# **SPEED UTV DESIGN PRESENTATION: 49**

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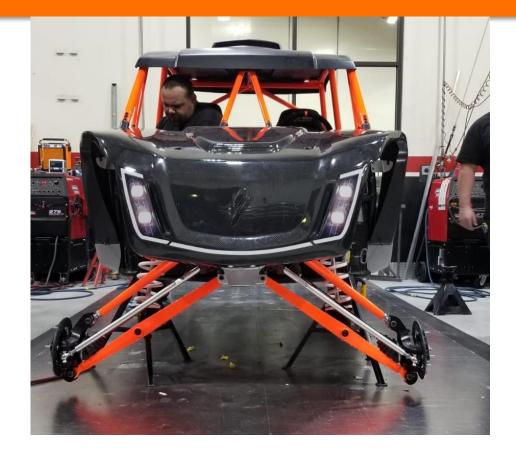
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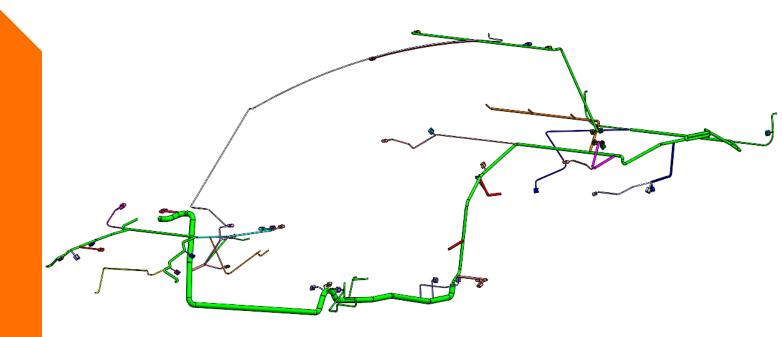
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# **SPEED UTV – Wiring Harness**



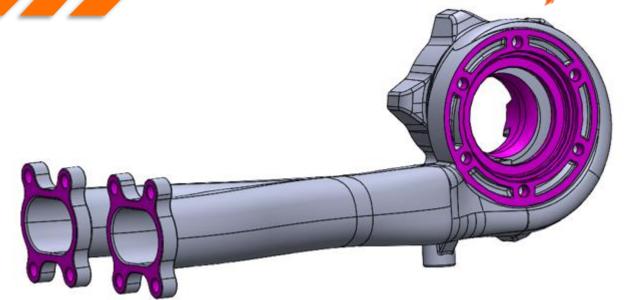
**Splits into 6 Sections for easy service/replacement:** 

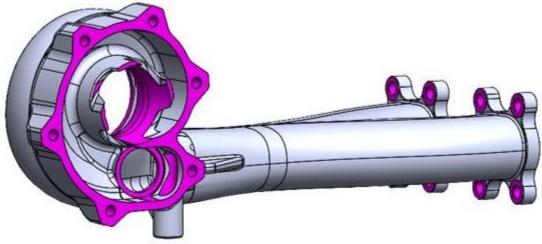
- Engine
- Front End (Headlights)
- Rear End (Fans/Taillights)
- Center Section (Main Cabin/dash/accessories
- Rear Cage (chase light/whip lights)
- Radio Antenna



All connectors are waterproof automotive grade

The one-piece, integrated exhaust manifold and turbine housing is a part critical to vehicle performance and reliability





A one piece manifold/turbine housing is the best solution because it eliminates all failure points. We have experienced failures at every other type of connection attempted (bolts, v-band, expansion joints)

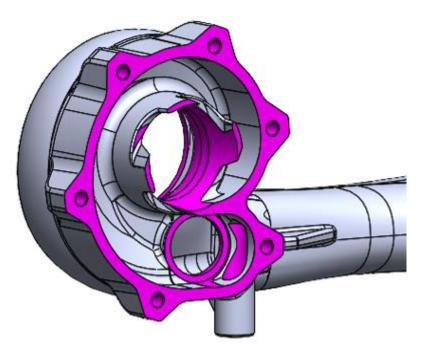
None of the other methods can withstand the extreme temperature, vibration and shock loading that this will be subject to on our vehicle





The turbine housing geometry provides 3 key performance and drivability benefits:

- Less drive pressure
- Improved wastegate actuation
- Better exhaust connection

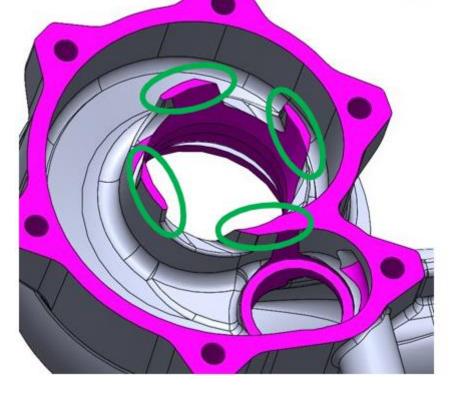


The next few slides will detail some of the core features.



