

SRS AIRBAG

PRECAUTION

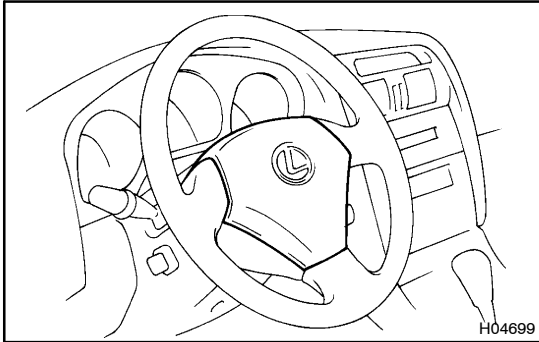
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NOTICE:

- The LEXUS GS300 is equipped with SRS, which comprises a driver airbag, front passenger airbag, side airbag and seat belt pretensioner. Failure to carry out service operations in the correct sequence could cause the SRS to unexpectedly deploy during servicing, possibly leading to a serious accident. Further, if a mistake is made in servicing the SRS, it is possible that the SRS may fail to operate when required. Before performing servicing (including removal or installation of parts, inspection or replacement), be sure to read the following items carefully, then follow the correct procedures described in the repair manual.
- Malfunction symptoms of the SRS are difficult to confirm, so the DTCs become the most important source of information when troubleshooting. When troubleshooting the SRS, always inspect the DTCs before disconnecting the battery.
- Even in cases of a minor collision where the SRS does not deploy, the steering wheel pad, front passenger airbag assembly, side airbag assembly, seat belt pretensioner airbag sensor assembly, front airbag sensor and side airbag sensor assembly should be inspected (See page RS-15, RS-29, RS-42 and BO-125).
- Never use SRS parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new parts.
- Never disassemble and repair the steering wheel pad, front passenger airbag assembly, side airbag assembly, seat belt pretensioner or airbag sensor assembly in order to reuse it.
- If the steering wheel pad, front passenger airbag assembly, side airbag assembly, seat belt pretensioner airbag sensor assembly, front airbag sensor or side airbag sensor assembly has been dropped, or if there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case, bracket or connector, replace them with new ones.
- Use a volt/ohmmeter with high impedance (10 k Ω /V minimum) for troubleshooting the system's electrical circuits.
- Information labels are attached to the periphery of the SRS components. Follow the instructions on the notices.
- After work on the SRS is completed, perform the SRS warning light check or SRS side airbag warning light check (See page DI-386).
- If the vehicle is equipped with a mobile communication system, refer to the precaution in the IN section.

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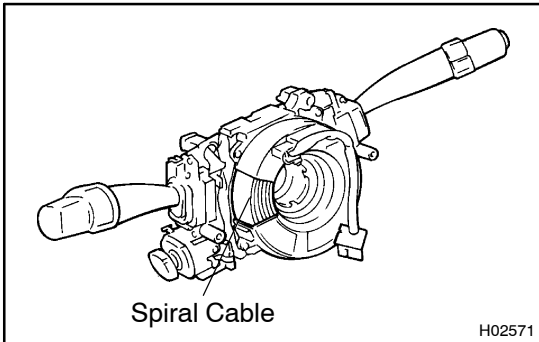
- Work must be started after 90 seconds from when the ignition switch is turned to the "LOCK" position and the negative (-) terminal cable is disconnected from the battery.
(The SRS is equipped with a back-up power source so that if work is started within 90 seconds from disconnecting the negative (-) terminal cable of the battery, the SRS may be deployed.)
- When the negative (-) terminal cable is disconnected from the battery, the memory of the clock and audio system will be canceled. So before starting work, make a record of the contents memorized in the audio memory system. When work is finished, reset the audio systems as they were before and adjust the clock. To avoid erasing the memory in each memory system, never use a back-up power supply from outside the vehicle.
- Before repairs, remove the airbag sensor if shocks are likely to be applied to the sensor during repairs.
- Do not expose the steering wheel pad, front passenger airbag assembly, side airbag assembly, seat belt pretensioner airbag sensor assembly, front airbag sensor or side airbag sensor assembly directly to hot air or flames.



OPERATION

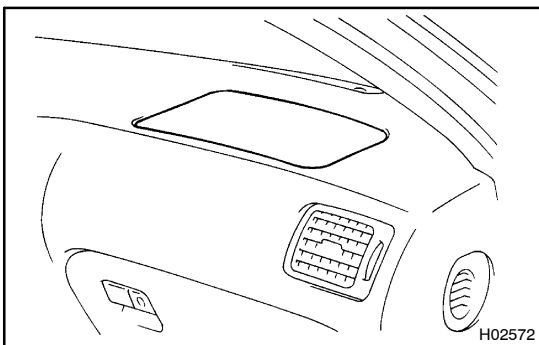
1. STEERING WHEEL PAD (with AIRBAG)

The inflator and bag of the SRS are stored in the steering wheel pad and cannot be disassembled. The inflator contains a squib, igniter charge, gas generant, etc., and inflates the bag when instructed by the airbag sensor assembly.



