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STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM

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Precaution for Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER"

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The Supplemental Restraint System such as "AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT PRE-TENSIONER", used along with a front seat belt, helps to reduce the risk or severity of injury to the driver and front passenger for certain types of collision. This system includes seat belt switch inputs and dual stage front air bag modules. The SRS system uses the seat belt switches to determine the front air bag deployment, and may only deploy one front air bag, depending on the severity of a collision and whether the front occupants are belted or unbelted. Information necessary to service the system safely is included in the "SRS AIR BAG" and "SEAT BELT" of this Service Manual.

WARNING:

Always observe the following items for preventing accidental activation.

- To avoid rendering the SRS inoperative, which could increase the risk of personal injury or death in the event of a collision that would result in air bag inflation, all maintenance must be performed by an authorized NISSAN/INFINITI dealer.
- Improper maintenance, including incorrect removal and installation of the SRS, can lead to personal injury caused by unintentional activation of the system. For removal of Spiral Cable and Air Bag Module, see "SRS AIR BAG".
- Never use electrical test equipment on any circuit related to the SRS unless instructed to in this Service Manual. SRS wiring harnesses can be identified by yellow and/or orange harnesses or harness connectors.

PRECAUTIONS WHEN USING POWER TOOLS (AIR OR ELECTRIC) AND HAMMERS

WARNING:

Always observe the following items for preventing accidental activation.

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

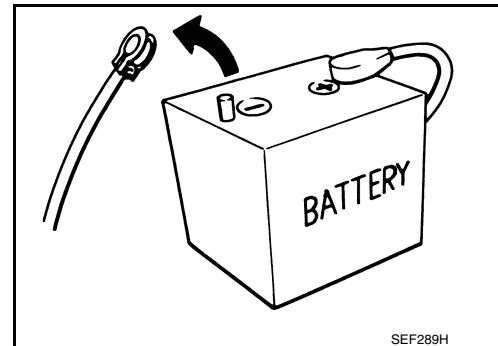
Precautions for Removing Battery Terminal

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When disconnecting the battery terminal, pay attention to the following.

- Always use a 12V battery as power source.
- Never disconnect battery terminal while engine is running.
- When removing the 12V battery terminal, turn OFF the ignition switch and wait at least 30 seconds.
- For vehicles with the engine listed below, remove the battery terminal after a lapse of the specified time:

D4D engine	: 20 minutes	YS23DDT	: 4 minutes
HRA2DDT	: 12 minutes	YS23DDTT	: 4 minutes
K9K engine	: 4 minutes	ZD30DDTi	: 60 seconds
M9R engine	: 4 minutes	ZD30DDTT	: 60 seconds
R9M engine	: 4 minutes		
V9X engine	: 4 minutes		
YD25DDTi	: 2 minutes		



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.

- After high-load driving, if the vehicle is equipped with the V9X engine, turn the ignition switch OFF and wait for at least 15 minutes to remove the battery terminal.

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- Turbocharger cooling pump may operate in a few minutes after the ignition switch is turned OFF.
- Example of high-load driving
 - Driving for 30 minutes or more at 140 km/h (86 MPH) or more.
 - Driving for 30 minutes or more on a steep slope.
- For vehicles with the 2-batteries, be sure to connect the main battery and the sub battery before turning ON the ignition switch.

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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.

COMPONENT PARTS

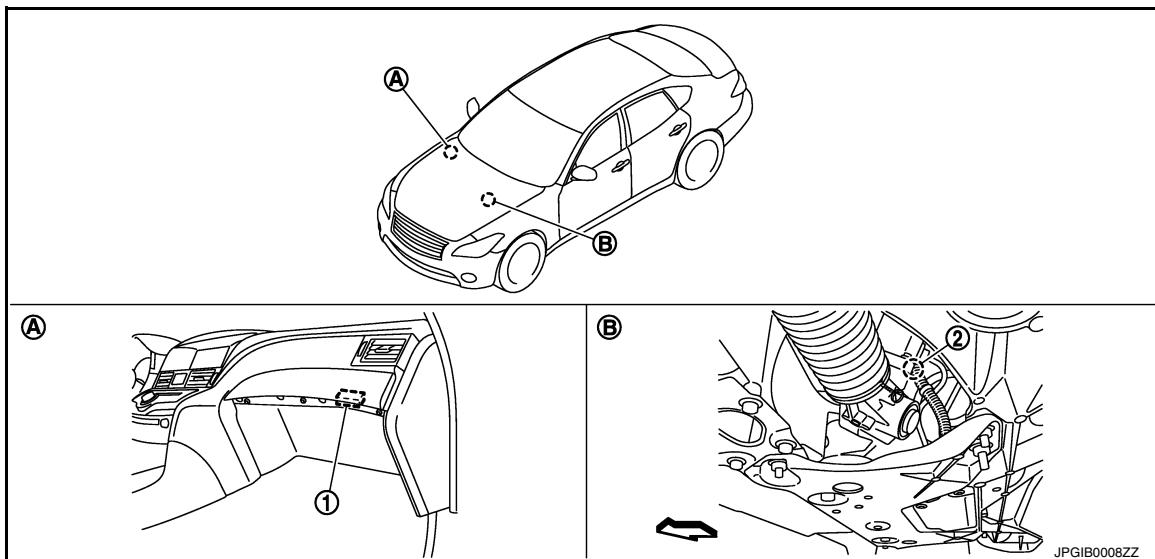
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COMPONENT PARTS

Component Parts Location

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| 1. Power steering control unit | 2. Power steering solenoid valve |
| A. Glove box assembly removed | B. Steering gear assembly |

⇨: Vehicle front

Component Description

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Component parts	Reference/Function
Power steering control unit	STC-4, "Power Steering Control Unit"
Power steering solenoid valve	STC-4, "Power Steering Solenoid Valve"
Combination meter	MWI-10, "METER SYSTEM : System Description"
ECM	EC-57, "ENGINE CONTROL SYSTEM : System Description" (VQ37VHR FOR USA AND CANADA) EC-587, "ENGINE CONTROL SYSTEM : System Description" (VQ37VHR FOR MEXICO) EC-1008, "ENGINE CONTROL SYSTEM : System Description" (VK56VD FOR USA AND CANADA) EC-1599, "ENGINE CONTROL SYSTEM : System Description" (VK56VD FOR MEXICO)

Power Steering Control Unit

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- Signals from various sensors control the driving voltage to power steering solenoid valve.
- Power steering control unit controls the driving voltage to power steering solenoid valve for maintaining the power steering assist force when the fail-safe function is activated. (The engine speed signals control EPS system if any vehicle speed signal error is detected.)

