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FOR USA AND CANADA : Precaution for Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER"

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 AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT" of this Service Manual.

WARNING:

Always observe the following items for preventing accidental activation.

- To avoid rendering the SRS inoperative, which could increase the risk of personal injury or death in the event of a collision that 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 "SRS AIR BAG".
- Never 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 WHEN USING POWER TOOLS (AIR OR ELECTRIC) AND HAMMERS

WARNING:

Always observe the following items for preventing accidental activation.

- When working near the Air Bag Diagnosis Sensor Unit or other Air Bag System sensors with the ignition ON or engine running, never use air or electric power tools or strike near the sensor(s) with a hammer. Heavy vibration could activate the sensor(s) and deploy the air bag(s), possibly causing serious injury.
- When using air or electric power tools or hammers, always switch the ignition OFF, disconnect the battery, and wait at least 3 minutes before performing any service.

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Battery Disconnection

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CAUTION:

Comply with the following cautions to prevent any error and malfunction.

- Before removing and installing any control units, first turn the ignition switch to the LOCK position, then disconnect both battery cables.
- After finishing work, confirm that all control unit connectors are connected properly, then re-connect both battery cables.
- Always use CONSULT to perform self-diagnosis as a part of each function inspection after finishing work. If a DTC is detected, perform trouble diagnosis according to self-diagnosis results.

For vehicle with steering lock unit, if the battery is disconnected or discharged, the steering wheel will lock and cannot be turned.

If turning the steering wheel is required with the battery disconnected or discharged, follow the operation procedure below before starting the repair operation.

OPERATION PROCEDURE

1. Connect both battery cables. NOTE:

Supply power using jumper cables if battery is discharged.

2. Turn the ignition switch to ACC position. (At this time, the steering lock will be released.)

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- Disconnect both battery cables. The steering lock will remain released with both battery cables discon-3. nected and the steering wheel can be turned. А 4 Perform the necessary repair operation. 5. When the repair work is completed, re-connect both battery cables. With the brake pedal released, turn the ignition switch from ACC position to ON position, then to LOCK position. (The steering wheel will lock В when the ignition switch is turned to LOCK position.) Perform self-diagnosis check of all control units using CONSULT. FOR USA AND CANADA : Precaution for Battery Service INFOID:000000006353603 Before disconnecting the battery, lower both the driver and passenger windows. This will prevent any interference between the window edge and the vehicle when the door is opened/closed. During normal operation, the D window slightly raises and lowers automatically to prevent any window to vehicle interference. The automatic window function will not work with the battery disconnected. FOR USA AND CANADA : Precaution E INFOID:00000006353604 Disconnect battery negative terminal in advance. Disconnect air bag system line in advance. Never tamper with or force air bag lid open, as this may adversely affect air bag performance. Be careful not to scratch pad and other parts. When removing or disassembling any part, be careful not to damage or deform it. Protect parts, that may get in the way with a shop cloth. When removing parts with a screwdriver or other tool, cover the tool surface with vinyl tape to protect parts. Keep removed parts protected with a shop cloth. If a clip is deformed or damaged, replace it. Н If an unreusable part is removed, replace it with a new one. Tighten bolts and nuts firmly to the specified torque. After reassembly is complete, check that each part functions correctly. Remove stains via the following procedure. Water-soluble stains: Dip a soft cloth in warm water, and then squeeze it tightly. After wiping off the stain, wipe with a soft dry cloth. IP Oil stain: Dissolve a synthetic detergent in warm water (density of 2 to 3%), dip the cloth, then wipe off the stain with the cloth. Next, dip the cloth in fresh water and squeeze it tightly. Then wipe off the detergent completely. Then wipe the area with a soft dry cloth. Κ Never use any organic solvent, such as thinner or benzine. FOR MEXICO FOR MEXICO : Precaution for Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) "AIR BAG" and L "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER" INFOID:000000006353605 The Supplemental Restraint System such as "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER", used along Μ 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. Information necessary to service the system safely is included in the "SRS AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT" of this Service Manual. Ν WARNING: Always observe the following items for preventing accidental activation. To avoid rendering the SRS inoperative, which could increase the risk of personal injury or death in the event of a collision that 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 P Module, see "SRS AIR BAG". Never use electrical test equipment on any circuit related to the SRS unless instructed to in this Ser-
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- When using air or electric power tools or hammers, always switch the ignition OFF, disconnect the battery, and wait at least 3 minutes before performing any service.

FOR MEXICO : Precautions Necessary for Steering Wheel Rotation After Battery Disconnection

CAUTION:

Comply with the following cautions to prevent any error and malfunction.

- Before removing and installing any control units, first turn the ignition switch to the LOCK position, then disconnect both battery cables.
- After finishing work, confirm that all control unit connectors are connected properly, then re-connect both battery cables.
- Always use CONSULT to perform self-diagnosis as a part of each function inspection after finishing work. If a DTC is detected, perform trouble diagnosis according to self-diagnosis results.

For vehicle with steering lock unit, if the battery is disconnected or discharged, the steering wheel will lock and cannot be turned.

If turning the steering wheel is required with the battery disconnected or discharged, follow the operation procedure below before starting the repair operation.

OPERATION PROCEDURE

 Connect both battery cables. NOTE:

Supply power using jumper cables if battery is discharged.

- Turn the ignition switch to ACC position. (At this time, the steering lock will be released.)
- 3. Disconnect both battery cables. The steering lock will remain released with both battery cables disconnected and the steering wheel can be turned.
- 4. Perform the necessary repair operation.
- 5. When the repair work is completed, re-connect both battery cables. With the brake pedal released, turn the ignition switch from ACC position to ON position, then to LOCK position. (The steering wheel will lock when the ignition switch is turned to LOCK position.)
- 6. Perform self-diagnosis check of all control units using CONSULT.

FOR MEXICO : Precaution for Battery Service

Before disconnecting the battery, lower both the driver and passenger windows. This will prevent any interference between the window edge and the vehicle when the door is opened/closed. During normal operation, the window slightly raises and lowers automatically to prevent any window to vehicle interference. The automatic window function will not work with the battery disconnected.