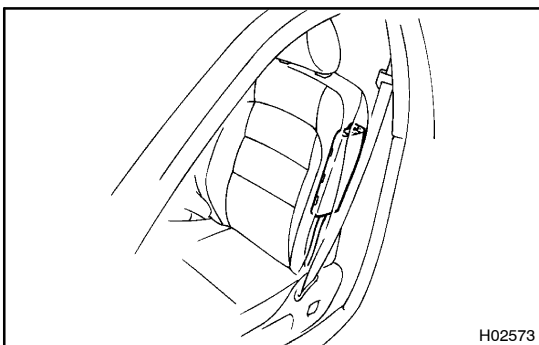
2. SPIRAL CABLE (in COMBINATION SWITCH)

A spiral cable is used as an electrical joint from the vehicle body side to the steering wheel.



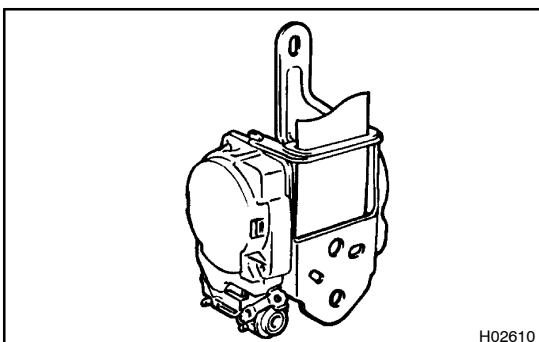
3. FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

The inflator and bag of the SRS are stored in the front passenger airbag assembly and cannot be disassembled. The inflator contains a squib, igniter charge, gas generant, etc., and inflates the bag when instructed by the airbag sensor assembly.



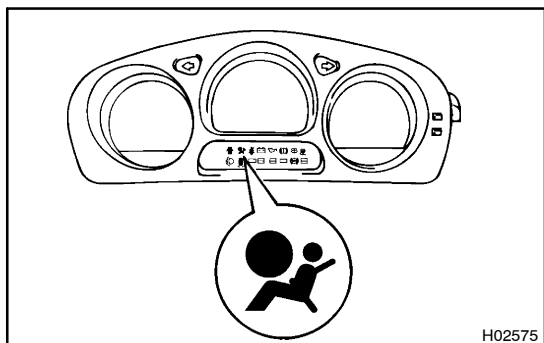
4. SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

The inflator and bag of the SRS side airbag are stored in the side airbag assembly and cannot be disassembled. The inflator contains a squib, igniter charge, gas generant, etc., and inflates the bag when instructed by the side airbag sensor assembly.



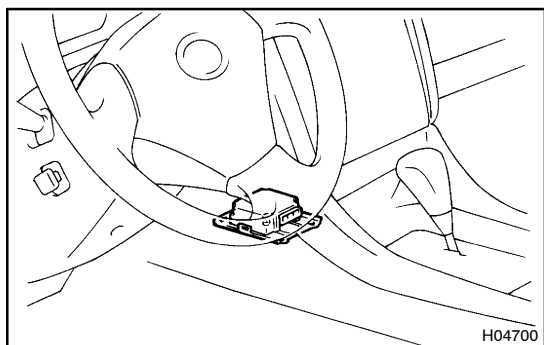
5. SEAT BELT PRETENSIONER

The seat belt pretensioner system is a component of the front seat outer belt. The pretensioner contains a squib, gas generant, wire, piston, etc., and operates in the event of a frontal collision.



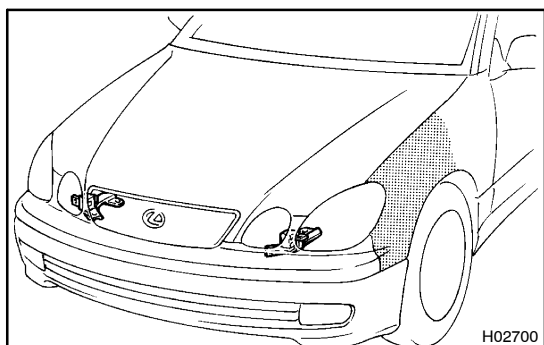
6. SRS WARNING LIGHT

The SRS warning light is located on the combination meter. It goes on to alert the driver of trouble in the system when a malfunction is detected in the airbag sensor assembly. In normal operation conditions when the ignition switch is turned to the ACC or ON position, the light goes on for approx. 6 seconds and then goes off.



