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#### **PRECAUTIONS**

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# Precautions for Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER"

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The Supplemental Restraint System such as "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER", used along with a front seat belt, helps to reduce the risk or severity of injury to the driver and front passenger for certain types of collision. This system includes seat belt switch inputs and dual stage front air bag modules. The SRS system uses the seat belt switches to determine the front air bag deployment, and may only deploy one front air bag, depending on the severity of a collision and whether the front occupants are belted or unbelted. Information necessary to service the system safely is included in the SRS and SB section of this Service Manual.

#### **WARNING:**

- To avoid rendering the SRS inoperative, which could increase the risk of personal injury or death in the event of a collision which would result in air bag inflation, all maintenance must be performed by an authorized NISSAN/INFINITI dealer.
- Improper maintenance, including incorrect removal and installation of the SRS, can lead to personal injury caused by unintentional activation of the system. For removal of Spiral Cable and Air Bag Module, see the SRS section.
- Do not use electrical test equipment on any circuit related to the SRS unless instructed to in this Service Manual. SRS wiring harnesses can be identified by yellow and/or orange harnesses or harness connectors.

# Precautions for Liquid Gasket REMOVAL OF LIQUID GASKET SEALING

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 After removing mounting bolts and nuts, separate the mating surface using seal cutter [SST] and remove old liquid gasket sealing.

#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to damage the mating surfaces.

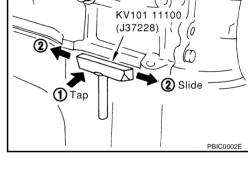
- Tap seal cutter to insert it, and then slide it by tapping on the side as shown in the figure.
- In areas where seal cutter [SST] is difficult to use, use plastic hammer to lightly tap the parts, to remove it.

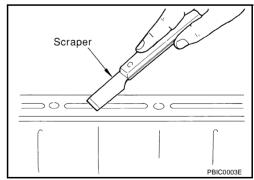
#### **CAUTION:**

If for some unavoidable reason tool such as screwdriver is used, be careful not to damage the mating surfaces.

#### LIQUID GASKET APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- Using scraper, remove old liquid gasket adhering to the liquid gasket application surface and the mating surface.
  - Remove liquid gasket completely from the groove of the liquid gasket application surface, mounting bolts, and bolt holes.
- 2. Wipe the liquid gasket application surface and the mating surface with white gasoline (lighting and heating use) to remove adhering moisture, grease and foreign materials.



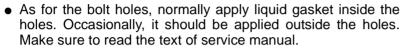


#### **PRECAUTIONS**

3. Attach liquid gasket tube to tube presser [SST: WS39930000 ( — )].

Use Genuine RTV Silicone Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-47, "RECOMMENDED CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND SEALANTS".

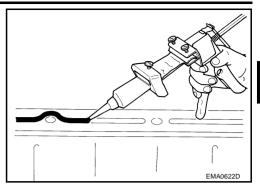
- 4. Apply liquid gasket without breaks to the specified location with the specified dimensions.
  - If there is a groove for the liquid gasket application, apply liquid gasket to the groove.

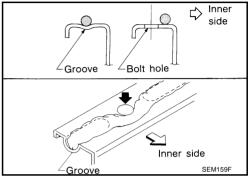


- Within five minutes of liquid gasket application, install the mating component.
- If liquid gasket protrudes, wipe it off immediately.
- Do not retighten after the installation.
- After 30 minutes or more have passed from the installation, fill engine oil and engine coolant.

#### **CAUTION:**

If there are specific instructions in this manual, observe them.





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### **PREPARATION**

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# **Special Service Tools**

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Tool number (Kent-Moore No.) Tool name		Description
WS39930000 ( — ) Tube pressure		Pressing the tube of liquid gasket
	S-NT052	
EG17650301 (J33984-A) Radiator cap tester adapter		Adapting radiator cap tester to radiator cap and radiator filler neck a: 28 (1.10) dia. b: 31.4 (1.236) dia. c: 41.3 (1.626) dia. Unit: mm (in)
	S-NT564	
KV99103510 ( — ) Radiator plate pliers A	Fo	Installing radiator upper and lower tanks
	S-NT224	
KV99103520 ( — )		Removing radiator upper and lower tanks
Radiator plate pliers B		
	S-NT225	
ommercial Service To	ools	ABS00
Tool name		Description
Power tool		Loosening bolts and nuts
Radiator cap tester	PBIC0190E	Checking radiator and radiator cap

PBIC1982E

### **OVERHEATING CAUSE ANALYSIS**

# **OVERHEATING CAUSE ANALYSIS**

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**Troubleshooting Chart** 

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	Symptom		Che	ck items
		Water pump malfunction	Worn or loose drive belt	
Poor heat transfer		Thermostat stuck closed	_	
	Poor heat transfer	Damaged fins	Dust contamination or paper clogging	_
		Physical damage		
	Clogged radiator cooling tube	Excess foreign material (rust, dirt, sand, etc.)		
		Cooling fan does not operate		
	Reduced air flow	High resistance to fan rotation	Fan assembly	_
		Damaged fan blades		
	Damaged radiator shroud	_	_	_
Cooling sys-	Improper engine coolant mixture ratio	_	_	_
tem parts malfunction	Poor engine coolant quality	_	Engine coolant viscosity	_
			Cooling hose	Loose clamp
			Cooling nose	Cracked hose
		Engine coolant leaks	Water pump	Poor sealing
Insufficient engine coolant			Radiator cap	Loose
			ιταιιαιοί ταρ	Poor sealing
	Zingino ooolan ioako		O-ring for damage, deterioration or improper fitting	
	Radiator	Radiator	Cracked radiator tank	
				Cracked radiator core
			Reservoir tank	Cracked reservoir tank
			Exhaust goo looks into	Cylinder head deterioration
	Overflowing reservoir tank	Exhaust gas leaks into cooling system	Cylinder head gasket deterioration	

