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# NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING [REAR PROPELLER SHAFT: 2S80A]

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# NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

# **NVH Troubleshooting Chart**

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Use the chart below to find the	cause of the symptom.	If nece	ssary,	repair	or rep	lace th	ese pa	arts.			1					
Reference		DLN-6, "Inspection"	I	I	I	I	DLN-6, "Inspection"	DLN-6, "Inspection"	NVH of REAR FINAL DRIVE in this section.	NVH in FAX, RAX, FSU and RSU section.	NVH in WT section.	NVH in WT section.	NVH in RAX section.	NVH in BR section.	NVH in ST section.	C DLN
Possible cause and SUSPEC	CTED PARTS	Uneven rotating torque	Center bearing improper installation	Excessive center bearing axial end play	Center bearing mounting (insulator) cracks, damage or deterioration	Excessive joint angle	Rotation imbalance	Excessive runout	DIFFERENTIAL	AXLE AND SUSPENSION	TIRE	ROAD WHEEL	DRIVE SHAFT	BRAKE	STEERING	G H J K L
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# **PRECAUTION**

# **PRECAUTIONS**

# Service notice or Precautions for Rear Propeller Shaft

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- If the propeller shaft is dropped, replace the propeller shaft assembly.
- Never tap the tube. Avoid impacts and scratching.
- Replace the propeller shaft assembly if there are cracks or deflection on the tube.
- Protect the propeller shaft tube from damage with a tube protector during repair service.

# Precautions for Removing Battery Terminal

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 When removing the 12V battery terminal, turn OFF the ignition switch and wait at least 30 seconds.

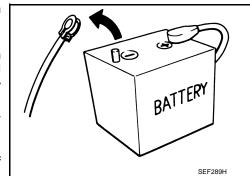
#### NOTE:

ECU may be active for several tens of seconds after the ignition switch is turned OFF. If the battery terminal is removed before ECU stops, then a DTC detection error or ECU data corruption may occur.

• For vehicles with the 2-batteries, be sure to connect the main battery and the sub battery before turning ON the ignition switch.

#### NOTE:

If the ignition switch is turned ON with any one of the terminals of main battery and sub battery disconnected, then DTC may be detected.



After installing the 12V battery, always check "Self Diagnosis Result" of all ECUs and erase DTC.
 NOTE:

The removal of 12V battery may cause a DTC detection error.

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The actual shapes of TechMate tools ma	y differ from those of	f special service tools i	llustrated here.

Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name	Description	С
(J-46208) Propeller shaft protector	Removing and installing propeller shaft	DLN E

# **Commercial Service Tools**

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Tool name		Description	
Power tool		Loosening bolts and nuts	
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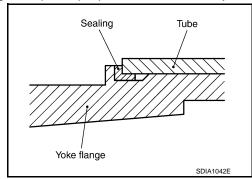
# PERIODIC MAINTENANCE

# REAR PROPELLER SHAFT

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#### **NOISE**

- · Check the propeller shaft tube surface for dents or cracks. If damaged, replace propeller shaft assembly.
- Check that there is clearance between the tube end and yoke flange. If no clearance is found, replace the propeller shaft.
- If there are cracks, peeling, or any other breakage on the seal (yoke and tube joint) replace the propeller shaft assembly.



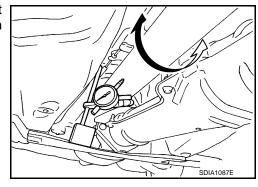
#### **VIBRATION**

If vibration is present at high speed, inspect propeller shaft runout first.

1. With a dial indicator, measure propeller shaft runout at runout measuring points by rotating final drive companion flange with hands.

**Propeller shaft runout** 

: Refer to <u>DLN-10</u>, "Propeller Shaft Runout".



Propeller shaft runout measuring point (Point "△").

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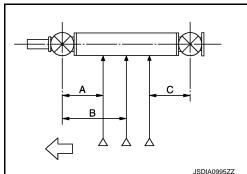
#### **Standard**

M/T

A : 340 mm (13.39 in)
B : 610 mm (24.02 in)
C : 340 mm (13.39 in)

A/T

A : 340 mm (13.39 in)
B : 580 mm (22.83 in)
C : 340 mm (13.39 in)



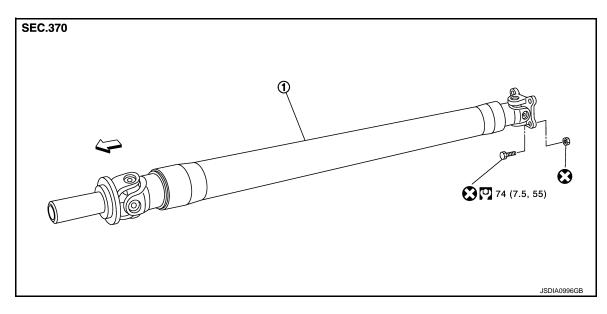
- If runout still exceeds specifications, separate propeller shaft at final drive companion flange; then change the phase between companion flange and propeller shaft by the one bolt hole at a time and install propeller shaft.
- 3. Check runout again. If runout still exceeds specifications, replace propeller shaft assembly.
- 4. Check the vibration by driving vehicle.

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# REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

# **REAR PROPELLER SHAFT**

Exploded View



1. Propeller shaft assembly

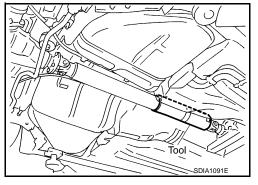
⟨□: Vehicle front

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols in the figure.

# Removal and Installation

#### **REMOVAL**

- 1. Shift the transmission to the neutral position, and then release the parking brake.
- 2. Remove the center muffler and exhaust front tube with power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 3. Remove the heat insulator.
- Attach propeller shaft protector [SST: (J-46208)] to propeller shaft.



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5. Put matching marks (A) on propeller shaft companion flange and final drive companion flange.

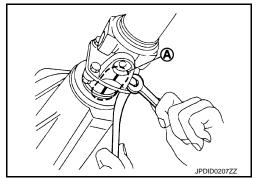
#### **CAUTION:**

For matching marks, use paint. Never damage propeller shaft companion flange and final drive companion flange.

Remove propeller shaft fixing bolts and nuts, and then remove propeller shaft from the vehicle.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never damage the rear oil seal of transmission.



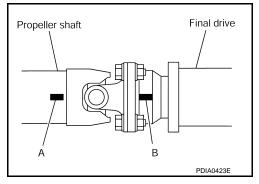
#### INSTALLATION

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

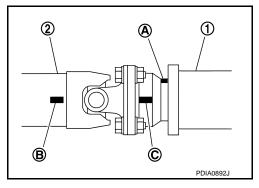
#### **CAUTION:**

After the installation, remove the propeller shaft protector from the propeller shaft.

- When installing propeller shaft, attach propeller shaft protector to propeller shaft.
- Aligning the matching of propeller shaft (A) companion flange with that of final drive companion flange (B).



- If propeller shaft assembly or final drive assembly has been replaced, connect them as follows:
- Face the companion flange mark (A) of the final drive (1) upward. With the mark (A) faced upward, couple the propeller shaft and the final drive so that the matching mark (B) of propeller shaft (2) can be positioned as closest as possible with the matching mark (C) of the final drive companion flange.
- Tighten mounting bolts and nuts of propeller shaft and final drive to the specified torque.
- Perform inspection after installation. Refer to <u>DLN-8</u>, "Inspection".



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#### INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL

#### Appearance

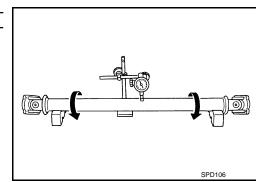
Check propeller shaft for bend and damage. If damage is detected, replace propeller shaft assembly.

#### Propeller Shaft Runout

Check propeller shaft runout at measuring points with a dial indicator. If runout exceeds specifications, replace propeller shaft assembly.

**Propeller shaft runout** 

: Refer to <u>DLN-10</u>, "Propeller Shaft Runout".



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Propeller shaft runout measuring point (Point "△").

∀: Vehicle front

#### **Standard**

#### M/T

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#### Journal Axial Play

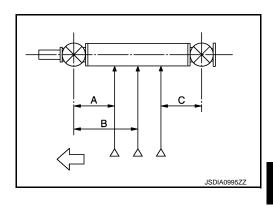
As shown in the figure, while fixing yoke on one side, check axial play of joint. If it is outside the standard, replace propeller shaft assembly.

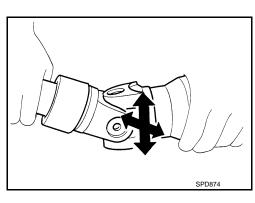
Journal axial play

: Refer to <u>DLN-10</u>, "Journal <u>Axial Play"</u>.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never disassemble joints.





# INSPECTION AFTER INSTALLATION

After assembly, perform a driving test to check propeller shaft vibration. If vibration occurred, separate propeller shaft from final drive. Reinstall companion flange by changing the phase between companion flange and propeller shaft by the one bolt hole at a time. Then perform driving test and check propeller shaft vibration again at each point.

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

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# **General Specifications**

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Applied model		2WD						
		VQ37VHR						
		M/T	A/T					
Propeller shaft model		2S80A	, CFRP					
Number of joints		2	2					
Type of journal bearings	1st joint	Shell	type					
(Non-disassembly type)	2nd joint	Shell	type					
Coupling method with tran	smission	Sleeve type						
Coupling method with rear	final drive	Flang	e type					
Shaft length (Spider to spi	der)	1221 mm (48.07 in)	1160 mm (45.67 in)					
Shaft outer diameter		85 mm (3.35 in)						
Propeller Shaft R	unout		INFOID:0000000011735963					
			Unit: mm (in)					
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# Journal Axial Play

Propeller shaft runout

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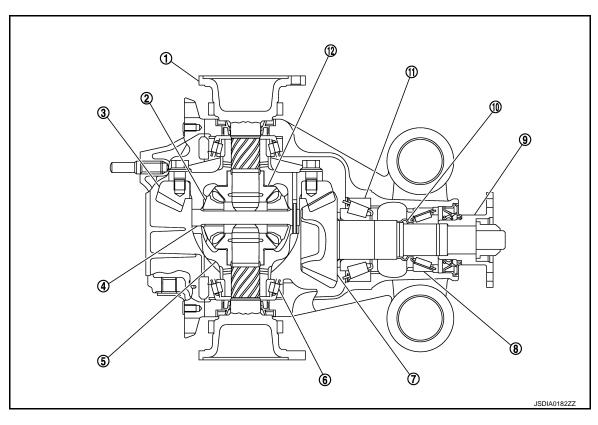
	Unit: mm (in)
Item	Standard
Journal axial play	0 (0)

# SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

# REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY

System Diagram

**CROSS-SECTIONAL VIEW** 



- 1. Side flange
- 4. Pinion mate shaft
- 7. Drive pinion
- 10. Collapsible spacer
- 2. Pinion mate gear
- 5. Differential case
- 8. Pinion front bearing
- 11. Pinion rear bearing
- 3. Drive gear
- 6. Side bearing
- 9. Companion flange
- 12. Side gear

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# NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

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# NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

# **NVH Troubleshooting Chart**

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Use the chart below to find the cause	of the symptom. If neces	sary, r	epair c	r repla	ace the	ese pa	rts.							
Reference		DLN-40, "Inspection After Disassembly"	DLN-35, "Adjustment"	DLN-40, "Inspection After Disassembly"	DLN-35, "Adjustment"	DLN-47, "Adjustment"	DLN-18, "Inspection"	NVH of REAR PROPELLER SHAFT in this section.	NVH in FAX, RAX, FSU and RSU sections.	NVH in WT section.	NVH in WT section.	NVH in RAX section.	NVH in BR section.	NVH in ST section.
Possible cause and SUSPECTED PARTS		Gear tooth rough	Gear contact improper	Tooth surfaces worn	Backlash incorrect	Companion flange excessive runout	Gear oil improper	PROPELLER SHAFT	AXLE AND SUSPENSION	TIRE	ROAD WHEEL	DRIVE SHAFT	BRAKE	STEERING
Symptom	Noise	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×

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# **PRECAUTION**

# **PRECAUTIONS**

# Service Notice or Precautions for Rear Final Drive

• Check for the correct installation status prior to removal or disassembly. If matching marks are required, be certain they never interfere with the function of the parts when applied.

• Overhaul should be done in a clean work area, it is preferable to work in dustproof area.

- Before disassembly, using steam or white gasoline, completely remove sand and mud from the exterior of the unit, preventing them from entering into the unit during disassembly or assembly.
- Check appearance of the disassembled parts for damage, deformation, and unusual wear. Replace them
  with new ones, if necessary.
- Gaskets, seals and O-rings should be replaced any time when the unit is disassembled.
- In principle, tighten bolts or nuts gradually in several steps working diagonally from inside to outside. If tightening sequence is specified, observe it.
- Clean and flush the parts sufficiently and blow-dry them.
- Be careful not to damage sliding surfaces and mating surfaces.
- When applying sealant, remove the old sealant from the mounting surface; then remove any moisture, oil, and foreign materials from the application and mounting surfaces.
- Always use shop paper for cleaning the inside of components.
- Never use cotton gloves or shop rags to prevent entering of lint.
- During assembly, observe the specified tightening torque, and apply new gear oil, petroleum jelly, or multipurpose grease as specified for each vehicle, if necessary.

# Precautions for Removing Battery Terminal

 When removing the 12V battery terminal, turn OFF the ignition switch and wait at least 30 seconds.

### NOTE:

ECU may be active for several tens of seconds after the ignition switch is turned OFF. If the battery terminal is removed before ECU stops, then a DTC detection error or ECU data corruption may occur.

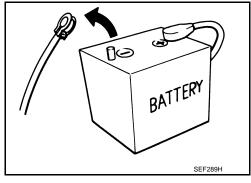
• For vehicles with the 2-batteries, be sure to connect the main battery and the sub battery before turning ON the ignition switch.

#### NOTE:

If the ignition switch is turned ON with any one of the terminals of main battery and sub battery disconnected, then DTC may be detected.

After installing the 12V battery, always check "Self Diagnosis Result" of all ECUs and erase DTC.
 NOTE:

The removal of 12V battery may cause a DTC detection error.



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# Special Service Tools

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Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name		Description
KV40104100		Removing side flange
( — ) Attachment		
	ZZA0804D	
ST36230000 (J-25840-A) Sliding hammer		Removing side flange
	ZZA0803D	
ST3127S000 (J-25765-A) Preload gauge		Measuring pinion bearing preload and total preload
KV381054S0	ZZA0806D	Removing front oil seal
(J-34286) Puller		
ST30720000	<b>T</b> ZZA0601D	Installing front oil seal
(J-25405) Drift a: 77 mm (3.03 in) dia. o: 55.5 mm (2.185 in) dia.		Installing pinion rear bearing outer race
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⟨V38107900 (J-39352) Protector		Installing side flange

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Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name		Description
KV38100200 (J-26233) Drift a: 65 mm (2.56 in) dia. b: 49 mm (1.93 in) dia.	a b ZZA1143D	Installing side oil seal
(V10111100 J-37228) Seal cutter	S-NT046	Removing rear cover
(V38100800 J-25604-01) Attachment A: 541 mm (21.30 in) 3: 200 mm (7.87 in)	B COLOGO SDIA0267E	Fixing unit assembly
ET3306S001 J-22888-D) Differential side bearing puller set : ST33051001 (J-22888-20) Puller E: ST33061000 (J-8107-2) Base a: 28.5 mm (1.122 in) dia. b: 38 mm (1.50 in) dia.	2 a a b b b NT072	Removing and installing side bearing inner race
KV10112100 (BT-8653-A) Angle wrench	ZZA0120D	Tightening the drive gear mounting bolt
KV38100300 (J-25523) Drift a: 54 mm (2.13 in) dia. b: 46 mm (1.81 in) dia. c: 32 mm (1.26 in) dia.	ZZA1046D	Installing side bearing inner race

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Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name		Description
(J-8129) Spring gauge	NT127	Measuring turning torque
KV40105230 ( — ) Drift a: 92 mm (3.62 in) dia. b: 86 mm (3.39 in) dia. c: 45 mm (1.77 in) dia.	a b C PDIA0591E	Installing pinion rear bearing outer race
ST30611000 (J-25742-1) Drift bar	S-NT090	Installing pinion front bearing outer race (Use with ST30613000)
ST30613000 (J-25742-3) Drift a: 72 mm (2.83 in) dia. b: 48 mm (1.89 in) dia.	ZZA1000D	Installing pinion front bearing outer race
ST30901000 (J-26010-01) Drift a: 79 mm (3.11 in) dia. b: 45 mm (1.77 in) dia. c: 35.2 mm (1.386 in) dia.	a b c ZZA0978D	Installing pinion rear bearing inner race

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lange wrench		Removing and installing drive pinion lock nu		
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	NT035			
Puller		Removing companion flange		
Sliding hammer	ZZA0119D	Removing differential case assembly		
	NT125			
Replacer		Removing pinion rear bearing inner race		
	ZZA0700D			
Spacer		Installing pinion front bearing inner race		
a: 60 mm (2.36 in) dia. b: 36 mm (1.42 in) dia. b: 30 mm (1.18 in)	b c			
	a ZZA1133D			
Power tool		Loosening bolts and nuts		

# PERIODIC MAINTENANCE

# REAR DIFFERENTIAL GEAR OIL

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#### **OIL LEAKAGE**

Make sure that oil is not leaking from final drive assembly or around it.