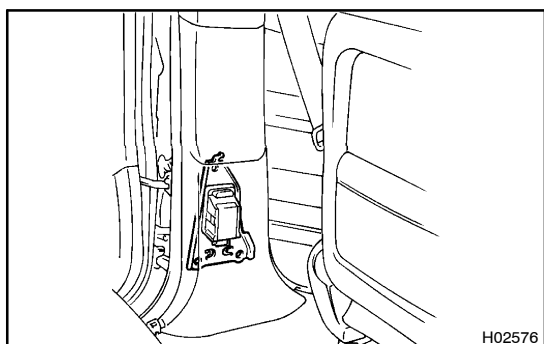
7. AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY

The airbag sensor assembly is mounted on the floor inside the lower center finish panel. The airbag sensor assembly consists of an airbag sensor, safing sensor, diagnosis circuit, ignition control and drive circuit, etc. It receives signals from the airbag sensor and judges whether the SRS must be activated or not.



8. FRONT AIRBAG SENSOR

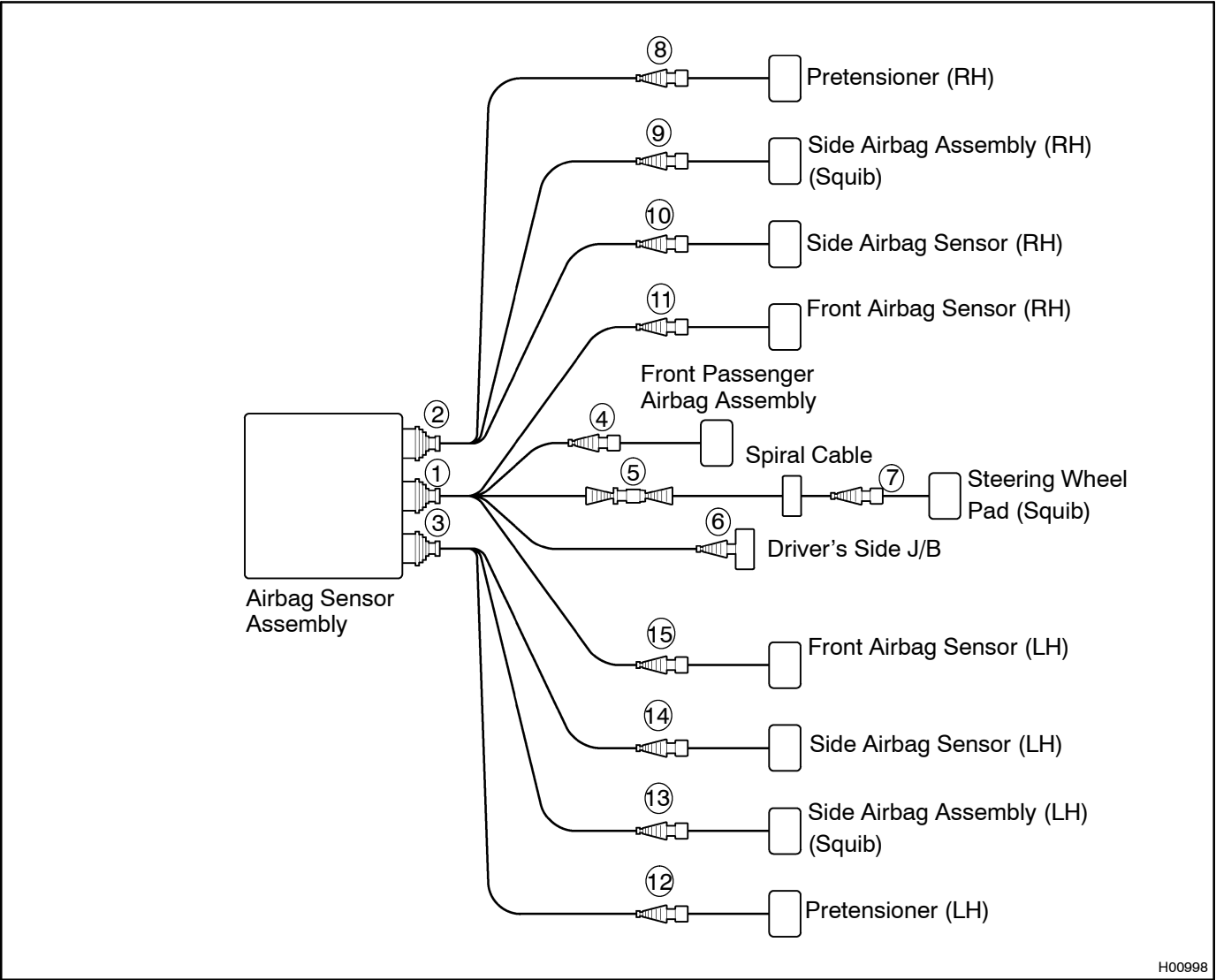
The front airbag sensor is mounted inside each of the front members. The sensor unit is a mechanical type. When the sensor detects deceleration force above a predetermined limit, contact is made in the sensor, sending a signal to the airbag sensor assembly. The sensor cannot be disassembled.



