

Report Comment: 548 Merlin

Engine Comments:

World Merlin II 548 cid, AFR 357 CNC heads, T&D 1.7 Rocker shafts, comp  
 cams 281/300 114 l/s , 1250 cfm pro systems dominator, 2 1/8 headers 13.7  
 compression

Projected Performance

Engine RPM	3500	4000	4500	5000	5500	6000	6500	7000	7500	8000
Brk Tq, ft lb	588	507	530	655	748	789	786	748	714	682
Brake HP	392	386	454	623	784	902	973	997	1020	1039
Exh Pres, PSI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Int Vac, "Hg	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8
Vol Eff, %	76.3	66.6	69.5	84.0	96.2	103.3	106.8	104.0	101.6	99.3
Actual CFM	423	422	496	666	839	982	1101	1155	1208	1260
Fuel Flow, lb/hr	155	154	181	243	306	359	402	422	441	460
Nitrous, lb/hr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ntrs Fuel, lb/hr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BMEP, PSI	162	140	146	180	206	217	216	206	197	188
A/F Mxtr Qlty, %	97.9	98.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
BSFC, lb/HP-hr	0.394	0.398	0.398	0.389	0.390	0.397	0.412	0.422	0.432	0.442
Thermal Eff, %	37.01	37.52	37.72	37.97	37.68	37.08	35.99	35.64	35.30	35.02
IMEP, PSI	178	158	166	201	229	242	243	234	226	220
Frctn Tq, ft-lbs	58.5	63.9	69.6	75.3	81.3	87.5	93.9	100	107	114
Frctn HP	38.97	48.69	59.6	71.7	85.2	100.0	116	134	153	174
FMEP, PSI	16.09	17.59	19.14	20.74	22.38	24.08	25.83	27.63	29.49	31.41
Mech Eff, %	91.0	88.8	88.4	89.7	90.2	90.0	89.4	88.2	87.0	85.7
Motoring HP	44.27	50.7	62.4	73.0	92.9	114	147	187	228	262
Pumpng Work, HP	-5.30	-2.05	-2.84	-1.22	-7.74	-14.53	-30.51	-52.9	-74.8	-88.4
Residual Exh, %	8.4	13.0	13.0	7.3	3.5	1.0	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.2
Shrt Circuit, %	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	2.6	3.6	2.2	1.8	1.5
Exh Temp, deg F	1304	1294	1272	1305	1335	1317	1305	1341	1371	1351
Mx Cyl Pres, PSI	1203	1075	1128	1330	1502	1577	1586	1568	1547	1516
Mx Cyl Tmp, deg F	4253	4079	4112	4330	4461	4554	4546	4542	4547	4515
In Port Tmp, deg F	83	86	78	65	56	54	53	57	55	53
Piston Spd, ft/min	2479	2833	3188	3542	3896	4250	4604	4958	5313	5667
Piston Gs @ TDC	980	1290	1630	2010	2430	2890	3400	3940	4520	5140
Coolant HP	91.2	104	117	133	149	163	179	199	218	234
Blow By, CFM	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2
In Tun Pres, PSI	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.6	1.6	2.2	2.7	3.0	3.9	4.7
Avg In Vel, ft/sec	145	165	186	207	227	248	269	289	310	331
Avg Ex Vel, ft/sec	196	224	252	280	308	336	364	391	419	447
Mach #	0.224	0.256	0.288	0.320	0.352	0.385	0.416	0.449	0.481	0.514
Act In FlowArea,%	94.9	94.9	94.8	94.9	94.9	94.8	94.9	94.8	94.8	94.7
Act Ex FlowArea,%	94.3	94.4	94.3	94.2	94.1	94.0	93.9	93.9	93.7	93.7
Valve Toss	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Knock Index	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.3
Spark Advnc, deg	31.6	35.2	36.2	33.7	32.4	31.9	32.4	33.2	33.9	34.8
Primary Jet	.1106	.1106	.1103	.1095	.1087	.1077	.1066	.1061	.1054	.1047
Secondary Jet	.1106	.1106	.1103	.1095	.1087	.1077	.1066	.1061	.1054	.1047
Calc Error	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PkTq=789@6000 Avg=675  
 PkHP=1039@8000 Avg=757

