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PRECAUTIONS

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Caution

 When installing rubber bushings, final tightening must be carried out under unladen conditions with tires on ground. Oil will shorten the life of rubber bushings. Be sure to wipe off any spilled oil.

- Unladen conditions mean that fuel, engine coolant and lubricant are full. Spare tire, jack, hand tools and mats are in designated positions.
- After servicing suspension parts, be sure to check wheel alignment.
- Caulking nuts are not reusable. Always use new ones when installing. Since new caulking nuts are preoiled, tighten as they are.
- Avoid burden to front cross bar.

PREPARATION

PREPARATION PFP:00002 Α **Special Service Tools (SST)** AES000DU The actual shapes of Kent-Moore tools may differ from those of special service tools illustrated here. В Tool number (Kent-Moore No.) Description Tool name KV991040S0 CCK gauge attachment 1. Plate D 2. Guide bolts 3. Nuts 4. Springs 5. Center plate FSU Measuring wheel alignment 6. KV99104020 Adapter A a: 72 mm (2.83 in) dia. 7. KV99104030 Adapter B b: 65 mm (2.56 in) dia. 8. KV99104040 Adapter C c: 57 mm (2.24 in) dia. 9. KV99104050 Adapter D G d: 53.4 mm (2.102 in) dia. Н ST35652000 Disassembling and assembling shock (—) absorber Strut attachment ZZA0807D ST3127S000 (See J25742-1) Preload Gauge 1. GG91030000 Torque wrench (J25765) Measuring rotating torque of ball joint 2. HT62940000 (—) Socket adapter (1/2") 3. HT62900000 (—) NT124 Socket adapter (3/8") **Commercial Service Tools** AES000DV Tool name Description Spring compressor Removing coil spring S-NT717 Removing wheel nuts Removing brake caliper assembly Power tool Removing undercover

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Removing front suspension compo-

nents parts

NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING NVH Troubleshooting Chart

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Use chart below to help you find the cause of the symptom. If necessary, repair or replace these parts.

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| Reference page | | | FSU-8 | FSU-11 | ı | I | I | FSU-8 | FSU-6 | FSU-18 | NVH in PR section | NVH in RFD section. | NVH in FAX and FSU section. | NVH in WT section. | NVH in WT section. | NVH in RAX section. | NVH in BR section. | NVH in PS section. |
| Possible cause and SUSPECTED PARTS | | | Improper installation, looseness | Shock absorber deformation, damage or deflection | Bushing or mounting deterioration | Parts interference | Spring fatigue | Suspension looseness | Incorrect wheel alignment | Stabilizer bar fatigue | PROPELLER SHAFT | DIFFERENTIAL | FRONT AXLE AND FRONT SUSPENSION | TIRES | ROAD WHEEL | DRIVE SHAFT | BRAKES | STEERING |
| | | Noise | × | × | × | × | × | × | | | × | × | × | × | × | × | × | × |
| | FRONT SUSPENSION | Shake | × | × | × | × | | × | | | × | | × | × | × | × | × | × |
| | | Vibration | × | × | × | × | × | | | | × | | × | × | | × | | × |
| Symptom | | Shimmy | × | × | × | × | | | × | | | | × | × | × | | × | × |
| | | Judder | × | × | × | | | | | | | | × | × | × | | × | × |
| | | Poor quality ride or han- dling | × | × | × | × | × | | × | × | | | × | × | × | | | |

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FRONT SUSPENSION ASSEMBLY

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Make sure the mounting conditions (looseness, back lash) of each component and component statues (wear, damage) are normal.

INSPECTION OF BALL JOINT END PLAY OF EACH LINK

- 1. Set front wheels in a straight-ahead position. Do not depress brake pedal.
- 2. Check ball joint axial end play of each link.

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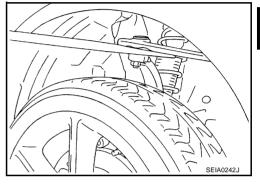
Be careful not to damage ball joint boot.

Upper Link Ball Joint

Measure axial end play by installing and moving up/down with an iron pry bar or something similar between upper link and steering knuckle.

Standard value

Axial end play : 0 mm (0 in)

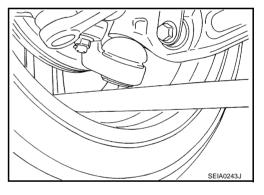


Steering Knuckle Lower Ball Joint

Measure axial end play by installing and moving up/down with an iron pry bar or something similar between steering knuckle and wheel.

