - For motors that have a space greater than ½" between each fin, motor fin mount probe pads with a thickness of ½" are available and will reduce the amount of adhesive needed
- 5. Firmly press the motor fin mount probe/pad into place, ensuring that the bottom of the motor fin mount probe/pad is touching the motor casing (this contact area is where the vibration is transferred from the motor to the sensor)
 - The tip of the motor fin mount probe/pad should be as flat against the motor casing as possible
 - The motor fin mount probe/pad should not be resting on the top of the fins
- 6. Use a spatula to redirect any epoxy that has been displaced from the mounting area when pushing the fin mount probe/pad into place
- 7. Fill in any remaining voids with adhesive to ensure that the motor fin will be fixed in place
- 8. Allow full cure for the adhesive
- 9. Add thread locker to stud before installing the sensor

