concvection fan bearings
Posted by Eldergreen - 18 Jan 2013 02:09

Anyone know a good place to get bearings for convection fan on a 115? A particular part# you've had good luck with? Thanks all

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by blume98 - 18 Jan 2013 02:12

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by mr cob - 18 Jan 2013 02:34

I installed these this summer, so far so good.

www.ebay.com/itm/NEW-SKF-BEARING-608-2ZJ...;hash=item1c1841ce2a

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by teosinte - 18 Jan 2013 03:17

I have used 608 bearings from NAPA and the SKF bearings. The SKFs were installed last week; mine were made in Bulgaria. Also for those of us who are tool ignorant, the retaining clip in the fan is an external snap ring. One can get a tool (snap ring plier) to insert/remove this thing. I learned this after installing the bearings. Also, be certain that the inner spring washer has the convex surface directed toward the bearing. I inadvertently put it in concave side down, and it generated a metallic ticking noise. Reversed it and all is well.

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by Corny - 18 Jan 2013 14:47

I installed NAPA auto parts bearings, part number 38-2ZJ.

Here are some more tips plus links to alternate sources of supply.

Teosinte, your above tips are now included. Thanks. Ya, next time (and there *will* be a next time if Blume is correct) I'll get myself snap ring pliers.

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by Eldergreen - 18 Jan 2013 16:54

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blume98 wrote:

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Any particular bearing number you use ralph? Or are skateboard bearings all the same? Where do you get your grease?

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by blume98 - 18 Jan 2013 17:29

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there are all kinds of brgs i get from vbx bearings.com, the last ones they sent are sealed both sides, i talked with them and was told they are electric motor brgs, i have them and some with removable seals for 5.00 ea , i can put a little grease in with package as it only comes in big tube you can call anytime 717 7765237

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by Maguire - 23 Jan 2013 13:18

Buy the bearings from blume. they are the best value. I have installed dozens of these in customers stoves with no issue. just make sure you put them in right!

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Re: concvection fan bearings
Posted by IDFarmer - 29 Jan 2013 14:39

NAPA expensive bearing, don't remember brand, lasted a season. 10 pack of VXB bearings, repacked with grease, and cost the same as one Napa bearing have made it so far this season.

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Re: concvection fan bearings

Posted by blume98 - 29 Jan 2013 18:36

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the grease i use is timken gr218c for motors

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