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- Disconnect battery negative terminal in advance.
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- Never tamper with or force air bag lid open, as this may adversely affect air bag performance.
- Be careful not to scratch pad and other parts.
- When removing or disassembling any part, be careful not to damage or deform it. Protect parts, that may get in the way with a shop cloth.
- When removing parts with a screwdriver or other tool, cover the tool surface with vinyl tape to protect parts.
- Keep removed parts protected with a shop cloth.
- If a clip is deformed or damaged, replace it.
- If an unreusable part is removed, replace it with a new one.
- Tighten bolts and nuts firmly to the specified torque.
- After reassembly is complete, check that each part functions correctly.
- Remove stains via the following procedure.

Water-soluble stains:

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Dip a soft cloth in warm water, and then squeeze it tightly. After wiping off the stain, wipe with a soft dry cloth. Oil stain:

Dissolve a synthetic detergent in warm water (density of 2 to 3%), dip the cloth, then wipe off the stain with the cloth. Next, dip the cloth in fresh water and squeeze it tightly. Then wipe off the detergent completely. Then wipe the area with a soft dry cloth.

• Never use any organic solvent, such as thinner or benzine.

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Special Service Tools

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The actual shapes of Kent-Moore tools may differ from those of special service tools illustrated here.

Tool number (Kent-Moore No.) Tool name		Description
(J-39570) Chassis ear	SIIA0993E	Locates the noise
(J-43980) NISSAN Squeak and Rattle Kit	SIIA0994E	Repairs the cause of noise
Commercial Service	Tools	INFOID:00000006353610
Tool name		Description
Engine ear	SIIA0995E	Locates the noise
Remover tool	JMKIA3050ZZ	Removes clips, pawls, and metal clips
Power tool	PIIB1407E	

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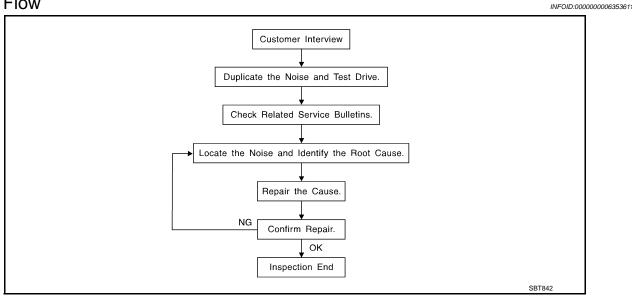
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		Clip B	Flat-bladed screwdriver Clip B	
	Removal: Remove with a clip remover.	Clip A Clip B (Grommet)	Removal: Flat-bladed screwdriver Body panel Clip A Clip B (Grommet)	
	temoval: ush center pin to atching position. Do not remove center in by hitting it.) Push		Removal: Holder portion of clip must be spread out to remove rod.	
	Removal: Remove by bending up with flat-bladed screwdrivers or clip remover.		Removal: 1. Screw out with a Phillips screwdriver. 2. Remove female portion with flat-bladed screwdriver.	I
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Work Flow



CUSTOMER INTERVIEW

Interview the customer if possible, to determine the conditions that exist when the noise occurs. Use the Diagnostic Worksheet during the interview to document the facts and conditions when the noise occurs and any customer comments. Refer to <u>IP-12</u>, "<u>Diagnostic Worksheet</u>". This information is necessary to duplicate the conditions that exist when the noise occurs.

- The customer may not be able to provide a detailed description or the location of the noise. Attempt to obtain all the facts and conditions that exist when the noise occurs (or does not occur).
- If there is more than one noise in the vehicle, perform a diagnosis and repair the noise that the customer is concerned about. This can be accomplished by performing a test drive with the customer.
- After identifying the type of noise, isolate the noise in terms of its characteristics. The noise characteristics are provided so that the customer, service adviser, and technician use the same language when describing the noise.
- Squeak (Like tennis shoes on a clean floor)
 Squeak characteristics include the light contact / fast movement / brought on by road conditions / hard surfaces = high-pitched noise / softer surfaces = low-pitched noises / edge to surface = chirping
- Creak (Like walking on an old wooden floor)
 Creak characteristics include firm contact / slow movement/twisting with a rotational movement / pitch dependent on materials / often brought on by activity.
- Rattle (Like shaking a baby rattle) Rattle characteristics include fast repeated contact / vibration or similar movement / loose parts/missing clip or fastener / incorrect clearance.
- Knock (Like a knock on a door) Knock characteristics include hollow sounds / sometimes repeating / often brought on by driver action.
- Tick (Like a clock second hand) Tick characteristics include gentle contacting of light materials / loose components / can be caused by driver action or road conditions.
- Thump (Heavy, muffled knock noise) Thump characteristics include softer knock / dull sounds often brought on by activity.
- Buzz (Like a bumblebee) Buzz characteristics include high frequency rattle / firm contact.
- Often the degree of acceptable noise level varies depending upon the person. A noise that a technician may judge as acceptable may be very irritating to a customer.
- Weather conditions, especially humidity and temperature, may have a great effect on noise level.