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Special Calculations

----- Valve Flow & Cam Calculations -----				--Int--	--Exh--	
Overlap Area, deg*sq-in	53.0			Vlv Area, deg*sq-in	581.2	475.0
Total Exh/Int %	81.7			Total Avg Flow Coef	0.402	0.462
Lobe Separation, deg	114.0			Lobe Area, inch*deg	41.98	43.38
Overlap, deg	132			Duration, deg	348	370
Overlap @ .050, deg	63			Opening Events, deg	62	119
				Closing Events, deg	106	71
-----				--Int--	--Exh--	
Duration @.200, deg	201	212		Duration @.050, deg	281	300
TDC Tappet Lift, in	0.148	0.168		Opn Evnts @.050, deg	29	86
Gross Valve Lift, in	0.825	0.799		Cls Evnts @.050, deg	73	34
Net Valve Lift, in	0.805	0.777		Lobe Centerlns, deg	112.0	116.0
				Grss Tappet Lft, in	0.485	0.470
----- General Engine Calculations -----				-----		
Displacement, ccs	8981.4			Displacement, cu in	547.98	
Dynamic Comp. Ratio	6.61			Compression Ratio	13.73	
Theo. Crank Comprssn, PSI	157			Clearance Volume, ccs	88.2	
Pk Secondary Tuning RPM	na			Idle Vacuum, ''Hg	5.6	
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Engine Input Specs

Short Block, File: 548 mrk IV

Gen IV 548 CID stock short block

Block/Pistons/Rods		Accessories	
Bore, in	4.53	Fan Type:	Electric
Stroke, in	4.25	Wtr Pump:	Electric
# of Cylinders	8	Engine Inertia/Crank Design	
Rings: 3 Very Low Tension		Inertia:	2.36 Calculated
Rod Length, in	6.385	Crank Design:	Low Windage
Pstn Skrt: Smaller Skirt			
Bearing Size	.57		
Pstn Top: No Coating			
Cyl Lckg: Low Leakage			

Head(s), File: CHV-RCTP.ORT

AFR 357 CNC heads

Intake Port Specs				Exhaust Port Specs			
Port Layout: 1 valve & 1 port				Port Layout: 1 valve & 1 port			
Valve Diameter, in	2.3	Valve Diameter, in	1.88	Avg Port Diameter, in	1.5	Port Length, in	3
Avg Port Diameter, in	2.45	Single Flow Coef	na	Anti-Reversion, %	0	Miscellaneous	
Port Length, in	3.5	Compression Ratio	13.73	Mtrl/Coating:	Aluminum	Burn Rating:	Very Much Faster
Single Flow Coef	na	Chamber Design:	Typical Wedge	Exh Valve Primary Angle	16	Exh Valve Canted Angle	2
Anti-Reversion, %	0	Int Valve Primary Angle	24	Exh Valve-Deck Distance	.55	Head Gasket Thickness	.04
Combustion Chamber		Int Valve Canted Angle	4	Deck Ht Clearance	.01		
Compression Ratio	13.73	Int Valve-Deck Distance	.01				
Chamber Design:	Typical Wedge	Deck Ht Clearance	.01				
---- Int Head Flow @ 28" ----				---- Exh Head Flow @ 28" ----			
Lift	L/D	CFM	FlCf	Lift	L/D	CFM	FlCf
.2	.087	167	.755	.2	.106	142	.786
.3	.130	242	.730	.3	.160	193	.712
.4	.174	307	.694	.4	.213	244	.675
.5	.217	354	.641	.5	.266	278	.655
.6	.261	393	.618	.6	.319	310	.730
.7	.304	415	.653	.7	.372	321	.756
.8	.348	425	.669	.8	.426	327	.770

