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DOHC 4-Stroke 4-Valve Water-Cooled V12 Engine Model with Electric Start

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The ENGINEDIY GS-V12 is a meticulously crafted DOHC 4-Stroke 4-Valve Water-Cooled V12 Engine Model designed for enthusiasts. This model features an electric start and is built with precision to replicate a real automotive V12 engine. It includes a dual overhead camshaft (DOHC) system, exposed timing belt, and precision-machined components, offering both stunning visual appeal and functional demonstration.

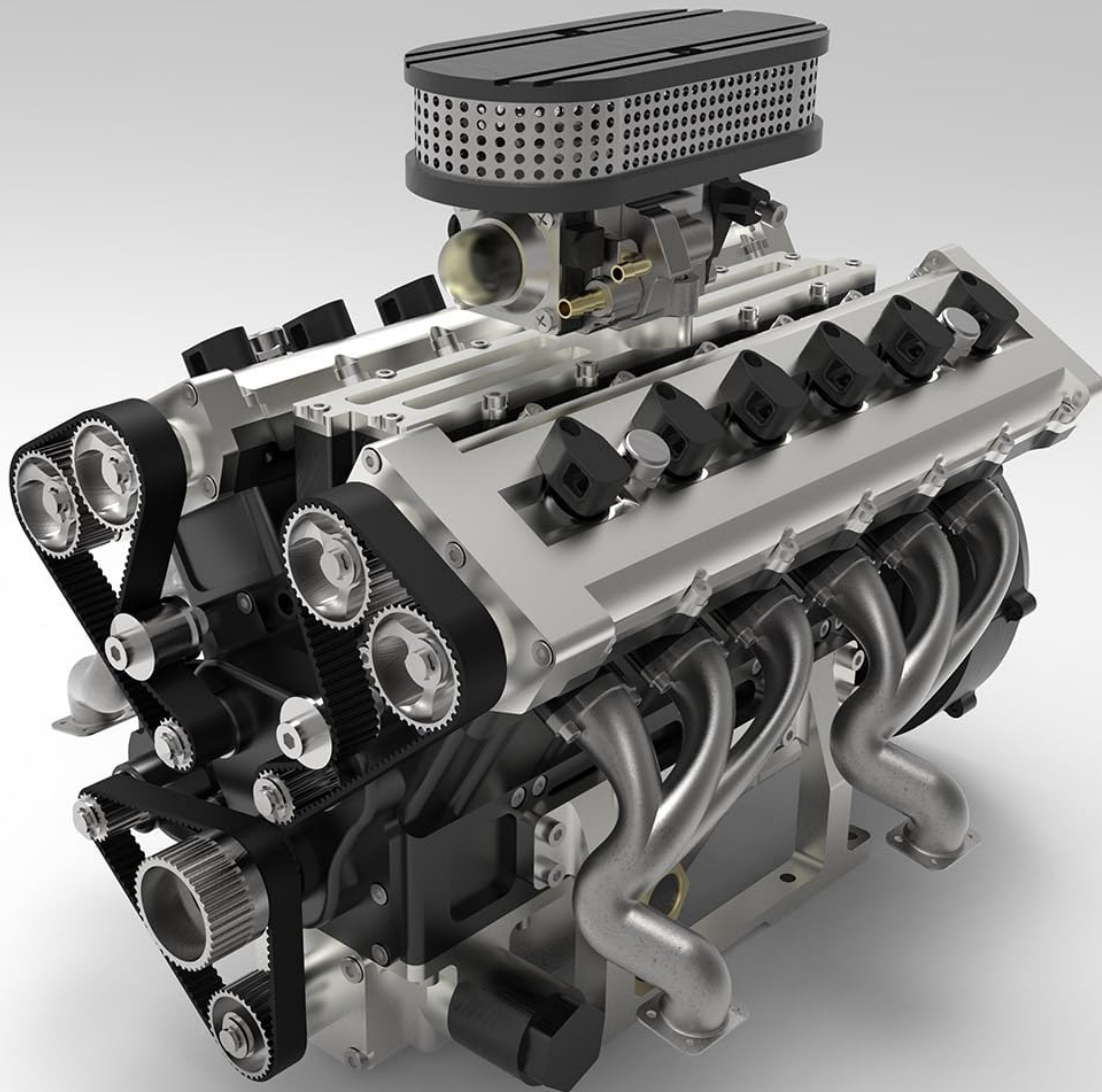


Figure 1.1: Front-left view of the ENGINEDIY GS-V12 engine model, showcasing its intricate design.

