



SINCE 1954



BOOST/EXHAUST DIGITAL Installation Instructions

Part No: SG911240
2 inch-52mm

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Important notes before installing:

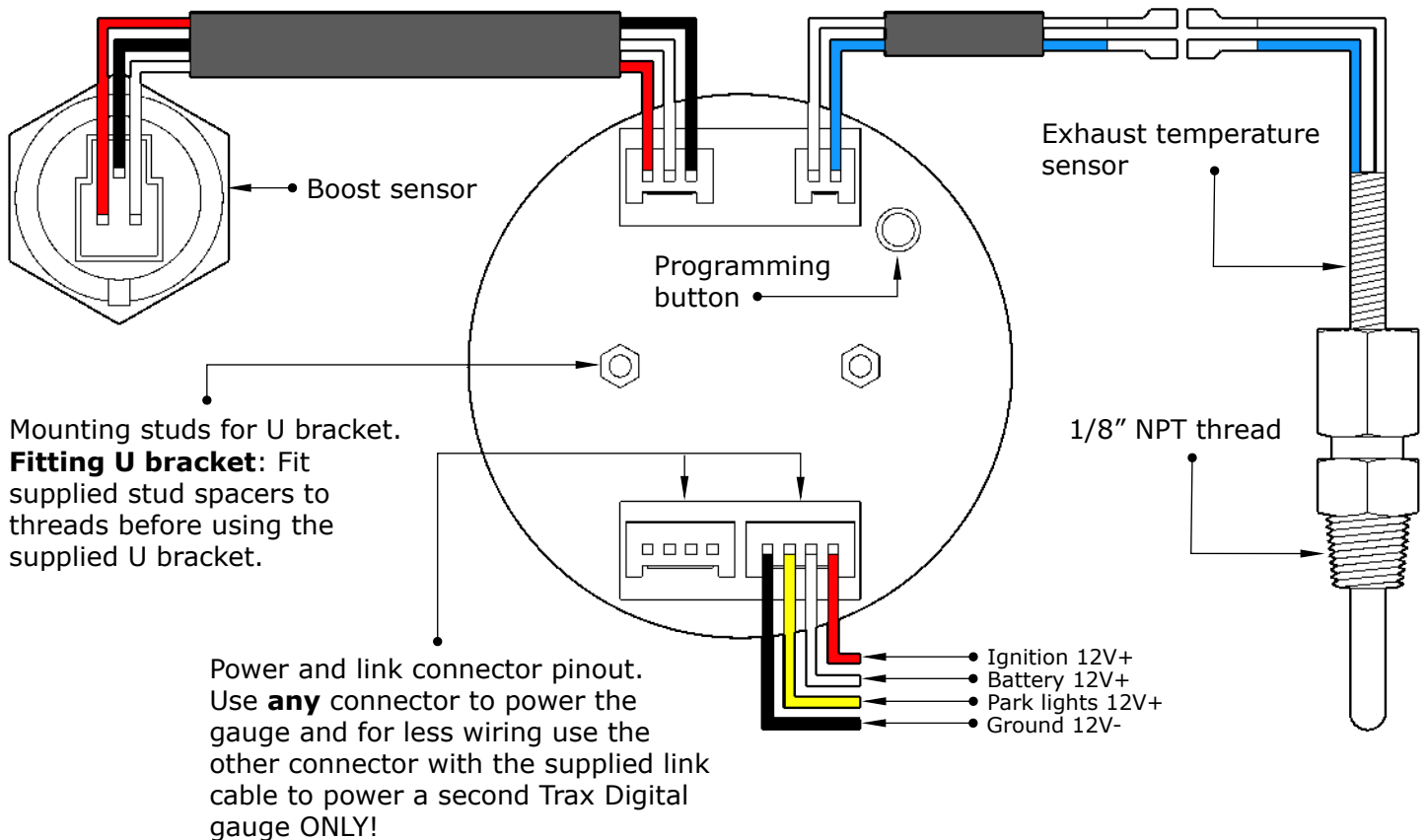
- Installing this product to your vehicle may require an adaptor. SAAS offer a large range of adaptors and installation parts; please check with your SAAS dealer for available adaptors.
- SAAS Trax series gauges are designed for **12volt** systems **ONLY!**
- All installation work should be done by a qualified professional to avoid damage to this product.
- SAAS **RECOMMENDS** all products be tested prior to installation. This will save time and speed up the troubleshooting process if you encounter any issues.