Standard value

Axial end play : 0 mm (0 in)

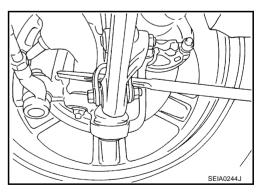


Compression Rod Ball Joint

Measure axial end play by installing and moving up/down with an iron pry bar or something similar between compression rod and transverse link.

Standard value

Axial end play : 0 mm (0 in)



SHOCK ABSORBER INSPECTION

Check shock absorber for oil leakage, damage and replace if necessary. Refer to <u>FSU-11, "INSPECTION AFTER DISASSEMBLY"</u>.

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Wheel Alignment Inspection DESCRIPTION

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Measure wheel alignment under unladen conditions.

NOTE:

Unladen conditions means that fuel, engine coolant, and lubricant are full. Spare tire, jack, hand tools and mats are designated positions.

PRELIMINARY CHECK

- 1. Check tires for improper air pressure and wear.
- Check road wheels for runout. Refer to <u>WT-3, "Inspection"</u>.
- 3. Check wheel bearing axial end play. Refer to FAX-4, "WHEEL BEARING INSPECTION" .
- 4. Check ball joint axial end play of compression rod, upper link, and steering knuckle. Refer to <u>FSU-14</u>, <u>"INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL"</u>, <u>FSU-16</u>, "<u>INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL"</u> and <u>FAX-5</u>, "<u>Steering Knuckle Ball Joint Inspection"</u>.
- 5. Check shock absorber operation.
- 6. Check each mounting part of axle and suspension for looseness and deformation.
- 7. Check each link, rod and member for cracks, deformation and other damage.
- 8. Check vehicle posture.

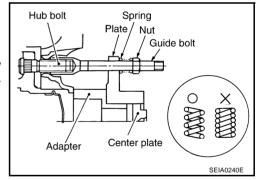
INSPECTION OF CAMBER, CASTER AND KINGPIN INCLINATION ANGLES

- Camber, caster, kingpin inclination angles cannot be adjusted.
- Before inspection, mount front wheels onto turning radius gauge. Mount rear wheels onto a stand that has same height so vehicle will remain horizontal.

Using a CCK Gauge

Install CCK gauge attachment (SST: KV991040S0) as following procedure in wheel, then measure wheel alignment.

- 1. Remove wheel nuts (2), and install a guide bolt to hub bolt.
- 2. Screw adapter into plate body until it contacts body tightly.
- Screw center plate into plate.
- Insert plate on guide bolt. Put spring in, and then evenly screw both guide bolt nut. When fastening guide bolt nut, do not completely compress spring.



5. Place the dent of alignment gauge onto the projection of center plate and tightly contact them to measure.

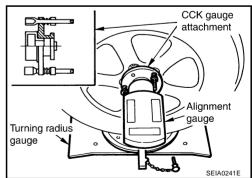
Standard value

Camber, caster, kingpin inclination angles:

Refer to FSU-20, "SERVICE DATA"

CAUTION:

- If camber, caster, or kingpin inclination angle is outside the standard, check front suspension parts for wear and damage, and replace suspect parts if necessary.
- King pin inclination angle is reference value, no inspection is required. (Due to the type of suspension, the kingpin inclination angle cannot be measured correctly using a normal alignment tester).



Toe-In Inspection

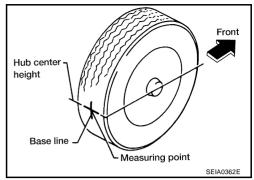
Measure toe-in using the following procedure.

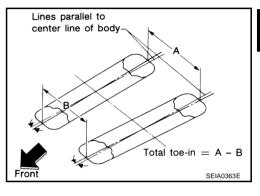
WARNING:

- Always perform the following procedure on a flat surface.
- Make sure that no person is in front of vehicle before pushing it.
- 1. Bounce front of vehicle up and down to stabilize the posture.
- 2. Push vehicle straight ahead about 5 m (16 ft).
- 3. Put a mark on base line of the tread (rear side) of both tires at the same height of hub center. These are measuring points.
- 4. Measure distance "A" (rear side).
- 5. Push vehicle slowly ahead to rotate wheels 180 degrees (1/2 turn).
 - If wheels have rotated more than 180 degrees (1/2 turn), try the above procedure again from the beginning. Never push vehicle backward.
- 6. Measure distance "B" (front side).