## **OVERHEATING CAUSE ANALYSIS**

	Symptom		m Check items	
			Abusive driving	High engine rpm under no load
				Driving in low gear for extended time
				Driving at extremely high speed
Except cooling system parts malfunction	Overload on engine	Powertrain system mal- function		
			Installed improper size wheels and tires	_
		Dragging brakes		
		Improper ignition timing		
		Blocked bumper	_	
		Blocked radiator grille	Installed car brassiere	
	Blocked or restricted air flow		Mud contamination or paper clogging	_
	now	Blocked radiator	_	
		Blocked condenser	Blocked air flow	
		Installed large fog lamp	— DIOCKEU AII HOW	

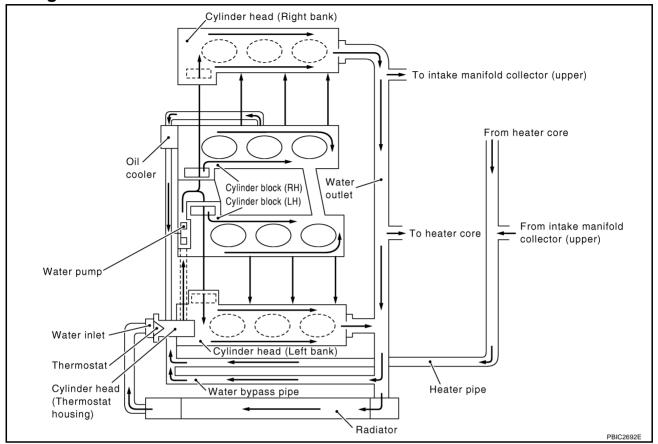
### **COOLING SYSTEM**

# **COOLING SYSTEM**

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**Cooling Circuit** 

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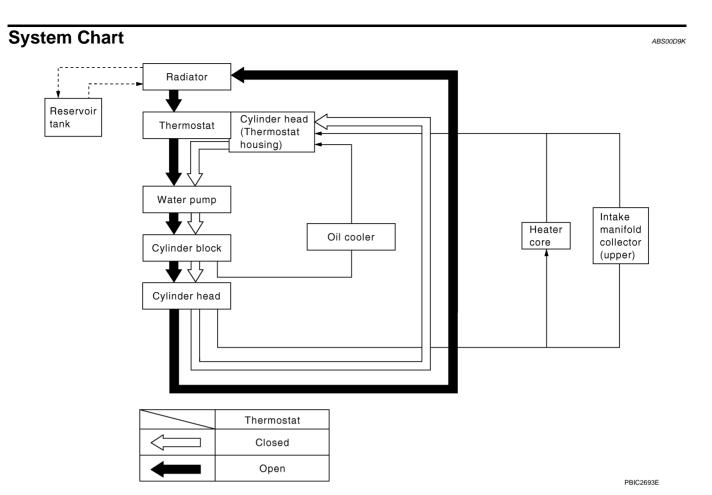
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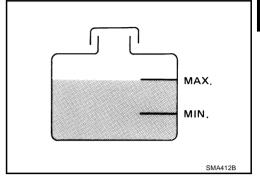


**ENGINE COOLANT** PFP:KQ100

# Inspection

ABS0035F LEVEL CHECK

- Check if the reservoir tank engine coolant level is within the "MIN" to "MAX" range when the engine is cool.
- Adjust the coolant level as necessary.



#### **LEAK CHECK**

To check for leaks, apply pressure to the cooling system with the radiator cap tester (commercial service tool) and radiator cap tester adapter [SST].

#### **Testing pressure**

: 157 kPa (1.6 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 23 psi)

#### **WARNING:**

Never remove radiator cap when the engine is hot. Serious burns could occur from high pressure engine coolant escaping from the radiator.

#### **CAUTION:**

Higher testing pressure than specified may cause radiator damage.

#### NOTE:

In case that engine coolant decreases, replenish radiator with engine coolant.

If anything is found, repair or replace damaged parts.

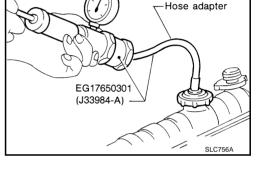
# **Changing Engine Coolant**

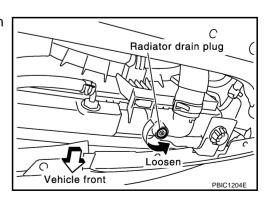
#### **WARNING:**

- To avoid being scalded, never change engine coolant when engine is hot.
- Wrap a thick cloth around cap and carefully remove cap. First, turn cap a quarter of a turn to release built-up pressure. Then turn cap all the way.
- Be careful not to allow engine coolant to contact drive belts.

#### DRAINING ENGINE COOLANT

- Remove radiator drain hole cap on undercover.
- Open radiator drain plug at the bottom of radiator, and then remove radiator cap.



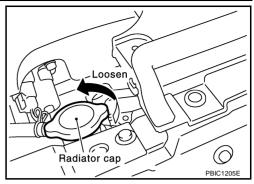


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When draining all of engine coolant in the system, open water drain plugs on cylinder block. Refer to EM-111, "DISASSEMBLY".

- 3. Remove reservoir tank as necessary, and drain engine coolant and clean reservoir tank before installing.
- 4. Check drained engine coolant for contaminants such as rust, corrosion or discoloration.

  If contaminated, flush the engine cooling system. Refer to CO-11, "FLUSHING COOLING SYSTEM".

#### REFILLING ENGINE COOLANT

#### NOTE:

When engine coolant is drained from radiator only, step 3, 4 and 6 are unnecessary.

1. Install reservoir tank if removed, and radiator drain plug.

#### **CAUTION:**

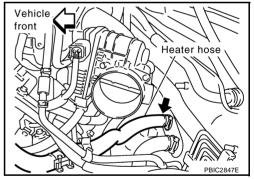
Be sure to clean drain plug and install with new O-ring.