Power Steering Solenoid Valve

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EPS solenoid valve controls the power steering oil pressure in the gear housing assembly.

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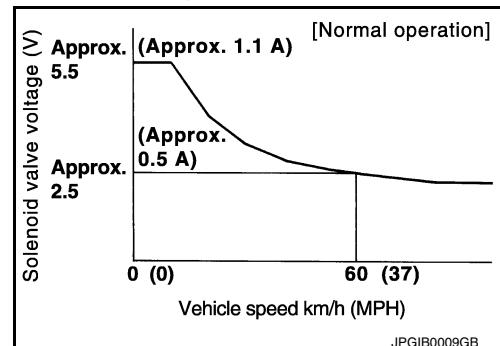
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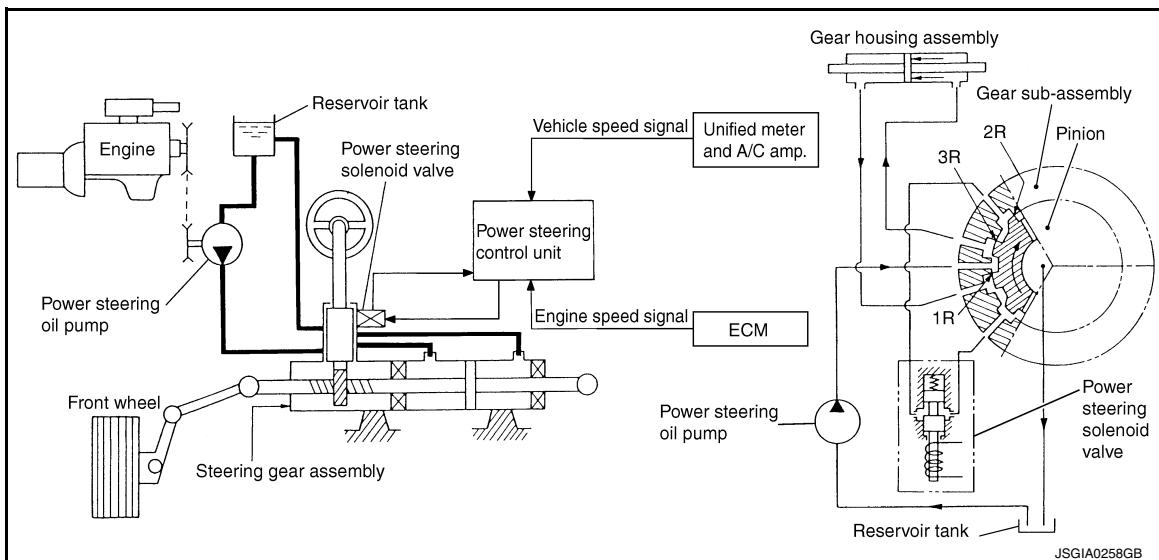
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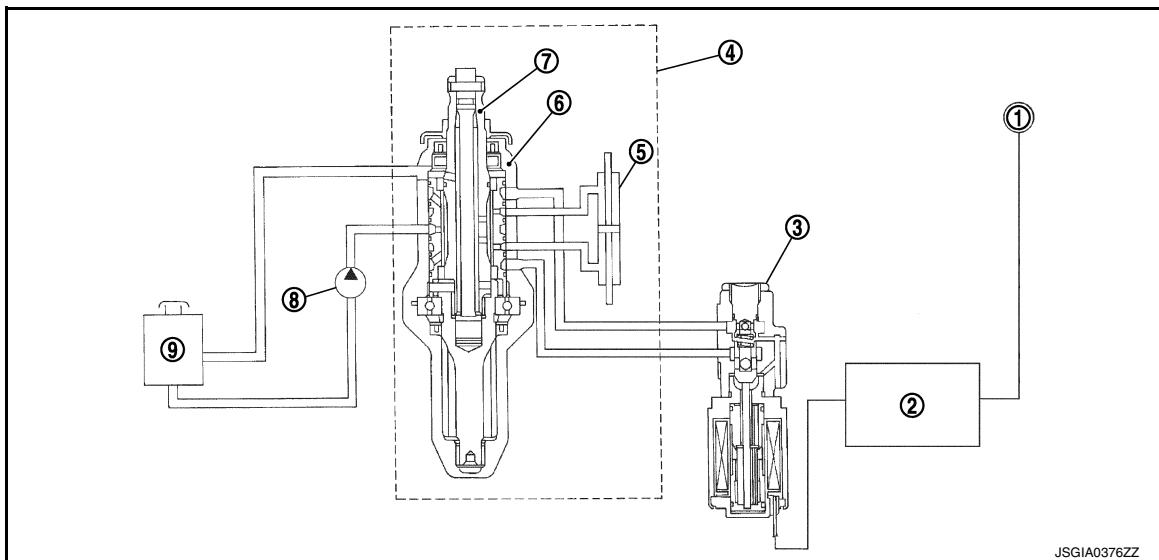
- EPS system controls the power steering solenoid valve through the power steering control unit.
- The valve driving voltage to control the power steering solenoid valve varies according to the vehicle speed.