9. SIDE AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY

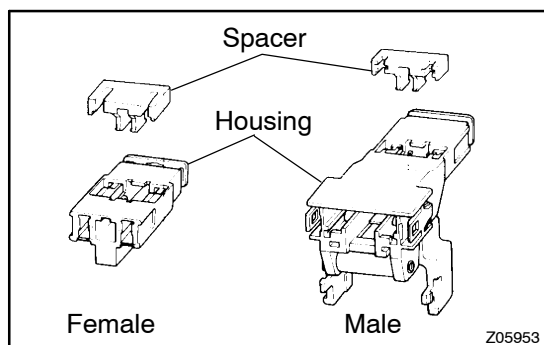
The side airbag sensor assembly is mounted in the LH and RH center pillar. The side airbag sensor assembly consists of a side airbag sensor, safing sensor, diagnosis circuit, ignition control and drive circuit, etc. It receives signals from the side airbag sensors and judges whether the SRS side airbag must be activated or not.

10. SRS CONNECTORS

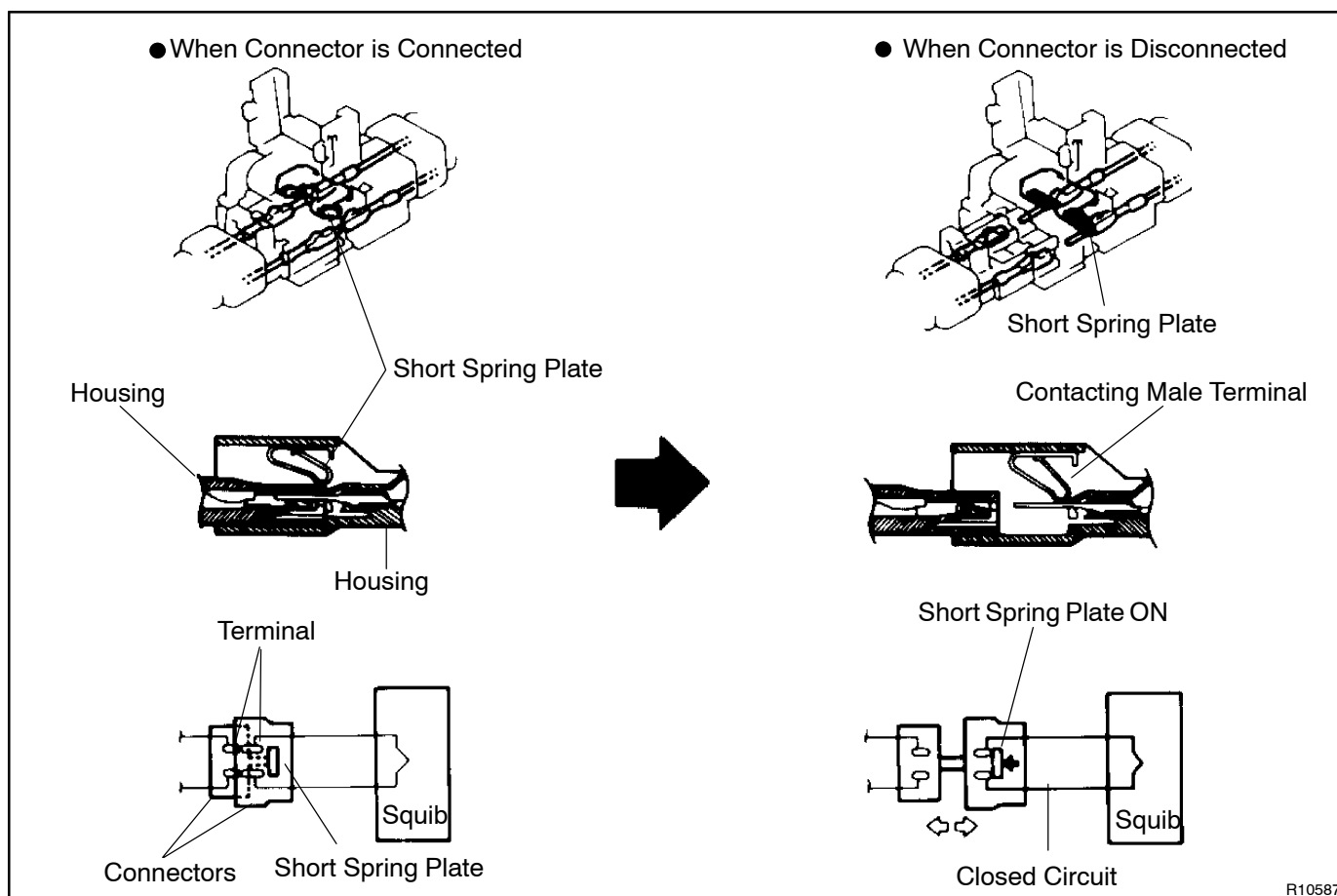


No.	Item	Application
(1)	Terminal Twin-Lock Mechanism	Connectors 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15
(2)	Airbag Activation Prevention Mechanism	Connectors 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13
(3)	Electrical Connection Check Mechanism	Connectors 1, 2, 3
(4)	Connector Twin-Lock Mechanism	Connectors 5