DUPLICATE THE NOISE AND TEST DRIVE

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If possible, drive the vehicle with the customer until the noise is duplicated. Note any additional information on	
the Diagnostic Worksheet regarding the conditions or location of the noise. This information can be used to duplicate the same conditions when the repair is reconfirmed.	
If the noise can be duplicated easily during the test drive, to help identify the source of the noise, try to dupli- cate the noise with the vehicle stopped by doing one or all of the following items: 1) Close a door.	В
 2) Tap or push/pull around the area where the noise appears to be coming from. 3) Rev the engine. 	
 4) Use a floor jack to recreate vehicle "twist". 5) At idle, apply engine load (electrical load, half-clutch on M/T models, drive position on A/T models). 6) Raise the vehicle on a hoist and hit a tire with a rubber hammer. 	С
 Drive the vehicle and attempt to duplicate the conditions the customer states exist when the noise occurs. If it is difficult to duplicate the noise, drive the vehicle slowly on an undulating or rough road to stress the vehicle body. 	D
CHECK RELATED SERVICE BULLETINS After verifying the customer concern or symptom, check ASIST for Technical Service Bulletins (TSBs) related to the concern or symptom.	E
If a TSB relates to the symptom, follow the procedure to repair the noise.	F
LOCATE THE NOISE AND IDENTIFY THE ROOT CAUSE	I
 Narrow down the noise to a general area. To help pinpoint the source of the noise, use a listening tool (Chassis ear: J-39570, engine ear, and mechanics stethoscope). 	G
2. Narrow down the noise to a more specific area and identify the cause of the noise by:	
 Removing the component(s) in the area that is / are suspected to be the cause of the noise. Do not use too much force when removing clips and fasteners, otherwise clips and fasteners can be broken or lost during the repair, resulting in the creation of new noise. 	Η
 Tapping or pushing/pulling the component(s) that is / are suspected to be the cause of the noise. Do not tap or push/pull the component(s) with excessive force, otherwise the noise is eliminated only temporarily. 	
• Feeling for a vibration by hand by touching the component(s) that is / are suspected to be the cause of the	
 noise. Placing a piece of paper between components that are suspected to be the cause of the noise. Looking for loose components and contact marks. Refer to <u>IP-10, "Inspection Procedure"</u>. 	IP
REPAIR THE CAUSE	K
If the cause is a loose component, tighten the component securely.	
 If the cause is insufficient clearance between components: Separate components by repositioning or loosening and retightening the components, if possible. Insulate components with a suitable insulator such as urethane pads, foam blocks, felt cloth tape, or ure- thane tape. A NISSAN Squeak and Rattle Kit (J-43980) is available through the authorized NISSAN Parts 	L
Department. CAUTION:	M
Never use excessive force as many components are constructed of plastic and may be damaged.	
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Used to insulate where movement does not occur. Ideal for instrument panel applications.

• 68370-4B000: 15 imes 25 mm (0.591 imes 0.984 in) pad

• 68239-13E00: 5 mm (0.197 in) wide tape roll

The following materials, not found in the kit, can also be used to repair squeaks and rattles. UHMW (TEFLON) TAPE

Insulates where slight movement is present. Ideal for instrument panel applications. SILICONE GREASE Used in place of UHMW tape that is visible or does not fit. Only lasts a few months. SILICONE SPRAY Used when grease cannot be applied. DUCT TAPE Used to eliminate movement.

CONFIRM THE REPAIR

After repair is complete, test drive the vehicle to confirm that the cause of noise is repaired by test driving the vehicle. Operate the vehicle under the same conditions as when the noise originally occurred. Refer to the notes on the Diagnostic Worksheet.

Inspection Procedure

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Refer to Table of Contents for specific component removal and installation information.

INSTRUMENT PANEL

Most incidents are caused by contact and movement between:

- 1. The cluster lid A and instrument panel
- 2. Acrylic lens and combination meter housing
- 3. Instrument panel to front pillar garnish
- 4. Instrument panel to windshield
- 5. Instrument panel mounting pins
- 6. Wiring harnesses behind the combination meter
- 7. A/C defroster duct and duct joint

These incidents can usually be located by tapping or moving the components to duplicate the noise or by pressing on the components while driving to stop the noise. Most of these incidents can be repaired by applying felt cloth tape or silicon spray (in hard to reach areas). Urethane pads can be used to insulate wiring harness.

CAUTION:

Never use silicone spray to isolate a squeak or rattle. If the area is saturated with silicone, the recheck of repair becomes impossible.

CENTER CONSOLE

Components to check include:

- 1. Shifter assembly cover to finisher
- 2. A/C control unit and cluster lid C
- 3. Wiring harnesses behind audio and A/C control unit

The instrument panel repair and isolation procedures also apply to the center console.

DOORS

Check the following items:

- 1. Finisher and inner panel making a slapping noise
- 2. Inside handle escutcheon connection to door finisher
- 3. Wiring harnesses tapping
- 4. Door striker out of alignment causing a popping noise on starts and stops

Tapping, moving the components, or pressing on them while driving to duplicate the conditions can isolate many of these incidents. The areas can usually be insulated with felt cloth tape or insulator foam blocks from the NISSAN Squeak and Rattle Kit (J-43980) to repair the noise.

TRUNK

Trunk noises are often caused by a loose jack or loose items put into the trunk by the customer. In addition check for the following items:

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1. Trunk lid dumpers out of adjustment	
2. Trunk lid striker out of adjustment	
3. Trunk lid torsion bars knocking together	
4. A loose license plate or bracket	
Most of these incidents can be repaired by adjusting, securing, or insulating the item(s) or component(s) caus- ing the noise.	
SUNROOF/HEADLINING	
Noises in the sunroof / headlining area can often be traced to one of the following items:	
 Sunroof lid, rail, linkage, or seals making a rattle or light knocking noise 	
2. Sunvisor shaft shaking in the holder	
Front or rear windshield touching headlining and squeaking	
Again, pressing on the components to stop the noise while duplicating the conditions can isolate most of these incidents. Repairs usually consist of insulating with felt cloth tape.	
SEATS	
When isolating seat noise it is important to note the position the seat is in and the load placed on the seat when the noise occurs. These conditions should be duplicated when verifying and isolating the cause of the noise.	
Causes of seat noise include:	
1. Headrest rods and holder	
2. A squeak between the seat pad cushion and frame	
3. The rear seatback lock and bracket	
These noises can be isolated by moving or pressing on the suspected components while duplicating the con- ditions under which the noise occurs. Most of these incidents can be repaired by repositioning the component or applying urethane tape to the contact area.	
UNDERHOOD	
Some interior noise may be caused by components under the hood or on the engine wall. The noise is then	
transmitted into the passenger compartment. Causes of transmitted underhood noise include:	1
1. Any component mounted to the engine wall	
2. Components that pass through the engine wall	
3. Engine wall mounts and connectors	
4. Loose radiator mounting pins	
5. Hood bumpers out of adjustment	
6. Hood striker out of adjustment	
These noises can be difficult to isolate since they cannot be reached from the interior of the vehicle. The best method is to secure, move, or insulate one component at a time and test drive the vehicle. Also, engine RPM or load can be changed to isolate the noise. Repairs can usually be made by moving, adjusting, securing, or insulating the component causing the noise.	

