

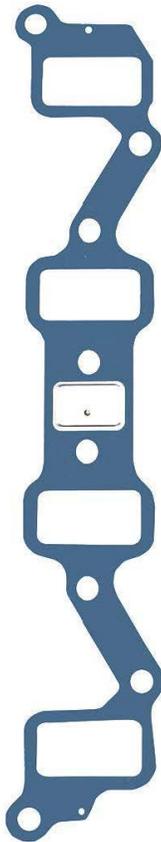
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**SUBJECT: APE65110 DS Pump Installation Kit**  
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Alliant Power is implementing a product improvement to the **APE65110 DS Pump Installation Kit**. Based on feedback from the dealer network, it has been determined the material used in the current intake manifold gasket bonds so strongly to the intake manifold and cylinder head, that the gasket will tear upon removal. This requires extensive cleaning of the intake manifold and cylinder head sealing surfaces before a new gasket can be installed. The new intake manifold gasket material will greatly reduce repair times when the gaskets need to be removed.

There is no issue with the functionality of the current gasket when in place and the new gasket will be equal to the original with the added benefit of easier removal and cleaning of the gasket and sealing surfaces.

The new gasket can be easily identified by its blue color compared to the current gasket which is black, as seen in the images below. The new gasket kit will be phased in as the stock of the current gasket kit is depleted.



**New Style Intake  
Manifold Gasket**



**Current Style Intake  
Manifold Gasket**

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