#### **Reduced drive pressure:**

The blades on the exit of the turbine help control the main flow of gasses without being interrupted by the wastegate flow. The wastegate flow is introduced to the main flow by creating low pressure zones which pull the wastegate flow in (almost like a venturi effect)

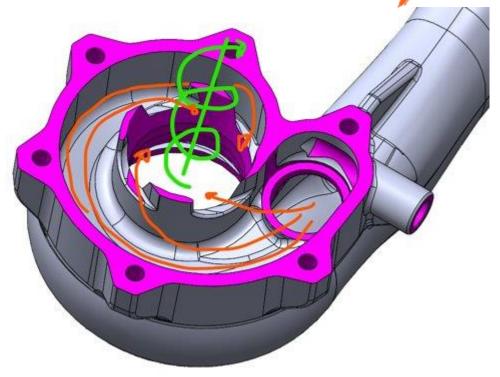


A reduction in drive pressure helps reduce the torsional load on the turbo shaft and reduce exhaust gas temperatures



**Improved wastegate actuation** 

 By separating the exhaust flow through the wastegate and reintroducing it to the main flow in a vortex fashion we can control the actuation of the wastegate more precisely without risk of boost creep""

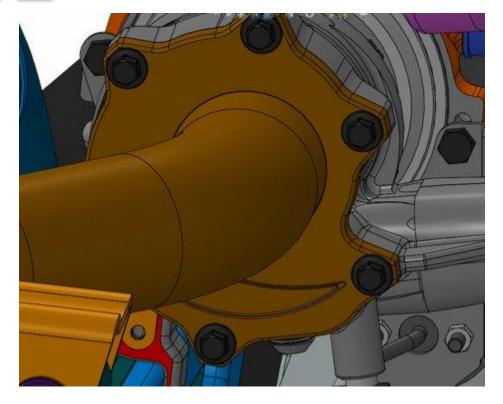


Boost creep is an issue we encountered while testing on the dyno with an early turbo set up. It is when the wastegate is opened (to reduce or maintain desired boost level) but the actual boost pressure continues to increase, this occurs because the exhaust flow through the turbine overpowers the flow through the wastegate. This can have bad consequences because the turbo is producing more boost that the tune is commanding and could cause a lean condition resulting in detonation or other negative engine impacts



#### **Better exhaust connection**

 The backing plate of this turbine housing is designed to fit a round 2.5" exhaust and still allow adequate clearance to the mounting bolts.

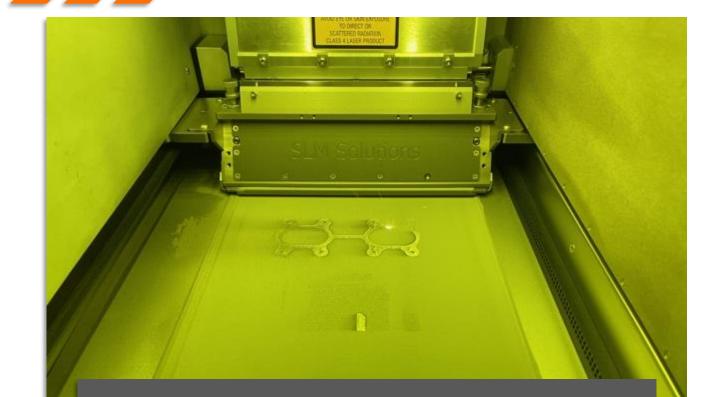


Because the wastegate flow in re-integrated into the main exhaust flow, there is no need for a complex housing shape to trey and capture the wastegate air as well



# The cast parts are still a few weeks away so we are 3D printing a test piece out of Inconel 625.





SLM (Selective Laser Melting) Printing is an additive manufacturing process where a highpowered laser is used to melt and fuse a metallic powder together one layer at a time. The part is slowly built up to create the final shape

### **SPEED UTV - MOTOR**

#### **Motor:**

- 999 cc
- Turbocharged
- 230hp pump gas
- 300hp E-85









### **SPEED UTV – POWERTRAIN**





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