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# Instructions for 80mm/100mm Smiths *Motorsport* Battery Operated 9V

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# **Installation Instructions**

The **SMITHS** MotorSport Classic tachometer is available in 80mm and 100mm diameter case size.

### **INSTALLATION:**

To fit the tacho, either an 80mm or 100mm clearance hole is required, dependant on the model purchased.

Connect the battery box with PP3 9 v battery to the Tachometer harness

A harness is provided with 3 free end wires to connect to your vehicle as below: BLACK - Connect to ground BLUE - used for setting functions only.

RED/BLUE - Connect to contact breaker side of Ignition Coil.

The Blue wire is used to set the calibration of the instrument, i.e. the number of cylinders.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS: SETTING THE NUMBER OF ENGINE CYLINDERS

#### (For conventional ignition systems, 1 coil & 1 distributor)

With the ignition or battery switched off, press and hold the blue wire to ground (black) wire.

Switch on the battery, keep the wire grounded until the pointer moves to the factory setting of 2 cylinders. Release the blue wire. Each momentary contact of the blue wire to ground will increment the pointer by 1000RPM (or 1 cylinder), up to 6 cylinders.

If 6 cylinders are exceeded, then the sequence will restart at 1 cylinder.

When the pointer is at the correct cylinder number, hold the blue wire to ground until the pointer has returned to zero.

Switch the battery power off then back on to set the tachometer to its new setting.

#### 4 cylinder lost spark ignition systems:-

These systems have two double ended coils and no distributor. Connect the red/blue lead of the tacho to one coil only. The setting will need to be halved, therefore set at 2000(2) not 4000(4), in this case.

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