Key Features:

- **Authentic V12 Engine Design:** Features a dual overhead camshaft (DOHC) system, exposed timing belt, and precision-machined screws, mirroring a real automotive V12 engine.
- **Independent Lubrication System:** Equipped with an integrated oil sump and pump, circulating lubrication to the camshaft. A transparent oil cap allows for quick oil level checks.
- **Water-Cooled Pump System:** A built-in side-mounted water pump combined with auxiliary cooling components ensures efficient heat dissipation and stable long-term operation.
- **CNC-Machined Full Metal Construction:** Made entirely from high-strength CNC metal, providing durability and a realistic sound from its new-style exhaust manifold.
- **Precision Internal Components:** Includes a three-ring piston setup, high-hardness cylinder liner, and a fully bearing-supported crankshaft (five central and two end bearings).

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read and understand all safety instructions before operating the ENGINEDIY GS-V12 engine model. Failure to follow these instructions may result in injury or damage to the product.

- Always operate the engine in a well-ventilated area to prevent accumulation of fumes.
- Keep hands, loose clothing, and hair away from all moving parts during operation.
- Ensure all electrical and mechanical connections are secure before starting the engine.
- Wear appropriate eye protection when operating or performing maintenance on the model.
- Keep the engine model away from flammable materials and liquids.
- This product is recommended for individuals aged 16 years and older. Adult supervision is advised for younger users.
- Do not attempt to modify the engine model. Unauthorized modifications may void the warranty and pose safety risks.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Upon opening the aviation-grade hard case, verify that all components are present and undamaged:

- 1 x ENGINEDIY GS-V12 Engine Model (includes pre-installed mounting bracket and 12 spark plugs)
- 1 x Instruction Manual

If any parts are missing or damaged, please contact ENGINEDIY customer support immediately.

4. SETUP

4.1 Unpacking and Inspection

Carefully remove the engine model from its packaging. Inspect the model for any signs of damage that may have occurred during shipping. Retain the packaging for future storage or transport.

4.2 Mounting the Engine

The engine model comes with a pre-installed mounting bracket. Secure this bracket to a stable, level, and heat-resistant surface using appropriate fasteners (not included). Ensure the engine is firmly attached and does not wobble.



Figure 4.1: Rear-right view of the engine model, illustrating the flywheel and potential mounting points.

4.3 Lubrication System Preparation

1. Locate the transparent oil window and the oil filler cap on the engine model.
2. Carefully fill the oil sump with a recommended model engine oil (not included) until the oil level is clearly visible within the transparent window. **Do not overfill.**
3. Ensure the oil filler cap is securely fastened to prevent leaks during operation.

4.4 Cooling System Preparation

1. Identify the water-cooled pump system and auxiliary cooling components.
2. Fill the cooling system with distilled water or a suitable model engine coolant (not included).
3. Check all hoses and connections for tightness and ensure there are no leaks before proceeding.

4.5 Electrical Connections

1. Connect the electric start mechanism to a compatible 12V DC power source (e.g., model battery, not included).
2. Ensure all electrical connections are tight, secure, and properly insulated to prevent short circuits or electrical hazards.
3. Verify that the 12 spark plugs are correctly seated in their respective positions.

