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

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

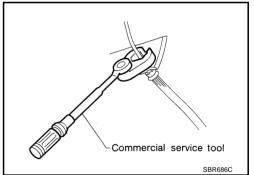
WARNING:

- 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 SRS 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 for Brake System

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- Clean dust on front brake and rear brake with a vacuum dust collector. Do not blow with compressed air.
- Recommended fluid is brake fluid "DOT 3".
- Do not reuse drained brake fluid.
- Be careful not to splash brake fluid on painted areas such as body. If brake fluid is splashed on painted
 areas, wipe it off and wash it away with water immediately.
- Use clean brake fluid to clean or wash all parts of master cylinder, disc brake caliper, etc.
- Do not use mineral oils such as gasoline or kerosene. They will ruin rubber parts of hydraulic system.
- Use a flare nut torque wrench when removing and installing brake tube.
- When installing brake piping, be sure to check torque.
- Before working, turn ignition switch OFF and disconnect connector for VDC/TCS/ABS control unit or battery negative terminal.
- Burnish brake pad (or lining) contact surfaces of disc rotor after refinishing or replacing drums or rotors, after replacing pads or linings, or if a soft pedal occurs at very low mileage.
 Refer to <u>BR-28</u>, "<u>Brake Burnishing Procedure</u>" (Front disc brake). Refer to <u>BR-35</u>, "<u>Brake Burnishing Procedure</u>" (Rear disc brake).



WARNING:

• Clean brake pads and shoes with a waste cloth, then wipe them with a vacuum dust collector.

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PREPARATION

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Commercial Service Tools

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Tool name		Description
1.Flare nut crowfoot a: 10 mm (0.39 in) / 12 mm (0.47 in) 2.Torque wrench	a 2 2 2 S-NT360	Removing and installing each brake piping
Pin punch Tip diameter: φ 4 mm(0.16 in)dia.	ZZA0515D	Removing and installing reservoir tank pin
Power tool	PBICO190E	Removing front and rear caliper assembly, tires

NOISE, VIBRATION AND HARSHNESS (NVH) TROUBLESHOOTING

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

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

Reference	page		BR-23,BR-30	BR-23,BR-30	BR-23,BR-30	I	I	BR-27,BR-33	I	I	I	BR-27,BR-33	I	NVH in PR section	NVH in RFD section	NVH in FAX, RAX and FSU, RSU section	NVH in WT section	NVH in WT section	NVH in RAX section	NVH in PS section
Possible cause and SUSPECTED PARTS		Pads - damaged	Pads - uneven wear	Shims damaged	Rotor imbalance	Rotor damage	Rotor run out	Rotor deformation	Rotor deflection	Rotor rust	Rotor thickness variation	Drum out of round	PROPELLER SHAFT	DIFFERENTIAL	AXLE AND SUSPENSION	TIRES	ROAD WHEEL	DRIVE SHAFT	STEERING	
		Noise	×	×	×									×	×	×	×	×	×	×
Symptom	BRAKE	Shake				×								×		×	×	×	×	×
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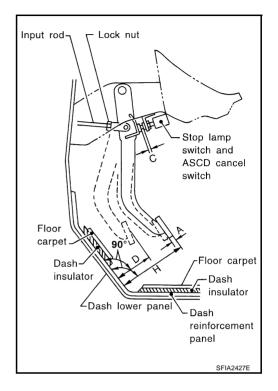
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BRAKE PEDAL

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Inspection and Adjustment PLAY AND CLEARANCE BETWEEN BRAKE PEDAL AND FLOOR PANEL WITH PEDAL DEPRESSED

- Check brake pedal play.
- Check brake pedal free height from dash lower panel.
- Adjust height referring to following specifications.



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Н	Brake pedal height (from dash lower panel top surface)	192.4 - 202.4 mm (7.57 - 7.97 in)
D	Depressed pedal height [under a force of 490 N (50 kg, 110lb) with engine running]	90 mm (3.54 in) or more
С	Clearance between stopper rubber and threaded end of stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch.	0.74 - 1.96 mm (0.0291 - 0.0772 in)
Α	Pedal play	3 - 11 mm (0.12 - 0.43 in)

ADJUSTMENT

- 1. Loosen stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch by rotating it counterclockwise by 45°.
- 2. Loosen lock nut (A) on input rod to rotate input rod for adjusting brake pedal height to the specified one, and tighten lock nut (A).

Lock nut (A) (C):

Refer to BR-20, "COMPONENTS".

CAUTION:

Make sure the threaded end of input rod stays inside clevis.

- With the pedal pulled and held by hand, press stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch until its threaded end contacts stopper rubber.
- With the threaded end of stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch contacting the bracket, rotate switch clockwise by 45° to secure.

CAUTION:

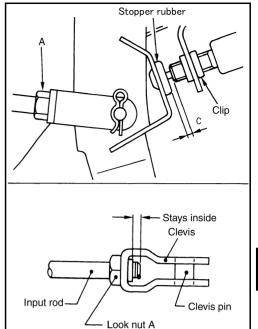
Make sure that clearance (C) between stopper rubber and end of stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch is within the standard.

