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**Precautions**

Observe the following precautions to ensure safe and proper servicing. These precautions are not described in each individual section.

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**PRECAUTIONS 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 seat belt, helps to reduce the risk or severity of injury to the driver and front passenger for certain types of collision. The SRS system composition which is available to INFINITI QX4 is as follows:

- For a frontal collision  
The Supplemental Restraint System consists of driver air bag module (located in the center of the steering wheel), front passenger air bag module (located on the instrument panel on passenger side), seat belt pre-tensioners, a diagnosis sensor unit, warning lamp, wiring harness and spiral cable.
- For a side collision  
The Supplemental Restraint System consists of side air bag module (located in the outer side of front seat), satellite sensor, diagnosis sensor unit (one of components of air bags for a frontal collision), wiring harness, warning lamp (one of components of air bags for a frontal collision).

Information necessary to service the system safely is included in the **RS section** of this Service Manual.

**WARNING:**

- To avoid rendering the SRS inoperative, which could increase the risk of personal injury or death in the event of a collision which would result in air bag inflation, all maintenance must be performed by an authorized 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 the RS section.
- Do not use electrical test equipment on any circuit related to the SRS unless instructed to in this Service Manual. Spiral cable and wiring harnesses covered with yellow insulation tape either just before the harness connectors or for the complete harness are related to the SRS.

**PRECAUTIONS FOR IVIS (INFINITI VEHICLE IMMOBILIZER SYSTEM — NATS)**

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**NATS (Nissan Anti-Theft System)**

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NATS will immobilize the engine if someone tries to start it without the registered key of NATS.

Both of the originally supplied ignition key IDs have been NATS registered.

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Precautions (Cont'd)

The security indicator is located on the instrument panel. The indicator blinks when the ignition switch is in OFF or ACC position. Therefore, NATS warns outsiders that the vehicle is equipped with the anti-theft system.

- When NATS detects trouble, the security indicator lamp lights up while ignition switch is in ON position. This lighting up indicates that the anti-theft is not functioning, so prompt service is required.
- When servicing NATS (trouble diagnoses, system initialization and additional registration of other NATS ignition key IDs), CONSULT hardware and CONSULT NATS software is necessary. Regarding the procedures of NATS initialization and NATS ignition key ID registration, refer to CONSULT operation manual, NATS.

**Therefore, CONSULT NATS software (program card and operation manual) must be kept strictly confidential to maintain the integrity of the anti-theft function.**

- When servicing NATS (trouble diagnoses, system initialization and additional registration of other NATS ignition key IDs), it may be necessary to re-register original key identification. Therefore, be sure to receive all keys from vehicle owner. A maximum of five key IDs can be registered into NATS.
- When failing to start the engine first time using the key of NATS (for example, when interference is caused by another NATS key, an automated full road device or automated payment device on the key ring), restart as follows.
  - a) Leave the ignition switch in ON position for approximately 5 seconds.
  - b) Turn ignition switch to OFF or LOCK position and wait approximately 5 seconds.
  - c) Repeat step 1 and 2.
  - d) Restart the engine while holding the device (which may have caused the interference) separate from the registered NATS key. If the no start condition re-occurs, NISSAN recommends placing the registered NATS key on a separate key ring to avoid interference from other devices.

### PRECAUTIONS FOR INFINITI COMMUNICATOR (IVCS)

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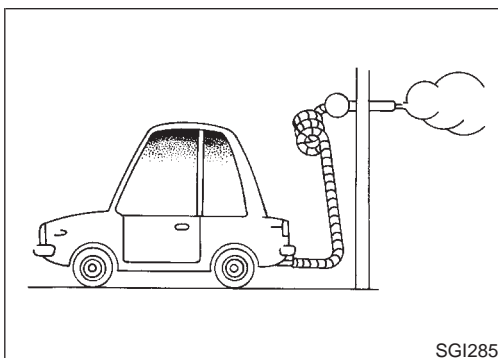
The purpose of INFINITI Communicator is to increase security for the vehicle owner by providing a convenient way to contact the most appropriate emergency assistance provider during an emergency.

Improper operation of the system may result in a police response. The theft warning system also activates INFINITI Communicator. For details, refer to INFINITI Communicator (IVCS) in the EL section

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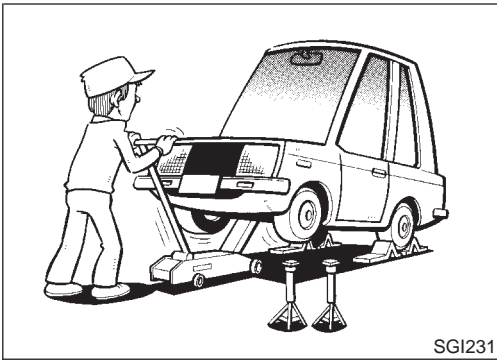
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- Do not operate the engine for an extended period of time without proper exhaust ventilation. Keep the work area well ventilated and free of any inflammable materials. Special care should be taken when handling any inflammable or poisonous materials, such as gasoline, refrigerant gas, etc. When working in a pit or other enclosed area, be sure to properly ventilate the area before working with hazardous materials. Do not smoke while working on the vehicle.



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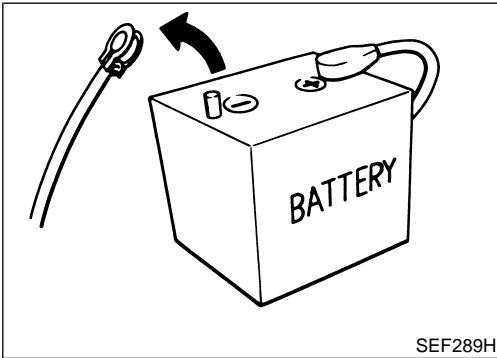
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- Before jacking up the vehicle, apply wheel chocks or other tire blocks to the wheels to prevent the vehicle from moving. After jacking up the vehicle, support the vehicle weight with safety stands at the points designated for proper lifting before working on the vehicle.

These operations should be done on a level surface.

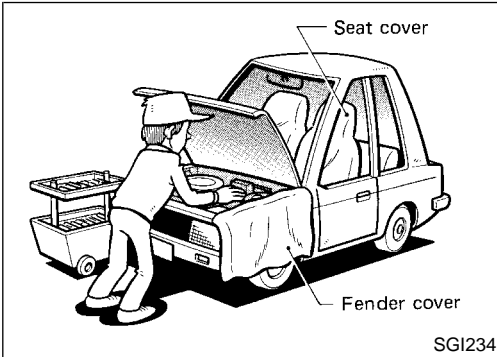
- When removing a heavy component such as the engine or transaxle/transmission, be careful not to lose your balance and drop it. Also, do not allow it to strike adjacent parts, especially the brake tubes and master cylinder.



- Before starting repairs which do not require battery power: Turn off ignition switch. Disconnect the negative battery terminal.



- To prevent serious burns: Avoid contact with hot metal parts. Do not remove the radiator cap when the engine is hot.



- Before servicing the vehicle: Protect fenders, upholstery and carpeting with appropriate covers. Take caution that keys, buckles or buttons do not scratch paint.

- Clean all disassembled parts in the designated liquid or solvent prior to inspection or assembly.
- Replace oil seals, gaskets, packings, O-rings, locking washers, cotter pins, self-locking nuts, etc. with new ones.
- Replace inner and outer races of tapered roller bearings and needle bearings as a set.
- Arrange the disassembled parts in accordance with their assembled locations and sequence.
- Do not touch the terminals of electrical components which use microcomputers (such as ECMs). Static electricity may damage internal electronic components.

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- After disconnecting vacuum or air hoses, attach a tag to indicate the proper connection.
- Use only the fluids and lubricants specified in this manual.
- Use approved bonding agent, sealants or their equivalents when required.
- Use tools and recommended special tools where specified for safe and efficient service repairs.
- When repairing the fuel, oil, water, vacuum or exhaust systems, check all affected lines for leaks.
- Dispose of drained oil or the solvent used for cleaning parts in an appropriate manner.

### **WARNING:**

**To prevent ECM from storing the diagnostic trouble codes, do not carelessly disconnect the harness connectors which are related to the engine control system and TCM (Transmission Control Module) system. The connectors should be disconnected only when working according to the WORK FLOW of TROUBLE DIAGNOSES in EC and AT sections.**



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### **PRECAUTIONS FOR MULTIPOINT FUEL INJECTION SYSTEM OR ENGINE CONTROL SYSTEM**

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- Before connecting or disconnecting any harness connector for the multipoint fuel injection system or ECM (Engine Control Module):  
Turn ignition switch to OFF position.  
Disconnect negative battery terminal.  
Otherwise, there may be damage to ECM.
- Before disconnecting pressurized fuel line from fuel pump to injectors, be sure to release fuel pressure.
- Be careful not to jar components such as ECM and mass air flow sensor.

### **PRECAUTIONS FOR THREE WAY CATALYST**

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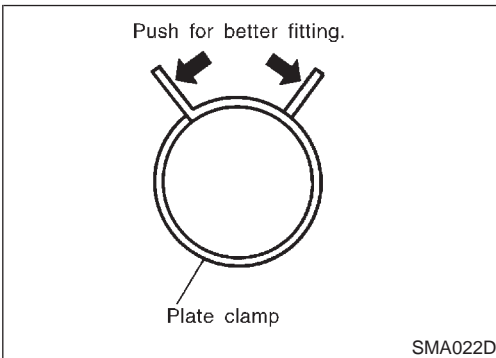
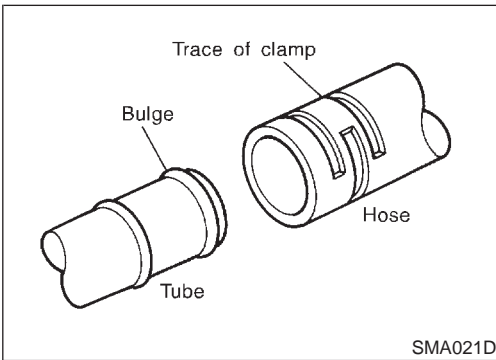
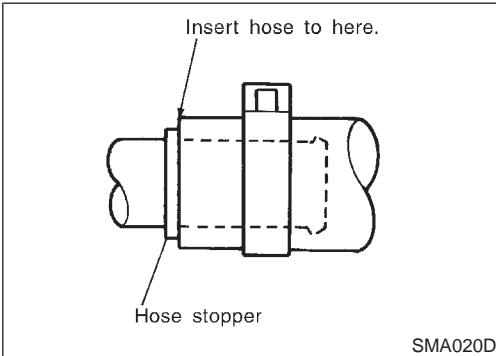
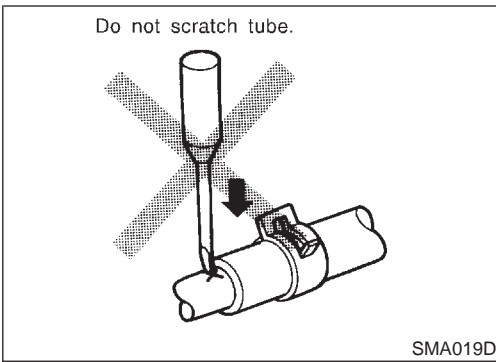
If a large amount of unburned fuel flows into the catalyst, the catalyst temperature will be excessively high. To prevent this, follow the instructions below:

- Use unleaded gasoline only. Leaded gasoline will seriously damage the three way catalyst.
- When checking for ignition spark or measuring engine compression, make tests quickly and only when necessary.
- Do not run engine when the fuel tank level is low, otherwise the engine may misfire causing damage to the catalyst.

Do not place the vehicle on flammable material. Keep flammable material off the exhaust pipe and the three way catalyst.

# PRECAUTIONS

Precautions (Cont'd)



## PRECAUTIONS FOR HOSES

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### Hose Removal and Installation

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- To prevent damage to rubber hose, do not pry off rubber hose with tapered tool or screwdriver.

- To reinstall the rubber hose securely, make sure of hose insertion length and clamp orientation. (If tube is equipped with hose stopper, insert rubber hose into tube until it butts up against hose stopper.)

### Hose Clamping

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- If old rubber hose is re-used, install hose clamp in its original position (at the indentation where the old clamp was). If there is a trace of tube bulging left on the old rubber hose, align rubber hose at that position.
- Discard old clamps; replace with new ones.

- After installing leaf spring clamps, apply force to them in the direction of the arrow, tightening rubber hose equally all around.

## PRECAUTIONS FOR ENGINE OILS

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Prolonged and repeated contact with used engine oil may cause skin cancer. Try to avoid direct skin contact with used oil. If skin contact is made, wash thoroughly with soap or hand cleaner as soon as possible.

### Health Protection Precautions

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- Avoid prolonged and repeated contact with oils, particularly used engine oils.
- Wear protective clothing, including impervious gloves where practicable.

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- Do not put oily rags in pockets.
- Avoid contaminating clothes, particularly underpants, with oil.
- Heavily soiled clothing and oil-impregnated footwear should not be worn. Overalls must be cleaned regularly.
- First Aid treatment should be obtained immediately for open cuts and wounds.
- Use barrier creams, applying them before each work period, to help the removal of oil from the skin.
- Wash with soap and water to ensure all oil is removed (skin cleansers and nail brushes will help). Preparations containing lanolin replace the natural skin oils which have been removed.
- Do not use gasoline, kerosine, diesel fuel, gas oil, thinners or solvents for cleaning skin.
- If skin disorders develop, obtain medical advice without delay.
- Where practicable, degrease components prior to handling.
- Where there is a risk of eye contact, eye protection should be worn, for example, chemical goggles or face shields; in addition an eye wash facility should be provided.

### Environmental Protection Precautions

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Burning used engine oil in small space heaters or boilers can be recommended only for units of approved design. The heating system must meet the requirements of HM Inspectorate of Pollution for small burners of less than 0.4 MW. If in doubt check with the appropriate local authority and/or manufacturer of the approved appliance.

Dispose of used oil and used oil filters through authorized waste disposal contractors to licensed waste disposal sites, or to the waste oil reclamation trade. If in doubt, contact the local authority for advice on disposal facilities.

It is illegal to pour used oil on to the ground, down sewers or drains, or into water courses.

**The regulations concerning pollution vary between regions.**

### PRECAUTIONS FOR FUEL

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Use unleaded gasoline with an octane rating of at least 87 AKI (Anti-Knock Index) number (research octane number 91).

#### **CAUTION:**

**Do not use leaded gasoline. Using leaded gasoline will damage the three way catalyst.**

**Using a fuel other than that specified could adversely affect the emission control devices and systems, and could also affect the warranty coverage validity.**

### PRECAUTIONS FOR AIR CONDITIONING

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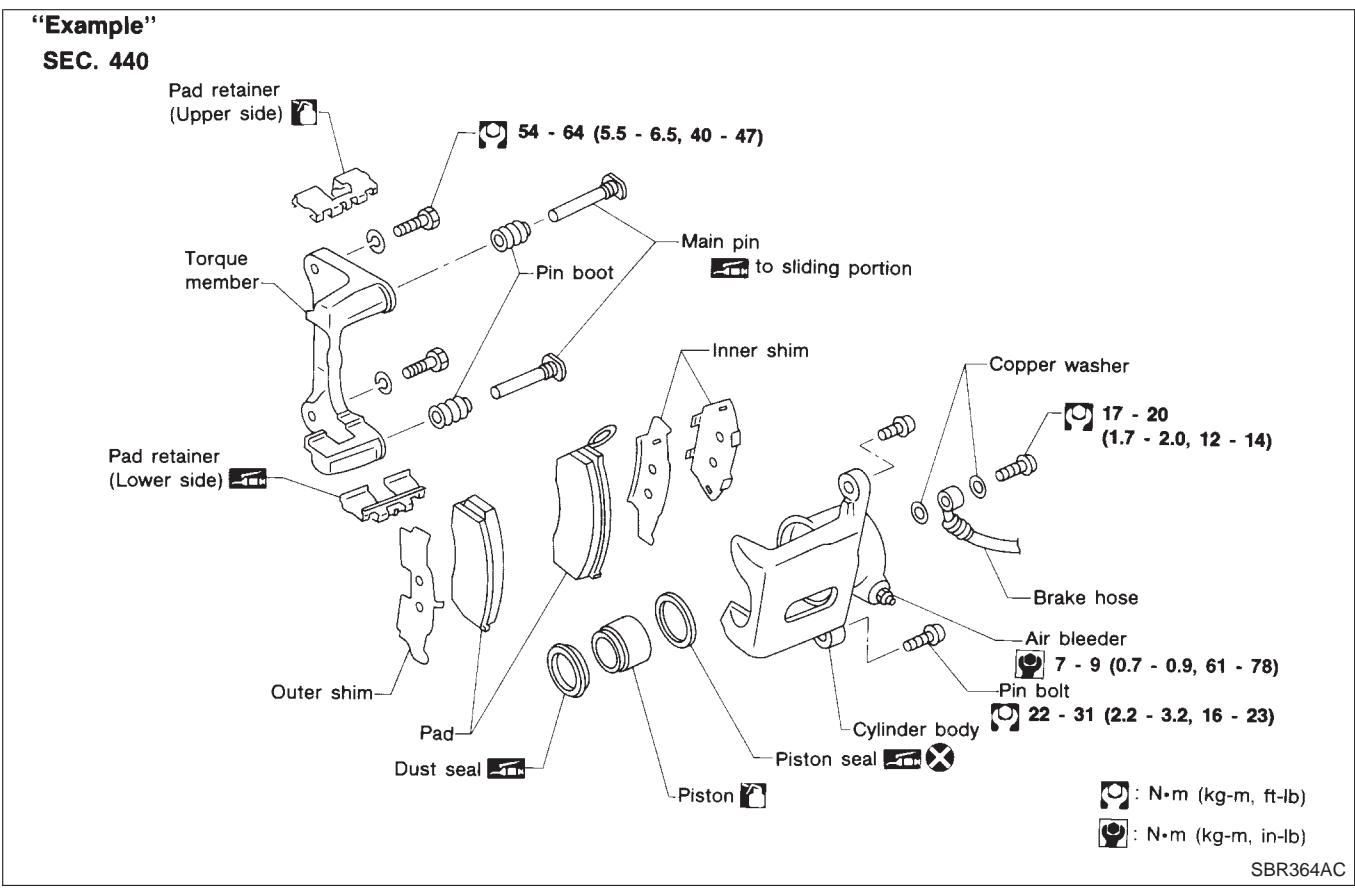
Use an approved refrigerant recovery unit any time the air conditioning system must be discharged. Refer to HA section ("HFC-134a (R-134a) Service Procedure", "SERVICE PROCEDURES") for specific instructions.