CONTROL DIAGRAM



CROSS-SECTIONAL VIEW



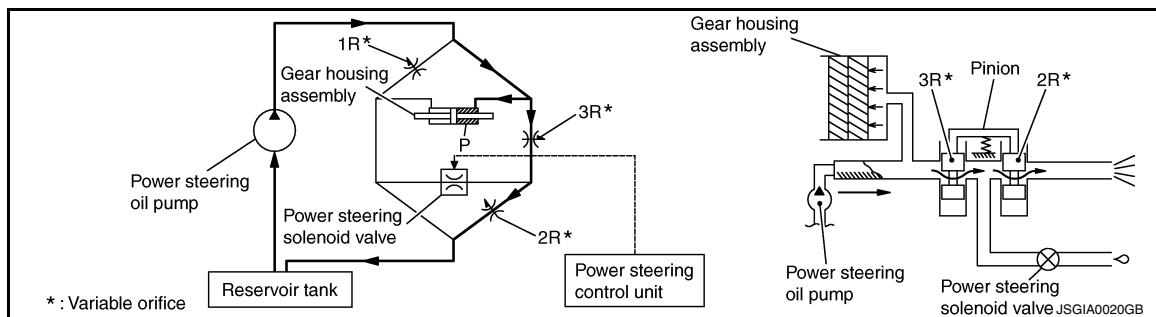
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| 1. Combination meter | 2. Power steering control unit | 3. Power steering solenoid valve |
| 4. Steering gear assembly | 5. Gear housing assembly | 6. Gear sub-assembly |
| 7. Pinion | 8. Power steering oil pump | 9. Reservoir tank |

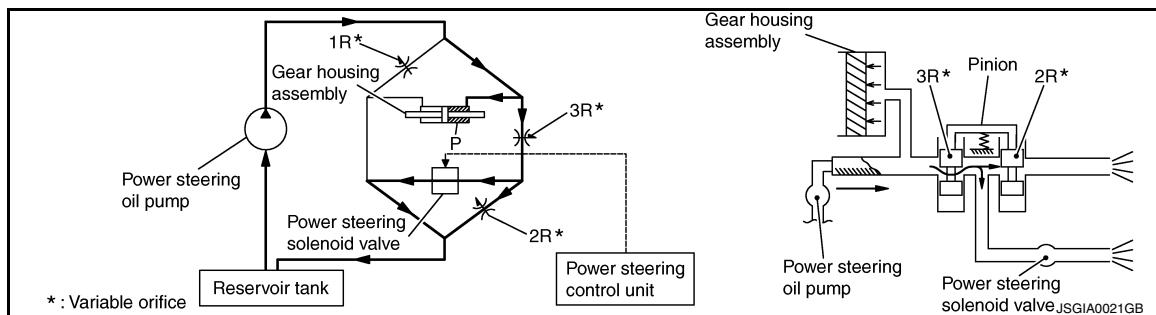
OPERATION PRINCIPLE

During Parking (When Turning The Steering Wheel To The Right.)



1. Power steering solenoid valve is closed while a vehicle is stopped.
2. Pinion "1R", "2R" and "3R" are closed depending on steering torque of steering wheel.
3. Oil pressure "P" in the gear housing assembly is the sum of oil pressures occurred in "2R" and "3R". This results in a light steering force because of high pressure.

During High-speed Operation

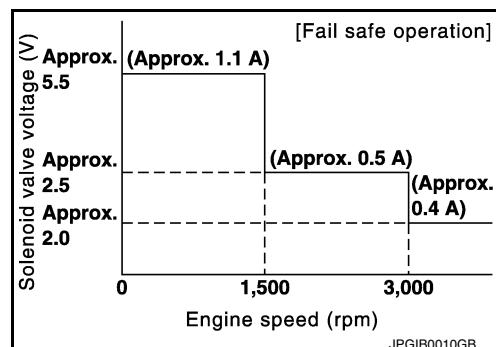


1. Power steering solenoid valve is opened during high-speed operation.
2. Pinion "1R", "2R" and "3R" are closed depending on steering torque of steering wheel.
3. Oil pressure "2R" does not occur because the power steering solenoid valve is on full throttle.
4. Oil pressure "P" in the gear housing assembly includes only oil pressure occurred in "3R" and results in a heavy steering force.

EPS SYSTEM : Fail-safe

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- EPS system enters the fail-safe mode (that allows the steering force to be controlled without impairing the drive ability) if any of the input/output values to/from EPS system (power steering control unit) deviate from the standard range.
- Power steering control unit controls the driving voltage to power steering solenoid valve for maintaining the power steering assist force when the fail-safe function is activated. (The engine speed signals control EPS system if any vehicle speed signal error is detected.)



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Error area and root cause	Cancel condition	
Engine speed is 1,500 rpm or more and there is no vehicle speed signal input for over 10 seconds during vehicle travel.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">When a vehicle speed signal of 2 km/h (1.2 MPH) or more is inputted.Key switch is turned OFF to ON.	A
Vehicle speed signal has abruptly dropped from 30 km/h (19 MPH) or more to 2 km/h (1.2 MPH) or less within 1.4 seconds.		B
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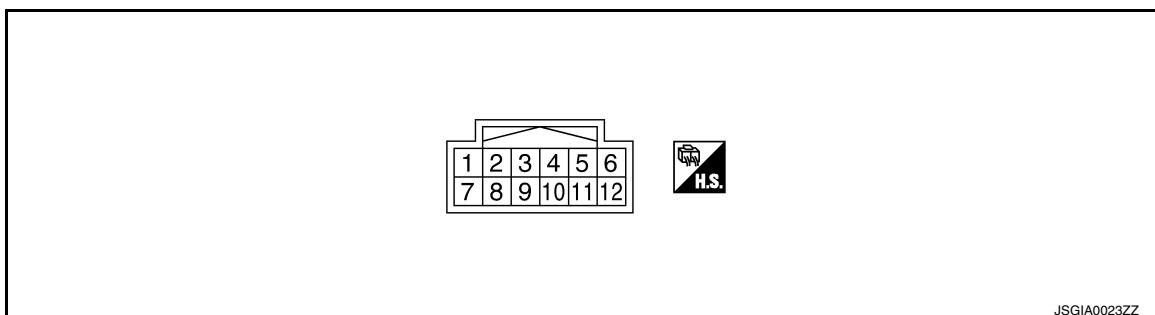
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TERMINAL LAYOUT