#### OIL LEVEL

 Remove filler plug (1) and check oil level from filler plug mounting hole as shown in the figure.

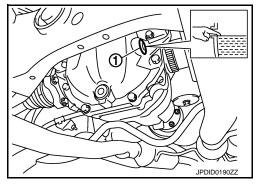
#### **CAUTION:**

Never start engine while checking oil level.

Set a gasket on filler plug and install it on final drive assembly.
 Refer to <u>DLN-28</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".

#### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.



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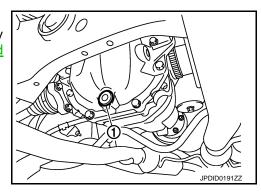
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Draining

- 1. Stop the engine.
- 2. Remove drain plug (1) and drain gear oil.
- Set a gasket on drain plug and install it to final drive assembly and tighten to the specified torque. Refer to <u>DLN-28</u>, "<u>Exploded</u> <u>View</u>".

#### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.



Refilling

1. Remove filler plug (1). Fill with new gear oil until oil level reaches the specified level near filler plug mounting hole.

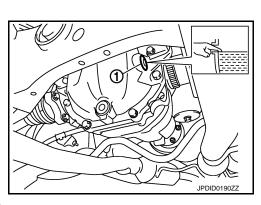
Oil grade, viscosity, and capacity

: Refer to MA-16, "FOR NORTH AMERICA: Fluids and Lubricants" (for NORTH AMERICA), MA-18, "FOR MEXICO: Fluids and Lubricants" (for MEXICO).

 After refilling oil, check oil level. Set a gasket to filler plug, then install it to final drive assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-28</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".

# **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.

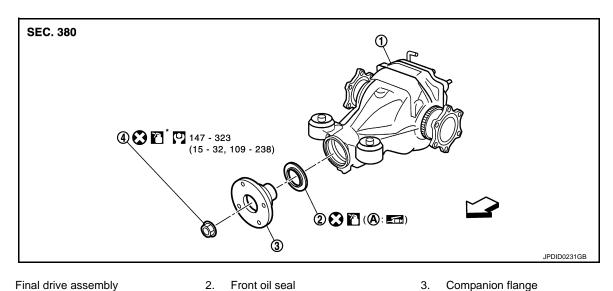


# REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

# FRONT OIL SEAL

**Exploded View** 

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- Final drive assembly
- Drive pinion lock nut
- Oil seal lip
- : Vehicle front
- : Apply gear oil.
- ∴ Apply anti-corrosion oil.

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

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#### REMOVAL

#### **CAUTION:**

Verify identification stamp of replacement frequency put in the lower part of gear carrier to determine replacement for collapsible spacer when replacing front oil seal. Refer to "Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal". If collapsible spacer replacement is necessary, remove final drive assembly and disassemble it to replace front oil seal and collapsible spacer. Refer to DLN-26, "Removal and Installation" and DLN-42, "Disassembly".

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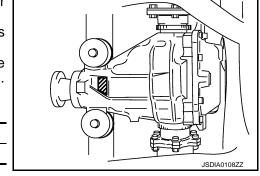
The reuse of collapsible spacer is prohibited in principle. However, it is reusable on a one-time basis only in cases when replacing front oil seal.

Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal

- The diagonally shaded area in the figure shows stamping point for replacement frequency of front oil seal.
- The following table shows if collapsible spacer replacement is needed before replacing front oil seal.

When collapsible spacer replacement is required, disassemble final drive assembly to replace collapsible spacer and front oil seal. Refer to DLN-42, "Disassembly".

Stamp	collapsible spacer replacement
No stamp	Not required



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Stamp collapsible spacer replacement

"0" or "0" on the far right of stamp Required

"01" or "1" on the far right of stamp Not required

#### **CAUTION:**

### Make a stamping after replacing front oil seal.

 After replacing front oil seal, make a stamping on the stamping point in accordance with the table below in order to identify replacement frequency.

## **CAUTION:**

Make a stamping from left to right.

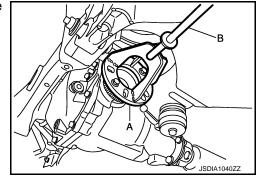
Stamp before stamping	Stamping on the far right	Stamping
No stamp	0	0
"0" (Front oil seal was replaced once.)	1	01
"01" (Collapsible spacer and front oil seal were replaced last time.)	0	010
"0" is on the far right. (Only front oil seal was replaced last time.)	1	01
"1" is on the far right. (Collapsible spacer and front oil seal were replaced last time.)	0	010

- 1. Drain gear oil. Refer to <u>DLN-18</u>, "<u>Draining</u>".
- 2. Make a judgment if a collapsible spacer replacement is required.
- 3. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 4. Remove rear wheel sensors. Refer to BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View".
- 5. Remove drive shafts from final drive. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- 6. Install attachment (A) to side flange, and then pull out the side flange with the sliding hammer (B).

A : Attachment [SST: KV40104100 ( — )]

B : Sliding hammer [SST: ST36230000 (J-25840-A)]

7. Remove rear propeller shaft. Refer to <u>DLN-7</u>, "Exploded View".

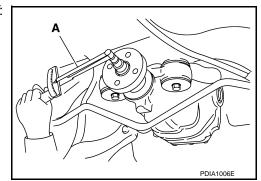


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8. Measure the total preload with the preload gauge (A) [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

#### NOTE:

Record the preload measurement.



# FRONT OIL SEAL

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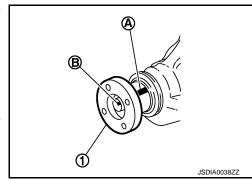
9. Put matching mark (B) on the end of the drive pinion. The matching mark should be in line with the matching mark (A) on companion flange (1).

#### **CAUTION:**

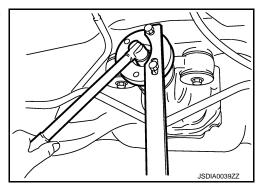
For matching mark, use paint. Never damage companion flange and drive pinion.

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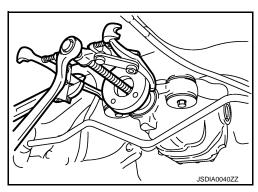
The matching mark on the final drive companion flange indicates the maximum vertical runout position.



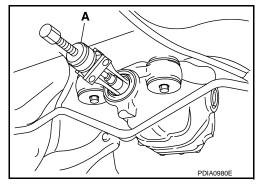
10. Remove drive pinion lock nut using the flange wrench (commercial service tool).



11. Remove companion flange using puller (commercial service tool).



12. Remove front oil seal using the puller (A) [SST: KV381054S0 (J-34286)].



#### **INSTALLATION**

1. Apply multi-purpose grease to front oil seal lip.

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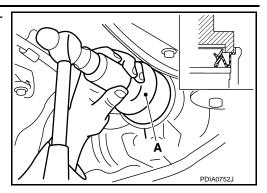
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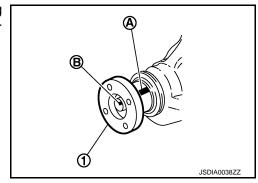
2. Install front oil seal using the drift (A) [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)] as shown in figure.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse oil seal.
- Never incline oil seal when installing.



3. Align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange (1), and then install the companion flange.



- 4. Apply anti-corrosion oil to the thread and seat of new drive pinion lock nut, and temporarily tighten drive pinion lock nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).
  - A : Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

### **CAUTION:**

## Never reuse drive pinion lock nut.

5. Tighten drive pinion lock nut within the limits of specified torque so as to keep the pinion bearing preload within a standard values, using preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

#### **Standard**

Total preload torque

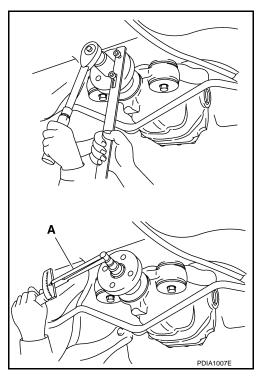
: A value that add 0.1-0.4 N·m (0.01-0.04 kg-m, 0.9-3.5 in-lb) to the measured value before removing.

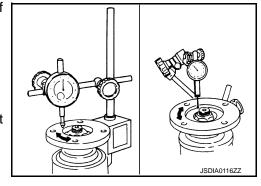
#### **CAUTION:**

- Adjust to the lower limit of the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque first.
- If the preload torque exceeds the specified value, replace collapsible spacer and tighten it again to adjust. Never loosen drive pinion lock nut to adjust the preload torque.
- 6. Fit a dial indicator onto the companion flange face (inner side of the propeller shaft mounting bolt holes).
- 7. Rotate companion flange to check for runout.

Companion flange runout : Refer to <u>DLN-49, "Companion Flange Runout".</u>

- 8. Fit a test indicator to the inner side of companion flange (socket diameter).
- 9. Rotate companion flange to check for runout.





## **Companion flange runout**

: Refer to <u>DLN-49</u>, "Companion Flange Runout".

• If the runout value is outside the runout limit, follow the procedure below to adjust.

- Check for runout while changing the phase between companion flange and drive pinion by 90° step, and search for the position where the runout is the minimum.
- If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the phase has been changed, possible cause will be an
  assembly malfunction of drive pinion and pinion bearing and malfunction of pinion bearing. Check for
  these items and repair if necessary.
- If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the check and repair, replace companion flange.
- 10. Make a stamping for identification of front oil seal replacement frequency. Refer to "Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal".

#### **CAUTION:**

### Make a stamping after replacing front oil seal.

- 11. Install rear propeller shaft. Refer to <a href="DLN-7">DLN-7</a>, "Exploded View".
- 12. Install side flanges with the following procedure.
- Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil seal.
- After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the protector.
- c. Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

#### NOTE:

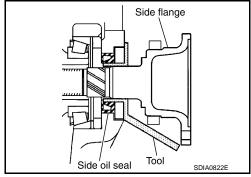
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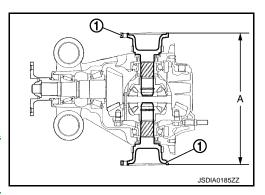
d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.

#### **Standard**

A : 326 – 328 mm (12.83 – 12.91 in)

- 13. Install drive shafts. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- 14. Install rear wheel sensors. Refer to <a href="BRC-124">BRC-124</a>, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View".
- 15. Install center muffler. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- Refill gear oil to the final drive and check oil level. Refer to <u>DLN-18</u>. "Refilling".
- 17. Check the final drive for oil leakage. Refer to DLN-18, "Inspection".





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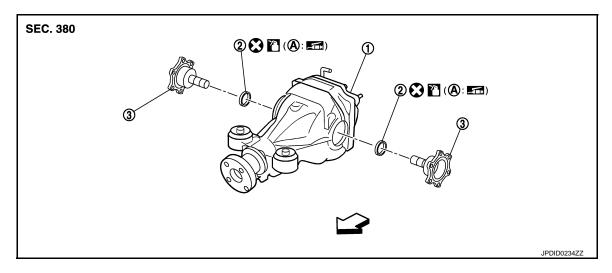
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# SIDE OIL SEAL

Exploded View



- 1. Final drive assembly
- Side oil seal

3. Side flange

A. Oil seal lip

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 : Vehicle front

: Apply gear oil.

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

# Removal and Installation

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#### **REMOVAL**

- 1. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 2. Remove rear wheel sensor. Refer to BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View".
- 3. Remove drive shaft from final drive with a power tool. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- 4. Install attachment (A) to side flange, and then pull out the side flange with the sliding hammer (B).

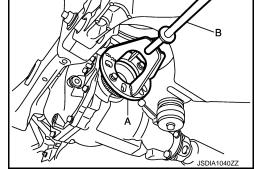
A : Attachment [SST: KV40104100 ( — )]

B : Sliding hammer [SST: ST36230000 (J-25840-A)]

5. Remove side oil seal, using a suitable tool.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never damage gear carrier.



#### **INSTALLATION**

1. Apply multi-purpose grease to side oil seal lip.

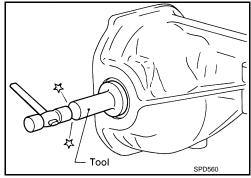
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2. Install side oil seal until it becomes flush with the case end, using the drift [SST: KV38100200 (J-26233)].

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse oil seal.
- When installing, never incline oil seal.



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- Install side flange with the following procedure.
- a. Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil seal.
- After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the protector.
- c. Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

#### NOTE:

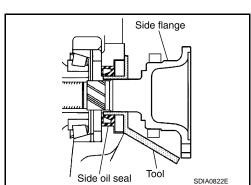
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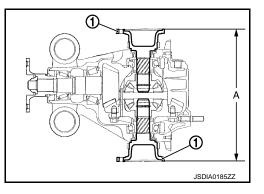
d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.

#### **Standard**

A : 326 – 328 mm (12.83 – 12.91 in)

- 4. Install drive shaft. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- Install rear wheel sensor. Refer to <u>BRC-124</u>, "<u>REAR WHEEL SENSOR</u>: <u>Exploded View</u>".
- 6. Install center muffler. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 7. When oil leaks while removing, check oil level after the installation. Refer to <u>DLN-18</u>, "Inspection".





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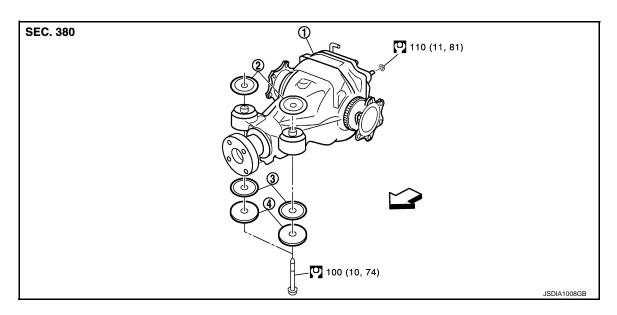
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# UNIT REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

# REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY

Exploded View



- 1. Rear final drive assembly
- 2. Upper stopper

3. Lower stopper

4. Washer

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 : Vehicle front

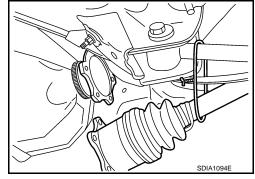
Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols in the figure.

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## **REMOVAL**

- 1. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- Remove diag brace with power tool. Refer to <u>RSU-18</u>. "Exploded View".
- 3. Remove stabilizer bar with a power tool. Refer to RSU-17, "Exploded View".
- 4. Remove rear propeller shaft from the final drive. Refer to DLN-7, "Exploded View".
- 5. Remove drive shafts from final drive with a power tool. Then suspend it by wire, etc. Refer to <a href="RAX-10">RAX-10</a>, "Exploded View".
- 6. Remove breather hose from the final drive.
- Remove rear wheel sensors. Refer to <u>BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View"</u>.



# REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY

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Set a suitable jack to rear final drive assembly.

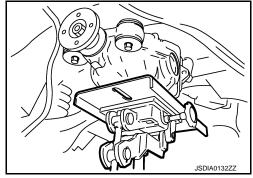
## **CAUTION:**

Never place a jack on the rear cover (aluminum case).

9. Remove the mounting bolts and nuts connecting to the suspension member, and remove rear final drive assembly with a power tool.

#### **CAUTION:**

Secure rear final drive assembly to a suitable jack while removing it.



#### INSTALLATION

Note the following, and installation is in the reverse order of removal.

#### **CAUTION:**

Make sure there are no pinched or restricted areas on the breather hose caused by bending or winding when installing it.

 Install the breather hose (1) to breather connector until dimension (A) shown as follows.

A:

Final drive side : 20 mm (0.79 in) Suspension member : 20.5 mm (0.807 in)

side

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse hose clamp.
- Install the hose clamp at the final drive side, with the tab facing downward.
- Install the hose clamp at the suspension member side, with the tab facing downward.