- (a) All connectors in the SRS are colored in yellow to distinguish them from other connectors. Connectors having special functions and specifically designed for the SRS are used in the locations shown in the diagram on the previous page to ensure high reliability. These connectors use durable gold-plated terminals.



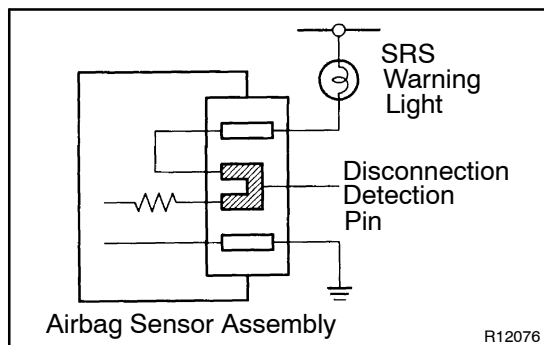
- (1) **Terminal Twin-Lock Mechanism**
Each connector has a two-piece component consisting of a housing and a spacer. This design secures the locking of the terminal by two locking devices (the retainer and the lance) to prevent terminals from coming out.
- (2) **Airbag Activation Prevention Mechanism**
Each connector contains a short spring plate. When the connector is disconnected, the short spring plate automatically connects the power source and grounding terminals of the squib.



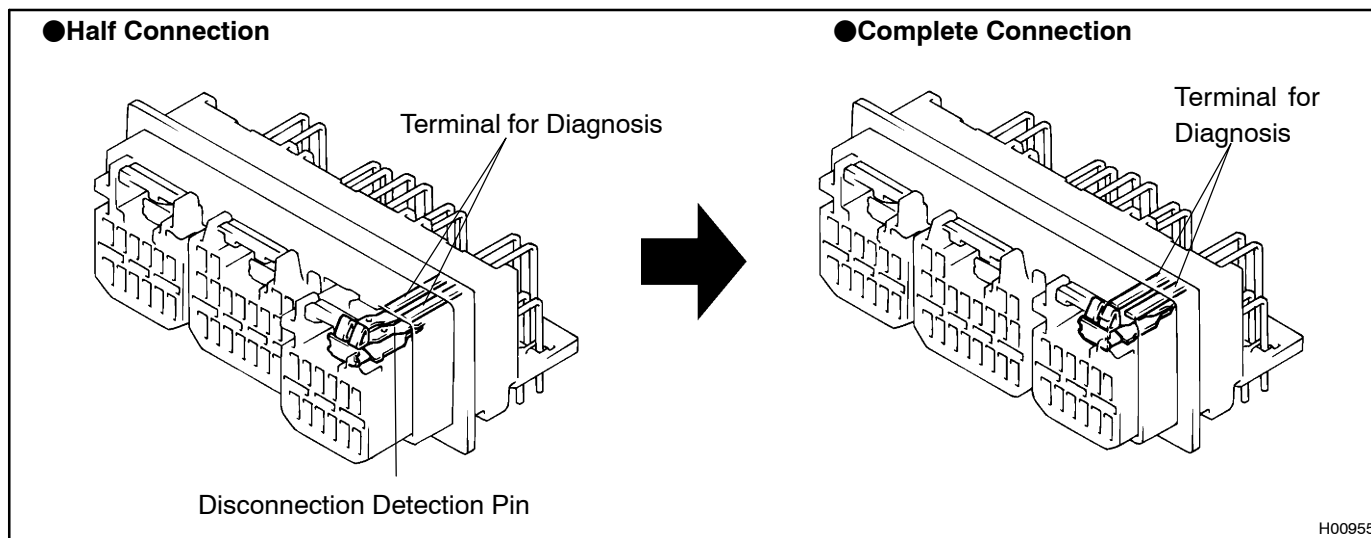
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HINT:

The type of connector shown on the previous page is used for the spiral cable connector "5" on the airbag sensor assembly side.



