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# **HEATER & AIR CONDITIONING CONTROL SYSTEM**

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

# **BASIC INSPECTION**

# MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower con- trol (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

**DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORKFLOW** [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)] < BASIC INSPECTION > DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORKFLOW Α How to Perform Trouble Diagnosis For Quick And Accurate Repair INFOID:0000000005268864 **WORK FLOW** В 1.LISTEN TO CUSTOMER COMPLAINT Listen to customer complaint. Get detailed information about the conditions and environment when the symptom occurs. >> GO TO 2 D 2. CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS Check for any service bulletins. Е >> GO TO 3. 3.VERIFY THE SYMPTOM WITH OPERATIONAL CHECK F Verify the symptom with operational check. Refer to HAC-6, "Operational Check". Can a symptom be duplicated? YES >> Go to trouble diagnosis. Refer to HAC-57, "Symptom Matrix Chart". NO >> GO TO 4. f 4.PERFORM THE FRONT AIR CONTROL SELF-DIAGNOSIS Perform front air control self-diagnosis. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis". >> If any diagnostic trouble codes set. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis Chart". HAC >> Confirm the repair by performing operational check. Refer to HAC-6, "Operational Check".

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

#### INSPECTION AND ADJUSTMENT

Operational Check

The purpose of the operational check is to confirm that the system operates properly.

#### Conditions : Engine running and at normal operating temperature

#### CHECKING BLOWER

- Turn blower control dial clockwise. Blower should operate on low speed.
- 2. Turn the blower control dial again, and continue checking each blower speed until all speeds are checked.
- 3. Leave blower on HI speed.

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-33, "Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### CHECKING DISCHARGE AIR

Press each mode switch and confirm that discharge air comes out according to the air distribution table. Refer tot <u>HAC-12</u>, "Discharge Air Flow".

Mode door position is checked in the next step.

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-20, "Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### NOTE:

Confirm that the A/C compressor clutch is engaged (sound or visual inspection) and intake door position is at fresh when the DEF ( $\mathfrak{W}$ ) or D/F ( $\mathfrak{W}$ ) is selected.

#### CHECKING RECIRCULATION

- 1. Press recirculation ( ) switch one time. Recirculation indicator should illuminate.
- 2. Press recirculation ( ) switch one more time. Recirculation indicator should go off.
- Listen for intake door position change (blower sound should change slightly).

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-30, "Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### NOTE:

Confirm that the compressor clutch is engaged (sound or visual inspection) and intake door position is at fresh when the DEF or D/F is selected.

#### CHECKING TEMPERATURE DECREASE

- Rotate temperature control dial counterclockwise.
- 2. Check for cold air at appropriate discharge air outlets.

If NG, listen for sound of air mix door motor operation if OK, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for <u>HAC-58</u>, <u>"Component Function Check"</u>. If air mix door motor appears to be malfunctioning, go to <u>HAC-25</u>, <u>"Air Mix Door Motor Component Function Check"</u>.

If OK, continue with next check.

#### CHECKING TEMPERATURE INCREASE

- 1. Rotate temperature control dial clockwise.
- 2. Check for hot air at appropriate discharge air outlets.

If NG, listen for sound of air mix door motor operation. If OK, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for <u>HAC-66</u>, <u>"Component Function Check"</u>. If air mix door motor (front) appears to be malfunctioning, go to <u>HAC-25</u>. "Air <u>Mix Door Motor Component Function Check"</u>.

If OK, continue with next check.

#### CHECK A/C SWITCH

- Press A/C switch with the blower switch ON.
- A/C switch indicator will turn ON.
  - · Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-38. "Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

< FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

# **FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS**

# MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

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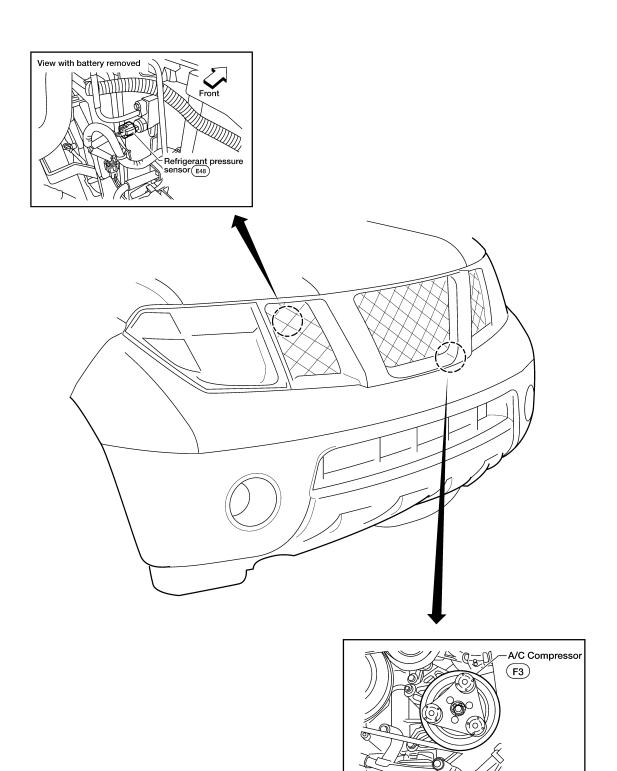
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# **FUNCTION INFORMATION**

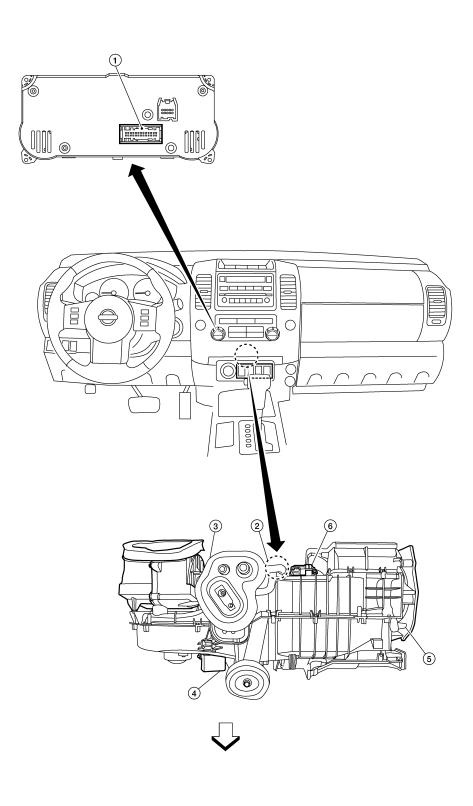
# **Component Part Location**

**ENGINE COMPARTMENT** 



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#### PASSENGER COMPARTMENT



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- $\Rightarrow \quad : Front$
- 3. Intake door motor M58
- 6. Air mix door motor M148
- 1. Front air control M50
- 4. Variable blower control M121
- 2. Intake sensor M146
- 5. Mode door motor M142

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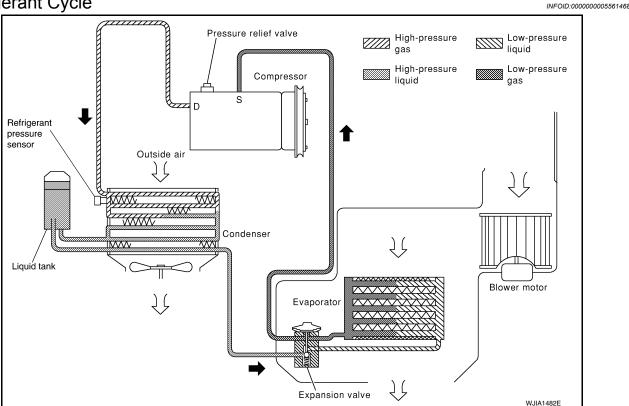
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#### REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

#### Refrigerant Cycle



#### REFRIGERANT FLOW

The refrigerant flows in the standard pattern, that is, through the compressor, the condenser with liquid tank, through the front evaporator, and back to the compressor. The refrigerant evaporation through the evaporator coil is controlled by the front externally equalized expansion valve, located inside the front evaporator case.

#### FREEZE PROTECTION

The compressor cycles on and off to maintain the evaporator temperature within a specified range. When the evaporator coil temperature falls below a specified point, the intake sensor interrupts the compressor operation. When the evaporator coil temperature rises above the specification, the intake sensor allows compressor operation.

#### Refrigerant System Protection

#### REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR

The refrigerant system is protected against excessively high- or low-pressures by the refrigerant pressure sensor, located on the condenser. If the system pressure rises above or falls below the specifications, the refrigerant pressure sensor detects the pressure inside the refrigerant line and sends a voltage signal to the ECM. The ECM de-energizes the A/C relay to disengage the magnetic compressor clutch when pressure on the high pressure side detected by refrigerant pressure sensor is over about 2,746 kPa (28 kg/cm², 398 psi), or below about 120 kPa (1.22 kg/cm², 17.4 psi).

#### PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE

The refrigerant system is also protected by a pressure relief valve, located in the rear head of the compressor. When the pressure of refrigerant in the system increases to an abnormal level [more than 2,990 kPa (30.5 kg/cm², 433.6 psi)], the release port on the pressure relief valve automatically opens and releases refrigerant into the atmosphere.

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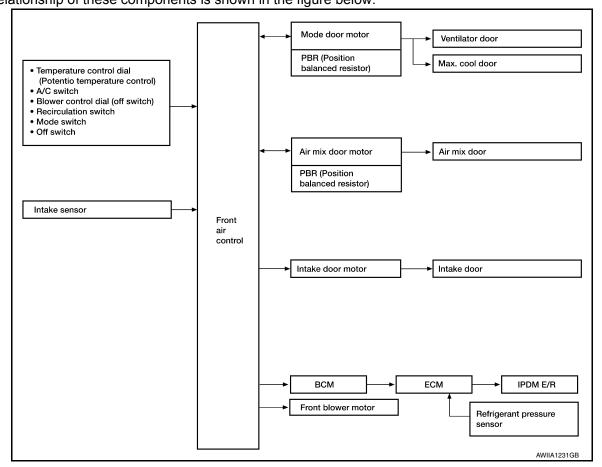
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# MANUAL AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM

# Control System Diagram

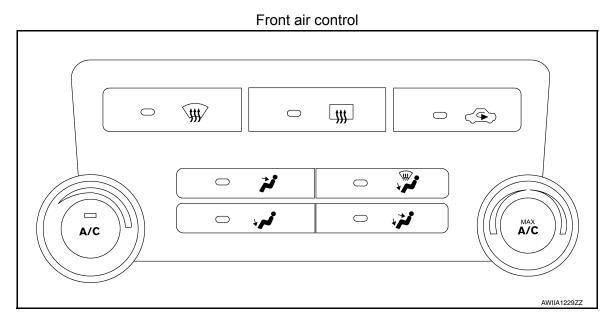
#### **CONTROL SYSTEM**

The control system consists of input sensors, switches, the front air control (microcomputer) and outputs. The relationship of these components is shown in the figure below:



# Control System Description

#### **CONTROL OPERATION**



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#### MANUAL AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM

< FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

#### TEMPERATURE CONTROL DIAL (TEMPERATURE CONTROL)

Increases or decreases the set temperature.

#### RECIRCULATION ( ) SWITCH

- When REC switch is ON, REC switch indicator turns ON, and air inlet is set to REC.
- When REC switch is turned OFF, or when compressor is turned from ON to OFF, REC switch is automatically turned OFF. REC mode can be re-entered by pressing REC switch again.
- REC switch is not operated when DEF switch is turned ON, or at the D/F or FOOT position.

#### DEFROSTER ( ) SWITCH

Positions the air outlet doors to the defrost position. Also positions the intake doors to the outside air position.

#### REAR WINDOW DEFOGGER SWITCH

When switch is ON, rear window is defogged.

#### OFF SWITCH (BLOWER SPEED DIAL)

The compressor and blower are OFF.

#### A/C SWITCH

The compressor is ON or OFF.

(Pressing the A/C switch will turn off the A/C switch and compressor.)

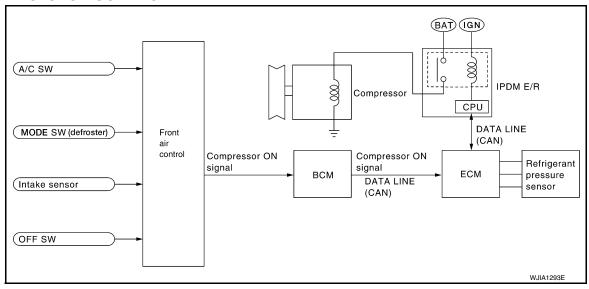
#### MODE SWITCHES

Controls the air discharge outlets.

#### FRONT BLOWER CONTROL DIAL

Manually controls the blower speed.

#### MAGNET CLUTCH CONTROL



When the A/C switch is pressed, or the DEF or D/F mode switch is pressed, the front air control outputs a compressor ON signal to BCM.

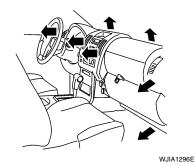
The BCM then sends a compressor ON signal to ECM, via CAN communication line.

ECM judges whether compressor can be turned ON, based on each sensor status (refrigerant pressure sensor signal, throttle angle sensor, etc.). If it judges compressor can be turned ON, it sends compressor ON signal to IPDM E/R, via CAN communication line.

Upon receipt of compressor ON signal from ECM, IPDM E/R turns air conditioner relay ON to operate compressor.

# Discharge Air Flow

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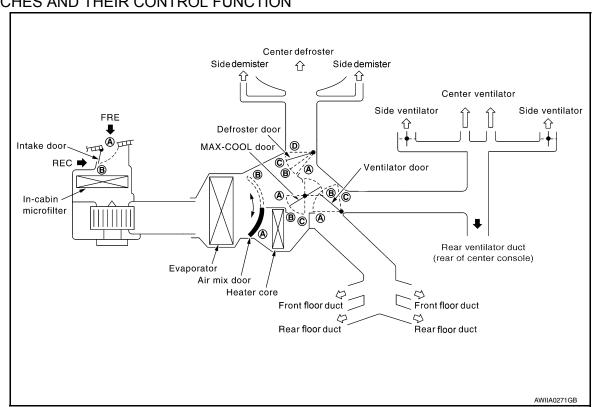


Mode door position		Air outlet/distribution	
	Vent	Foot	Defroster
7)	95%	5%	_
<b>*</b>	60%	40%	_
, j	20%	55%	25%
	15%	50%	35%
<b>\</b>	7%	15%	78%

#### Switches And Their Control Function

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#### SWITCHES AND THEIR CONTROL FUNCTION



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Position		MOD	E SW		DEF	SW	REC	SW	Temp	erature	dial	OFF
or	VENT	B/L	FOOT	D/F	ON	OFF	ON	OFF			<i>y</i>	sw
switch	<b>\</b> ;	_ <b>&gt;</b> *		<b>W</b> •	_	FRONT		<b>E</b>		MAX A/C	"))	1
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Ventilator door	<b>(A)</b>	B	©	©	©		_	_				©
MAX-COOL door	<b>(A)</b>	$^{f B}$	B	$^{f B}$	©		_	_		_		B
Defroster door	0	<b>(D)</b>		$^{f B}$	<b>(A)</b>		_					©
Intake door		_			B		A	B				B
Air mix door		_	_				_	_	<b>(A)</b>		B	

#### **DIAGNOSIS SYSTEM (BCM)**

< FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

# **DIAGNOSIS SYSTEM (BCM)**

# CONSULT-III Function (BCM - COMMON ITEM)

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#### APPLICATION ITEM

CONSULT-III performs the following functions via CAN communication with BCM.

Diagnosis mode	Function Description
WORK SUPPORT	Changes the setting for each system function.
SELF DIAGNOSTIC RESULT	Displays the diagnosis results judged by BCM. Refer to BCS-52, "DTC Index".
CAN DIAG SUPPORT MNTR	Monitors the reception status of CAN communication viewed from BCM.
DATA MONITOR	The BCM input/output signals are displayed.
ACTIVE TEST	The signals used to activate each device are forcibly supplied from BCM.
ECU IDENTIFICATION	The BCM part number is displayed.
CONFIGURATION	<ul> <li>Enables to read and save the vehicle specification.</li> <li>Enables to write the vehicle specification when replacing BCM.</li> </ul>

#### SYSTEM APPLICATION

BCM can perform the following functions for each system.

#### NOTE

It can perform the diagnosis modes except the following for all sub system selection items.

System	Cub avotom coloction item	Diagnosis mode				
System	Sub system selection item	WORK SUPPORT	DATA MONITOR	ACTIVE TEST		
BCM	BCM	×				
Door lock	DOOR LOCK	×	×	×		
Rear window defogger	REAR DEFOGGER		×	×		
Warning chime	BUZZER		×	×		
Interior room lamp timer	INT LAMP	×	×	×		
Remote keyless entry system	MULTI REMOTE ENT	×	×	×		
Exterior lamp	HEAD LAMP	×	×	×		
Wiper and washer	WIPER	×	×	×		
Turn signal and hazard warning lamps	FLASHER		×	×		
Air conditioner	AIR CONDITONER		×			
Combination switch	COMB SW		×			
Immobilizer	IMMU		×	×		
Interior room lamp battery saver	BATTERY SAVER	×	×	×		
Back door open	TRUNK		×	×		
Vehicle security system	THEFT ALM	×	×	×		
RAP (retained accessory power)	RETAINED PWR	×	×	×		
Signal buffer system	SIGNAL BUFFER		×	×		
TPMS (tire pressure monitoring system)	AIR PRESSURE MONITOR	×	×	×		
Panic alarm system	PANIC ALARM			×		

CONSULT-III Function (BCM - AIR CONDITIONER)

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#### **DATA MONITOR**

# **DIAGNOSIS SYSTEM (BCM)**

#### < FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

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Monitor Item [Unit]	Contents
IGN ON SW [ON/OFF]	Display [ignition switch position (On)/(Off), ACC position (Off)] status as judged from ignition switch signal
FAN ON SIG [ON/OFF]	Display [FAN (On)/FAN (Off)] status as judged form blower fan motor switch signal
AIR COND SW [ON/OFF]	Display [COMP (On)/COMP (Off)] status as judged from air conditioner switch signal

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#### SELF-DIAGNOSIS FUNCTION

### Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis

#### A/C SYSTEM SELF-DIAGNOSIS FUNCTION

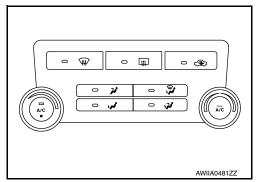
The self-diagnosis function is built into the front air control to quickly locate the cause of malfunctions.

#### DESCRIPTION

The self-diagnostic system diagnoses sensors, CAN system, and battery voltage on front air control. Refer to applicable sections (items) for details. Malfunctions (if any are present) will be displayed in the form of turning ON the A/C, MAX A/C, DEF and Intake button LED's. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis Chart".

#### SELF-DIAGNOSTIC MODE

- Turn ignition switch ON.
- 2. Press the FLOOR/DEF ( ) and DEF ( ) mode switches at the same time and release on the front air control.
- 3. Press the FLOOR ( ) and intake ( ) buttons within two seconds to enter self diagnostic mode.
- 4. The mode (VENT, FLOOR/DEF, FLOOR and VENT/FLOOR) LED's start flashing in a clockwise sequence indicating that Self test is in progress. This takes about 17 seconds to complete.
- 5. All mode LED's stay ON once self test completes.
- Malfunctions (if any) will be displayed in the form of turning ON the A/C, MAX A/C, DEF and Intake button LED's. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis Chart".
- 7. To exit diagnostic mode, press any button on the front air control.



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# Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis Chart

#### SELF-DIAGNOSTIC CHART

Button LED	Description
A/C	Evap sensor open
MAX A/C	Evap sensor short
DEFROST	Air mix door motor circuit malfunctioning
INTAKE	Mode door motor circuit malfunctioning

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

# **COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS**

# MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

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### System Description

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#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

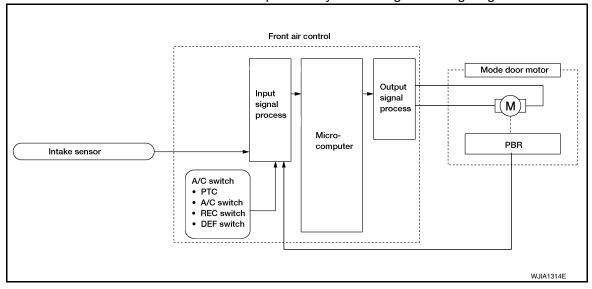
#### Component Parts

Mode door control system components are:

- Front air control
- Mode door motor
- PBR (built into mode door motor)
- · Intake sensor

#### System Operation

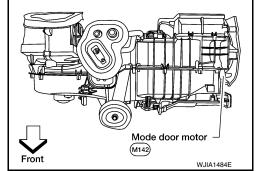
The mode door position (vent, B/L, foot, D/F, and defrost) is set by the front air control by means of the mode door motor. When a mode door position is selected on the front air control, voltage is applied to one circuit of the mode door motor while ground is applied to the other circuit, causing the mode door motor to rotate. The direction of rotation is determined by which circuit has voltage applied to it, and which one has ground applied to it. The front air control monitors the mode door position by measuring the voltage signal on the PBR circuit.



#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Mode Door Motor

The mode door motor is attached to the heater and cooling unit assembly. It rotates so that air is discharged from the outlet as indicated by the front air control. Motor rotation is conveyed to a link which activates the mode door.



# Mode Door Motor Component Function Check

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#### SYMPTOM:

- Air outlet does not change.
- Mode door motor does not operate normally.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

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#### < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

# $1. {\tt confirm\ symptom\ by\ performing\ operational\ check\ -\ discharge\ air}$

- 1. Turn blower control dial to HI speed.
- 2. Press each mode switch and check all positions.
- Confirm that discharge air comes out according to the air distribution table. Refer to <u>HAC-12</u>, "<u>Discharge Air Flow</u>".

#### NOTE:

Confirm that the compressor clutch is engaged (visual inspection) and intake door position is at FRESH when DEF ( $\mathfrak{P}$ ) or D/F ( $\mathfrak{P}$ ) is selected.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-20">HAC-20</a>, "Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

#### Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With VBC"</u>.