- **BEFORE** installing, please check our website (shopsaas.com) for the latest fitting instructions. If the top left corner (**v**) number is different to website, please use instructions from website.

Wiring Guide:

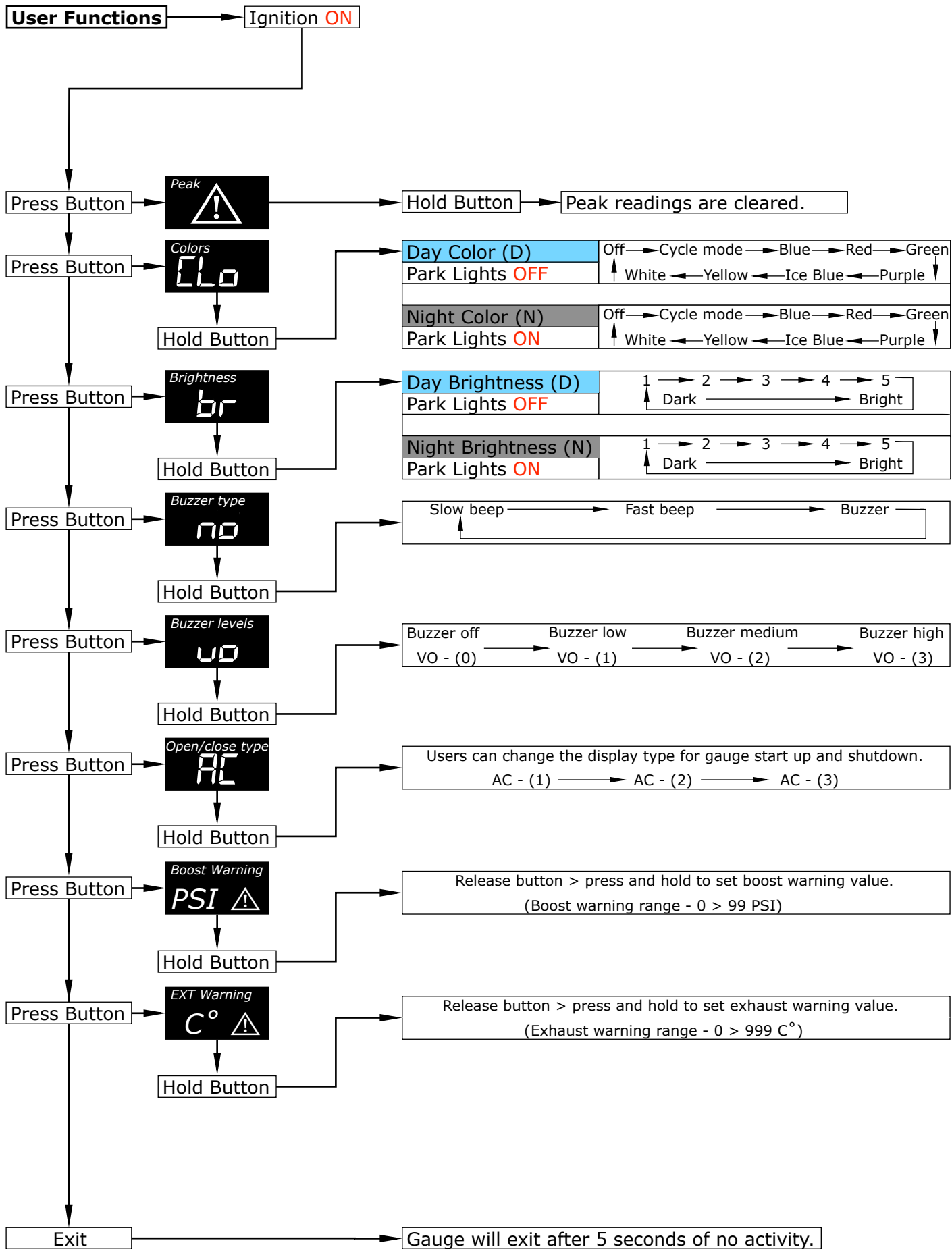
Wire colour	Wire Function	Wire Connection Location
Black	Ground 12V-	Vehicle body
Yellow	Park lights 12V+	Park light circuit (do NOT connect to a dimmer)
White	Battery 12V+	Ignition harness / Fuse box
Red	Ignition 12V+	Ignition harness / Fuse box

Wiring Diagram Typical Layout



User Functions:

Note: Use the programming button on the back of the gauge to set the below functions.



