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Precautions

PRECAUTIONS



Precautions

- Recommended fluid is brake fluid "DOT 3".
- Never reuse drained brake fluid.
- Be careful not to splash brake fluid on painted areas.
- When removing and installing clutch piping, use Tool.
- Use new brake fluid to clean or wash all parts of master cylinder, operating cylinder and clutch damper.

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• Never use mineral oils such as gasoline or kerosene. It will ruin the rubber parts of the hydraulic system.

WARNING:

After cleaning the clutch disc, wipe it with a dust collector. Do not use compressed air.

PREPARATION

Special Service Tools

Special Service Tools GI NACL0002 The actual shapes of Kent-Moore tools may differ from those of special service tools illustrated here. Tool number MA (Kent-Moore No.) Description Tool name EM ST20670000 Installing clutch cover and clutch disc b a: 15 mm (0.59 in) dia. ____) Clutch aligning bar b: 23 mm (0.91 in) dia. LC c: 30 mm (1.18 in) EC NT405 FE CL MT AT **Commercial Service Tools** NACL0003 Tool name Description TF 1 Flare nut crowfoot Removing and installing clutch piping 2 Torque wrench a: 10 mm (0.39 in) PD 2 AX NT360 Power tool Loosening bolts and nuts SU BR ST PBIC0190E RS BT HA SC EL IDX

NVH Troubleshooting Chart

Use the chart below to help you find the cause of the problem. The numbers indicate the priority of the likely cause of the problem. Check each part in order. If necessary, repair or replace these parts.

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Symptom		SUSPECTED (Possible caus		SUSPECTED I (Possible caus	Reference pag		
Clutch does not disengage	Clutch slips	Clutch noisy	Clutch pedal spongy	Clutch grabs/chatters	PARTS e)	æ	
-	-				CLUTCH PEDAL (Free play out of adjustment)	CL-6	
Ν			-		CLUTCH LINE (Air in line)	CL-7	
ω			N		MASTER CYLINDER PISTON CUP (Damaged)	CL-8	
4			2		OPERATING CYLINDER PISTON CUP (Damaged)	CL-9	
				-	ENGINE MOUNTING (Loose)	Refer to EM-63, "REMOVAL".	
		<u> </u>			RELEASE BEARING (Worn, dirty or damaged)	CL-10	
Сı					CLUTCH DISC (Out of true)	CL-12	
σı				2	CLUTCH DISC (Runout is excessive) CL-12		
СI					CLUTCH DISC (Lining broken) CL-12		
СI					CLUTCH DISC (Dirty or burned)	CL-12	
σı	Ν			2	CLUTCH DISC (Oily)	CL-12	
	Ν			2	CLUTCH DISC (Worn out)	CL-12	
				2	CLUTCH DISC (Hardened)	CL-12	
σı					CLUTCH DISC (Lack of spline grease)	CL-13	
6	ω				DIAPHRAGM SPRING (Damaged)	CL-13	
7	4				PRESSURE PLATE (Distortion)	CL-13	NAC.
	ഗ				FLYWHEEL (Distortion)	CL-13	L0027S0101





CLUTCH SYSTEM — HYDRAULIC TYPE

On-Vehicle Inspection and Adjustment



On-Vehicle Inspection and Adjustment

- 1. Check to see if the clevis pin floats freely in the bore of the clutch pedal. It should not be bound by the clevis or clutch pedal.
- a. If the clevis pin is not free, check that the ASCD clutch switch or pedal stopper bolt is not applying pressure to the clutch pedal causing the clevis pin to bind. To adjust, loosen lock nut and turn ASCD clutch switch or pedal stopper bolt.
- b. Tighten the lock nut.
- c. Verify that the clevis pin floats in the bore of the clutch pedal. It should not be bound by the clutch pedal.
- d. If the clevis pin is still not free, remove the clevis pin and check for deformation or damage. Replace clevis pin if necessary. Leave pin removed for step 2.
- 2. Check clutch pedal stroke for free range of movement.
- a. With the clevis pin removed, manually move the clutch pedal up and down to determine if it moves freely.
- b. If any sticking is noted, replace the related parts (clutch pedal bracket, assist spring, bushing etc.). Re-assemble the clutch pedal and re-verify that the clevis pin floats freely in the bore of the clutch pedal.
- 3. Adjust clearance "C" while depressing clutch pedal fully. (With clutch interlock switch)