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Diagnostic Worksheet



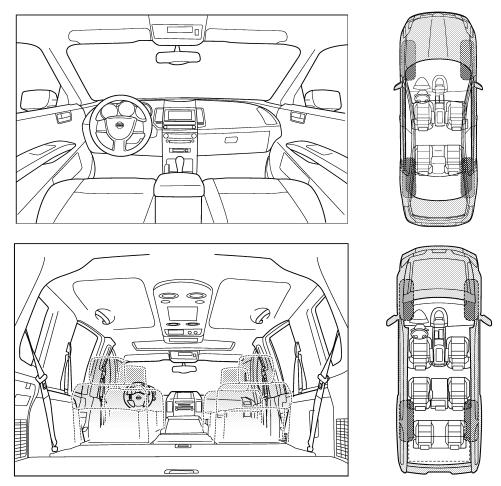
SQUEAK & RATTLE DIAGNOSTIC WORKSHEET

Dear Nissan Customer:

We are concerned about your satisfaction with your Nissan vehicle. Repairing a squeak or rattle sometimes can be very difficult. To help us fix your Nissan right the first time, please take a moment to note the area of the vehicle where the squeak or rattle occurs and under what conditions. You may be asked to take a test drive with a service advisor or technician to ensure we confirm the noise you are hearing.

I. WHERE DOES THE NOISE COME FROM? (circle the area of the vehicle)

The illustrations are for reference only, and may not reflect the actual configuration of your vehicle.



Continue to page 2 of the worksheet and briefly describe the location of the noise or rattle. In addition, please indicate the conditions which are present when the noise occurs.

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Briefly describe the location where th		
II. WHEN DOES IT OCCUR? (please	se check the boxes that apply)	
anytime	after sitting out in the rain	
☐ 1st time in the morning	☐ when it is raining or wet	
only when it is cold outside	dry or dusty conditions	
only when it is hot outside	other:	
III. WHEN DRIVING:	IV. WHAT TYPE OF NOISE	
through driveways	squeak (like tennis shoes on a clean floor)	
<pre>over rough roads</pre>	creak (like walking on an old wooden floor)	
only about mph	 rattle (like shaking a baby rattle) knock (like a knock at the door) 	
on acceleration	☐ tick (like a clock second hand)	
coming to a stop	 thump (heavy, muffled knock noise) 	
on turns: left, right or either (circle		
with passengers or cargo		
other:		
after driving miles or	_ minutes	
TO BE COMPLETED BY DEALERS	SHIP PERSONNEL	
Test Drive Notes:		
	YES NO Initials of person performing	
Vehicle test driven with customer		
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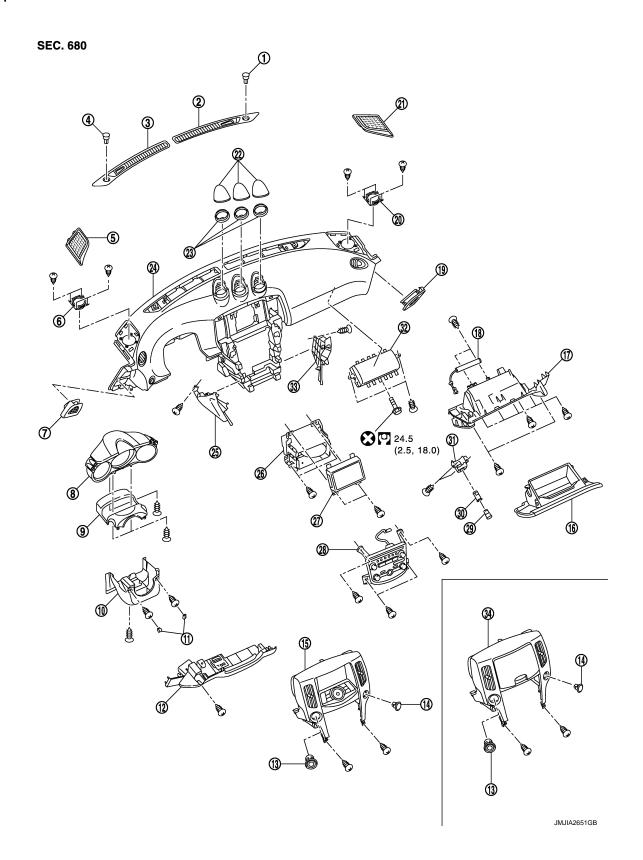
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- 1. Optical sensor
- 4. Sunload sensor
- 7. Instrument side finisher LH
- 10. Steering column lower cover
- 13. Push-button ignition switch
- 16. Glove box assembly
- 19. Instrument side finisher RH
- 22. Triple meter panel
- 25. Instrument side panel LH
- 28. Cluster lid C finisher
- 31. Power socket finisher
- 34. Cluster lid C (without NAVI)
- : Always replace after every disassembly. (\mathbf{x})
- : N·m (kg-m, ft-lb)

Removal and Installation

WORK STEP

When removing instrument panel assembly, combination meter, AV C/U (audio unit), or center console assembly take steps in the order shown by the numbers below.

PARTS	INSTRUMENT PANEL ASSEMBLY	COMBINATION METER	AV C/U (audio unit)	CENTER CONSOLE ASSEMBLY	Н
Shift knob (M/T models)	[1]		[1]	[1]	
Console finisher assembly	[2]		[2]	[2]	
Console panel LH	[3]		[3]	[3]	
Console panel RH	[4]		[4]	[4]	IP
Cup holder assembly	[5]			[5]	
Center console assembly	[6]			[6]	
Instrument lower panel LH	[7]				K
Driver air bag module	[8]	[1]			
Steering wheel	[9]	[2]			1
Steering column cover	[10]	[3]			
Paddle switch LH/RH	[11]				
Combination meter	[12]	[4]			M
Spiral cable	[13]				
Combination switch	[14]				
Body side welt LH	[15]				Ν
Front pillar garnish LH	[16]				
Speaker grille LH	[17]				0
Tweeter LH	[18]				
Instrument side finisher LH	[19]				
Cluster lid C	[20]		[5]		Ρ
Display unit	[21]		[6]		
Cluster lid C finisher	[22]		[7]		
AV C/U (audio unit)	[23]		[8]		
Instrument lower cover LH	[24]				
Front defroster grille LH	[25]				