Exhaust Sensor Installation:

- Recommended sensor locations:

Turbo vehicles: Exhaust dump pipe or exhaust manifold.

Pros & cons for exhaust dump pipe:

Easier to fit, doesn't require removal of the turbocharger, extended sensor life and slightly lower temperature readings.

Pros & cons for exhaust manifold:

Harder to fit, exhaust manifold may need to be removed to clean out metal shavings, higher temperature readings and shorter sensor life.

Non turbo vehicles: Fit the sensor into the thin walled section of your exhaust manifold where all the pipes meet.

There is no right or wrong location to fit an exhaust sensor, an exhaust gauge is designed to give you a temperature reading from its installed location that you can use as a guide to get an average running temperature. Once you have your average running temperature, you can use that to gauge whether or not you have a temperature problem.

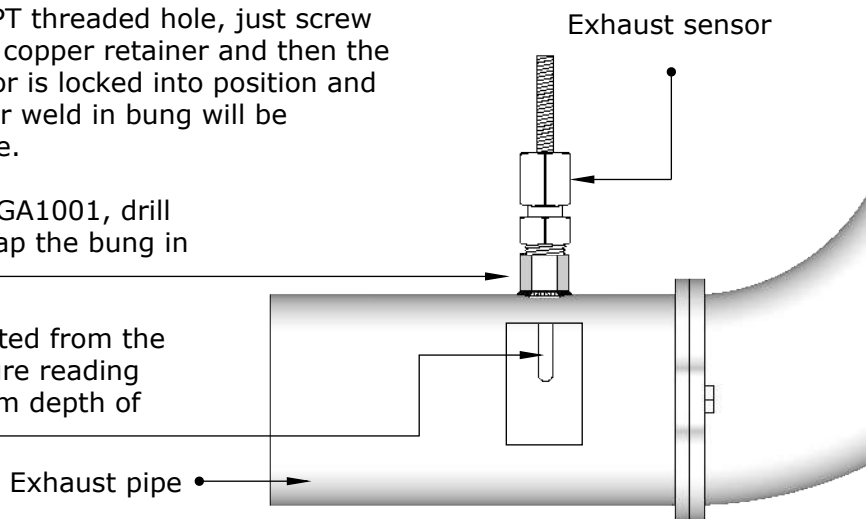
- Fitting the exhaust sensor:

Note: Exhaust sensors are **NOT** water proof and will give incorrect readings when wet. Depending on the mounting location, you may need to insulate the cable using a protective tubing!

If your exhaust has a pre existing 1/8" NPT threaded hole, just screw the exhaust sensor nut in followed by the copper retainer and then the sensor. Tighten the top nut until the sensor is locked into position and do not over tighten! A threaded adaptor or weld in bung will be required if you have a different thread size.

When using a SAAS weld in bung part# SGA1001, drill a 16mm hole in your preferred location, tap the bung in and weld around

Exhaust temperature readings are generated from the tip of the sensor. To get a good temperature reading the tip of the sensor must have a minimum depth of **10mm** in the exhaust pipe



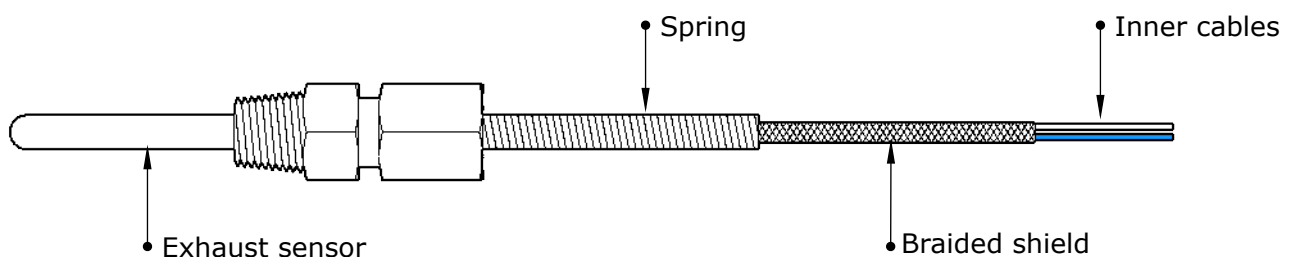
Important Fitting Notes For Installers:

- How to pass cables and sensors through firewalls correctly:

Option (A): Drill or cut a hole into a rubber grommet making sure there is enough room behind not to damage any factory cables and enough space to pass your cables and sensors through **without** any force. **DO NOT** pull on connectors when feeding through firewalls or grommets!

Option (B): Wrap some electrical tape around a wire coat hanger and around the connectors/ cables that you want to pass through the firewall, use some WD40 to lubricate the coat hanger so the connectors pass through the firewall grommet gently. **DO NOT** pull on connectors when feeding through firewalls or grommets!

- **WARNING:** When installing exhaust sensors, **DO NOT** allow the braided cable to twist or bend whilst screwing the sensor in or out of the exhaust! Over twisting or bending the cable will cause the inner cables and braided shield to break underneath the spring causing incorrect readings or no readings at all. This will **NOT** be covered under warranty!



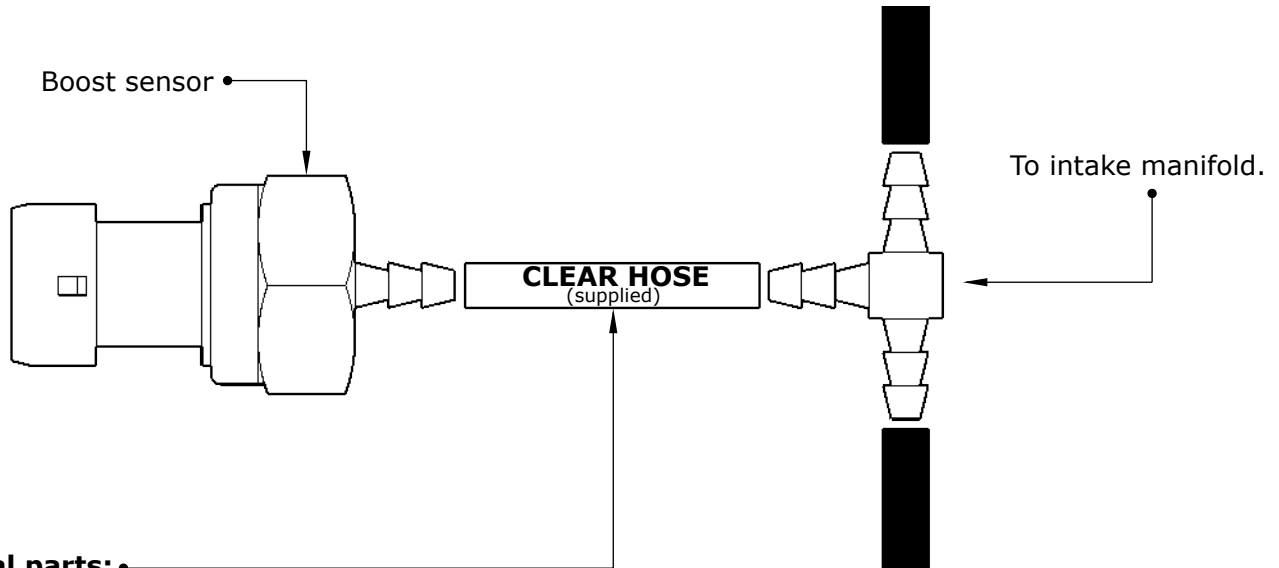
Boost Sensor Installation:

- Recommended sensor locations:

Connect the boost sensor to the intake manifold or intercooler piping **before** any factory sensors.

To secure the boost sensor, cable tie to a wiring loom away from extreme heat or mount the sensor inside the vehicle and run the hose through the firewall. (longer hose may be required)

The supplied tee fitting is used to splice into most vacuum lines but some vehicles may require optional parts like threaded barb adaptors or vehicle specific adaptors.