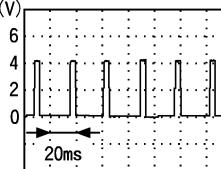
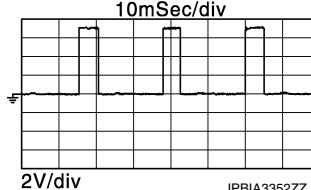
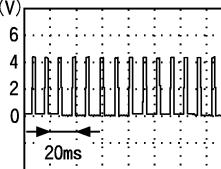
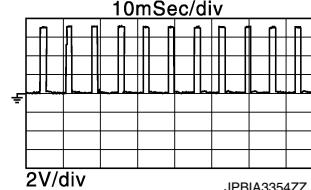


PHYSICAL VALUES

Terminal No.		Description		Condition	Value (Approx.)
+	-	Signal name	Input/ Output		
1 (LG)	Ground	Power steering solenoid valve voltage	Output	Vehicle speed: 0 km/h (0 MPH) (Engine is running)	4.4 – 6.6 V
				Vehicle speed: 100 km/h (62 MPH)	1.7 – 2.9 V
3 (G)	Ground	Ignition switch power supply	Input	Ignition switch: ON	Battery voltage
				Ignition switch: OFF	0 V
5 (B)	Ground	Power steering solenoid valve ground	—	Always	0 V
6 (B)	Ground	Ground	—	Always	0 V
8 (GR)	Ground	Vehicle speed signal	Input	Vehicle speed: 40 km/h (25 MPH) CAUTION: Check air pressure of tire under standard condition.	<p>SEIA0775E</p>

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Terminal No.		Description		Condition	Value (Approx.)
+	-	Signal name	Input/ Output		
10 (V)	Ground	Engine speed signal	Input	Engine speed: At idle (Warm-up condition)	VQ37VHR  PBAIA3654J
					VK56VD  JPBIA3352ZZ
				Engine speed: Approx. 2,000 rpm (Warm-up condition)	VQ37VHR  PBAIA3655J
					VK56VD  JPBIA3354ZZ

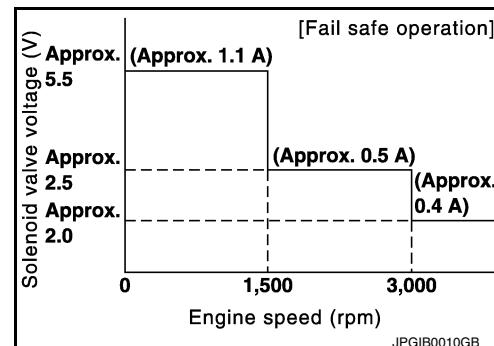
CAUTION:

When using circuit tester or oscilloscope to measure voltage for inspection, be sure not to forcibly extend any connector terminals.

Fail-safe

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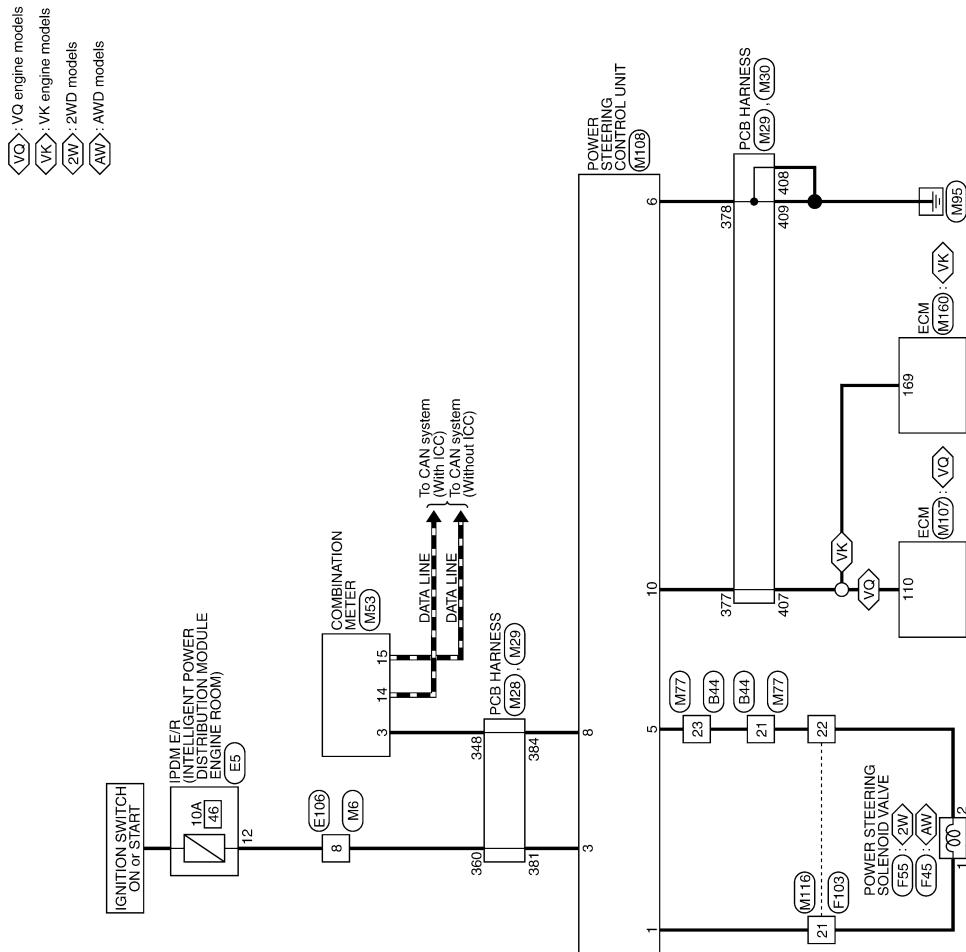
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Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]	Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
3	SHIELD	-	1	P	-
4	Y	-	2	W	-
5	G	-	3	SB	-
6	R	-	4	LG	-
7	W	-	5	O	-
8	B	-	6	W	-
9	LG	[Without BOSE system]	7	GR	-
9	R	- [With BOSE system]	8	G	-
10	G	- [Without BOSE system]	9	Y	-
10	SB	- [With BOSE system]	10	BR	-
13	O	-	11	SB	-
14	V	-	12	L	-
15	LG	-	13	GR	-
16	L	-	14	GR	-
17	BR	-	15	V	-
18	Y	-	16	Y	-
19	SB	-	17	GR	-
20	P	-	18	V	-
23	B	-	20	DR	-
24	W	-	21	P	-
25	G	-	22	L	-
26	R	-	23	P	-
27	SHIELD	-	27	SHIELD	-
28	B	-	28	L/O	-
29	SHIELD	-	29	W/L	-
30	P	[With BOSE system]	31	BR	-
30	SB	[Without BOSE system]	32	W	-
31	L	- [With BOSE system]	33	G	-
31	O	- [Without BOSE system]	34	Y	-
32	SHIELD	-	35	Y	-
33	W	- [With BOSE system]	36	G	-
33	Y	- [Without BOSE system]	37	V	-
34	BR	- [With BOSE system]	41	BR	-
34	LG	- [Without BOSE system]	44	W	-
36	GR	-	45	L	-
36	GR	-	46	GR	-