5. Check pedal play. Refer to BR-6, "Inspection and Adjustment".

CAUTION:

Make sure that stop lamps go off when pedal is released.

6. Start the engine to check brake pedal depression height when depressed. Refer to BR-6, "Inspection and Adjustment".



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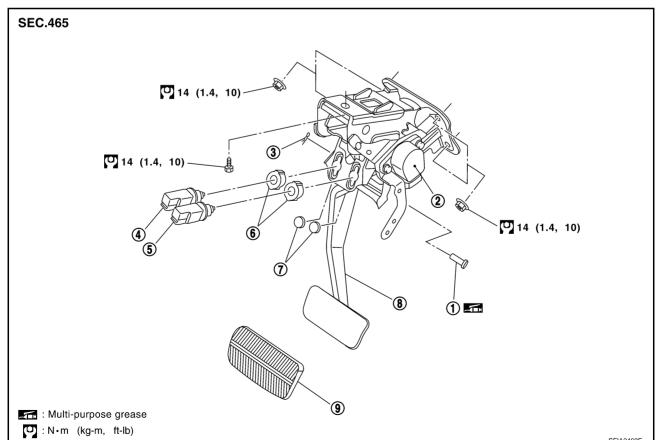
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Removal and Installation **COMPONENTS**



BRAKE PEDAL

1. Clevis pin

4. ASCD cancel switch

7. Stopper rubber

2. Brake pedal stroke sensor

5. Stop lamp switch

8. Brake pedal assembly

3. Snap pin

6. Clip

9. Brake pedal pad

REMOVAL

- 1. Remove instrument lower driver panel. Refer to <u>IP-16, "(V)</u> Instrument Lower Driver Panel".
- Remove steering column. Refer to <u>PS-11, "STEERING COL-</u> UMN".
- Remove stop lamp switch and ASCD cancel switch from brake pedal assembly.
- 4. Disconnect the brake pedal stroke sensor connector.

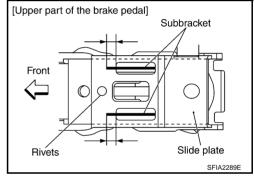
WARNING:

Brake pedal stroke sensor is not detachable. Do not detach it.

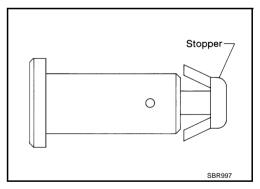
- 5. Remove snap pin and clevis pin from brake booster clevis.
- 6. Remove mounting nuts and bolt from bracket, and remove brake pedal assembly from vehicle.

INSPECTION AFTER REMOVAL

- Check brake pedal upper rivet for deformation.
- Make sure that the lapping length of sub-bracket and slide plate is at least 5 mm (0.16 in).
- Check brake pedal for bend, damage, and cracks on the welded parts.
- Replace brake pedal assembly if any non-standard condition is detected.



 Check clevis pin and plastic stopper for damage and deformation. Replace clevis pin if there are.

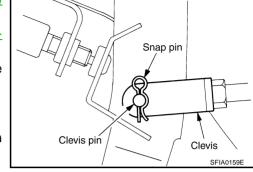


INSTALLATION

Paying attention to the following, install in the reverse order of the removal.

Tighten the mounting nuts and bolt to the specified torque. Refer to BR-7, "COMPONENTS".

After installing brake pedal assembly to vehicle, adjust brake pedal. Refer to <u>BR-6</u>, "<u>Inspection and Adjustment</u>".



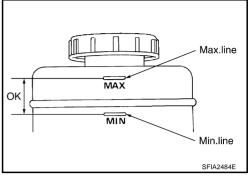
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Checking Brake Fluid Level

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- Make sure that a brake fluid level in reservoir tank is within the standard (between MAX and MIN lines).
- Visually check around reservoir tank for fluid leakage.
- If the level is excessively low, check brake system for leakage.
- Release parking brake lever and see if brake warning lamp goes off. If not, check brake system for fluid leakage.



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Drain and Refill

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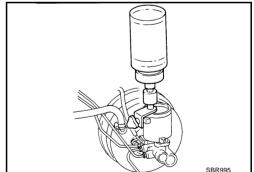
- Refill with new brake fluid "DOT3".
- Do not reuse drained brake fluid.
- Do not let brake fluid splash on painted surfaces of body. This might damage paint, so when splashing it on the surfaces, immediately wipe off them and wash it away with water.
- Before servicing, disconnect electrical connectors of VDC/TCS/ABS control unit or battery negative terminal.
- Connect a vinvl tube to bleed valve.
- 2. Depress brake pedal, loosen bleed valve, and gradually remove brake fluid.
- 3. Make sure there is no foreign material in reservoir tank, and refill with new brake fluid.
- 4. Rest foot on brake pedal. Loosen bleed valve. Slowly depress pedal until it stops. Tighten bleed valve. Release brake pedal. Repeat this process a few times, then pause to add new brake fluid to master cylinder. Continue until new brake fluid flows out.
- 5. Bleed Air. Refer to BR-9, "Bleeding Brake System"

Bleeding Brake System

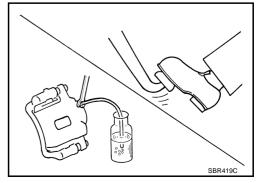
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CAUTION:

- Carefully monitor brake fluid level in reservoir tank during bleeding operation.
- Refill with new brake fluid "DOT 3". Make sure it is at least half way at all times while bleeding air out of system.
- Place a container under master cylinder to avoid spillage of brake fluid.
- Turn ignition switch OFF and disconnect VDC actuator connectors or battery negative terminal.