Clearance C:

0.1 - 1.0 mm (0.004 - 0.039 in)

- 4. Check clutch hydraulic and system components (clutch master cylinder, clutch operating cylinder, clutch withdrawal lever, clutch release bearing, etc.) for sticking or binding.
- a. If any sticking or binding noted, repair or replace related parts as necessary.
- b. If hydraulic system repair was necessary, bleed the clutch hydraulic system. Refer to CL-7, "Air Bleeding Procedure".

NOTE:

Do not use a vacuum assist or any other type of power bleeder on this system. Use of a vacuum assist or power bleeder will not purge all the air from the system.

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Air Bleeding Procedure

CAUTION:

- Check the clutch fluid level of the reservoir for shortage.
- Keep clutch fluid away from the coating surface of the body or other parts. If it adheres, remove it quickly and flush the area with water.
- 1. Fill up master cylinder reservoir tank with new clutch fluid.
- 2. Connect a clear vinyl hose to air bleeder.
- 3. Carefully depress clutch pedal fully and release it. Repeat the $\[LG]$ cycle several times at an interval of 2 or 3 seconds.
- 4. While depressing clutch pedal, open air bleeder.
- 5. Close air bleeder.

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- 6. Release clutch pedal, and wait for approx. 5 seconds.
- 7. Repeat steps 3 to 6 until no air is found in clutch fluid.

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CLUTCH MASTER CYLINDER

Components

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Disassembly and Assembly

• When removing and installing stopper ring, pry it off with screwdriver while pushing push rod into cylinder.

Inspection

Check the following items, and replace if necessary.

• Rubbing surface of cylinder and piston, for uneven wear, rust or damage

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- Piston with piston cup, for wear or damage
- Return spring, for wear or damage
- Dust cover, for cracks, deformation or damage
- Reservoir, for deformation or damage

OPERATING CYLINDER

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 Piston with piston cup, for wear or damage 	S	T
 Piston spring, for wear or damage Dust cover, for cracks, deformation or damage 	R	IS
	B	T
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	S	C

CLUTCH RELEASE MECHANISM

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CAUTION:

Keep the clutch disc facing, pressure plate and flywheel free of oil and grease.



Removal

- 1. Remove manual transmission from the vehicle. Refer to MT-7, "Removal and Installation".
- 2. Remove withdrawal lever from inside clutch housing.
- 3. Press wedge collar on clutch cover toward the engine.

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4. Using a flat-head screwdriver or the like, remove release bearing from clutch cover.



CLUTCH RELEASE MECHANISM

Inspection



CLUTCH DISC, CLUTCH COVER AND FLYWHEEL

Components

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Removal

- Remove manual transmission from the vehicle. 1. Refer to MT-7, "Removal and Installation".
- Remove release bearing from clutch cover. 2.
- Loosen mounting bolts on the clutch cover evenly, and remove 3. clutch cover and clutch disc.

CAUTION:

Do not hold the wedge collar when handling the clutch cover.

Inspection and Adjustment

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CLUTCH DISC

Check the following items, and replace if necessary.