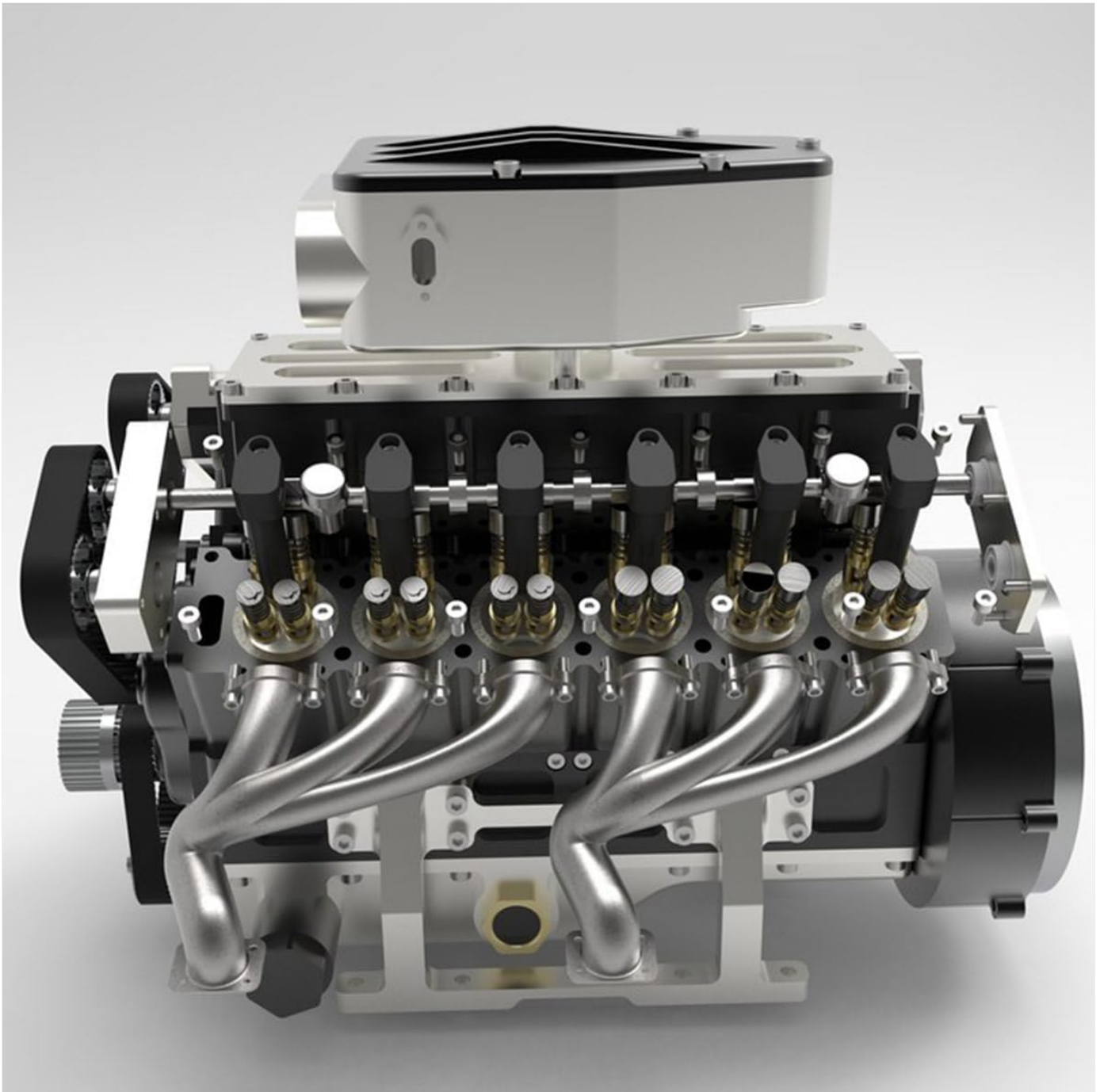


Figure 4.2: Close-up view of the top of the engine, showing the spark plug and coil arrangement.

5. OPERATION

5.1 Pre-Operation Checks

Before each operation, perform the following checks:

- Verify that the oil level is correct via the transparent oil window.
- Confirm the cooling system is filled and free of any leaks.
- Check all mechanical connections, including timing belts and pulleys, for proper tension and alignment.

- Ensure the engine is securely mounted to its base.



Figure 5.1: Top-down view, showing the DOHC system and timing belts, crucial for proper operation.

5.2 Starting the Engine

1. Ensure all pre-operation checks are complete.
2. Engage the electric start mechanism. The engine should begin to turn over and ignite.
3. If the engine does not start, disengage the electric start and refer to the Troubleshooting section.

5.3 Running the Engine

While the engine is running:

- Monitor engine temperature. The water-cooled system should maintain stable temperatures.
- Listen for any unusual noises or observe any abnormal vibrations. If detected, shut down the engine immediately and investigate.