- $\bullet \quad \text{Bleed air in the following order. Right rear brake} \to \text{Left} \\ \text{front brake} \to \text{Left rear brake} \to \text{Right front brake}$
- Connect a transparent vinyl tube to bleed valve.
- 2. Fully depress brake pedal several times.
- 3. With brake pedal depressed, open bleed valve to release air.
- Close bleed valve.
- 5. Release brake pedal slowly.
- Repeat steps 2, through 5, until clear brake fluid comes out of bleed valve.



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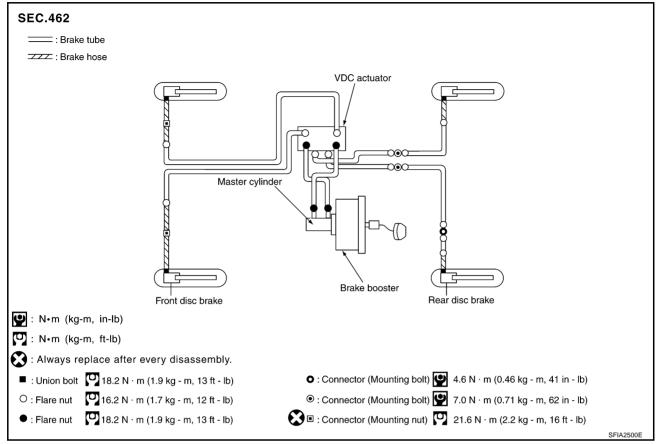
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BRAKE PIPING AND HOSE

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Hydraulic Circuit



CAUTION:

- All hoses and piping (tubes) must be free from excessive bending, twisting and pulling.
- Make sure there is no interference with other parts when turning steering both clockwise and counterclockwise.
- The brake tubes and hoses are an important safety parts. If a brake fluid leak is detected, always disassemble the parts. Replace applicable part with a new one, if necessary.
- Be careful not to splash brake fluid on painted areas; it way cause paint damage. If brake fluid is splashed on painted surfaces of body, immediately wipe it off and then wash it away with water immediately.
- Do not bend or twist brake hose sharply, or strongly pull it.
- When removing components, cover brake line connections so that no dirt, dust, or other foreign matter gets in.
- Refill with new brake fluid "DOT 3"
- Do not reuse drained brake fluid.

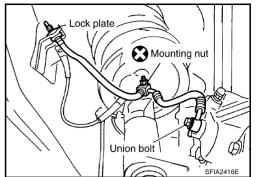
BRAKE PIPING AND HOSE

Removal and Installation of Front Brake Piping and Hose REMOVAL

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- Drain brake fluid. Refer to BR-9, "Drain and Refill".
- 2. Cover brake line connections to prevent foreign material such as dust or dirt from entering into the connections.
- Using a flare nut wrench, remove brake tube from brake hose. Remove union bolt, and remove brake hose from caliper assembly.
- 4. Remove lock plate.
- 5. Remove mounting nut, and remove brake hose from vehicle.



INSTALLATION

1. Position a metal fitting of brake hose between protrusions, and then tighten union bolt to the specified torque. Refer to BR-10, <a href=""Hydraulic Circuit".

CAUTION:

Do not reuse the copper washer.

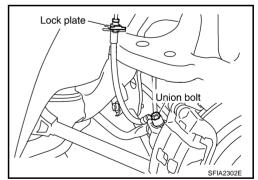
- 2. Connect brake hose to brake tube. Temporarily tighten flare nut by hand as much as possible. Secure them to bracket with the lock plate.
- 3. Tighten flare nut to the specified torque using a flare nut torque wrench. Refer to <u>BR-10</u>, "<u>Hydraulic Circuit</u>".
- 4. Tighten mounting nuts to the specified torque. Refer to <u>BR-10</u>, "<u>Hydraulic Circuit"</u>.
- 5. After work, bleed air. Refer to BR-9, "Bleeding Brake System".

Protrusion

Removal and Installation of Rear Brake Piping and Hose REMOVAL

1. Drain brake fluid. Refer to BR-10, "Hydraulic Circuit".

- Cover brake line connections to prevent foreign material such as dust or dirt from entering into connections.
- 3. Using a flare nut wrench, remove brake tube from brake hose.
- 4. Remove union bolts, and then remove brake hose from caliper assembly.
- Remove lock plate, and remove brake hose from vehicle.



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