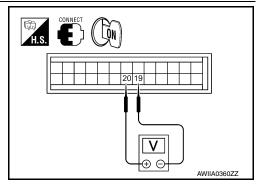
#### SYMPTOM:

- Air outlet does not change.
- · Mode door motor does not operate normally.

# 1. CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR POWER AND GROUND

- 1. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 2. Press the B/L (🕻) mode switch.
- 3. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 19 and terminal 20 while pressing the mode switch to the floor ( ) mode.

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	20	19	Press mode switch	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 2.

# 2.CHECK MODE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR SHORT TO GROUND

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 19, 20 and ground.

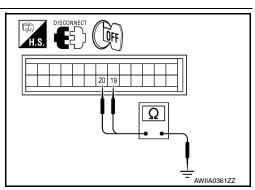
19 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.20 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

3.CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR GROUND AND POWER



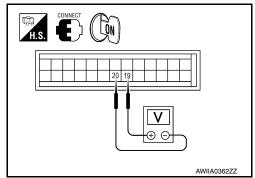
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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

Press the mode switch to the D/F ( ) mode.

Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 19 and terminal 20 while pressing the mode switch to the vent (\*\*) mode.

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	19	20	Press mode switch	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

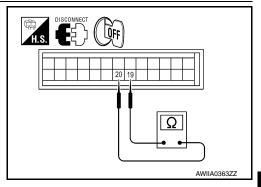
#### 4. CHECK MODE DOOR MOTOR AND CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 19 and terminal 20.

#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6. NO >> GO TO 5.



# CHECK MODE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

1. Disconnect the mode door motor harness connector.

 Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 19, 20 and the mode door motor harness connector M142 (B) terminal 1, 6.

> 6 - 19 : Continuity should exist. 1 - 20 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace mode door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-18, "Removal and Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 6. CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR PBR POWER AND GROUND

- 1. Reconnect front air control harness connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and terminal 3.

Connector	Teri	Voltage (Ap-	
Connector	(+)	(-)	prox.)
Front air control: M50	23	3	5V

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#### Is the inspection result normal?

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and ground.

#### Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 8. CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE AND GROUND CIRCUITS

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and terminal 3.

#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

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# $9.\mathsf{CHECK}$ PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

Disconnect the mode door motor harness connector.

Check continuity between mode door motor harness connector M142 (B) terminals 3, 2 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminals 3, 23.

> 23 - 3 : Continuity should exist. 3 - 2 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

>> Replace mode door motor. Refer to VTL-18, "Removal YES and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

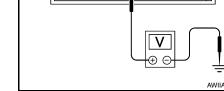
# 10. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK VOLTAGE

- Reconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 7 and ground while cycling mode switch through all modes.

#### : Approx. 1V - 4.5V Voltage

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YFS >> GO TO 12. NO >> GO TO 11.



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# 11. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK SIGNAL CIRCUIT FOR SHORT TO GROUND

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 7 and ground.

#### Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 12. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

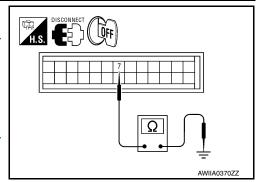
- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the mode door motor harness connector and front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between mode door motor harness connector M142 (B) terminal 4 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 7.

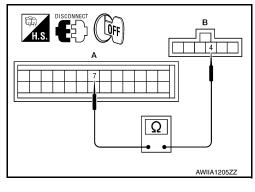
#### **Continuity should exist.**

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace mode door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-18, "Removal and Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.





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#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

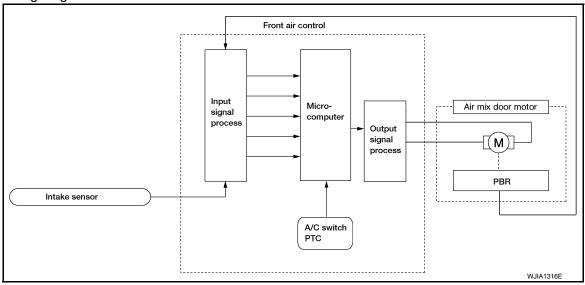
#### **Component Parts**

Air mix door control system components are:

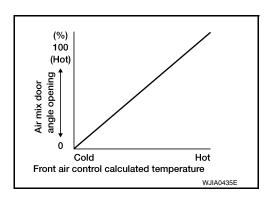
- · Front air control
- · Air mix door motor
- PBR (built into air mix door motor)
- · Intake sensor

#### System Operation

The front air control receives data from the temperature selected by the driver. The front air control then applies a voltage to one circuit of the air mix door motor, while ground is applied to the other circuit, causing the air mix door motor to rotate. The direction of rotation is determined by which circuit has voltage applied to it, and which one has ground applied to it. The front air control monitors the air mix door positions by measuring the voltage signal on the PBR circuits of each door.



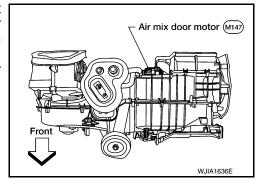
Air Mix Door Control Specification



#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

Air Mix Door Motor

The air mix door motor is attached to the heater and cooling unit assembly. This motor rotates so that the air mix door is opened or closed to a position set by the front air control. Motor rotation is then conveyed through a shaft and the air mix door position is then fed back to the front air control by the PBR built into the air mix door motor.



Air Mix Door Motor Component Function Check

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#### INSPECTION FLOW

- 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK TEMPERATURE INCREASE
- 1. Blower must be ON.
- 2. Turn the temperature control dial clockwise to maximum heat.
- 3. Check for hot air at discharge air outlets.

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# 2.confirm symptom by performing operational check - temperature decrease

- 1. Turn the temperature control dial counterclockwise to maximum cold.
- 2. Check for cold air at discharge air outlets.

#### Is the inspection results normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to HAC-25, "Air Mix Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

# Air Mix Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50, "Wiring Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With VBC"</u>.

#### SYMPTOM:

- Discharge air temperature does not change.
- · Air mix door motor does not operate.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR

# 1. CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR POWER AND GROUND

- Turn ignition switch ON.
- 2. Rotate temperature control dial to maximum hot.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 17 and terminal 18 while rotating temperature control dial to maximum cold.

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	17	18	Rotate temp control dial	Battery voltage

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#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3. NO >> GO TO 2.

# 2.CHECK AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR SHORT TO GROUND

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 17, 18 and ground.

17 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.18 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

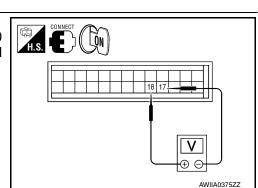
YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 3.CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR POWER AND GROUND

- 1. Rotate temperature control dial to maximum hot.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 17 and terminal 18 while rotating temperature control dial to maximum cold.

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	18	17	Rotate temp control dial	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

# 4. CHECK AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 17 and terminal 18.

#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6. NO >> GO TO 5.

# DISCONNECT OFF

# 5. CHECK AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

- Disconnect the air mix door motor harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 17, 18 and the air mix door motor harness connector M148 (B) terminal 5, 6.

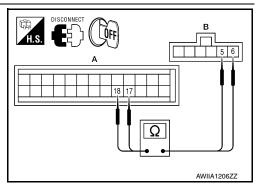
17 - 5 : Continuity should exist.18 - 6 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace air mix door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-19</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 6. CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR PBR POWER AND GROUND



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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- 1. Reconnect front air control harness connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and terminal 1.

Connector	Terr	Voltage (Ap-	
Connector	(+)	(-)	prox.)
Front air control: M50	23	1	5V

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#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 8. NO >> GO TO 7.

# 7.CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE CIRCUIT FOR SHORT TO GROUND

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and ground.

#### Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 8. CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE AND GROUND CIRCUITS

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 23 and terminal 1.

#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 10. NO >> GO TO 9.

# 9. CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

- 1. Disconnect the air mix door motor harness connector.
- Check continuity between air mix door motor harness connector M148 (B) terminal 3, 1 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 3 and terminal 23.

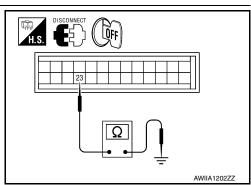
23 - 1 : Continuity should exist. 3 - 3 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace air mix door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-19</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 10.CHECK PBR FEEDBACK VOLTAGE



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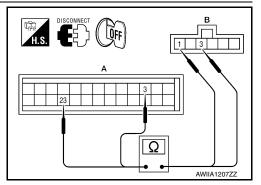
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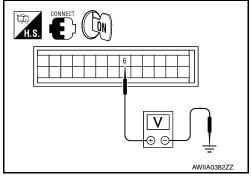
[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- 1. Reconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 6 and ground while rotating temperature control dial from maximum hot to maximum cold.

#### Voltage : Approx. 0.5V - 4.5V

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 12. NO >> GO TO 11.



# 11. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK SIGNAL CIRCUIT FOR SHORT TO GROUND

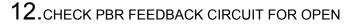
- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 6 and ground.

#### Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.



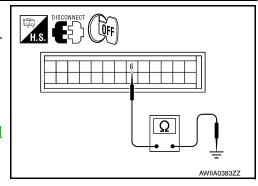
- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the air mix door motor harness connector and front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between air mix door motor harness connector M148 (B) terminal 2 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 6.

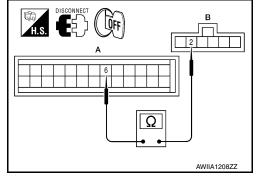
#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace air mix door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.





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#### INTAKE DOOR MOTOR

# System Description

# SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

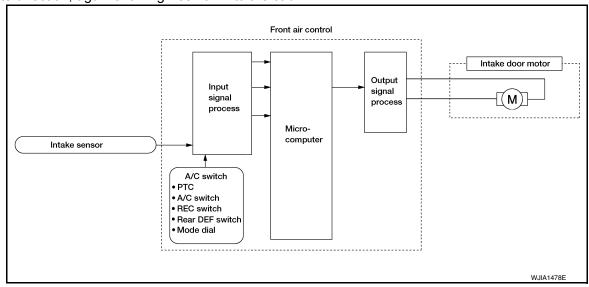
Component Parts

Intake door control system components are:

- Front air control
- Intake door motor
- · Intake sensor

#### System Operation

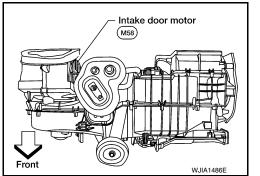
The intake door control determines the intake door position based on the position of the recirculation switch. When the recirculation switch is depressed the intake door motor rotates closing off the fresh air inlet and recirculating the cabin air. If the recirculation switch is depressed again, the intake door motor rotates in the opposite direction, again allowing fresh air into the cabin.



#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

Intake door motor

The intake door motor is attached to the intake unit. It rotates so that air is drawn from inlets set by the front air control. Motor rotation is conveyed to a lever which activates the intake door.



# Intake Door Motor Component Function Check

SYMPTOM:

- · Intake door does not change.
- Intake door motor does not operate normally.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

- 1.CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK REC (  $lap{ }$
- Turn blower control dial to any speed.

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#### INTAKE DOOR MOTOR

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- Press vent mode (\*) switch.
- 3. Press REC ( ) switch.
- 4. Press REC ( ) switch again.
- Listen for intake door position change (you should hear blower sound change slightly).

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-30">HAC-30</a>, "Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

#### Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With VBC"</u>.

#### SYMPTOM:

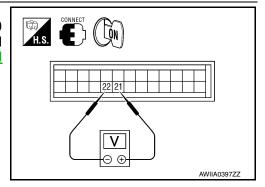
- Intake door does not change.
- · Intake door motor does not operate normally.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR INTAKE DOOR MOTOR

# 1. CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR POWER AND GROUND

- 1. Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 21 and terminal 22 while placing the front air control into self-diagnostic mode. Refer to <u>HAC-17</u>, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis".

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	21	22	Self-diagnostic mode	Battery volt- age



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 2.

# $2.\mathsf{CHECK}$ intake door motor circuits for short to ground

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 21, 22 and ground.

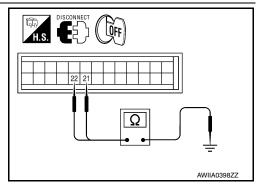
21 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.22 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

3.CHECK FRONT AIR CONTROL FOR GROUND AND POWER



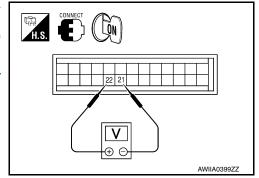
#### **INTAKE DOOR MOTOR**

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- Press any button on the front air control to back out of self-diagnostic mode.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 21 and terminal 22 while placing the front air control into self-diagnostic mode. Refer to <u>HAC-17</u>, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis".

Connector	Terminals		Condition	Voltage
Connector	(+)	(-)	Condition	(Approx.)
Front air control: M50	22	21	Self-diagnostic mode	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

# 4.CHECK INTAKE DOOR MOTOR AND CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

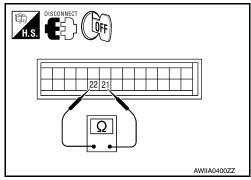
- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control harness connector.
- 3. Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 21 and terminal 22.

#### Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace intake door motor. Refer to <a href="VTL-17">VTL-17</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> GO TO 5.



# 5. CHECK INTAKE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUITS FOR OPEN

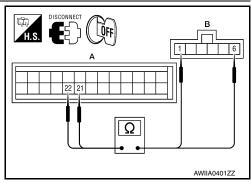
- 1. Disconnect the intake door motor harness connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminals 21, 22 and the intake door motor harness connector M58 (B) terminals 1, 6.

21 - 6 : Continuity should exist. 22 - 1 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace intake door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-17</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.



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#### **BLOWER MOTOR**

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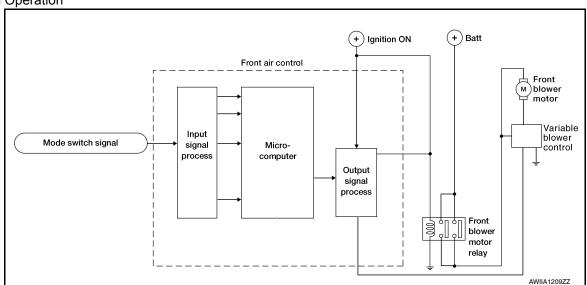
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#### Component Parts

Blower speed control system components are:

- Front air control
- Variable blower control
- · Front blower motor
- · Front blower motor relay
- · Front blower switch

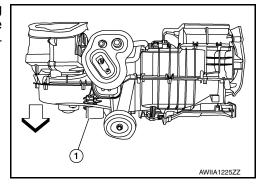
#### **System Operation**



#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Variable Blower Control

The variable blower control (1) is located on the heater and cooling unit assembly. The variable blower control receives a gate voltage from the front air control to steplessly maintain the blower motor voltage in the 0 to 5 volt range (approx.)  $\Rightarrow$ : front



# Front Blower Motor Component Function Check

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#### INSPECTION FLOW

# 1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - front blower

- Rotate the blower control dial clockwise. Blower should operate.
- Rotate the blower control dial clockwise, and continue checking blower speed until all speeds are checked.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-33">HAC-33</a>, "Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

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## Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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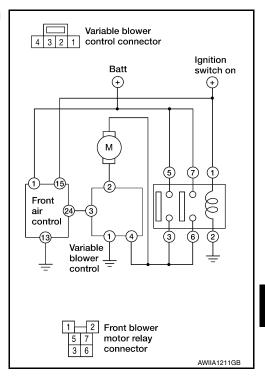
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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50</u>, "Wiring Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With <u>VBC</u>".

SYMPTOM: Blower motor operation is malfunctioning.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR BLOWER MOTOR

SYMPTOM: Blower motor operation is malfunctioning under starting blower speed control.



# 1. CHECK FUSES

Check 15A fuses [No. 24 and 27 (Located in the fuse and fusible link box)]. For fuse layout. Refer to <u>PG-69.</u> "Terminal Arrangement".

#### Fuses are good.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2. NO >> GO TO 9.

# 2.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front blower motor connector.
- 3. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Press the A/C switch.
- 5. Rotate blower control dial to maximum speed.
- 6. Check voltage between front blower motor harness connector M62 terminal 2 and ground.

#### 2 - Ground

#### : Battery voltage

#### <u>Is the inspection result normal?</u>

YES >> GO TO 12. NO >> GO TO 3.

3.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY (SWITCH SIDE) POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT

Front blower motor connector

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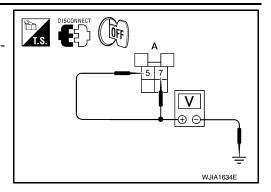
- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front blower motor relay.
- 3. Check voltage between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminals 5,7 and ground.

#### 5, 7 - Ground : Battery voltage

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



#### 4. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY

Turn ignition switch OFF.

Check front blower motor relay. Refer to HAC-36, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Replace front blower motor relay.

# 5.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY (SWITCH SIDE) CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

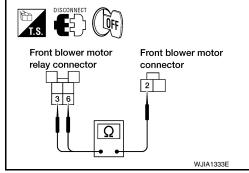
Check continuity between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminals 3, 6 and front blower motor harness connector M62 terminal 2.

#### 3, 6 - 2 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



# 6. CHECK VARIABLE BLOWER CONTROL POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

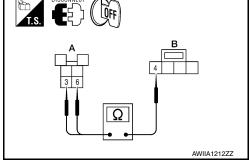
- Disconnect variable blower control harness connector.
- Check continuity between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 (A) terminals 3, 6 and variable blower control harness connector M121 (B) terminal 4.

#### 3, 6 - 4 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 7.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



# 7. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY (COIL SIDE) GROUND CIRCUIT

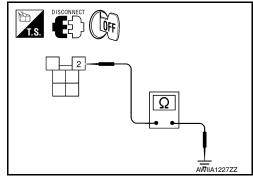
Check continuity between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminal 2 and ground.

# 2 - Ground : Continuity should exist

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 8.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



# 8. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY (COIL SIDE) POWER SUPPLY

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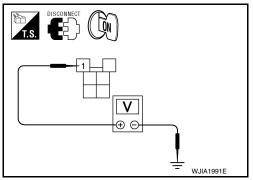
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminal 1 and ground.

#### 1 - Ground : Battery voltage

#### Is the inspection result normal?

>> Replace variable blower control. Refer to VTL-10. "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair front blower motor ground circuit or connector.



# 9. REPLACE FUSES

Replace fuses.

#### Does the fuse blow?

>> • If fuse blows without activating the front blower motor, repair short between fuse and front blower motor relay.

If fuse blows activating the front blower motor, GO TO 10.

NO >> Inspection End.

# 10. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT FOR SHORT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front blower motor connector and variable blower 2. control connector.
- Check continuity between variable blower control harness connector M121 terminal 4 and ground.



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 11.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# 11. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR

Check front blower motor. Refer to HAC-32, "Front Blower Motor Component Function Check".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace variable blower control. Refer to <a href="VTL-10">VTL-10</a>, "Removal and Installation".

>> Replace front blower motor. Refer to VTL-9, "Removal and Installation". NO

# 12. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR

Check front blower motor. Refer to HAC-32, "Front Blower Motor Component Function Check".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 13.

NO >> Replace front blower motor. Refer to VTL-9, "Removal and Installation".

# 13. CHECK BLOWER MOTOR GROUND CIRCUIT

- Disconnect variable blower control harness connector.
- 2. Check continuity between front blower motor harness connector M62 (B) terminal 1 and variable blower control harness connector M121 (A) terminal 2.

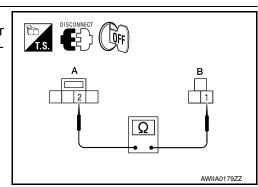
#### 1 - 2 : Continuity should exist.

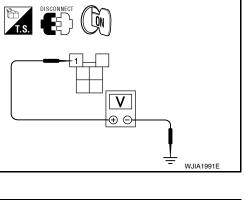
#### Is the inspection result normal?

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YES >> GO TO 14.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.





14.CHECK VARIABLE BLOWER CONTROL POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

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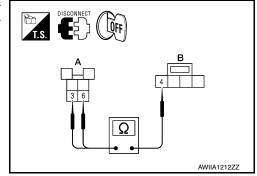
Check continuity between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 (A) terminals 3, 6 and variable blower control harness connector M121 (B) terminal 4.

> 3, 6 - 4 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 15.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



# 15. CHECK VARIABLE BLOWER CONTROL GROUND CIRCUIT

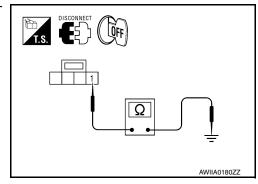
Check continuity between variable blower control harness connector M121 terminal 1 and ground.

> 1 - Ground : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

>> GO TO 16. YES

>> Repair harness or connector. NO



# 16. CHECK VARIABLE BLOWER CONTROL SIGNAL CIRCUIT

- Reconnect all disconnected component connectors.
- Disconnect front air control connector.
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Turn blower control dial to maximum speed.
- 5. check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 24 and ground.

#### 24 - Ground Approx.: 4.5V

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> GO TO 17.

# 17. CHECK VARIABLE BLOWER CONTROL SIGNAL CIRCUIT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect variable blower control.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 (B) terminal 24 and variable blower control harness connector M121 (A) terminal 3.

#### 24 - 3 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

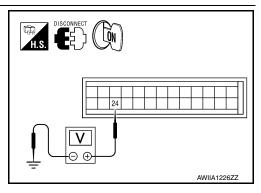
YES >> Replace variable blower control. Refer to VTL-10. "Removal and Installation".

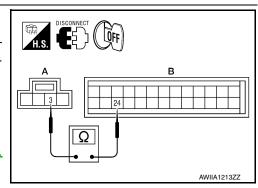
NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# Front Blower Motor Component Inspection

### COMPONENT INSPECTION

Front Blower Motor Relay





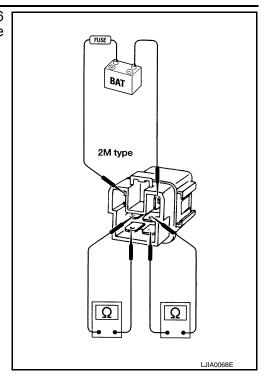
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#### **BLOWER MOTOR**

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

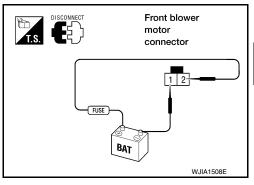
Check continuity between terminals 3 and 5 and terminals 7 and 6 by supplying 12 volts and ground to coil side terminals 1 and 2 of the relay.