Standard value

Total toe-in : Refer to FSU-20, "SERVICE DATA"





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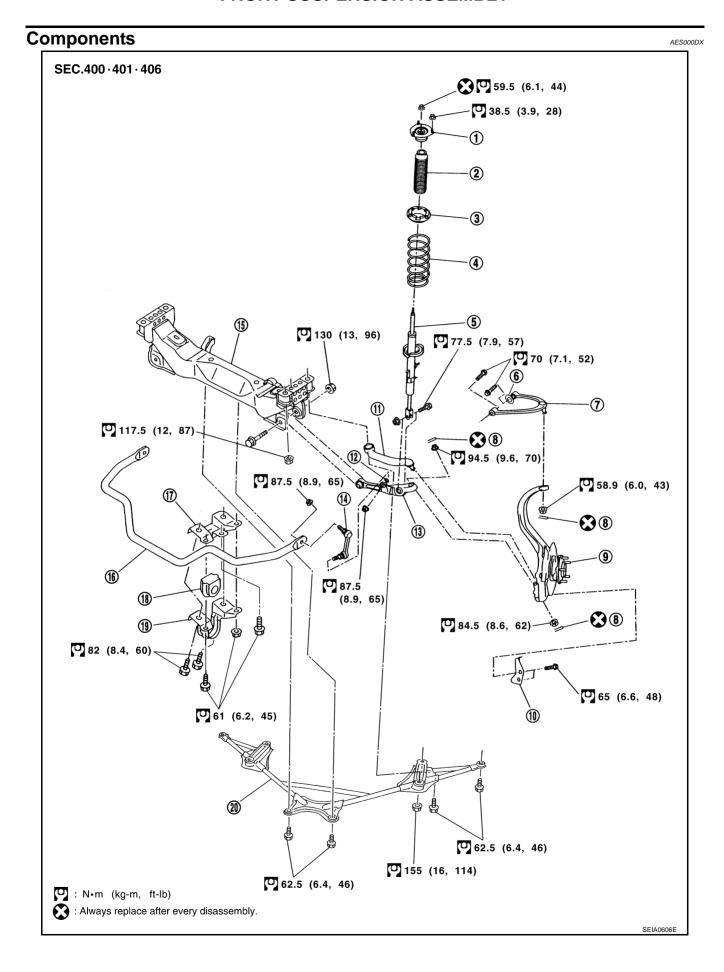
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| 1. | Mounting insulator | 2. | Bound bumper | 3. | Spring upper seat |
| 4. | Coil spring | 5. | Shock absorber | 6. | Stopper rubber |
| 7. | Upper link | 8. | Cotter pin | 9. | Front axle |
| 10. | Steering stopper bracket | 11. | Compression rod | 12. | Washer |
| 13. | Transverse link | 14. | Stabilizer connecting rod | 15. | Front suspension member |
| 16. | Stabilizer bar | 17. | Stabilizer clamp bracket | 18. | Stabilizer bushing |
| 19. | Stabilizer clamp | 20. | Front cross bar | | |
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| | emove brake caliper with powe , <u>"FRONT DISC BRAKE"</u> . | r too | I. Hang it in a place where it w | vill not | interfere with work. Refer to BR |
| 3. Re | emove disc rotor. | | | | |
| I. Re | emove front air spoiler. | | | | |
| . Re | emove undercover with power | tool. | | | |
| . Re | emove fixing bolts and nuts, the | en re | move front cross bar from vel | nicle w | rith power tool. |
| | emove steering hydraulic pipin NE" . | g bra | acket from front suspension m | nembe | r. Refer to <u>PS-34, "HYDRAULIC</u> |
| | emove steering gear and front efer to <u>PS-17, "POWER STEE</u> I | | | olts an | nd hang steering gear on vehicle |
| . Se | t jack under engine. | | | | |
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| | hen setting jack to engine, u | | • | | - |
| | emove fixing bolt and nut between | | | | with power tool. |
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| | e a ball joint remover (suitable e ball joint boot. | too |) to remove upper link from st | teering | knuckle. Be careful not to dam |
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| | emove fixing nut and washer lo er connecting rod from transve | | | | ting rod, and then remove stabi 3 <u>, "STABILIZER BAR"</u> . |
| | emove fixing nuts between eno NGINE ASSEMBLY" | gine | mounting insulator and front s | susper | nsion member. Refer to EM-104 |
| 5. Re | emove fixing nuts between fror | nt sus | spension member and body w | ith pov | wer tool. |
| 6. Re | emove front suspension assem | bly f | rom vehicle. | | |
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| | efer to FSU-8, "Components" 1 | or ti | htening torque. Install in the r | revers | e order of removal. |
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| Re | efer to component parts location | n an | d do not reuse non-reusable p | oarts. | |

Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts.