2 : Suspension member

: Metal connector

: Vehicle front

- For installation, insert the breather connector to suspension member. Install metal connector to rear cover with aiming painted marking to the front of vehicle.

## **CAUTION:**

Never reuse breather connector and metal connector.

 When oil leaks while removing final drive assembly, check oil level after the installation. Refer to DLN-18, "Inspection".

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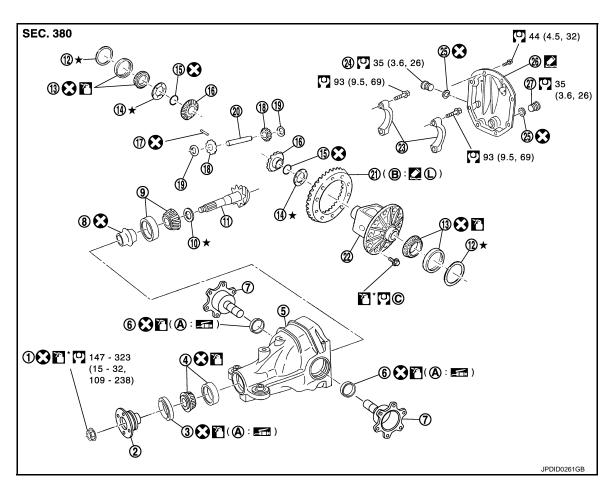
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# UNIT DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

# DIFFERENTIAL ASSEMBLY

Exploded View



- 1. Drive pinion lock nut
- 4. Pinion front bearing
- 7. Side flange
- 10. Pinion height adjusting washer
- 13. Side bearing
- 16. Side gear
- 19. Pinion mate thrust washer
- 22. Differential case
- 25. Gasket
- A. Oil seal lip

- 2. Companion flange
- 5. Gear carrier
- 8. Collapsible spacer
- 11. Drive pinion
- 14. Side gear thrust washer
- 17. Lock pin
- 20. Pinion mate shaft
- 23. Bearing cap
- 26. Rear cover
- B. Screw hole

- Front oil seal
- 6. Side oil seal
- 9. Pinion rear bearing
- 12. Side bearing adjusting washer
- 15. Circular clip
- 18. Pinion mate gear
- 21. Drive gear
- 24. Filler plug
- 27. Drain plug
- Comply with the assembly procedure when tightening. Refer to <u>DLN-31</u>. "Assembly".

- Apply gear oil.
- ★: Apply anti-corrosion oil.
- Apply Genuine Silicone RTV or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".
- Apply Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

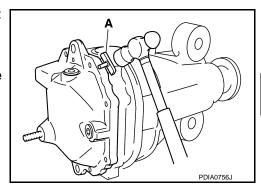
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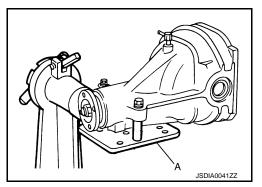
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Disassembly

- 1. Drain gear oil, if necessary.
- 2. Remove side flanges.
- 3. Remove rear cover mounting bolts.
- Remove rear cover to insert the seal cutter (A) [SST: KV10111100 (J-37228)] between gear carrier and rear cover. CAUTION:
  - Never damage the mating surface.
  - Never insert flat-bladed screwdriver, this may damage the mating surface.



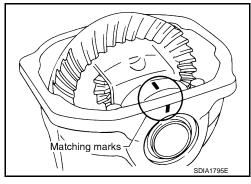
5. Using two spacers, mount carrier on the attachment (A) [SST: KV38100800 (J-25604-01)].



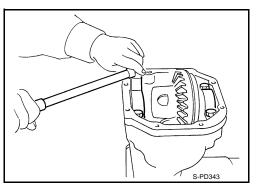
6. For proper reinstallation, paint matching marks on one side of the bearing cap.

#### **CAUTION:**

- For matching marks, use paint. Never damage bearing caps and gear carrier.
- Bearing caps are manufactured as integral molding. Use the matching marks to them in their original positions.



7. Remove bearing caps.



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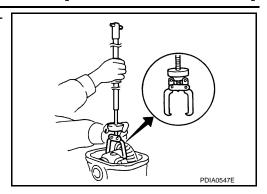
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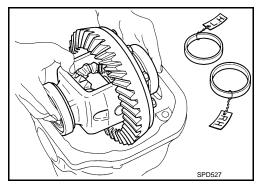
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8. Lift differential case assembly out with a sliding hammer (commercial service tool).



 Keep side bearing outer races together with inner race. Never mix them up.

Also, keep side bearing adjusting washers together with bearings.

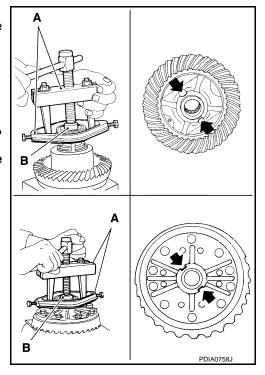


Remove side bearing inner race with puller (A) and base (B).
 To prevent damage to bearing, engage puller jaws in groove ( ).

A : Puller [SST: ST33051001 (J-22888-20)]
B : Base [SST: ST33061000 (J-8107-2)]

### **CAUTION:**

- To prevent damage to the side bearing and drive gear, place copper plates between these parts and vise.
- It is not necessary to remove side bearing inner race except when it is replaced.



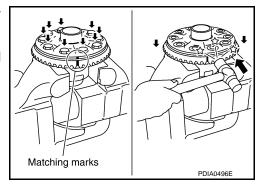
10. For proper reinstallation, paint matching marks on one differential case assembly.

#### **CAUTION:**

For matching marks, use paint. Never damage differential case and drive gear.

- 11. Remove drive gear mounting bolts.
- 12. Tap drive gear off differential case assembly with a soft hammer. CAUTION:

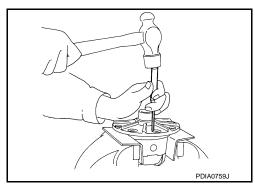
Tap evenly all around to keep drive gear from bending.



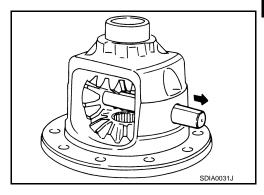
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13. Remove lock pin of pinion mate shaft with a punch from drive gear side.



14. Remove pinion mate shaft.



- 15. Turn pinion mate gear, then remove pinion mate gear, pinion mate thrust washer, side gear and side gear thrust washer from differential case.
- 16. Remove circular clip from side gear.

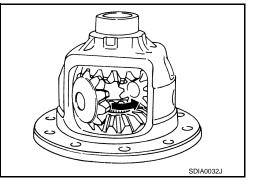
#### **CAUTION:**

Never damage side gear.

17. Remove side oil seal, using a suitable tool.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never damage gear carrier.



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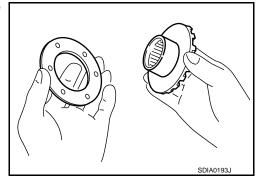
1. Install circular clip to side gear.

#### **CAUTION:**

Assembly

Never damage side gear.

2. Install side gear thrust washers with the same thickness as the ones installed prior to disassembly or reinstall the old ones on the side gears.



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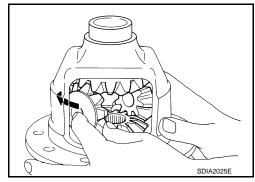
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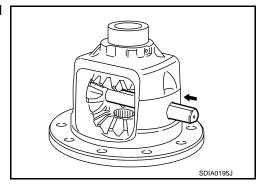
Install side gears and thrust washers into differential case.
 CAUTION:

Make sure that the circular clip is installed to side gears.

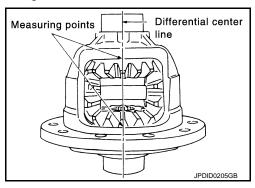
4. Align 2 pinion mate gears in diagonally opposite positions, then rotate and install them into differential case after installing thrust washer to pinion mate gear.



5. Align the lock pin holes on differential case with shaft, and install pinion mate shaft.



- 6. Measure side gear end play. If necessary, select the appropriate side gear thrust washers.
- Place differential case straight up so that side gear to be measured comes upward.



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b. Using feeler gauge, measure the clearance between side gear back and differential case at 3 different points, while rotating side gear. Average the 3 readings, and then measure the clearance of the other side as well.

**Standard** 

Side gear back clearance

: Refer to <u>DLN-49</u>, "<u>Differ-ential Side Gear Clear-</u>

ance".

#### **CAUTION:**

To prevent side gear from tilting, insert feeler gauges with the same thickness from both sides.

c. If the back clearance is outside the specification, use a thicker/ thinner side gear thrust washer to adjust. For selecting thrust washer, refer to the latest parts information.

When the back clearance is large:

Use a thicker thrust wash-

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When the back clearance is small:

Use a thinner thrust wash-

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#### **CAUTION:**

Select a side gear thrust washer for right and left individually.

7. Drive a lock pin into pinion mate shaft, using a punch. Make sure lock pin is flush with differential case.

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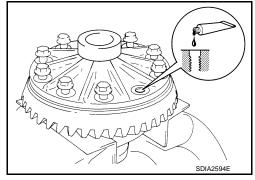
Never reuse lock pin.

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8. Apply thread locking sealant into the thread hole of drive gear. Use Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

#### **CAUTION:**

Clean and degrease drive gear back and threaded holes sufficiently.



9. Install the drive gear to differential case.

#### **CAUTION:**

Align the matching marks of differential case and drive gear.

Feeler gauges with the same thickness

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10. Tighten the mounting bolts with the following procedure. CAUTION:

Apply anti-corrosin oil to the thread and seat of mounting bolts.

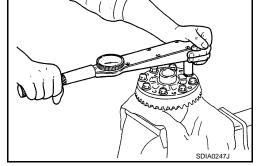
a. Tighten the bolts in a crisscross fashion to the specified torque.

Drive gear mounting : 78.5 N•m (8.0 kg-m, 58 ft-lb) bolts tightening torque

Tighten the bolts additionally to the specified angle.

Drive gear mounting : 31 to 36 degree

bolts tightening angle



#### **CAUTION:**

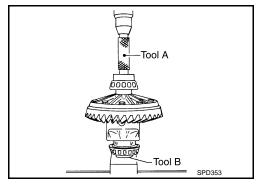
Check the tightening angle using the angle wrench [SST: KV10112100 (BT-8653-A)]. Never make judgment by visual inspection.

11. Press side bearing inner races to differential case, using the drift (A) and the base (B).

A : Drift [SST: KV38100300 (J-25523)]
B : Base [SST: ST33061000 (J-8107-2)]

#### **CAUTION:**

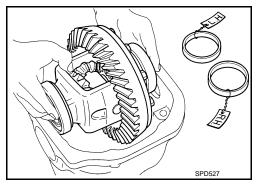
Never reuse side bearing inner race.

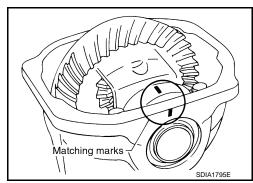


 Set bearing outer races to differential case assembly, and install it with removed side bearing adjusting washer or same thickness washer into gear carrier.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Apply differential gear oil to the side bearings.
- Install side bearing and side bearing adjusting washer in correct location. (drive gear tooth side or drive gear back side)
- Measure side bearing preload. If necessary, select the appropriate side bearing adjusting washers. Refer to <u>DLN-35</u>. "Adjustment".
- 14. Align matching marks on bearing cap with that on gear carrier.
- 15. Install bearing caps and tighten bearing cap mounting bolts.





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16. Using the drift [SST: KV38100200 (J-26233)], drive side oil seals until it becomes flush with the case end.

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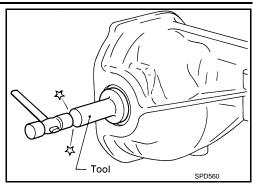
- Never reuse oil seal.
- When installing, never incline oil seal.
- Apply multi-purpose grease onto oil seal lips, and gear oil onto the circumference of oil seal.
- 17. Check and adjust drive gear runout, tooth contact, drive gear to drive pinion backlash, and total preload torque. Refer to DLN-35. "Adjustment".

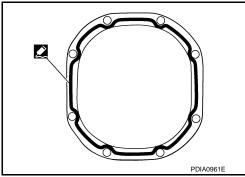
Recheck above items. Readjust the above description, if necessary.

18. Apply sealant to mating surface of rear cover. Use Genuine Silicone RTV or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Remove old sealant adhering to mounting surfaces. Also remove any moisture, oil, or foreign material adhering to application and mounting surfaces.

19. Install rear cover on gear carrier and tighten mounting bolts.





Side flange

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20. Install side flanges with the following procedure.

- a. Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil
- b. After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the pro-
- c. Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

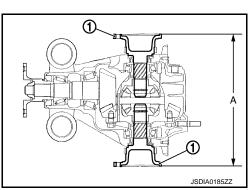
#### NOTE:

When installation is completed, driving sound of the side flange turns into a sound that seems to affect the whole final drive.

d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.



A : 326 – 328 mm (12.83 – 12.91 in)



Side oil seal

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#### TOTAL PRELOAD TORQUE

Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.

- 1. Secure final drive assembly onto an attachment [SST: KV38100800 (J-25604-01)].
- Remove side flanges.
- 3. Rotate drive pinion back and forth 2 to 3 times to check for unusual noise and rotation malfunction.
- Rotate drive pinion at least 20 times to check for smooth operation of the bearing.

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5. Measure total preload with the preload gauge (A) [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

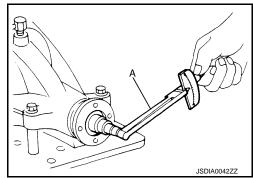
Total preload torque : Refer to <u>DLN-49, "Preload</u> Torque".

#### NOTE:

Total preload torque = Pinion bearing preload torque + Side bearing preload torque

 If measured value is out of the specification, disassemble it to check and adjust each part. Adjust the pinion bearing preload and side bearing preload.

Adjust the pinion bearing preload first, then adjust the side bearing preload.



## When the preload torque is large

On pinion bearings: Replace the collapsible spacer.

On side bearings: Use thinner side bearing adjusting washers by the same amount to

each side. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts in-

formation.

### When the preload is small

On pinion bearings: Tighten the drive pinion lock nut.

On side bearings: Use thicker side bearing adjusting washers by the same amount to

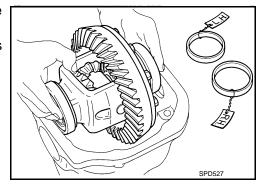
each side. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts in-

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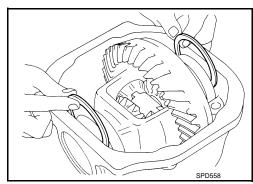
#### SIDE BEARING PRELOAD

Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.

- 1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <u>DLN-29</u>, "<u>Disassembly</u>".
- 2. Make sure all parts are clean. Also, make sure the bearings are well lubricated with gear oil.
- 3. Place the differential case, with side bearings and bearing races installed, into gear carrier.



4. Insert left and right original side bearing adjusting washers in place between side bearings and gear carrier.

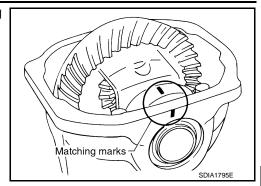


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Install bearing caps in their correct locations and tighten bearing cap mounting bolts.

6. Turn the carrier several times to seat the bearings.

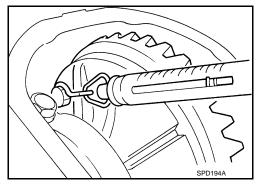


7. Measure the turning torque of the carrier at the drive gear mounting bolts with a spring gauge [SST: — (J-8129)].

**Standard** 

Specification : 34.2 – 39.2 N (3.5 – 4.0 kg, 7.7 – 8.8 lb) of pulling force

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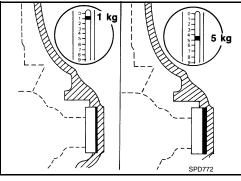


8. If the turning torque is outside the specification, use a thicker/thinner side bearing adjusting washer to adjust. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

If the turning torque is less Use a thicker adjusting than the specified range: washer.

If the turning torque is Use a thinner adjusting

greater than the specifica- washer. tion:



#### **CAUTION:**

Select a side bearing adjusting washer for right and left individually.

9. Record the total amount of washer thickness required for the correct carrier side bearing preload.

#### DRIVE GEAR RUNOUT

- 1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <a href="DLN-29">DLN-29</a>, "Disassembly".
- 2. Fit a dial indicator to the drive gear back face.
- 3. Rotate the drive gear to measure runout.

