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## Dodge Ram Pickup 1999-2001 3.9, 5.2, 5.9, 5.9D & 8L Dodge Durango, Dakota & Ram Van 1999 3.9, 5.2 & 5.9L

## **Supplied Items:**

Large Case Conversion Alternator with attached Bracket.

Adapter Harness

Washers

Spacer

**Wire Check:** The original alternator is externally regulated by the computer. The original plug has two wires, one will have 12.6 volts with the key turned on and the other is the regulation wire. You will have to determine what the wires are conncted to do. This process is as follows: With the vehicle in park and the parking break on, start the vehicle. Using a volt meter, test each of the alternator plug wires. The wire that has the highest voltage is the main power for the voltage regulation. **Mark or remember which wire is which, for the instructions below.** 

## **Installation Instructions:**

Disconnect the negative battery cable and then disconnect the positive battery cable.

Disconnect the wiring, remove the belt, and then remove the stock alternator from it's mounting brackets.

Mount the new alternator to the existing mounting bracket on the engine with the double feet from the alternator on either side of the mounting bracket. Use the supplied spacers if necessary to reduce extra space between the mounting bracket and the alternator bracket. Install the original long bolt and hand tighten.

See the diagram below.

Mount the single ear to the belt tensioner by installing the shorter bolt. Tighten all the bolts sufficiently enough to ensure that the belt has the correct tension.

The green with red stripe wire is to be inserted into the plug wire slot with the higher voltage and the white with black stripe wire goes into the other plug wire slot. Ensure that the adapter plug supplied is connected to the newly installed alternator at the regulator. If the alternator does not charge with the vehicle running, turn off the engine and undo the wires and revese them. After you have made certain that the alternator is charging properly, secure the wires so that they will not come out under normal usage. Connect the stock alternator plug to the supplied adapter harness and then connect the adapter harness to the newly installed alternator. **See the Adapter harness diagram below**.

Connect two new cables(1/0 awg.) (not supplied) between the alternator Post and the battery post, connecting the positive cable first and the negative cable last. The original cables will not be used and therefore be individually covered with electrical tape and/or heat shrink tubing to prevent the cables from shorting against each other. See the diagram below For the cable connections.

## **Adapter Harness Wire Color Usage:**

White with Black Stripe wire will be connected to a regulated voltage.

Green with Red Stripe wire will be connected to 12 volts.

Yellow with White Stripe wire is for the Power/voltage sense and will be connected to the output of the alternator.