



NO.9 70W CARBON FAT RIM INSTRUCTIONS

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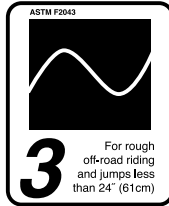
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Additional Product and Safety Information can be found at the website - www.whiskyparts.com/safety

Intended Use

Condition 3

For fat bike riding on terrain classified as ASTM Level 3. (Please see whiskyparts.com/safety for further information)



Compatibility

- For tube and tubeless-type tire use. Check with the tire manufacturer to verify tubeless compatibility
- Ensure that the rim is compatible with your bicycle (built-in dimensions of the frame and fork) as well as with other parts such as type of brake, cassette, tire, inner tube, valve and rim tape

General Rim Specifications

- Valve compatibility: Presta Standard or Presta Tubeless
- Maximum tire width: 26 x 5.0"
- Minimum tire width: 26 x 3.5"
- Max air pressure: 30 PSI (inspect tire for max tire pressure)
- Max spoke tension: 900Nm (3-cross lacing pattern)
- Brake compatibility: disc only
- Recommended rim strip: Whisky 55mm rim tape

Tire Setup - with Tube

Parts required

- Tire
- Tube
- Whisky 55mm rim tape (included with rim)

Tools Required

- Scissors
- Tire pump
- Knife or blade
- Safety glasses
- Soap and water

⚠ **WARNING** The use of tire levers can damage the surface of the rim and is not recommended.

Tire Setup Instructions

1. Put on rim tape to cover spoke holes. For best results:
 - Pull tape tight and keep centered in rim valley
 - Tape must not have any wrinkles or creases
 - Use scissors to cut tape. Recommended minimum 50mm (2") overlap
 - Rub tape with fingers or rag to secure it to the rim and work out any air bubbles
 - Using a sharp blade, cut a very small X in the tape at the valve hole. Do not cut tape past edges of valve hole
2. If necessary to aid in the ease of tire setup, apply soapy water to tire bead and inner surface of rim.
3. Install one side of the tire onto the rim. (Make sure to have orientation and direction of tire set up correctly at this time.)
4. Inflate the tube slightly so that it is round but smaller than the tire.
5. Insert the tube valve into the valve hole on the rim. You may install the lock nut onto the valve at this time, but leave it loose against the rim. Push the remainder of the inner tube into the partially installed tire. Ensure that the tube is not twisted and that the valve is perpendicular to the rim.
6. Starting opposite from the valve, carefully push the loose tire sidewall over the rim lip. Take care to make sure that the inner tube is not pinched between the rim and the tire. Work your way around the tire until the tire is fully installed into the rim.
7. Once the tire is installed, visually inspect the space between the tire sidewall and both sides of the rim by squeezing the tire, and ensure that the inner tube is not visible.
8. Inflate tire until both beads have seated on the rim. Tire will likely make an audible snapping noise when seated fully.
⚠ **WARNING** Inspect tire closely during inflation to ensure that it is seating appropriately. Wear safety glasses to protect yourself in the case of a failure during installation.
9. Adjust air pressure to desired level.
10. Go have fun.

Tire Setup - Tubeless

Parts required

- Tire (tubeless-ready tires preferred)
- Whisky 55mm rim tape (included with rim)
- Tubeless valve (included with rim)
- Tubeless tire sealant (endorsed sealants can be found at whiskyparts.com)

Tools Required

- Scissors
- Air compressor
- Knife or blade
- Safety glasses
- Soap and water

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Tire Setup Instructions

1. Put on rim tape to cover spoke holes. For best results:
 - Pull tape tight and keep centered in rim valley
 - Tape must not have any wrinkles or creases
 - Use scissors to cut tape. Recommended minimum 50mm (2") overlap
 - Rub tape with fingers or rag to secure it to the rim and work out any air bubbles
 - Using a sharp blade, cut a very small X in the tape at the valve hole. Do not cut tape past edges of valve hole
2. Install tubeless valve and tighten lock nut securely with fingers.
3. To aid in the ease of tire setup, apply soapy water to tire bead and inner surface of rim.
4. Install one side of tire onto rim. (Make sure to have orientation and direction of tire set up correctly at this time.)
5. Measure and pour tubeless sealant into tire. (See sealant manufacturer instructions for proper amount. Other methods for applying sealant may be available.)
6. Keep wheel vertical and carefully install second tire bead on rim without spilling sealant.
7. Inspect and adjust tire so that both beads are sitting evenly on tire.
8. Use an air compressor to inflate tire rapidly and seat both beads on rim. Tire will likely make an audible snapping noise when seated fully. (It may help to hold wheel off the ground during inflation so that tire sits evenly on the rim and minimal air escapes).
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9. Once tire has seated, rotate and shake wheel in all directions to evenly coat inner surface of tire and plug any air leaks. Deflate tire immediately if tire beads are not evenly approaching outer edges of rim.



10. Adjust air pressure to desired level.
11. Inspect the tire during the first few uses to see that it is not losing significant amounts of air as that would suggest the tire needs to be re-seated and or re-sealed.
12. Go have fun.

For trouble shooting tips and tricks, please see whiskyparts.com/safety.

Ongoing Maintenance

Inspect wheels regularly for appropriate even spoke tension trueness and for any damage that may have occurred.

Keep wheels clean to avoid any unwanted corrosion and to allow for easier inspection.

NOTE: Contact an experienced bicycle mechanic/wheel specialist for all truing matters.

⚠ WARNING Do not store rim in a climate more than 90°C/194°F.

⚠ WARNING Do not use any kind of solvents or surface-active substances.

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