

New Tool - Video Borescope

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While wandering around the Performance Racing Industry trade show in Orlando, I came across a borescope booth that was exhibiting their newest tool, a video borescope. I've always wanted one but the price has always been outside of my budget at several thousand dollars.

I picked it up and stuck the probe through a spark plug hole and then a port...

The screen showed a close up color picture of everything! There is a "video out" plug so you can hook it up to your TV or recorder. It comes in a carrying case and with a few accessories plus a 1 year warranty. I asked the price and seconds later my credit card was on the table. I expect to have mine arrive the first week of January.

I asked about bulk pricing and was offered rep pricing if I wanted to become a distributor. This sounded like a great idea because I can then pass the lower price on to all of you.

The price will be \$400 plus shipping until they do their product release which will have them at \$459.95. That's still a great deal.

I want to spend a week or so evaluating the unit when it arrives. If it meets our standards, I will make them available directly from Flowdata.

Video Borescope Specifications

Shaft Length:
36" ; Water resistant

Distal Tip Diameter:
0.42" maximum

With Accessories:
0.46 maximum

Viewing Angle:
55 Degrees

Viewing Distance:
0.4: to infinity

Resolution:
320 x 240 pixels

Viewing Monitor:
Color 2.5" ; LCD

Video Out Port:
RCA - NTSC signal

Shaft Radius:
2.5" ; minimum

Power:
Alkaline AA batteries (4)

Battery Life:
4 hours

Storage Temp:
-4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Operating Temp:
-4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Accessories:
Mirror and Magnet

Warranty 1 Year:

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year from date of purchase against defects and workmanship when used in accordance with instructions. Warranty is void if unit is opened or tampered with other than stated in instructions