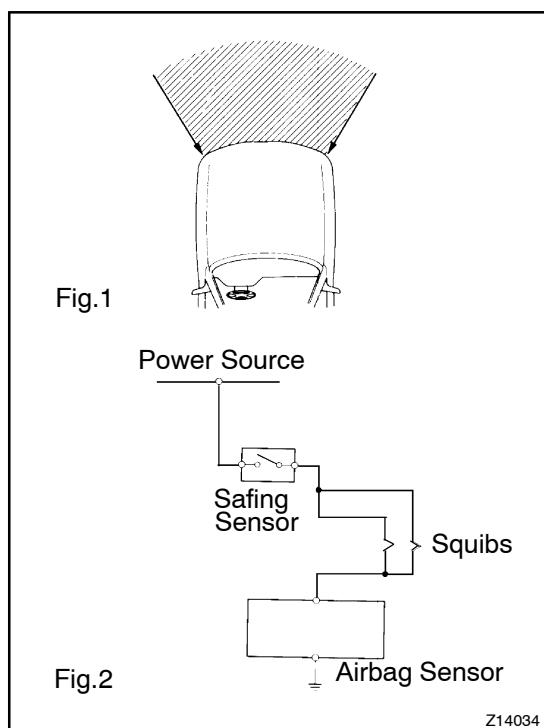
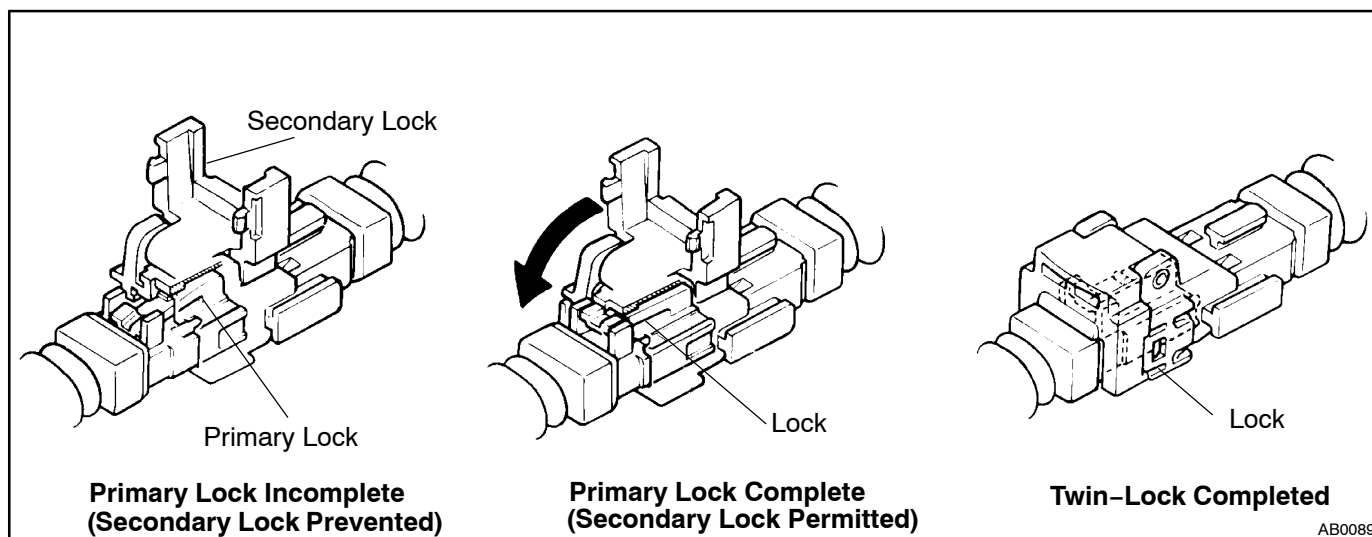
- (3) **Electrical Connection Check Mechanism**
This mechanism electrically checks that connectors are connected correctly and completely. The electrical connection check mechanism is designed so that the disconnection detection pin connects with the diagnosis terminals when the connector housing lock is locked.