Radiator drain plug:

(0.08 - 0.15 kg-m, 7 - 13 in-lb)

If water drain plug on cylinder block are removed, close and tighten them. Refer to  $\underline{\text{EM-116}}$ .

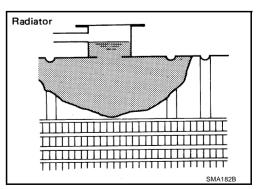
- 2. Make sure that each hose clamp has been firmly tightened.
- 3. Remove air duct assembly. Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT".
- 4. Disconnect heater hose (right side of vehicle) at the position in the figure.
  - Enhance heater hose as high as possible.



- 5. Fill radiator, and reservoir tank if removed, to specified level.
  - Pour engine coolant through engine coolant filler neck slowly of less than 2  $\ell$  (2-1/8 US qt, 1-3/4 Imp qt) a minute to allow air in system to escape.
  - Use Genuine Nissan Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant or equivalent mixed with water (distilled or demineralized).
     Refer to MA-11, "RECOMMENDED FLUIDS AND LUBRI-CANTS"

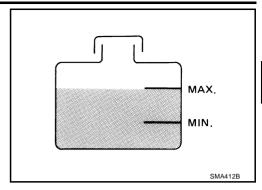
Engine coolant capacity (With reservoir tank at "MAX" level)

: Approximately 9.6 ℓ (10-1/8 US qt, 8-1/2 Imp qt)



Reservoir tank engine coolant capacity (At "MAX" level)

: 0.8 \( \ell \) (7/8 US qt, 3/4 Imp qt)



- When engine coolant overflows disconnected heater hose, connect heater hose, and continue filling the engine coolant, if heater hose is disconnected.
- Install air duct assembly. Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT".
- Install radiator cap.
- Warm up until opening thermostat. Standard for warming-up time is approximately 10 minutes at 3000
  - Make sure thermostat opening condition by touching radiator hose (lower) to see a flow of warm water.

Watch water temperature gauge so as not to overheat engine.

- 9. Stop the engine and cool down to less than approximately 50°C (122°F).
  - Cool down using fan to reduce the time.
  - If necessary, refill radiator up to filler neck with engine coolant.
- 10. Refill reservoir tank to "MAX" level line with engine coolant.
- 11. Repeat steps 5 through 9 two or more times with radiator cap installed until engine coolant level no longer drops.
- 12. Check cooling system for leaks with engine running.
- 13. Warm up the engine, and check for sound of engine coolant flow while running engine from idle up to 3,000 rpm with heater temperature controller set at several position between "COOL" and "WARM".
  - Sound may be noticeable at heater unit.
- 14. Repeat step 13 three times.
- 15. If sound is heard, bleed air from cooling system by repeating step 5 through 9 until engine coolant level no longer drops.

#### **FLUSHING COOLING SYSTEM**

#### NOTE:

When engine coolant is drained from radiator only, step 2, 3 and 5 are unnecessary.

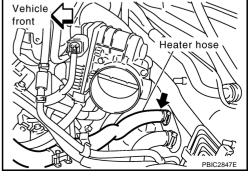
1. Install reservoir tank if removed, and radiator drain plug.

#### Radiator drain plug:

(0.08 - 0.15 kg-m, 7 - 13 in-lb)

If water drain plug on cylinder block are removed, close and tighten them. Refer to EM-116. "ASSEMBLY" .

- 2. Remove air duct assembly. Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT"
- Disconnect heater hose (right side of vehicle) at the position in the figure.
  - Enhance heater hose as high as possible.



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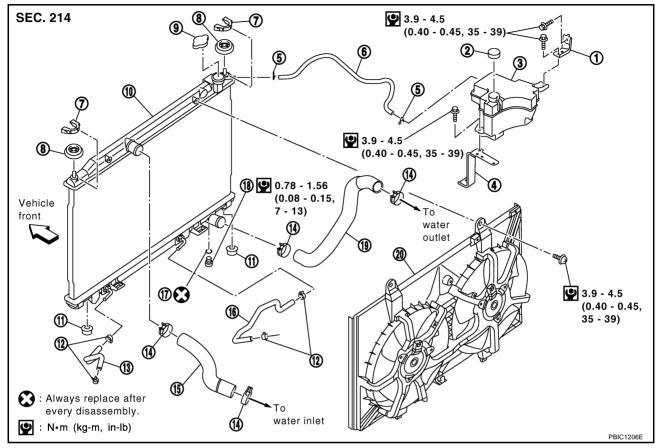
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- 4. Fill radiator and reservoir tank with water and install radiator cap.
  - When engine coolant overflows disconnected heater hose, connect heater hose, and continue filling the engine coolant, if heater hose is disconnected.
- 5. Install air duct assembly. Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT".
- 6. Run the engine and warm it up to normal operating temperature.
- 7. Rev the engine two or three times under no-load.
- 8. Stop the engine and wait until it cools down.
- 9. Drain water from the system. Refer to CO-9, "DRAINING ENGINE COOLANT" .
- 10. Repeat steps 1 through 9 until clear water begins to drain from radiator.

**RADIATOR** PFP:21400

#### Removal and Installation

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- Bracket
- Bracket 4.
- Radiator upper clip 7.
- 10. Radiator
- 13. CVT fluid cooler hose
- 16. CVT fluid cooler hose
- 19. Radiator hose (lower)

- 2. Reservoir tank cap
- 5. Clamp
- Mounting rubber
- Mounting rubber
- 14. Clamp
- 17. O-ring
- 20. Radiator cooling fan assembly
- 3. Reservoir tank
- Reservoir tank hose
- Radiator cap 9.
- 12. Clamp
- 15. Radiator hose (upper)
- 18. Drain plug

#### **WARNING:**

Do not remove radiator cap when engine is hot. Serious burns could occur from high-pressure engine coolant escaping from radiator. Wrap a thick cloth around the cap. Slowly turn it a quarter of a turn to release built-up pressure. Carefully remove radiator cap by turning it all the way.