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Connector No.	I103	Wire to Wire
Connector Name	POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE	
Connector Type	ISO28BR-DGY	



Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
1	LG	-
2	B	-

Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
3	G	-
4	R	[With V65 engine] [With V033 engine]
5	B	[With V033 engine] [With V65 engine]
6	W	-
7	LG	-
8	Y	[With V033 engine]
9	SB	[With V65 engine]
10	BR	[With V65 engine]
11	V	[With V65 engine]
12	L	-
13	P	-
14	V	-
15	Y	-
16	SB	-
17	R	-
18	W	-
19	GR	-
20	LG	-
21	BR	-
22	B	-
23	G	-
24	BR	-
25	O	-

Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
1	LG	-
2	B	-

Connector No.	I49	G
Connector Name	WIRE TO WIRE	
Connector Type	T8B0BMW-CS16-Tm4	
Wire to Wire		
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Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
1	W	-
2	W	-
3	SB	-
4	LG	-
5	W	-
6	W	-
7	BS	-
8	G	-
9	Y	-
10	W	-
11	R	-
12	V	-
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14	L	-
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16	B	-
17	GR	-
18	V	-
19	SB	-
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21	BR	-
22	L	-
23	P	-
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25	V	-
26	SB	-
27	BR	-
28	V	-
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41	BR	-
42	Y	-
43	BR	-
44	BR	-
45	Y	-
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47	V	-

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Connector No.	W8
Connector Name	PCB HARNESS
Connector Type	TH40FW-NH



Connector No.	N29
Connector Name	PCB HARNESS
Connector Type	TH40FW-NH

Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]	Terminal No.	Color Of Wire	Signal Name [Specification]
402	R	-	6	B	METER CONTROL SWITCH GROUND
403	R	-	7	SB	SELECT SWITCH-SIGNAL
406	B	-	8	LG	ILLUMINATION CONTROL SWITCH SIGNAL (+)
407	V	-	10	GR	ILLUMINATION CONTROL SWITCH SIGNAL (-)
408	B	-	11	L	TRIP RESET SWITCH SIGNAL
409	B	-	12	B	GROUND
410	B	-	14	L	CAN-H
411	B	-	15	P	CAN-L
413	Y	-	16	R	AIR BAG SIGNAL
414	BR	-	17	G	LED HEADLAMP (RH) WARNING SIGNAL
416	LG	-	18	V	LED HEADLAMP (LH) WARNING SIGNAL
417	B	-	23	B	GROUND
419	SB	-	24	B	FUEL LEVEL SENSOR GROUND
420	SHIELD	-	25	W	ALTERNATOR SIGNAL
422	V	-	26	V	PARKING BRAKE SWITCH SIGNAL
427	P	-	27	G	Brake Fluid Level Switch-Signal
428	V	-	28	G	SECURITY SIGNAL
429	P	-	29	L	WASHER LEVEL SWITCH SIGNAL
430	LG	-	32	G	PADDLE SHIFTER SHIFT DOWN SIGNAL
431	S	-	33	BG	PADDLE SHIFTER SHIFT UP SIGNAL
432	Y	-	34	G	FUEL LEVEL SENSOR SIGNAL
435	V	-	35	W	SEAT BELT BUCKLE SWITCH SIGNAL (DRIVER SIDE)
436	BG	-	36	G	PASSENGER SEAT BELT WARNING SIGNAL
437	B	-	37	G	NON-MANUAL MODE SIGNAL
438	P	-	38	V	MANUAL MODE SHIFT DOWN SIGNAL
439	L	-	39	L	MANUAL MODE SHIFT UP SIGNAL
440	B	-	40	W	MANUAL MODE SIGNAL
361	W	-			
362	W	-			
363	Y	-			
366	B	-			
367	B	-			
368	G	-			
373	BG	-			
375	BG	-			
376	V	-			
377	V	-			
378	B	-			
380	R	-			
381	G	-			
382	V	-			
384	GR	-			
385	P	-			
395	L	-			
396	V	-			
397	P	-			
398	GR	-			
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351	P	-			
352	R	-			
353	P	-			
358	W	-			
359	W	-			
360	G	-			