# HOW TO USE THIS MANUAL

- The captions **WARNING** and **CAUTION** warn you of steps that must be followed to prevent personal injury and/or damage to some part of the vehicle.  
**WARNING** indicates the possibility of personal injury if instructions are not followed.  
**CAUTION** indicates the possibility of component damage if instructions are not followed.  
**BOLD TYPED STATEMENTS** except **WARNING** and **CAUTION** give you helpful information.
- **ALPHABETICAL INDEX** is provided at the end of this manual so that you can rapidly find the item and page you are searching for.
- **A QUICK REFERENCE INDEX**, a black tab (e.g. **BR**) is provided on the first page. You can quickly find the first page of each section by mating it to the section's black tab.
- **THE CONTENTS** are listed on the first page of each section.
- **THE TITLE** is indicated on the upper portion of each page and shows the part or system.
- **THE PAGE NUMBER** of each section consists of two letters which designate the particular section and a number (e.g. "BR-5").
- **THE LARGE ILLUSTRATIONS** are exploded views (See below.) and contain tightening torques, lubrication points, section number of the **PARTS CATALOG** (e.g. SEC. 440) and other information necessary to perform repairs.  
 The illustrations should be used in reference to service matters only. When ordering parts, refer to the appropriate **PARTS CATALOG**.

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- **THE SMALL ILLUSTRATIONS** show the important steps such as inspection, use of special tools, knacks of work and hidden or tricky steps which are not shown in the previous large illustrations. Assembly, inspection and adjustment procedures for the complicated units such as the automatic transaxle or transmission, etc. are presented in a step-by-step format where necessary.
- The **UNITS** given in this manual are primarily expressed as the SI UNIT (International System of Unit), and alternatively expressed in the metric system and in the yard/pound system.

**"Example"**

**Tightening torque:**  
**59 - 78 N•m (6.0 - 8.0 kg-m, 43 - 58 ft-lb)**

- **TROUBLE DIAGNOSES** are included in sections dealing with complicated components.

## HOW TO USE THIS MANUAL

- **SERVICE DATA AND SPECIFICATIONS** are contained at the end of each section for quick reference of data.
- The following **SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS** are used:

SYMBOL	ABBREVIATION	SYMBOL	ABBREVIATION
	Tightening torque	2WD	2-Wheel Drive
	Should be lubricated with grease. Unless otherwise indicated, use recommended multi-purpose grease.	A/C	Air Conditioner
	Should be lubricated with oil.	P/S	Power Steering
	Sealing point	SST	Special Service Tools
	Checking point	SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers, Inc.
	Always replace after every disassembly.	ATF	Automatic Transmission Fluid
	Apply petroleum jelly.	D <sub>1</sub>	Drive range 1st gear
	Apply ATF.	D <sub>2</sub>	Drive range 2nd gear
★	Select with proper thickness.	D <sub>3</sub>	Drive range 3rd gear
☆	Adjustment is required.	D <sub>4</sub>	Drive range 4th gear
SDS	Service Data and Specifications	OD	Overdrive
LH, RH	Left-Hand, Right-Hand	2 <sub>2</sub>	2nd range 2nd gear
FR, RR	Front, Rear	2 <sub>1</sub>	2nd range 1st gear
M/T	Manual Transaxle/Transmission	1 <sub>2</sub>	1st range 2nd gear
A/T	Automatic Transaxle/Transmission	1 <sub>1</sub>	1st range 1st gear
	4-Wheel Drive		

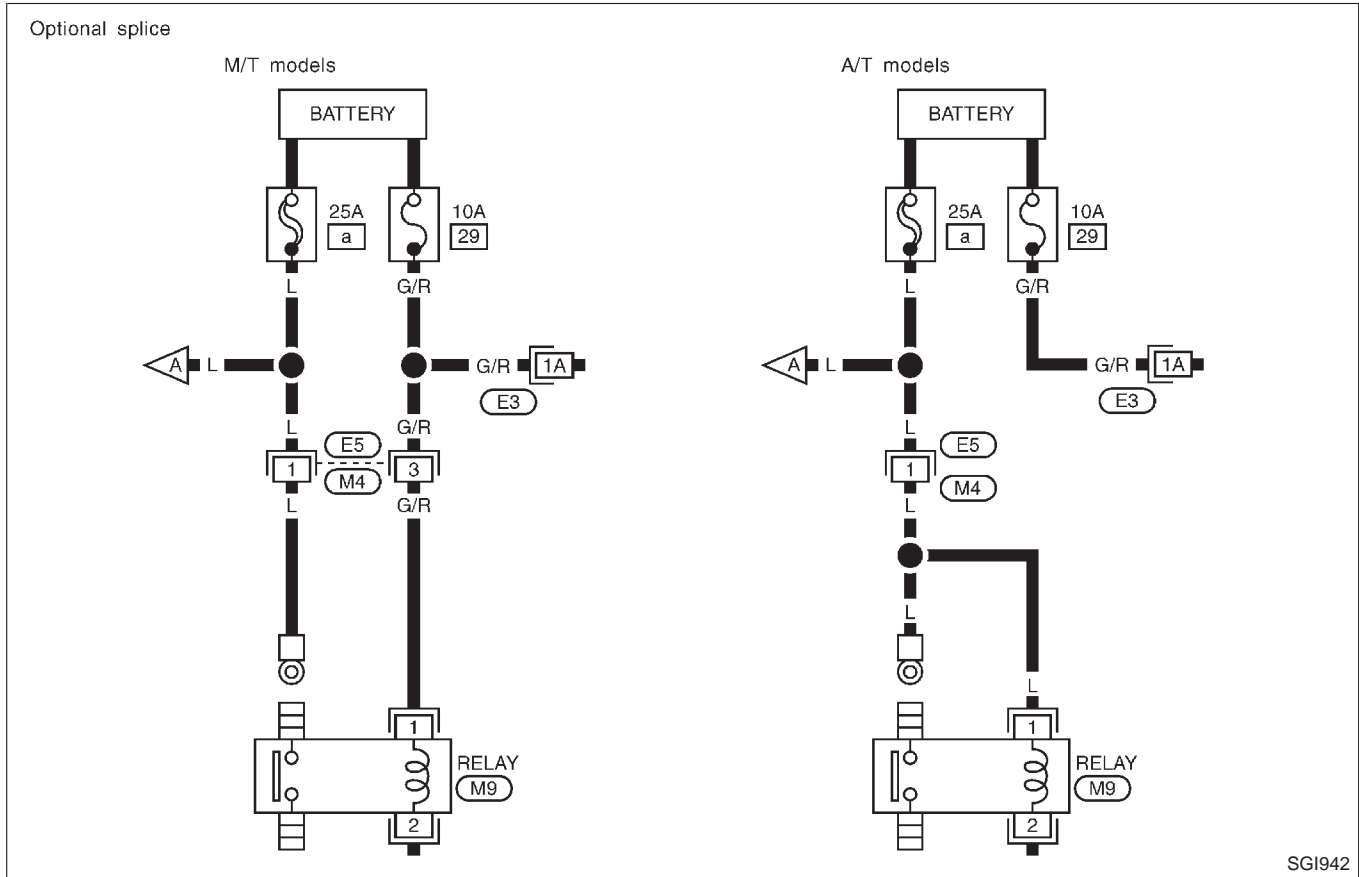


# HOW TO READ WIRING DIAGRAMS

Sample/Wiring Diagram — EXAMPL — (Cont'd)

## OPTIONAL SPLICE

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# HOW TO READ WIRING DIAGRAMS



Description

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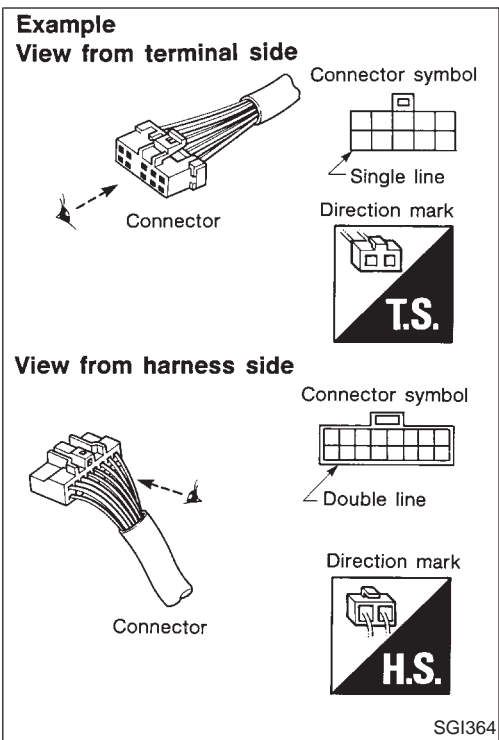
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Number	Item	Description																	
1	Power condition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the condition when the system receives battery positive voltage (can be operated).</li> </ul>	GI																
2	Fusible link	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The double line shows that this is a fusible link.</li> <li>The open circle shows current flow in, and the shaded circle shows current flow out.</li> </ul>	MA																
3	Fusible link/fuse location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the location of the fusible link or fuse in the fusible link or fuse box. For arrangement, refer to EL section ("POWER SUPPLY ROUTING").</li> </ul>	EM																
4	Fuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The single line shows that this is a fuse.</li> <li>The open circle shows current flow in, and the shaded circle shows current flow out.</li> </ul>	LG																
5	Current rating	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the current rating of the fusible link or fuse.</li> </ul>	EC																
6	Connectors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that connector E3 is female and connector M1 is male.</li> <li>The G/R wire is located in the 1A terminal of both connectors.</li> <li>Terminal number with an alphabet (1A, 5B, etc.) indicates that the connector is SMJ connector. Refer to GI-19.</li> </ul>	FE																
7	Optional splice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The open circle shows that the splice is optional depending on vehicle application.</li> </ul>	AT																
8	Splice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The shaded circle shows that the splice is always on the vehicle.</li> </ul>	TF																
9	Page crossing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This arrow shows that the circuit continues to an adjacent page.</li> <li>The A will match with the A on the preceding or next page.</li> </ul>	TF																
10	Common connector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The dotted lines between terminals show that these terminals are part of the same connector.</li> </ul>	PD																
11	Option abbreviation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that the circuit is optional depending on vehicle application.</li> </ul>	AX																
12	Relay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows an internal representation of the relay. For details, refer to EL section ("STANDARDIZED RELAY").</li> </ul>	AX																
13	Connectors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that the connector is connected to the body or a terminal with bolt or nut.</li> </ul>	SU																
14	Wire color	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows a code for the color of the wire.</li> </ul> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>B = Black</td> <td>BR = Brown</td> </tr> <tr> <td>W = White</td> <td>OR = Orange</td> </tr> <tr> <td>R = Red</td> <td>P = Pink</td> </tr> <tr> <td>G = Green</td> <td>PU = Purple</td> </tr> <tr> <td>L = Blue</td> <td>GY = Gray</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Y = Yellow</td> <td>SB = Sky Blue</td> </tr> <tr> <td>LG = Light Green</td> <td>CH = Dark Brown</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>DG = Dark Green</td> </tr> </table> <p>When the wire color is striped, the base color is given first, followed by the stripe color as shown below: Example: L/W = Blue with White Stripe</p>	B = Black	BR = Brown	W = White	OR = Orange	R = Red	P = Pink	G = Green	PU = Purple	L = Blue	GY = Gray	Y = Yellow	SB = Sky Blue	LG = Light Green	CH = Dark Brown		DG = Dark Green	BR ST RS BT
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15	Option description	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows a description of the option abbreviation used on the page.</li> </ul>	HA																
16	Switch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that continuity exists between terminals 1 and 2 when the switch is in the A position. Continuity exists between terminals 1 and 3 when the switch is in the B position.</li> </ul>	SC																
17	Assembly parts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Connector terminal in component shows that it is a harness incorporated assembly.</li> </ul>	EL																
18	Cell code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This identifies each page of the wiring diagram by section, system and wiring diagram page number.</li> </ul>	EL																
19	Current flow arrow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arrow indicates electric current flow, especially where the direction of standard flow (vertically downward or horizontally from left to right) is difficult to follow.</li> <li>A double arrow "↔" shows that current can flow in either direction depending on circuit operation.</li> </ul>	IDX																

# HOW TO READ WIRING DIAGRAMS

Description (Cont'd)

Number	Item	Description
20	System branch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that the system branches to another system identified by cell code (section and system).</li> </ul>
21	Page crossing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This arrow shows that the circuit continues to another page identified by cell code.</li> <li>The C will match with the C on another page within the system other than the next or preceding pages.</li> </ul>
22	Shielded line	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The line enclosed by broken line circle shows shield wire.</li> </ul>
23	Component box in wave line	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that another part of the component is also shown on another page (indicated by wave line) within the system.</li> </ul>
24	Component name	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the name of a component.</li> </ul>
25	Connector number	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the connector number.</li> <li>The letter shows which harness the connector is located in.</li> <li>Example: <b>M</b>: main harness. For detail and to locate the connector, refer to EL section ("Main Harness", "HARNESS LAYOUT"). A coordinate grid is included for complex harnesses to aid in locating connectors.</li> </ul>
26	Ground (GND)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The line spliced and grounded under wire color shows that ground line is spliced at the grounded connector.</li> </ul>
27	Ground (GND)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the ground connection.</li> </ul>
28	Connector views	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This area shows the connector faces of the components in the wiring diagram on the page.</li> </ul>
29	Common component	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Connectors enclosed in broken line show that these connectors belong to the same component.</li> </ul>
30	Connector color	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows a code for the color of the connector. For code meaning, refer to wire color codes, Number 14 of this chart.</li> </ul>
31	Fusible link and fuse box	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows the arrangement of fusible link(s) and fuse(s), used for connector views of "POWER SUPPLY ROUTING" in EL section.</li> <li>The open square shows current flow in, and the shaded square shows current flow out.</li> </ul>
32	Reference area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This shows that more information on the Super Multiple Junction (SMJ) and Joint Connectors (J/C) exists on the foldout page. Refer to GI-19 for details.</li> </ul>

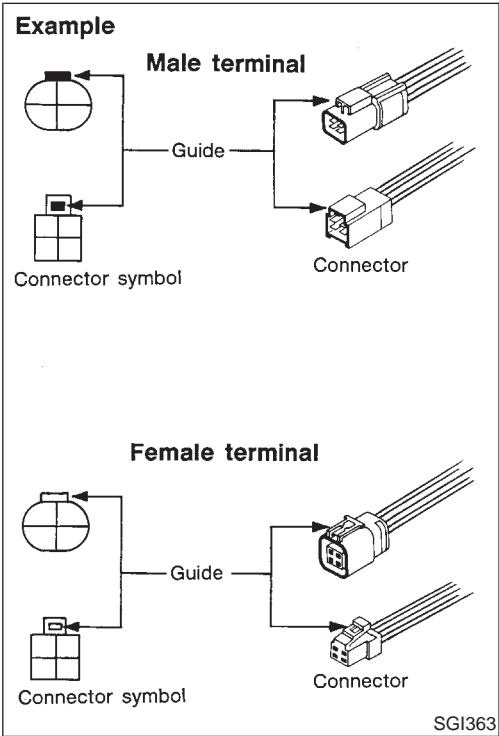
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## CONNECTOR SYMBOLS

Most of connector symbols in wiring diagrams are shown from the terminal side.

- Connector symbols shown from the terminal side are enclosed by a single line and followed by the direction mark.
- Connector symbols shown from the harness side are enclosed by a double line and followed by the direction mark.



- Male and female terminals  
Connector guides for male terminals are shown in black and female terminals in white in wiring diagrams.