#### REMOVAL

Remove undercover.

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2. Drain engine coolant. Refer to CO-9, "Changing Engine Coolant".

- Perform this step when engine is cold.
- Do not spill engine coolant on drive belts.
- 3. Remove air duct (inlet) and radiator cover grills (right and left sides). Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT".

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- 4. Disconnect harness connector from fan motors, and move harness to aside.
- Disconnect CVT fluid cooler hoses.
  - Install plug to avoid leakage of CVT fluid.
- Remove radiator hoses (upper and lower) and reservoir tank hose.
- Remove reservoir tank and bracket.

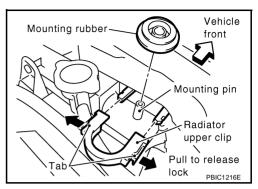
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#### **RADIATOR**

- Remove battery and battery tray, and move fuse and fusible link block to aside. Refer to <u>SC-4, "BAT-TERY"</u>.
- Remove radiator upper clips by pulling the tabs outside to release the lock.
  - Do not pull the tabs outside excessively to prevent it from damaging.



- 10. Remove mounting rubbers (upper) from mounting pins on radiator.
- 11. Lift up and remove radiator and radiator cooling fan assembly.

#### **CAUTION:**

Do not damage or scratch air conditioner condenser and radiator core when removing.

12. Remove radiator cooling fan assembly from radiator.

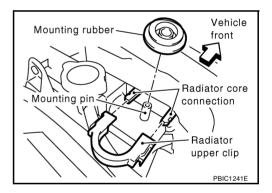
#### **INSTALLATION**

Note the following, and install in the reverse order of removal.

#### **Radiator Upper Clip**

Install radiator upper clip on radiator core connection as follows:

1. Install mounting rubbers (upper) on mounting pins of radiator.



- 2. Align radiator upper clip with radiator core connection, then insert radiator upper clip straight into radiator core connections until a click is heard.
- 3. After connecting radiator upper clip, use the following method to make sure it is fully connected.
  - Visually confirm that two radiator upper clips are connected to radiator core connections.
  - Move radiator upper clip and the radiator forward and backward to make sure they are securely connected.

#### INSPECTION AFTER INSTALLATION

- Check for leaks of engine coolant using radiator cap tester adapter [SST: EG17650301 (J33984-A)] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool). Refer to <u>CO-9</u>, "<u>LEAK CHECK</u>".
- Start and warm up engine. Visually check if there is no leaks of engine coolant and CVT fluid.

#### **RADIATOR**

### **Checking Radiator Cap**

- 1. Pull negative-pressure valve to open it, and make sure it close completely when released.
  - Make sure there is no dirt or damage on the valve seat of radiator cap negative-pressure valve.
  - Make sure there are no abnormalities in the opening and closing conditions of negative-pressure valve.

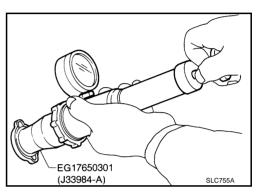


2. Check radiator cap relief pressure.

#### Standard:

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78 - 98 kPa (0.8 - 1.0 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> , 11 - 14 psi)
Limit:
59 kPa (0.6 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> , 9 psi)
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- When connecting radiator cap to radiator cap tester adapter [SST] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool), apply engine coolant to the cap seal part.
- Replace radiator cap if there is an abnormality in negativepressure valve, or if the open-valve pressure fall below limit.



## **Checking Radiator**

Check radiator for mud or clogging. If necessary, clean radiator as follows.

- Be careful not to bend or damage radiator fins.
- When radiator is cleaned without removal, remove all surrounding parts such as cooling fan, radiator shroud and horns. Then tape harness and connectors to prevent water from entering.
- Apply water by hose to the back side of radiator core vertically downward.
- 2. Apply water again to all radiator core surfaces once per minute.
- 3. Stop washing if any stains no longer flow out from radiator.
- 4. Blow air into the back side of radiator core vertically downward.
  - Use compressed air lower than 490 kPa (5 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 71 psi) and keep distance more than 30 cm (11.8 in).
- 5. Blow air again into all the radiator core surfaces once per minute until no water sprays out.

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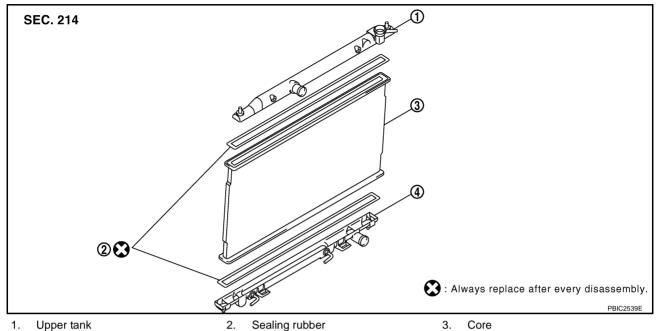
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**Disassembly and Assembly** 

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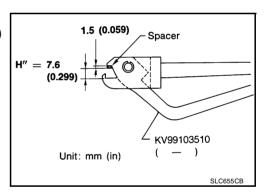


- Lower tank (with CVT fluid cooler)
- Sealing rubber

Core 3.

#### **PREPARATION**

Attach spacer to tip of radiator plate pliers A [SST]. Spacer specification: 18 mm (0.71 in) wide  $\times$  8.5 mm (0.335 in) long  $\times$  1.5 mm (0.059 in) thick.



- 2. Make sure that when radiator plate pliers A [SST: KV99103510 ( )] are closed dimension H" is approx. 7.6 mm (0.299 in).
- 3. Adjust dimension H" with spacer, if necessary.

#### **DISASSEMBLY**

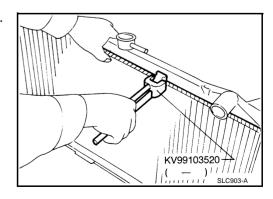
1. Remove upper or lower tanks with radiator plate pliers B [SST].