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408	B	-	11	L	TRIP RESET SWITCH SIGNAL
409	B	-	12	B	GROUND
410	B	-	14	L	CAN-H
411	B	-	15	P	CAN-L
413	Y	-	16	R	AIR BAG SIGNAL
414	BR	-	17	G	LED HEADLAMP (RH) WARNING SIGNAL
416	LG	-	18	V	LED HEADLAMP (LH) WARNING SIGNAL
417	B	-	23	B	GROUND
419	SB	-	24	B	FUEL LEVEL SENSOR GROUND
420	SHIELD	-	25	W	ALTERNATOR SIGNAL
422	V	-	26	V	PARKING BRAKE SWITCH SIGNAL
427	P	-	27	G	Brake Fluid Level Switch-Signal
428	V	-	28	G	SECURITY SIGNAL
429	P	-	29	L	WASHER LEVEL SWITCH SIGNAL
430	LG	-	32	G	PADDLE SHIFTER SHIFT DOWN SIGNAL
431	S	-	33	BG	PADDLE SHIFTER SHIFT UP SIGNAL
432	Y	-	34	G	FUEL LEVEL SENSOR SIGNAL
435	V	-	35	W	SEAT BELT BUCKLE SWITCH SIGNAL (DRIVER SIDE)
436	BG	-	36	G	PASSENGER SEAT BELT WARNING SIGNAL
437	B	-	37	G	NON-MANUAL MODE SIGNAL
438	P	-	38	V	MANUAL MODE SHIFT DOWN SIGNAL
439	L	-	39	L	MANUAL MODE SHIFT UP SIGNAL
440	B	-	40	W	MANUAL MODE SIGNAL

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POWER STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM			
Connector No.	M107	Terminal No.	
Connector Name	ECM	Color Of Wire	
Connector Type	RH24FGY-R28-R-RH-Z	No.	Signal Name [Specification]
9	LG	97	R ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR 1
10	SB	98	Y ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR 2
13	B	99	G SENSORS POWER IN/ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR 1
14	P	100	W SENSORS GROUND/ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR 1
15	LG	101	SB ASCO STEERING SWITCH
16	L	102	P FUEL TANK PRESSURE SENSOR
17	G	103	L SENSORS POWER IN/ACCELERATOR PEDAL POSITION SENSOR 2
18	R	104	B SENSORS GROUND (Without TCC)
19	V	105	BR SENSORS GROUND (With TCC)
20	V	106	P REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR
21	B	107	BG FUEL TANK TEMPERATURE SENSOR
23	B	108	Y GND/D/ASD/AW
24	W	109	BR TRANSMISSION RANGE SWITCH
25	G	110	V ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL OUTPUT
26	R	111	V GND/D/PRES/STPES
27	SHIELD	112	V CAN COMMUNICATION LINE
28	B	113	P VCAN COMMUNICATION LINE
29	SHIELD	114	L DATA LINK CONNECTOR
30	V	115	V
31	BR	116	-
31	P	117	V
32	SHIELD	118	-
33	G	119	V
33	SB	120	-
34	GR	121	V
34	V	122	-
35	SHIELD	123	G
36	R	124	B ECM GROUND
37	BR	125	B POWER SUPPLY FOR ECM
37	G	126	BR ASCD BRAKE SWITCH
38	SHIELD	127	B ECM GROUND
39	L	128	B ECM GROUND
39	P	129	B STOP LAMP SWITCH
40	G	130	B ECM GROUND
40	L	131	B POWER SUPPLY FOR ECM
		132	BR ASCD BRAKE SWITCH
		133	B ECM GROUND
		134	B ECM GROUND
		135	B STOP LAMP SWITCH
		136	B ECM GROUND
		137	B POWER SUPPLY FOR ECM
		138	B ASCD BRAKE SWITCH
		139	B ECM GROUND
		140	B IGNITION SWITCH
		141	B FUEL PUMP CONTROL MODULE [FCM] CHECK
		142	B FUEL TANK PRESSURE SENSOR
		143	B REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR
		144	B FUEL TANK PRESSURE SENSOR

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POWER STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM

< WIRING DIAGRAM >

POWER STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM	
146	L CAN COMMUNICATION LINE
147	BR ASCI BRAKE SWITCH
150	V SENSOR GROUND
151	P CAN COMMUNICATION LINE
156	W POWER SUPPLY FOR ECM (BACK-UP)
158	P STOP LAMP SWITCH
161	Y ENG COMMUNICATION LINE
163	W ECM (READY/SELF SHUT-OFF)
166	BG ENG COMMUNICATION LINE
169	V ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL OUTPUT
171	SB POWER SUPPLY FOR CAN
172	SB POWER SUPPLY FOR ECM
173	R THROTTLE CONTROL MOTOR POWER UP/DOWN
174	B ECM GROUND
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DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORK FLOW

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BASIC INSPECTION

DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORK FLOW

Work Flow

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DETAILED FLOW

1. COLLECT THE INFORMATION FROM THE CUSTOMER

It is also important to clarify customer complaints before inspection. First of all, reproduce symptoms, and understand them fully. Ask customer about his/her complaints carefully. In some cases, it is necessary to check symptoms by driving vehicle with customer.

CAUTION:

Customers are not professional. It is dangerous to make an easy guess like “maybe the customer means that...,” or “maybe the customer mentions this symptom”.

>> GO TO 2.

2. CHECK THE STATUS

1. Power steering fluid leakage and check the power steering fluid level. Refer to [ST-30. "Inspection"](#).
2. Check the drive belt tension. Refer to [EM-22. "Checking"](#) (VQ37VHR), [EM-182. "Checking"](#) (VK56VD).
3. Check the power steering gear for damages, cracks and fluid leakage. Refer to [ST-48. "2WD : Inspection"](#) (2WD), [ST-58. "AWD : Inspection"](#) (AWD).
4. Check the relief oil pressure. Refer to [ST-64. "VQ37VHR : Inspection"](#) (VQ37VHR), [ST-70. "VK56VD : Inspection"](#) (VK56VD).

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3. DIAGNOSIS CHART BY SYMPTOM

Perform the diagnosis by symptom.

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4. FINAL CHECK

Check the input/output standard values for the power steering control unit.

Are the power steering control unit input/output values within standard ranges respectively?