Perform final tightening of shock absorber lower side (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to FSU-20, "SERVICE DATA".

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COIL SPRING AND SHOCK ABSORBER

COIL SPRING AND SHOCK ABSORBER

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Removal and Installation

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- 1. Remove tire from vehicle with power tool.
- 2. Remove harness of wheel sensor from shock absorber. Refer to BRC-66, "WHEEL SENSOR".

CAUTION:

Do not pull on wheel sensor harness.

- 3. Remove mounting nuts of brake hose from shock absorber. Refer to <u>BR-11, "BRAKE PIPING AND HOSE"</u>.
- 4. Remove mounting bolt and nut between shock absorber and transverse link with power tool.
- 5. Remove mounting nuts on mounting insulator with power tool, then remove shock absorber from vehicle.

INSTALLATION

Refer to FSU-8, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal.

NOTE:

Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts.

 Perform final tightening of shock absorber lower side (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to <u>FSU-20</u>, <u>"SERVICE DATA"</u>.

Disassembly and Assembly DISASSEMBLY

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NOTE:

Make sure piston rod on shock absorber is not damaged when removing components from shock absorber.

 Install strut attachment (SST) to shock absorber and fix it in a vise.

CAUTION:

When installing strut attachment (SST) to shock absorber, wrap a shop cloth around shock absorber to protect it from damage.

Using a spring compressor (commercial service tool), compress coil spring between spring upper seat and spring lower seat (on shock absorber) until coil spring is free.

CAUTION:

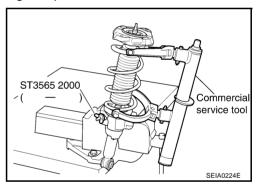
Be sure spring compressor (commercial service tool) is securely attached to coil spring. Compress coil spring.

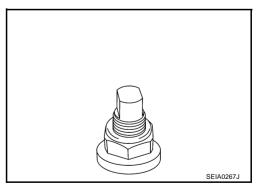
- 3. Check that coil spring between spring upper seat and spring lower seat is free and then secure piston rod tip so that piston rod does not turn, and remove piston rod lock nut.
- 4. Remove mounting insulator, bound bumper, spring upper seat. Then remove coil spring from shock absorber.
- 5. Gradually release spring compressor (commercial service tool), and remove coil spring.

CAUTION:

Loosen while marking sure coil spring attachment position does not move.

6. Remove strut attachment (SST) from shock absorber.





COIL SPRING AND SHOCK ABSORBER

INSPECTION AFTER DISASSEMBLY

Shock Absorber Inspection

- Check shock absorber for deformation, cracks, damage, and replace if necessary.
- Check piston rod for damage, uneven wear or distortion, and replace if necessary.
- Check welded and sealed areas for oil leakage, and replace if necessary.

Mounting Insulator and Rubber Parts Inspection

Check mounting insulator for cracks and rubber parts for wear. Replace them if necessary.

Coil Spring Inspection

Check coil spring for cracks, wear, damage, and replace if necessary.

ASSEMBLY

NOTE:

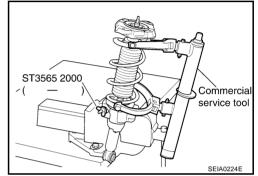
Make sure piston rod on shock absorber is not damaged when attaching components to shock absorber.

1. Install strut attachment (SST) to shock absorber and fix it in a vise.

CAUTION:

When installing strut attachment (SST) to shock absorber, wrap a shop cloth around shock absorber to protect it from damage.

2. Compress coil spring using a spring compressor (commercial service tool), and install it onto shock absorber.

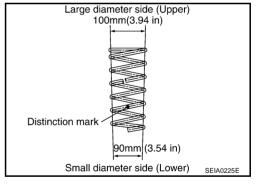


CAUTION:

- Install coil spring as shown in the figure with large diameter side [100 mm (3.94 in] up and small diameter side [90 mm (3.54 in)] down. (Identification paint is the 4th winding point from lower side.
- Be sure spring compressor (commercial service tool) is securely attached to coil spring. Compress coil spring.
- 3. Apply soapy water to bound bumper and insert into mounting insulator.