5. Speaker grille LH 8. Combination meter Steering column mask 11. Passenger air bag OFF indicator 14.

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17. Instrument lower panel RH

Front defroster grille RH

- 20. Tweeter RH
- 23. Triple meter cover
- 26. AV C/U (audio unit)
- 29. Power socket cap
- 32. Passenger air bag module
- Tweeter LH Steering column upper cover Instrument lower panel LH В Cluster lid C (with NAVI) Glove box dumper Speaker grille RH Instrument panel assembly Display unit Power socket inner case D
- 3. Front defroster grille LH 6. 9. 12. 15. 18. 21. 24. 27.
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- 33. Instrument side panel RH

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Front defroster grille RH	[26]		
Body side welt RH	[27]		
Front pillar garnish RH	[28]		
Speaker grille RH	[29]		
Tweeter RH	[30]		
Glove box assembly	[31]		
Instrument lower panel RH	[32]		
Instrument side finisher RH	[33]		
Instrument lower cover RH	[34]		
Selector lever knob (A/T models)	[35]		
Shift position indicator (A/T models)	[36]		
Instrument panel assembly	[37]		

[]: Number indicates step in removal procedure.

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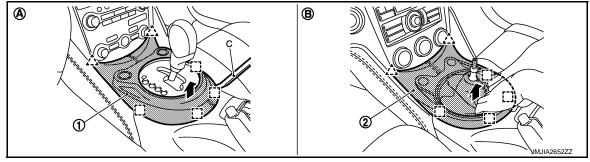
Before servicing, turn ignition switch OFF, disconnect battery negative terminal and wait 3 minutes or more.

CAUTION:

When removing, always use a remover tool that is made of plastic.

REMOVAL

- 1. Remove shift knob (M/T models). Refer to TM-23, "Removal and Installation".
- 2. Remove console finisher assembly.



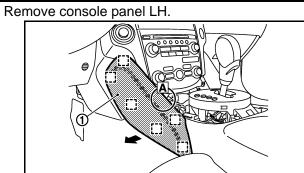
- (A) Console finisher (A/T models)
 - ∿ : Pawl
- : Metal clip
- A/T models
- Insert remover tool (C) between console finisher (1) and center console, lift up console finisher, and then disengage metal clips and pawls.

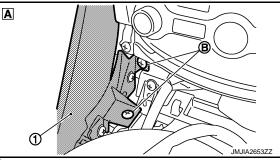
(B) Console finisher (M/T models)

- Disconnect harness connectors.
- M/T models
- Pull up console finisher (2), and then disengage metal clips and pawls.
- Disconnect harness connector.

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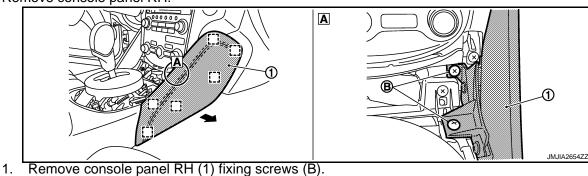
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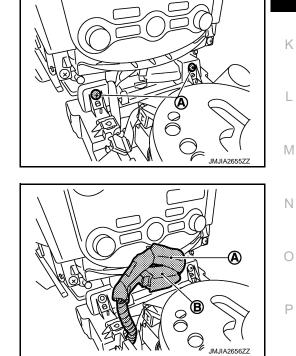
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- 1. Remove console panel LH (1) fixing screws (B).
- 2. Pull the console panel LH crosswise.
 - []] : Metal clip
- 4. Remove console panel RH.



- 2. Pull the console panel RH crosswise.
 - []] : Metal clip
- 5. Remove center console fixing screws (A).

6. Disconnect console sub-harness connectors (A) and (B).



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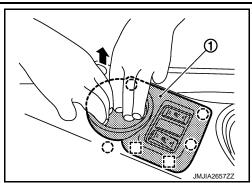
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- Remove cup holder assembly.
 - 1. Pull up cup holder assembly (1).
 - 2. Disconnect harness connectors.
 - 3. Remove harness clips.
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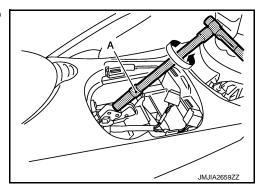
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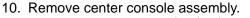
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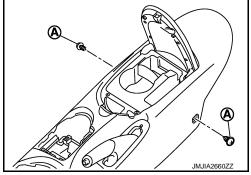


- Disconnect USB connector harness connector (A). (if equipped)
- 9. Insert a deep-well socket wrench (A) to rotate adjusting nut to loosen cable sufficiently.



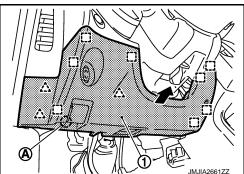


- 1. Put seat assembly (LH/RH) to the frontmost position.
- 2. Remove center console fixing screws (A).
- 3. Put seat assembly (LH/RH) to the rearmost position.
- 4. Lift up center console assembly back side, and then remove center console assembly.



- 11. Remove instrument lower panel LH.
 - 1. Remove instrument driver lower panel (1) fixing screw (A).
 - 2. Pull back instrument lower panel LH.
 - 3. Release data link connector (pawl) then remove it from instrument lower panel LH.
 - 4. Release hood opener cable. Refer to <u>DLK-183, "Exploded</u> <u>View"</u>.
 - 5. Disconnect harness connectors and aspirator duct.

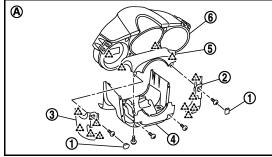
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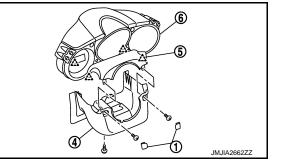


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- 12. Remove driver air bag module. Refer to <u>SR-14, "Removal and Installation"</u>.
- 13. Remove steering wheel. Refer to ST-14, "Removal and Installation".
- 14. Remove steering column covers.