**CAUTION:** 

Do not disassemble lower tank and CVT fluid cooler.

NOTE:

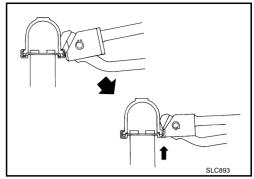
Regard lower tank and CVT fluid cooler as an assembly.



• Grip the crimped edge and bend it upwards so that radiator plate pliers B slips off.

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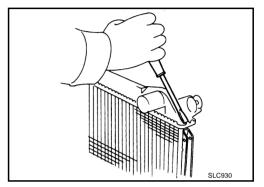
Do not bend excessively.



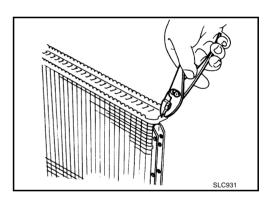
• In areas where radiator plate pliers B cannot be used, use screwdriver to bend the edge up.

#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to damage tank.

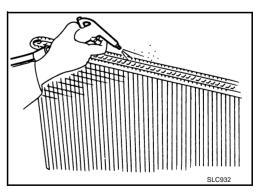


- 2. Remove sealing rubber.
- 3. Make sure the edge stands straight up.



#### **ASSEMBLY**

1. Clean contact portion of tank.



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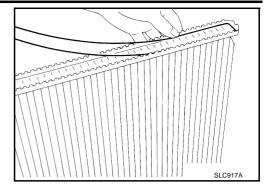
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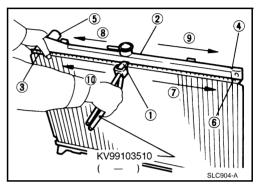
2. Install new sealing rubber while pushing it with fingers.

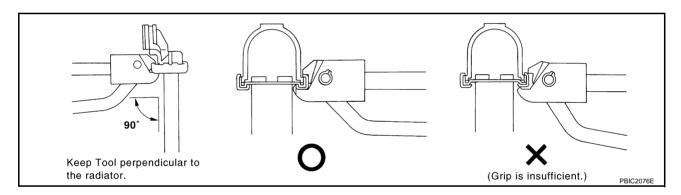
#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to twist sealing rubber.

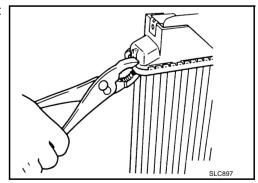


3. Caulk tank in numerical order as shown in the figure with radiator plate pliers A [SST].



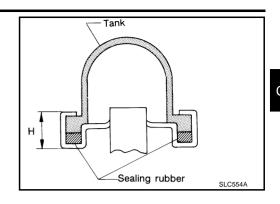


• Use pliers in the locations where radiator plate pliers A cannot be used.



4. Make sure that the rim is completely crimped down.

Standard height "H" : 8.0 - 8.4 mm (0.315 - 0.331 in)



Make sure that there is no leakage.
 Refer to <u>CO-19</u>, "INSPECTION".

#### **INSPECTION**

1. Apply pressure with radiator cap tester adapter [SST] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool).

#### **Testing pressure**

: 157 kPa (1.6 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 23 psi)

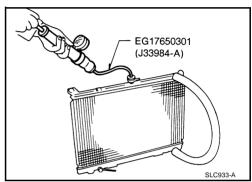
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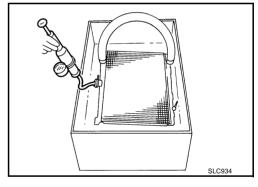
To prevent the risk of hose coming undone while under pressure, securely fasten it down with hose clamp.

#### **CAUTION:**

Attach hose to CVT fluid cooler to seal its inlet and outlet.

2. Check for leakage by soaking radiator in water container with the testing pressure applied.





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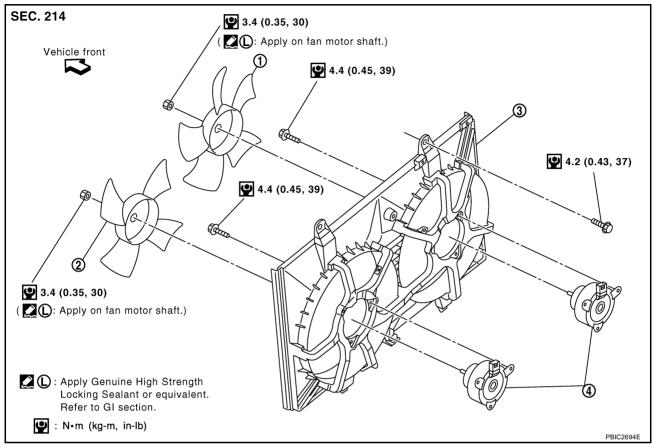
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COOLING FAN PFP:21140

#### Removal and Installation

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- Cooling fan (RH)
- 2. Cooling fan (LH)
- 3. Fan shroud

Fan motor

#### **REMOVAL**

1. Drain engine coolant from radiator. Refer to CO-9, "Changing Engine Coolant".

#### **CAUTION:**

- Perform this step when engine is cold.
- Do not spill engine coolant on drive belts.
- 2. Remove air duct (inlet). Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT" .
- 3. Disconnect radiator hose (upper) at radiator side. Refer to <a href="CO-13">CO-13</a>, "RADIATOR"</a>.
- 4. Disconnect harness connector from fan motors, and move harness to aside.
- 5. Remove battery and battery tray, and move fuse and fusible link block to aside. Refer to <u>SC-4, "BAT-TERY"</u>.
- 6. Remove mounting bolts to lift up and remove radiator cooling fan assembly.

#### CAUTION:

Be careful not to damage or scratch on radiator core.

#### **INSTALLATION**

Install in the reverse order of removal.

Cooling fans are controlled by ECM. For details, refer to .<u>EC-427, "DTC P1217 ENGINE OVER TEMPER-ATURE"</u>.