CAUTION:

Do not use machine oil.



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COIL SPRING AND SHOCK ABSORBER

 Attach spring upper seat and mounting insulator as shown in the figure.

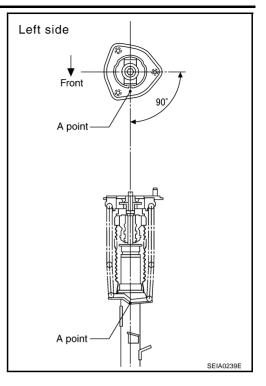
CAUTION:

- Make sure coil spring is securely seated in spring mounting groove of spring upper seat.
- The bottom part of spring should be at the piston of A point of spring seat.
- 5. Secure piston rod tip so that piston rod does not turn, and tighten the specified torque on piston rod lock nut.
- 6. Gradually release spring compressor (commercial service tool), and remove coil spring.

CAUTION:

Loosen spring compressor (commercial service tool) while making sure coil spring attachment position does not move.

7. Remove strut attachment (SST) from shock absorber.



TRANSVERSE LINK

TRANSVERSE LINK PFP:54500 Removal and Installation AES000E2 **REMOVAL** Remove tire from vehicle with power tool. Remove front air spoiler. 3. Remove undercover with power tool. Remove mounting nut and washer on lower portion of stabilizer connecting rod with power tool. Refer to FSU-18. "STABILIZER BAR". Remove mounting nut and bolt between transverse link and shock absorber on lower position. Remove mounting nut between transverse link and front suspension member with power tool. Remove transverse link from steering knuckle. Refer to FAX-4, "FRONT WHEEL HUB AND KNUCKLE". Remove transverse link from vehicle. INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL Visual Inspection Check transverse link and bushing for deformation, cracks, or damage. If any non-standard condition is found, replace it. INSTALLATION Refer to FSU-8, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal. NOTE: Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts. Perform final tightening of front suspension member installation position and shock absorber lower side (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to FSU-6, "Wheel Alignment Inspection".

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Removal and Installation REMOVAL

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- 1. Remove tire from vehicle with power tool.
- Remove shock absorber. Refer to FSU-10, "COIL SPRING AND SHOCK ABSORBER".
- 3. Remove cotter pin of upper link ball joint, then loosen mounting nut.
- Use a ball joint remover (suitable tool) to remove upper link from steering knuckle. Be careful not to damage ball joint boot.

CAUTION:

Tighten temporarily mounting nut to prevent damage to threads and to prevent ball joint remover (suitable tool) from coming off.

- 5. Remove bolts holding upper link to body with power tool.
- 6. Remove upper link from vehicle.
- 7. Remove stopper rubber from upper link.

INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL

Visual Inspection

- Check upper link and bushing for deformation, cracks, or damage. If any non-standard condition is found, replace it.
- Check boot of ball joint for cracks, or other damage, and also for grease leakage. If any non-standard condition is found, replace it.

Ball Joint Inspection

Manually move ball stud to confirm it moves smoothly with no binding.

Swing Torque Inspection

NOTE:

Before measurement, move boll joint at least ten times by hand to check for smooth movement.

Hook spring scale at ball stud. Confirm spring scale measurement value is within the specifications when ball stud begins moving.

Standard value

Swing torque:

Less than 2.0 N·m (0.20 kg-m, 18 in-lb)

Measured value of spring scale:

Less than 34.8 N (3.5 kg, 7.8 lb)

If it is outside the specified range, replace upper link assembly.

Rotating Torque Inspection

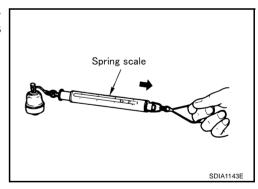
 Attach mounting nut to ball stud. Check that rotating torque is within specifications with a preload gauge (SST).

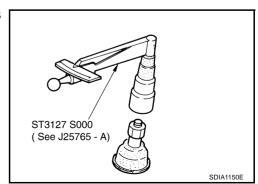
Standard value

Rotating torque:

Less than 2.0 N·m (0.20 kg-m, 18 in-lb)

If it is outside the specified range, replace upper link assembly.