Optional parts:

Part# **SG21007** - 4 meter clear boost hose extension kit.

Part# **SSVH33MM** - 3 meter black silicone boost/vacuum hose. (Great for higher temperature applications and easier to work with)

GAUGE INFORMATION

Specifications

Gauge operating range	(boost) 0 > 60 PSI (EGT) 0°C > 999°C
Gauge operating voltage	8v > 18v
Boost sensor operating range	0.37v > 1.5v, scale: 0.37v > 0 PSI , 1.125v > 30 PSI
Boost sensor cable length / boost hose	2 metre power cable, 500mm boost hose
Exhaust temp sender type	(K type), Ω test: 7Ω > 21°C
Exhaust temp sender thread size	1/8" NPT
Mounting depth required for sensor	10mm (minimum) must be in the exhaust pipe
Exhaust temp sender dimensions	total length 85mm
Exhaust temp sender wire length	2 metre with a 100mm 2 pin gauge connecting plug
Gauge lighting type	7 colour LED with 5 levels of brightness
Gauge lighting colours	blue/red/green/purple/ice blue/yellow/white/OFF/cycle mode
Gauge power harness length	1 metre
Gauge link harness length	300mm
Mounting depth required for gauge	55mm (minimum)
Total depth of gauge	55mm (including bezel)
Mounting hole size for gauge	52mm

Troubleshooting:

Please note: If you are having problems with the installation of this product, please do not contact your retailer or SAAS until you have read **ALL** the troubleshooting notes below.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
-gauge beeps but no display	-incorrect wiring -display is set to (OFF)	-refer to fitting instructions -press button to change backlight colour
-not reading boost -boost reads (- - -)	-sensor not plugged in correctly -wrong boost location -damaged sensor	-check connector on gauge and sensor -boost line must come from intake manifold before any factory sensors -test sensor using a multimeter, a good sensor should read: 0.37v @ 0 PSI or 0.75v @ 15 PSI
-exhaust not reading -readings jump around	-bad sensor connection -sensor cables reversed -wet sensor	-check connectors on gauge and sensor -reverse the black and red sensor cables -allow sensor to dry out and insulate if needed (split tubing, electrical tape or heat shrink)
-exhaust reads (- - -)	-exhaust sensor not plugged in -damaged sensor	-plug exhaust sensor in -check sensor for any damage -test sensor using a multimeter, a good sensor should read: 7Ω @ room temp 21°C -see note below
-gauge beeps and flashes randomly	-warning function activated	-adjust warning settings accordingly

Additional Troubleshooting Notes/Tips:

- How to test a Trax exhaust sensor:

Disconnect exhaust sensor from gauge, use a led test light or multimeter and check for any ground signal coming through sensor cables. If ground is present in either cable then check sensor for damage or replace sensor. If no ground is present then check the Ωohms with a multimeter, a good sensor should read around 7Ω @ room temp (21°C).

Contents:

In The Box	Qty	Notes	Part No.
Boost/exhaust gauge	1		
Exhaust temperature sensor and 2 pin gauge connector	1		SG91003
Boost sensor and 3 pin power harness	1		SG91004
Boost hose and plastic tee	1		SG21007
Gauge power connector	1		SG9100
Gauge link connector	1		SG9101
Mounting U bracket	1		SG61005
Mounting U bracket studs (M4x0.7 thread)	2		
Mounting U bracket nuts	2		
Fitting instructions	1		

For further assistance email: tech@saasautomotive.com.au

ACCESSORIES & Installation Solutions

Item	Part No.
Exhaust gauge probe extension 1.2 meter	SG61008
Exhaust probe weld in temperature bung	SGA1001
Boost gauge tube extension 4 meter (clear tube)	SG21007
Silicone boost/vacuum tube 3 meter (black tube)	SSVH33MM
Silicone boost/vacuum tube 3 meter (blue tube)	SSVH33MME
Metal gauge cup 52mm black	SGC52BH
Metal gauge cup 52mm chrome	SGC52CH
Plastic gauge cup 52mm black	SGC52P

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Exhaust Sensor Fitting Note:

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Warranty Terms & Conditions:

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