



## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING ANTI SEIZE LEAD-FREE COPPER PASTE**

**Congratulations on purchasing an Akrapovic exhaust system. Please read these installation instructions carefully. If you have any trouble installing the system please contact your authorized dealer!**

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#### **Symbols**

The following symbols are used throughout these installation instructions:

**! CAUTION OR WARNING**

**✂ INSTALLATION TIP**

**! THESE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE READ CAREFULLY IN ORDER TO ENSURE PROPER INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF THE AKRAPOVIC EXHAUST SYSTEM AND COMPONENTS.**



**WE ADVISE YOU TO LEAVE INSTALLATION TO A QUALIFIED SERVICEMAN. IMPROPER INSTALLATION MAY RESULT IN A SHORTER LIFETIME OF THE EXHAUST SYSTEM AND/OR DAMAGE TO THE MOTORCYCLE OR CAR.**



**USE ANTI-SEIZE LEAD-FREE COPPER PASTE (black tube);** Provides trouble-free and long-lasting protection against seizing, corrosion and rusting of bolts, threaded ends, nuts, joints, etc. Also protects against vibration, wear and impact. **WARNING! Avoid eye contact. Avoid excessive skin contact. Keep out of the reach of children.**

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING ANTI SEIZE LEAD-FREE COPPER PASTE:**

Anti seize lead-free copper paste provides long-lasting protection of exhaust system parts. It creates a metallic medium between metal surfaces which does not bond with either of the surfaces, so that the joints will be kept apart even after exposure to extreme pressures or temperatures. A thin coating provides trouble-free and long-lasting protection against the seizing, corrosion and rusting of bolts, threaded ends, nuts, joints, etc. Anti seize lead-free copper paste provides protection against oxidation, corrosion, vibrations, wear and impact, and simplifies the attaching and detaching of screws, bolts and nuts.

### **SAFETY:**

- anti seize lead-free copper paste must be stored out of the reach of children
- avoid excessive contact of anti seize lead-free copper paste with skin
- must not come into contact with mucous membranes
- must not be swallowed or inhaled
- must not come into contact with the human body, especially with sensitive parts such as the face, mouth, eyes, nose, ears etc.
- in the case of damaged skin, especially on the hand used to apply the paste (open cuts, sores etc.) the anti seize lead-free copper paste must not come into contact with the skin
- may not be burned in enclosed areas
- may not be burned or disposed of outdoors
- after using anti seize lead-free copper paste, close the tube tightly and keep out of the reach of children; when empty dispose of as chemical waste
- wash hands thoroughly after using anti seize lead-free copper paste

### **First aid measures**

- Eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention if irritation persists.
- Skin contact: Wash with soap and plenty of water. Do not use organic solvents.
- Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Slowly dilute with 1-2 glasses of water or milk and seek medical attention. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
- Inhalation: Remove person into fresh air.

## **1. PREPARATION FOR INSTALLATION OF THE AKRAPOVIĆ METAL CLAMPS, BOLTS AND NUTS USING ANTI SEIZE LEAD-FREE COPPER PASTE:**

For easier later removal and to prevent damage of components, we recommend that you apply the copper paste included in the kit before installing the clamp, bolt or nut.

1. Apply a thin layer of copper paste to the interior side of the metal clamp and completely cover the interior surface of the metal clamp (**Figure 1, 2**). Apply a thin layer of copper paste to the threads of the bolt or to the threads of the nut (**Figure 3, 4**).



Figure 1



Figure 2

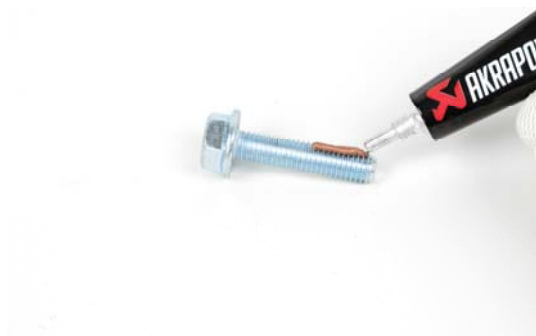


Figure 3



Figure 4