

MOREL Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Worksheet

This worksheet works for 8/6/4 cylinder engines.

For Instructions, see the Instructions tab.

1. Enter static data below

5	Date	
6	Customer	
7	Oil Pump Type	
8	Oil Type	
9	Rod Bearing Clearance	
10	Main Bearing Clearance	
11	Block Mfg Engine Size	
12	Block Type - Cast/Aluminum	
13	Clearance - Cast Iron Blocks	0.0015 - 0.0017
14	Clearance - Aluminum Blocks	0.0014 - 0.0016

1. Enter static data.
2. Enter actual Lifter Diameter measurements.
3. Enter Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range: Min/Max/Target Avg.
4. Calculated: Bore Diameter.
5. Watch for Clearances out-of-range.

2. Enter actual Lifter Diameter Measurements below

Cylinder		Measurements	Min	Max	Bore Diameter	Calculated Clearance	Clearance Warning Messages	
							Below Minimum	Above Maximum
1	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
2	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
3	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
4	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
5	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
6	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
7	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
8	Int	0.0000						
	Exh	0.0000						
Count number cylinders		0						

3. Enter Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range:

Minimum Allowed	Desired Average	Maximum Allowed
0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

4. Calculated Values

Calculated: This Bore Diameter yields your desired Avg Clearance	
Calculated: Actual Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance (Col I18:I33)	
Calculated: Variance to Desired Avg Clearance (E39 in green)	

	Value	Count
Minimum Lifter Diameter	0	
Maximum Lifter Diameter	0	
Variance: Max - Min	0	

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4 1. Enter static data below	
5 Date	4/20/2021
6 Customer	Example Customer Name
7 Oil Pump Type	Dry Sump
8 Oil Type	Synthetic 5W30
9 Rod Bearing Clearance	0.0025
10 Main Bearing Clearance	0.0025
11 Block Mfg Engine Size	Dart LS Next
12 Block Type - Cast/Aluminum	Cast
13 Clearance - Cast Iron Blocks	0.0015 - 0.0017
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2. Enter actual Lifter Diameter Measurements below					Bore Diameter	Calculated Clearance	Clearance Warning Messages	
Cylinder		Measurements	Min	Max			Below Minimum	Above Maximum
1	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9373	0.0016		
2	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9373	0.0016		
3	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9373	0.0014	Below Min	
4	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
5	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9373	0.0014	Below Min	
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9373	0.0014	Below Min	
6	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
7	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9373	0.0014	Below Min	
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9373	0.0014	Below Min	
8	Int	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9373	0.0015		
Count number cylinders		8						

3. Enter Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range:		
Minimum Allowed	Desired Average	Maximum Allowed
0.0015	0.0015	0.0017

4. Calculated Values	
Calculated: This Bore Diameter yields your desired Avg Clearance	0.9373
Calculated: Actual Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance (Col I18:I33)	0.0015
Calculated: Variance to Desired Avg Clearance (E39 in green)	0.0000

	Value	Count
Minimum Lifter Diameter	0.9357	2
Maximum Lifter Diameter	0.9359	5
Variance: Max - Min	0.0002	

6. If you get Clearance Warnings, revise the target Avg Clearance, or adjust Min/Max range.

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Cylinder		Measurements	Min	Max			Below Minimum	Above Maximum
1	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9375	0.0018		Above Max
2	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9375	0.0018		Above Max
3	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9375	0.0016		
4	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
5	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9375	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9375	0.0016		
6	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
7	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9375	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9375	0.0016		
8	Int	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9375	0.0017		
34	Count number cylinders		8					

3. Enter Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range:		
Minimum Allowed	Desired Average	Maximum Allowed
0.0015	0.0017	0.0017

4. Calculated Values	
Calculated: This Bore Diameter yields your desired Avg Clearance	0.9375
Calculated: Actual Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance (Col I18:I33)	0.0017
Calculated: Variance to Desired Avg Clearance (E39 in green)	0.0000

	Value	Count
Minimum Lifter Diameter	0.9357	2
Maximum Lifter Diameter	0.9359	5
Variance: Max - Min	0.0002	

6. If you get Clearance Warnings, revise the target Avg Clearance, or adjust Min/Max range.

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	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9374	0.0017		
2	Int	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9357	Min		0.9374	0.0017		
3	Int	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9374	0.0015		
4	Int	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
5	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9374	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9374	0.0015		
6	Int	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
7	Int	0.9359		Max	0.9374	0.0015		
	Exh	0.9359		Max	0.9374	0.0015		
8	Int	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
	Exh	0.9358			0.9374	0.0016		
Count number cylinders	8							

3. Enter Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range:		
Minimum Allowed	Desired Average	Maximum Allowed
0.0015	0.0016	0.0017

4. Calculated Values	
Calculated: This Bore Diameter yields your desired Avg Clearance	0.9374
Calculated: Actual Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance (Col I18:I33)	0.0016
Calculated: Variance to Desired Avg Clearance (E39 in green)	0.0000

	Value	Count
Minimum Lifter Diameter	0.9357	2
Maximum Lifter Diameter	0.9359	5
Variance: Max - Min	0.0002	

6. Sweet spot: No Clearance Warnings with this Desired Avg Clearance, for this Min/Max Clearance Range.

1 **Instructions:**

2 **Most engine builders will machine all 16 Lifter Bores to the same Bore Diameter**
3 **to achieve an AVERAGE Lifter-to-Bore Clearance of 0.0015 - 0.0017 (Cast Iron).**

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5 **Follow these instructions to calculate the Bore Diameter needed**
6 **to achieve your desired (target) Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance.**

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8 **1. Enter static information in the blue block at upper left.**

9 **2. Enter actual Lifter Diameter measurements for each cylinder in the blue column.**

10 **3. Enter three values for the Lifter-to-Bore Clearance Range in the green boxes:**
11 **Minimum Clearance, Desired Avg Clearance, Maximum Clearance**

12 **Note: If the desired Avg Clearance is .0016, then the Min/Max range might be**
13 **somewhat larger, say .0014 - .0018.**

14 **4. The calculated Bore Diameter (in yellow) will yield your desired Avg Bore-to-Lifter Clearance.**

15 **5. Watch for calculated Lifter-to-Bore Clearances that are out of the Min/Max Clearance Range.**

16 **Warning messages will be displayed if any actual clearances are outside the Min/Max range.**

17 **If any Lifter Body diameters are way out of normal tolerances, they will stand out.**

18 **You may revise the desired (target) Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance in the green box provided.**

19 **Or, you may adjust the Min/Max Clearance Range.**

20 **The Sweet spot will show no Clearance Warnings with this desired (target) Avg Clearance,**
21 **for this Min/Max Clearance Range.**

22 **6. Whenever you enter/change a desired Avg Lifter-to-Bore Clearance:**

23 **A. The Bore Diameter will be re-calculated and displayed in the yellow box.**

24 **B. All calculations will be updated and displayed in the worksheet.**

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