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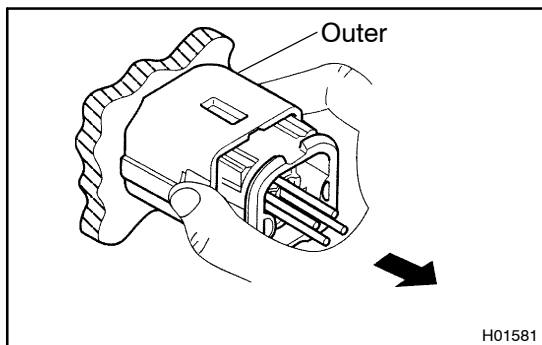
The above illustration shows connectors "1", "2" and "3".

(4) Connector Twin-Lock Mechanism

With this mechanism connectors (male and female connectors) are locked by 2 locking devices to increase the connection reliability. If the primary lock is incomplete, ribs interfere and prevent the secondary lock.



- (b) When the vehicle is involved in a frontal collision in the hatched area (Fig. 1) and the shock is larger than the predetermined level, the SRS is activated automatically. A safing sensor is designed to go on at a smaller deceleration rate than the airbag sensor. As illustrated in Fig. 2, ignition is caused when current flows to the squib, which happens when a safing sensor and the airbag sensor go on simultaneously. When a deceleration force acts on the sensors, 2 squibs in the driver airbag and front passenger airbag ignite and generate gas. The gas discharging into the driver airbag and front passenger airbag rapidly increases the pressure inside the bags, breaking open the steering wheel pad and instrument panel door. Bag inflation then ends, and the bags deflate as the gas is discharged through discharge holes at the bag's rear or side.

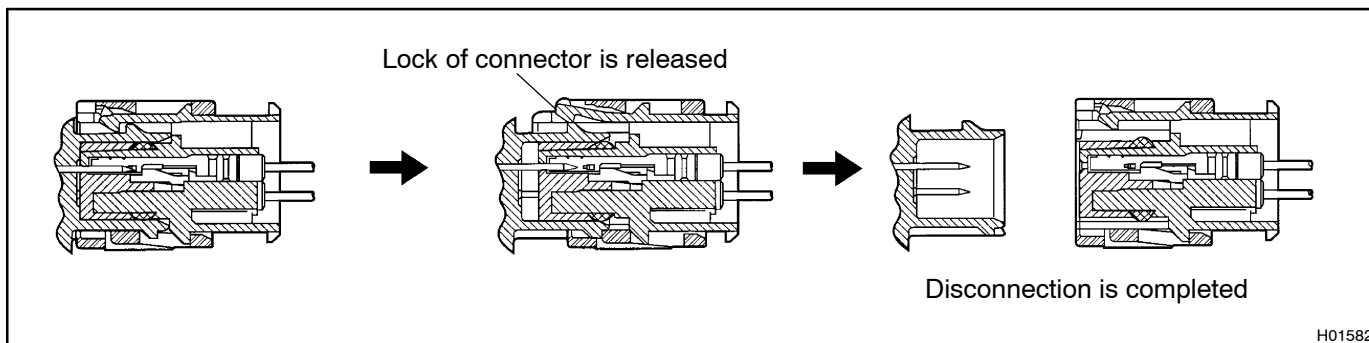


11. DISCONNECTION OF AIRBAG SENSOR CONNECTOR

- With holding both flank sides of the outer, slide the outer to the direction shown by an arrow.
- When lock of the connectors is released disconnect the connector.

HINT:

Make sure to hold both flank sides of the outer. If holding the top and bottom sides, it obstructs disconnection.