- Clutch disc, for burns, discoloration, oil or grease leakage •
- Clutch disc, for wear of facing

Wear limit of facing surface to rivet head: 0.3 mm (0.012 in)

Clutch disc, for backlash of spline and runout of facing Maximum backlash of spline (at outer edge of disc): 1.0 mm (0.039 in) **Runout limit:** Less than 0.7 mm (0.028 in) Distance of runout check point (from hub center): 120 mm (4.72 in)

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Inspection and Adjustment (Cont'd)



CLUTCH COVER

- Check parts (wedge collar and wiring) contacting the release bearing. If any worn or damaged parts are found, replace the clutch cover as an assembly.
- Check release lever plate for looseness. If necessary, replace clutch cover as an assembly.
- Check thrust ring of the clutch cover for wear or bending. If necessary, replace clutch cover as an assembly.
- If seizure mark or discoloration is found with the mating surfaces between pressure plate and clutch disc of clutch cover, repair them with sand-paper. If surfaces are distorted or damaged, replace clutch cover as an assembly.

REFERENCE:

- If thrust ring is worn, chattering noise is heard when the riveted area is lightly hit with a hammer.
- If thrust ring is bent, jangling noise is heard when cover is swung up and down.

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CAUTION: Do not allow any magnetic materials to contact the ring gear teeth.

- Inspect contact surface of flywheel for slight burns or discoloration. Clean flywheel with emery paper.
- Check flywheel runout.

FLYWHEEL INSPECTION

Maximum allowable runout: Refer to EM-76, "Flywheel/Drive plate Runout".

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Installation

1. Apply specified Nissan clutch grease to clutch disc and spline of main drive shaft.

CAUTION:

Always apply grease. If no grease is applied, it may cause shormal noise, insufficient disengagement, or damage to the clutch. Also, always remove excessive grease. If grease is applied excessively, it may cause sliding or juddering. \mathbb{R}

- 2. Install clutch disc and clutch cover. Tighten mounting bolts temporarily, and install clutch aligning bar (SST).
- 3. Tighten clutch cover mounting bolts evenly in the order shown in the figure by two steps.

1st step:	HA
🖸 : 10 - 19 N·m (1.0 - 2.0 kg-m, 8 - 14 ft-lb)	
Final step:	@ <i>@</i>
O : 35 - 44 N⋅m (3.5 - 4.5 kg-m, 26 - 32 ft-lb)	26

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Installation (Cont'd)



- 4. Check that the wire ring of clutch cover is installed securely to wedge collar pawls.
- 5. Turn flywheel so that the wire ring opening is positioned as shown in the figure.

CAUTION:

Always perform alignment of the wire ring opening. If transmission is installed without alignment, it may cause clutch disengagement failure or clutch pedal operation failure.

6. Install manual transmission. Refer to MT-7, "Removal and Installation".

SERVICE DATA AND SPECIFICATIONS (SDS)

Clutch Control System

Clutch	Control System	NACL0028
Type of clutch control	Hydraulic	
Clutch I	Master Cylinder (With damper)	NACL0021
Inner diameter	15.87 mm (5/8 in)	
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nner diameter	19.05 mm (3/4 in)	NACL0022
Clutch I		
Oldterri		NACL0023 Unit: mm (in)
Model	250	
Facing size (Outer dia. x inner dia. x thickness)	$\begin{array}{c} 250 \times 160 \times 3.5 \\ (9.84 \times 6.30 \times 0.138) \end{array}$	
Thickness of disc assembly With load	7.9 - 8.3 (0.311 - 0.327) with 7,355 N (750 kg, 1,654 lb)	
Wear limit of facing surface to rivet head	0.3 (0.012)	
Runout limit of facing	0.7 (0.028)	
Distance of runout check point (from hub center)	120 (4.72)	
Maximum backlash of spline (at outer edge of disc)	1.0 (0.039)	
Clutch (Cover	NACL0024 Unit: mm (in)
Model	250	
Set-load	7,355 N (750 kg, 1,654 lb)	
Diaphragm spring height	48.2 - 50.2 (1.898 - 1.976)	
Uneven limit of diaphragm spring toe height	0.6 (0.024)	
Clutch I	Pedal	NACL0025 Unit: mm (in)
Clearance "C" between pedal stopper rubber and clutch interlock switch threaded while clutch pedal is fully depressed.	0.1 - 1.0 (0.004 - 0.039)	

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