	(A) Steering column cover (with paddle shifter) (B) Steering co	lumn cover (without paddle shifter)	Е
	 With paddle shifter Remove steering column mask LH/RH (1). Remove steering column side cover fixing screws. Pull the steering column side cover RH (2) to the right side. Pull the steering column side cover LH (3) to the left side. 		F
	 Remove steering column lower cover (4) fixing screws. Pull down steering column lower cover, and then remove steer 	ng column lower cover.	G
	 Without paddle shifter Remove steering column mask LH/RH (1). Remove steering column lower cover (4) fixing screws. 		Η
	- Pull down steering column lower cover, and then remove steer	ng column lower cover.	
	NOTE: Steering column upper cover (5) is fixed in combination meter (6)		IP
15.	Remove paddle switch LH/RH (with paddle shifter). Refer to TM-	324, "Removal and Installation".	
16.	Remove combination meter. Refer to MWI-103, "Removal and In	stallation".	Κ
17.	Remove spiral cable. Refer to SR-17, "Removal and Installation"		
	Remove combination switch. Refer to BCS-93, "Removal and Ins		
	Remove body side welt LH. • Coupe models: Refer to <u>INT-21, "BODY SIDE WELT : Remova</u> • Roadster models: Refer to <u>INT-53, "BODY SIDE WELT : Remova</u>	I and Installation".	L
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20.	 Remove front pillar garnish LH. Coupe models: Refer to <u>INT-18</u>, "FRONT PILLAR GARNISH : Roadster models: Refer to <u>INT-51</u>, "FRONT PILLAR GARNISH" 	Removal and Installation". I: Removal and Installation".	
21.	Remove speaker grille LH.Remove speaker grille LH (1) fixing metal clips with remover tool (A).	0-	Ν
	2. Pull speaker grille LH up and back.		0
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22. Remove tweeter LH. Refer to AV-35, "Removal and Installation".

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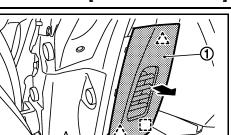
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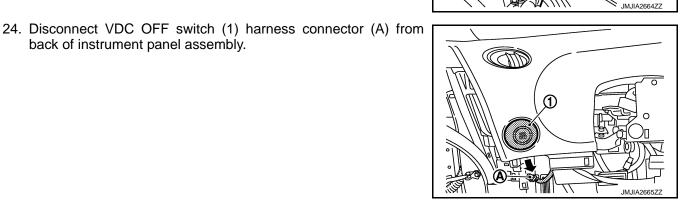
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23. Remove instrument side finisher LH.

back of instrument panel assembly.

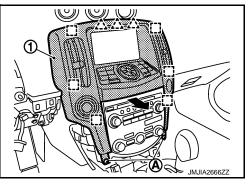
- 1. Insert a remover tool (A) into lower space.
- 2. Pull back instrument side finisher LH (1).
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 - [] : Metal clip

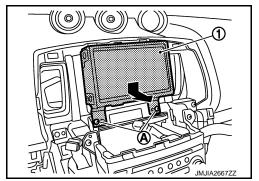


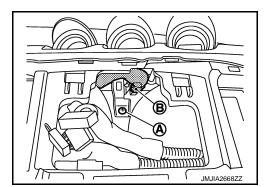


- 25. Remove cluster lid C.
 - 1. Remove cluster lid C (1) fixing screws (A).
 - 2. Pull back cluster lid C. 3. Disconnect harness connectors.
 - : Pawl /
 - : Metal clip
- 26. Remove display unit.
 - 1. Remove display unit (1) fixing screws (A).
 - 2. Pull toward the direction of the arrow.
 - 3. Disconnect harness connectors.

- 27. Remove instrument panel assembly fixing screw (A).
- 28. Disconnect triple meter harness connector (B).







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29. Remove cluster lid C finisher.

- 1. Remove cluster lid C finisher (1) fixing screws (A).
- 2. Pull back cluster lid C finisher.
- 3. Disconnect harness connector.

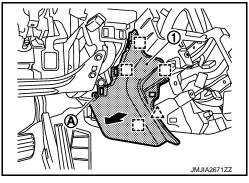
- Remove AV control unit (audio unit).
 Remove AV control unit (1) fixing screws (A).
 - 2. Pull back AV control unit.
 - 3. Disconnect harness connectors.

NOTE:

- Audio unit: Refer to AV-33, "Removal and Installation".
- AV control unit: Refer to AV-121, "Removal and Installation".
- 31. Remove inside key antenna. (Roadster models only) Refer to <u>DLK-399, "INSTRUMENT CENTER :</u> <u>Removal and Installation"</u>.
- 32. Remove instrument lower cover LH.
 - 1. Remove instrument lower cover LH (1) fixing screw (A).
 - 2. Pull toward the direction of the arrow.



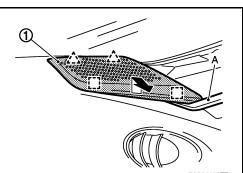
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- 33. Remove front defroster grille LH. Refer to <u>VTL-9</u>, "FRONT DEFROSTER GRILLE : Removal and Installation".
- Remove front defroster grille RH. Refer to <u>VTL-9</u>, "FRONT DEFROSTER GRILLE : Removal and Installation".
- 35. Remove body side welt RH.
 - Coupe models: Refer to INT-21, "BODY SIDE WELT : Removal and Installation".
 - Roadster models: Refer to <u>INT-53</u>, "BODY SIDE WELT : Removal and Installation".
- 36. Remove front pillar garnish RH.
 - Coupe models: Refer to INT-18, "FRONT PILLAR GARNISH : Removal and Installation".
 - Roadster models: Refer to INT-51, "FRONT PILLAR GARNISH : Removal and Installation".
- 37. Remove speaker grille RH.
 - 1. Remove speaker grille RH (1) fixing metal clips with remover tool (A).
 - 2. Pull speaker grille RH up and back.



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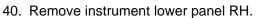
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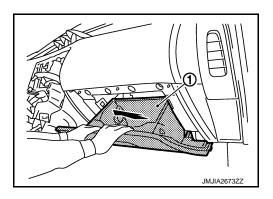
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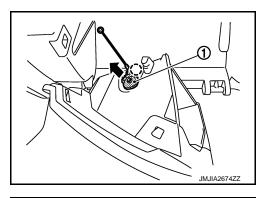
- 38. Remove tweeter RH. Refer to AV-35, "Removal and Installation".
- 39. Remove glove box assembly.
 - 1. Open the glove box.
 - 2. Pull back glove box assembly (1).