Drive gear runout : Refer to <u>DLN-49, "Drive</u> <u>Gear Runout"</u>.

 If the runout is outside of the repair limit, check drive gear assembly condition; foreign material may be caught between drive gear and differential case, or differential case or drive gear may be deformed, etc.

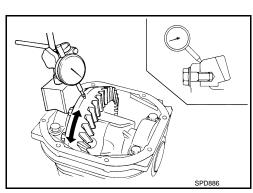
### **CAUTION:**

Replace drive gear and drive pinion gear as a set.

### TOOTH CONTACT

Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.

1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <u>DLN-29</u>, "<u>Disassembly</u>".



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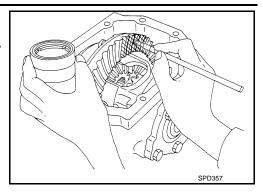
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2. Apply red lead to drive gear.

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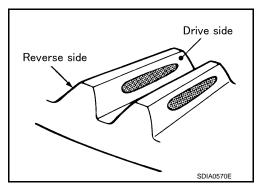
Apply red lead to both the faces of 3 to 4 gears at 4 locations evenly spaced on drive gear.



3. Rotate drive gear back and forth several times, check drive pinion gear to drive gear tooth contact.

### **CAUTION:**

Check tooth contact on drive side and reverse side.



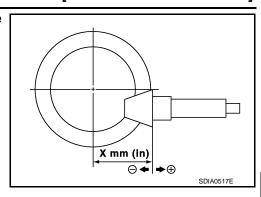
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Drive si	de	Back side		[ mm (in) ]		(Yes/No)	Possible cause	
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		Calling	\	Thicker	+0.06 (+0.0024)	tes	Occurrence of noise when accelerating.	
<b></b>			\		+0.03 (+0.0012)			
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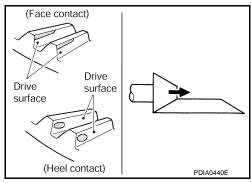
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4. If tooth contact is improperly adjusted, follow the procedure below to adjust the pinion height [dimension (X)].



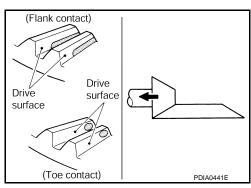
• If the tooth contact is near the face (face contact), or near the heel (heel contact), thicken pinion height adjusting washers to move drive pinion closer to drive gear.

For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.



• If the tooth contact is near the flank (flank contact), or near the toe (toe contact), thin pinion height adjusting washers to move drive pinion farther from drive gear.

For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.



### BACKLASH

Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.

- 1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <a href="DLN-29">DLN-29</a>, "Disassembly".
- Fit a dial indicator to the drive gear face to measure the backlash.

# Backlash : Refer to <u>DLN-49, "Back-lash".</u>

• If the backlash is outside of the specified value, change the thickness of side bearing adjusting washer.

### When the backlash is large:

Make drive gear back side adjusting washer thicker, and drive gear tooth side adjusting washer thinner by the same amount. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.



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#### When the backlash is small:

Make drive gear back side adjusting washer thinner, and drive gear tooth side adjusting washer thicker by the same amount. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

### **CAUTION:**

Never change the total amount of washers as it changes the bearing preload.

### Inspection After Disassembly

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### DRIVE GEAR AND DRIVE PINION

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If the gear teeth never mesh or line-up correctly, determine the cause and adjust or replace as necessary.
- If the gears are worn, cracked, damaged, pitted or chipped (by friction) noticeably, replace with new drive gear and drive pinion as a set.

#### BEARING

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped (by friction), pitted, worn, rusted or scratched marks, or unusual noise from the bearing is observed, replace as a bearing assembly (as a new set).

### SIDE GEAR AND PINION MATE GEAR

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any cracks or damage on the surface of the tooth is found, replace.
- If any worn or chipped mark on the contact sides of the thrust washer is found, replace.

### SIDE GEAR THRUST WASHER AND PINION MATE THRUST WASHER

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If it is chipped (by friction), damaged, or unusually worn, replace.

### OIL SEAL

- Whenever disassembled, replace.
- If wear, deterioration of adherence (sealing force lips), or damage is detected on the lips, replace them.

#### DIFFERENTIAL CASE

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any wear or crack on the contact sides of the differential case is found, replace.

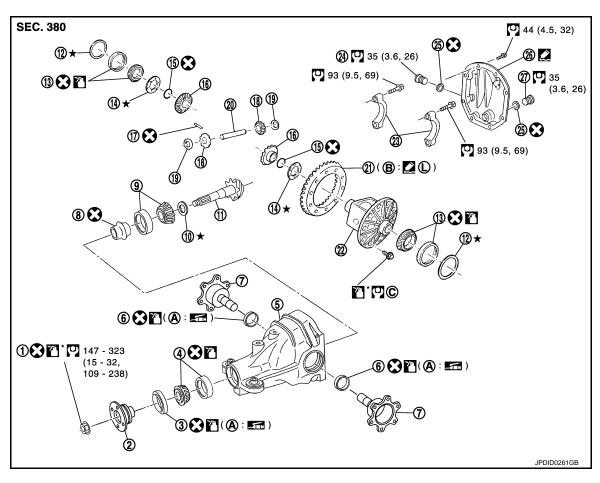
### COMPANION FLANGE

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped mark [about 0.1 mm, (0.004 in)] or other damage on the contact sides of the lips of the companion flange is found, replace.

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### **DRIVE PINION**

Exploded View



- Drive pinion lock nut
- 4. Pinion front bearing
- 7. Side flange
- 10. Pinion height adjusting washer
- 13. Side bearing
- 16. Side gear
- 19. Pinion mate thrust washer
- 22. Differential case
- 25. Gasket
- A. Oil seal lip

- 2. Companion flange
- 5. Gear carrier
- 8. Collapsible spacer
- 11. Drive pinion
- 14. Side gear thrust washer
- 17. Lock pin
- 20. Pinion mate shaft
- 23. Bearing cap
- 26. Rear cover
- B. Screw hole

- 3. Front oil seal
- 6. Side oil seal
- 9. Pinion rear bearing
- 12. Side bearing adjusting washer
- 15. Circular clip
- 18. Pinion mate gear
- 21. Drive gear
- 24. Filler plug
- 27. Drain plug
- Comply with the assembly procedure when tightening. Refer to <u>DLN-</u>

31, "Assembly".

Apply gear oil.

\*: Apply anti-corrosion oil.

Apply Genuine Silicone RTV or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Apply Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

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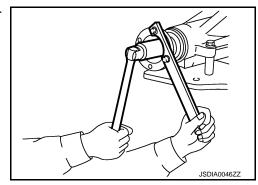
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- 1. Remove differential case assembly. Refer to <a href="DLN-29">DLN-29</a>, "Disassembly".
- 2. Remove drive pinion lock nut with the flange wrench (commercial service tool).



3. Put matching mark (B) on the end of drive pinion. The matching mark should be in line with the matching mark (A) on companion flange (1).

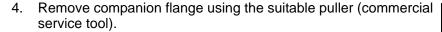
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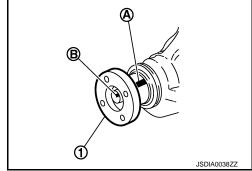
For matching mark, use paint. Never damage companion flange and drive pinion.

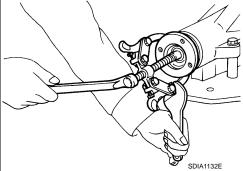
### NOTE:

The matching mark on the final drive companion flange indicates the maximum vertical runout position.

When replacing companion flange, matching mark is not necessary.



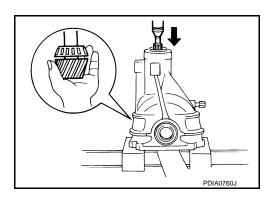




5. Press drive pinion assembly out of gear carrier. **CAUTION:** 

### Never drop drive pinion assembly.

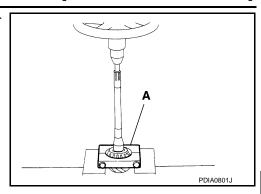
- 6. Remove front oil seal.
- 7. Remove side oil seal.
- 8. Remove pinion front bearing inner race.
- 9. Remove collapsible spacer.



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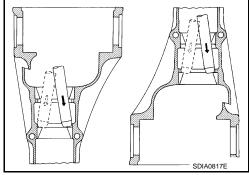
10. Remove pinion rear bearing inner race and pinion height adjusting washer with the replacer (A) (commercial service tool).



11. Tap pinion front/rear bearing outer races uniformly using a brass rod or equivalent to remove them.

### **CAUTION:**

Never damage gear carrier.



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 Install front bearing outer race (1) and rear bearing outer race (2) using drifts (A, B and D) and drift bar (C).

A : Drift [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)]

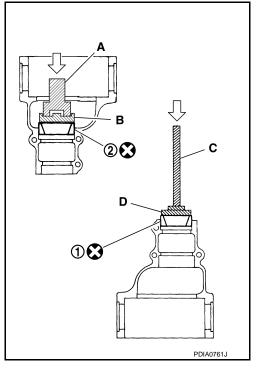
B : Drift [SST: KV40105230 ( — )]

C : Drift bar [SST: ST30611000 (J-25742-1)]

D : Drift [SST: ST30613000 (J-25742-3)]

#### **CAUTION:**

- At first, using a hammer, tap bearing outer race until it becomes flat to gear carrier.
- Never reuse pinion front and rear bearing outer race.



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Temporarily install pinion height adjusting washer (1).

When hypoid gear set has been replaced

 Select pinion height adjusting washer. Refer to <u>DLN-47</u>, "Adjustment".

When hypoid gear set has been reused

 Temporarily install the removed pinion height adjusting washer or same thickness washer to drive pinion.

#### **CAUTION:**

Pay attention to the direction of pinion height adjusting washer. (Assemble as shown in the figure.)

3. Install pinion rear bearing inner race (1) to drive pinion with the drift (A) [SST: ST30901000 (J-26010-01)].

### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse pinion rear bearing inner race.

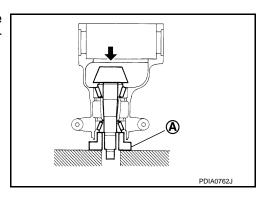
- 4. Check and adjust the tooth contact and back lash of drive gear and drive pinion following the procedure below.
- a. Assemble drive pinion into gear carrier.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never assemble collapsible spacer at this time.
- Apply gear oil to pinion rear bearing.
- b. Assemble pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion assembly.

### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse pinion front bearing inner race.
- Apply gear oil to pinion front bearing.
- c. Using suitable spacer (A) (commercial service tool), press the pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion as far as drive pinion nut can be tightened.



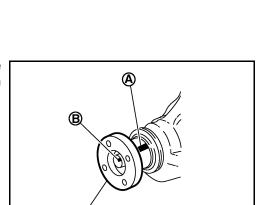
d. Install companion flange.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never install front oil seal at this time.

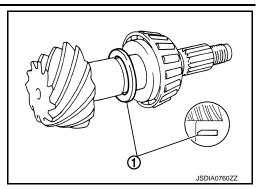
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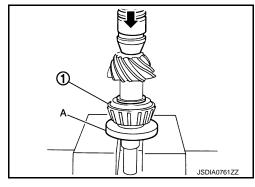
When reusing drive pinion, align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange, and then install companion flange (1).



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- Temporarily tighten removed drive pinion nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).
  - A : Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

#### NOTE:

Use removed drive pinion nut only for the preload measurement.

- Rotate drive pinion more than 20 times to adjust bearing.
- Tighten to drive pinion lock nut using flange wrench (commercial service tool), while adjusting pinion bearing preload torque using preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

: 1.0 - 1.3 N·m (0.11 - 0.13 Pinion bearing preload (without oil seal) kg-m, 9 - 11 in-lb)

#### **CAUTION:**

Drive pinion nut is tightened with no collapsible spacer. Be careful not to overtighten it. While measuring the preload, tighten drive pinion nut in 5° to 10° increments.

h. Assemble removed drive side bearing adjusting washer or same thickness of it and install differential case assembly. Refer to DLN-31, "Assembly".

#### **CAUTION:**

- Apply differential gear oil to the side bearings.
- Install side bearing and side bearing adjusting washer in correct location. (drive gear tooth side or drive gear back side)
- i. Install bearing caps.
- Check and adjust tooth contact and drive gear to drive pinion backlash. Refer to DLN-35. "Adjustment". į.
- Remove bearing caps and differential case assembly. k.
- ١. Remove companion flange.
- m. Remove drive pinion assembly from gear carrier.

### CAUTION:

Never drop the drive pinion assembly.

- n. Remove pinion front bearing inner race.
- Assemble collapsible spacer.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse collapsible spacer.

Assemble drive pinion into gear carrier.

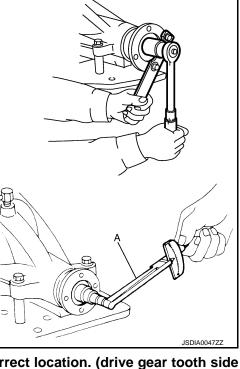
#### **CAUTION:**

Apply gear oil to pinion rear bearing.

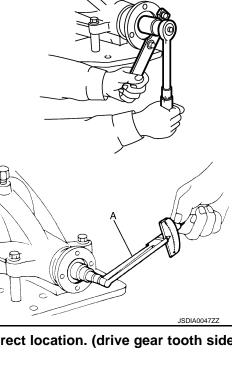
Assemble pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion assem-

#### **CAUTION:**

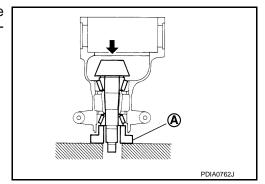
- Never reuse pinion front bearing inner race.
- Apply gear oil to pinion front bearing.
- 8. Using suitable spacer (A) (commercial service tool), press the pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion as far as drive pinion nut can be tightened.



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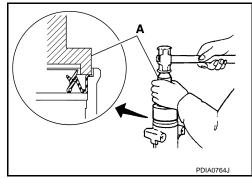
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9. Using the drift (A) [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)], install front oil seal as shown in figure.

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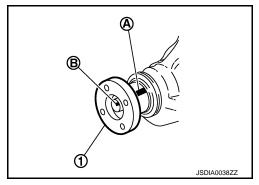
- Never reuse oil seal.
- . When installing, never incline oil seal.
- Apply multi-purpose grease onto oil seal lips, and gear oil onto the circumference of oil seal.



10. Install companion flange.

#### NOTE:

When reusing drive pinion, align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange, and then install companion flange (1).



11. Apply anti-corrosion oil to the thread and seat of drive pinion lock nut, and temporarily tighten drive pinion lock nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).

A : Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

#### **CAUTION:**

### Never reuse drive pinion lock nut.

12. Adjust to the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque and pinion bearing preload torque, using preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

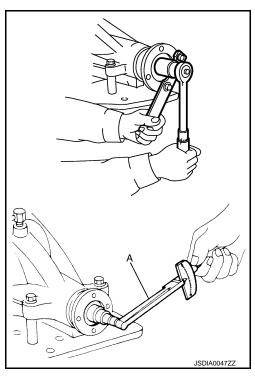
Pinion bearing preload : Refer to <u>DLN-49, "Preload Torque"</u>.

### **CAUTION:**

- Adjust to the lower limit of the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque first.
- If the preload torque exceeds the specified value, replace collapsible spacer and tighten it again to adjust. Never loosen drive pinion lock nut to adjust the preload torque.
- After adjustment, rotate drive pinion back and forth 2 to 3 times to check for unusual noise, rotation malfunction, and other malfunctions.
- Install differential case assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-31</u>, "<u>Assembly</u>".
   CAUTION:

### Never install rear cover at this timing.

- 14. Check and adjust drive gear runout, tooth contact, drive gear to drive pinion backlash, and companion flange runout. Refer to <u>DLN-35</u>, "<u>Adjustment</u>" and <u>DLN-47</u>, "<u>Adjustment</u>". Recheck above items. Readjust the above description, if necessary.
- 15. Check total preload torque. Refer to <a href="DLN-35">DLN-35</a>, "Adjustment".
- 16. Install rear cover. Refer to <a href="DLN-31">DLN-31</a>, "Assembly".



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### PINION GEAR HEIGHT

If the hypoid gear set has been replaced, select the pinion height adjusting washer.