UPPER LINK

Axial End Play Inspection

Move tip of ball joint in axial direction to check for looseness.

Standard value

Axial end play : 0 mm (0 in)

If it is outside the specified range, replace upper link assembly.

INSTALLATION

• Refer to <u>FSU-8</u>, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal.

NOTE:

Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts.

 Perform final tightening of front suspension member installation position (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to <u>FSU-20</u>, <u>"SERVICE DATA"</u>.

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- 1. Remove tire from vehicle with power tool.
- 2. Remove front air spoiler.
- 3. Remove undercover with power tool.
- 4. Remove front cross bar from vehicle with power tool.
- 5. Remove cotter pin of compression rod ball joint, and loosen nut.
- Use a ball joint remover (suitable tool) to remove compression rod from steering knuckle. Be careful not to damage ball joint boot.

CAUTION:

Tighten temporarily mounting nut to prevent damage to threads and to prevent ball joint remover (suitable tool) from coming off.

7. Remove compression rod from vehicle.

INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL

Visual Inspection

- Check compression rod and bushing for deformation, cracks, or damage. If any non-standard condition is found, replace it.
- Check boot of ball joint for cracks, or other damage, and also for grease leakage. If any non-standard condition is found, replace it.

Ball Joint Inspection

Manually move ball stud to confirm it moves smoothly with no binding.

Swing Torque Inspection

NOTE:

Before measurement, move ball joint at least ten times by hand to check for smooth movement.

Hook spring scale at ball stud. Confirm spring scale measurement value is within the specifications when ball stud begins moving.

Standard value

Swing torque:

0.147 - 2.45 N·m (0.02 - 0.24 kg-m, 2 - 21 in-lb)

Measured value of spring scale:

2.37 - 39.5 N (0.24 - 4.03 kg, 0.53 - 8.88 lb)

 If it is outside the specified range, replace compression rod assembly.

Spring scale Spling scale

Rotating Torque Inspection

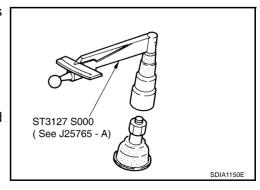
 Attach mounting nut to ball stud. Check that rotating torque is within specifications with a preload gauge (SST).

Standard value

Rotating torque:

0.147 - 2.45 N·m (0.02 - 0.24 kg-m, 2 - 21 in-lb)

 If it is outside the specified range, replace compression rod assembly.



COMPRESSION ROD

Axial End Play Inspection

Move tip of ball joint in axial direction to check for looseness.

Standard value

Axial end play : 0 mm (0 in)

If it is outside the specified range, replace compression rod assembly.

INSTALLATION

• Refer to <u>FSU-8</u>, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal.

NOTE:

Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts.

Perform final tightening of installation position between front suspension member and front cross bar (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to <u>FSU-6</u>, "Wheel Alignment Inspection".

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STABILIZER BAR

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Removal and Installation

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- 1. Remove tire from vehicle with power tool.
- 2. Remove front air spoiler.
- 3. Remove undercover with power tool.
- 4. Remove mounting nut on upper portion of stabilizer connecting rod with power tool.
- 5. Remove fixing bolts and nut, then remove stabilizer clamp, stabilizer bushing, and stabilizer clamp bracket.
- Remove stabilizer bar from vehicle.

INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL

Check stabilizer bar, stabilizer connecting rod, stabilizer bushing, stabilizer clamp and stabilizer clamp bracket for deformation, cracks and damage, and replace if necessary.

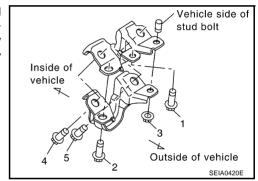
INSTALLATION

Refer to <u>FSU-8</u>, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal.

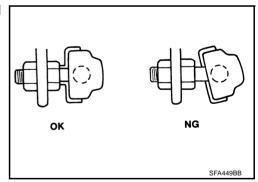
NOTE:

Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts.

Tighten each bolt and nut as shown in the figure for tightening stabilizer bracket and stabilizer clamp. Tightening order is as follows. 1 (fully tighten) → 2 (temporarily tighten) → 3 (temporarily tighten) → 2 (fully tighten) → 3 (fully tighten) → 4, 5 (temporarily tighten) → 4, 5 (fully tighten).