#### Front Blower Motor

Confirm smooth rotation of the blower motor.

- Ensure that there are no foreign particles inside the blower unit.
- Apply 12 volts to terminal 2 and ground to terminal 1 and verify that the motor operates freely and quietly.



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#### MAGNET CLUTCH

#### System Description

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#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The front air control controls compressor operation based on intake temperature and a signal from ECM.

Low Temperature Protection Control

The front air control will turn the compressor ON or OFF as determined by a signal detected by the intake sensor.

When intake air temperature is higher than 3.5°C (38.3°F), the compressor turns ON. The compressor turns OFF when intake air temperature is lower than 2.5°C (36.5°F).

#### Magnet Clutch Component Function Check

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SYMPTOM: Magnet clutch does not engage.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

## 1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - magnet clutch

- 1. Rotate blower control dial clockwise.
- 2. Press the vent (\*) mode switch.
- 3. Press A/C switch. Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-38">HAC-38</a>, "Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure".

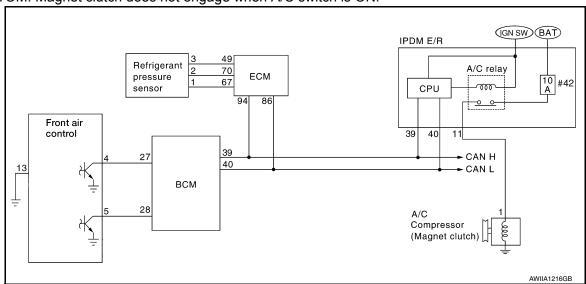
#### Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With VBC"</u>.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR MAGNET CLUTCH

SYMPTOM: Magnet clutch does not engage when A/C switch is ON.



## 1.PERFORM IPDM E/R AUTO ACTIVE TEST

Perform IPDM E/R auto active test. Refer to <u>PCS-15</u>, <u>"CONSULT - III Function (IPDM E/R)"</u>. Does magnet clutch operate?

#### YES or NO

YES >> • @WITH CONSULT-III GO TO 2.

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• WITHOUT CONSULT-III GO TO 8.

NO >> Check 10A fuse (No. 42, located in IPDM E/R), and GO TO 12.

2.CHECK BCM INPUT (A/C COMPRESSOR ON) SIGNAL

Check A/C compressor ON/OFF signal. Refer to HAC-15, "CONSULT-III Function (BCM - COMMON ITEM)".

A/C SW ON : AIR COND SW ON A/C SW OFF : AIR COND SW OFF

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3. NO >> GO TO 8.

3. CHECK REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR

Check refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to EC-424, "Diagnosis Procedure".

Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to <u>HA-37</u>, "Removal and Installation for Refrigerant <u>Pressure Sensor"</u>.

4. CHECK BCM INPUT (FAN ON) SIGNAL

Check FAN ON/OFF signal. Refer to HAC-15, "CONSULT-III Function (BCM - AIR CONDITIONER)".

BLOWER CONTROL DIAL : FAN ON SIG ON

ON

BLOWER CONTROL DIAL : FAN ON SIG OFF

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Is the inspection result normal?

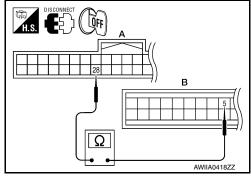
YES >> GO TO 7.

NO >> GO TO 5.

## ${f 5}.$ CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN BCM AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- Check continuity between BCM harness connector M18 (A) terminal 28 and front air control harness connector M50 (B) terminal 5.

А		В		
Connector	Connector Terminal		Terminal	Continuity
BCM: M18	28	Front air control: M50	5	Yes



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

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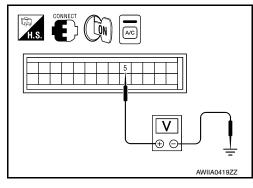
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- 1. Reconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Turn A/C switch ON.
- 4. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 5 and ground.

	Terminals			
(+)		(-)	Condition	Voltage
Front air con- trol connector	Terminal No.			(Approx.)
M50	5	Ground	A/C switch: ON Blower motor operates	0V
			A/C switch: OFF	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

NO-1 >> If the voltage is approx. 5V when blower motor is ON, replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>. "Removal and Installation".

NO-2 >> If the voltage is approx. 0V when blower motor is OFF, replace BCM. Refer to <u>BCS-56, "Removal and Installation"</u>.

#### 7. CHECK CAN COMMUNICATION

Check CAN communication. Refer to LAN-14, "Trouble Diagnosis Flow Chart".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

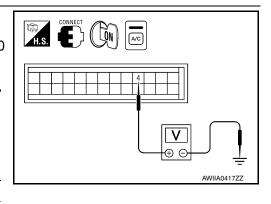
YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Repair or replace malfunctioning part(s).

## 8.CHECK VOLTAGE FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL (A/C COMPRESSOR ON SIGNAL)

- Reconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 4 and ground.

	Terminals					
(+)		+) (-)		Voltage		
Front air control con- nector	Terminal No.		Condition	(Approx.)		
			A/C switch: ON	0V		
M50	4	Ground	A/C switch: OFF	5V		



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 9.

NO-1 >> If the voltage is approx. 5V when A/C switch is ON, replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, <u>"Removal and Installation"</u>.

NO-2 >> If the voltage is approx. 0V when A/C switch is OFF, replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

## 9. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN BCM AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

#### **MAGNET CLUTCH**

#### < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- 1. Disconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- Check continuity between BCM harness connector M18 (A) terminal 27 and front air control harness connector M50 (B) terminal 4.

#### 27 - 4 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 10.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

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## 10. CHECK INTAKE SENSOR CIRCUITS

Check intake sensor. Refer to HAC-43, "Intake Sensor Component Inspection".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 11.

NO >> Replace intake sensor. Refer to <a href="VTL-8">VTL-8</a>, "Removal and Installation".

## 11. CHECK CAN COMMUNICATION

Check CAN communication. Refer to LAN-14, "Trouble Diagnosis Flow Chart".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace malfunctioning part(s).

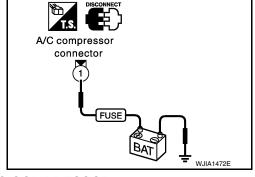
## 12. CHECK MAGNET CLUTCH CIRCUIT

- Disconnect A/C compressor connector.
- Check for operation sound when applying battery voltage to A/C compressor terminal 1.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 13.

NO >> Replace magnet clutch. Refer to <u>HA-29</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation for Compressor Clutch"</u>.



## 13. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN IPDM E/R AND A/C COMPRESSOR

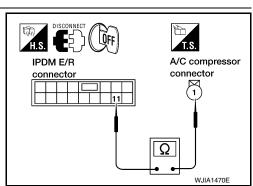
- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect IPDM E/R connector.
- Check continuity between IPDM E/R harness connector E119 terminal 11 and A/C compressor harness connector F3 terminal 1.

#### 11 – 1 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace IPDM E/R. Refer to <u>PCS-33</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation of IPDM E/R"</u>.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



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#### INTAKE SENSOR

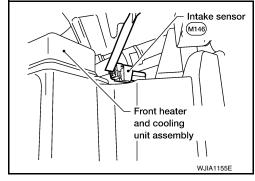
## System Description

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#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Intake Sensor

The intake sensor is located on top of the heater and cooling unit assembly next to the A/C evaporator cover. It converts temperature of air after it passes through the evaporator into a resistance value which is then input to the front air control.



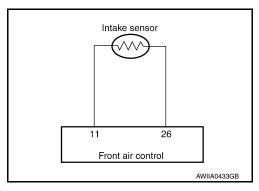
## Intake Sensor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-50</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - With VBC"</u>.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR INTAKE SENSOR

SYMPTOM: Intake sensor circuit is open or shorted.



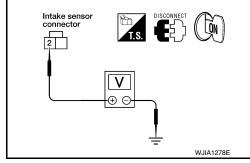
## 1. CHECK VOLTAGE BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND GROUND

- Disconnect intake sensor connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Check voltage between intake sensor harness connector M146 terminal 2 and ground.

#### 2 - Ground : Approx. 5V

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2. NO >> GO TO 4.



## 2.CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

#### INTAKE SENSOR

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 (B) terminal 1 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 26.

#### 1 - 26 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# 3. CHECK INTAKE SENSOR

Refer to HAC-43, "Intake Sensor Component Inspection".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

>> Replace intake sensor. Refer to VTL-8, "Removal and Installation". NO

## 4. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 (B) terminal 2 and front air control harness connector M50 (A) terminal 11.

#### 2 - 11 : Continuity should exist.

4. Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 (B) terminal 2 and ground.

#### 2 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

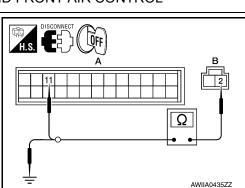
YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

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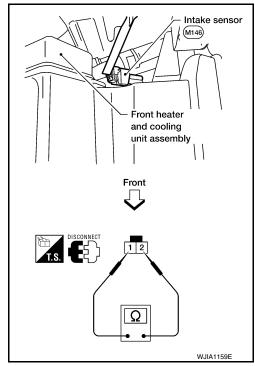
#### **INTAKE SENSOR**

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

After disconnecting intake sensor connector, measure resistance between terminals 1 and 2 at sensor harness side, using the table below.

Temperature °C (°F)	Resistance kΩ
-15 (5)	209.0
-10 (14)	160.0
-5 (23)	123.0
0 (32)	95.8
5 (41)	74.9
10 (50)	58.9
15 (59)	46.7
20 (68)	37.3
25 (77)	30.0
30 (86)	24.2
35 (95)	19.7
40 (104)	16.1
45 (113)	13.2



If NG, replace intake sensor. Refer to  $\underline{\text{VTL-8}}$  "Removal and Installation".

#### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

#### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

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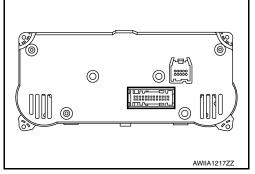
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#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Front Air Control

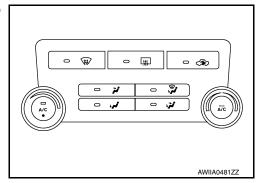
The front air control has a built-in microcomputer which processes information sent from various sensors needed for air conditioner operation. The air mix door motor, mode door motor, intake door motor, blower motor and compressor are then controlled.

The front air control is unitized with control mechanisms. When the various switches and temperature dials are operated, data is input to the front air control.



#### Potentio Temperature Control (PTC)

The PTC is built into the front air control. It can be set from cold to hot or any intermediate position by rotating the temperature dial.



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## Front Air Control Component Function Check

SYMPTOM: A/C system does not come on.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

## 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK

- 1. Turn blower motor ON, then press A/C switch.
- Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <u>HAC-45</u>, "Front Air Control Power and Ground Diagnosis Procedure".

#### Front Air Control Power and Ground Diagnosis Procedure

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#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR A/C SYSTEM

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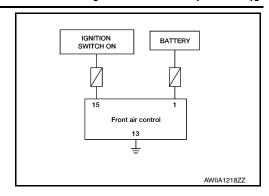
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#### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

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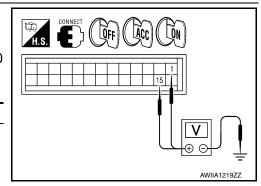
SYMPTOM: A/C system does not come on.



## 1. CHECK POWER SUPPLY CIRCUITS FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- 3. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M50 terminals 1 and 15, and ground.

	Terminals		Ignit	tion switch pos	sition
	(+)				
Front air control connector	Terminal No.	(-)	OFF	ACC	ON
M50	15	Ground	Approx. 0V	Approx. 0V	Battery voltage
M50	1	Giodila	Battery voltage	Battery voltage	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2.

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- >> Check 10A fuses [Nos. 8 and 19, located in the fuse block (J/B)]. Refer to <u>PG-68, "Terminal Arrangement"</u>.
  - If fuses are OK, check harness for open circuit. Repair or replace as necessary.
  - If fuses are NG, replace fuse and check harness for short circuit. Repair or replace as necessary.

## 2.CHECK GROUND CIRCUIT FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M50 terminal 13 and ground.

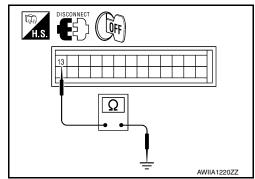
#### 13 - Ground

: Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



#### MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

# **ECU DIAGNOSIS**

## MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower con- trol (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

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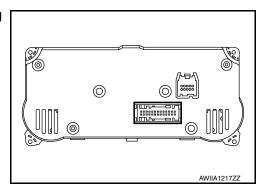
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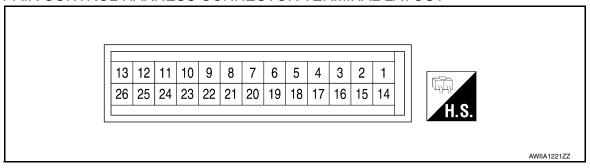
#### AIR CONDITIONER CONTROL

#### Front Air Control Terminals Reference Values

Measure voltage between each terminal and ground by following Terminals and Reference Values for front air control.



#### FRONT AIR CONTROL HARNESS CONNECTOR TERMINAL LAYOUT



#### TERMINALS AND REFERENCE VALUES FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

Terminal No.	Wire color	ltem	Ignition switch	Condition	Voltage (V) (Approx.)
1	R/Y	Power supply for BAT	-	-	Battery voltage
3	Р	Ground for mode door motor and air mix door motor PBR	ON	-	0V
4	W	Compressor ON signal	ON	A/C switch OFF	5V
4	VV	Compressor ON signal	ON	A/C switch ON	0V
5	R	Front blower monitor	ON	Front blower motor OFF	Battery voltage
5	K	Front blower monitor	ON	Front blower motor ON	0V
6	SB	Air mix door motor feedback	ON	-	0 - 5V
7	V	Mode door motor feedback	ON	-	0 - 5V
8	G	Illumination +	ON	Park lamps ON	Battery voltage
9	BR	Illumination -	-	Park lamps ON	(V) 15 10 5 0 200 ms
10	R	Rear defrost request	ON	-	Battery voltage
11	L	Intake sensor	ON	-	0 - 5V
13	В	Ground	-	-	0V
15	W/G	Power supply for IGN	ON	-	Battery voltage
16	Υ	Rear defroster request	ON	-	Battery voltage

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Terminal No.	Wire color	Item	Ignition switch	Condition	Voltage (V) (Approx.)
17	GR	Air mix door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
18	0	Air mix door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
19	R	Mode door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
20	BR	Mode door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
21	0	Intake door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
22	Υ	Intake door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
23	G	Power supply for mode door motor and air mix door motor PBR	ON	-	5V
24	LG	Variable blower control	ON	Blower speed (low)	1.7V
24	LG	variable blower correction		Blower speed (hi)	4.5V
26	V	Sensor ground	ON	-	0 - 5V

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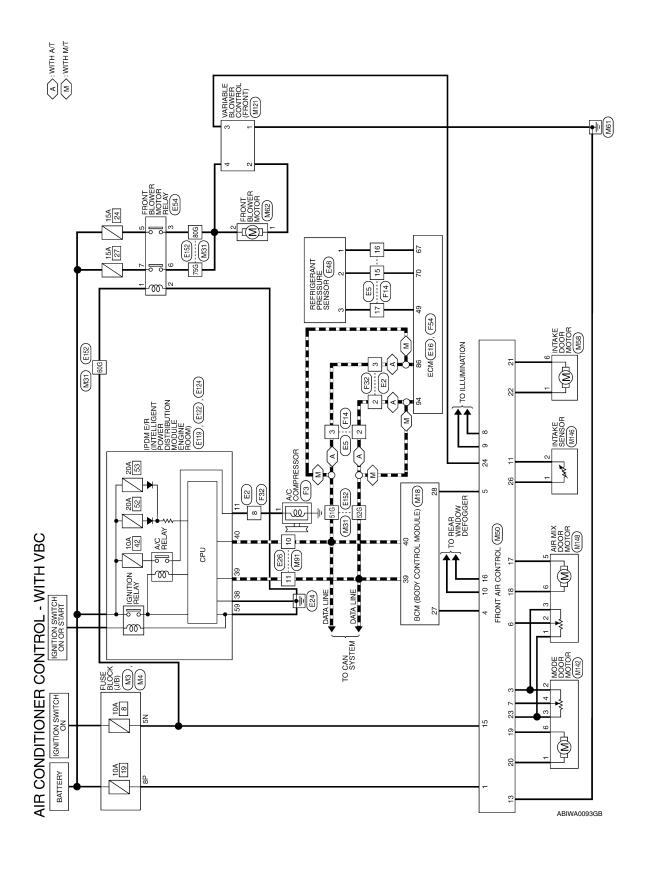
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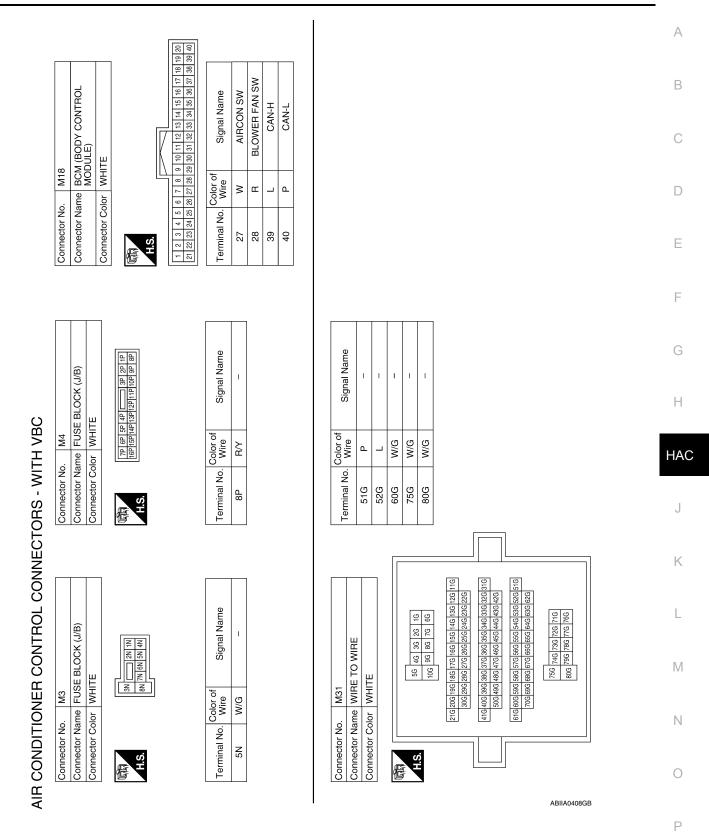
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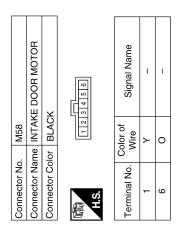
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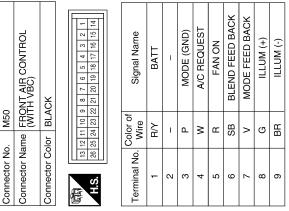
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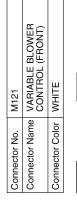






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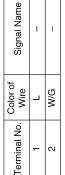
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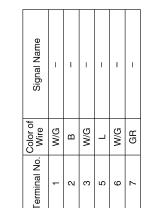
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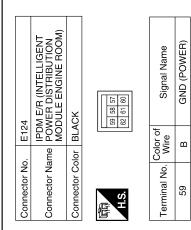
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Connector Color BLACK	BLACK



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# **SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS**

## MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower con- trol (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

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## [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

## AIR CONDITIONER CONTROL

## Symptom Matrix Chart

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#### SYMPTOM TABLE

Symptom	Reference Page	
A/C system does not come on.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for A/C System.	<u>HAC-45</u>
Air outlet does not change.	Co to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Mode Door Motor	HAC 10
Mode door motor is malfunctioning.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Mode Door Motor.	<u>HAC-19</u>
Discharge air temperature does not change.	Co to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Air Mix Door Motor	HAC 25
Air mix door motor is malfunctioning.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Air Mix Door Motor.	<u>HAC-25</u>
Intake door does not change.	Co to Trouble Diagnosis Presedure for lately Deer Motor	114.0.20
Intake door motor is malfunctioning.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Intake Door Motor.	<u>HAC-29</u>
Front blower motor operation is malfunctioning.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Front Blower Motor.	<u>HAC-32</u>
Magnet clutch does not engage.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Magnet Clutch.	<u>HAC-38</u>
Insufficient cooling	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Insufficient Cooling.	<u>HAC-58</u>
Insufficient heating	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Insufficient Heating.	HAC-66
Noise	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Noise.	<u>HAC-68</u>
Self-Diagnosis cannot be performed	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Self-Diagnosis.	<u>HAC-17</u>

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#### INSUFFICIENT COOLING

#### Component Function Check

SYMPTOM: Insufficient cooling

INSPECTION FLOW

## 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK - TEMPERATURE DECREASE

- 1. Turn temperature control dial counterclockwise to maximum cold.
- Check for cold air at discharge air outlets.

#### Can the symptom be duplicated?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 2.

#### 2.CHECK FOR ANY SYMPTOMS

Perform a complete operational check for any symptoms. Refer to HAC-6, "Operational Check".

#### Does another symptom exist?

YES >> Refer to HAC-57, "Symptom Matrix Chart".

NO >> System OK.

#### 3.CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS

Check for any service bulletins.

>> GO TO 4.

#### 4.PERFORM SELF-DIAGNOSIS

Perform self-diagnosis. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Check symptom chart. Refer to <a href="HAC-57">HAC-57</a>, "Symptom Matrix Chart".

