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## **Pinion Seal**

## **REMOVAL & INSTALLATION**

- 1. Drain the gear oil from the differential.
- 2. Raise the front of the vehicle and support it with jackstands.
- 3. Disconnect the front driveshaft at the differential.
- 4. Using a flange wrench and a 27mm socket, remove the drive pinion nut.
- 5. Remove the companion flange and then pry out the oil seal.

## To install:

- 6. Coat the cavity between the lips of the oil seal with grease and then install the seal with an oil seal driver tool.
- Press the companion flange in and install the drive pinion nut. Tighten the nut to 123–145 ft. lbs. (167–196 Nm).
- 8. Install the driveshaft, remove the stands and lower the vehicle. Refill the differential with gear oil.