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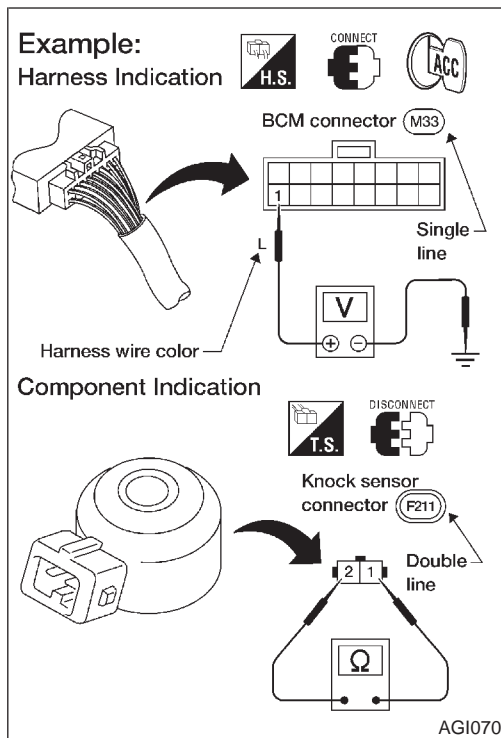
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# HOW TO READ WIRING DIAGRAMS

Description (Cont'd)



## HARNES INDICATION

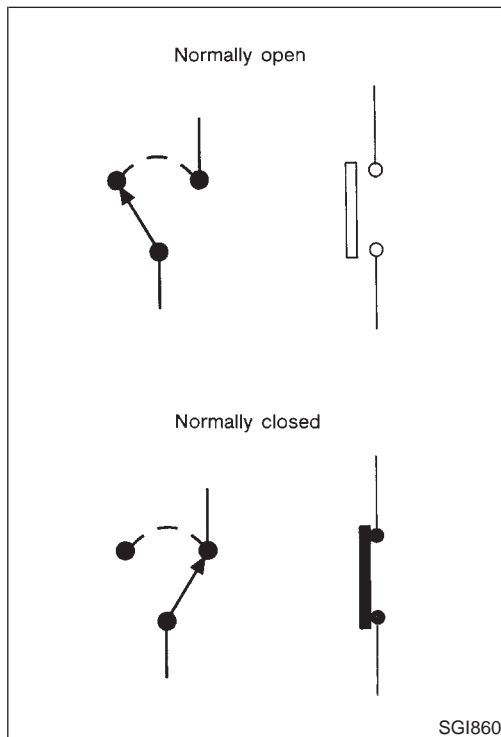
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- Letter designations next to test meter probe indicate harness (connector) wire color.
- Connector numbers in a single circle M33 indicate harness connectors.

## COMPONENT INDICATION

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- Connector numbers in a double circle F211 indicate component connectors.



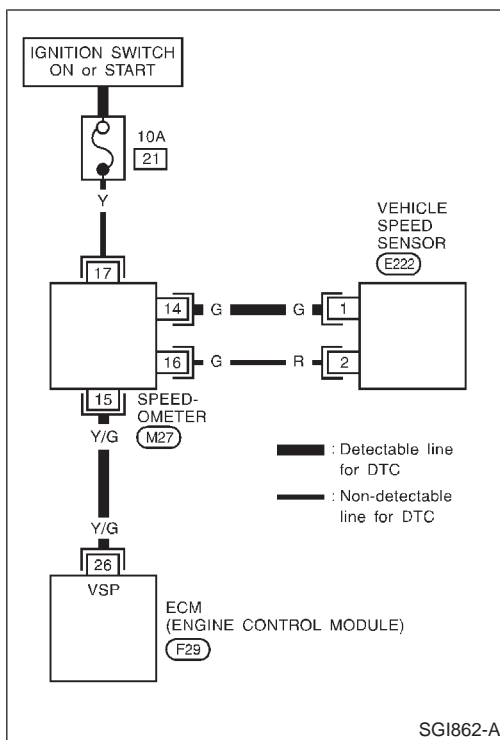
## SWITCH POSITIONS

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Switches are shown in wiring diagrams as if the vehicle is in the normal condition.

A vehicle is in the normal condition when:

- ignition switch is OFF,
- doors, hood and trunk lid/back door are closed,
- pedals are not depressed, and
- parking brake is released.



## DETECTABLE LINES AND NON-DETECTABLE LINES

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In some wiring diagrams, two kinds of lines, representing wires, with different weight are used.

- A line with regular weight (wider line) represents a “detectable line for DTC (Diagnostic Trouble Code)”. A “detectable line for DTC” is a circuit in which ECM (Engine Control Module) can detect its malfunctions with the on board diagnostic system.
- A line with less weight (thinner line) represents a “non-detectable line for DTC”. A “non-detectable line for DTC” is a circuit in which ECM cannot detect its malfunctions with the on board diagnostic system.

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# HOW TO READ WIRING DIAGRAMS

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## MULTIPLE SWITCH

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The continuity of multiple switch is described in two ways as shown below.

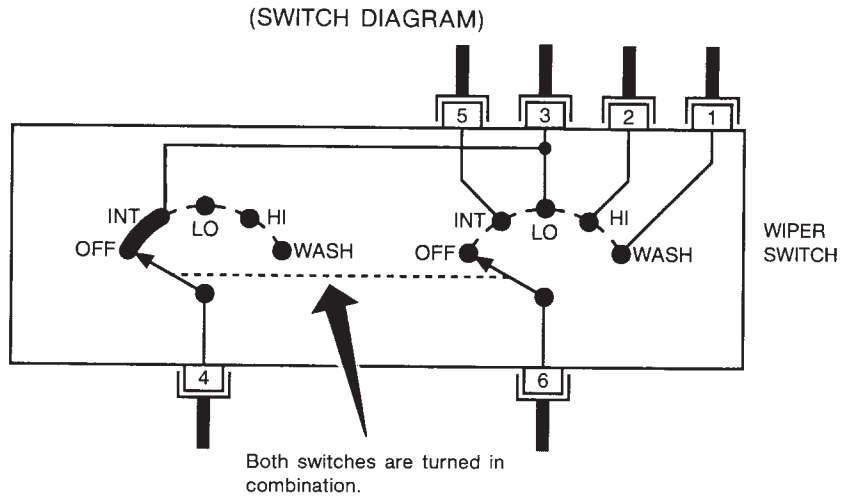
- The switch chart is used in schematic diagrams.
- The switch diagram is used in wiring diagrams.

### Example

(SWITCH CHART)

WIPER SWITCH

	OFF	INT	LO	HI	WASH
1					○
2				○	
3	○	○	○		
4	○	○			
5		○			
6		○	○	○	○



Continuity circuit of wiper switch

SWITCH POSITION	CONTINUITY CIRCUIT
OFF	3-4
INT	3-4, 5-6
LO	3-6
HI	2-6
WASH	1-6

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## FOLDOUT PAGE

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The foldout page should be opened when reading wiring diagram.

### Super multiple junction (SMJ)

In wiring diagram, connectors consisting of terminals having terminal numbers with an alphabet (1B, 0D, etc.) are SMJ connectors. If connector numbers are shown in Reference Area, these connector symbols are not shown in Connector Area. For terminal arrangement of these connectors, refer to the foldout page at the end of this manual.

### Joint connector

Joint connector symbols are shown in Connector Area in the wiring diagram concerned. Foldout page also carries inside wiring layout together with such joint connector symbols.

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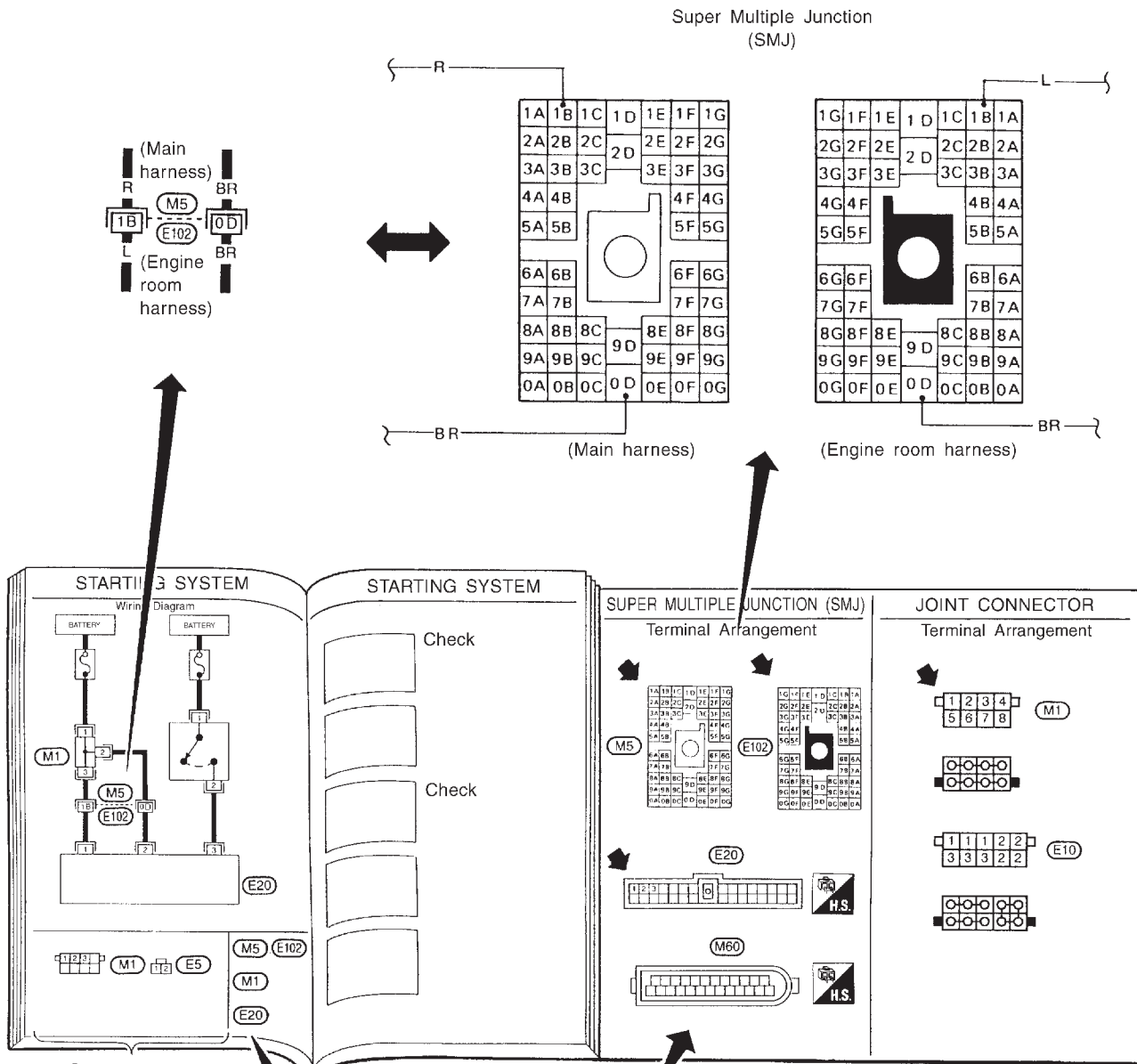
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### Example



Reference Area:  
Refer to the foldout page for the terminal arrangement of the connectors shown here in the "Reference Area".

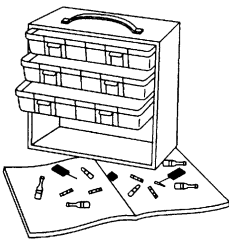
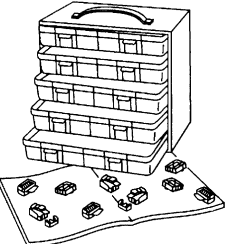
# HOW TO CHECK TERMINAL

Connector and Terminal Pin Kit

## Connector and Terminal Pin Kit

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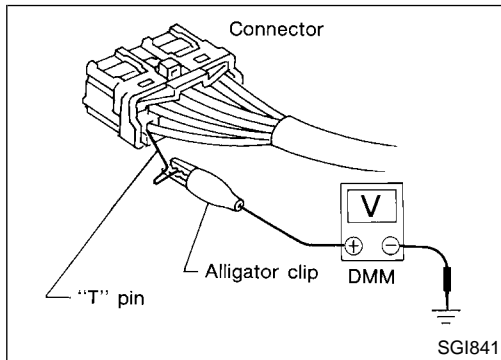
Use the connector and terminal pin kit listed below when replacing connectors or terminals.  
 The connector and terminal pin kit contains some of the most commonly used NISSAN connectors and terminals.

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— (J38751-95INF) Connector and terminal pin kit — (J42992-98KIT) OBD Terminal Repair Kit	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>J42992-98KIT</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>J38751-95INF</p>  </div> </div> <p style="text-align: center;">SGI109A</p>

## How to Probe Connectors

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Connector damage and an intermittent connection can result from improperly probing of the connector during circuit checks. The probe of a digital multimeter (DMM) may not correctly fit the connector cavity. To correctly probe the connector, follow the procedures below using a "T" pin. For the best contact grasp the "T" pin using an alligator clip.

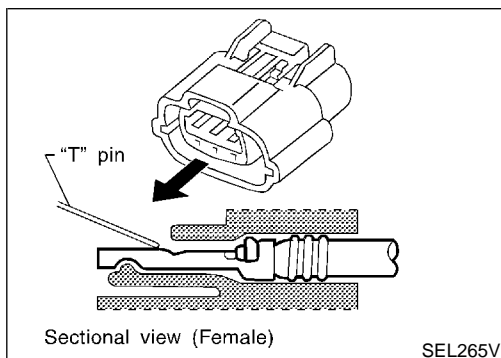


### PROBING FROM HARNESS SIDE

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Standard type (not waterproof type) connector should be probed from harness side with "T" pin.

- If the connector has a rear cover such as a ECM connector, remove the rear cover before probing the terminal.
- Do not probe waterproof connector from harness side. Damage to the seal between wire and connector may result.



### PROBING FROM TERMINAL SIDE

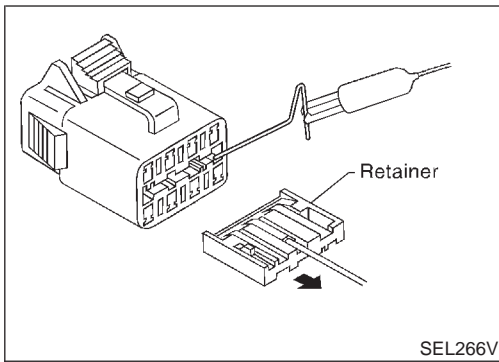
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#### Female Terminal

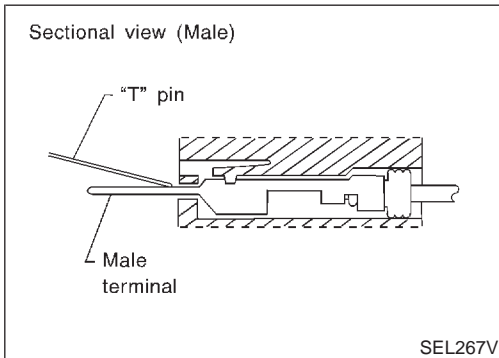
- There is a small notch above each female terminal. Probe each terminal with the "T" pin through the notch.  
**Do not insert any object other than the same type male terminal into female terminal.**

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How to Probe Connectors (Cont'd)



- Some connectors do not have a notch above each terminal. To probe each terminal, remove the connector retainer to make contact space for probing.



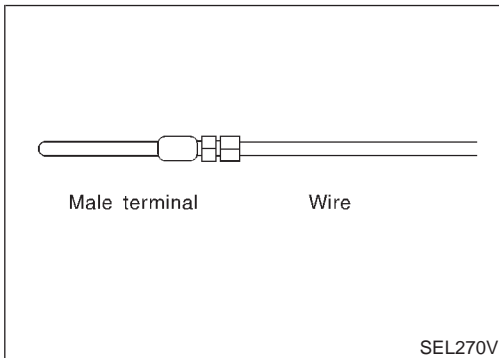
## Male Terminal

Carefully probe the contact surface of each terminal using a "T" pin. **Do not bend terminal.**

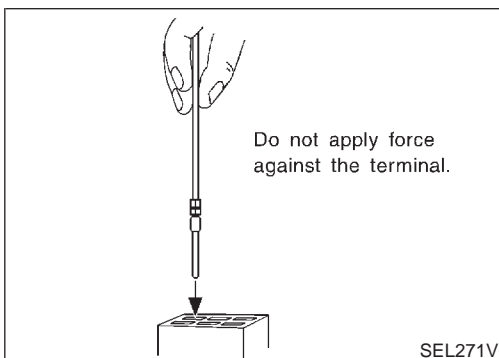
## How to Check Enlarged Contact Spring of Terminal

An enlarged contact spring of a terminal may create intermittent signals in the circuit. NBG10011S03

If the intermittent open circuit occurs, follow the procedure below to inspect for open wires and enlarged contact spring of female terminal.



- Assemble a male terminal and approx. 10 cm (3.9 in) of wire. **Use a male terminal which matches the female terminal.**
- Disconnect the suspected faulty connector and hold it terminal side up.