#### CHECK DRIVE BELTS

Check compressor belt tension. Refer to EM-13, "Checking Drive Belts".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Adjust or replace compressor belt. Refer to EM-13, "Adjustment".

#### $\mathsf{6}.\mathsf{CHECK}$ AIR MIX DOOR OPERATION

Check and verify air mix door mechanism for smooth operation.

#### Does air mix door operate correctly?

YES >> GO TO 7.

NO >> Repair or replace air mix door control linkage.

## 7.CHECK COOLING FAN MOTOR OPERATION

Check and verify cooling fan motor for smooth operation. Refer to EC-401, "Component Inspection".

#### Does cooling fan motor operate correctly?

YES >> GO TO 8.

NO >> Check cooling fan motor. Refer to <a href="EC-401">EC-401</a>, "Component Inspection".

#### 8.CHECK RECOVERY/RECYCLING EQUIPMENT BEFORE USAGE

Check recovery/recycling equipment before connecting to vehicle. Verify there is no pressure in the recovery/recycling equipment by checking the gauges. If pressure exists, recover refrigerant from equipment lines.

>> GO TO 9.

#### CHECK REFRIGERANT PURITY

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<ol> <li>Connect recovery/recycling equipment to vehicle.</li> <li>Confirm refrigerant purity in supply tank using recovery/recycling and refrigerant identifier.</li> </ol>	А
Is the inspection result normal?	
YES >> GO TO 10. NO >> Check contaminated refrigerant. Refer to HA-4, "Contaminated Refrigerant".  10.CHECK FOR EVAPORATOR FREEZE UP	В
Start engine and run A/C. Check for evaporator freeze up.	С
Does evaporator freeze up?	
YES >> Perform diagnostic work flow. Refer to <u>HAC-59, "Diagnostic Work Flow"</u> . NO >> GO TO 11.	D
11. CHECK REFRIGERANT PRESSURE	
Check refrigerant pressure with manifold gauge connected. Refer to <u>HAC-61</u> , " <u>Performance Chart</u> ".	
Is the inspection result normal?	Е
YES >> Perform diagnostic work flow. Refer to <u>HAC-59, "Diagnostic Work Flow"</u> . NO >> GO TO 12.	_
12.CHECK AIR DUCTS	F
Check ducts for air leaks.	
Is the inspection result normal?	G
YES >> System OK. NO >> Repair air leaks.	
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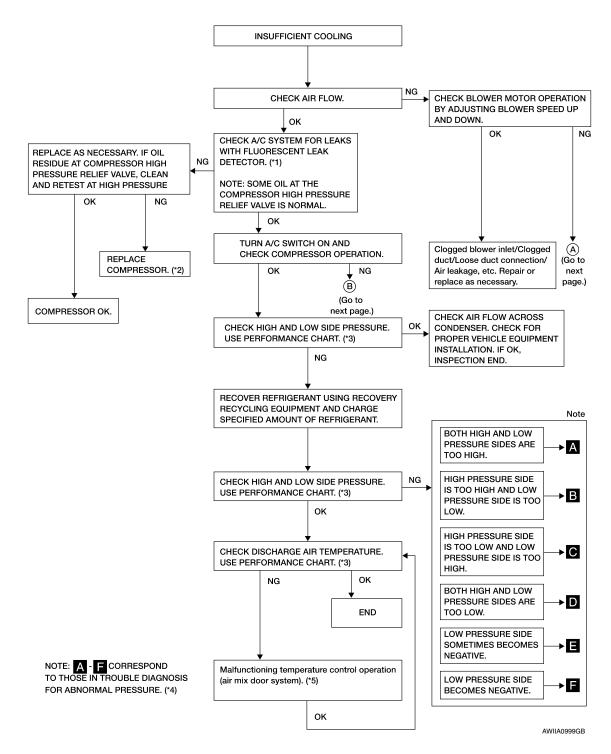
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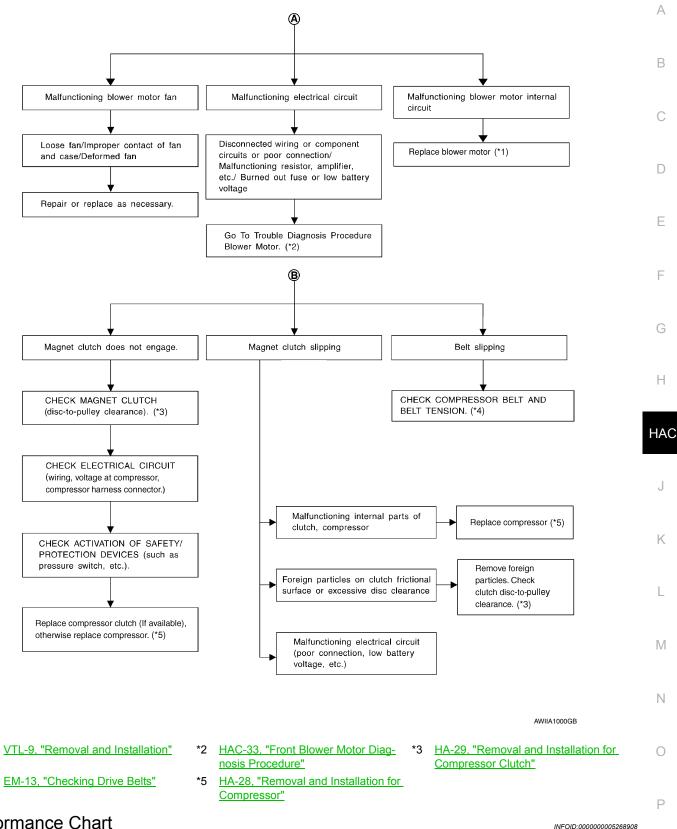
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## Performance Chart

#### **TEST CONDITION**

Testing must be performed as follows:

Vehicle location	Indoors or in the shade (in a well-ventilated place)
Doors	Closed
Door window	Open
Hood	Open
TEMP.	Max. COLD
Mode switch	(Ventilation) set
Recirculation (REC) switch	(Recirculation) set
\$ Blower speed	Max. speed set
Engine speed	Idle speed
Operate the air conditioning system	of ror 10 minutes before taking measurements.

#### **TEST READING**

Recirculating-to-discharge Air Temperature Table

Inside air (Recirculating a	ir) at blower assembly inlet	Discharge dir temperature et center ventileter
Relative humidity %	Air temperature °C (°F)	Discharge air temperature at center ventilator °C (°F)
	20 (68)	5.3 - 6.5 (42 - 44)
	25 (77)	9.7 - 11.5 (49 - 53)
50 - 60	30 (86)	13.8 - 16.3 (57 - 61)
	35 (95)	18.0 - 21.2 (64 - 70)
	40 (104)	22.2 - 25.7 (72 - 78)
	20 (68)	6.5 - 7.7 (44 - 46)
	25 (77)	11.5 - 13.3 (53 - 56)
60 - 70	30 (86)	16.3 - 18.8 (61 - 66)
	35 (95)	21.2 - 24.0 (70 - 75)
	40 (104)	25.7 - 29.2 (78 - 85)

Ambient Air Temperature-to-operating Pressure Table

Ambient air		High-pressure (Discharge side)	Low-pressure (Suction side)	
Relative humidity %	Air temperature °C (°F)	kPa (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , psi)	kPa (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , psi)	
	20 (68)	680 - 840 (6.94 - 8.57, 98.6 - 121.8)	160 - 198 (1.63 - 2.02, 23.2 - 28.7)	
	25 (77)	800 - 985 (8.16 - 10.05, 116.0 - 142.8)	198 - 245 (2.02 - 2.50, 28.7 - 35.5)	
50 - 70	30 (86)	940 - 1,150 (9.59 - 11.73, 136.3 - 166.8)	225 - 278 (2.30 - 2.84, 32.6 - 40.3)	
	35 (95)	1,160 - 1,410 (11.83 - 14.38, 168.2 - 204.5)	273 - 335 (2.78 - 3.42, 39.6 - 48.6)	
	40 (104)	1,325 - 1,620 (13.52 - 16.52, 192.1 - 234.9)	325 - 398 (3.32 - 4.06, 47.1 - 57.7)	

## Trouble Diagnoses for Abnormal Pressure

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Whenever system's high and/or low side pressure is abnormal, diagnose using a manifold gauge. The marker above the gauge scale in the following tables indicates the standard (usual) pressure range. Since the standard (usual) pressure, however, differs from vehicle to vehicle, refer to above table (Ambient air temperature-to-operating pressure table).

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Both High- and Low-pressure Sides are Too High

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
	Pressure is reduced soon after water is splashed on condenser.	Excessive refrigerant charge in refrigeration cycle	Reduce refrigerant until speci- fied pressure is obtained.
Α	Air suction by cooling fan is insufficient.	Insufficient condenser cooling performance  ↓  1. Condenser fins are clogged.  2. Improper fan rotation of cooling fan	Clean condenser. Check and repair cooling fan if necessary.
Both high- and low-pressure sides are too high.	Low-pressure pipe is not cold.     When compressor is stopped high-pressure value quickly drops by approximately 196 kPa (2 kg/cm², 28 psi). It then decreases gradually thereafter.	Poor heat exchange in condenser (After compressor operation stops, high-pressure decreases too slowly.)  Air in refrigeration cycle	Evacuate and recharge system.
AC359A	Engine tends to overheat.	Engine cooling systems mal- function.	Check and repair engine cooling system.
	<ul> <li>An area of the low-pressure pipe is colder than areas near the evaporator outlet.</li> <li>Plates are sometimes covered with frost.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Excessive liquid refrigerant on low-pressure side</li> <li>Excessive refrigerant discharge flow</li> <li>Expansion valve is open a little compared with the specification.</li> <li>Improper expansion valve adjustment</li> </ul>	Replace expansion valve.

High-pressure Side is Too High and Low-pressure Side is Too Low

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
High-pressure side is too high and low-pressure side is too low.	Upper side of condenser and high-pressure side are hot, however, liquid tank is not so hot.	High-pressure tube or parts located between compressor and condenser are clogged or crushed.	Check and repair or replace malfunctioning parts. Check oil for contamination.

High-pressure Side is Too Low and Low-pressure Side is Too High

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action	
High-pressure side is too low and low-pressure side is too high.	High- and low-pressure sides become equal soon after compressor operation stops.	Compressor pressure operation is improper.  Understand the compressor packings.	Replace compressor.	
(LO HI)  AC356A	No temperature difference between high- and low-pressure sides.	Compressor pressure operation is improper.  Understand the compressor packings.	Replace compressor.	

Both High- and Low-pressure Sides are Too Low

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
	There is a big temperature difference between liquid tank outlet and inlet. Outlet temperature is extremely low. Liquid tank inlet and expansion valve are frosted.	Liquid tank inside is slightly clogged.	Replace liquid tank.     Check oil for contamination.
	Temperature of expansion valve inlet is extremely low as compared with areas near liquid tank. Expansion valve inlet may be frosted. Temperature difference occurs somewhere in high-pressure side.	High-pressure pipe located between liquid tank and expansion valve is clogged.	Check and repair malfunctioning parts. Check oil for contamination.
Both high- and low-pressure sides are too low.	Expansion valve and liquid tank are warm or only cool when touched.	Low refrigerant charge.  ↓ Leaking fittings or components.	Check refrigerant system for leaks. Refer to HA-22, "Checking of Refrigerant Leaks".
(O) (H) AC353A	There is a big temperature difference between expansion valve inlet and outlet while the valve itself is frosted.	Expansion valve closes a little compared with the specification.   1. Improper expansion valve adjustment. 2. Malfunctioning expansion valve. 3. Outlet and inlet may be clogged.	Remove foreign particles by using compressed air. Check oil for contamination.
	An area of the low-pressure pipe is colder than areas near the evaporator outlet.	Low-pressure pipe is clogged or crushed.	<ul><li>Check and repair malfunctioning parts.</li><li>Check oil for contamination.</li></ul>
	Air flow volume is too low.	Evaporator is frozen.	Check intake sensor circuit. Refer to HAC-42, "Intake Sensor Diagnosis Procedure". Replace compressor. Repair evaporator fins. Replace evaporator. Refer to HAC-32, "Front Blower Motor Component Function Check".

#### Low-pressure Side Sometimes Becomes Negative

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
Low-pressure side sometimes becomes negative.	<ul> <li>Air conditioning system does not function and does not cy- clically cool the compart- ment air.</li> <li>The system constantly func- tions for a certain period of time after compressor is stopped and restarted.</li> </ul>	Refrigerant does not discharge cyclically.  ↓  Moisture is frozen at expansion valve outlet and inlet.  ↓  Water is mixed with refrigerant.	Drain water from refrigerant or replace refrigerant.     Replace liquid tank.

Low-pressure Side Becomes Negative

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Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
Low-pressure side becomes negative.	Liquid tank or front/rear side of expansion valve's pipe is frosted or dewed.	High-pressure side is closed and refrigerant does not flow. ↓ Expansion valve or liquid tank is frosted.	Leave the system at rest until no frost is present. Start it again to check whether or not the malfunction is caused by water or foreign particles.  If water is the cause, initially cooling is okay. Then the water freezes causing a blockage. Drain water from refrigerant or replace refrigerant.  If due to foreign particles, remove expansion valve and remove the particles with dry and compressed air (not shop air).  If either of the above methods cannot correct the malfunction, replace expansion valve.  Replace liquid tank.  Check oil for contamination.

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#### INSUFFICIENT HEATING

#### Component Function Check

SYMPTOM: Insufficient heating

INSPECTION FLOW

## 1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - temperature increase

- 1. Rotate blower control dial clockwise.
- Turn the temperature control dial clockwise to maximum heat.
- 3. Check for hot air at discharge air outlets.

#### Can the symptom be duplicated?

YES >> GO TO 2.

NO >> Perform complete operational check. Refer to <a href="HAC-6">HAC-6</a>, "Operational Check".

#### 2.CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS

Check for any service bulletins.

>> GO TO 3.

#### 3. PERFORM SELF-DIAGNOSIS

Perform self-diagnosis. Refer to HAC-17, "Front Air Control Self-Diagnosis".

#### Is the inspection results normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Refer to HAC-57, "Symptom Matrix Chart".

## 4. CHECK ENGINE COOLING SYSTEM

- 1. Check for proper engine coolant level. Refer to CO-10, "System Inspection".
- 2. Check hoses for leaks or kinks.
- Check radiator cap.
- 4. Check for air in cooling system.

>> GO TO 5.

#### CHECK AIR MIX DOOR OPERATION

Check the operation of the air mix door.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6.

NO >> Check the air mix door motor circuit. Refer to <a href="HAC-25">HAC-25</a>, "Air Mix Door Motor Component Function Check".

#### **6.**CHECK AIR DUCTS

Check for disconnected or leaking air ducts.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 7.

NO >> Repair all disconnected or leaking air ducts.

#### 7.CHECK HEATER HOSE TEMPERATURES

- 1. Start engine and warm it up to normal operating temperature.
- Touch both the inlet and outlet heater hoses. The inlet hose should be hot and the outlet hose should be warm.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Hot inlet hose and a warm outlet hose: GO TO 8.

NO >> Both hoses warm: GO TO 9.

#### 8. CHECK ENGINE COOLANT SYSTEM

Check engine coolant temperature sensor. Refer to EC-130, "Component Inspection".

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< SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS > [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]					
Is the inspection result normal?					
YES >> System OK.	Α				
NO >> Repair or replace as necessary. Retest.					
9.CHECK HEATER HOSES	В				
Check heater hoses for proper installation.					
Is the inspection result normal?					
YES >> System OK. NO >> 1. Back flush heater core.	С				
2. Drain the water from the system.					
3. Refill system with new engine coolant. Refer to <u>CO-11, "Changing Engine Coolant"</u> .	D				
4. GO TO 10 to retest.					
10.check heater hose temperatures					
<ol> <li>Start engine and warm it up to normal operating temperature.</li> <li>Touch both the inlet and outlet heater hoses. The inlet hose should be hot and the outlet hose should be</li> </ol>	Е				
Warm.					
Is the inspection result normal?	F				
YES >> System OK.	1				
NO >> Replace heater core. Refer to <u>VTL-16, "Removal and Installation"</u> .					
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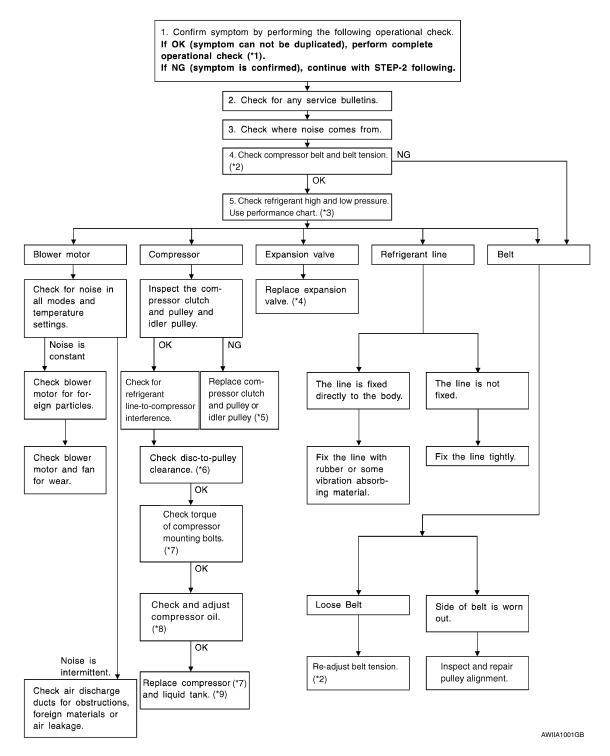
#### **NOISE**

## Component Function Check

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SYMPTOM: Noise

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<sup>\*1</sup> HAC-6, "Operational Check"

<sup>\*2</sup> EM-13, "Checking Drive Belts"

<sup>\*3</sup> HAC-61, "Performance Chart"

#### **NOISE**

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#### [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 1)]

\*4 HA-38, "Removal and Installation for \*5 HA-29, "Removal and Installation for \*6 HA-29, "Removal and Installation for Front Expansion Valve"

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\*7 HA-28, "Removal and Installation for \*8 HA-18, "Maintenance of Oil Quantity \*9 HA-36, "Removal and Installation for Compressor"

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## **PRECAUTION**

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

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

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 SR and SB 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 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 the SR section.
- Do not 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:**

- When working near the Airbag Diagnosis Sensor Unit or other Airbag System sensors with the Ignition ON or engine running, DO NOT 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.

Working with HFC-134a (R-134a)

#### **WARNING:**

- CFC-12 (R-12) refrigerant and HFC-134a (R-134a) refrigerant are not compatible. If the refrigerants are mixed compressor failure is likely to occur. Refer to <a href="HA-4">HA-4</a>, "Contaminated Refrigerant". To determine the purity of HFC-134a (R-134a) in the vehicle and recovery tank, use Refrigerant Recovery/Recycling Recharging equipment and Refrigerant Identifier.
- Use only specified oil for the HFC-134a (R-134a) A/C system and HFC-134a (R-134a) components. If oil other than that specified is used, compressor failure is likely to occur.
- The specified HFC-134a (R-134a) oil rapidly absorbs moisture from the atmosphere. The following handling precautions must be observed:
- When removing refrigerant components from a vehicle, immediately cap (seal) the component to minimize the entry of moisture from the atmosphere.
- When installing refrigerant components to a vehicle, do not remove the caps (unseal) until just before connecting the components. Connect all refrigerant loop components as quickly as possible to minimize the entry of moisture into system.
- Only use the specified oil from a sealed container. Immediately reseal containers of oil. Without proper sealing, oil will become moisture saturated and should not be used.
- Avoid breathing A/C refrigerant and oil vapor or mist. Exposure may irritate eyes, nose and throat. Remove HFC-134a (R-134a) from the A/C system using certified service equipment meeting requirements of SAE J2210 [HFC-134a (R-134a) recycling equipment], or J2209 [HFC-134a (R-134a) recycling equipment], If accidental system discharge occurs, ventilate work area before resuming service. Additional health and safety information may be obtained from refrigerant and oil manufacturers
- Do not allow A/C oil to come in contact with styrofoam parts. Damage may result.

**CONTAMINATED REFRIGERANT** 

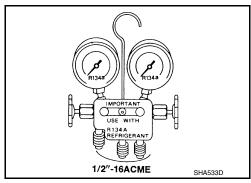
#### If a refrigerant other than pure HFC-134a (R-134a) is identified in a vehicle, your options are:

- Explain to the customer that environmental regulations prohibit the release of contaminated refrigerant into the atmosphere.
- Explain that recovery of the contaminated refrigerant could damage your service equipment and refrigerant supply.
- Suggest the customer return the vehicle to the location of previous service where the contamination may have occurred.
- If you choose to perform the repair, recover the refrigerant using only dedicated equipment and containers. Do not recover contaminated refrigerant into your existing service equipment. If your facility does not have dedicated recovery equipment, you may contact a local refrigerant product retailer for available service. This refrigerant must be disposed of in accordance with all federal and local regulations. In addition, replacement of all refrigerant system components on the vehicle is recommended.
- If the vehicle is within the warranty period, the air conditioner warranty is void. Please contact NISSAN Customer Affairs for further assistance.

#### Precaution for Service Equipment

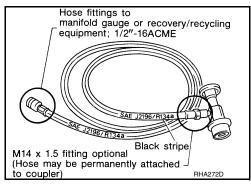
#### MANIFOLD GAUGE SET

Be certain that the gauge face indicates R-134a or 134a. Make sure the gauge set has 1/2"-16 ACME threaded connections for service hoses. Confirm the set has been used only with refrigerant HFC-134a (R-134a) along with specified oil.



#### SERVICE HOSES

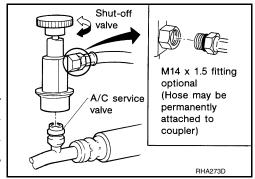
Be certain that the service hoses display the markings described (colored hose with black stripe). All hoses must include positive shutoff devices (either manual or automatic) near the end of the hoses opposite the manifold gauge.