1. Use the formula below to calculate pinion height adjusting washer thickness.

### Washer selection equation:

$$T = T_0 + (t_1 - t_2)$$

T: Correct washer thickness

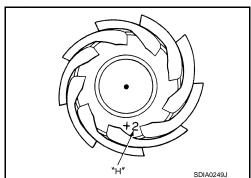
To: Removed washer thickness

t1: Old drive pinion head letter "H × 0.01"

("H": machined tolerance 1/100 mm  $\times$  100)

t2: New drive pinion head letter " $H \times 0.01$ "

("H": machined tolerance  $1/100 \text{ mm} \times 100$ )



**Example:** 

$$T = 3.21 + [(2 \times 0.01) - (-1 \times 0.01)] = 3.24$$

To: 3.21 t1: +2 t2: -1

2. Select the proper pinion height adjusting washer. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

#### **CAUTION:**

If unable to find a washer of desired thickness, use a washer with thickness closest to the calculated value.

### **Example:**

Calculated value... T = 3.22 mm Used washer... T = 3.21 mm

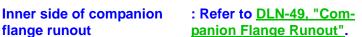
### COMPANION FLANGE RUNOUT

- Fit a dial indicator onto the companion flange face (inner side of the propeller shaft mounting bolt holes).
- Rotate companion flange to check for runout.

### Companion flange runout

: Refer to <u>DLN-49</u>, "Companion Flange Runout".

- Fit a test indicator to the inner side of the companion flange (socket diameter).
- 4. Rotate companion flange to check for runout.





- a. Check for runout while changing the phase between companion flange and drive pinion by 90° step, and search for the position where the runout is the minimum.
- b. If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the phase has been changed, possible cause will be an assembly malfunction of drive pinion and pinion bearing and malfunction of pinion bearing. Check for these items and repair if necessary.
- If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the check and repair, replace companion flange.

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### < UNIT DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY >

### Inspection After Disassembly

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### DRIVE GEAR AND DRIVE PINION

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If the gear teeth never mesh or line-up correctly, determine the cause and adjust or replace as necessary.
- If the gears are worn, cracked, damaged, pitted or chipped (by friction) noticeably, replace with new drive gear and drive pinion as a set.

### **BEARING**

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped (by friction), pitted, worn, rusted or scratched marks, or unusual noise from the bearing is observed, replace as a bearing assembly (as a new set).

### SIDE GEAR AND PINION MATE GEAR

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any cracks or damage on the surface of the tooth is found, replace.
- If any worn or chipped mark on the contact sides of the thrust washer is found, replace.

### SIDE GEAR THRUST WASHER AND PINION MATE THRUST WASHER

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If it is chipped (by friction), damaged, or unusually worn, replace.

#### OIL SEAL

- Whenever disassembled, replace.
- If wear, deterioration of adherence (sealing force lips), or damage is detected on the lips, replace them.

### **DIFFERENTIAL CASE**

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any wear or crack on the contact sides of the differential case is found, replace.

#### COMPANION FLANGE

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped mark [about 0.1 mm, (0.004 in)] or other damage on the contact sides of the lips of the companion flange is found, replace.

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

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## SERVICE DATA AND SPECIFICATIONS (SDS)

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Applied model	VQ37VHR			
	M/T	A/T		
Final drive model	R2	200		
Gear ratio	3.692	3.357		
Number of teeth (Drive gear/Drive pinion)	48/13	47/14		
Oil capacity (Approx.)	(for NORTH AMERICA), MA-18.	Refer to MA-16, "FOR NORTH AMERICA: Fluids and Lubricants" (for NORTH AMERICA), MA-18, "FOR MEXICO: Fluids and Lubricants" (for MEXICO).		
Number of pinion gears		2		
Drive pinion adjustment spacer type	Colla	Collapsible		

### **Drive Gear Runout**

Drive gear back face runout

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Unit: mm (in)

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Limit

0.05 (0.0020)

### Differential Side Gear Clearance

Item

Unit: mm (in)

Item	Standard
Side gear backlash (Clearance between side gear and differential case)	0.20 (0.0079) or less (Each gear should rotate smoothly without excessive resistance during differential motion.)

## **Preload Torque**

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Unit: N·m (kg-m, in-lb)

Item	Standard	
Pinion bearing (P1)	2.65 – 3.23 (0.27 – 0.32, 24 – 28)	
Side bearing (P2)	0.20 - 0.52 (0.02 - 0.05, 2 - 4)	
Side bearing to pinion bearing (Total preload) (Total preload = P1 + P2)	2.85 - 3.75 (0.29 - 0.38, 26 - 33)	

### Backlash

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Unit: mm (in)

Item	Standard
Drive gear to drive pinion gear	0.10 - 0.15 (0.0039 - 0.0059)

## Companion Flange Runout

Unit: mm (in)

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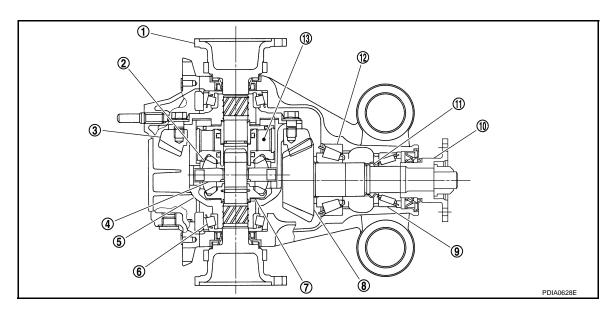
Item	Limit
Companion flange face runout	0.08 (0.0031)
Inner side of the companion flange runout	0.08 (0.0031)

## SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

### REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY

System Diagram

### **CROSS-SECTIONAL VIEW**



- 1. Side flange
- 4. Pinion mate shaft
- 7. Side gear
- 10. Companion flange
- 13. Viscous coupling

- 2. Pinion mate gear
- 5. Differential case
- 8. Drive pinion
- 11. Collapsible spacer
- 3. Drive gear
- 6. Side bearing
- 9. Pinion front bearing
- 12. Pinion rear bearing

### NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

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## NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

### **NVH Troubleshooting Chart**

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### Service Notice or Precautions for Rear Final Drive

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- Check for the correct installation status prior to removal or disassembly. If matching marks are required, be certain they never interfere with the function of the parts when applied.
- Overhaul should be done in a clean work area, it is preferable to work in dustproof area.
- Before disassembly, using steam or white gasoline, completely remove sand and mud from the exterior of the unit, preventing them from entering into the unit during disassembly or assembly.
- Check appearance of the disassembled parts for damage, deformation, and unusual wear. Replace them with a new ones if necessary.
- Gaskets, seals and O-rings should be replaced any time when the unit is disassembled.
- In principle, tighten bolts or nuts gradually in several steps working diagonally from inside to outside. If tightening sequence is specified, observe it.
- Clean and flush the parts sufficiently and blow-dry them.
- Be careful not to damage sliding surfaces and mating surfaces.
- Always use shop paper for cleaning the inside of components.
- When applying sealant, remove the old sealant from the mounting surface; then remove any moisture, oil, and foreign materials from the application and mounting surfaces.
- Never use cotton gloves or shop rags to prevent entering of lint.
- During assembly, observe the specified tightening torque, and apply new gear oil, petroleum jelly, or multipurpose grease as specified for each vehicle, if necessary.

### Precautions for Removing Battery Terminal

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 When removing the 12V battery terminal, turn OFF the ignition switch and wait at least 30 seconds.

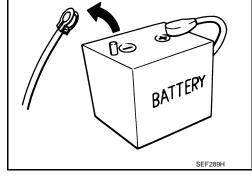
### NOTE:

ECU may be active for several tens of seconds after the ignition switch is turned OFF. If the battery terminal is removed before ECU stops, then a DTC detection error or ECU data corruption may occur.

• For vehicles with the 2-batteries, be sure to connect the main battery and the sub battery before turning ON the ignition switch.

### NOTE:

If the ignition switch is turned ON with any one of the terminals of main battery and sub battery disconnected, then DTC may be detected.



After installing the 12V battery, always check "Self Diagnosis Result" of all ECUs and erase DTC.
 NOTE:

The removal of 12V battery may cause a DTC detection error.

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## **PREPARATION**

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**Special Service Tools** 

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e actual shapes of TechMate tools may Tool number TechMate No.) Tool name	y differ from those of special service tools illustr	Description
V40104100 — ) .ttachment		Removing side flange
T36230000 -25840-A) liding hammer	ZZA0804D	Removing side flange
	ZZA0803D	
T3127S000 -25765-A) reload gauge		Measuring pinion bearing preload and total preload
V381054S0 -34286) uller	ZZA0806D	Removing front oil seal
T30720000	ZZA0601D	Installing front oil seal
-25405) rift 77 mm (3.03 in) dia. 55.5 mm (2.185 in) dia.		Installing pinion rear bearing outer race
V38107900 -39352) rotector	ZZA0811D	Installing side flange
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Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name		Description
KV38100200 (J-26233) Drift a: 65 mm (2.56 in) dia. b: 49 mm (1.93 in) dia.	ab	Installing side oil seal
KV10111100 (J-37228) Seal cutter	ZZA1143D	Removing rear cover
	S-NT046	
KV38100800 (J-25604-01) Attachment A: 541 mm (21.30 in) B: 200 mm (7.87 in)	B COOLOGO SDIA0267E	Fixing unit assembly
ST3306S001 (J-22888-D) Differential side bearing puller set 1: ST33051001 (J-22888-20) Puller 2: ST33061000 (J-8107-2) Base a: 28.5 mm (1.122 in) dia. b: 38 mm (1.50 in) dia.	2 nto72	Removing and installing side bearing inner race
KV10112100 (BT-8653-A) Angle wrench	ZZA0120D	Tightening the drive gear mounting bolt
KV38100300 (J-25523) Drift a: 54 mm (2.13 in) dia. b: 46 mm (1.81 in) dia. c: 32 mm (1.26 in) dia.	ZZA1046D	Installing side bearing inner race

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Tool number (TechMate No.) Tool name		Description	А
— (J-8129) Spring gauge		Measuring turning torque	В
	NT127		DL
KV40105230 ( — ) Drift a: 92 mm (3.62 in) dia. b: 86 mm (3.39 in) dia. c: 45 mm (1.77 in) dia.	a b c	Installing pinion rear bearing outer race	E
ST30611000 (J-25742-1) Drift bar	PDIA0591E	Installing pinion front bearing outer race (Use with ST30613000)	G
	S-NT090		Н
ST30613000 (J-25742-3) Drift a: 72 mm (2.83 in) dia.	<b>-</b> -b→	Installing pinion front bearing outer race	-
b: 48 mm (1.89 in) dia.	-a-		J
ST30901000 (J-26010-01)	ZZA1000D	Installing pinion rear bearing inner race	K
Drift a: 79 mm (3.11 in) dia. b: 45 mm (1.77 in) dia. c: 35.2 mm (1.386 in) dia.	a b c		L
	ZZA0978D		IV

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Tool name		Description
Flange wrench	NT035	Removing and installing drive pinion lock nut
Replacer	NT033	Removing pinion rear bearing inner race
Spacer a: 60 mm (2.36 in) dia. b: 36 mm (1.42 in) dia. c: 30 mm (1.18 in)	b c c zZA1133D	Installing pinion front bearing inner race
Power tool	PBIC0190E	Loosening bolts and nuts

## PERIODIC MAINTENANCE

### REAR DIFFERENTIAL GEAR OIL

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### **OIL LEAKAGE**

Make sure that oil is not leaking from final drive assembly or around it.

#### OIL LEVEL

 Remove filler plug (1) and check oil level from filler plug mounting hole as shown in the figure.

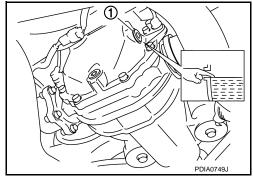
### **CAUTION:**

### Never start engine while checking oil level.

Set a gasket on filler plug and install it on final drive assembly.
 Refer to <u>DLN-67</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".

#### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.

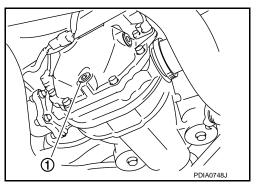


Draining INFOID:0000000011736003

- 1. Stop the engine.
- 2. Remove drain plug (1) and drain gear oil.
- Set a gasket on drain plug and install it to final drive assembly and tighten to the specified torque. Refer to <u>DLN-67</u>, "<u>Exploded</u> <u>View</u>".

### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.



Refilling INFOID:000000011736004

 Remove filler plug (1). Fill with new gear oil until oil level reaches the specified level near filler plug mounting hole.

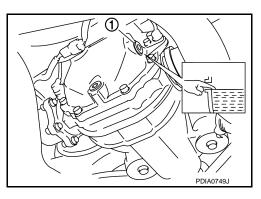
Oil grade, viscosity, and capacity

: Refer to MA-16, "FOR NORTH AMERICA: Fluids and Lubricants" (for NORTH AMERICA), MA-18, "FOR MEXICO: Fluids and Lubricants" (for MEXICO).

 After refilling oil, check oil level. Set a gasket to filler plug, then install it to final drive assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-67</u>, "Exploded View".

### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse gasket.



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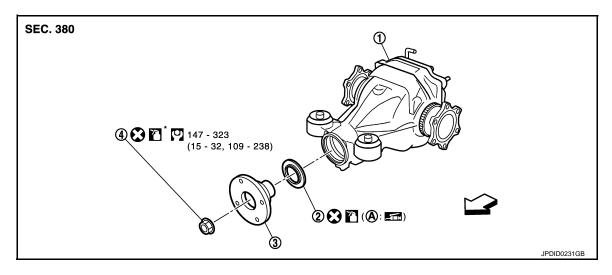
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## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

### FRONT OIL SEAL

Exploded View



- Final drive assembly
- Front oil seal

Companion flange

- 4. Drive pinion lock nut
- A. Oil seal lip
- ⟨□: Vehicle front
- ?: Apply gear oil.
- ↑★: Apply unti-corrosion oil.

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

### Removal and Installation

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### **REMOVAL**

### **CAUTION:**

Verify identification stamp of replacement frequency put in the lower part of gear carrier to determine replacement for collapsible spacer when replacing front oil seal. Refer to "Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal". If collapsible spacer replacement is necessary, remove final drive assembly and disassemble it to replace front oil seal and collapsible spacer. Refer to <a href="DLN-65">DLN-65</a>. "Removal and Installation" and <a href="DLN-81">DLN-81</a>, "Disassembly".

#### NOTE:

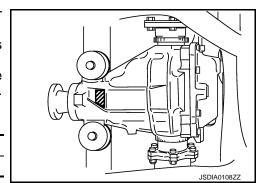
The reuse of collapsible spacer is prohibited in principle. However, it is reusable on a one-time basis only in cases when replacing front oil seal.

Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal.

- The diagonally shaded area in the figure shows stamping point for replacement frequency of front oil seal.
- The following table shows if collapsible spacer replacement is needed before replacing front oil seal.

When collapsible spacer replacement is required, disassemble final drive assembly to replace collapsible spacer and front oil seal. Refer to <u>DLN-81</u>, "<u>Disassembly</u>".

Stamp	collapsible spacer replacement	
No stamp	Not required	



### FRONT OIL SEAL

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Stamp	collapsible spacer replacement	
"0" or "0" on the far right of stamp	Required	
"01" or "1" on the far right of stamp	Not required	

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### **CAUTION:**

Make a stamping after replacing front oil seal.

 After replacing front oil seal, make a stamping on the stamping point in accordance with the table below in order to identify replacement frequency.

**CAUTION:** 

Make a stamping made from left to right.

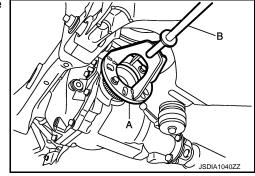
Stamp before stamping	Stamping on the far right	Stamping
No stamp	0	0
"0" (Front oil seal was replaced once.)	1	01
"01" (Collapsible spacer and front oil seal were replaced last time.)	0	010
"0" is on the far right. (Only front oil seal was replaced last time.)	1	01
"1" is on the far right. (Collapsible spacer and front oil seal were replaced last time.)	0	010

- 1. Drain gear oil. Refer to <a href="DLN-57">DLN-57</a>, "Draining".
- 2. Make a judgment if a collapsible spacer replacement is required.
- 3. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 4. Remove rear wheel sensors. Refer to <a href="https://example.com/BRC-124">BRC-124</a>, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View".
- Remove drive shafts from final drive. Refer to <u>RAX-10</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".
- 6. Install attachment (A) to side flange, and then pull out the side flange with the sliding hammer (B).

A : Attachment [SST: KV40104100 ( — )]

B : Sliding hammer [SST: ST36230000 (J-25840-A)]

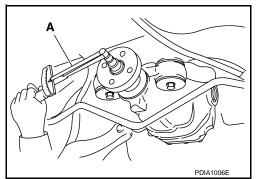
Remove propeller shaft. Refer to <u>DLN-7</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".