- While holding the wire of the male terminal, try to insert the male terminal into the female terminal. **Do not force the male terminal into the female terminal with your hands.**

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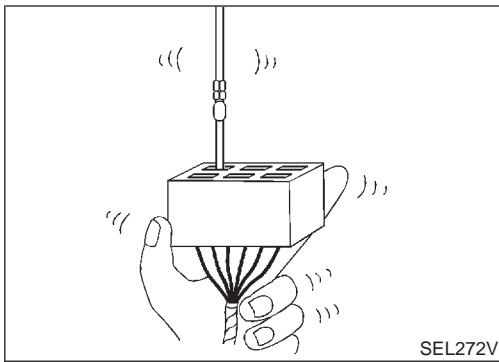
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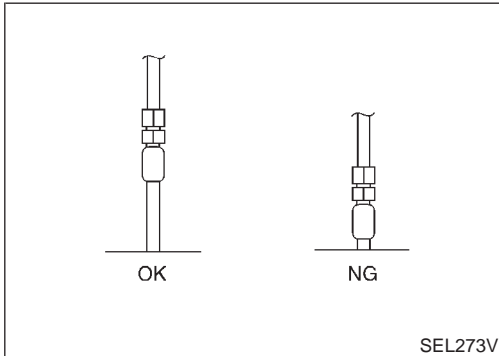
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# HOW TO CHECK TERMINAL

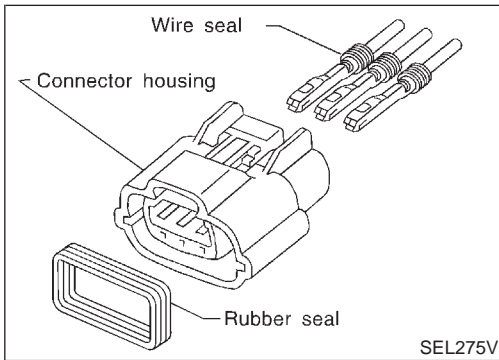
How to Check Enlarged Contact Spring of Terminal (Cont'd)



4. While moving the connector, check whether the male terminal can be easily inserted or not.



- If the male terminal can be easily inserted into the female terminal, replace the female terminal.



## Waterproof Connector Inspection

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If water enters the connector, it can short interior circuits. This may lead to intermittent problems.

Check the following items to maintain the original waterproof characteristics.

### RUBBER SEAL INSPECTION

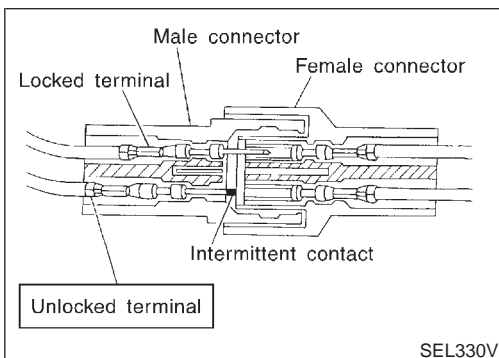
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- Most waterproof connectors are provided with a rubber seal between the male and female connectors. If the seal is missing, the waterproof performance may not meet specifications.
- The rubber seal may come off when connectors are disconnected. Whenever connectors are reconnected, make sure the rubber seal is properly installed on either side of male or female connector.

### WIRE SEAL INSPECTION

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The wire seal must be installed on the wire insertion area of a waterproof connector. Be sure that the seal is installed properly.



## Terminal Lock Inspection

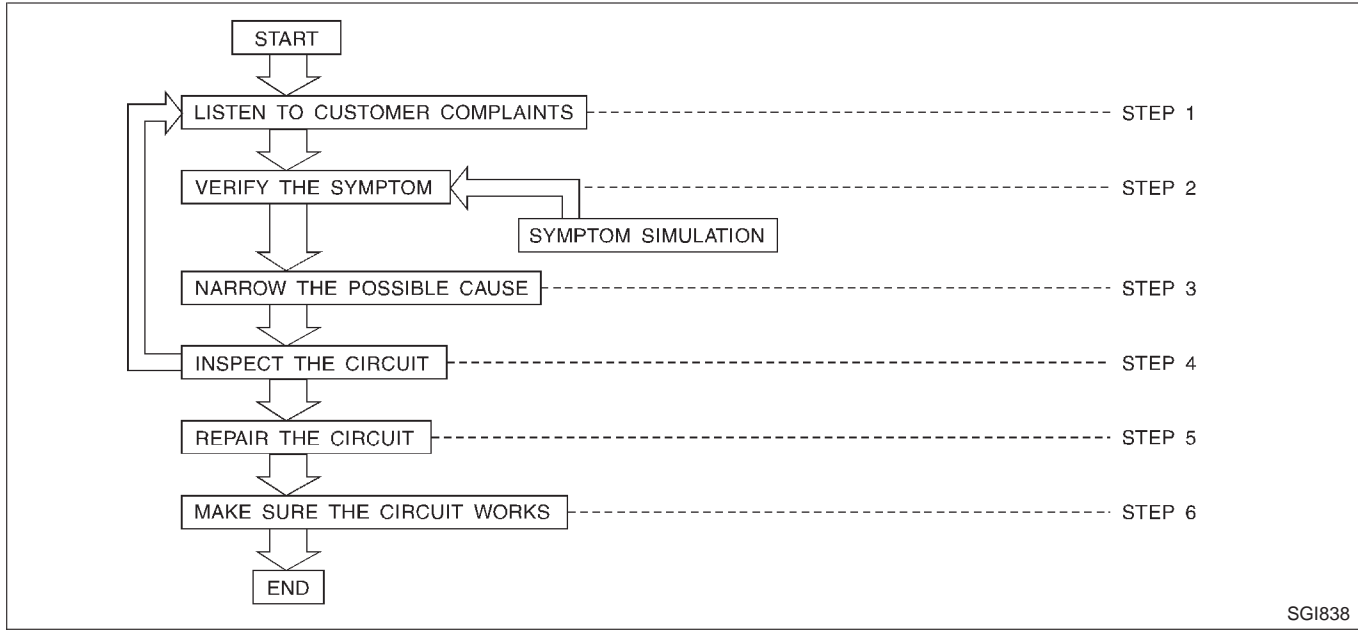
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Check for unlocked terminals by pulling wire at the end of connector. An unlocked terminal may create intermittent signals in the circuit.



## Work Flow

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STEP	DESCRIPTION
STEP 1	Get detailed information about the conditions and the environment when the incident occurred. The following are key pieces of information required to make a good analysis:
	<b>WHAT</b> Vehicle Model, Engine, Transmission and the System (i.e. Radio).
	<b>WHEN</b> Date, Time of Day, Weather Conditions, Frequency.
	<b>WHERE</b> Road Conditions, Altitude and Traffic Situation.
STEP 2	Get the proper diagnosis materials together including: POWER SUPPLY ROUTING System Operation Descriptions Applicable Service Manual Sections Check for any Service Bulletin. Identify where to begin diagnosis based upon your knowledge of the system operation and the customer comments.
	Operate the system, road test if necessary. Verify the parameter of the incident. If the problem can not be duplicated, refer to "Incident Simulation Tests" next page.
STEP 3	Inspect the system for mechanical binding, loose connectors or wiring damage. Determine which circuits and components are involved and diagnose using the Power Supply Routing and Harness Layouts.
STEP 4	Repair or replace the incident circuit or component.
STEP 5	Operate the system in all modes. Verify the system works properly under all conditions. Make sure you have not inadvertently created a new incident during your diagnosis or repair steps.
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## Incident Simulation Tests

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### INTRODUCTION

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Sometimes the symptom is not present when the vehicle is brought in for service. If possible, re-create the conditions present at the time of the incident. Doing so may help avoid a No Trouble Found Diagnosis. The following section illustrates ways to simulate the conditions/environment under which the owner experiences an electrical incident.

The section is broken into the six following topics:

- Vehicle vibration
- Heat sensitive
- Freezing
- Water intrusion
- Electrical load
- Cold or hot start up

Get a thorough description of the incident from the customer. It is important for simulating the conditions of the problem.

### VEHICLE VIBRATION

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The problem may occur or become worse while driving on a rough road or when engine is vibrating (idle with A/C on). In such a case, you will want to check for a vibration related condition. Refer to the illustration below.

#### Connectors & Harness

Determine which connectors and wiring harness would affect the electrical system you are inspecting. **Gently** shake each connector and harness while monitoring the system for the incident you are trying to duplicate. This test may indicate a loose or poor electrical connection.

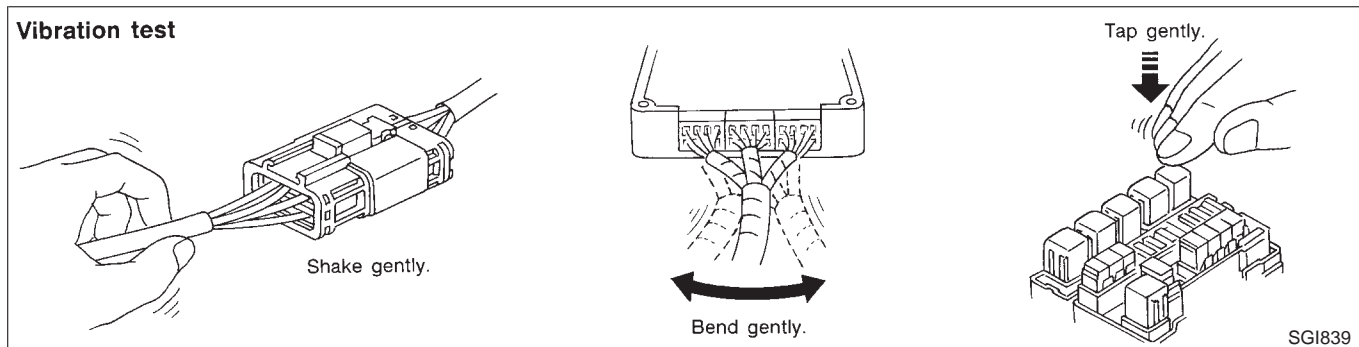
#### Hint

Connectors can be exposed to moisture. It is possible to get a thin film of corrosion on the connector terminals. A visual inspection may not reveal this without disconnecting the connector. If the problem occurs intermittently, perhaps the problem is caused by corrosion. It is a good idea to disconnect, inspect and clean the terminals on related connectors in the system.

#### Sensors & Relays

**Gently** apply a slight vibration to sensors and relays in the system you are inspecting.

This test may indicate a loose or poorly mounted sensor or relay.



## Engine Compartment

There are several reasons a vehicle or engine vibration could cause an electrical complaint. Some of the things to check for are:

- Connectors not fully seated.
- Wiring harness not long enough and is being stressed due to engine vibrations or rocking.
- Wires laying across brackets or moving components.
- Loose, dirty or corroded ground wires.
- Wires routed too close to hot components.

To inspect components under the hood, start by verifying the integrity of ground connections. (Refer to GROUND INSPECTION described later.) First check that the system is properly grounded. Then check for loose connection by **gently shaking** the wiring or components as previously explained. Using the wiring diagrams inspect the wiring for continuity.

## Behind The Instrument Panel

An improperly routed or improperly clamped harness can become pinched during accessory installation. Vehicle vibration can aggravate a harness which is routed along a bracket or near a screw.

## Under Seating Areas

An unclamped or loose harness can cause wiring to be pinched by seat components (such as slide guides) during vehicle vibration. If the wiring runs under seating areas, inspect wire routing for possible damage or pinching.

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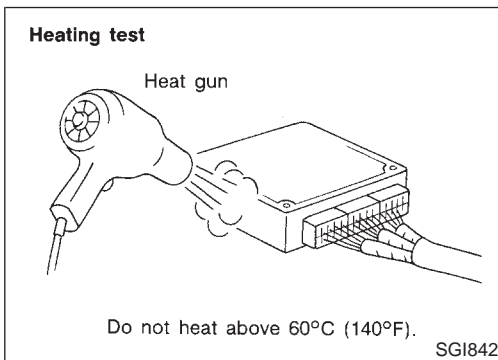
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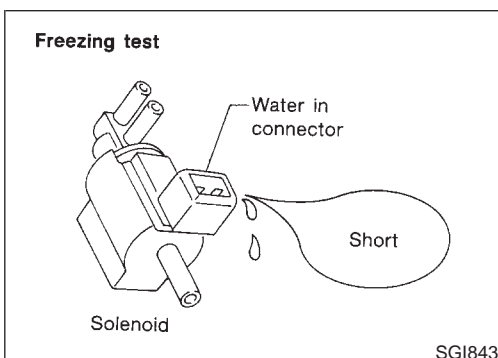
## HEAT SENSITIVE

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The owner's problem may occur during hot weather or after car has sat for a short time. In such cases you will want to check for a heat sensitive condition.

To determine if an electrical component is heat sensitive, heat the component with a heat gun or equivalent.

**Do not heat components above 60°C (140°F).** If incident occurs while heating the unit, either replace or properly insulate the component.



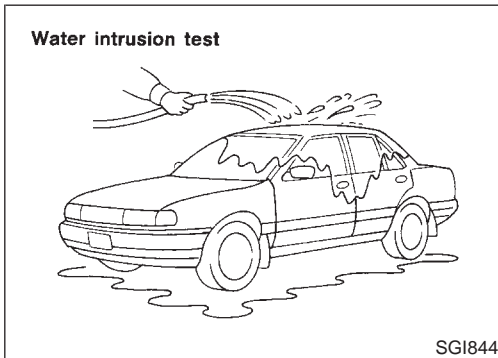
## FREEZING

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The customer may indicate the incident goes away after the car warms up (winter time). The cause could be related to water freezing somewhere in the wiring/electrical system.

There are two methods to check for this. The first is to arrange for the owner to leave his car overnight. Make sure it will get cold enough to demonstrate his complaint. Leave the car parked outside overnight. In the morning, do a quick and thorough diagnosis of those electrical components which could be affected.

The second method is to put the suspect component into a freezer long enough for any water to freeze. Reinstall the part into the car and check for the reoccurrence of the incident. If it occurs, repair or replace the component.

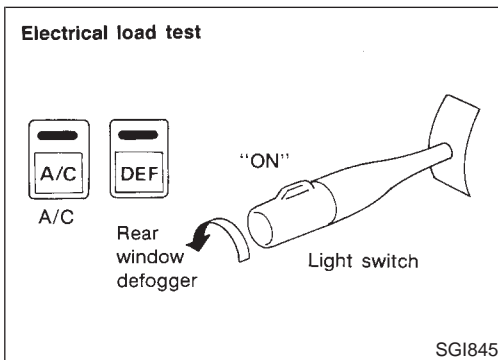


## WATER INTRUSION

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The incident may occur only during high humidity or in rainy/snowy weather. In such cases the incident could be caused by water intrusion on an electrical part. This can be simulated by soaking the car or running it through a car wash.

**Do not spray water directly on any electrical components.**



## ELECTRICAL LOAD

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The incident may be electrical load sensitive. Perform diagnosis with all accessories (including A/C, rear window defogger, radio, fog lamps) turned on.

## COLD OR HOT START UP

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On some occasions an electrical incident may occur only when the car is started cold. Or it may occur when the car is restarted hot shortly after being turned off. In these cases you may have to keep the car overnight to make a proper diagnosis.

## Circuit Inspection

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### INTRODUCTION

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In general, testing electrical circuits is an easy task if it is approached in a logical and organized method. Before beginning it is important to have all available information on the system to be tested. Also, get a thorough understanding of system operation. Then you will be able to use the appropriate equipment and follow the correct test procedure.

You may have to simulate vehicle vibrations while testing electrical components. **Gently shake** the wiring harness or electrical component to do this.

OPEN	A circuit is open when there is no continuity through a section of the circuit.	
SHORT	There are two types of shorts.	
	• SHORT CIRCUIT	When a circuit contacts another circuit and causes the normal resistance to change.
	• SHORT TO GROUND	When a circuit contacts a ground source and grounds the circuit.

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**NOTE:**

Refer to "HOW TO CHECK TERMINAL" in GI-20 to probe or check terminal.

**TESTING FOR "OPENS" IN THE CIRCUIT**

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Before you begin to diagnose and test the system, you should rough sketch a schematic of the system. This will help you to logically walk through the diagnosis process. Drawing the sketch will also reinforce your working knowledge of the system.

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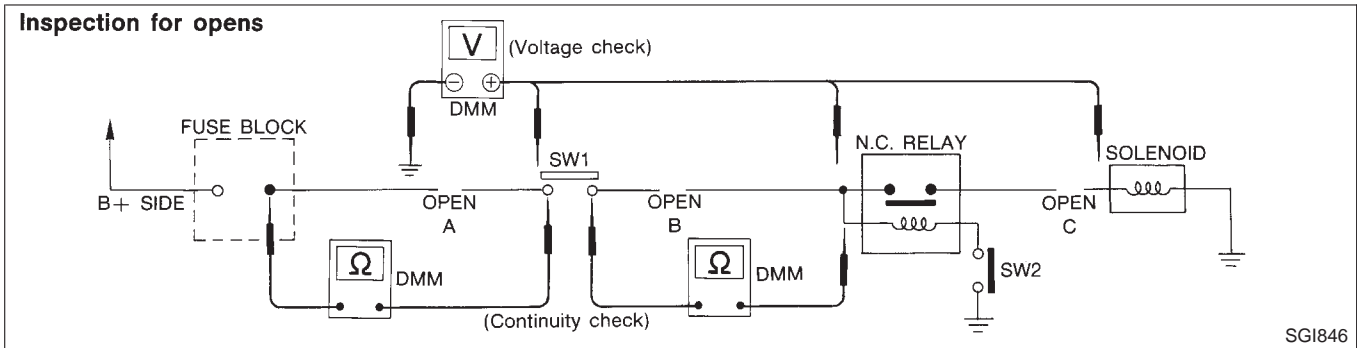
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**Continuity Check Method**

The continuity check is used to find an open in the circuit. The Digital Multimeter (DMM) set on the resistance function will indicate an open circuit as over limit (no beep tone or no ohms symbol). Make sure to always start with the DMM at the highest resistance level.