YES >> INSPECTION END

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POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT

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DTC/CIRCUIT DIAGNOSIS

POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT

Description

INFOID:0000000012356038

Power supply to EPS system.

Diagnosis Procedure

INFOID:0000000012356039

1.CHECK POWER SUPPLY (1)

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Disconnect power steering control unit harness connector.
3. Check the voltage between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

Power steering control unit		—	Voltage (Approx.)
Connector	Terminal	—	Voltage (Approx.)
M108	3	Ground	0 V

4. Turn the ignition switch ON.

CAUTION:

Never start the engine.

5. Check the voltage between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

Power steering control unit		—	Voltage (Approx.)
Connector	Terminal	—	Voltage (Approx.)
M108	3	Ground	Battery voltage

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 2.

2.CHECK POWER SUPPLY (2)

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Check 10A fuse (#46).
3. Disconnect IPDM E/R harness connector.
4. Check the continuity between power steering control unit harness connector and IPDM E/R harness connector.

Power steering control unit		IPDM E/R		Continuity
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	
M108	3	E5	12	Existed

5. Check the continuity between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

Power steering control unit		—	Continuity
Connector	Terminal	—	Continuity
M108	3	Ground	Not existed

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Perform trouble diagnosis for ignition power supply circuit. Refer to [PG-61, "Wiring Diagram - IGNITION POWER SUPPLY -"](#).

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

3.CHECK GROUND CIRCUIT

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Check the continuity between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT

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Power steering control unit		—	Continuity
Connector	Terminal	—	Continuity
M108	6	Ground	Existed

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

4. CHECK TERMINALS AND HARNESS CONNECTORS

Check the power steering control unit pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> INSPECTION END

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

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POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

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POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

Component Function Check

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1. CHECK POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE OPERATION

Check changes in steering force from a halt condition to high-speed driving.

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> INSPECTION END

NO >> Check the power steering solenoid valve. Refer to [STC-20, "Diagnosis Procedure"](#).

Diagnosis Procedure

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1. CHECK POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE SIGNAL

Check the voltage between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

Power steering control unit		—	Condition	Voltage (Approx.)
Connector	Terminal			
M108	1	Ground	Vehicle speed: 0 km/h (0 MPH) (Engine is running)	4.4 – 6.6 V
			Vehicle speed: 100 km/h (62 MPH)	2.4 – 3.6 V

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> GO TO 2.

2. CHECK POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE CIRCUIT

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Disconnect power steering solenoid valve harness connector.
3. Disconnect power steering control unit harness connector.
4. Check the continuity between power steering solenoid valve harness connector and the power steering control unit harness connector.

Power steering solenoid valve		Power steering control unit		Continuity
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	
F55 (2WD) F45 (AWD)	1	M108	1	Existed
	2		5	

5. Check the continuity between power steering control unit harness connector and ground.

Power steering control unit		—	Continuity
Connector	Terminal		
M108	1	Ground	1
	5		Not existed

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> Repair or replace error-detected parts.

3. CHECK POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

Check the power steering solenoid valve. Refer to [STC-21, "Component Inspection"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Power steering solenoid valve is malfunctioning. Replace gear-sub assembly. Refer to [ST-42, "2WD : Disassembly and Assembly"](#) (2WD), [ST-52, "AWD : Disassembly and Assembly"](#) (AWD).

4. CHECK TERMINALS AND HARNESS CONNECTORS

POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

< DTC/CIRCUIT DIAGNOSIS >

- Check the power steering control unit pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.
- Check the power steering solenoid valve pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> INSPECTION END

NO >> Repair or replace error-detected parts.

Component Inspection

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1.CHECK POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Disconnect power steering solenoid valve harness connector.
3. Check the resistance between power steering solenoid valve connector terminals.

Power steering solenoid valve	Resistance (Approx.)	
Terminal	1	2
		4 – 6 Ω

4. Check the power steering solenoid valve connector by listening for its operation sound while applying battery voltage to power steering solenoid valve connector terminals.

Power steering solenoid valve	Operation sound	
Terminal	1 (Positive)	2 (Negative)
		Existed

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> INSPECTION END

NO >> Power steering solenoid valve is malfunctioning. Replace gear-sub assembly. Refer to [ST-42, "2WD : Disassembly and Assembly"](#) (2WD), [ST-52, "AWD : Disassembly and Assembly"](#) (AWD).

ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

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ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

Diagnosis Procedure

INFOID:0000000012356043

1. PERFORM ECM SELF-DIAGNOSIS

With CONSULT

Perform self-diagnosis for "ENGINE".

Is any error system detected?

YES >> Check the DTC.

- VQ37VHR FOR USA AND CANADA: Refer to [EC-116, "DTC Index"](#).
- VQ37VHR FOR MEXICO: Refer to [EC-640, "DTC Index"](#).
- VK56VD FOR USA AND CANADA: Refer to [EC-1079, "DTC Index"](#).
- VK56VD FOR MEXICO: Refer to [EC-1663, "DTC Index"](#).

NO >> GO TO 2.

2. CHECK ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Disconnect ECM harness connectors.
3. Disconnect power steering control unit harness connector.
4. Check the continuity between ECM harness connector and power steering control unit harness connector.

Power steering control unit		ECM		Continuity
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	
M108	10	M107 ^{*1} M160 ^{*2}	110 ^{*1} 169 ^{*2}	Existed

*1: VQ37VHR

*2: VK56VD

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

3. CHECK ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL (ECM)

1. Connect ECM harness connectors.
2. Check the signal between ECM harness connector and ground with oscilloscope.

ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

< DTC/CIRCUIT DIAGNOSIS >

ECM		—	Condition	Value (Approx.)
Connector	Terminal			
M107 ^{*1} M160 ^{*2}	110 ^{*1} 169 ^{*2}	Ground	Engine speed: At idle (Warm-up condition)	<p>VQ37VHR 10mSec/div 2V/div JMBIA0076GB</p> <p>VK56VD 10mSec/div 2V/div JPBIA3352ZZ</p>
			Engine speed: Approx. 2,000 rpm (Warm-up condition)	<p>VQ37VHR 10mSec/div 2V/div JMBIA0077GB</p> <p>VK56VD 10mSec/div 2V/div JPBIA3354ZZ</p>

*1: VQ37VHR

*2: VK56VD

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace ECM.