### **COOLING FAN**

# Disassembly and Assembly DISASSEMBLY

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- 1. Remove cooling fans (RH and LH) from fan motors.
- 2. Remove fan motors from fan shroud.

# **INSPECTION AFTER DISASSEMBLY Cooling Fan**

Inspect cooling fan for crack or unusual bend.

• If anything is found, replace cooling fan.

#### **ASSEMBLY**

Assemble in the reverse order of disassembly.

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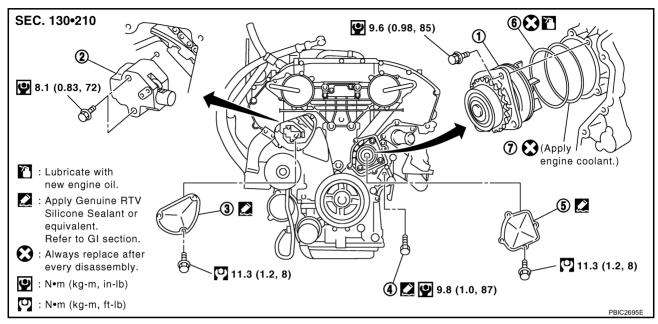
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WATER PUMP PFP:21020

#### Removal and Installation

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- Water pump
- 4. Water drain plug (front)
- 7. O-ring

- 2. Timing chain tensioner (primary)
- 5. Water pump cover
- 3. Chain tensioner cover
- 6. O-ring

#### **CAUTION:**

- When removing water pump assembly, be careful not to get engine coolant on drive belt.
- Water pump cannot be disassembled and should be replaced as a unit.
- After installing water pump, connect hose and clamp securely, then check for leaks using radiator cap tester (commercial service tool) and radiator cap tester adapter [SST: EG17650301 (J33984-A)].

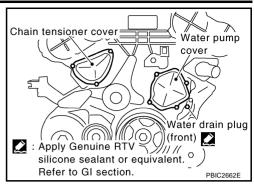
#### **REMOVAL**

- 1. Remove engine cover. Refer to EM-16, "INTAKE MANIFOLD COLLECTOR".
- Remove air duct (inlet) and radiator cover grills (right and left sides). Refer to <u>EM-14, "AIR CLEANER</u> AND AIR DUCT".
- 3. Remove undercover and splash guard (RH).
- 4. Drain engine coolant from radiator. Refer to CO-9, "Changing Engine Coolant".

#### CAUTION:

- Perform this step when engine is cold.
- Do not spill engine coolant on drive belts.
- 5. Remove drive belts. Refer to EM-11, "DRIVE BELTS".
- 6. Remove reservoir tank of radiator. Refer to CO-13, "RADIATOR".
- 7. Remove reservoir tank of power steering oil pump with piping connected, and move it to aside. Refer to PS-34, "HYDRAULIC LINE".
- 8. Support oil pan (lower) bottom with transmission jack.
- 9. Remove RH engine mounting insulator and RH engine mounting bracket. Refer to <a href="EM-105">EM-105</a>, "ENGINE ASSEMBLY".

10. Remove water drain plug (front) on water pump side of cylinder block to drain engine coolant from engine inside.



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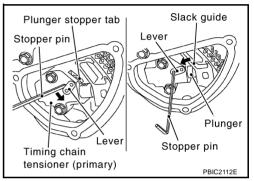
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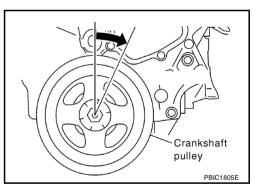
- 11. Remove chain tensioner cover and water pump cover from front timing chain case.
  - Use seal cutter [SST: KV10111100 (J37228)] to cut liquid gasket for removal.
- 12. Remove idler pulley and bracket. Refer to EM-58, "TIMING CHAIN".
- 13. Remove timing chain tensioner (primary) as follows:
- a. Pull lever down and release plunger stopper tab.
  - Plunger stopper tab can be pushed up to release (coaxial structure with lever).
- b. Insert stopper pin into tensioner body hole to hold lever, and keep tab released.

#### NOTE:

Allen wrench [2.5 mm (0.098 in)] is used for stopper pin as an example.

- c. Insert plunger into tensioner body by pressing slack guide.
- d. Keep slack guide pressed and hold plunger in by pushing stopper pin through the lever hole and tensioner body hole.
- e. Turn crankshaft pulley clockwise so that timing chain on the timing chain tensioner (primary) side is loose.

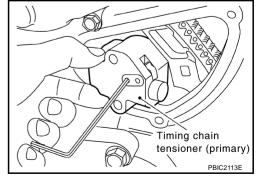




f. Remove mounting bolts and remove timing chain tensioner (primary).

#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to drop mounting bolts inside timing chain case.

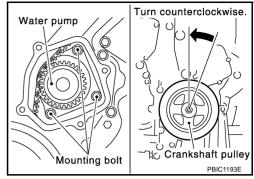


14. Remove water pump as follows:

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#### **WATER PUMP**

a. Remove three water pump mounting bolts. Secure a gap between water pump gear and timing chain, by turning crankshaft pulley counterclockwise until timing chain looseness on water pump sprocket becomes maximum.



b. Screw M8 bolts [pitch: 1.25 mm (0.049 in) length: approx. 50 mm (1.97 in)] into water pumps upper and lower mounting bolt holes until they reach timing chain case. Then, alternately tighten each bolt for a half turn, and pull out water pump.

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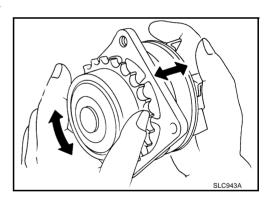
- Pull straight out while preventing vane from contacting socket in installation area.
- Remove water pump without causing sprocket to contact timing chain.
- Remove M8 bolts and O-rings from water pump.

#### **CAUTION:**

Do not disassemble water pump.