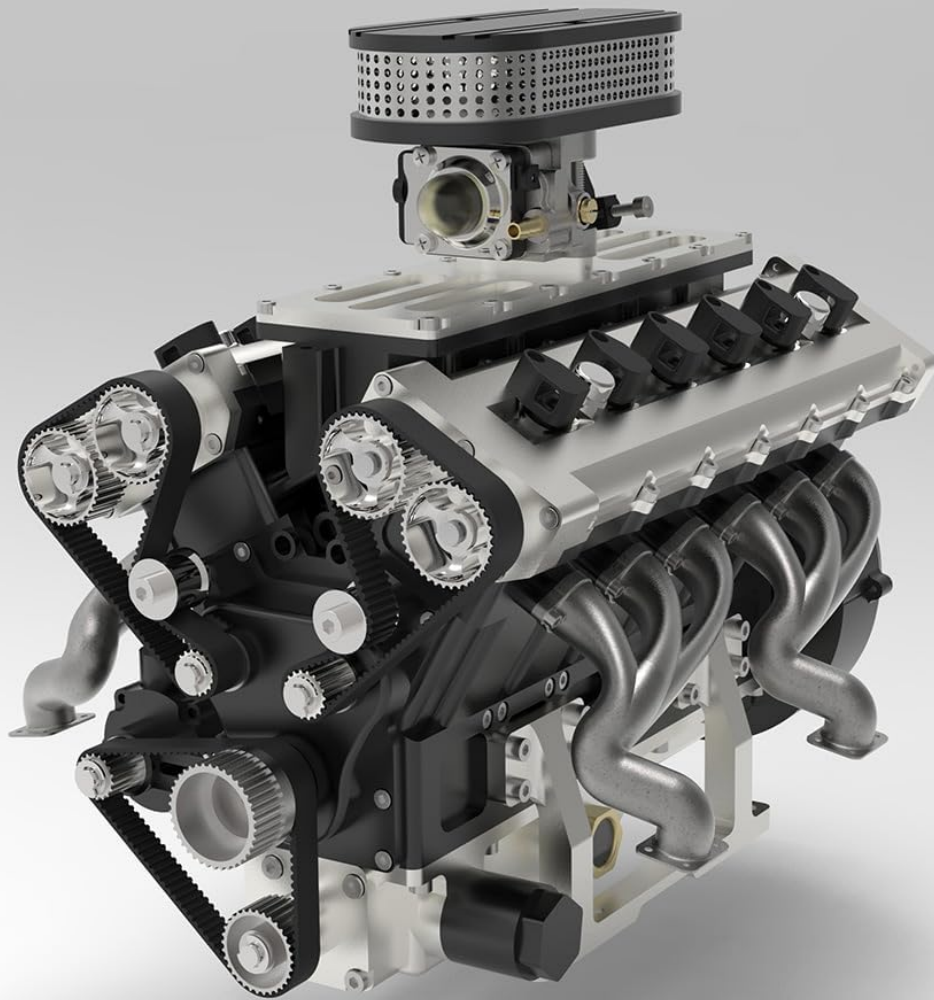


Figure 5.2: Side view of the engine model, highlighting the exhaust manifolds.

5.4 Shutting Down

1. Disengage the electric start mechanism.
2. Allow the engine to cool down naturally before handling or storing.

6. MAINTENANCE

6.1 Regular Checks

Periodically inspect all moving parts, belts, and connections for signs of wear, damage, or looseness. Tighten any loose fasteners as needed.

6.2 Oil Level Check and Refill

Regularly check the oil level using the transparent oil window. If the level is low, refill with the recommended model engine

oil. Avoid overfilling.

6.3 Cooling System Maintenance

Periodically check the coolant levels and replenish as necessary. Inspect all hoses and connections for leaks, cracks, or blockages. Ensure the cooling components are clean and free from debris.

6.4 Cleaning

Keep the engine model clean from dust, dirt, and debris. Use a soft, dry cloth for cleaning. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials that could damage the finish or components.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section provides solutions to common issues you might encounter with your ENGINEDIY GS-V12 engine model.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Engine fails to start	Loose electrical connections Insufficient power supply Spark plug issue Timing belt misalignment	Check and secure all electrical connections. Ensure power source is adequate (e.g., fully charged 12V battery). Inspect spark plugs for proper seating and function. Verify timing belt is correctly aligned and tensioned.
Engine overheats	Low coolant level Blocked cooling system Cooling pump malfunction	Check and refill coolant to appropriate level. Inspect cooling system for obstructions and clear them. Verify the water pump is functioning correctly.
Unusual noises or vibrations	Loose components Worn bearings Timing belt issue	Inspect all fasteners and tighten any loose parts. Check for excessive play in bearings; contact support if severe. Examine timing belt for wear or incorrect tension.