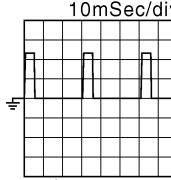
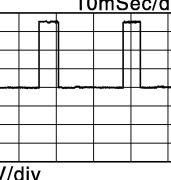
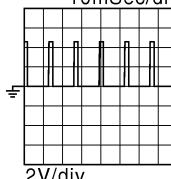
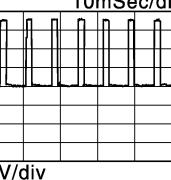
- VQ37VHR FOR USA AND CANADA: Refer to [EC-165, "Description"](#).
- VQ37VHR FOR MEXICO: Refer to [EC-686, "Description"](#).
- VK56VD FOR USA AND CANADA: Refer to [EC-1138, "Description"](#).
- VK56VD FOR MEXICO: Refer to [EC-1720, "Description"](#).

4. CHECK ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL (POWER STEERING CONTROL UNIT)

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Connect power steering control unit harness connector.
3. Check the signal between power steering control unit harness connector and ground with oscilloscope.

ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

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Power steering control unit		—	Condition	Value (Approx.)	
Connector	Terminal				
M108	10	Ground	Engine speed: At idle (Warm-up condition)	VQ37VHR 10mSec/div  2V/div	JMBIA0076GB
			Engine speed: Approx. 2,000 rpm (Warm-up condition)	VK56VD 10mSec/div  2V/div	JPBIA3352ZZ
	10	Ground	Engine speed: At idle (Warm-up condition)	VQ37VHR 10mSec/div  2V/div	JMBIA0077GB
			Engine speed: Approx. 2,000 rpm (Warm-up condition)	VK56VD 10mSec/div  2V/div	JPBIA3354ZZ

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Replace power steering control unit. Refer to [STC-28, "Removal and Installation"](#).

5.CHECK TERMINALS AND HARNESS CONNECTORS

- Check the power steering control unit pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.
- Check ECM pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> INSPECTION END

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

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VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

Diagnosis Procedure

INFOID:0000000012356044

1. PERFORM COMBINATION METER SELF-DIAGNOSIS

With CONSULT

Perform self-diagnosis for "METER/M&A".

Is any error system detected?

- YES >> Check the DTC. Refer to [MWI-46, "DTC Index"](#).
NO >> GO TO 2.

2. CHECK VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

1. Turn the ignition switch OFF.
2. Disconnect power steering control unit harness connector.
3. Disconnect combination meter harness connector.
4. Check the continuity between combination meter harness connector and power steering control unit harness connector.

Power steering control unit		Combination meter		Continuity
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	
M108	8	M53	3	Existed

Is the inspection result normal?

- YES >> GO TO 3.
NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

3. CHECK VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL (COMBINATION METER)

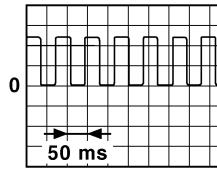
1. Connect combination meter harness connector.
2. Check the combination meter input/output standard values. Refer to [MWI-37, "Reference Value"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

- YES >> GO TO 4.
NO >> Replace combination meter. Refer to [MWI-95, "Removal and Installation"](#).

4. CHECK VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL (POWER STEERING CONTROL UNIT)

1. Connect power steering control unit harness connector.
2. Check the signal between power steering control unit harness connector and ground with oscilloscope.

Power steering control unit		—	Condition	Value (Approx.)
Connector	Terminal			
M108	8	Ground	Vehicle speed: 40 km/h (25 MPH) CAUTION: Check the air pressure of tire under standard condition.	 JSNIA0015GB

Is the inspection result normal?

- YES >> GO TO 5.
NO >> Replace power steering control unit. Refer to [STC-28, "Removal and Installation"](#).

5. CHECK TERMINALS AND HARNESS CONNECTORS

- Check the power steering control unit pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.
- Check the combination meter pin terminals for damage or loose connection with harness connector.

Is the inspection result normal?

- YES >> INSPECTION END

VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL CIRCUIT

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NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

UNBALANCE STEERING WHEEL TURNING FORCE (TORQUE VARIATION)

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SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS

UNBALANCE STEERING WHEEL TURNING FORCE (TORQUE VARIATION)

Description

INFOID:0000000012356045

- Hard steering when fully turning the steering wheel.
- Light steering when driving at a high speed.

Diagnosis Procedure

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1.CHECK SYSTEM FOR POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND

Perform trouble diagnosis for power supply and ground. Refer to [STC-18, "Diagnosis Procedure"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2.

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

2.CHECK SYSTEM FOR VEHICLE SPEED SIGNAL

Perform trouble diagnosis for vehicle speed signal. Refer to [STC-25, "Diagnosis Procedure"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

3.CHECK SYSTEM FOR ENGINE SPEED SIGNAL

Perform trouble diagnosis for engine speed signal. Refer to [STC-22, "Diagnosis Procedure"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

4.CHECK SYSTEM FOR POWER STEERING SOLENOID VALVE

Perform trouble diagnosis for power steering solenoid valve. Refer to [STC-20, "Diagnosis Procedure"](#).

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Perform the symptom diagnosis for the steering system. Refer to [ST-28, "NVH Troubleshooting Chart"](#).

NO >> Repair or replace damaged parts.

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POWER STEERING CONTROL UNIT

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POWER STEERING CONTROL UNIT

Removal and Installation

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REMOVAL

1. Remove instrument lower panel RH. Refer to [IP-12, "Exploded View"](#).
2. Disconnect power steering control unit connector.
3. Remove power steering control unit.

INSTALLATION

Install in the reverse order of removal.