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To help in understanding the diagnosis of open circuits please refer to the schematic above.

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- 1) Disconnect the battery negative cable.
- 2) Start at one end of the circuit and work your way to the other end. (At the fuse block in this example)
- 3) Connect one probe of the DMM to the fuse block terminal on the load side.
- 4) Connect the other probe to the fuse block (power) side of SW1. Little or no resistance will indicate that portion of the circuit has good continuity. If there were an open in the circuit, the DMM would indicate an over limit or infinite resistance condition. (point A)
- 5) Connect the probes between SW1 and the relay. Little or no resistance will indicate that portion of the circuit has good continuity. If there were an open in the circuit, the DMM would indicate an over limit or infinite resistance condition. (point B)
- 6) Connect the probes between the relay and the solenoid. Little or no resistance will indicate that portion of the circuit has good continuity. If there were an open in the circuit, the DMM would indicate an over limit or infinite resistance condition. (point C)

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Any circuit can be diagnosed using the approach in the above example.

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**Voltage Check Method**

To help in understanding the diagnosis of open circuits please refer to the previous schematic.

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In any powered circuit, an open can be found by methodically checking the system for the presence of voltage. This is done by switching the DMM to the voltage function.

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- 1) Connect one probe of the DMM to a known good ground.
- 2) Begin probing at one end of the circuit and work your way to the other end.
- 3) With SW1 open, probe at SW1 to check for voltage.

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Circuit Inspection (Cont'd)

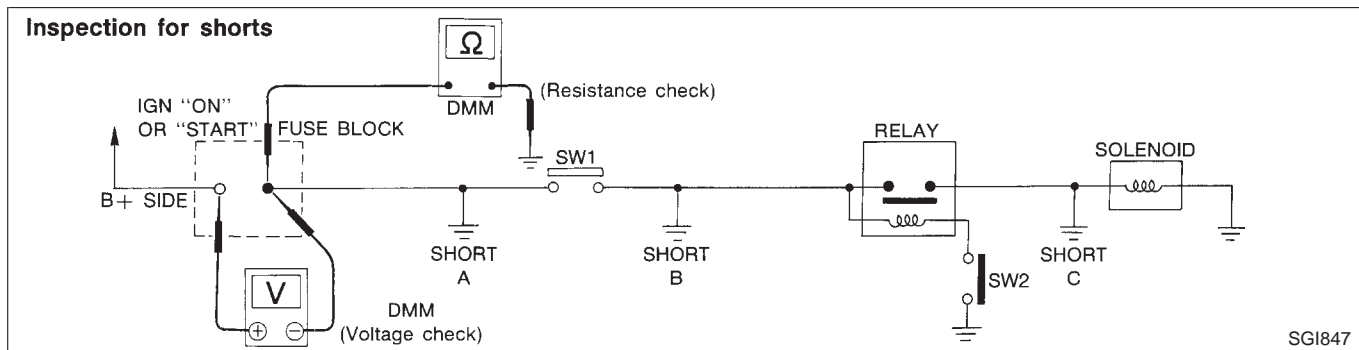
- voltage; open is further down the circuit than SW1.
- no voltage; open is between fuse block and SW1 (point A).
- 4) Close SW1 and probe at relay.
  - voltage; open is further down the circuit than the relay.
  - no voltage; open is between SW1 and relay (point B).
- 5) Close the relay and probe at the solenoid.
  - voltage; open is further down the circuit than the solenoid.
  - no voltage; open is between relay and solenoid (point C).

Any powered circuit can be diagnosed using the approach in the above example.

## TESTING FOR "SHORTS" IN THE CIRCUIT

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To simplify the discussion of shorts in the system please refer to the schematic below.



### Resistance Check Method

- 1) Disconnect the battery negative cable and remove the blown fuse.
- 2) Disconnect all loads (SW1 open, relay disconnected and solenoid disconnected) powered through the fuse.
- 3) Connect one probe of the ohmmeter to the load side of the fuse terminal. Connect the other probe to a known good ground.
- 4) With SW1 open, check for continuity.
  - continuity; short is between fuse terminal and SW1 (point A).
  - no continuity; short is further down the circuit than SW1.
- 5) Close SW1 and disconnect the relay. Put probes at the load side of fuse terminal and a known good ground. Then, check for continuity.
  - continuity; short is between SW1 and the relay (point B).
  - no continuity; short is further down the circuit than the relay.
- 6) Close SW1 and jump the relay contacts with jumper wire. Put probes at the load side of fuse terminal and a known good ground. Then, check for continuity.
  - continuity; short is between relay and solenoid (point C).
  - no continuity; check solenoid, retrace steps.

### Voltage Check Method

- 1) Remove the blown fuse and disconnect all loads (i.e. SW1 open, relay disconnected and solenoid disconnected) powered through the fuse.
- 2) Turn the ignition key to the ON or START position. Verify battery voltage at the B + side of the fuse terminal (one lead on the B + terminal side of the fuse block and one lead on a known good ground).
- 3) With SW1 open and the DMM leads across both fuse terminals, check for voltage.
  - voltage; short is between fuse block and SW1 (point A).
  - no voltage; short is further down the circuit than SW1.

- 4) With SW1 closed, relay and solenoid disconnected and the DMM leads across both fuse terminals, check for voltage. voltage; short is between SW1 and the relay (point B). no voltage; short is further down the circuit than the relay.
- 5) With SW1 closed, relay contacts jumped with fused jumper wire check for voltage. voltage; short is down the circuit of the relay or between the relay and the disconnected solenoid (point C). no voltage; retrace steps and check power to fuse block.

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## GROUND INSPECTION

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Ground connections are very important to the proper operation of electrical and electronic circuits. Ground connections are often exposed to moisture, dirt and other corrosive elements. The corrosion (rust) can become an unwanted resistance. This unwanted resistance can change the way a circuit works.

Electronically controlled circuits are very sensitive to proper grounding. A loose or corroded ground can drastically affect an electronically controlled circuit. A poor or corroded ground can easily affect the circuit. Even when the ground connection looks clean, there can be a thin film of rust on the surface.

When inspecting a ground connection follow these rules:

- 1) Remove the ground bolt or screw.
- 2) Inspect all mating surfaces for tarnish, dirt, rust, etc.
- 3) Clean as required to assure good contact.
- 4) Reinstall bolt or screw securely.
- 5) Inspect for "add-on" accessories which may be interfering with the ground circuit.
- 6) If several wires are crimped into one ground eyelet terminal, check for proper crimps. Make sure all of the wires are clean, securely fastened and providing a good ground path. If multiple wires are cased in one eyelet make sure no ground wires have excess wire insulation.

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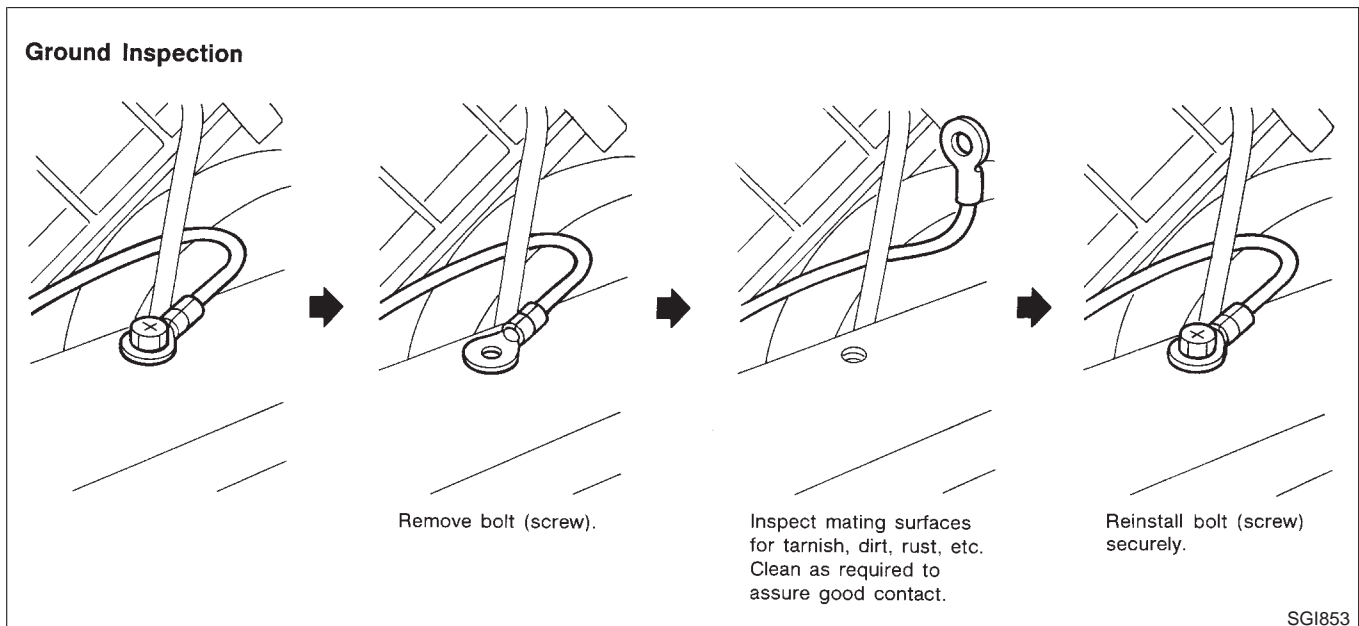
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## VOLTAGE DROP TESTS

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Voltage drop tests are often used to find components or circuits which have excessive resistance. A voltage drop in a circuit is caused by a resistance **when the circuit is in operation**.

Check the wire in the illustration. When measuring resistance with



ohmmeter, contact by a single strand of wire will give reading of 0 ohms. This would indicate a good circuit. When the circuit operates, this single strand of wire is not able to carry the current. The single strand will have a high resistance to the current. This will be picked up as a slight voltage drop.

Unwanted resistance can be caused by many situations as follows:

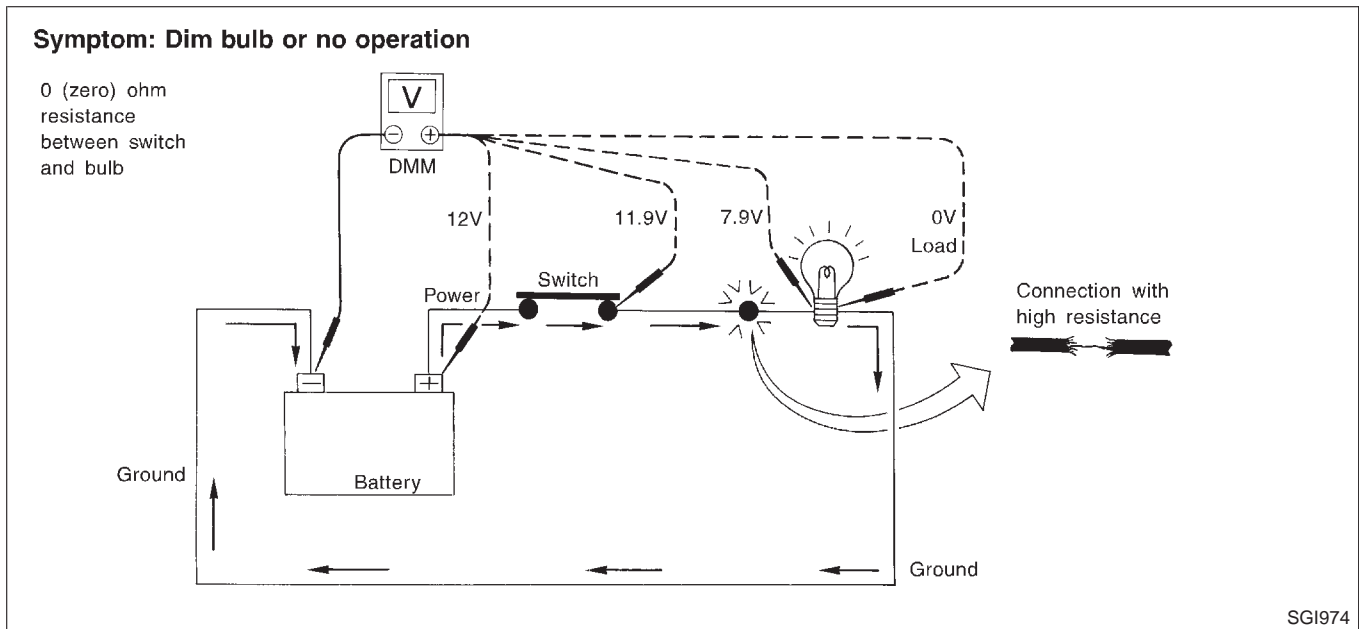
- Undersized wiring (single strand example)
- Corrosion on switch contacts
- Loose wire connections or splices.

If repairs are needed always use wire that is of the same or larger gauge.

### Measuring Voltage Drop — Accumulated Method

- 1) Connect the voltmeter across the connector or part of the circuit you want to check. The positive lead of the voltmeter should be closer to power and the negative lead closer to ground.
- 2) Operate the circuit.
- 3) The voltmeter will indicate how many volts are being used to “push” current through that part of the circuit.

**Note in the illustration that there is an excessive 4.1 volt drop between the battery and the bulb.**



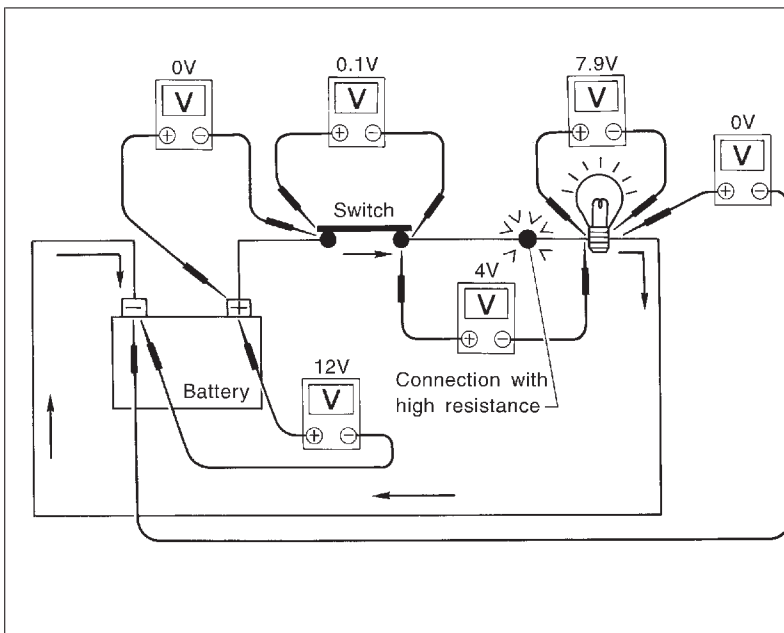
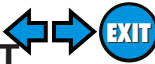
### Measuring Voltage Drop — Step by Step

The step by step method is most useful for isolating excessive drops in low voltage systems (such as those in “Computer Controlled Systems”).

Circuits in the “Computer Controlled System” operate on very low amperage.

The (Computer Controlled) system operations can be adversely affected by any variation in resistance in the system. Such resistance variation may be caused by poor connection, improper installation, improper wire gauge or corrosion.

The step by step voltage drop test can identify a component or wire with too much resistance.



1. Connect the voltmeter as shown, starting at the battery and working your way around the circuit.
2. An unusually large voltage drop will indicate a component or wire that needs to be repaired. As you can see the illustration above, the poor connection causes a 4 volt drop.

The chart that follows illustrates some maximum allowable voltage drops. These values are given as a guideline, the exact value for each component may vary.