#### SERVICE COUPLERS

Never attempt to connect HFC-134a (R-134a) service couplers to a CFC-12 (R-12) A/C system. The HFC-134a (R-134a) couplers will not properly connect to the CFC-12 (R-12) system. However, if an improper connection is attempted, discharging and contamination may occur.

Shut-off valve rotation	A/C service valve
Clockwise	Open
Counterclockwise	Close



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# **BASIC INSPECTION**

## MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower con- trol (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

# **DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORKFLOW**

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)] < BASIC INSPECTION > DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR WORKFLOW Α How to Perform Trouble Diagnosis For Quick And Accurate Repair INFOID:0000000005268916 **WORK FLOW** В 1.LISTEN TO CUSTOMER COMPLAINT Listen to customer complaint. Get detailed information about the conditions and environment when the symptom occurs. >> GO TO 2 D 2.CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS Check for any service bulletins. Е >> GO TO 3. 3.VERIFY THE SYMPTOM WITH OPERATIONAL CHECK F Verify the symptom with operational check. Refer to HAC-74, "Operational Check". Can a symptom be duplicated?

>> Go to trouble diagnosis. Refer to HAC-124, "Symptom Matrix Chart".

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

# INSPECTION AND ADJUSTMENT

Operational Check

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The purpose of the operational check is to confirm that the system operates properly.

Conditions : Engine running and at normal operating temperature

#### CHECKING BLOWER

- 1. Turn blower control dial clockwise. Blower should operate on low speed.
- 2. Turn the blower control dial again, and continue checking each blower speed until all speeds are checked.
- 3. Leave blower on speed 4.

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-98, "Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### CHECKING DISCHARGE AIR

- 1. Turn the mode switch to each position.
- Confirm that discharge air comes out according to the air distribution table. Refer to <u>HAC-81, "Discharge Air Flow"</u>.

Mode door position is checked in the next step.

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-88, "Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

#### NOTE:

Confirm that the A/C compressor clutch is engaged (sound or visual inspection) and intake door position is at fresh when the DEF ( $\mathfrak{W}$ ) or D/F ( $\mathfrak{W}$ ) is selected.

#### CHECKING RECIRCULATION

- Press recirculation ( ) switch one time. Recirculation indicator should illuminate.
- Press recirculation ( ) switch one more time. Recirculation indicator should go off.
- 3. Listen for intake door position change (blower sound should change slightly).

If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for HAC-95, "Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

If OK, continue with next check.

# NOTE:

Confirm that the compressor clutch is engaged (sound or visual inspection) and intake door position is at fresh when the DEF or D/F is selected.

## CHECKING TEMPERATURE DECREASE

- Rotate temperature control dial counterclockwise.
- 2. Check for cold air at appropriate discharge air outlets.

If NG, listen for sound of air mix door motor operation if OK, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for <u>HAC-125</u>. "Component Function Check". If air mix door motor appears to be malfunctioning, go to <u>HAC-91</u>, "Air Mix Door <u>Motor Component Function Check"</u>.

If OK, continue with next check.

## CHECKING TEMPERATURE INCREASE

- 1. Rotate temperature control dial clockwise.
- Check for hot air at appropriate discharge air outlets.

If NG, listen for sound of air mix door motor operation. If OK, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for <u>HAC-133</u>. "Component Function Check". If air mix door motor (front) appears to be malfunctioning, go to <u>HAC-91</u>, "Air <u>Mix Door Motor Component Function Check"</u>.

If OK, continue with next check.

#### CHECK A/C SWITCH

- Press A/C switch with the blower switch ON.
- A/C switch indicator will turn ON.
  - Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

# **INSPECTION AND ADJUSTMENT**

< BASIC INSPECTION >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

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If NG, go to trouble diagnosis procedure for <u>HAC-104</u>, "Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure". If OK, continue with next check. Α В С  $\mathsf{D}$ Е F G Н HAC J K L M Ν 0

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

# **FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS**

# MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

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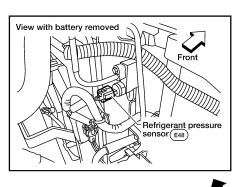
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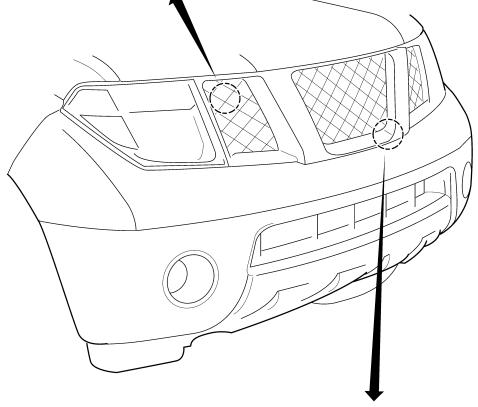
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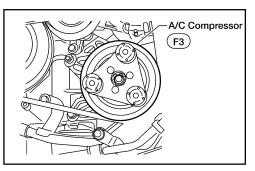
# **FUNCTION INFORMATION**

# **Component Part Location**

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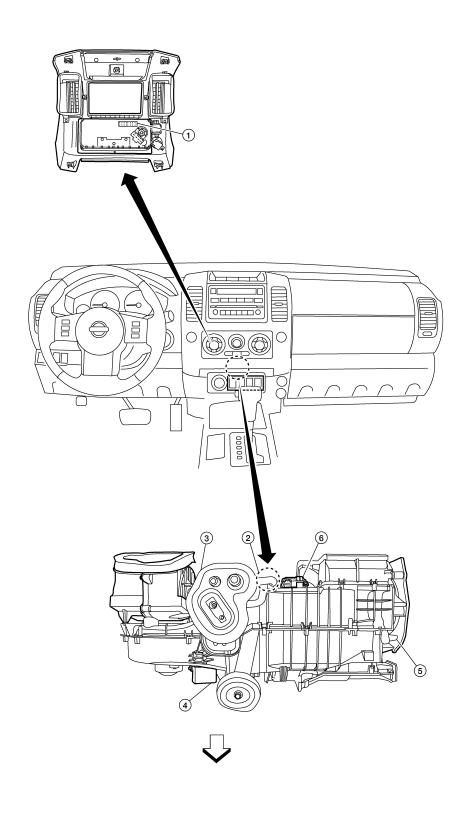
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# PASSENGER COMPARTMENT



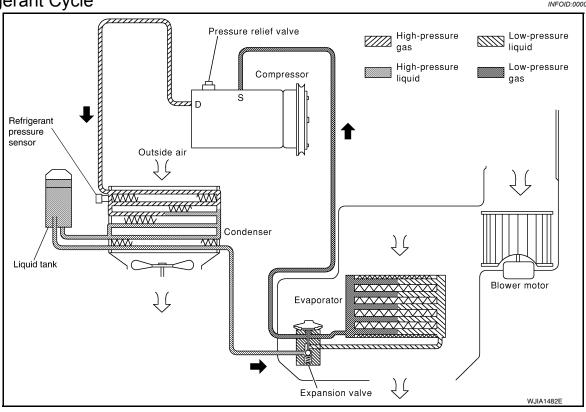
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- :Front
- 3. Intake door motor M58
- Air mix door motor M147
- 1. Front air control M49
- Intake sensor M146
- Front blower motor resistor M122 5. Mode door motor M142

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# REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

# Refrigerant Cycle



## REFRIGERANT FLOW

The refrigerant flows in the standard pattern, that is, through the compressor, the condenser with liquid tank, through the front evaporator, and back to the compressor. The refrigerant evaporation through the evaporator coil is controlled by the front externally equalized expansion valve, located inside the front evaporator case.

#### FREEZE PROTECTION

The compressor cycles on and off to maintain the evaporator temperature within a specified range. When the evaporator coil temperature falls below a specified point, the intake sensor interrupts the compressor operation. When the evaporator coil temperature rises above the specification, the intake sensor allows compressor operation.

# Refrigerant System Protection

#### REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR

The refrigerant system is protected against excessively high- or low-pressures by the refrigerant pressure sensor, located on the condenser. If the system pressure rises above or falls below the specifications, the refrigerant pressure sensor detects the pressure inside the refrigerant line and sends a voltage signal to the ECM. The ECM de-energizes the A/C relay to disengage the magnetic compressor clutch when pressure on the high pressure side detected by refrigerant pressure sensor is over about 2,746 kPa (28 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 398 psi), or below about 120 kPa (1.22 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 17.4 psi).

#### PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE

The refrigerant system is also protected by a pressure relief valve, located in the rear head of the compressor. When the pressure of refrigerant in the system increases to an abnormal level [more than 2,990 kPa (30.5 kg/cm², 433.6 psi)], the release port on the pressure relief valve automatically opens and releases refrigerant into the atmosphere.

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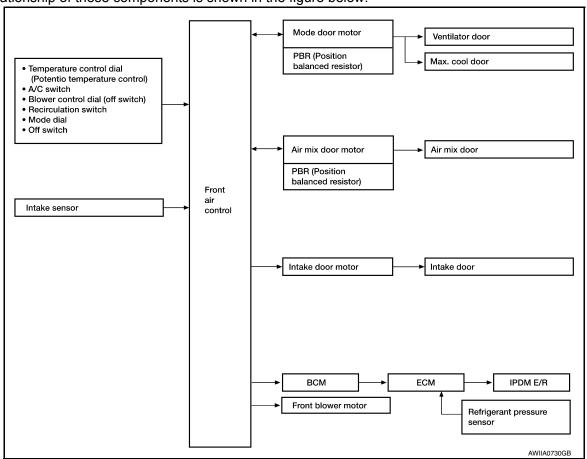
# MANUAL AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM

# Control System Diagram

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# **CONTROL SYSTEM**

The control system consists of input sensors, switches, the front air control (microcomputer) and outputs. The relationship of these components is shown in the figure below:

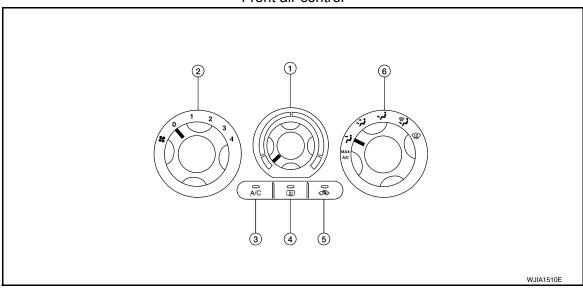


# Control System Description

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# **CONTROL OPERATION**

## Front air control



## MANUAL AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM

# < FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- Temperature control dial
   Blower control dial
   A/C switch
   Rear window defogger switch
   Recirculation switch
   Mode dial
- TEMPERATURE CONTROL DIAL (TEMPERATURE CONTROL)

# Increases or decreases the set temperature.

## RECIRCULATION ( ) SWITCH

- When REC switch is ON, REC switch indicator turns ON, and air inlet is set to REC.
- When REC switch is turned OFF, or when compressor is turned from ON to OFF, REC switch is automatically turned OFF. REC mode can be re-entered by pressing REC switch again.
- REC switch is not operated when DEF switch is turned ON, or at the D/F or FOOT position.

# REAR WINDOW DEFOGGER SWITCH

When switch is ON, rear window is defogged.

## OFF SWITCH (BLOWER SPEED SET TO 0)

The compressor and blower are OFF.

#### A/C SWITCH

The compressor is ON or OFF.

(Pressing the A/C switch will turn off the A/C switch and compressor.)

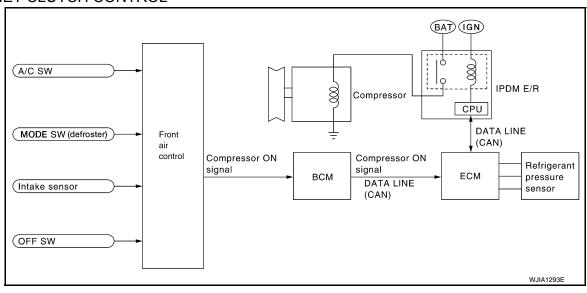
#### MODE DIAL

Controls the air discharge outlets.

#### FRONT BLOWER CONTROL DIAL

Manually controls the four blower speeds.

## MAGNET CLUTCH CONTROL



When the A/C switch is pressed, or the mode dial is turned to the DEF or D/F position, the front air control outputs a compressor ON signal to BCM.

The BCM then sends a compressor ON signal to ECM, via CAN communication line.

ECM judges whether compressor can be turned ON, based on each sensor status (refrigerant pressure sensor signal, throttle angle sensor, etc.). If it judges compressor can be turned ON, it sends compressor ON signal to IPDM E/R, via CAN communication line.

Upon receipt of compressor ON signal from ECM, IPDM E/R turns air conditioner relay ON to operate compressor.

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# Discharge Air Flow

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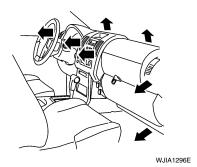
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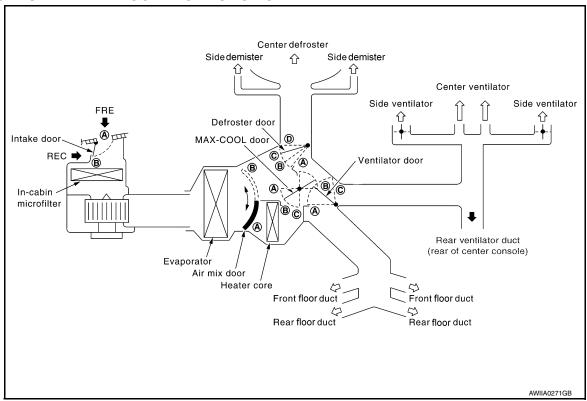
Mode door position	Air outlet/distribution				
	Vent	Foot	Defroster		
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<b>*</b>	60%	40%	_		
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	15%	50%	35%		
₩	7%	15%	78%		

Airflow always present at driver and passenger side demisters

# **Switches And Their Control Function**

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# SWITCHES AND THEIR CONTROL FUNCTION



# MANUAL AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM

< FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

Position		MOD	ESW		DEF	sw	REC	SW	Temp	eratur	e dial	OFF
or switch	VENT	B/L	FOOT	D/F	ON	OFF	ON	OFF				SW
Door	→ •	_ <b>&gt;</b> *		<b>W</b> •	_	\$\$	<€	<b>₽</b>				
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Ventilator door	<b>(A)</b>	B	©	©	©		_	_				©
MAX-COOL door	<b>(A)</b>	B	B	B	©		_	_		_		B
Defroster door	0	<b>(D)</b>	<b>O</b> or <b>©</b>	B	<b>(A)</b>		_	_				©
Intake door		_			B		<b>(A)</b>	B		_		B
Air mix door		_					_	_	<b>(A)</b>		B	

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# **DIAGNOSIS SYSTEM (BCM)**

# CONSULT-III Function (BCM - COMMON ITEM)

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# APPLICATION ITEM

CONSULT-III performs the following functions via CAN communication with BCM.

Diagnosis mode	Function Description
WORK SUPPORT	Changes the setting for each system function.
SELF DIAGNOSTIC RESULT	Displays the diagnosis results judged by BCM. Refer to BCS-52, "DTC Index".
CAN DIAG SUPPORT MNTR	Monitors the reception status of CAN communication viewed from BCM.
DATA MONITOR	The BCM input/output signals are displayed.
ACTIVE TEST	The signals used to activate each device are forcibly supplied from BCM.
ECU IDENTIFICATION	The BCM part number is displayed.
CONFIGURATION	<ul> <li>Enables to read and save the vehicle specification.</li> <li>Enables to write the vehicle specification when replacing BCM.</li> </ul>

## SYSTEM APPLICATION

BCM can perform the following functions for each system.

#### NOTE

It can perform the diagnosis modes except the following for all sub system selection items.

System	Cub avotom coloction item	Diagnosis mode			
System	Sub system selection item	WORK SUPPORT	DATA MONITOR	ACTIVE TEST	
BCM	BCM	×			
Door lock	DOOR LOCK	×	×	×	
Rear window defogger	REAR DEFOGGER		×	×	
Warning chime	BUZZER		×	×	
Interior room lamp timer	INT LAMP	×	×	×	
Remote keyless entry system	MULTI REMOTE ENT	×	×	×	
Exterior lamp	HEAD LAMP	×	×	×	
Wiper and washer	WIPER	×	×	×	
Turn signal and hazard warning lamps	FLASHER		×	×	
Air conditioner	AIR CONDITONER		×		
Combination switch	COMB SW		×		
Immobilizer	IMMU		×	×	
Interior room lamp battery saver	BATTERY SAVER	×	×	×	
Back door open	TRUNK		×	×	
Vehicle security system	THEFT ALM	×	×	×	
RAP (retained accessory power)	RETAINED PWR	×	×	×	
Signal buffer system	SIGNAL BUFFER		×	×	
TPMS (tire pressure monitoring system)	AIR PRESSURE MONITOR	×	×	×	
Panic alarm system	PANIC ALARM			×	

CONSULT-III Function (BCM - AIR CONDITIONER)

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# DATA MONITOR

# **DIAGNOSIS SYSTEM (BCM)**

# < FUNCTION DIAGNOSIS >

# [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

Monitor Item [Unit]	Contents
IGN ON SW [ON/OFF]	Display [ignition switch position (On)/(Off), ACC position (Off)] status as judged from ignition switch signal
FAN ON SIG [ON/OFF]	Display [FAN (On)/FAN (Off)] status as judged form blower fan motor switch signal
AIR COND SW [ON/OFF]	Display [COMP (On)/COMP (Off)] status as judged from air conditioner switch signal

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

# **COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS**

# MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
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# MODE DOOR MOTOR

# System Description

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#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

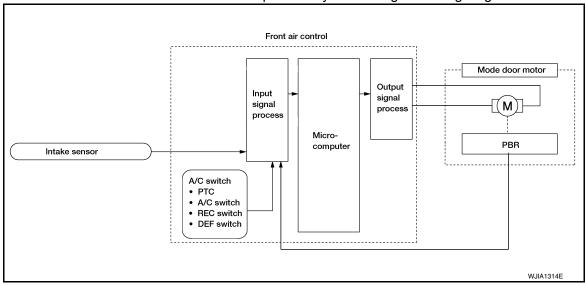
## Component Parts

Mode door control system components are:

- Front air control
- Mode door motor
- PBR (built into mode door motor)
- · Intake sensor

## System Operation

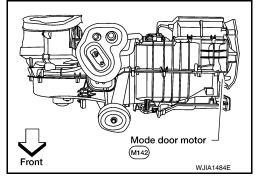
The mode door position (vent, B/L, foot, D/F, and defrost) is set by the front air control by means of the mode door motor. When a mode door position is selected on the front air control, voltage is applied to one circuit of the mode door motor while ground is applied to the other circuit, causing the mode door motor to rotate. The direction of rotation is determined by which circuit has voltage applied to it, and which one has ground applied to it. The front air control monitors the mode door position by measuring the voltage signal on the PBR circuit.



# COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

## Mode Door Motor

The mode door motor is attached to the heater and cooling unit assembly. It rotates so that air is discharged from the outlet as indicated by the front air control. Motor rotation is conveyed to a link which activates the mode door.



# Mode Door Motor Component Function Check

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#### SYMPTOM:

- Air outlet does not change.
- Mode door motor does not operate normally.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

# $1. {\hbox{\rm confirm symptom by performing operational check - discharge air}}\\$

- 1. Turn blower control dial to 4.
- 2. Turn the mode dial and check all positions.
- 3. Confirm that discharge air comes out according to the air distribution table. Refer to <a href="HAC-81">HAC-81</a>, "Discharge Air Flow".

#### NOTE:

Confirm that the compressor clutch is engaged (visual inspection) and intake door position is at FRESH when DEF ( $\mathfrak{P}$ ) or D/F ( $\mathfrak{P}$ ) is selected.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-88">HAC-88</a>, "Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

# Mode Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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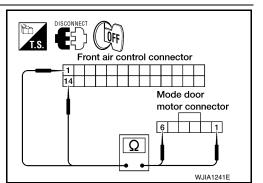
Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-116</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC"</u>.

## MODE DOOR MOTOR DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE

# 1. CHECK POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUITS FOR MODE DOOR MOTOR

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front air control connector and mode door motor connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 1 and mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 1 and between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 14 and mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 6.

: Continuity should exist. : Continuity should exist.



#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2.

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NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

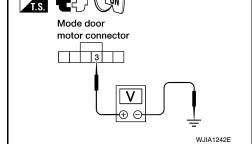
# 2. CHECK PBR REFERENCE SIGNAL VOLTAGE

- Reconnect the front air control connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Check voltage between mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 3 and ground.

3 - Ground : Approx. 5V

# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4. NO >> GO TO 3.



3. CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE CIRCUIT BETWEEN MODE DOOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

# **MODE DOOR MOTOR**

## < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

## [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control connector.
- Check continuity between mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 3 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 23.

# 3 - 23 : Continuity should exist.

# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 4. CHECK PBR GROUND REFERENCE CIRCUIT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control connector.
- Check continuity between mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 2 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 26.

# 2 - 26 : Continuity should exist.

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 5. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK SIGNAL

- Reconnect the front air control connector and mode door motor connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 21 and ground.
- 4. Press mode switch through all modes.

# 21 - Ground : Approx. 0 - 5V

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and <a href="Installation"</a>.

NO >> GO TO 6.

# 6.CHECK PBR FEEDBACK CIRCUIT

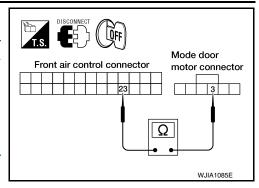
- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the mode door motor connector and front air control harness connector.
- Check continuity between mode door motor harness connector M142 terminal 4 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 21.

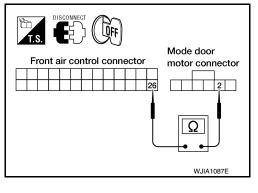
# 4 - 21 : Continuity should exist.

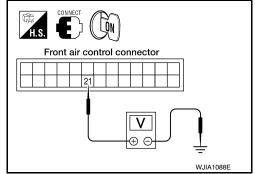
# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace mode door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-18, "Removal and Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.







