

Hartzell Engine Tech's PowerUP Magnetos Receive PMA for Bendix S-20 / S-200 Series

Commonly Found on Robinson R22, R44 & Cirrus SR22, SR22T

MONTGOMERY, AL, UNITED STATES, March 19, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Hartzell Engine Tech, a Signia Aerospace Company, and a trusted manufacturer of aviation components for General Aviation and military markets, has received FAA Parts Manufacturer Approval (PMA) for its PowerUP brand Bendix S-20 and S-200 direct replacement 4- and 6-cylinder magnetos.



These PowerUP magnetos are FAA approved for use on Lycoming and Continental brand engines, including applications for Robinson R22 and R44 helicopters, as well as Cirrus SR22 and SR22T fixed-wing aircraft.



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Hartzell Engine Tech continues to advance ignition system technology with its PowerUP brand and anticipates further technological developments related to the PowerUP product line, including further PMA expansion.

The newly approved PowerUP direct replacement magnetos offer pilots and aircraft owners a high-quality alternative that is not subject to other manufacturers' Service Bulletins or Airworthiness Directives. With proven reliability, these magnetos incorporate key performance improvements, including:



Contact assemblies featuring a stainless-steel mainspring with precision-aligned contacts. Torx drive screws in key locations, including ship-loose harness attaching screws. Hex-and-slot timing and vent plugs for easier serviceability. Durable billet breaker covers for enhanced longevity.

Aviation professionals seeking a dependable and high-performing alternative to existing magnetos can now benefit from PowerUP's latest FAA/PMA-approved solutions, including a complete line of replacement parts, overhaul services, and 500-hour inspection capabilities.

About Hartzell Engine Tech

Hartzell Engine Tech offers a product portfolio consisting of PowerUP Ignition Systems, Janitrol Aero, Fuelcraft, Plane-Power, Sky-Tec, and AeroForce Turbocharger Systems. Together these brands provide excellent engine accessories and heating solutions for General Aviation and the military. For more info go to hartzell.aero.

About Signia Aerospace

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