COMPONENT	VOLTAGE DROP
Wire	negligible < .001 volts
Ground Connections	Approx. 0.1 volts
Switch Contacts	Approx. 0.3 volts

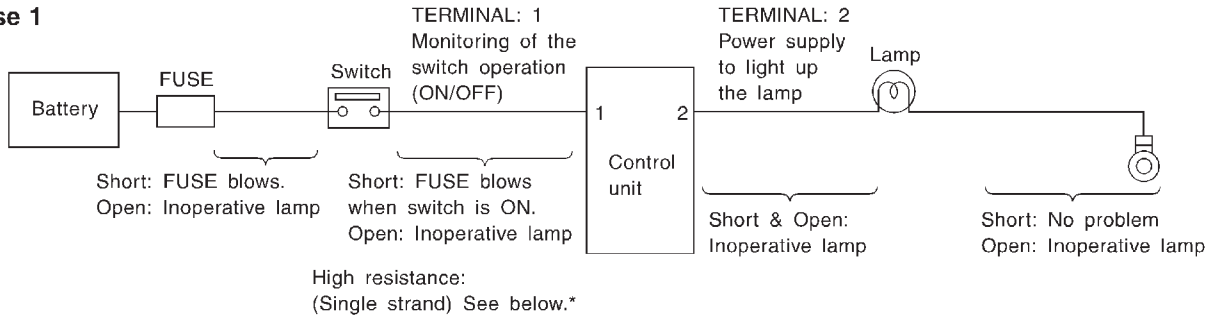
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## CONTROL UNIT CIRCUIT TEST

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System Description: When the switch is ON, the control unit lights up the lamp.

### Case 1



MG1034A

## Input-output voltage chart

Pin No.	Item	Condition	Voltage value [V]	In case of high resistance such as single strand [V] *
1	Switch	Switch ON	Battery voltage	Lower than battery voltage Approx. 8 (Example)
		Switch OFF	Approx. 0	Approx. 0
2	Lamp	Switch ON	Battery voltage	Approx. 0 (Inoperative lamp)
		Switch OFF	Approx. 0	Approx. 0

The voltage value is based on the body ground.

\* : If high resistance exists in the switch side circuit (caused by a single strand), terminal 1 does not detect battery voltage. Control unit does not detect the switch is ON even if the switch does not turn ON. Therefore, the control unit does not supply power to light up the lamp.

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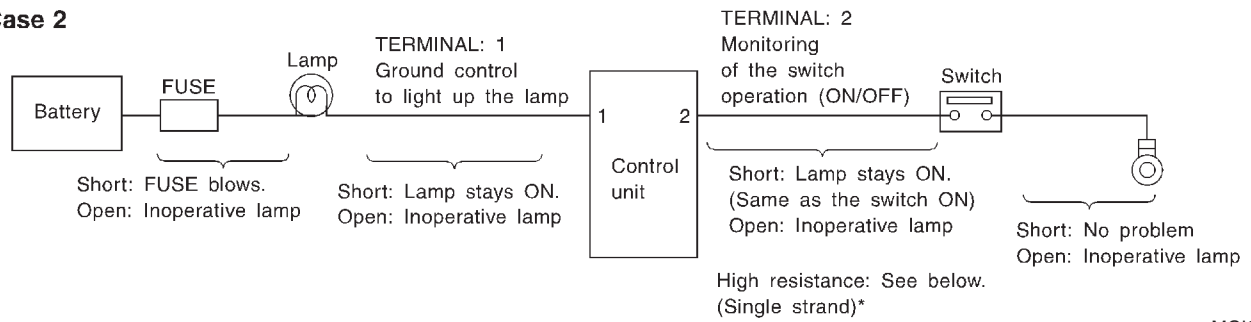
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# HOW TO PERFORM EFFICIENT DIAGNOSIS FOR AN ELECTRICAL INCIDENT

Circuit Inspection (Cont'd)

## Case 2



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## Input-output voltage chart

Pin No.	Item	Condition	Voltage value [V]	In case of high resistance such as single strand [V] *
1	Lamp	Switch ON	Approx. 0	Battery voltage (Inoperative lamp)
		Switch OFF	Battery voltage	Battery voltage
2	Switch	Switch ON	Approx. 0	Higher than 0 Approx. 4 (Example)
		Switch OFF	Approx. 5	Approx. 5

The voltage value is based on the body ground.

\* : If high resistance exists in the switch side circuit (caused by a single strand), terminal 2 does not detect approx. 0V. Control unit does not detect the switch is ON even if the switch does not turn ON. Therefore, the control unit does not control ground to light up the lamp.

**NOTICE:**

Trouble diagnoses indicates work procedures required to diagnose problems effectively. Observe the following instructions before diagnosing.

- 1) **Before performing trouble diagnoses, read the “Preliminary Check”, the “Symptom Chart” or the “Work Flow”.**
- 2) **After repairs, re-check that the problem has been completely eliminated.**
- 3) **Refer to Component Parts and Harness Connector Location for the Systems described in each section for identification/location of components and harness connectors.**
- 4) **Refer to the Circuit Diagram for quick pinpoint check. If you need to check circuit continuity between harness connectors in more detail, such as when a sub-harness is used, refer to Wiring Diagram in each individual section and Harness Layout in EL section for identification of harness connectors.**
- 5) **When checking circuit continuity, ignition switch should be OFF.**
- 6) **Before checking voltage at connectors, check battery voltage.**
- 7) **After accomplishing the Diagnostic Procedures and Electrical Components Inspection, make sure that all harness connectors are reconnected as they were.**

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# HOW TO FOLLOW TROUBLE DIAGNOSIS

How to Follow Test Groups in Trouble Diagnosis

## How to Follow Test Groups in Trouble Diagnosis

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**Example**

<b>1</b>	<b>CHECK POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT</b>						
<p><b>1</b> {</p> <p>1. Turn ignition switch "ON".</p> <p>2. Check voltage between combination meter terminal 15 and ground. <b>Battery voltage should exist.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Combination meter connector (M24)</p> <p>W/B</p> <p>V</p> <p>OK or NG</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;">MEL824F</p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">OK</td> <td style="text-align: center;">▶</td> <td>GO TO 2.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>NG</td> <td style="text-align: center;">▶</td> <td>Check the following. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10A fuse [No.7, located in the fuse block (J/B)]</li> <li>• Harness for open or short between fuse and combination meter</li> </ul> </td> </tr> </table>	OK	▶	GO TO 2.	NG	▶	Check the following. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10A fuse [No.7, located in the fuse block (J/B)]</li> <li>• Harness for open or short between fuse and combination meter</li> </ul>
OK	▶	GO TO 2.					
NG	▶	Check the following. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10A fuse [No.7, located in the fuse block (J/B)]</li> <li>• Harness for open or short between fuse and combination meter</li> </ul>					

<b>2</b>	<b>CHECK GROUND CIRCUIT FOR GAUGES</b>
<p>Check continuity between combination meter terminal 23 and ground. <b>Continuity should exist.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>DISCONNECT</p> <p>H.S.</p> <p>OFF</p> </div>	

<b>3</b>	<b>CHECK GAUGE OPERATION</b>						
<p><b>4</b> {</p> <p>1. Turn ignition switch "ON".</p> <p>2. Connect terminals B (Fuel), C (Temp.) and ground with wire for <b>less than 10 seconds.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>B : Fuel gauge</p> <p>C : Water temperature gauge</p> <p style="text-align: right;">SEL865U</p> </div> <p>3. Check operation of gauge. <b>Gauge should move smoothly to full scale.</b> <b>OK or NG</b></p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">OK</td> <td style="text-align: center;">▶</td> <td>GO TO 4.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>NG</td> <td style="text-align: center;">▶</td> <td>Repair or replace gauge.</td> </tr> </table>	OK	▶	GO TO 4.	NG	▶	Repair or replace gauge.
OK	▶	GO TO 4.					
NG	▶	Repair or replace gauge.					

<b>4</b>	<b>CHECK GROUND CIRCUIT FOR FUEL TANK GAUGE UNIT</b>
<p>Check harness continuity between fuel tank gauge unit terminal 2 and ground. <b>Continuity should exist.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>H.S.</p> <p>DISCONNECT</p> <p>OFF</p> </div>	

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- 1) **Work and diagnostic procedure**  
Start to diagnose a problem using procedures indicated in enclosed test groups.
- 2) **Questions and required results.**  
Questions and required results are indicated in bold type in test group.  
The meaning of are as follows:
  - a. **Battery voltage** → 11 - 14V or approximately 12V
  - b. **Voltage: Approximately 0V** → Less than 1V
- 3) **Symbol used in illustration**  
Symbols included in illustrations refer to measurements or procedures. Before diagnosing a problem, familiarize yourself with each symbol. Refer to "CONNECTOR SYMBOLS" (GI-15) and "Key to Symbols Signifying Measurements or Procedures" (GI-35).
- 4) **Action items**  
Next action for each test group is indicated based on result of each question. Test group number is shown in the left upper portion of each test group.

# HOW TO FOLLOW TROUBLE DIAGNOSIS

Key to Symbols Signifying Measurements or Procedures

## Key to Symbols Signifying Measurements or Procedures

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Symbol	Symbol explanation	Symbol	Symbol explanation
	Check after disconnecting the connector to be measured.		Procedure with Generic Scan Tool (GST, OBD-II scan tool)
	Check after connecting the connector to be measured.		Procedure without CONSULT or GST
	Insert key into ignition switch.		A/C switch is "OFF".
	Remove key from ignition switch.		A/C switch is "ON".
	Turn ignition switch to "OFF" position.		REC switch is "ON".
	Turn ignition switch to "ON" position.		REC switch is "OFF".
	Turn ignition switch to "START" position.		Fan switch is "ON". (At any position except for "OFF" position)
	Turn ignition switch from "OFF" to "ACC" position.		Fan switch is "OFF".
	Turn ignition switch from "ACC" to "OFF" position.		Apply positive voltage from battery with fuse directly to components.
	Turn ignition switch from "OFF" to "ON" position.		Drive vehicle.
	Turn ignition switch from "ON" to "OFF" position.		Disconnect battery negative cable.
	Do not start engine, or check with engine stopped.		Depress brake pedal.
	Start engine, or check with engine running.		Release brake pedal.
	Apply parking brake.		Depress accelerator pedal.
	Release parking brake.		Release accelerator pedal.

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# HOW TO FOLLOW TROUBLE DIAGNOSIS

Key to Symbols Signifying Measurements or Procedures (Cont'd)

Symbol	Symbol explanation	Symbol	Symbol explanation
	Check after engine is warmed up sufficiently.		Pin terminal check for SMJ type ECM and TCM connectors. <b>For details regarding the terminal arrangement, refer to the foldout page.</b>
	Voltage should be measured with a voltmeter.	or 	
	Circuit resistance should be measured with an ohmmeter.		
	Current should be measured with an ammeter.		
	Procedure with CONSULT		
	Procedure without CONSULT		



## Function and System Application

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Diagnostic test mode	Function	ENGINE	ALL-MODE 4WD	A/T	ABS	AIR BAG	IVCS*1	IVIS (NATS)*2	SMART ENTRANCE	GI
Work support	This mode enables a technician to adjust some devices faster and more accurate by following the indications on CONSULT.	x	x	—	—	—	—	—	—	MA EM
Self-diagnostic results	Self-diagnostic results can be read and erased quickly.	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	—	LC
Trouble diagnostic record	Current self-diagnostic results and all trouble diagnostic records previously stored can be read.	—	—	—	—	x	—	—	—	EC FE
ECU discriminated No.	Classification number of a replacement ECU can be read to prevent an incorrect ECU from being installed.	—	—	—	—	x	—	—	—	AT TF
Data monitor	Input/Output data in the ECM can be read.	x	x	x	x	—	x	—	—	PD
DTC work support	This mode enables a technician to set operating conditions to confirm self-diagnosis status/results.	—	—	x	—	—	—	—	—	AX
Active test	Diagnostic Test Mode in which CONSULT drives some actuators apart from the ECMs and also shifts some parameters in a specified range.	x	—	—	x	—	—	—	—	SU BR
ECM part number	ECM part number can be read.	x	x	x	x	—	x	—	—	ST
Function test	Conducted by CONSULT instead of a technician to determine whether each system is "OK" or "NG".	x	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	RS
Control unit initialization	All registered ignition key IDs in NATS components can be initialized and new IDs can be registered.	—	—	—	—	—	—	x	—	BT HA
Self-function check	ECM checks its own NATS communication interface.	—	—	—	—	—	—	x	—	SC
DTC confirmation	The results of SRT (System Readiness Test) and the self-diagnosis status/results can be confirmed.	x	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	EL
Function check	"Remote door unlock function" of IVCS system can be checked in this mode.	—	—	—	—	—	x	—	—	IDX

# CONSULT CHECKING SYSTEM

Function and System Application (Cont'd)

Diagnostic test mode	Function	ENGINE	ALL-MODE 4WD	A/T	ABS	AIR BAG	IVCS*1	IVIS (NATS)*2	SMART ENTRANCE
Registered data	Display the VIN, etc. data registered in the IVCS unit.	—	—	—	—	—	x	—	—
Configuration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The IVCS system can be set up in the demonstration mode to confirm system operation.</li> <li>Various data related to both the Communicator Response Center contract and cellular provider can be written/rewritten in this mode.</li> </ul>	—	—	—	—	—	x	—	—
REMO CONT ID SET UP	A maximum of four IDs (identifications) can be registered in the memory using the remote controller. These IDs can be also be confirmed and erased as required.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	x

x: Applicable

\*1: INFINITI Communicator (IVCS)

\*2: IVIS (NATS) [INFINITI Vehicle Immobilizer System (Nissan Anti-Theft System)]

## Lithium Battery Replacement

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CONSULT contains a lithium battery. When replacing the battery obey the following:

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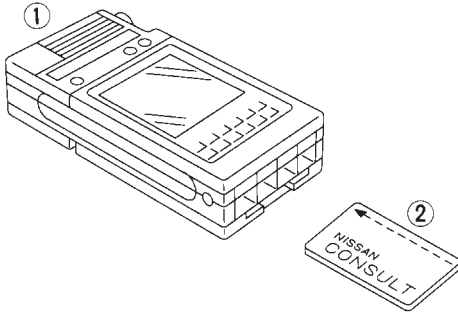
Replace the lithium battery with SANYO Electric Co., Ltd., CR2032 only. Use of another battery may present a risk of fire or explosion. The battery may present a fire or chemical burn hazard if mistreated. Do not recharge, disassemble or dispose of in fire.

Keep the battery out of reach of children and discard used battery conforming to the local regulations.

## Checking Equipment

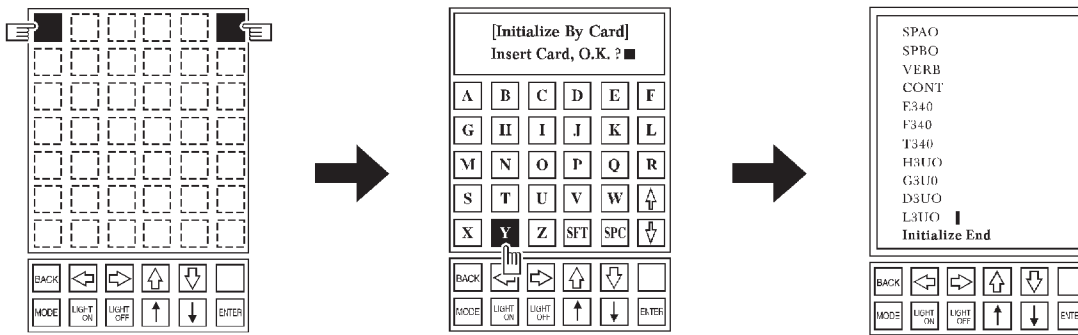
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When ordering the below equipment, contact your INFINITI distributor.

Tool name	Description
<b>NISSAN CONSULT</b> ① CONSULT unit and accessories ② Program card UE991, UE990, UE999 (For IVCS) and NATS-E980U (For IVIS)	 <p>NT004</p>

## Loading Procedure

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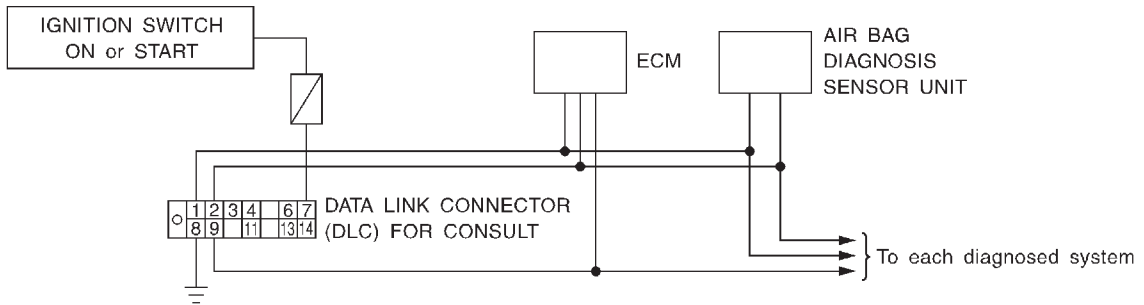
1. While holding down the upper left and right corner keys of the CONSULT touch panel, simultaneously press the power "ON" switch. While pushing the power "ON" switch, hold down both corner keys until the next screen appears.
2. If the initialization was done correctly, the following message will appear at the top of the display: "[Initialize By Card] Insert Card, O.K.?"
3. Insert the program card into the CONSULT program card reader.
4. Press "Y" on the touch panel.
5. Now the program will start to load.
6. After the "Initialize End" message appears, touch the "OFF" switch.

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## CONSULT Data Link Connector (DLC) Circuit

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### Example



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### INSPECTION PROCEDURE

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If the CONSULT cannot diagnose the system properly, check the following items.