8. Measure the total preload with the preload gauge (A) [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

NOTE:

Record the preload measurement.



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### FRONT OIL SEAL

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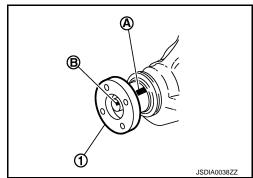
9. Put matching mark (B) on the end of the drive pinion. The matching mark should be in line with the matching mark (A) on companion flange (1).

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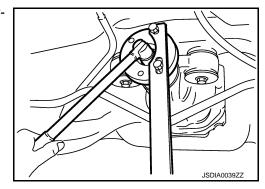
For matching mark, use paint. Never damage companion flange and drive pinion.

#### NOTE:

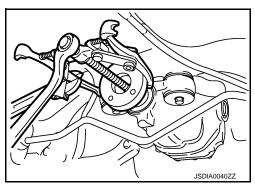
The matching mark on the final drive companion flange indicates the maximum vertical runout position.



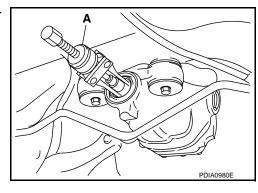
10. Remove drive pinion lock nut using the flange wrench (commercial service tool).



11. Remove companion flange using a puller (commercial service tool).



12. Remove front oil seal using the puller (A) [SST: KV381054S0 (J-34286)].



### **INSTALLATION**

1. Apply multi-purpose grease to front oil seal lip.

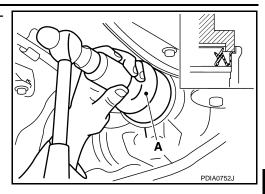
### FRONT OIL SEAL

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 Install front oil seal using the drift (A) [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)] as shown in figure.

### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse oil seal.
- Never incline oil seal when installing.



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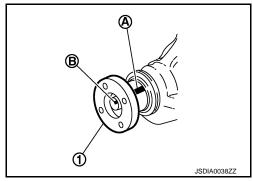
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3. Align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange (1), and then install the companion flange.



 Apply anti-corrosion oil to the thread and seat of new drive pinion lock nut, and temporarily tighten drive pinion lock nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).

A: Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

### **CAUTION:**

### Never reuse drive pinion lock nut.

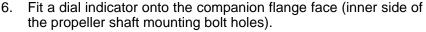
5. Tighten drive pinion lock nut within the limits of specified torque so as to keep the pinion bearing preload within a standard values, using [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

**Total preload torque** 

: A value that add 0.1− 0.4 N·m (0.01 − 0.04 kg-m) to the measured value when removing.

#### **CAUTION:**

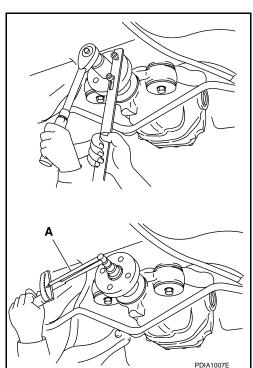
- Adjust to the lower limit of the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque first.
- If the preload torque exceeds the specified value, replace collapsible spacer and tighten it again to adjust. Never loosen drive pinion lock nut to adjust the preload torque.



7. Rotate the companion flange to check for runout.

Companion flange runout : Refer to <u>DLN-89, "Companion flange Runout"</u>.

- Fit a test indicator to the inner side of the companion flange (socket diameter).
- 9. Rotate the companion flange to check for runout.



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### Companion flange runout

: Refer to <u>DLN-89</u>, "Companion flange Runout".

- 10. If the runout value is outside the repair limit, follow the procedure below to adjust.
- a. Check for runout while changing the phase between companion flange and drive pinion gear by 90° step, and search for the position where the runout is the minimum.
- b. If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the phase has been changed, possible causes are be an assembly malfunction of drive pinion and pinion bearing and malfunction of pinion bearing. Check for these items and repair if necessary.
- If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the check and repair, replace companion flange.
- 11. Make a stamping for identification of front oil seal replacement frequency. Refer to "Identification stamp of replacement frequency of front oil seal".

# **CAUTION:**Make a stamping after replacing front oil seal.

- 12. Install propeller shaft. Refer to DLN-7, "Exploded View".
- 13. Install side flanges with the following procedure.
- Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil seal.
- After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the protector.
- Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

### NOTE:

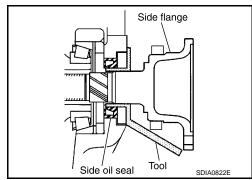
When installation is completed, driving sound of the side flange turns into a sound that seems to affect the whole final drive.

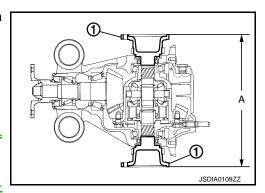
d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.

#### **Standard**

A : 326 – 328 mm (12.83 – 12.91 in)

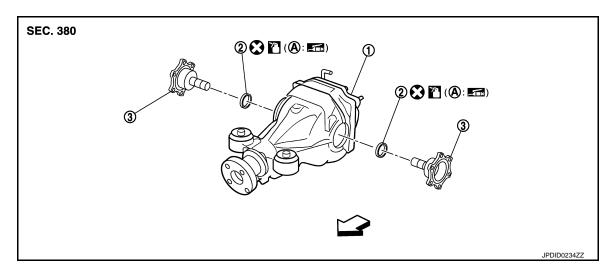
- 14. Install drive shafts. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- Install rear wheel sensors. Refer to <u>BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR</u>: Exploded View".
- 16. Install center muffler. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 17. Refill gear oil to the final drive and check oil level. Refer to <u>DLN-57</u>, "Refilling".
- 18. Check the final drive for oil leakage. Refer to <a href="DLN-57">DLN-57</a>, "Inspection".





### SIDE OIL SEAL

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- Final drive assembly
- 2. Side oil seal

Side flange

- Oil seal lip
- ∀
   □: Vehicle front
- : Apply gear oil.

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

### Removal and Installation

**REMOVAL** 

- 1. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 2. Remove rear wheel sensor. Refer to BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View".
- Remove drive shaft from final drive with a power tool. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- 4. Install attachment (A) to side flange, and then pull out the side flange with the sliding hammer (B).

Α : Attachment [SST: KV40104100 ( — )]

В : Sliding hammer [SST: ST36230000 (J-25840-A)]

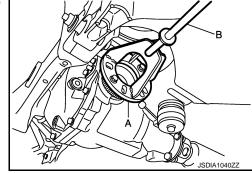
5. Remove side oil seal, using a suitable tool.

**CAUTION:** 

Never damage gear carrier.

### **INSTALLATION**

1. Apply multi-purpose grease to side oil seal lip.



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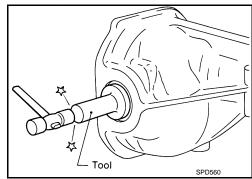
### SIDE OIL SEAL

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Install side oil seal until it becomes flush with the case end, using the drift [SST: KV38100200 (J-26233)].

### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse oil seal.
- . When installing, never incline oil seal.



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- 3. Install side flange with the following procedure.
- a. Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil seal.
- After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the protector.
- c. Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

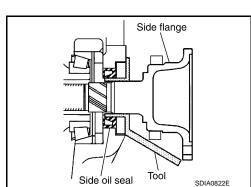
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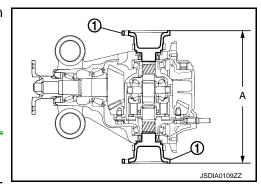
When installation is completed, driving sound of the side flange turns into a sound that seems to affect the whole final drive.

d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.

#### **Standard**

- 4. Install drive shaft. Refer to RAX-10, "Exploded View".
- 5. Install rear wheel sensor. Refer to <a href="BRC-124">BRC-124</a>, "REAR WHEEL <a href="SENSOR: Exploded View"</a>.
- 6. Install center muffler. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- 7. When oil leaks while removing, check oil level after the installation. Refer to <u>DLN-57</u>, "Inspection".

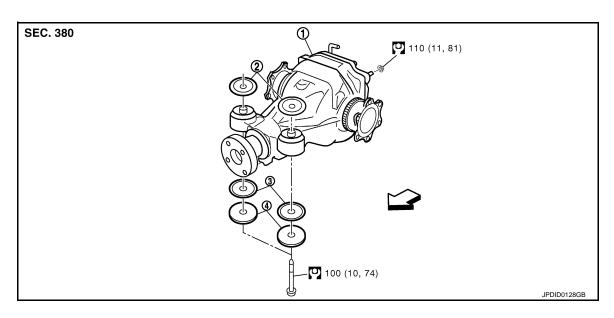




## UNIT REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

### REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY

Exploded View



- 1. Rear final drive assembly
- 2. Upper stopper

Lower stopper

- 4. Washer
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   □: Vehicle front

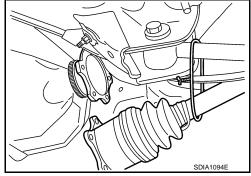
Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols in the figure.

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### **REMOVAL**

- 1. Remove center muffler with a power tool. Refer to EX-5, "Exploded View".
- Remove diag brace with power tool. Refer to <u>RSU-18</u>, "<u>Exploded View</u>".
- Remove rear stabilizer bar with a power tool. Refer to RSU-17, "Exploded View".
- Remove propeller shaft from the final drive. Refer to <u>DLN-7</u>, "Exploded View".
- 5. Remove drive shafts from final drive with a power tool. Then suspend it by wire, etc. Refer to <a href="RAX-10">RAX-10</a>, "Exploded View".
- 6. Remove breather hose from the final drive.
- Remove rear wheel sensors. Refer to <u>BRC-124, "REAR WHEEL SENSOR: Exploded View"</u>.



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### **REAR FINAL DRIVE ASSEMBLY**

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8. Set a suitable jack to rear final drive assembly.

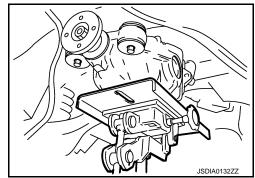
### **CAUTION:**

Never place a jack on the rear cover (aluminum case).

Remove the mounting bolts and nuts connecting to the suspension member, and remove rear final drive assembly with a power tool.

#### **CAUTION:**

Secure rear final drive assembly to a suitable jack while removing it.



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### INSTALLATION

Note the following, and installation is in the reverse order of removal.

#### **CAUTION:**

Make sure there are no pinched or restricted areas on the breather hose caused by bending or winding when installing it.

• Install the breather hose (1) to breather connector until dimension (A) shown as follows.

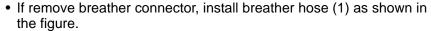
A:

Final drive side : 20 mm (0.79 in) Suspension member : 20.5 mm (0.807 in)

side

### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse hose clamp.
- Install the hose clamp at the final drive side, with the tab facing downward.
- Install the hose clamp at the suspension member side, with the tab facing downward.



2 : Suspension member3 : Metal connector

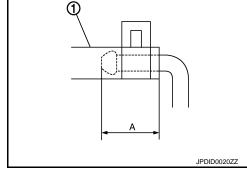
: Vehicle front

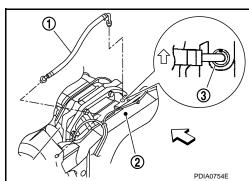
- For installation, insert the breather connector to suspension member. Install metal connector to rear cover with aiming painted marking to the front of vehicle.

### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse breather connector and metal connector.

• When oil leaks while removing final drive assembly, check oil level after the installation. Refer to <u>DLN-57</u>, <u>"Inspection"</u>.

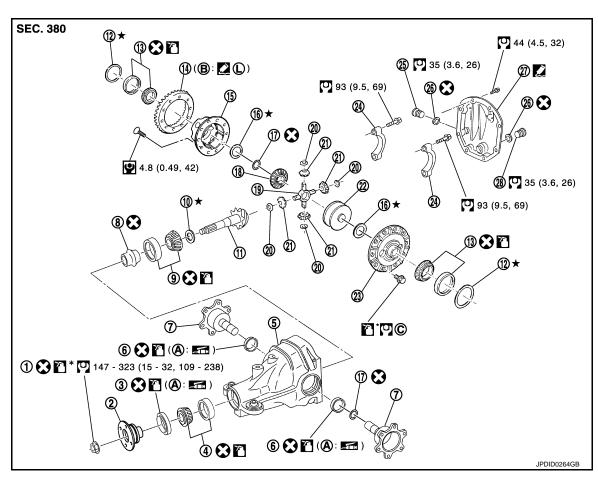




## UNIT DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

### DIFFERENTIAL ASSEMBLY

Exploded View



- 1. Drive pinion lock nut
- 4. Pinion front bearing
- 7. Side flange
- 10. Pinion height adjusting washer
- 13. Side bearing
- 16. Side gear thrust washer
- 19. Pinion mate shaft
- 22. Viscous coupling
- 25. Filler plug
- 28. Drain plug
- A. Oil seal lip

- 2. Companion flange
- Gear carrier
- 8. Collapsible spacer
- 11. Drive pinion
- 14. Drive gear
- 17. Circular clip
- 20. Pinion mate thrust washer
- 23. Differential case A
- 26. Gasket
- B. Screw hole

- 3. Front oil seal
- 6. Side oil seal9. Pinion rear bea
- 9. Pinion rear bearing
- 12. Side bearing adjusting washer
- 15. Differential case B
- 18. Side gear
- 21. Pinion mate gear
- 24. Bearing cap
- 27. Rear cover
- C. Comply with the assembly procedure when tightening. Refer to <u>DLN-70</u>, "Assembly".

Apply gear oil.

Apply anti-corrosion oil.

Apply Genuine Silicone RTV or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Apply Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

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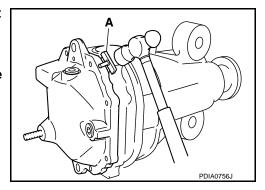
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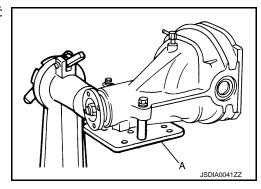
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- 1. Drain gear oil, if necessary.
- 2. Remove side flanges.
- 3. Remove rear cover mounting bolts.
- 4. Remove rear cover to insert the seal cutter (A) [SST: KV10111100 (J-37228)] between gear carrier and rear cover. CAUTION:
  - Never damage the mating surface.
  - Never insert flat-bladed screwdriver, this may damage the mating surface.



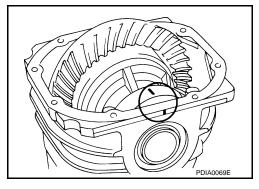
5. Using two spacers, mount carrier on the attachment (A) [SST: KV38100800 (J-25604-01)].



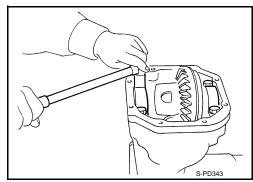
6. For proper reinstallation, paint matching marks on one side of the bearing cap.

### **CAUTION:**

- For matching marks, use paint. Never damage bearing caps and gear carrier.
- Bearing caps are manufactured as integral molding. Use the matching marks to them in their original positions.



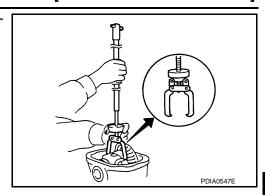
7. Remove bearing caps.



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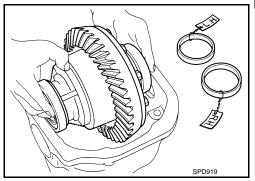
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Lift differential case assembly out with a sliding hammer (commercial service tool).



 Keep side bearing outer races together with inner race. Never mix them up.

Also, keep side bearing adjusting washers together with bearings.

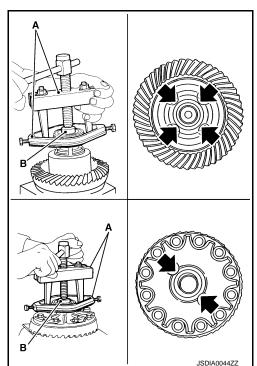


Remove side bearing inner race with puller (A) and base (B).
 To prevent damage to bearing, engage puller jaws in groove (

A: Puller [SST: ST33051001 (J-22888-20)] B: Base [SST: ST33061000 (J-8107-2)]

### **CAUTION:**

- To prevent damage to the side bearing and drive gear, place copper plates between these parts and vise.
- It is not necessary to remove side bearing inner race except when it is replaced.



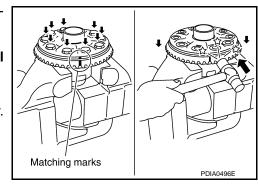
10. For proper reinstallation, paint matching marks on one differential case assembly.