 Stabilizer bar uses pillow ball type connecting rod. Position ball joint with case on pillow ball head parallel to stabilizer bar.



FRONT SUSPENSION MEMBER

FRONT SUSPENSION MEMBER PFP:54401 Α Removal and Installation AFS000F4 **REMOVAL** Remove tire from vehicle with power tool. В 2. Remove front air spoiler. 3. Remove undercover with power tool. Remove fixing bolts and nuts, then remove front cross bar from vehicle with power tool. Remove steering hydraulic piping bracket from front suspension member. Refer to PS-34, "HYDRAULIC LINE". Remove steering gear and front suspension member attachment bolts and hang steering gear on vehicle. Refer to PS-17, "POWER STEERING GEAR AND LINKAGE". Remove transverse link from front suspension member with power tool. Refer to FSU-13, "TRANSVERSE LINK". **FSU** 8. Set jack under engine. **CAUTION:** When setting jack to engine, use a wooden block or an equivalent for the setting. Remove fixing nuts between engine mounting insulator and front suspension member. Refer to EM-104. "ENGINE ASSEMBLY". 10. Remove fixing nuts between front suspension member and body with power tool. 11. Remove front suspension member from vehicle. INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL Н Check front suspension member for deformation, cracks, or any other damage. Replace if necessary. INSTALLATION Refer to FSU-8, "Components" for tightening torque. Install in the reverse order of removal. NOTE: Refer to component parts location and do not reuse non-reusable parts. Perform final tightening of installation position between front suspension member and transverse link (rubber bushing) under unladen condition with tires on level ground. Check wheel alignment. Refer to FSU-6, "Wheel Alignment Inspection". K

SERVICE DATA

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Wheel Alignment (Unladen)

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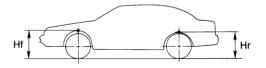
| Tire | | 17 inch | 18 inch | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Minimum | - 1°15′ (- 1.25°) | | | | | | |
| Camber Degree minute (Decimal degree) | Nominal | - 0°30′ | (- 0.50°) | | | | | |
| | Maximum | 0°15′ (0.25°) | | | | | | |
| | Left and right difference | 45′ (| 0.75°) | | | | | |
| | Minimum | 7°25′ (7.42°) | 7°15′ (7.25°) | | | | | |
| Caster Degree minute (Decimal degree) | Nominal | 8°10′ (8.17°) | 8°00′ (8.00°) | | | | | |
| | Maximum | 8°55′ (8.92°) | 8°45′ (8.75°) | | | | | |
| | Left and right difference | 45′ (0.75°) | | | | | | |
| Kingpin inclination Minimum | | 4°10′ (4.17°) | | | | | | |
| Degree minute (Decimal | Nominal | 4°55′ (4.92°) | | | | | | |
| degree) | Maximum | 5°40′ (5.67°) | | | | | | |
| | Minimum | 0 mm | n (0 in) | | | | | |
| Total toe-in Distance (A - B) | Nominal | 1 mm (0.04 in) | | | | | | |
| () | Maximum | 2 mm (0.08 in) | | | | | | |

Ball Joint

| Swing torque | Less than 2.0 N·m (0.20 kg-m, 18 in-lb) (Upper link) 0.147 - 2.45 N·m (0.02 - 0.24 kg-m, 2 - 21 in-lb) (Compression rod) |
|---|--|
| Measurement on spring balance (cotter pinhole position) | Less than 34.8 N (3.5 kg, 7.8 lb) (Upper link) 2.37 - 39.5 N (0.24 - 4.03 kg, 0.53 - 8.88 lb) (Compression rod) |
| Rotating torque | Less than 2.0 N·m (0.20 kg-m, 18 in-lb) (Upper link) 0.147 - 2.45 N·m (0.02 - 0.24 kg-m, 2- 21 in-lb) (Compression rod) |
| Axial end play | 0 mm (0 in) |

Wheelarch Height (Unladen*)

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| Applied model | 225/50R17 (Front) 235/50R17 (Rear) | 225/45R18 (Front) 245/45R18 (Rear) | | | | |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Front (Hf) | 691 mm (27.20 in) | 694 mm (27.32 in) | | | | |
| Rear (Hr) | 702 mm (27.64 in) | 710 mm (27.95 in) | | | | |

^{*:} Fuel, radiator coolant and engine oil full. Spare tire, jack, hand tools and mats in designated positions.