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# AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR

# System Description

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## SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

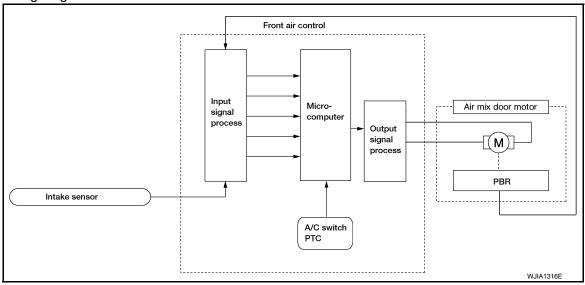
#### Component Parts

Air mix door control system components are:

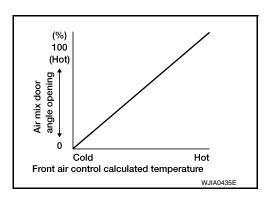
- · Front air control
- · Air mix door motor
- PBR (built into air mix door motor)
- · Intake sensor

## System Operation

The front air control receives data from the temperature selected by the driver. The front air control then applies a voltage to one circuit of the air mix door motor, while ground is applied to the other circuit, causing the air mix door motor to rotate. The direction of rotation is determined by which circuit has voltage applied to it, and which one has ground applied to it. The front air control monitors the air mix door positions by measuring the voltage signal on the PBR circuits of each door.



Air Mix Door Control Specification



## COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

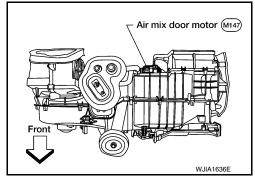
Air Mix Door Motor

# AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR

#### < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

## [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

The air mix door motor is attached to the heater and cooling unit assembly. This motor rotates so that the air mix door is opened or closed to a position set by the front air control. Motor rotation is then conveyed through a shaft and the air mix door position is then fed back to the front air control by the PBR built into the air mix door motor.



Air Mix Door Motor Component Function Check

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# INSPECTION FLOW

- 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK TEMPERATURE INCREASE
- 1. Blower must be on (1, 2, 3, 4).
- 2. Turn the temperature control dial clockwise to maximum heat.
- 3. Check for hot air at discharge air outlets.

>> GO TO 2.

# 2.confirm symptom by performing operational check - temperature decrease

- 1. Turn the temperature control dial counterclockwise to maximum cold.
- Check for cold air at discharge air outlets.

# Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to HAC-91, "Air Mix Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

# Air Mix Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-116</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC"</u>.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR

# 1. CHECK POWER SUPPLY CIRCUITS FOR AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front air control connector and air mix door motor connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 2 and 3 and air mix door motor harness connector M147 terminal 6 and 5.

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: Continuity should exist.

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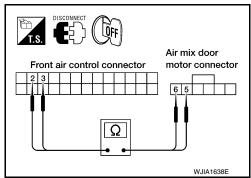
: Continuity should exist.

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

2.CHECK PBR REFERENCE SIGNAL VOLTAGE



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## [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

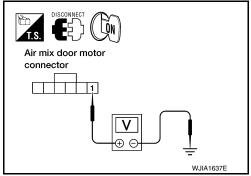
#### < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

- 1. Reconnect the front air control connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between air mix door motor harness connector M147 terminal 1 and ground.

## 1 - Ground : Approx. 5V

## Is inspection result normal?

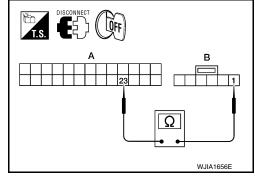
YES >> GO TO 4. NO >> GO TO 3.



# 3. CHECK PBR REFERENCE VOLTAGE CIRCUIT BETWEEN AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control connector.
- Check continuity between air mix door motor harness connector M147 (B) terminal 1 and front air control harness connector M49 (A) terminal 23.

А		В		
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	Continuity
Front air control: M49	23	Air mix door mo- tor: M147	1	Yes



# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 4. CHECK PBR GROUND REFERENCE CIRCUIT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the front air control connector.
- Check continuity between air mix door motor harness connector M147 terminal 3 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 26.

# 3 - 26 : Continuity should exist.

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 5. CHECK PBR FEEDBACK SIGNAL

- 1. Reconnect the front air control connector and air mix door motor connector.
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 22 and ground.
- 4. Rotate temperature control dial through complete range.

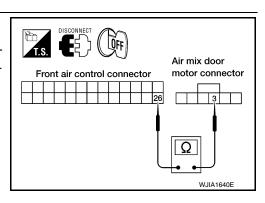
# 22 - Ground : Approx. 0V - 5V

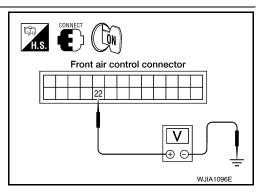
## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> GO TO 6.

**6.**CHECK PBR FEEDBACK CIRCUIT





# **AIR MIX DOOR MOTOR**

# < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

# [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect the air mix door motor connector and front air control connector.
- 3. Check continuity between air mix door motor harness connector M147 terminal 2 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 22.

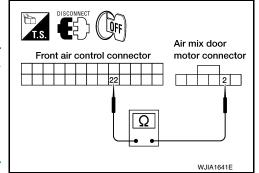
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: Continuity should exist.

# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace air mix door motor. Refer to <u>VTL-19</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.



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# INTAKE DOOR MOTOR

# System Description

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#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

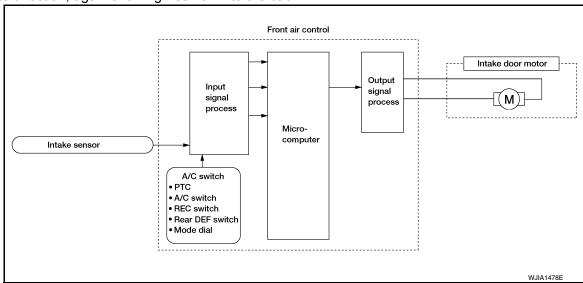
#### Component Parts

Intake door control system components are:

- Front air control
- Intake door motor
- · Intake sensor

## System Operation

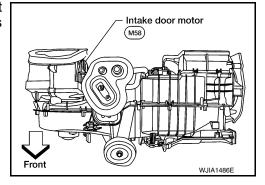
The intake door control determines the intake door position based on the position of the recirculation switch. When the recirculation switch is depressed the intake door motor rotates closing off the fresh air inlet and recirculating the cabin air. If the recirculation switch is depressed again, the intake door motor rotates in the opposite direction, again allowing fresh air into the cabin.



## COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Intake door motor

The intake door motor is attached to the intake unit. It rotates so that air is drawn from inlets set by the front air control. Motor rotation is conveyed to a lever which activates the intake door.



# Intake Door Motor Component Function Check

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#### SYMPTOM:

- · Intake door does not change.
- Intake door motor does not operate normally.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK - REC ( $\bigcirc$ )

1. Turn blower control dial to 4.

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## < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

- Turn mode dial to vent mode (\*).
- 3. Press REC ( ) switch.
- 4. Press REC ( ) switch again.
- 5. Listen for intake door position change (you should hear blower sound change slightly).

## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-95">HAC-95</a>, "Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

# Intake Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure

Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-116</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC"</u>.

#### DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR INTAKE DOOR MOTOR

# 1. CHECK INTAKE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUIT VOLTAGE

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect intake door motor connector.
- 3. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Rotate the temperature control dial counterclockwise.
- Check voltage between intake door motor harness connector M58 terminal 6 and ground.

## 6 - Ground : Battery voltage

#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 2.

# 2.CHECK INTAKE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUIT FOR OPEN

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 5 and intake door motor harness connector M58 terminal 6.

# 5 - 6 : Continuity should exist.

# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and <u>Installation"</u>.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# 3.check intake door motor circuit voltage

- Rotate the temperature control dial clockwise.
- Check voltage between intake door motor harness connector M58 terminal 1 and ground.

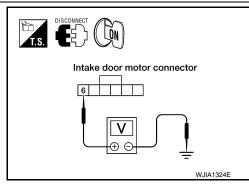
# 1 - Ground :Battery voltage

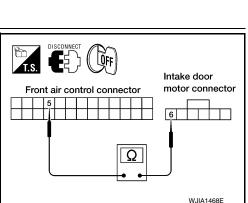
#### Is inspection result normal?

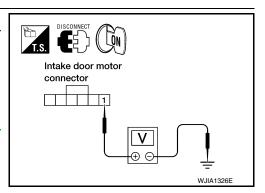
YES >> Replace intake door motor. Refer to <a href="VTL-17">VTL-17</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> GO TO 4.

4.CHECK INTAKE DOOR MOTOR CIRCUIT FOR OPEN







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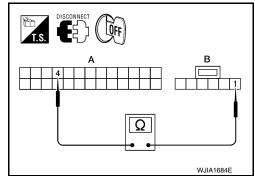
# **INTAKE DOOR MOTOR**

# < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M49 (A) terminal 4 and intake door motor harness connector M58 (B) terminal 1.

А		В		
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	Continuity
Front air control: M49	4	Intake door motor: M58	1	Yes



# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

# **BLOWER MOTOR**

# System Description

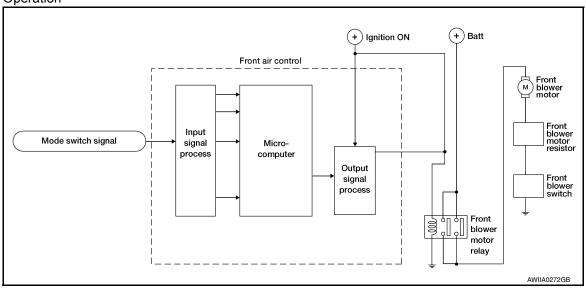
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## Component Parts

Blower speed control system components are:

- Front air control
- Front blower motor resistor
- Front blower motor
- · Front blower relay
- · Front blower switch

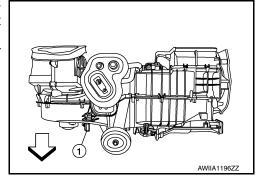
## System Operation



#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

# Blower Motor Resistor

The front blower motor resistor (1) is located on the heater and cooling unit assembly. The front blower motor resistor grounds the front blower motor through a series of 1, 2, or 3 resistors, depending upon speed selected. For high speed operation the front blower motor resistor is circumvented and the front blower motor grounds directly. ⇒: front



# Front Blower Motor Component Function Check

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# INSPECTION FLOW

# 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK - FRONT BLOWER

- Rotate the blower control dial clockwise. Blower should operate.
- 2. Rotate the blower control dial clockwise, and continue checking blower speed until all speeds are checked.

## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to HAC-98, "Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure".

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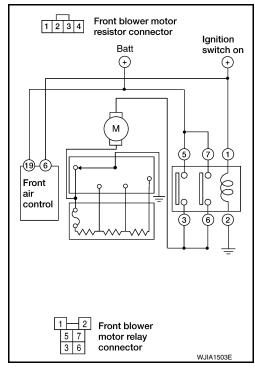
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# Front Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to HAC-116, "Wiring Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC".

SYMPTOM: Blower motor operation is malfunctioning under starting blower speed control.



# 1. DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE

- Turn ignition switch ON.
- Turn the front blower switch to each of its four speeds. Does blower motor rotate normally at each speed?

## YES or NO

YES >> Inspection End.

NO

- >> 1. Does not rotate at any speed, GO TO 2.
  - 2. Does not rotate at 1 3 speed, GO TO 13.
  - 3. Does not rotate at 4 speed, GO TO 16.

# 2.CHECK FUSES

- Check 15A fuses (Nos. 24 and 27, located in the fuse and fusible link box). Refer to PG-69, "Terminal Arrangement".
- Check 10A fuse [No. 8, located in the fuse block (J/B)]. Refer to PG-68, "Terminal Arrangement".

# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> GO TO 8.

3.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR POWER SUPPLY

# **BLOWER MOTOR**

## < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front blower motor harness connector.
- 3. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Select any front blower speed except OFF.
- 5. Check voltage between front blower motor harness connector M62 terminal 2 and ground.

## 2 - Ground

# : Battery voltage

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 12. NO >> GO TO 4.

# f 4.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY

- 1. Turn Ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Check front blower motor relay. Refer to HAC-101, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

#### Is inspection result normal?

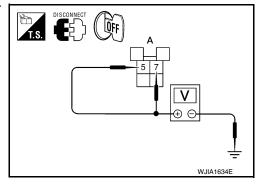
YES >> GO TO 5.

NO >> Replace front blower motor relay.

# 5. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY POWER SUPPLY (SWITCH SIDE)

Check voltage between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminals 7 and 5 and ground.

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Front air control connector	Terminal	(-)			
E54	5	Ground	Blower motor relay power supply	Battery voltage	
E54	7	Ground	Blower motor relay power supply	Battery voltage	



#### Is inspection result normal?

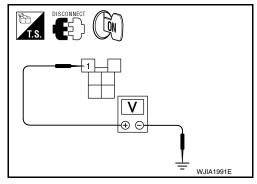
YES >> GO TO 6.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# 6.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY POWER SUPPLY (COIL SIDE)

- Turn ignition switch ON.
- Check voltage between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminal 1 and ground.

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(+)			Condition	prox.)
Front air control connector	Terminal	(-)		
E54	1	Ground	Blower motor relay power supply (coil side)	Battery voltage



#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 7.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

.CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR POWER FROM RELAY TO FRONT BLOWER MOTOR

Front blower motor connector

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- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Check continuity between front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminals 6 and 3 and front blower motor harness connector M62 terminal 2.

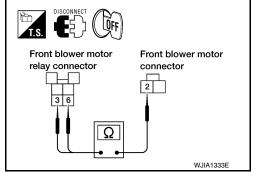
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# : Continuity should exist.

#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Repair the blower motor ground circuit as necessary.

NO >> Repair harness or connector between the front blower motor relay and the front blower motor.



# 8. REPLACE FUSE

# Refer to PG-69, "Terminal Arrangement".

Does fuse No. 24 or 27 open when the front blower motor is turned on?

## YES or NO

YES >> GO TO 10.

NO >> GO TO 9.

# 9.REPLACE FUSE

# Refer to PG-68, "Terminal Arrangement".

Does fuse No. 8 open when the ignition switch is turned ON?

#### YES or NO

YES >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.

NO >> Inspection End.

# 10. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT FOR SHORT

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Disconnect front blower motor connector.
- Check continuity between front blower motor harness connector M62 terminal 2 and ground.

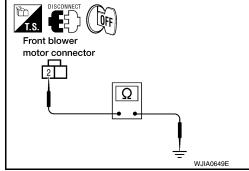
# 2 - Ground

## : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 11.

NO >> Repair or replace harness as necessary.



# 11. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RELAY (SWITCH SIDE) POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT FOR SHORT

- 1. Disconnect front blower motor relay connector.
- 2. Check continuity between the front blower motor relay harness connector E54 terminal 7 and terminal 5 and ground.

# 7, 5 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Check front blower motor. Refer to <u>HAC-98</u>, "Front <u>Blower Motor Diagnosis Procedure"</u>.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# Front blower motor relay connector WJIA1334E

# 12. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Check front blower motor. Refer to HAC-101, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

#### Is inspection result normal?

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YES >> GO TO 13.

NO >> Replace front blower motor. Refer to VTL-9, "Removal and Installation".

# 13. CHECK FRONT BLOWER MOTOR RESISTOR

Check front blower motor resistor. Refer to HAC-101, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 14.

NO >> Replace front blower motor resistor. Refer to <u>VTL-11</u>, "Removal and Installation".

# 14. CHECK FRONT BLOWER SWITCH

Check front blower switch. Refer to HAC-101, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

#### Is inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 15.

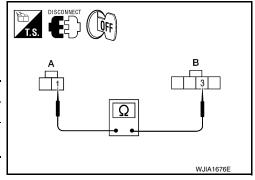
NO >> Replace front blower switch. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

# 15.check front blower motor ground circuit to front blower motor resistor

Disconnect front blower motor resistor harness connector.

 Check continuity between front blower motor connector M62 (A) terminal 1 and front blower motor resistor harness connector M122 (B) terminal 3.

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Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	Continuity
Front blower motor: M62	1	Front blower motor resistor: M122	3	Yes



# Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Repair harness or connector between front blower switch connector M51 terminal 8 and ground.

NO >> Repair harness or connector between front blower motor resistor and front blower motor.

# 16. CHECK FRONT BLOWER SWITCH

Check front blower switch. Refer to HAC-101, "Front Blower Motor Component Inspection".

## Is inspection result normal?

YES >> Repair harness or connector between front blower motor switch connector M51 terminal 8 and front blower motor resistor connector M122 terminal 3.

NO >> Replace front blower switch. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

SYMPTOM: Blower motor operation is malfunctioning.

# Front Blower Motor Component Inspection

COMPONENT INSPECTION

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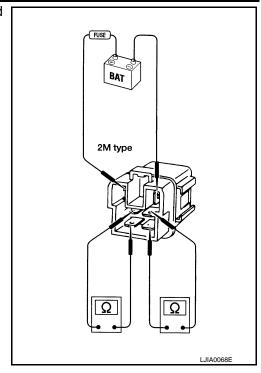
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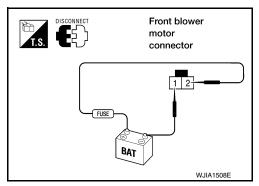
Check continuity between terminals by supplying 12 volts and ground to coil side terminals of relay.



## Front Blower Motor

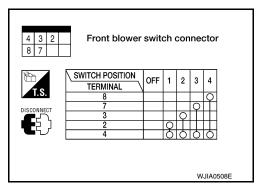
Confirm smooth rotation of the blower motor.

- Ensure that there are no foreign particles inside the blower unit.
- Apply 12 volts to terminal 2 and ground to terminal 1 and verify that the motor operates freely and quietly.



# Front Blower Switch

Check continuity between terminals at each front blower switch position.



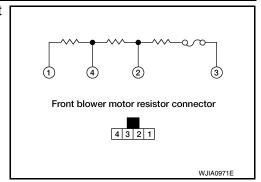
Front Blower Motor Resistor

# **BLOWER MOTOR**

# < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

# [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

Check continuity between terminals. There will be resistance, but there should not be an open or short between any two terminals.



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# MAGNET CLUTCH

# **System Description**

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## SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The front air control controls compressor operation based on intake temperature and a signal from ECM.

Low Temperature Protection Control

The front air control will turn the compressor ON or OFF as determined by a signal detected by the intake sensor.

When intake air temperature is higher than 3.5°C (38.3°F), the compressor turns ON. The compressor turns OFF when intake air temperature is lower than 2.5°C (36.5°F).

# Magnet Clutch Component Function Check

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SYMPTOM: Magnet clutch does not engage.

#### INSPECTION FLOW

# 1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - magnet clutch

- Rotate blower control dial clockwise.
- 2. Rotate mode dial to vent (\*) position.
- 3. Press A/C switch. Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to <a href="HAC-104">HAC-104</a>, "Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure".

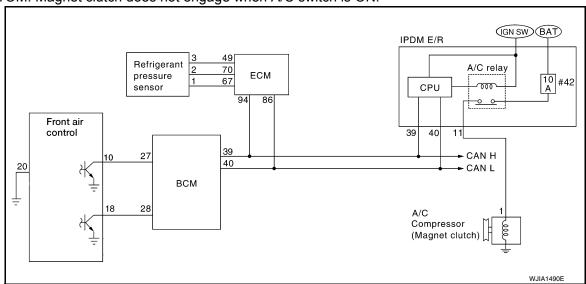
# Magnet Clutch Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-116</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC"</u>.

# DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR MAGNET CLUTCH

SYMPTOM: Magnet clutch does not engage when A/C switch is ON.



# 1.PERFORM IPDM E/R AUTO ACTIVE TEST

Refer to PCS-15, "CONSULT - III Function (IPDM E/R)".

# Does magnet clutch operate?

YES >> • @WITH CONSULT-III GO TO 2.

# **MAGNET CLUTCH**

## < COMPONENT DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

• WITHOUT CONSULT-III GO TO 8.

NO >> Check 10A fuse (No. 42, located in IPDM E/R), and GO TO 12.

2.CHECK BCM INPUT (A/C COMPRESSOR ON) SIGNAL

Check A/C compressor ON/OFF signal. Refer to <u>HAC-84, "CONSULT-III Function (BCM - AIR CONDITIONER)".</u>

A/C SW ON : AIR COND SW ON A/C SW OFF : AIR COND SW OFF

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3. NO >> GO TO 8.

# 3. CHECK REFRIGERANT PRESSURE SENSOR

Check refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to EC-424, "Diagnosis Procedure".

## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 4.

NO >> Replace refrigerant pressure sensor. Refer to <u>HA-37</u>, "Removal and Installation for Refrigerant Pressure Sensor".

# 4. CHECK BCM INPUT (FAN ON) SIGNAL

Check FAN ON/OFF signal. Refer to HAC-84, "CONSULT-III Function (BCM - AIR CONDITIONER)".

BLOWER CONTROL DIAL : FAN ON SIG ON

ON

BLOWER CONTROL DIAL : FAN ON SIG OFF

**OFF** 

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 7. NO >> GO TO 5.

# ${f 5.}$ CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN BCM AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

1. Turn ignition switch OFF.

2. Disconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.

Check continuity between BCM harness connector M18 (A) terminal 28 and front air control harness connector M49 (B) terminal 18.

A		В		
Connector	Terminal	Connector	Terminal	Continuity
BCM: M18	28	Front air control: M49	18	Yes

# DISCONNECT OFFI

## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 6.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

6.check voltage for front air control (fan on signal)

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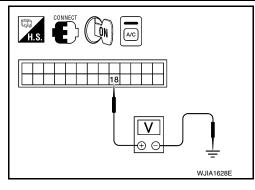
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- 1. Reconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- 2. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Turn A/C switch ON.
- Check voltage between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 18 and ground.

Terminals				
(+)		(-)	Condition	Voltage
Front air con- trol connector	Terminal No.			(Approx.)
M49	18	Ground	A/C switch: ON Blower motor operates	0V
			A/C switch: OFF	Battery voltage



## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

NO-1 >> If the voltage is approx. 5V when blower motor is ON, replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>. "Removal and Installation".