Symptom	Check item
CONSULT cannot access any system.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● CONSULT DLC power supply circuit (Terminal 7) and ground circuit (Terminal 8) (For detailed circuit, refer to "MIL &amp; Data Link Connectors Wiring Diagram" in EC section.)</li> <li>● CONSULT DDL cable</li> </ul>
CONSULT cannot access individual system. (Other systems can be accessed.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● CONSULT program card (Check the appropriate CONSULT program card for the system.) Refer to GI-37.</li> <li>● Power supply and ground circuit for the control unit of the system (For detailed circuit, refer to wiring diagram for each system.)</li> <li>● Open or short circuit between the system and CONSULT DLC (For detailed circuit, refer to wiring diagram for each system.)</li> </ul>

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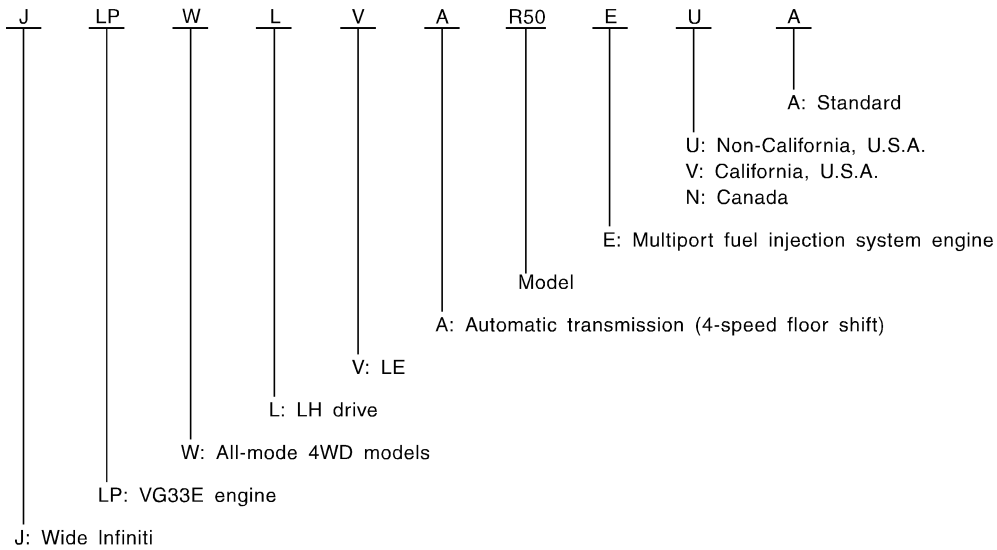
## Model Variation

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Destination	Body	Grade	Engine	VG33E	
			Transmission	RE4R01A (Automatic)	
			Differential carrier	Front R200A	Rear H233B
			Transfer	ATX14A	
Non-California U.S.A.	Wide	LE	4-door	JLPWLVAR50EUA	
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## PREFIX AND SUFFIX DESIGNATIONS

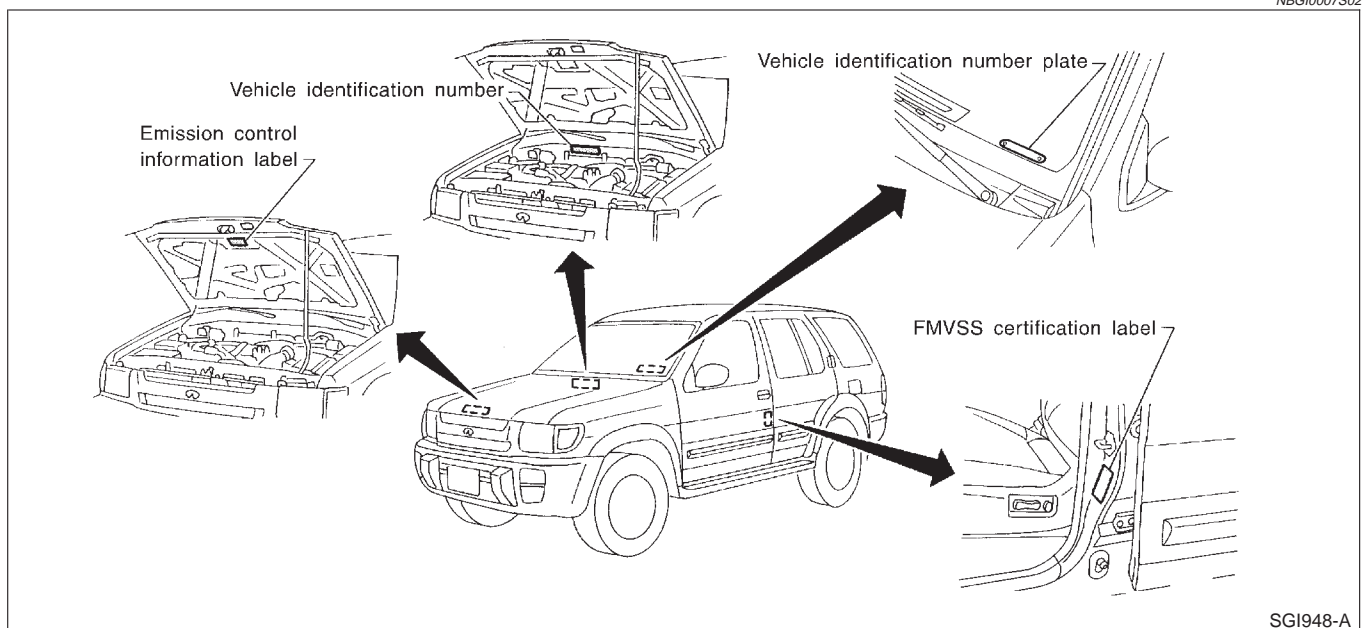
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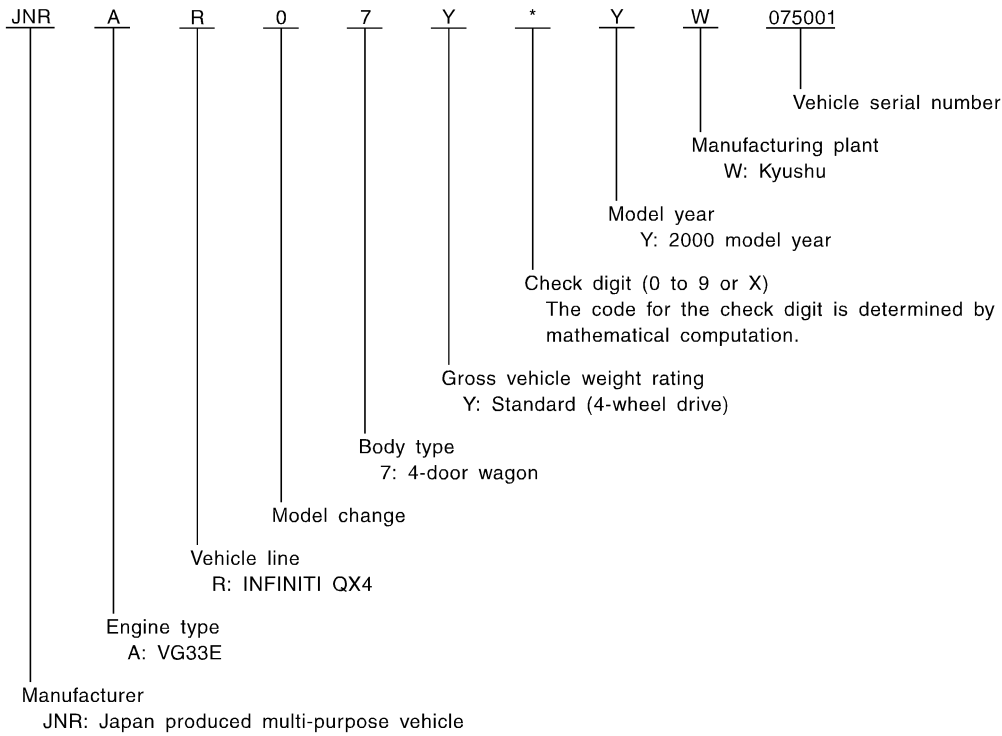
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## VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER ARRANGEMENT

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## IDENTIFICATION PLATE

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**NISSAN MOTOR CO., LTD. JAPAN**

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CHASSIS NO. NO. DE CHASIS			△ 2	
MODEL MODELO			△ 3	
○ カラー-COLOR TRIM トリムCOLOR GUARNICION	△ 4	△ 6		○
エン ENGINE ジン MOTOR	△ 6	△ 7		CC
ミッション TRANS., AXLE アクスル TRANS., EJE	△ 8	△ 9		
	工場			PLANT PLANTA
<b>日産自動車株式会社</b>				MADE IN JAPAN

1 Type

2 Vehicle identification number (Chassis number)

3 Model

4 Body color code

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6 Engine model

7 Engine displacement

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9 Axle model

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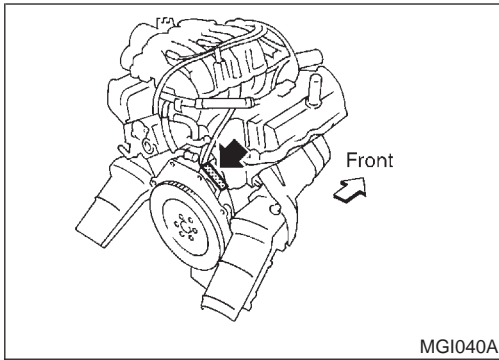
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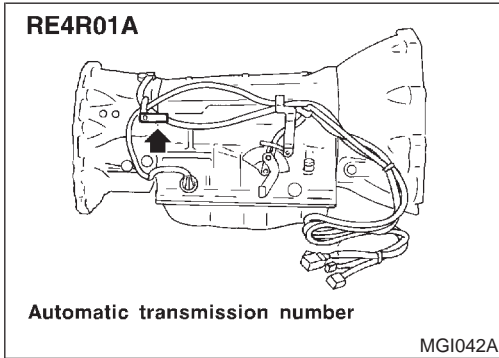
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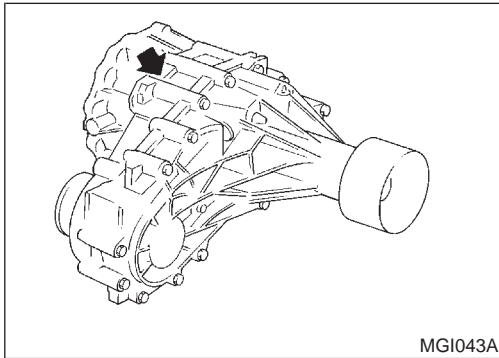
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## AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION NUMBER

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## TRANSFER SERIAL NUMBER

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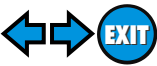
## Dimensions

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Unit: mm (in)

	Wagon
	VG33E
Overall length	4,670 (183.9)
Overall width	1,840 (72.4)
Overall height	1,730 (68.1) 1,795 (70.7)*
Front tread	1,540 (60.6)
Rear tread	1,545 (60.8)
Wheelbase	2,700 (106.3)

\*: With luggage rack

# IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION



Wheels & Tires

## Wheels & Tires

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Grade	Road wheel/offset mm (in)	Tire	Spare tire size
LE	16 x 7JJ Aluminum/20 (0.79)	P255/65R16 106S	P255/65R16 106S

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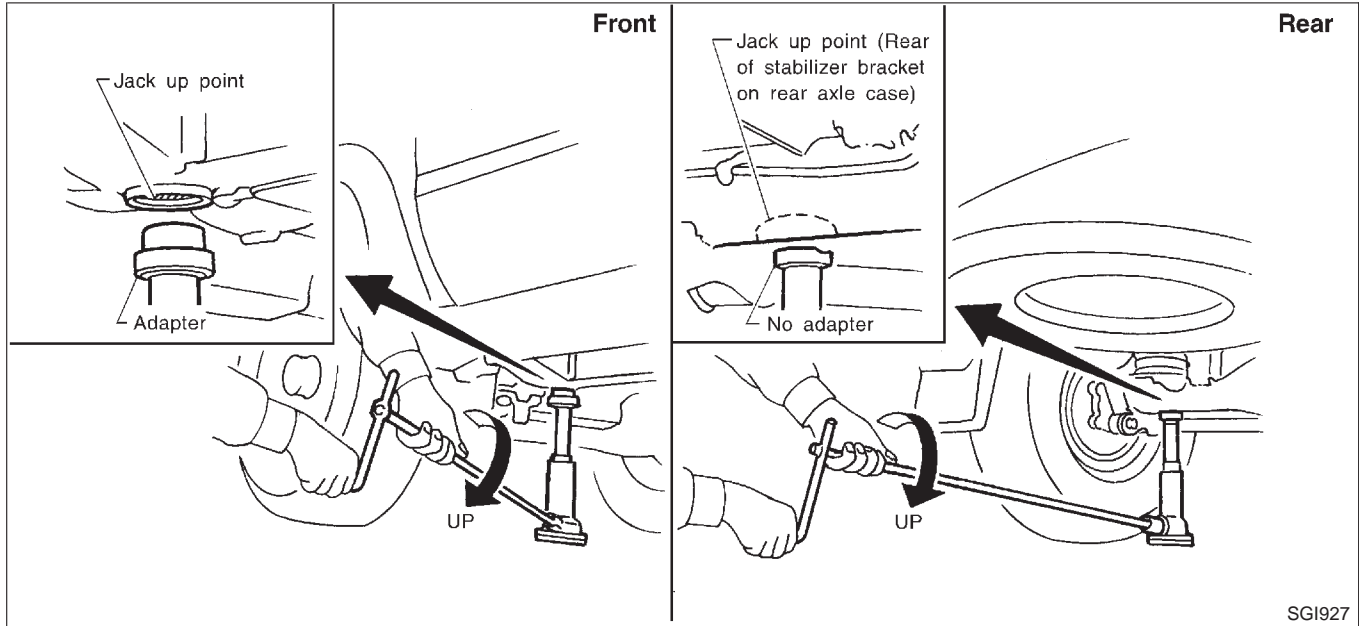
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**WARNING:**

- Never get under the vehicle while it is supported only by the jack. Always use safety stands to support the frame when you have to get under the vehicle.
- Place wheel chocks at both front and back of the wheels on the ground.

## Screw Jack

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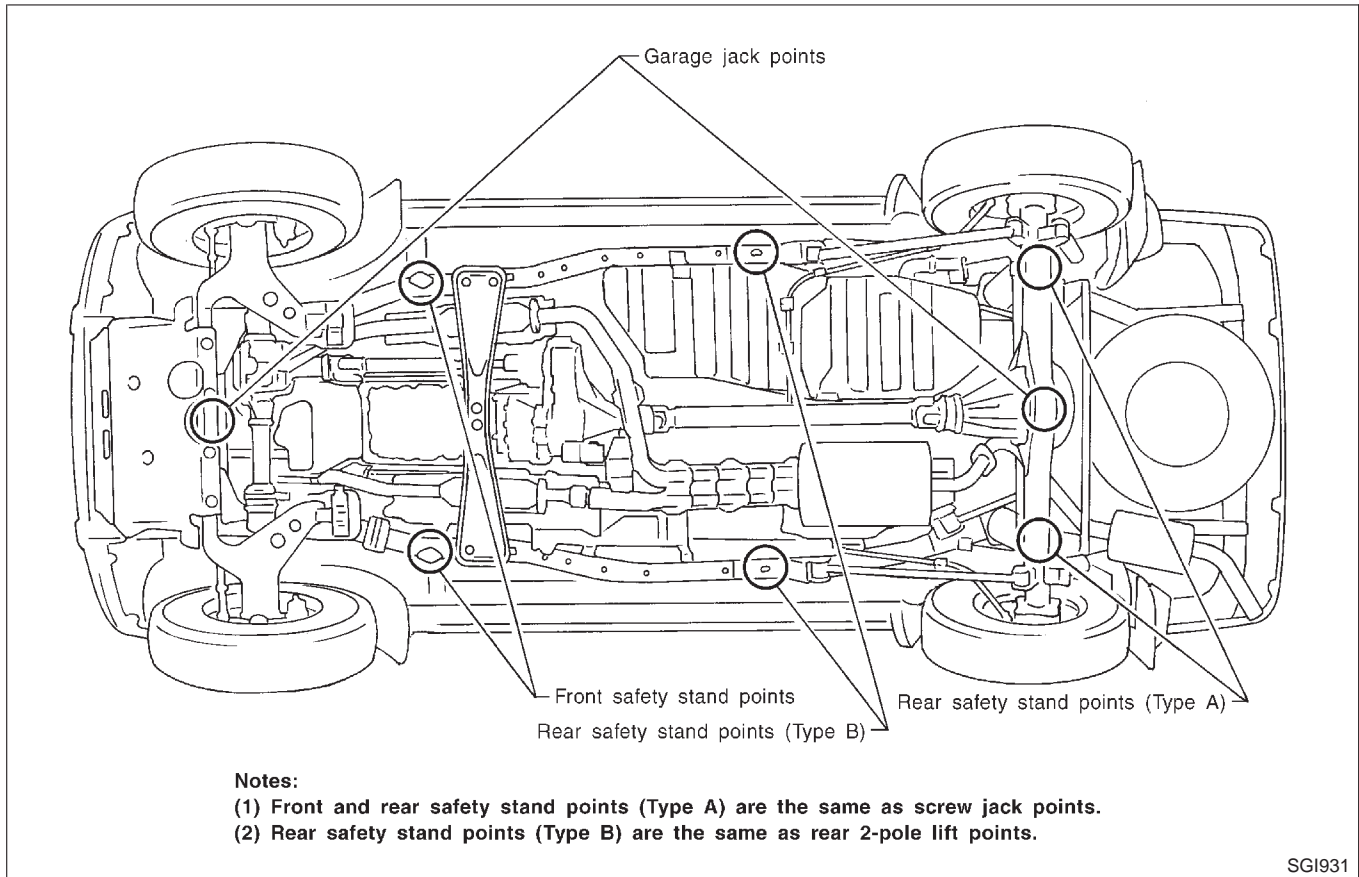
## Garage Jack and Safety Stand

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### CAUTION:

Place a wooden or rubber block between safety stand and vehicle body when the supporting body is flat.