### **CAUTION:**

For matching marks, use paint. Never damage differential case and drive gear.

- 11. Remove drive gear mounting bolts.
- 12. Tap drive gear off differential case assembly with a soft hammer. CAUTION:

Tap evenly all around to keep drive gear from bending.



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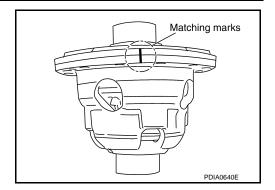
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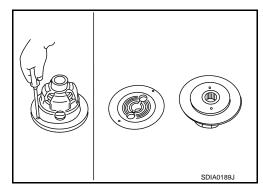
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13. Put matching marks with paint.

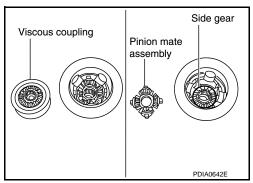


14. Loosen screws on differential cases A and B.



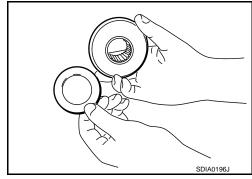
- 15. Separate differential case A and B, then remove viscous coupling, pinion mate gear, pinion mate thrust washer, side gear, pinion mate shaft, circular clip and side gear thrust washer from differential cases.
- 16. Remove side oil seal, using a suitable tool. **CAUTION:**

Never damage gear carrier.



Assembly

1. Install side gear thrust washer with the same thickness as the ones installed prior to disassembly or reinstall the old ones on the side gear.



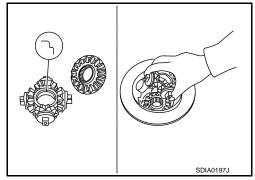
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Install side gear and thrust washer into differential case B. **CAUTION:** 

Make sure that the circular clip is installed to side gear.

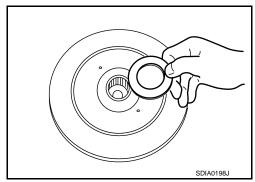
Install pinion mate assembly (pinion mate shaft, pinion mate gears and pinion mate thrust washers) into differential case B. **CAUTION:** 

Install the pinion mate shaft groove side to side gear.

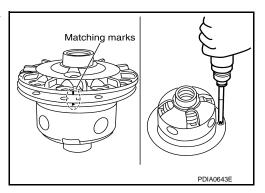


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- Install viscous coupling into differential case B.
- 5. Install side gear thrust washer with the same thickness as the ones installed prior to disassembly or reinstall the old ones on the viscous coupling.



Align the matching marks and install differential case A into differential case B.



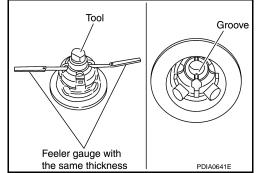
- Measure side gear end play. If necessary, select the appropriate side gear thrust washer.
- Place differential assembly so that right side gear is on the upper side.
- Measure the clearance between right side gear back and differential case using feeler gauge, while rotating right side gear with a suitable tool attached to splines.

Side gear back clearance

: Refer to DLN-88, "Differential Side Gear Clearance".



- Never place feeler gauge at groove side of differential
- To prevent side gear from tilting, insert feeler gauges with the same thickness from both sides.



If the back clearance is outside the specification, use a thicker/thinner side gear thrust washer to adjust. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information. For selecting thrust washer, refer to the latest parts information.

When the back clearance is large:

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Use a thinner thrust wash-

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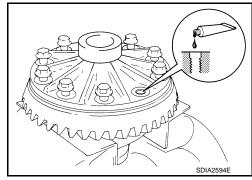
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#### **CAUTION:**

- Adjust the clearance with the left side gear thrust washer only.
- Only one side gear thrust washer can be selected.
- 8. Apply thread locking sealant into the thread hole of drive gear. Use Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

### **CAUTION:**

Clean and degrease drive gear back and threaded holes sufficiently.



Install the drive gear to differential case.

#### **CAUTION:**

Align the matching marks of differential case and drive gear.

10. Tighten the mounting bolts with the following procedure. CAUTION:

Apply anti-corrosin oil to the thread and seat of mounting bolts.

Tighten the bolts in a crisscross fashion to the specified torque.

: 78.5 Nem (8.0 kg-m, 58 ft-lb) **Drive gear mounting** bolts tightening torque

Tighten the bolts additionally to the specified angle.

Drive gear mounting : 31 to 36 degree

bolts tightening angle



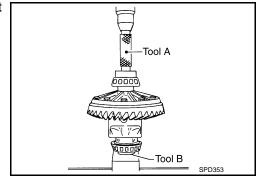
Check the tightening angle using the angle wrench [SST: KV10112100 (BT-8653-A)]. Never make judgment by visual inspection.

11. Press side bearing inner races to differential case, using the drift (A) and the base (B) [SST: ST33061000 (J-8107-2)].

> : Drift [SST: KV38100300 (J-25523)] В : Base [SST: ST33061000 (J-8107-2)]

#### **CAUTION:**

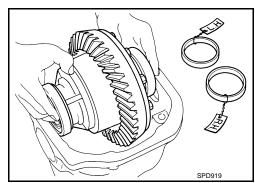
Never reuse side bearing inner race.



12. Set bearing outer races to differential case assembly, and install it with removed side bearing adjusting washer or same thickness washer into gear carrier.

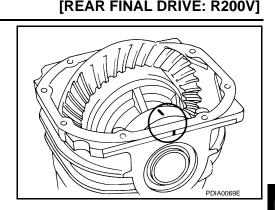
#### **CAUTION:**

- Apply differential gear oil to the side bearings.
- Install side bearing and side bearing adjusting washer in correct location. (drive gear tooth side or drive gear back side)
- 13. Measure side bearing preload. If necessary, select the appropriate side bearing adjusting washers. Refer to DLN-74, "Adjustment".



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- 14. Align matching marks on bearing cap with that on gear carrier.
- 15. Install bearing caps and tighten bearing cap mounting bolts.

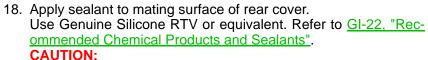


16. Using the drift [SST: KV38100200 (J-26233)], drive side oil seals until it becomes flush with the case end.

### **CAUTION:**

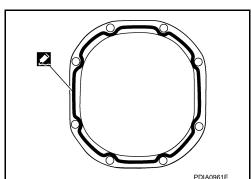
- Never reuse oil seal.
- When installing, never incline oil seal.
- Apply multi-purpose grease onto oil seal lips, and gear oil onto the circumference of oil seal.
- 17. Check and adjust drive gear runout, tooth contact, drive gear to drive pinion backlash, and total preload torque. Refer to <a href="DLN-74">DLN-74</a>. "Adjustment".

Recheck above items. Readjust the above description, if necessary.



Remove old sealant adhering to mounting surfaces. Also remove any moisture, oil, or foreign material adhering to application and mounting surfaces.

19. Install rear cover on gear carrier and tighten mounting bolts.



- 20. Install side flanges with the following procedure.
- a. Attach the protector [SST: KV38107900 (J-39352)] to side oil seal
- After the side flange is inserted and the serrated part of side gear has engaged the serrated part of flange, remove the protector.
- c. Put a suitable drift on the center of side flange, then drive it until sound changes.

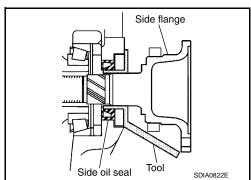
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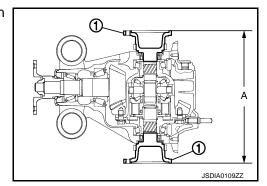
When installation is completed, driving sound of the side flange turns into a sound that seems to affect the whole final drive.

d. Confirm that the dimension of the side flanges (1) installation measurement (A) in the figure comes into the following.



A : 326 – 328 mm (12.83 – 12.91 in)





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#### TOTAL PRELOAD TORQUE

- Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.
- 1. Secure final drive assembly onto an attachment [SST: KV38100800 (J-25604-01)].
- 2. Remove side flanges.
- 3. Rotate drive pinion back and forth 2 to 3 times to check for unusual noise and rotation malfunction.
- 4. Rotate drive pinion at least 20 times to check for smooth operation of the bearing.

5. Measure total preload with the preload gauge (A) [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

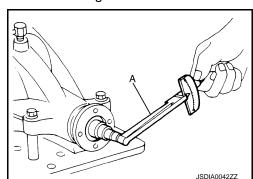
Total preload torque : Refer to <u>DLN-88, "Preload Torque"</u>.

#### NOTE:

Total preload torque = Pinion bearing preload torque + Side bearing preload torque

 If measured value is out of the specification, disassemble it to check and adjust each part. Adjust the pinion bearing preload and side bearing preload.

Adjust the pinion bearing preload first, then adjust the side bearing preload.



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#### When the preload torque is large

On pinion bearings: Replace the collapsible spacer.

On side bearings: Use thinner side bearing adjusting washers by the same amount to

each side. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts in-

formation.

## When the preload is small

On pinion bearings: Tighten the drive pinion lock nut.

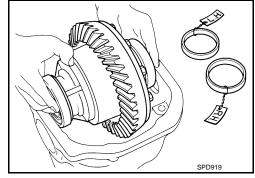
On side bearings: Use thicker side bearing adjusting washers by the same amount to

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## SIDE BEARING PRELOAD

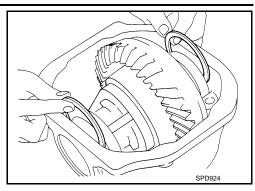
- Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.
- Remove rear cover. Refer to <u>DLN-68</u>, "<u>Disassembly</u>".
- 2. Make sure all parts are clean. Also, make sure the bearings are well lubricated with gear oil.
- Place the differential case, with side bearings and bearing races installed, into gear carrier.



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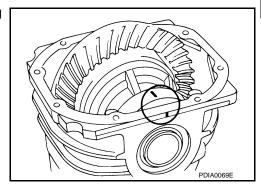
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4. Insert left and right original side bearing adjusting washers in place between side bearings and gear carrier.



Install bearing caps in their correct locations and tighten bearing cap mounting bolts.

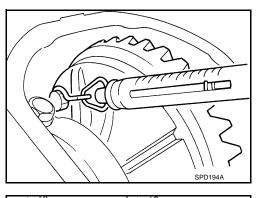
6. Turn the carrier several times to seat the bearings.



7. Measure the turning torque of the carrier at the drive gear mounting bolts with a spring gauge [SST: — (J-8129)].

**Specification** 

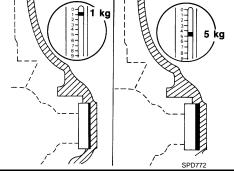
: 34.2 – 39.2 N (3.5 – 4.0 kg, 7.7 – 8.8 lb) of pulling force at the drive gear bolt



8. If the turning torque is outside the specification, use a thicker/ thinner side bearing adjusting washer to adjust. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

> If the turning torque is less than the specified range: Use a thicker adjusting washer.

> If the turning torque is greater than the specification: Use a thinner adjusting washer.



## **CAUTION:**

Select a side bearing adjusting washer for right and left individually.

9. Record the total amount of washer thickness required for the correct carrier side bearing preload.

#### DRIVE GEAR RUNOUT

1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <u>DLN-68, "Disassembly"</u>.

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- 2. Fit a dial indicator to the drive gear back face.
- 3. Rotate the drive gear to measure runout.

**Drive gear runout** 

: Refer to <u>DLN-88, "Drive</u> Gear Runout".

 If the runout is outside of the repair limit, check drive gear assembly condition; foreign material may be caught between drive gear and differential case, or differential case or drive gear may be deformed, etc.

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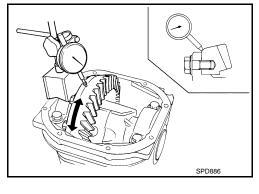
Replace drive gear and drive pinion gear as a set.

#### TOOTH CONTACT

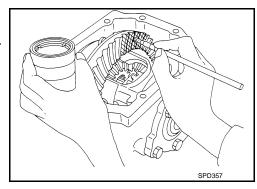
- Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.
- 1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <u>DLN-68</u>, "Disassembly".
- 2. Apply red lead to drive gear.

### **CAUTION:**

Apply red lead to both the faces of 3 to 4 gears at 4 locations evenly spaced on drive gear.



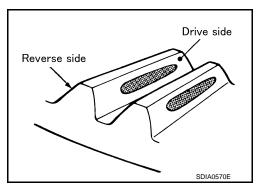
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 Rotate drive gear back and forth several times, check drive pinion gear to drive gear tooth contact.

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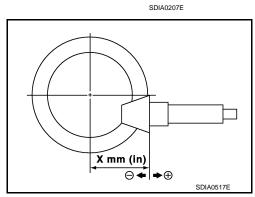
Check tooth contact on drive side and reverse side.



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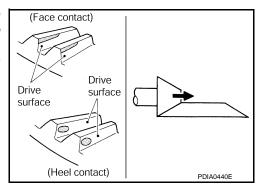
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Heel side	Toe side	Toe side	Heel side	i	+0.09 (+0.0035)	Yes	Occurrence of noise and scoring sound in all speed ranges.
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***	**			Thinner	-0.06 (-0.0024)	Yes	Occurrence of noise at constant speed and decreasing speed.
	···		$\overline{}$		-0.09 (-0.0035)		Occurrence of noise and scoring sound in all speed ranges.

4. If tooth contact is improperly adjusted, follow the procedure below to adjust the pinion height (dimension X).



• If the tooth contact is near the face (face contact), or near the heel (heel contact), thicken pinion height adjusting washers to move drive pinion closer to drive gear.

For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.



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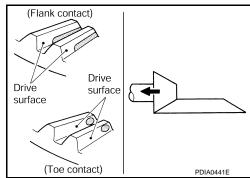
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• If the tooth contact is near the flank (flank contact), or near the toe (toe contact), thin pinion height adjusting washers to move drive pinion farther from drive gear.

For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.



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#### **BACKLASH**

- Before inspection and adjustment, drain gear oil.
- 1. Remove rear cover. Refer to <a href="DLN-68">DLN-68</a>, "Disassembly".
- Fit a dial indicator to the drive gear face to measure the backlash.

## **Backlash**

: Refer to DLN-88, "Back-lash".

 If the backlash is outside of the specified value, change the thickness of side bearing adjusting washer.

## When the backlash is large:

Make drive gear back side adjusting washer thicker, and drive gear tooth side adjusting washer thinner by the same amount. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

## When the backlash is small:

Make drive gear back side adjusting washer thinner, and drive gear tooth side adjusting washer thicker by the same amount. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never change the total amount of washers as it changes the bearing preload.

## Inspection After Disassembly

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## DRIVE GEAR AND DRIVE PINION

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If the gear teeth never mesh or line-up correctly, determine the cause and adjust or replace as necessary.
- If the gears are worn, cracked, damaged, pitted or chipped (by friction) noticeably, replace with new drive gear and drive pinion as a set.

#### **BEARING**

- · Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped (by friction), pitted, worn, rusted or scratched marks, or unusual noise from the bearing is observed, replace as a bearing assembly (as a new set).

#### SIDE GEAR AND PINION MATE GEAR

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any cracks or damage on the surface of the tooth is found, replace.
- If any worn or chipped mark on the contact sides of the thrust washer is found, replace.

## SIDE GEAR THRUST WASHER AND PINION MATE THRUST WASHER

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If it is chipped (by friction), damaged, or unusually worn, replace.

## OIL SEAL

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- Whenever disassembled, replace.
- If wear, deterioration of adherence (sealing force lips), or damage is detected on the lips, replace them.

## **DIFFERENTIAL CASE**

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any wear or crack on the contact sides of the differential case is found, replace.

## **COMPANION FLANGE**

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped mark [about 0.1 mm, (0.004 in)] or other damage on the contact sides of the lips of the companion flange is found, replace.