NO-2 >> If the voltage is approx. 0V when blower motor is OFF, replace BCM. Refer to <u>BCS-56</u>, "Removal and Installation".

# 7. CHECK CAN COMMUNICATION

Check CAN communication. Refer to LAN-14, "Trouble Diagnosis Flow Chart".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

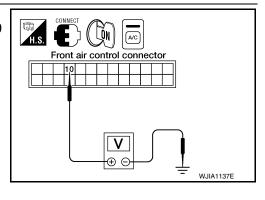
NO >> Repair or replace malfunctioning part(s).

# 8.CHECK VOLTAGE FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL (A/C COMPRESSOR ON SIGNAL)

1. Turn ignition switch ON.

2. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 10 and ground.

Terminals				
(+)		(-)		Voltage
Front air control con- nector	Terminal No.		Condition	(Approx.)
M49 10		Ground	A/C switch: ON	0V
	10		A/C switch: OFF	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 9.

NO-1 >> If the voltage is approx. 5V when A/C switch is ON, replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO-2 >> If the voltage is approx. 0V when A/C switch is OFF, replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

# 9. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN BCM AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

1. Turn ignition switch OFF.

# **MAGNET CLUTCH**

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## [MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 2. Disconnect BCM connector and front air control connector.
- 3. Check continuity between BCM harness connector M18 terminal 27 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 10.

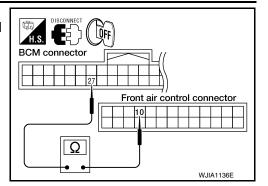
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## : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 10.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



# 10. CHECK INTAKE SENSOR CIRCUITS

Check intake sensor. Refer to HAC-109, "Intake Sensor Component Inspection".

# Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 11.

NO >> Replace intake sensor. Refer to <a href="VTL-8">VTL-8</a>, "Removal and Installation".

# 11. CHECK CAN COMMUNICATION

Check CAN communication. Refer to LAN-14, "Trouble Diagnosis Flow Chart".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace BCM. Refer to BCS-56, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair or replace malfunctioning part(s).

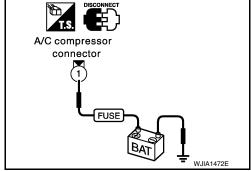
# 12. CHECK MAGNET CLUTCH CIRCUIT

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect A/C compressor connector.
- Check for operation sound when applying battery voltage to A/C compressor terminal 1.

# Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 13.

NO >> Replace magnet clutch. Refer to <u>HA-29</u>, "Removal and Installation for Compressor Clutch".



# 13. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN IPDM E/R AND A/C COMPRESSOR

- Disconnect IPDM E/R connector.
- Check continuity between IPDM E/R harness connector E119 terminal 11 and A/C compressor harness connector F3 terminal 1.

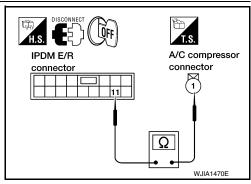
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## : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace IPDM E/R. Refer to <u>PCS-33</u>, "Removal and Installation of IPDM E/R".

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



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# INTAKE SENSOR

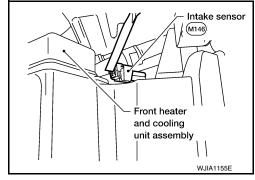
# System Description

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#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Intake Sensor

The intake sensor is located on top of the heater and cooling unit assembly next to the A/C evaporator cover. It converts temperature of air after it passes through the evaporator into a resistance value which is then input to the front air control.



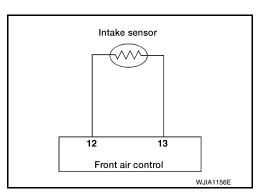
# Intake Sensor Diagnosis Procedure

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Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to <u>HAC-116</u>, "Wiring <u>Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC"</u>.

# DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR INTAKE SENSOR

SYMPTOM: Intake sensor circuit is open or shorted.



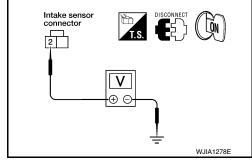
# 1. CHECK VOLTAGE BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND GROUND

- Disconnect intake sensor connector.
- Turn ignition switch ON.
- 3. Check voltage between intake sensor harness connector M146 terminal 2 and ground.

## 2 - Ground : Approx. 5V

## Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2. NO >> GO TO 4.



# 2. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

#### INTAKE SENSOR

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 terminal 1 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 13.

### 1 - 13 : Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 3.

NO >> Repair harness or connector.

# 3. CHECK INTAKE SENSOR

Refer to HAC-109, "Intake Sensor Component Inspection".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <a href="VTL-7">VTL-7</a>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Replace intake sensor. Refer to <a href="VTL-8">VTL-8</a>, "Removal and Installation".

### 4. CHECK CIRCUIT CONTINUITY BETWEEN INTAKE SENSOR AND FRONT AIR CONTROL

- Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 terminal 2 and front air control harness connector M49 terminal 12.

### 2 - 12 : Continuity should exist.

4. Check continuity between intake sensor harness connector M146 terminal 2 and ground.

### 2 - Ground : Continuity should not exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to VTL-7, "Removal and Installation".

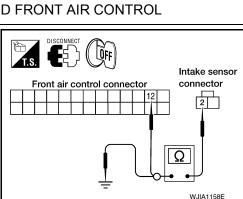
NO >> Repair harness or connector.

### Intake Sensor Component Inspection

#### COMPONENT INSPECTION

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Intake Sensor



Front air control connector

Intake sensor connector

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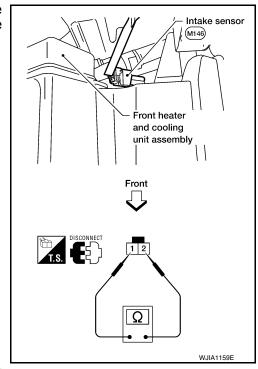
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After disconnecting intake sensor connector, measure resistance between terminals 1 and 2 at sensor harness side, using the table below.

Temperature °C (°F)	Resistance kΩ
-15 (5)	209.0
-10 (14)	160.0
-5 (23)	123.0
0 (32)	95.8
5 (41)	74.9
10 (50)	58.9
15 (59)	46.7
20 (68)	37.3
25 (77)	30.0
30 (86)	24.2
35 (95)	19.7
40 (104)	16.1
45 (113)	13.2



If NG, replace intake sensor. Refer to  $\underline{\text{VTL-8}}$  "Removal and Installation".

### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

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### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

### Component Description

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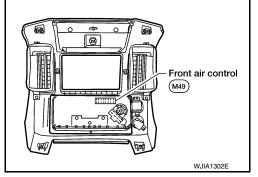
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#### COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

#### Front Air Control

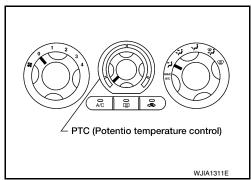
The front air control has a built-in microcomputer which processes information sent from various sensors needed for air conditioner operation. The air mix door motor, mode door motor, intake door motor, defroster door motor, blower motor and compressor are then controlled.

The front air control is unitized with control mechanisms. When the various switches and temperature dials are operated, data is input to the front air control.



### Potentio Temperature Control (PTC)

The PTC is built into the front air control. It can be set from cold to hot or any intermediate position by rotating the temperature dial.



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### Front Air Control Component Function Check

SYMPTOM: A/C system does not come on.

### INSPECTION FLOW

## 1. CONFIRM SYMPTOM BY PERFORMING OPERATIONAL CHECK

- Turn blower control dial to position 1-4, then press A/C switch. 1.
- Confirm that the compressor clutch engages (sound or visual inspection).

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Inspection End.

NO >> Go to diagnosis procedure. Refer to HAC-111, "Front Air Control Power and Ground Diagnosis Procedure".

### Front Air Control Power and Ground Diagnosis Procedure

Regarding Wiring Diagram information, refer to HAC-116, "Wiring Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC".

DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR A/C SYSTEM

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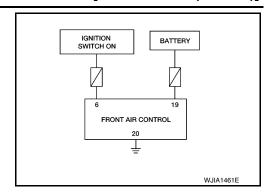
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### POWER SUPPLY AND GROUND CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLER

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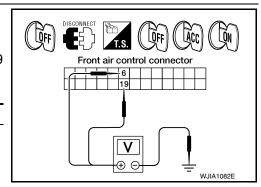
SYMPTOM: A/C system does not come on.



# 1. CHECK POWER SUPPLY CIRCUITS FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- 2. Disconnect front air control connector.
- 3. Turn ignition switch ON.
- 4. Check voltage between front air control harness connector M49 terminals 6 and 19, and ground.

	Terminals		Ignit	tion switch pos	sition
	(+)				
Front air control connector	Terminal No.	(-)	OFF	voltage	ON
M49	6	Ground	Approx. 0V	Approx. 0V	Battery voltage
M49	19	Oround	Battery voltage	Battery voltage	Battery voltage



#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 2.

NO

- >> Check 10A fuses [Nos. 8 and 19, located in the fuse block (J/B)]. Refer to <u>PG-68, "Terminal Arrangement".</u>
  - If fuses are OK, check harness for open circuit. Repair or replace as necessary.
  - If fuses are NG, replace fuse and check harness for short circuit. Repair or replace as necessary.

# 2.CHECK GROUND CIRCUIT FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

- 1. Turn ignition switch OFF.
- Check continuity between front air control harness connector M49 terminal 20 and ground.

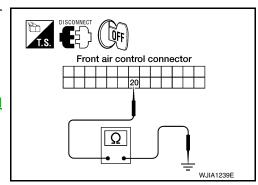
#### 20 - Ground

: Continuity should exist.

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Replace front air control. Refer to <u>VTL-7</u>, "Removal and Installation".

NO >> Repair harness or connector.



### MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

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[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

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## MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

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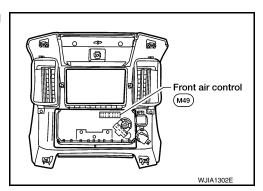
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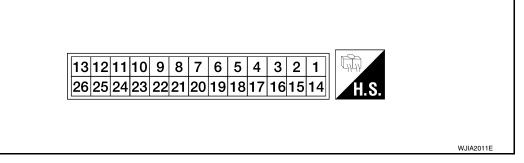
### AIR CONDITIONER CONTROL

### Front Air Control Terminals Reference Values

Measure voltage between each terminal and ground by following Terminals and Reference Values for front air control.



### FRONT AIR CONTROL HARNESS CONNECTOR TERMINAL LAYOUT



#### TERMINALS AND REFERENCE VALUES FOR FRONT AIR CONTROL

Terminal No.	Wire color	Item	Ignition switch	Condition	Voltage (V) (Approx.)
1	BR	Mode door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
2	W	Air mix door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
3	GR	Air mix door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
4	Υ	Intake door motor CW	ON	Clockwise rotation	Battery voltage
5	0	Intake door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
6	W/G	Power supply for IGN	ON	-	Battery voltage
8	G	Illumination +	ON	Park lamps ON	Battery voltage
9	BR	Illumination -	-	Park lamps ON	(V) 15 10 5 200 ms PIIA2344E
10	W	Compressor ON signal	ON	A/C switch OFF	5V
- 10	••	Compressor Cit digital	ON	A/C switch ON	0V
11	-	-	-	-	-
12	L	Intake sensor	ON	-	0 - 5V
13	V	Sensor ground	ON	-	0 - 5V
14	R	Mode door motor CCW	ON	Counterclockwise rotation	Battery voltage
18	BR	Front blower monitor	ON	Front blower motor OFF	Battery voltage
10	DK	FIOUR DIOMER MOUNTO	ON	Front blower motor ON	0V

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Terminal No.	Wire color	Item	Ignition switch	Condition	Voltage (V) (Approx.)
19	R/Y	Power supply for BAT	-	-	Battery voltage
20	В	Ground	-	-	0V
21	V	Mode door motor feedback	ON	-	0 - 5V
22	SB	Air mix door motor feedback	ON	-	0 - 5V
23	G	Power supply for mode door motor and air mix door motor PBR	ON	-	5V
25	R	Rear defroster request	ON	-	Battery voltage
26	Р	Ground for mode door motor and air mix door motor PBR	ON	-	0V

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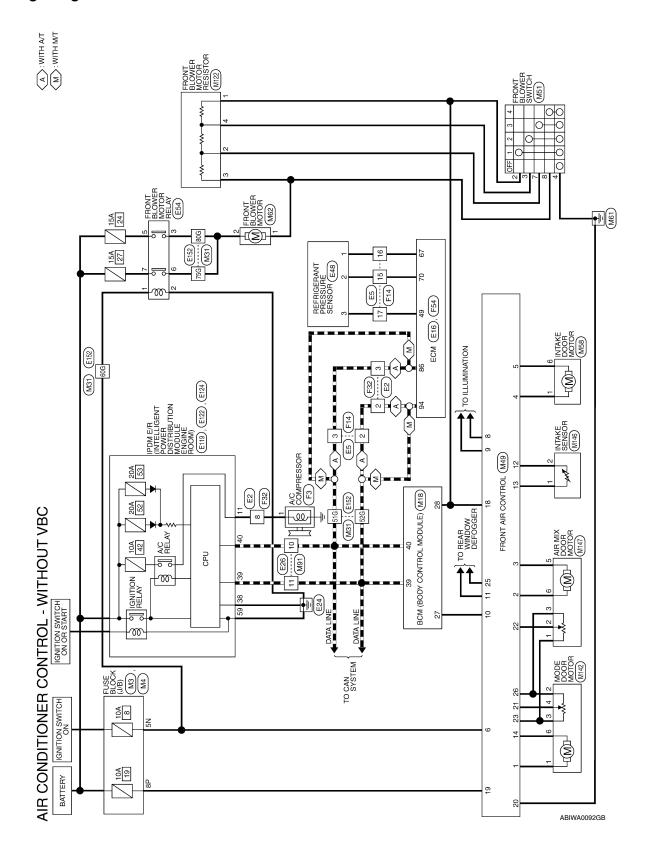
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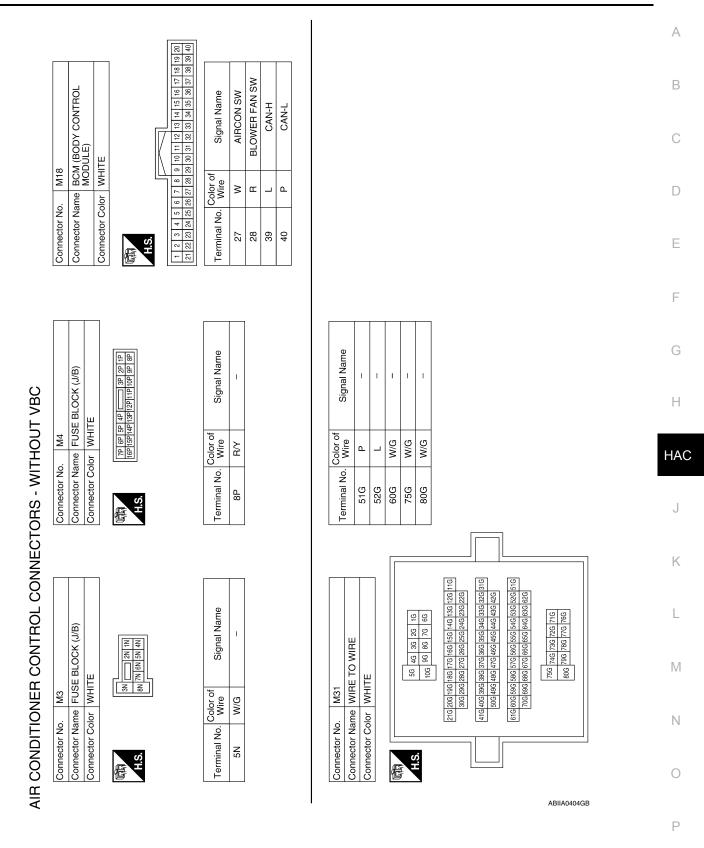
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Wiring Diagram - Air Conditioner Control - Without VBC

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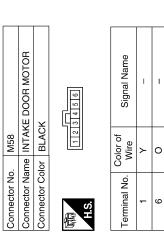
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Terminal No.	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	54	52	26

Terminal No. Wire Signal Name	9 M/G		8 G ILLUM (+)	9 BR ILLUM (-)	10 W A/C REQUEST	11 Y REAR DEFOGGER REQUEST	12 L INTAKE SENSOR	13 V SENS RETURN	14 R MODE CCW	15 – –		minal No. 5 6 6 7 7 7 7 110 110 1113 113 115 115 115 115 115 115 115 11	Wire W// W// G / W// G	Signal Name  RECIRC DOOR CCW  IGN  ILLUM (+)  ILLUM (-)  A/C REQUEST  A/C REQUEST  REAR DEFOGGER  REAR DEFOGGER  REAR DEFOGGER  REAR DEFOGGER  REAR DEFOGGER  AMODE CCW
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3	GR	DR BLEND CCW
4	>	RECIRC DOOR CW

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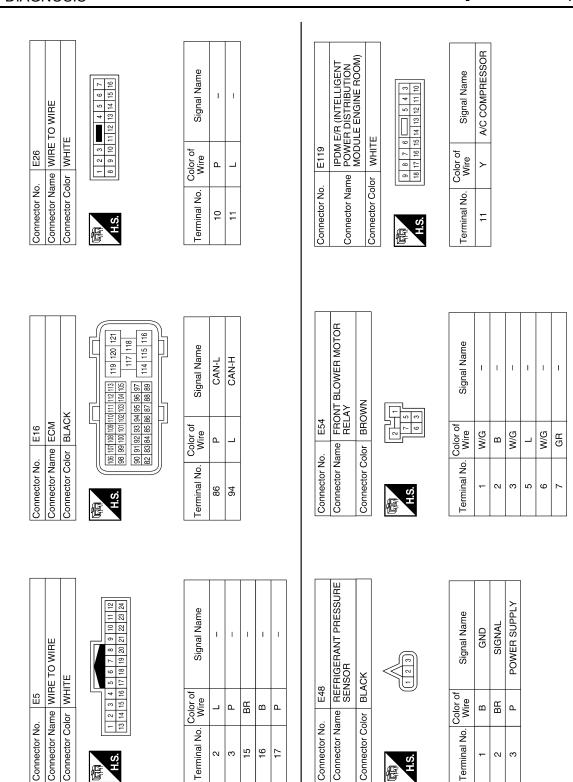
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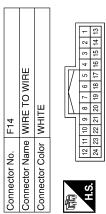
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### MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

< SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

# SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS

### MANUAL A/C IDENTIFICATION TABLE

Application Table

Manual A/C Type	Description	Visual Identification
Manual A/C (Type 1)	Two Control Dial System [with variable blower control (VBC)]	AWIIA0481ZZ
Manual A/C (Type 2)	Three Control Dial System [without variable blower con- trol (VBC)]	AWIIA1228ZZ

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### AIR CONDITIONER CONTROL

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### AIR CONDITIONER CONTROL

# Symptom Matrix Chart

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### SYMPTOM TABLE

Symptom	Reference Page		
A/C system does not come on.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for A/C System.	HAC-111	
Air outlet does not change.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Mode Door Motor.	HAC-87	
Mode door motor is malfunctioning.	Go to Housie Diagnosis Procedure for Mode Door Motor.	<u>11AC-07</u>	
Discharge air temperature does not change.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Air Mix Door Motor.	HAC-91	
Air mix door motor is malfunctioning.	GO TO TOUDIE DIAGNOSIS Procedure for All Mix Door Motor.	<u>HAC-91</u>	
Intake door does not change.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Intake Door Motor.	HAC-94	
Intake door motor is malfunctioning.	GO TOUDIE DIAGNOSIS Procedure for intake Door Motor.	<u>11AC-94</u>	
Front blower motor operation is malfunctioning.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Front Blower Motor.	<u>HAC-97</u>	
Magnet clutch does not engage.	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Magnet Clutch.	HAC-104	
Insufficient cooling	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Insufficient Cooling.	HAC-125	
Insufficient heating	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Insufficient Heating.	HAC-133	
Noise	Go to Trouble Diagnosis Procedure for Noise.	<u>HAC-135</u>	

### **INSUFFICIENT COOLING**

INSUFFICIENT COOLING	
< SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS >	[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]
INSUFFICIENT COOLING	
Component Function Check	INFOID:000000005268956
SYMPTOM: Insufficient cooling	
NSPECTION FLOW	
1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - te	MPERATURE DECREASE
Turn temperature control dial counterclockwise to maximum cold.     Check for cold air at discharge air outlets.	
Can the symptom be duplicated?	
YES >> GO TO 3.	
NO >> GO TO 2.	
2.CHECK FOR ANY SYMPTOMS	
Perform a complete operational check for any symptoms. Refer to <u>HAC-6.</u>	'Operational Check".
Ooes another symptom exist?	
YES >> Refer to <u>HAC-57</u> , <u>"Symptom Matrix Chart"</u> . NO >> System OK.	
CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS	
Check for any service bulletins.	
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>> GO TO 4.	
1.CHECK DRIVE BELTS	_
Check compressor belt tension. Refer to EM-13, "Checking Drive Belts".	
s the inspection result normal?	
YES >> GO TO 5.	All
NO >> Adjust or replace compressor belt. Refer to <a href="EM-13">EM-13</a> , "Adjustmer D.CHECK AIR MIX DOOR OPERATION	<u> </u>
Check and verify air mix door mechanism for smooth operation.  Ooes air mix door operate correctly?	
YES >> GO TO 6.	
NO >> Repair or replace air mix door control linkage.	
CHECK COOLING FAN MOTOR OPERATION	
Check and verify cooling fan motor for smooth operation. Refer to EC-401,	"Component Inspection".
Ooes cooling fan motor operate correctly?	
YES >> GO TO 7.	
NO >> Check cooling fan motor. Refer to <u>EC-400, "Diagnosis Procedu</u>	<u>re"</u> .
.CHECK RECOVERY/RECYCLING EQUIPMENT BEFORE USAGE	
Check recovery/recycling equipment before connecting to vehicle. Verify the recycling equipment by checking the gauges. If pressure exists, recover ref	
>> GO TO 8.	
3. CHECK REFRIGERANT PURITY	
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- O.CHECK REFRIGERANT PURITY
- 1. Connect recovery/recycling equipment to vehicle. Confirm refrigerant purity in supply tank using recovery/recycling and refrigerant identifier.

### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> GO TO 9.

>> Check contaminated refrigerant. Refer to HA-4, "Contaminated Refrigerant". NO

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### **INSUFFICIENT COOLING**

#### < SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS >

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# $9.\mathsf{CHECK}$ FOR EVAPORATOR FREEZE UP

Start engine and run A/C. Check for evaporator freeze up.

### Does evaporator freeze up?

YES >> Perform diagnostic work flow. Refer to <u>HAC-126</u>, "Diagnostic Work Flow".

NO >> GO TO 10.

# 10. CHECK REFRIGERANT PRESSURE

Check refrigerant pressure with manifold gauge connected. Refer to HAC-128, "Performance Chart".

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> Perform diagnostic work flow. Refer to <u>HAC-126, "Diagnostic Work Flow"</u>.

NO >> GO TO 11.

## 11. CHECK AIR DUCTS

Check ducts for air leaks.

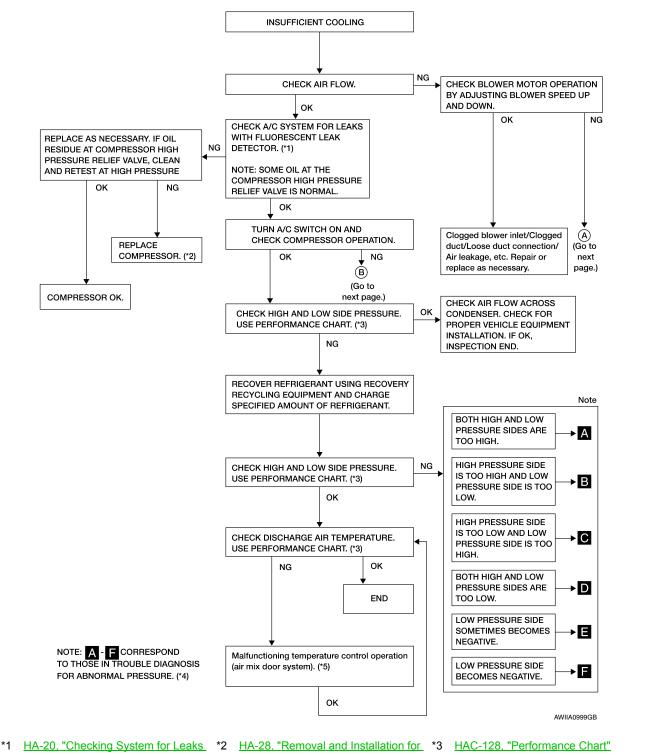
#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> System OK.

NO >> Repair air leaks.

### Diagnostic Work Flow

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- \*1 HA-20, "Checking System for Leaks Using the Fluorescent Dye Leak Detector"
- \*4 HAC-129, "Trouble Diagnoses for Abnormal Pressure"
- '2 HA-28, "Removal and Installation for \*3 HAC-128, "Performance Chart" Compressor"
- \*5 HAC-91, "Air Mix Door Motor Diagnosis Procedure"

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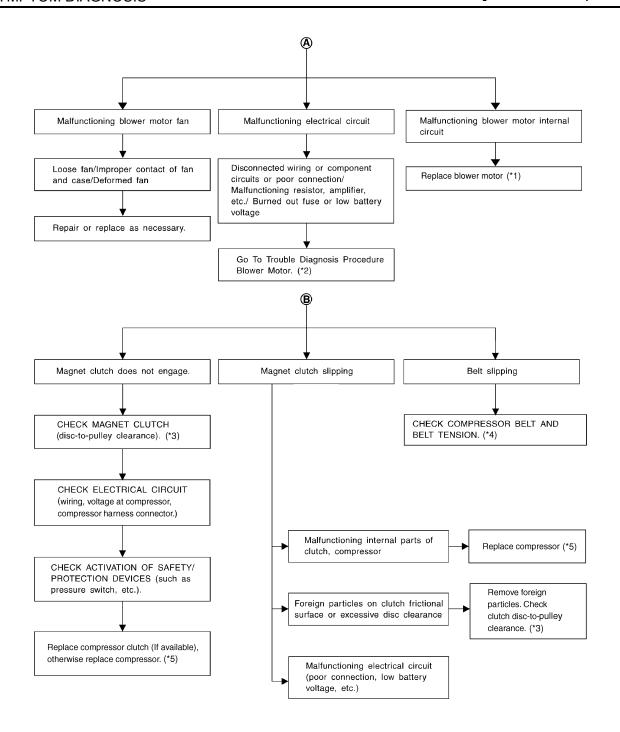
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- \*1 VTL-9, "Removal and Installation"
- \*2 <u>HAC-33, "Front Blower Motor Diag-nosis Procedure"</u>
- \*3 HA-29, "Removal and Installation for Compressor Clutch"

- \*4 EM-13, "Checking Drive Belts"
- \*5 <u>HA-28, "Removal and Installation for Compressor"</u>

### **Performance Chart**

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#### **TEST CONDITION**

Testing must be performed as follows:

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Vehicle location	Indoors or in the shade (in a well-ventilated place)
Doors	Closed
Door window	Open
Hood	Open
TEMP.	Max. COLD
Mode switch	(Ventilation) set
Recirculation (REC) switch	(Recirculation) set
# Blower speed	Max. speed set
Engine speed	Idle speed
Operate the air conditioning system	of routes before taking measurements.

#### **TEST READING**

Recirculating-to-discharge Air Temperature Table

Inside air (Recirculating a	ir) at blower assembly inlet	Discharge air temperature at center ventilator
Relative humidity %	Air temperature °C (°F)	°C (°F)
	20 (68)	5.3 - 6.5 (42 - 44)
	25 (77)	9.7 - 11.5 (49 - 53)
50 - 60	30 (86)	13.8 - 16.3 (57 - 61)
	35 (95)	18.0 - 21.2 (64 - 70)
	40 (104)	22.2 - 25.7 (72 - 78)
	20 (68)	6.5 - 7.7 (44 - 46)
	25 (77)	11.5 - 13.3 (53 - 56)
60 - 70	30 (86)	16.3 - 18.8 (61 - 66)
	35 (95)	21.2 - 24.0 (70 - 75)
	40 (104)	25.7 - 29.2 (78 - 85)

#### Ambient Air Temperature-to-operating Pressure Table

Ambient air  Relative humidity		High-pressure (Discharge side)	Low-pressure (Suction side)
		kPa (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , psi)	kPa (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> , psi)
	20 (68)	680 - 840 (6.94 - 8.57, 98.6 - 121.8)	160 - 198 (1.63 - 2.02, 23.2 - 28.7)
	25 (77)	800 - 985 (8.16 - 10.05, 116.0 - 142.8)	198 - 245 (2.02 - 2.50, 28.7 - 35.5)
50 - 70	30 (86)	940 - 1,150 (9.59 - 11.73, 136.3 - 166.8)	225 - 278 (2.30 - 2.84, 32.6 - 40.3)
	35 (95)	1,160 - 1,410 (11.83 - 14.38, 168.2 - 204.5)	273 - 335 (2.78 - 3.42, 39.6 - 48.6)
	40 (104)	1,325 - 1,620 (13.52 - 16.52, 192.1 - 234.9)	325 - 398 (3.32 - 4.06, 47.1 - 57.7)

### Trouble Diagnoses for Abnormal Pressure

Whenever system's high and/or low side pressure is abnormal, diagnose using a manifold gauge. The marker above the gauge scale in the following tables indicates the standard (usual) pressure range. Since the standard (usual) pressure, however, differs from vehicle to vehicle, refer to above table (Ambient air temperatureto-operating pressure table).

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Both High- and Low-pressure Sides are Too High

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
	Pressure is reduced soon after water is splashed on condenser.	Excessive refrigerant charge in refrigeration cycle	Reduce refrigerant until specified pressure is obtained.
A	Air suction by cooling fan is insufficient.	Insufficient condenser cooling performance  ↓  1. Condenser fins are clogged.  2. Improper fan rotation of cooling fan	<ul> <li>Clean condenser.</li> <li>Check and repair cooling fan if necessary.</li> </ul>
Both high- and low-pressure sides are too high.	Low-pressure pipe is not cold.     When compressor is stopped high-pressure value quickly drops by approximately 196 kPa (2 kg/cm², 28 psi). It then decreases gradually thereafter.	Poor heat exchange in condenser (After compressor operation stops, high-pressure decreases too slowly.)  Air in refrigeration cycle	Evacuate and recharge system.
₩ Д АСЗ59А	Engine tends to overheat.	Engine cooling systems mal- function.	Check and repair engine cooling system.
	<ul> <li>An area of the low-pressure pipe is colder than areas near the evaporator outlet.</li> <li>Plates are sometimes covered with frost.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Excessive liquid refrigerant on low-pressure side</li> <li>Excessive refrigerant discharge flow</li> <li>Expansion valve is open a little compared with the specification.</li> <li>Improper expansion valve adjustment</li> </ul>	Replace expansion valve.

### High-pressure Side is Too High and Low-pressure Side is Too Low

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
High-pressure side is too high and low-pressure side is too low.	Upper side of condenser and high-pressure side are hot, however, liquid tank is not so hot.	High-pressure tube or parts located between compressor and condenser are clogged or crushed.	<ul> <li>Check and repair or replace malfunctioning parts.</li> <li>Check oil for contamination.</li> </ul>

### High-pressure Side is Too Low and Low-pressure Side is Too High

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
High-pressure side is too low and low-pressure side is too high.	High- and low-pressure sides become equal soon after compressor operation stops.	Compressor pressure operation is improper.  Understand the compressor packings.	Replace compressor.
	No temperature difference between high- and low-pressure sides.	Compressor pressure operation is improper.  Understand the compressor packings.	Replace compressor.

Both High- and Low-pressure Sides are Too Low

Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
	<ul> <li>There is a big temperature difference between liquid tank outlet and inlet. Outlet temperature is extremely low.</li> <li>Liquid tank inlet and expansion valve are frosted.</li> </ul>	Liquid tank inside is slightly clogged.	Replace liquid tank.     Check oil for contamination.
	<ul> <li>Temperature of expansion valve inlet is extremely low as compared with areas near liquid tank.</li> <li>Expansion valve inlet may be frosted.</li> <li>Temperature difference occurs somewhere in highpressure side.</li> </ul>	High-pressure pipe located between liquid tank and expansion valve is clogged.	Check and repair malfunctioning parts. Check oil for contamination.
Both high- and low-pressure sides are too low.	Expansion valve and liquid tank are warm or only cool when touched.	Low refrigerant charge. ↓ Leaking fittings or components.	Check refrigerant system for leaks. Refer to HA-20. "Checking of Refrigerant Leaks".
(IO) (HI) AC353A	There is a big temperature dif- ference between expansion valve inlet and outlet while the valve itself is frosted.	Expansion valve closes a little compared with the specification.  1. Improper expansion valve adjustment. 2. Malfunctioning expansion valve. 3. Outlet and inlet may be clogged.	<ul> <li>Remove foreign particles by using compressed air.</li> <li>Check oil for contamination.</li> </ul>
	An area of the low-pressure pipe is colder than areas near the evaporator outlet.	Low-pressure pipe is clogged or crushed.	<ul><li>Check and repair malfunctioning parts.</li><li>Check oil for contamination.</li></ul>
	Air flow volume is too low.	Evaporator is frozen.	Check intake sensor circuit. Refer to HAC-42, "Intake Sensor Diagnosis Procedure". Replace compressor. Replace compressor. Replace evaporator fins. Replace evaporator. Refer to HAC-32, "Front Blower Motor Component Function Check".
ow-pressure Side Sometimes	Becomes Negative		
Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
Low-pressure side sometimes becomes negative.	<ul> <li>Air conditioning system does not function and does not cy- clically cool the compart- ment air.</li> <li>The system constantly func- tions for a certain period of time after compressor is stopped and restarted.</li> </ul>	Refrigerant does not discharge cyclically.  ↓  Moisture is frozen at expansion valve outlet and inlet.  ↓  Water is mixed with refrigerant.	<ul> <li>Drain water from refrigerant or replace refrigerant.</li> <li>Replace liquid tank.</li> </ul>

Low-pressure Side Becomes Negative

### **INSUFFICIENT COOLING**

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Gauge indication	Refrigerant cycle	Probable cause	Corrective action
Low-pressure side becomes negative.	Liquid tank or front/rear side of expansion valve's pipe is frosted or dewed.	High-pressure side is closed and refrigerant does not flow. ↓ Expansion valve or liquid tank is frosted.	Leave the system at rest until no frost is present. Start it again to check whether or not the malfunction is caused by water or foreign particles.  If water is the cause, initially cooling is okay. Then the water freezes causing a blockage. Drain water from refrigerant or replace refrigerant.  If due to foreign particles, remove expansion valve and remove the particles with dry and compressed air (not shop air).  If either of the above methods cannot correct the malfunction, replace expansion valve.  Replace liquid tank.

< SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS >	[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]
INSUFFICIENT HEATING	
Component Function Check	INFOID:000000005268960
SYMPTOM: Insufficient heating	
INSPECTION FLOW	
1.confirm symptom by performing operational check - $te$	EMPERATURE INCREASE
<ol> <li>Rotate blower control dial clockwise.</li> <li>Turn the temperature control dial clockwise to maximum heat.</li> <li>Check for hot air at discharge air outlets.</li> </ol>	
Can the symptom be duplicated? YES >> GO TO 2.	
NO >> Perform complete operational check. Refer to <u>HAC-74, "Opera</u>	ational Check".
2.CHECK FOR SERVICE BULLETINS	
Check for any service bulletins.	
>> GO TO 3.	
3.CHECK ENGINE COOLING SYSTEM	
1. Check for proper engine coolant level. Refer to CO-10, "System Inspe	ction".
<ol> <li>Check hoses for leaks or kinks.</li> <li>Check radiator cap. Refer to <u>CO-10, "System Inspection"</u>.</li> </ol>	
4. Check for air in cooling system.	
>> GO TO 4.	
4.CHECK AIR MIX DOOR OPERATION	
Check the operation of the air mix door.	
Is the inspection result normal?	
YES >> GO TO 5. NO >> Check the air mix door motor circuit. Refer to HAC-91, "Air Mi Check".	x Door Motor Component Function
5.CHECK AIR DUCTS	
Check for disconnected or leaking air ducts.	
Is the inspection result normal?	
YES >> GO TO 6. NO >> Repair all disconnected or leaking air ducts.	
CHECK HEATER HOSE TEMPERATURES	
<ol> <li>Start engine and warm it up to normal operating temperature.</li> <li>Touch both the inlet and outlet heater hoses. The inlet hose should be warm.</li> </ol>	e hot and the outlet hose should be
s the inspection result normal?	
YES >> Hot inlet hose and a warm outlet hose: GO TO 7. NO >> Both hoses warm: GO TO 8.	
7.CHECK ENGINE COOLANT SYSTEM	
Check engine coolant temperature sensor. Refer to EC-130, "Component l	nspection".
Is the inspection result normal?	
YES >> System OK. NO >> Repair or replace as necessary. Retest.	
8.CHECK HEATER HOSES	
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Check heater hoses for proper installation.

#### **INSUFFICIENT HEATING**

#### < SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS >

[MANUAL A/C (TYPE 2)]

#### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> System OK.

NO >> 1. Back flush heater core.

- 2. Drain the water from the system.
- 3. Refill system with new engine coolant. Refer to CO-11, "Changing Engine Coolant".
- 4. GO TO 9 to retest.

# $9.\mathsf{CHECK}$ HEATER HOSE TEMPERATURES

- 1. Start engine and warm it up to normal operating temperature.
- Touch both the inlet and outlet heater hoses. The inlet hose should be hot and the outlet hose should be warm.

### Is the inspection result normal?

YES >> System OK.

NO >> Replace heater core. Refer to <a href="VTL-16">VTL-16</a>, "Removal and Installation".

#### < SYMPTOM DIAGNOSIS > **NOISE** Α Component Function Check INFOID:0000000005268961 SYMPTOM: Noise В INSPECTION FLOW 1. Confirm symptom by performing the following operational check. If OK (symptom can not be duplicated), perform complete operational check (\*1). If NG (symptom is confirmed), continue with STEP-2 following. D 2. Check for any service bulletins. Е 3. Check where noise comes from 4. Check compressor belt and belt tension. (\*2) 5. Check refrigerant high and low pressure. Use performance chart. (\*3) Blower motor Compressor Expansion valve Refrigerant line Belt Check for noise in Inspect the com-Н Replace expansion pressor clutch all modes and valve. (\*4) and pulley and temperature settings. idler pulley. HAC Noise is OK NG constant Replace com-Check blower Check for The line is fixed The line is not motor for forrefrigerant pressor clutch fixed. directly to the body. eign particles. line-to-compressor and pulley or idler pulley (\*5) interference Fix the line tightly. Check blower Check disc-to-pulley Fix the line with motor and fan rubber or some clearance. (\*6) for wear vibration absorb-OK ing material. Check torque of compressor mounting bolts. (\*7) ΟK Check and adjust Loose Belt Ν Side of belt is worn compressor oil. out. (\*8) OK Noise is Re-adjust belt tension. Inspect and repair intermittent. pulley alignment. Replace compressor (\*7) Check air discharge and liquid tank. (\*9)

ducts for obstructions,

foreign materials or air leakage.

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<sup>\*1</sup> HAC-6, "Operational Check"

<sup>\*2</sup> EM-13, "Checking Drive Belts"

<sup>\*3</sup> HAC-128, "Performance Chart"

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- \*4 HA-38, "Removal and Installation for \*5 HA-29, "Removal and Installation for \*6 HA-29, "Removal and Installation for Front Expansion Valve"
  - Compressor Clutch"
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- \*7 HA-28, "Removal and Installation for \*8 HA-18, "Maintenance of Oil Quantity \*9 HA-36, "Removal and Installation for in Compressor"
  - Condenser"

### **PRECAUTION**

### **PRECAUTIONS**

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

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 SR and SB 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 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 the SR section.
- Do not 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:**

- When working near the Airbag Diagnosis Sensor Unit or other Airbag System sensors with the Ignition ON or engine running, DO NOT 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.

Working with HFC-134a (R-134a)

#### WARNING:

- CFC-12 (R-12) refrigerant and HFC-134a (R-134a) refrigerant are not compatible. If the refrigerants are mixed compressor failure is likely to occur. Refer to <a href="HA-4">HA-4</a>, "Contaminated Refrigerant". To determine the purity of HFC-134a (R-134a) in the vehicle and recovery tank, use Refrigerant Recovery/Recycling Recharging equipment and Refrigerant Identifier.
- Use only specified oil for the HFC-134a (R-134a) A/C system and HFC-134a (R-134a) components. If oil other than that specified is used, compressor failure is likely to occur.
- The specified HFC-134a (R-134a) oil rapidly absorbs moisture from the atmosphere. The following handling precautions must be observed:
- When removing refrigerant components from a vehicle, immediately cap (seal) the component to minimize the entry of moisture from the atmosphere.
- When installing refrigerant components to a vehicle, do not remove the caps (unseal) until just before connecting the components. Connect all refrigerant loop components as quickly as possible to minimize the entry of moisture into system.
- Only use the specified oil from a sealed container. Immediately reseal containers of oil. Without proper sealing, oil will become moisture saturated and should not be used.
- Avoid breathing A/C refrigerant and oil vapor or mist. Exposure may irritate eyes, nose and throat. Remove HFC-134a (R-134a) from the A/C system using certified service equipment meeting requirements of SAE J2210 [HFC-134a (R-134a) recycling equipment], or J2209 [HFC-134a (R-134a) recycling equipment], If accidental system discharge occurs, ventilate work area before resuming service. Additional health and safety information may be obtained from refrigerant and oil manufacturers.
- Do not allow A/C oil to come in contact with styrofoam parts. Damage may result.

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If a refrigerant other than pure HFC-134a (R-134a) is identified in a vehicle, your options are:

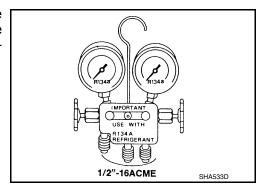
- Explain to the customer that environmental regulations prohibit the release of contaminated refrigerant into the atmosphere.
- Explain that recovery of the contaminated refrigerant could damage your service equipment and refrigerant supply.
- Suggest the customer return the vehicle to the location of previous service where the contamination may have occurred.
- If you choose to perform the repair, recover the refrigerant using only dedicated equipment and containers. Do not recover contaminated refrigerant into your existing service equipment. If your facility does not have dedicated recovery equipment, you may contact a local refrigerant product retailer for available service. This refrigerant must be disposed of in accordance with all federal and local regulations. In addition, replacement of all refrigerant system components on the vehicle is recommended.
- If the vehicle is within the warranty period, the air conditioner warranty is void. Please contact NISSAN Customer Affairs for further assistance.

### Precaution for Service Equipment

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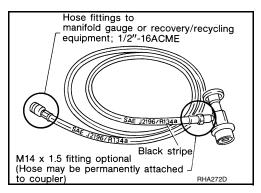
#### MANIFOLD GAUGE SET

Be certain that the gauge face indicates R-134a or 134a. Make sure the gauge set has 1/2"-16 ACME threaded connections for service hoses. Confirm the set has been used only with refrigerant HFC-134a (R-134a) along with specified oil.



#### SERVICE HOSES

Be certain that the service hoses display the markings described (colored hose with black stripe). All hoses must include positive shutoff devices (either manual or automatic) near the end of the hoses opposite the manifold gauge.



#### SERVICE COUPLERS

Never attempt to connect HFC-134a (R-134a) service couplers to a CFC-12 (R-12) A/C system. The HFC-134a (R-134a) couplers will not properly connect to the CFC-12 (R-12) system. However, if an improper connection is attempted, discharging and contamination may occur.

Shut-off valve rotation	A/C service valve
Clockwise	Open
Counterclockwise	Close