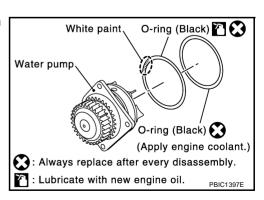
#### **INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL**

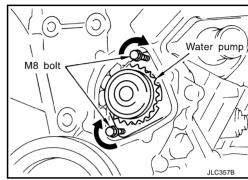
- Check for badly rusted or corroded water pump body assembly.
- Check for rough operation due to excessive end play.
- Replace water pump, if necessary.



#### **INSTALLATION**

- 1. Install new O-rings to water pump.
  - Apply engine oil and engine coolant to O-rings as shown in the figure.
  - Locate O-ring with white paint mark to engine front side.



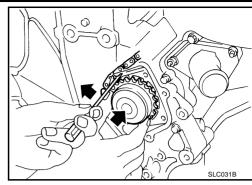


2. Install water pump.

#### **CAUTION:**

Do not allow cylinder block to nip O-rings when installing water pump.

- Check that timing chain and water pump sprocket are engaged.
- Insert water pump by tightening mounting bolts alternately and evenly.



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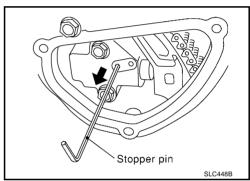
B. Install timing chain tensioner (primary) as follows:

- a. Remove dust and foreign material completely from backside of timing chain tensioner (primary) and from installation area of rear timing chain case.
- b. Turn crankshaft pulley clockwise so that timing chain on the timing chain tensioner (primary) side is loose.
- c. Install timing chain tensioner (primary) with its stopper pin attached.

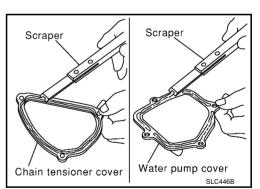
#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to drop mounting bolts inside timing chain case.

d. Remove stopper pin.



- e. Make sure again that timing chain and water pump sprocket are engaged.
- 4. Install chain tensioner cover and water pump cover as follows:
- a. Before installing, remove all traces of old liquid gasket from mating surface of water pump cover and chain tensioner cover using scraper. Also remove traces of old liquid gasket from the mating surface of front timing chain case.



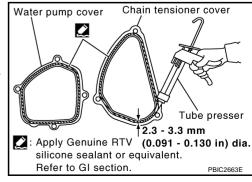
Apply a continuous bead of liquid gasket with tube presser [SST: WS39930000 ( — )] to mating surface of chain tensioner cover and water pump cover.

Use Genuine RTV Silicone Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-47, "RECOMMENDED CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND SEALANTS".

#### **CAUTION:**

Attaching should be done within 5 minutes after coating.

c. Tighten mounting bolts.



5. Install water drain plug (front) on water pump side of cylinder block.

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#### **WATER PUMP**

- Apply liquid gasket to the thread of water drain plug (front).
   Use Genuine RTV Silicone Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-47, "RECOMMENDED CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND SEALANTS".
- 6. Install in the reverse order of removal after this step.
  - After starting engine, let idle for three minutes, then rev engine up to 3,000 rpm under no load to purge air from the high-pressure chamber of chain tensioner. Engine may produce a rattling noise. This indicates that air still remains in the chamber and is not a matter of concern.

#### INSPECTION AFTER INSTALLATION

- Check for leaks of engine coolant using radiator cap tester adapter [SST: EG17650301 (J33984-A)] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool). Refer to <u>CO-9</u>, "<u>LEAK CHECK</u>".
- Start and warm up engine. Visually check it there is no leaks of engine coolant.

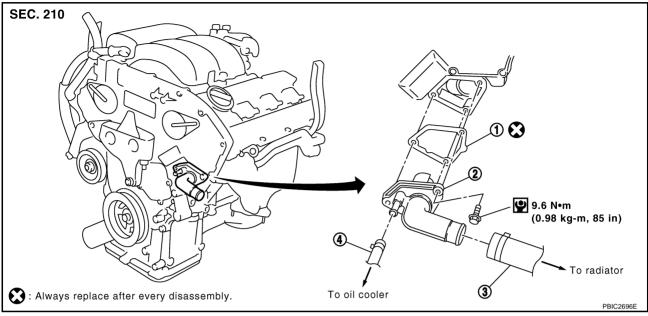
#### WATER INLET AND THERMOSTAT ASSEMBLY

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Gasket

- 2. Water inlet and thermostat assembly
- 3. Radiator hose (lower)

4. Water hose

#### **REMOVAL**

1. Drain engine coolant from radiator. Refer to <a>CO-9</a>, "Changing Engine Coolant"</a>.

#### CAUTION:

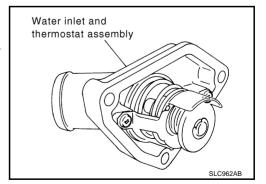
- Perform when engine is cold.
- Be careful not to get engine coolant on drive belt.
- 2. Drain engine coolant from radiator drain plug at the bottom of radiator, and from water drain plug at the front of cylinder block. Refer to CO-9, "Changing Engine Coolant" and CO-22, "WATER PUMP".

#### **CAUTION:**

- Perform this step when engine is cold.
- Do not spill engine coolant on drive belts.
- 3. Remove reservoir tank of radiator, and move it aside.
- 4. Disconnect radiator hose (lower) and oil cooler water hose from water inlet and thermostat assembly.
- 5. Remove water inlet and thermostat assembly.

#### CALITION:

Do not disassemble water inlet and thermostat assembly. Replace them as a unit, if necessary.



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#### WATER INLET AND THERMOSTAT ASSEMBLY

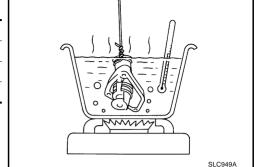
#### **INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL**

1. Check valve seating condition at ordinary room temperatures. It should seat tightly.

2. Check valve operation.

Thermostat	Standard
Valve opening temperature	80.5 - 83.5°C (177 - 182°F)
Maximum valve lift	8.6 mm / 95°C (0.339 in / 203°F)
Valve closing temperature	77°C (171°F)

 If the malfunctioning condition, when valve seating at ordinary room temperature, or measured values are out of the standard, replace water inlet and thermostat assembly.



