



SERVICE BULLETIN

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AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION FLUID

This amended version of NTB95-055 updates information regarding the Recommended ATF usage
Please discard previous NTB95-055 and NTB93-065.

APPLIED VEHICLES: All Nissan vehicles with automatic transmission

SERVICE INFORMATION

IMPORTANT NOTE: Nissan Matic 'D' ATF must be used in performing repairs paid by Nissan, such as warranty, service contract, or goodwill repairs. Nissan will not reimburse dealers for repairs when non-genuine Nissan Matic 'D' is used.

For current and prior production Nissan vehicles, front wheel and/or rear wheel drive, only Nissan Matic 'D', or other ashless petroleum based ATF, is formulated to meet the requirements of Nissan automatic transmissions and automatic transaxles. Nissan Matic 'D', or other ashless petroleum based ATF, assists in ensuring transmission durability, smooth driveability, low exhaust emissions and customer satisfaction.

Only an ashless type petroleum based ATF should be used to repair Nissan vehicles because other types of ATF may contain compounds which adversely affect transmission performance. Specifically, ash will impact friction response. In addition, ATF with ash is likely to have a higher Zinc (Zn) content. Zinc will adhere to clutch linings and cause slippage, resulting in transmission damage.

For ordering procedures, please refer to the "Dealer Confidential Parts Price List".

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