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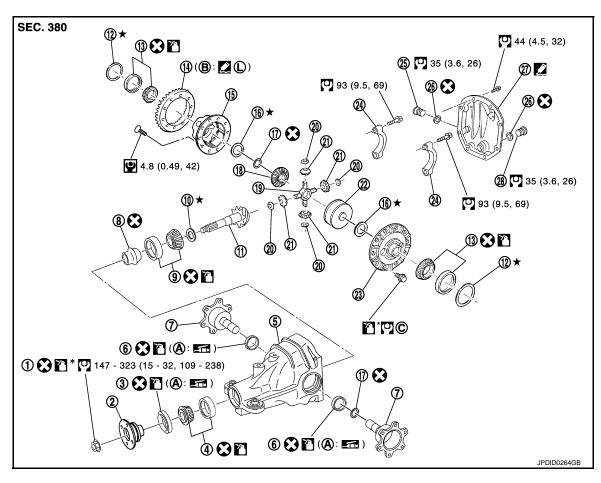
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## **DRIVE PINION**

Exploded View



- Drive pinion lock nut
- 4. Pinion front bearing
- 7. Side flange
- 10. Pinion height adjusting washer
- 13. Side bearing
- 16. Side gear thrust washer
- 19. Pinion mate shaft
- 22. Viscous coupling
- 25. Filler plug
- 28. Drain plug
- A. Oil seal lip

- 2. Companion flange
- Gear carrier
- 8. Collapsible spacer
- 11. Drive pinion
- 14. Drive gear
- 17. Circular clip
- 20. Pinion mate thrust washer
- 23. Differential case A
- 26. Gasket
- B. Screw hole

- 3. Front oil seal
- 6. Side oil seal
- 9. Pinion rear bearing
- 12. Side bearing adjusting washer
- 15. Differential case B
- 18. Side gear
- 21. Pinion mate gear
- 24. Bearing cap
- 27. Rear cover
- C. Comply with the assembly procedure when tightening. Refer to <u>DLN-70</u>, "Assembly".

Apply gear oil.

Apply anti-corrosion oil.

Apply Genuine Silicone RTV or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

Apply Genuine High Strength Thread Locking Sealant or equivalent. Refer to GI-22, "Recommended Chemical Products and Sealants".

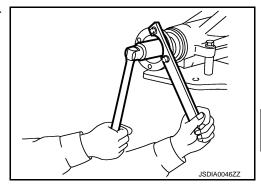
Refer to GI-4, "Components" for symbols not described on the above.

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Disassembly

1. Remove differential case assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-68, "Disassembly"</u>.

Remove drive pinion lock nut with the flange wrench (commercial service tool).



3. Put matching mark (B) on the end of drive pinion. The matching mark should be in line with the matching mark (A) on companion flange (1).

## **CAUTION:**

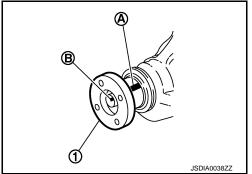
For matching mark, use paint. Never damage companion flange and drive pinion.

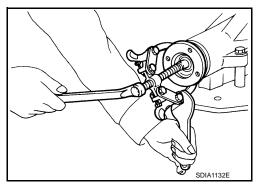
## NOTE:

The matching mark on the final drive companion flange indicates the maximum vertical runout position.

When replacing companion flange, matching mark is not necessary.

4. Remove companion flange using the suitable puller (commercial service tool).



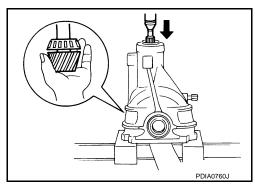


5. Press drive pinion assembly out of gear carrier.

## **CAUTION:**

Never drop drive pinion assembly.

- 6. Remove front oil seal.
- 7. Remove side oil seal.
- 8. Remove pinion front bearing inner race.
- 9. Remove collapsible spacer.



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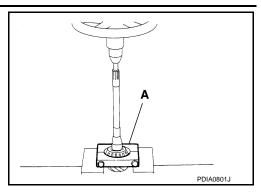
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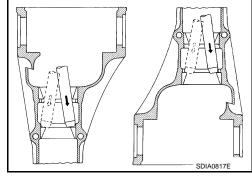
10. Remove pinion rear bearing inner race and pinion height adjusting washer with the replacer (A) (commercial service tool).



11. Tap pinion front/rear bearing outer races uniformly using a brass rod or equivalent to remove them.

## **CAUTION:**

Never damage gear carrier.



Assembly

 Install front bearing outer race (1) and rear bearing outer race (2) using drifts (A, B and D) and drift bar (C).

A : Drift [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)]

B : Drift [SST: KV40105230 ( — )]

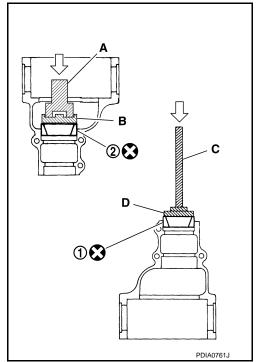
C : Drift bar [SST: ST30611000 (J-25742-1)]

D : Drift [SST: ST30613000 (J-25742-3)]

#### **CAUTION:**

 At first, using a hammer, tap bearing outer race until it becomes flat to gear carrier.

Never reuse pinion front and rear bearing outer race.



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Temporarily install pinion height adjusting washer (1).

When hypoid gear set has been replaced

 Select pinion height adjusting washer. Refer to <u>DLN-86</u>, "Adjustment".

When hypoid gear set has been reused

 Temporarily install the removed pinion height adjusting washer or same thickness washer to drive pinion.

#### CAUTION:

Pay attention to the direction of pinion height adjusting washer. (Assemble as shown in the figure.)

3. Install pinion rear bearing inner race (1) to drive pinion with the drift (A) [SST: ST30901000 (J-26010-01)].

## **CAUTION:**

Never reuse pinion rear bearing inner race.

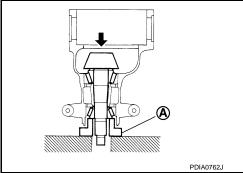
- 4. Check and adjust the tooth contact and back lash of drive gear and drive pinion following the procedure below.
- a. Assemble drive pinion into gear carrier.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never assemble collapsible spacer at this time.
- Apply gear oil to pinion rear bearing.
- b. Assemble pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion assembly.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse pinion front bearing inner race.
- Apply gear oil to pinion front bearing.
- c. Using suitable spacer (A) (commercial service tool), press the pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion as far as drive pinion nut can be tightened.



(B)

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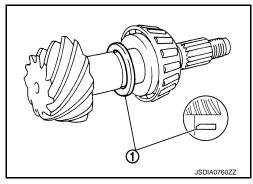
Install companion flange.

#### **CAUTION:**

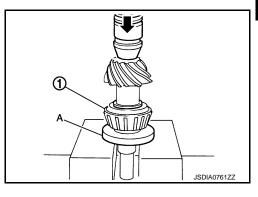
Never install front oil seal at this time.

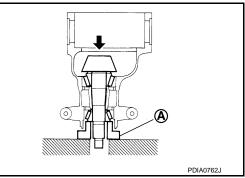
#### NOTE:

When reusing drive pinion, align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange, and then install companion flange (1).



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e. Temporarily tighten removed drive pinion nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).

A : Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

#### NOTE:

Use removed drive pinion nut only for the preload measurement.

- f. Rotate drive pinion more than 20 times to adjust bearing.
- g. Tighten to drive pinion lock nut using flange wrench (commercial service tool), while adjusting pinion bearing preload torque using preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

Pinion bearing preload :  $1.0 - 1.3 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} (0.11 - 0.13 \text{ kg-m}, 9 - 11 \text{ in-lb})$ 

#### **CAUTION:**

Drive pinion nut is tightened with no collapsible spacer. Be careful not to overtighten it. While measuring the preload, tighten drive pinion nut in 5° to 10° increments.

h. Assemble removed drive side bearing adjusting washer or same thickness of it and install differential case assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-70</u>, "Assembly".

#### **CAUTION:**

- Apply differential gear oil to the side bearings.
- Install side bearing and side bearing adjusting washer in correct location. (drive gear tooth side or drive gear back side)
- i. Install bearing caps.
- Check and adjust tooth contact and drive gear to drive pinion backlash. Refer to <u>DLN-74</u>. "Adjustment".
- k. Remove bearing caps and differential case assembly.
- Remove companion flange.
- m. Remove drive pinion assembly from gear carrier.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never drop the drive pinion assembly.

- n. Remove pinion front bearing inner race.
- 5. Assemble collapsible spacer.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never reuse collapsible spacer.

Assemble drive pinion into gear carrier.

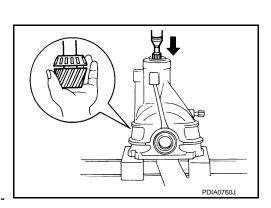
#### **CAUTION:**

Apply gear oil to pinion rear bearing.

Assemble pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion assembly.

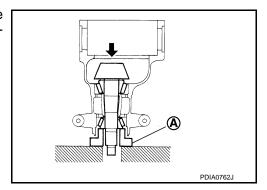
#### **CAUTION:**

- Never reuse pinion front bearing inner race.
- · Apply gear oil to pinion front bearing.
- 8. Using suitable spacer (A) (commercial service tool), press the pinion front bearing inner race to drive pinion as far as drive pinion nut can be tightened.



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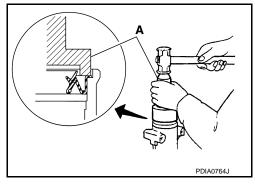


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9. Using the drift (A) [SST: ST30720000 (J-25405)], install front oil seal as shown in figure.

#### **CAUTION:**

- · Never reuse oil seal.
- When installing, never incline oil seal.
- Apply multi-purpose grease onto oil seal lips, and gear oil onto the circumference of oil seal.

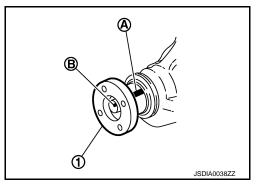


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10. Install companion flange.

#### NOTE:

When reusing drive pinion, align the matching mark (B) of drive pinion with the matching mark (A) of companion flange, and then install companion flange (1).



11. Apply anti-corrosion oil to the thread and seat of drive pinion lock nut, and temporarily tighten drive pinion lock nut to drive pinion, using flange wrench (commercial service tool).

A : Preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)]

#### **CAUTION:**

#### Never reuse drive pinion lock nut.

 Adjust to the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque and pinion bearing preload torque, using preload gauge [SST: ST3127S000 (J-25765-A)].

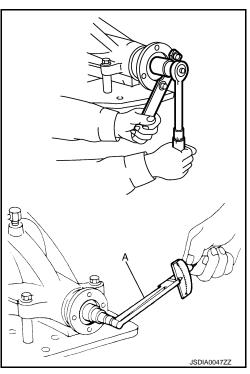
Pinion bearing preload : Refer to <u>DLN-88, "Preload Torque"</u>.

## **CAUTION:**

- Adjust to the lower limit of the drive pinion lock nut tightening torque first.
- If the preload torque exceeds the specified value, replace collapsible spacer and tighten it again to adjust. Never loosen drive pinion lock nut to adjust the preload torque.
- After adjustment, rotate drive pinion back and forth 2 to 3 times to check for unusual noise, rotation malfunction, and other malfunctions.
- Install differential case assembly. Refer to <u>DLN-70</u>, "<u>Assembly</u>".
   CAUTION:

## Never install rear cover at this timing.

- 14. Check and adjust drive gear runout, tooth contact, drive gear to drive pinion backlash, and companion flange runout. Refer to <u>DLN-74</u>, "<u>Adjustment"</u> and <u>DLN-86</u>, "<u>Adjustment"</u>. Recheck above items. Readjust the above description, if necessary.
- 15. Check total preload torque. Refer to <a href="DLN-74">DLN-74</a>, "Adjustment".
- 16. Install rear cover. Refer to <a href="DLN-70">DLN-70</a>, "Assembly".



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Adjustment

#### PINION GEAR HEIGHT

If the hypoid gear set has been replaced, select the pinion height adjusting washer.

 Use the formula below to calculate pinion height adjusting washer thickness.

## Washer selection equation:

$$T = T_0 + (t_1 - t_2)$$

T: Correct washer thickness

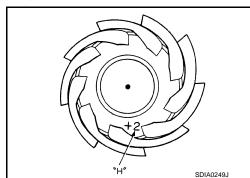
To: Removed washer thickness

t1: Old drive pinion head letter " $H \times 0.01$ "

("H": machined tolerance 1/100 mm × 100)

t2: New drive pinion head letter " $H \times 0.01$ "

("H": machined tolerance 1/100 mm × 100)



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## **Example:**

$$T = 3.21 + [(2 \times 0.01) - (-1 \times 0.01)] = 3.24$$

To: 3.21 t1: +2 t2: -1

2. Select the proper pinion height adjusting washer. For selecting adjusting washer, refer to the latest parts information.

#### **CAUTION:**

If unable to find a washer of desired thickness, use a washer with thickness closest to the calculated value.

#### **Example:**

Calculated value... T = 3.22 mm

Used washer... T = 3.21 mm

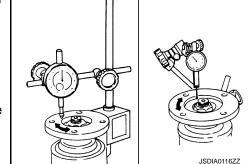
#### COMPANION FLANGE RUNOUT

- Fit a dial indicator onto the companion flange face (inner side of the propeller shaft mounting bolt holes).
- 2. Rotate companion flange to check for runout.

**Companion flange runout** 

: Refer to <u>DLN-89</u>, "Companion flange Runout".

- 3. Fit a test indicator to the inner side of the companion flange (socket diameter).
- Rotate companion flange to check for runout.



Inner side of companion : Refer flange runout : panion

: Refer to <u>DLN-89</u>, "Companion flange Runout".

- 5. If the runout value is outside the runout limit, follow the procedure below to adjust.
- a. Check for runout while changing the phase between companion flange and drive pinion by 90° step, and search for the position where the runout is the minimum.
- b. If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the phase has been changed, possible cause will be an assembly malfunction of drive pinion and pinion bearing and malfunction of pinion bearing. Check for these items and repair if necessary.
- If the runout value is still outside of the limit after the check and repair, replace companion flange.

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## [REAR FINAL DRIVE: R200V] Inspection After Disassembly

## DRIVE GEAR AND DRIVE PINION

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If the gear teeth never mesh or line-up correctly, determine the cause and adjust or replace as necessary.
- If the gears are worn, cracked, damaged, pitted or chipped (by friction) noticeably, replace with new drive gear and drive pinion as a set.

#### **BEARING**

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped (by friction), pitted, worn, rusted or scratched marks, or unusual noise from the bearing is observed, replace as a bearing assembly (as a new set).

#### SIDE GEAR AND PINION MATE GEAR

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any cracks or damage on the surface of the tooth is found, replace.
- If any worn or chipped mark on the contact sides of the thrust washer is found, replace.

#### SIDE GEAR THRUST WASHER AND PINION MATE THRUST WASHER

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If it is chipped (by friction), damaged, or unusually worn, replace.

#### OIL SEAL

- Whenever disassembled, replace.
- If wear, deterioration of adherence (sealing force lips), or damage is detected on the lips, replace them.

#### DIFFERENTIAL CASE

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any wear or crack on the contact sides of the differential case is found, replace.

#### COMPANION FLANGE

- Clean up the disassembled parts.
- If any chipped mark [about 0.1 mm, (0.004 in)] or other damage on the contact sides of the lips of the companion flange is found, replace.

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## **General Specification**

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[REAR FINAL DRIVE: R200V]

Applied model Final drive model		2WD VQ37VHR		
		R200V (With LSD)		
		Gear ratio	Except for Nismo models	3.692
For Nismo models	3.916		3.692	
Number of teeth (Drive gear/ Drive pinion)	Except for Nismo models	48/13	47/14	
	For Nismo models	47/12	48/13	
Oil capacity (Approx.)		Refer to MA-16, "FOR NORTH AMERICA: Fluids and Lubricants" (for NORTH AMERICA), MA-18, "FOR MEXICO: Fluids and Lubricants" (for MEXICO).		
Number of pinion gears		4		
Drive pinion adjustment spacer	type	Collapsible		
Drive Gear Runout			INFOID:0000000011736022	
			Unit: mm (in)	
Item		limit		

## Differential Side Gear Clearance

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0.05 (0.0020)

Unit: mm (in)

Item	Standard
Side gear backlash (Clearance between side gear and differential case)	0.15 (0.0059 in) or less (Each gear should rotate smoothly without excessive resistance during differential motion.)

## **Preload Torque**

Drive gear back face runout

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Unit: N·m (kg-m, in-lb)

Item	Standard
Pinion bearing (P1)	2.65 – 3.23 (0.27 – 0.32, 24 – 28)
Side bearing (P2)	0.20 - 0.52 (0.02 - 0.05, 2 - 4)
Side bearing to pinion bearing (Total preload) (Total preload = P1 + P2)	2.85 - 3.75 (0.29 - 0.38, 26 - 33)

# Backlash INFOID:000000011736025

Unit: mm (in)

Item	Standard		
Drive gear to drive pinion gear	0.10 - 0.15 (0.0039 - 0.0059)		

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## Companion flange Runout

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Unit: mm (in)

Item	Limit	
Companion flange face runout	0.08 (0.0031)	
Inner side of the companion flange runout	0.08 (0.0031)	

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