#### **INSTALLATION**

Note the following, and install in the reverse order of removal.

Be careful not to spill engine coolant over engine room. Use rag to absorb engine coolant.

#### **INSPECTION AFTER INSTALLATION**

- Check for leaks of engine coolant using radiator cap tester adapter [SST: EG17650301 (J33984-A)] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool). Refer to <u>CO-9</u>, "<u>LEAK CHECK</u>".
- Start and warm up engine. Visually check it there is no leaks of engine coolant.

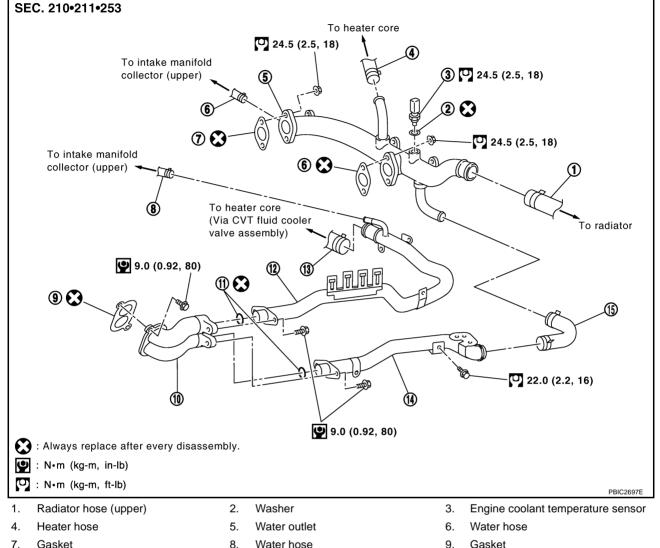
#### WATER OUTLET AND WATER PIPING

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#### PFP:11060

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#### Removal and Installation



Gasket

10. Water connector

13. Heater hose

Water hose

11. O-ring

14. Water bypass pipe

Gasket

12. Heater pipe

15. Water hose

#### REMOVAL

- 1. Remove engine cover. Refer to EM-16, "INTAKE MANIFOLD COLLECTOR".
- Drain engine coolant from radiator drain plug at the bottom of radiator, and from water drain plug at the front of cylinder block. Refer to CO-9, "Changing Engine Coolant" and CO-22, "WATER PUMP".

- Perform this step when engine is cold.
- Do not spill engine coolant on drive belts.
- Remove air duct (inlet), radiator cover grills (right and left sides), air cleaner case (upper) with mass air flow sensor and air duct assembly. Refer to EM-14, "AIR CLEANER AND AIR DUCT".
- Remove battery and battery tray. Refer to SC-8, "Removal and Installation".
- Remove CVT fluid cooler control valve assembly. Refer to CVT-224, "TRANSAXLE ASSEMBLY".
- Move CVT control cable aside. Refer to CVT-207, "SHIFT CONTROL SYSTEM".
- 7. Remove radiator hose (upper).
- Remove water hoses and heater hoses.
- Disconnect harness connectors, and move harness to aside.

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#### WATER OUTLET AND WATER PIPING

10. Remove engine coolant temperature sensor as necessary.

#### **CAUTION:**

Be careful not to damage engine coolant temperature sensor.

11. Remove water outlet, heater pipe, water bypass pipe and water connector.

#### **INSTALLATION**

Note the following, and install in the reverse order of removal.

- Securely insert each hose, and install clamp at a position where it does not interfere with the pipe bulge.
- When inserting water bypass pipe and heater pipe into water connector, apply neutral detergent to O-ring.

#### INSPECTION AFTER INSTALLATION

- Check for leaks of engine coolant using radiator cap tester adapter [SST: EG17650301 (J33984-A)] and radiator cap tester (commercial service tool). Refer to <u>CO-9</u>, "<u>LEAK CHECK</u>".
- Start and warm up engine. Visually check it there is no leaks of engine coolant.

# **SERVICE DATA AND SPECIFICATIONS (SDS)**

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Engine Coolant Capacity	(Approximate)	ABS0035J
	,	Unit: $\ell$ (US qt, Imp qt)
Engine coolant capacity (With reservoir	tank at "MAX" level)	9.2 (9-3/4, 8-1/8)
Reservoir tank engine coolant capacity (At "MAX" level)		0.8 (7/8 , 3/4)
Radiator		AB\$0035L
		Unit: kPa (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , psi)
0	Standard	78 - 98 (0.8 - 1.0, 11 - 14)
Cap relief pressure	Limit	59 (0.6, 9)
Leakage testing pressure		157 (1.6, 23)
Thermostat Thermostat		ABS0035K
Valve opening temperature		80.5 - 83.5°C (177 - 182°F)
Maximum valve lift		8.6 mm / 95°C (0.339 in / 203°F)
Valve closing temperature		77°C (171°F)
Tightening Torque		ABS0035M
		Unit: N-m (kg-m, ft-lb) Unit: N-m (kg-m, in-lb)*
Radiator drain plug		0.78 - 1.56 (0.08 - 0.15, 7 - 13)*
Radiator cooling fan assembly		3.9 - 4.5 (0.40 - 0.45, 35 - 39)*
Cooling fan		3.4 (0.35, 30)*
Fan motor		4.4 (0.45, 39)*
Water drain plug (front)		9.8 (1.0, 87)*
Water pump cover		11.3 (1.2, 8)
Water pump		9.6 (0.98, 85)*
Chain tensioner cover		11.3 (1.2, 8)
Timing chain tensioner		8.1 (0.83, 72)*
Water inlet and thermostat assembly		9.6 (0.98, 85)*
Water outlet		24.5 (2.5, 18)

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Engine coolant temperature sensor

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