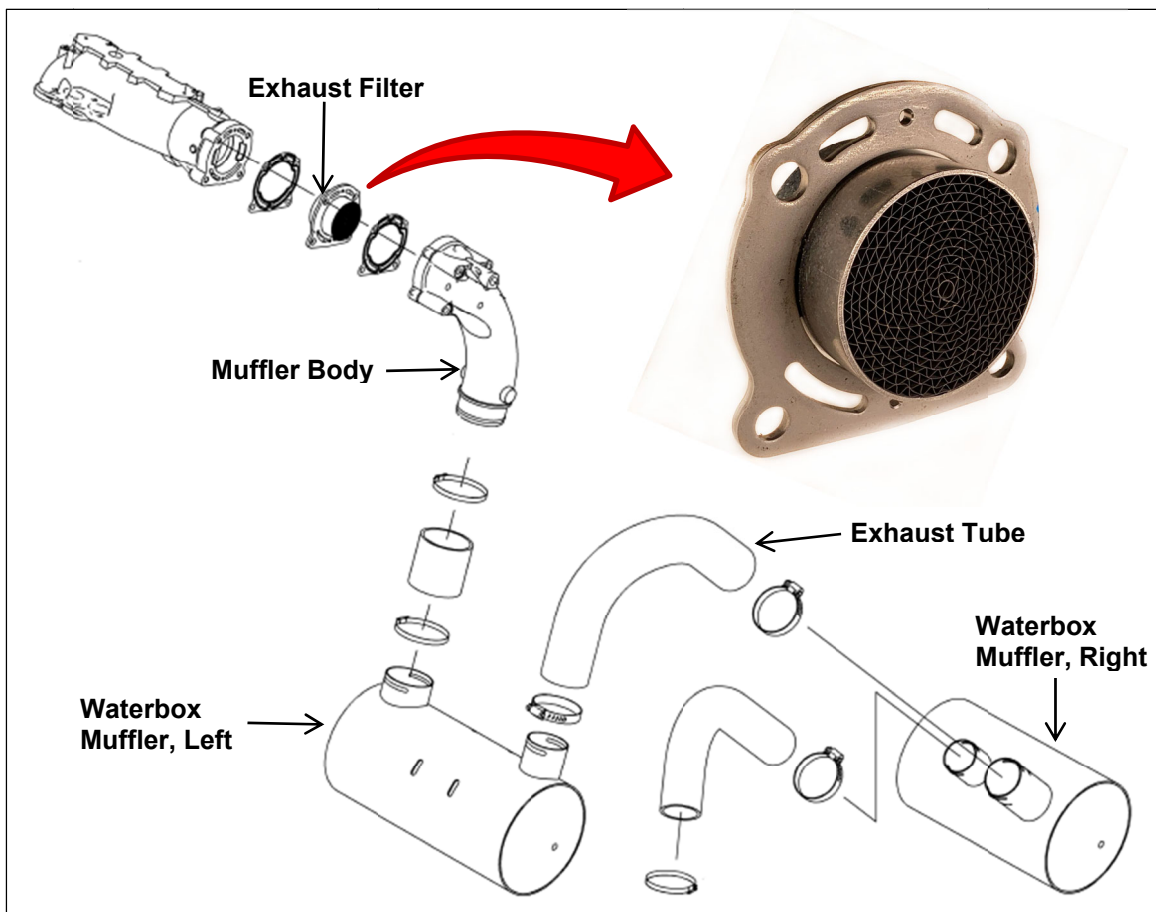


JET SKI® ULTRA® Exhaust Filter Maintenance

There is a periodic maintenance item on late-model Jet Ski Ultra watercraft that many customers, and even technicians, commonly overlook. JT1500 models include a water filter in the exhaust system to prevent water pumped into the muffler body for cooling from getting back into the exhaust manifold and combustion chamber. Because the filter core is continuously exposed to moisture, the filter is subject to corrosion.

The JT1500 maintenance schedule indicates that the exhaust filter needs to be checked, cleaned or replaced every 25 hours.



If filter maintenance is neglected, the filter core can separate due to severe corrosion and fall into the waterbox where it can block exhaust flow, which is a mixture of gas and water. This can result in burning and melting of the rubber exhaust tube connecting the exhaust mufflers.