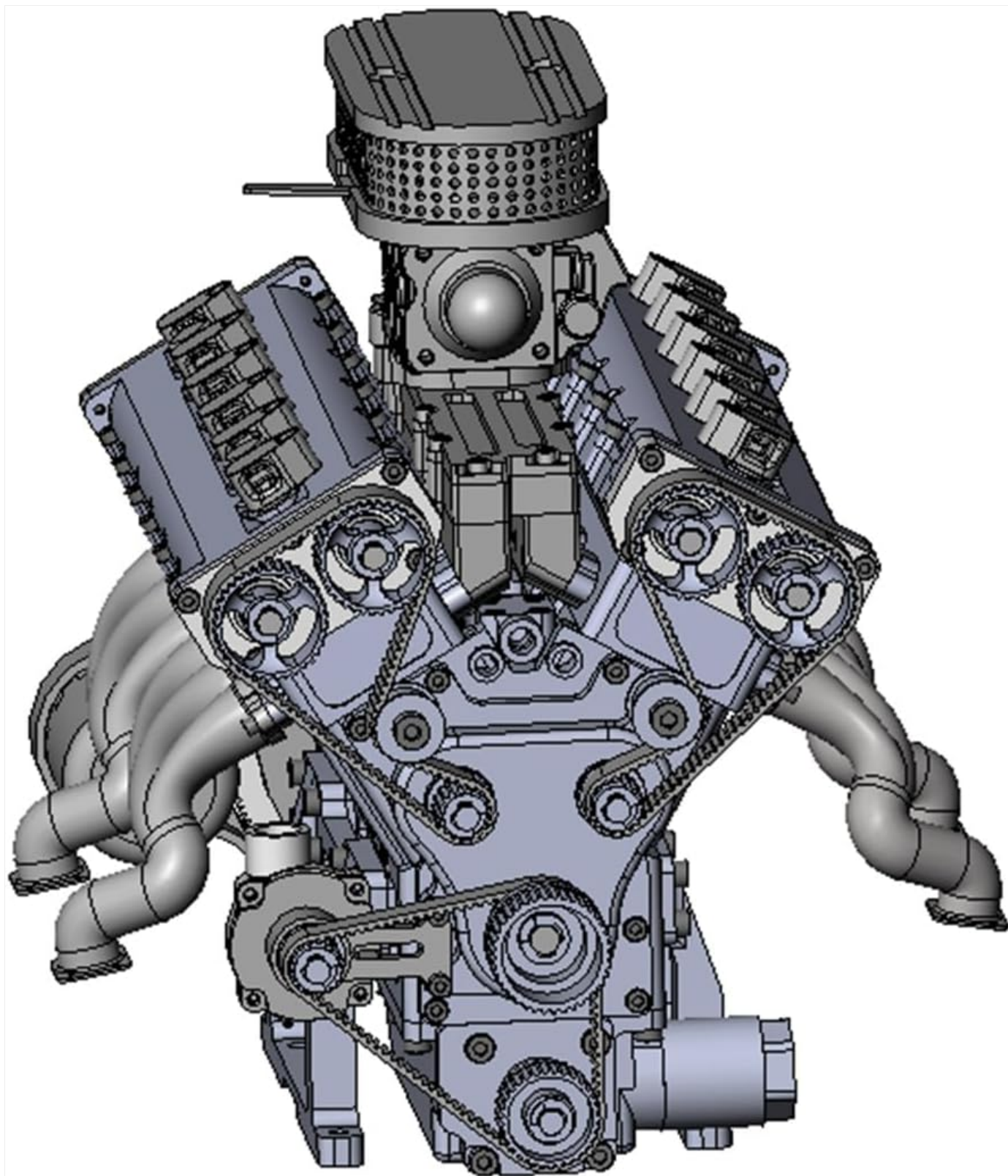


Figure 7.1: Technical diagram of the engine model, useful for identifying components during troubleshooting.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed specifications for the ENGINEDIY GS-V12 Engine Model:

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	9.25 x 5.51 x 9.06 inches (23.5 x 14 x 23 cm)

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Item Weight	17.64 pounds (8 kg)
Engine Type	DOHC 4-Stroke 4-Valve Water-Cooled V12
Start Mechanism	Electric Start
Construction Material	CNC-Machined Full Metal
Recommended Age	16 years and up
Manufacturer	ENGINEDIY

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

9.1 Warranty Information

Every ENGINEDIY engine model kit is backed by our **30-day hassle-free replacement promise**. This warranty covers manufacturing defects and ensures that you receive a functional and complete product. Please retain your proof of purchase.

9.2 Customer Support

If you encounter any issues, have questions, or if any part of your kit is missing or damaged, please do not hesitate to contact the ENGINEDIY specialist support team. We are committed to providing swift resolution and ensuring your building experience is satisfactory.

For further assistance, please visit the ENGINEDIY store on Amazon or refer to the contact information provided with your purchase documentation.

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