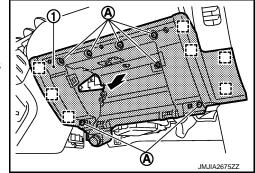
- 3. Remove damper pin (1) on left side.
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- 1. Remove instrument lower panel RH (1) fixing screws (A).
- 2. Pull back instrument lower panel RH.
- 3. Disconnect power socket harness connector.
- 4. Disconnect illumination lamp harness clips and harness connector.
 - [] : Metal clip

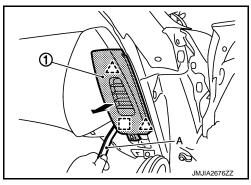






- 41. Disconnect passenger air bag module connector. Refer to SR-20, "Removal and Installation".
- 42. Remove passenger air bag module fixing bolt. Refer to <u>SR-20, "Exploded View"</u>.
- 43. Remove instrument side finisher RH.
 - 1. Insert a remover tool (A) into lower space.
 - 2. Pull back instrument side finisher RH (1).



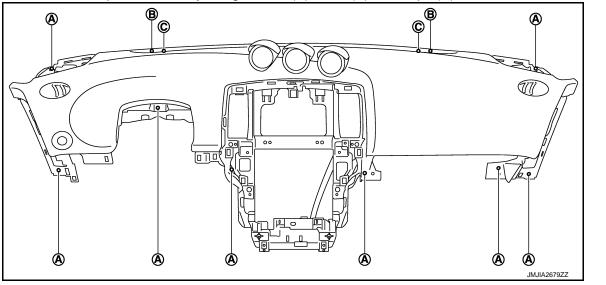


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44. Remove instrument lower cover RH.

- 1. Remove instrument lower cover RH (1) fixing screw (A).
- 2. Pull toward the arrow direction.
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 - : Metal clip
- 45. Remove harness connector clip (A) in underside of instrument panel.

- 46. Remove selector lever knob and shift position indicator plate (A/T models). Refer to <u>TM-321, "Removal</u> and Installation".
- 47. Remove instrument panel assembly fixing screws (A), bolts (B), and clips (C).



48. Remove instrument panel assembly.

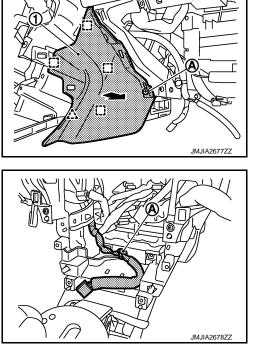
CAUTION:

- Cover tool with a shop cloth to prevent windshield glass from being damaged.
- Cover center console upper surface with a shop cloth to prevent it from being damaged.
- When removing instrument panel assembly, 2 workers are required so as to prevent it from dropping.
- 49. Remove the following parts after removing instrument panel assembly.
 - Passenger air bag module: Refer to SR-20, "Removal and Installation".
 - Side ventilator grille LH/RH: Refer to VTL-9, "SIDE VENTILATOR GRILLE : Removal and Installation".
 - Antenna feeder
 - Coupe models: Refer to AV-39, "COUPE : Feeder Layout".
 - Roadster models: Refer to <u>AV-40, "ROADSTER : Feeder Layout"</u>.
 - GPS antenna: Refer to <u>AV-286, "Removal and Installation"</u>.
 - Triple meter: Refer to <u>MWI-106, "Removal and Installation"</u>.

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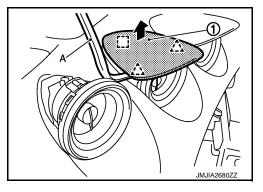
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- VDC OFF switch: Refer to <u>BRC-112</u>, "Removal and Installation".
- Triple meter panel
- Insert a remover tool (A) into lower space, and then disengage pawls.
- Pull up triple meter panel (1), and then disengage metal clip.
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 - [] : Metal clip

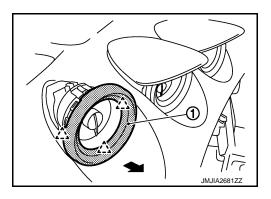


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Triple meter cover

Pull back triple meter cover (1), and then disengage pawls.

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INSTALLATION

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

- CAUTION:
- Never use the steering wheel mounting nut after removal, replace with the new nut.
- Never use the driver air bag module mounting bolts after removal, replace with the new bolts.
- Never use the passenger air bag module mounting bolts after removal, replace with the new bolts.

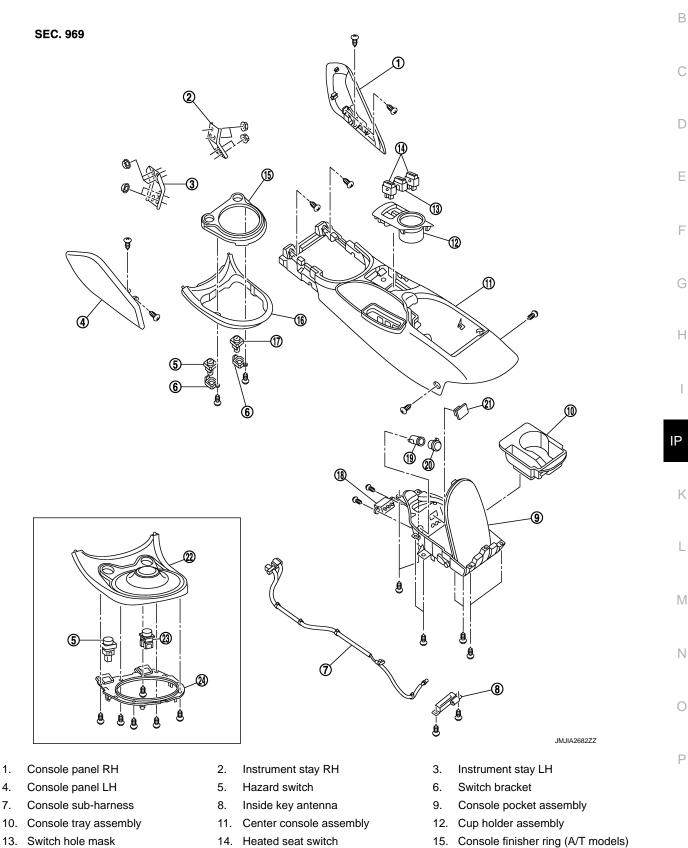
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16. Console finisher assembly (A/T models)