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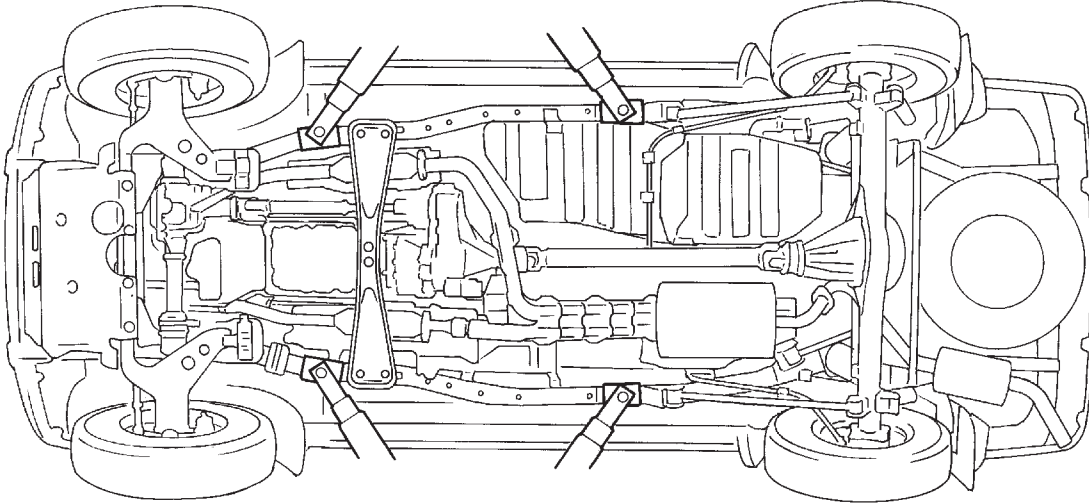
## 2-pole Lift

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### **WARNING:**

When lifting the vehicle, open the lift arms as wide as possible and ensure that the front and rear of the vehicle are well balanced.

When setting the lift arm, do not allow the arm to contact the brake tubes, brake cable and fuel lines.



Note: Lift-up points are the same as front safety stand points and rear safety stand points (Type B).

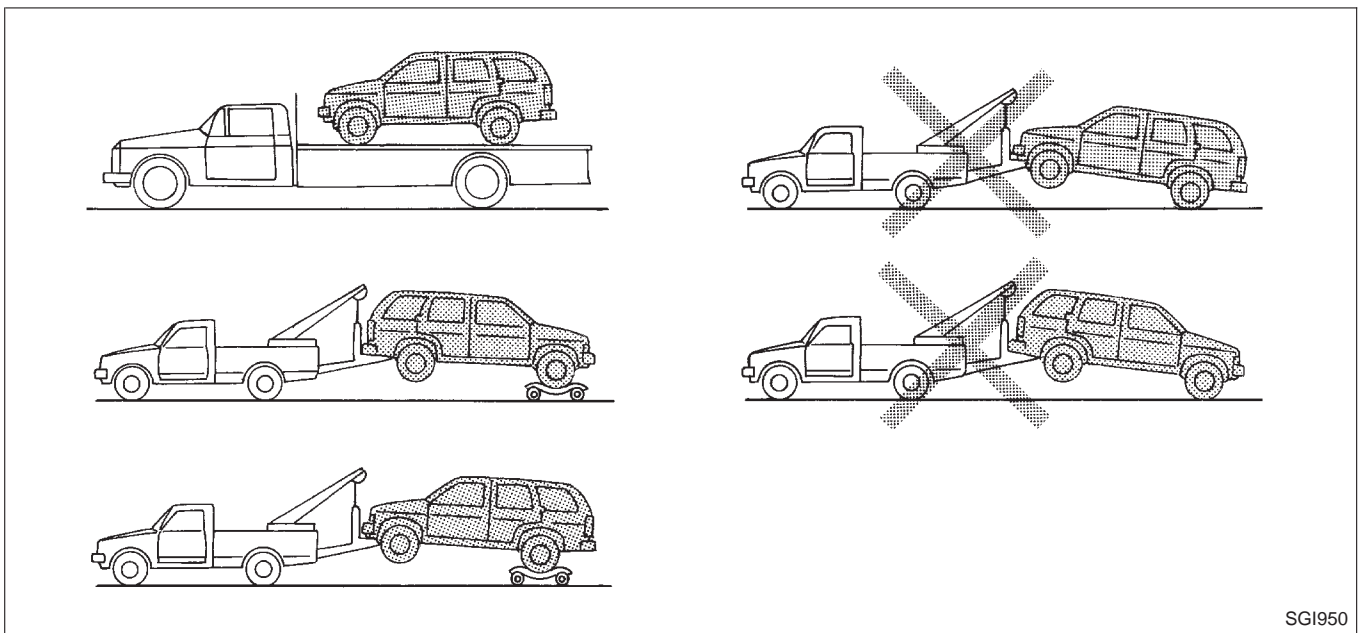
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## Tow Truck Towing

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### **CAUTION:**

- All applicable state or Provincial (in Canada) laws and local laws regarding the towing operation must be obeyed.
- It is necessary to use proper towing equipment to avoid possible damage to the vehicle during towing operation. Towing is in accordance with Towing Procedure Manual at dealer.
- Always attach safety chains before towing.
- When towing, make sure that the transmission, steering system and power train are in good order. If any unit is damaged, dollies must be used.



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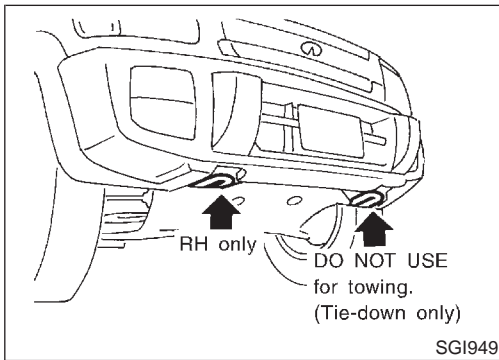
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INFINITI recommends that a dolly or a flat bed truck be used as illustrated when towing all-mode 4-wheel drive models.

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## VEHICLE RECOVERY

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- Use the towing **hook** only, not other parts of the vehicle. Otherwise, the vehicle body will be damaged.
- Use the towing hook **only** to free a vehicle stuck in sand, snow, mud, etc. **Never** tow the vehicle for a long distance using only the towing hook.
- The towing hook is under tremendous force when used to free a stuck vehicle. Always pull the cable straight out from the front or rear of the vehicle. **Never** pull on the hook at a sideways angle.
- Stand clear of a stuck vehicle.

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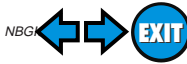
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# TIGHTENING TORQUE OF STANDARD BOLTS



Grade	Bolt size	Bolt diameter * mm	Pitch mm	Tightening torque (Without lubricant)							
				Hexagon head bolt				Hexagon flange bolt			
				N·m	kg·m	ft·lb	in·lb	N·m	kg·m	ft·lb	in·lb
4T	M6	6.0	1.0	5.1	0.52	3.8	45.1	6.1	0.62	4.5	53.8
	M8	8.0	1.25	13	1.3	9	—	15	1.5	11	—
			1.0	13	1.3	9	—	16	1.6	12	—
	M10	10.0	1.5	25	2.5	18	—	29	3.0	22	—
			1.25	25	2.6	19	—	30	3.1	22	—
	M12	12.0	1.75	42	4.3	31	—	51	5.2	38	—
			1.25	46	4.7	34	—	56	5.7	41	—
M14	14.0	1.5	74	7.5	54	—	88	9.0	65	—	
7T	M6	6.0	1.0	8.4	0.86	6.2	74.6	10	1.0	7	87
	M8	8.0	1.25	21	2.1	15	—	25	2.5	18	—
			1.0	22	2.2	16	—	26	2.7	20	—
	M10	10.0	1.5	41	4.2	30	—	48	4.9	35	—
			1.25	43	4.4	32	—	51	5.2	38	—
	M12	12.0	1.75	71	7.2	52	—	84	8.6	62	—
			1.25	77	7.9	57	—	92	9.4	68	—
M14	14.0	1.5	127	13.0	94	—	147	15.0	108	—	
9T	M6	6.0	1.0	12	1.2	9	—	15	1.5	11	—
	M8	8.0	1.25	29	3.0	22	—	35	3.6	26	—
			1.0	31	3.2	23	—	37	3.8	27	—
	M10	10.0	1.5	59	6.0	43	—	70	7.1	51	—
			1.25	62	6.3	46	—	74	7.5	54	—
	M12	12.0	1.75	98	10.0	72	—	118	12.0	87	—
			1.25	108	11.0	80	—	137	14.0	101	—
M14	14.0	1.5	177	18.0	130	—	206	21.0	152	—	

\*: Nominal diameter

- 1) **Special parts are excluded.**
- 2) **This standard is applicable to bolts having the following marks embossed on the bolt head.**

Grade	Mark
4T	4
7T	7
9T	9

M	6
Metric screw threads	Nominal diameter of bolt threads (Unit: mm)

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## SAE J1930 Terminology List

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All emission related terms used in this publication in accordance with SAE J1930 are listed. Accordingly, new terms, new acronyms/abbreviations and old terms are listed in the following chart.

NEW TERM	NEW ACRONYM / ABBREVIATION	OLD TERM
Air cleaner	ACL	Air cleaner
Barometric pressure	BARO	***
Barometric pressure sensor-BCDD	BAROS-BCDD	BCDD
Camshaft position	CMP	***
Camshaft position sensor	CMPS	Crank angle sensor
Canister	***	Canister
Carburetor	CARB	Carburetor
Charge air cooler	CAC	Intercooler
Closed loop	CL	Closed loop
Closed throttle position switch	CTP switch	Idle switch
Clutch pedal position switch	CPP switch	Clutch switch
Continuous fuel injection system	CFI system	***
Continuous trap oxidizer system	CTOX system	***
Crankshaft position	CKP	***
Crankshaft position sensor	CKPS	***
Data link connector	DLC	***
Data link connector for CONSULT	DLC for CONSULT	Diagnostic connector for CONSULT
Diagnostic test mode	DTM	Diagnostic mode
Diagnostic test mode selector	DTM selector	Diagnostic mode selector
Diagnostic test mode I	DTM I	Mode I
Diagnostic test mode II	DTM II	Mode II
Diagnostic trouble code	DTC	Malfunction code
Direct fuel injection system	DFI system	***
Distributor ignition system	DI system	Ignition timing control
Early fuel evaporation-mixture heater	EFE-mixture heater	Mixture heater
Early fuel evaporation system	EFE system	Mixture heater control
Electrically erasable programmable read only memory	EEPROM	***
Electronic ignition system	EI system	Ignition timing control
Engine control	EC	***
Engine control module	ECM	ECCS control unit
Engine coolant temperature	ECT	Engine temperature
Engine coolant temperature sensor	ECTS	Engine temperature sensor
Engine modification	EM	***
Engine speed	RPM	Engine speed

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Erasable programmable read only memory	EPROM	***
Evaporative emission canister	EVAP canister	Canister
Evaporative emission system	EVAP system	Canister control solenoid valve
Exhaust gas recirculation valve	EGR valve	EGR valve
Exhaust gas recirculation control-BPT valve	EGRC-BPT valve	BPT valve
Exhaust gas recirculation control-solenoid valve	EGRC-solenoid valve	EGR control solenoid valve
Exhaust gas recirculation temperature sensor	EGRT sensor	Exhaust gas temperature sensor
EGR temperature sensor		
Flash electrically erasable programmable read only memory	FEEPROM	***
Flash erasable programmable read only memory	FEPRM	***
Flexible fuel sensor	FFS	***
Flexible fuel system	FF system	***
Fuel pressure regulator	***	Pressure regulator
Fuel pressure regulator control solenoid valve	***	PRVR control solenoid valve
Fuel tank temperature sensor	FTT sensor	Tank fuel temperature sensor
Fuel trim	FT	***
Heated Oxygen sensor	HO2S	Exhaust gas sensor
Idle air control system	IAC system	Idle speed control
Idle air control valve-air regulator	IACV-air regulator	Air regulator
Idle air control valve-auxiliary air control valve	IACV-AAC valve	Auxiliary air control (AAC) valve
Idle air control valve-FICD solenoid valve	IACV-FICD solenoid valve	FICD solenoid valve
Idle air control valve-idle up control solenoid valve	IACV-idle up control solenoid valve	Idle up control solenoid valve
Idle speed control-FI pot	ISC-FI pot	FI pot
Idle speed control system	ISC system	***
Ignition control	IC	***
Ignition control module	ICM	***
Indirect fuel injection system	IFI system	***
Intake air	IA	Air
Intake air temperature sensor	IAT sensor	Air temperature sensor
Knock	***	Detonation
Knock sensor	KS	Detonation sensor
Malfunction indicator lamp	MIL	Check engine light

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NEW TERM	NEW ACRONYM / ABBREVIATION	OLD TERM	
Manifold absolute pressure	MAP	***	GI
Manifold absolute pressure sensor	MAPS	***	MA
Manifold differential pressure	MDP	***	EM
Manifold differential pressure sensor	MDPS	***	LC
Manifold surface temperature	MST	***	EC
Manifold surface temperature sensor	MSTS	***	FE
Manifold vacuum zone	MVZ	***	AT
Manifold vacuum zone sensor	MVZS	***	TF
Mass air flow sensor	MAFS	Air flow meter	PD
Mixture control solenoid valve	MC solenoid valve	Air-fuel ratio control solenoid valve	AX
Multipoint fuel injection System	MFI system	Fuel injection control	SU
Neutral position switch	***	Neutral switch	BR
Nonvolatile random access memory	NVRAM	***	ST
On board diagnostic system	OBD system	Self-diagnosis	RS
Open loop	OL	Open loop	BT
Oxidation catalyst	OC	Catalyst	HA
Oxidation catalytic converter system	OC system	***	SC
Oxygen sensor	O2S	Exhaust gas sensor	EL
Park position switch	***	Park switch	IDX
Park/neutral position switch	PNP switch	Park/neutral switch	
Periodic trap oxidizer system	PTOX system	***	
Positive crankcase ventilation	PCV	Positive crankcase ventilation	
Positive crankcase ventilation valve	PCV valve	PCV valve	
Powertrain control module	PCM	***	
Programmable read only memory	PROM	***	
Pulsed secondary air injection control solenoid valve	PAIRC solenoid valve	AIV control solenoid valve	
Pulsed secondary air injection system	PAIR system	Air induction valve (AIV) control	
Pulsed secondary air injection valve	PAIR valve	Air induction valve	
Random access memory	RAM	***	
Read only memory	ROM	***	
Scan tool	ST	***	
Secondary air injection pump	AIR pump	***	
Secondary air injection system	AIR system	***	
Sequential multipoint fuel injection system	SFI system	Sequential fuel injection	
Service reminder indicator	SRI	***	
Simultaneous multipoint fuel injection system	***	Simultaneous fuel injection	

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Smoke puff limiter system	SPL system	***
Supercharger	SC	***
Supercharger bypass	SCB	***
System readiness test	SRT	***
Thermal vacuum valve	TVV	Thermal vacuum valve
Three way catalyst	TWC	Catalyst
Three way catalytic converter system	TWC system	***
Three way + oxidation catalyst	TWC + OC	Catalyst
Three way + oxidation catalytic converter system	TWC + OC system	***
Throttle body	TB	Throttle chamber SPI body
Throttle body fuel injection system	TBI system	Fuel injection control
Throttle position	TP	Throttle position
Throttle position sensor	TPS	Throttle sensor
Throttle position switch	TP switch	Throttle switch
Torque converter clutch solenoid valve	TCC solenoid valve	Lock-up cancel solenoid Lock-up solenoid
Transmission control module	TCM	A/T control unit
Turbocharger	TC	Turbocharger
Vehicle speed sensor	VSS	Vehicle speed sensor
Volume air flow sensor	VAFS	Air flow meter
Warm up oxidation catalyst	WU-OC	Catalyst
Warm up oxidation catalytic converter system	WU-OC system	***
Warm up three way catalyst	WU-TWC	Catalyst
Warm up three way catalytic converter system	WU-TWC system	***
Wide open throttle position switch	WOTP switch	Full switch