Intake System, File: GEN-V-BG.BLK

Edelbrock super victor CNC

Manifold Specs (1 runner /cyl)		Carburetor(s)	
Runner Dia @ Head, in	2.4	Total CFM Rating	1250
Runner Design: Straight Runners, mer		Secondary Throttles	na
Runner Length, in	5	Air Cleaner CFM Rating	na
Runner Flow Coef	3.00	Air Meter CFM Rating	na
Runner Taper, deg	0	Restrictor CFM Rating	na
Type: Single Plane-carb(s)		Plenum	
Int Heat: No Heat		Plenum Volume, cu in	151
		Secondary Runner Len, in	3.5
		Secndry Runner Area, in	4.2

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Engine Input Specs

Fuel Delivery, File: GEN-V-BG.BLK

Fuel Injection		Carburetor	
Injector Rating, lb/hr	na	# Primary Venturies	2
Injector Rated Pres, PSI	na	# Secondary Venturies	2
Operating Fuel Pres, PSI	na	Primary Venturi Diameter, in	1.9
Pressure Control	na	Secondary Venture Dia, in	1.9
Total # Injectors on Engine	na	Power Valve: .00	None
Firing Method	na	Venturi Discharge Coef	.63
		Air Bleed: 40%	

Exhaust System, File: GEN-V-BG.BLK

Open dyno headers ed quay

Header Primary (1 runner /cyl)		Open Exhaust System	
Straight Primary (no diameter change		CFM Rating	na
Section 1, Inside Dia, in	2.125	Collector (Detailed)	
Section 1, Length, in	34	Collector Length, in	12
Section 2, Inside Dia, in	na	Collector Dia, in	4
Section 2, Length, in	na	Collector Taper, deg	0
Section 3, Inside Dia, in	na		
Section 3, Length, in	na		
Runner Flow Coef	2		

Cam/Valve Train, File: 548

comp cams 281/300 11-741-9 (14)

Intake Cam Profile		Exhaust Cam Profile	
Centerline, deg ATDC	112	Cam File	cranl.c1
Duration @ .050"	281	Centerline, deg BTDC	116
Opening @ .050"	28.5	Duration @ .050"	300
Closing @ .050"	72.5	Opening @ .050"	86
Max Lobe Lift, in	.485	Closing @ .050"	34
Actual Valve Lash, in	.020	Max Lobe Lift, in	.47
Designed Valve Lash, in	.024	Actual Valve Lash, in	.022
Rocker Arm Ratio	1.7	Designed Valve Lash, in	.026
Profile Type: Aggr Solid Roller		Rocker Arm Ratio	1.7
Gross Valve Lift, in	.825	Profile Type: Aggr Solid Roller	
Dwell over Nose: 0 Deg-Std Profile		Gross Valve Lift, in	.799
Use a Cam File	No	Dwell over Nose: 0 Deg-Std Profile	
		Use a Cam File	No
		Overall Cam Specs	
		Total Cam Adv: 2. Advance	

Valve Train Dynamics, File: 548

Intake Valve Train		Exhaust Valve Train	
Gen Type: Pushrod & Rocker Arm		Gen Type: Pushrod & Rocker Arm	
Eff Valve Mass, gms	230	Eff Valve Mass, gms	200
Eff Rckr Arm Stffnss, lb/in	40000	Eff Rckr Arm Stffnss, lb/in	40000
Eff Lifter Mass, gms	180	Eff Lifter Mass, gms	180
Eff Lifter Stiffness, lb/in	guess	Eff Lifter Stiffness, lb/in	guess
Spring Rate, lb/in	900	Spring Rate, lb/in	900
Seated Spring Force, lbs	250	Seated Spring Force, lbs	250

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Calculation Conditions, File: 548 bbc 5:58 pm

Test Conditions

CorFctr: Use Conds Below  
Barometric Pressure, "Hg 29.9  
Intake Air Temp, deg F 60  
Dew Point, deg F 32  
Elevation, feet 0  
Cooling Sys: Liquid Cooled  
Coolant Temp, deg F 165  
Accel Rate: 200 RPM/sec

Fuel Specs

Fuel Type: Drag Racing Gasoline  
Fuel Octane (R+M)/2  
Use Nitrous Oxide No  
Program Sets Spark for Best Power

RPM to Run

Starting RPM 3500  
Number of RPM Steps 10  
RPM Step Size 500