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17. Switch hole mask

18. Auxiliary input jacks

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- 19. Power socket inner case
- 20. Power socket cap

21. USB connector

- 22. Console finisher assembly (M/T models)

23. Switch hole mask or S-MODE switch 24. Console finisher bracket

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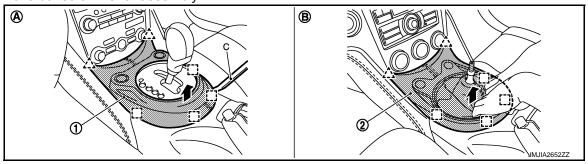
Removal and Installation

CAUTION:

When removing, always use a remover tool that is made of plastic.

REMOVAL

- Remove shift knob (M/T models). Refer to TM-23, "Removal and Installation". 1.
- Remove console finisher assembly. 2.



Console finisher (A/T models) (A)

(B) Console finisher (M/T models)

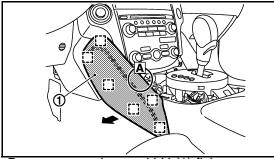
- A/T models
- Insert remover tool (A) between console finisher (1) and center console, lift up console finisher, and then disengage metal clips and pawls.

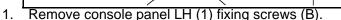
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- Disconnect harness connectors.
- M/T models
- Pull up console finisher (2), and then disengage metal clips and pawls.
- Disconnect harness connector.

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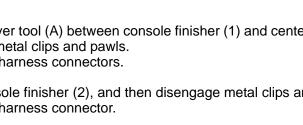
Remove console panel LH. 3.





2. Pull the console panel LH crosswise.

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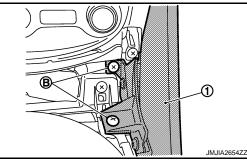
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Remove console panel RH.



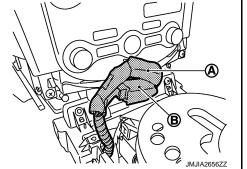
- 1. Remove console panel RH (1) fixing screws (B).
- 2. Pull the console panel RH crosswise.

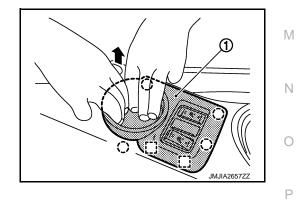
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5. Remove center console fixing screws (A).

6. Disconnect console sub-harness connectors (A) and (B).







- 7. Remove cup holder assembly.
 - 1. Pull up cup holder assembly (1).
 - 2. Disconnect harness connectors.
 - 3. Remove harness clip.

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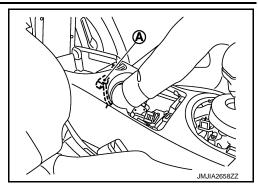
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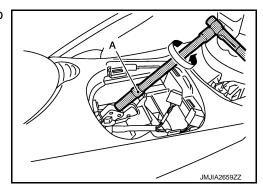
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8. Disconnect USB connector harness connector (A). (if equipped)

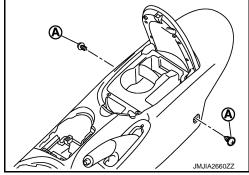
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9. Insert a deep-well socket wrench (A) to rotate adjusting nut to loosen cable sufficiently.



- Remove center console assembly.
 Put seat assembly (LH/RH) to the frontmost position.
 Remove center console fixing screws (A).
 - 3. Put seat assembly (LH/RH) to the rearmost position.
 - 4. Lift up center console assembly back side, and then remove center console assembly.



INSTALLATION

Install in the reverse order of removal.

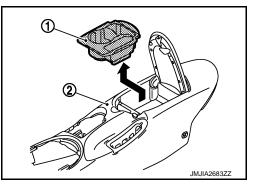
Disassembly and Assembly

CAUTION:

When disassembling, always use a remover tool that is made of plastic.

DISASSEMBLY

- 1. Open the console lid.
- 2. Pull up console tray assembly (1), and then remove console tray assembly from center console assembly (2).



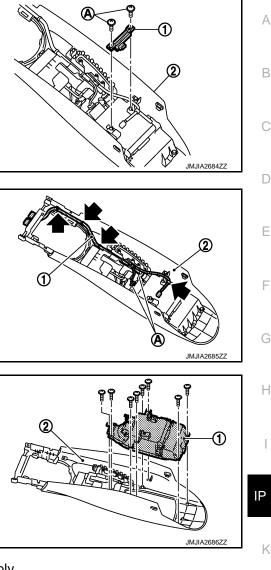


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- 3. Remove inside key antenna. 1. Disconnect inside key antenna harness connector.
 - Remove inside key antenna (1) fixing screws (A). 2.
 - Pull up inside key antenna from center console assembly 3. (2).



Remove console sub-harness. 4.

Remove console pocket assembly.

1. Disconnect harness connectors (A). 2. Remove console sub-harness (1) fixing harness clips from

1. Remove console pocket assembly (1) fixing screws.

2. Pull up console pocket assembly from center console

- center console assembly (2).
 - : Harness clip

assembly (2).

- 6. Remove the following parts after removing console pocket assembly.
 - Console power socket: Refer to PWO-7, "CONSOLE POWER SOCKET : Removal and Installation".
 - Auxiliary input jacks (if equipped): Refer to AV-283, "Removal and Installation".
 - USB connector (if equipped): Refer to AV-282, "Removal and Installation".

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Assemble in the reverse order of disassembly.

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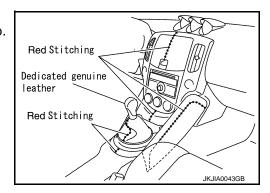
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SPEC CHANGE INFORMATION CENTER CONSOLE ASSEMBLY

Center Console Assembly

- Red stitches adopted for dedicated console panels.
- Dedicated genuine leather adopted for the gear shifting lever knob.



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