12. CONNECTION OF AIRBAG SENSOR CONNECTOR

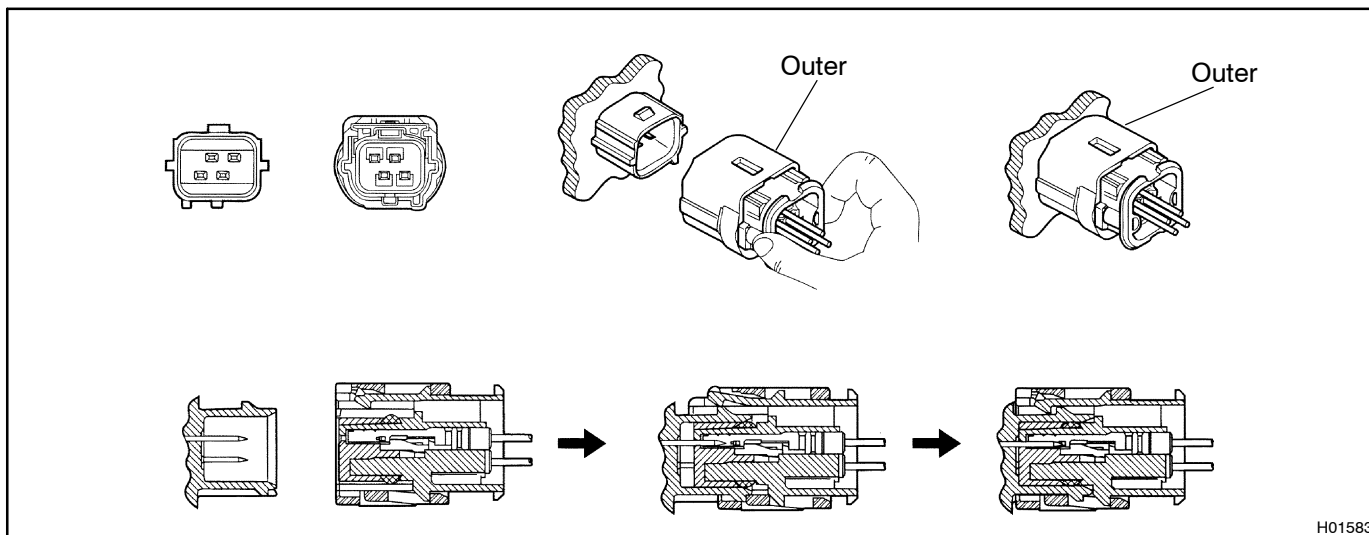
- Align the male connector (on the side of sensor) and female connector in the same direction as shown in the illustration and fit in them without rubbing.
- As they are fitted in, the outer slides rearward. Press it until the outer returns to its original position again.

If fitting stops on the half way, connectors will separate.

- Make sure to insert until the connectors are locked. After fitting in, pull them lightly to check that they are locked. (When locked, make sure that the outer returns to its original position and sound at the time of fitting in can be heard.)

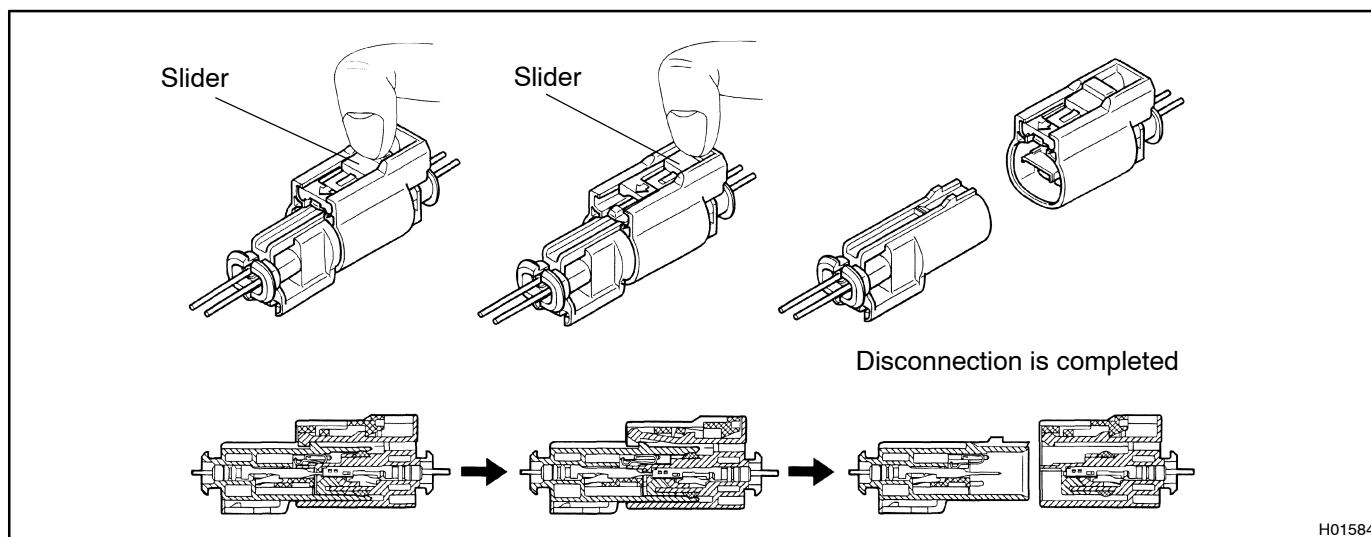
HINT:

- Do not fit in with holding the outer.
- When fitting in, the outer slides. Do not touch it.



13. DISCONNECTION OF SIDE AIRBAG CONNECTOR

- (a) Place a finger on the slider.
- (b) Slide the slider to release lock.
- (c) Disconnect the connector.

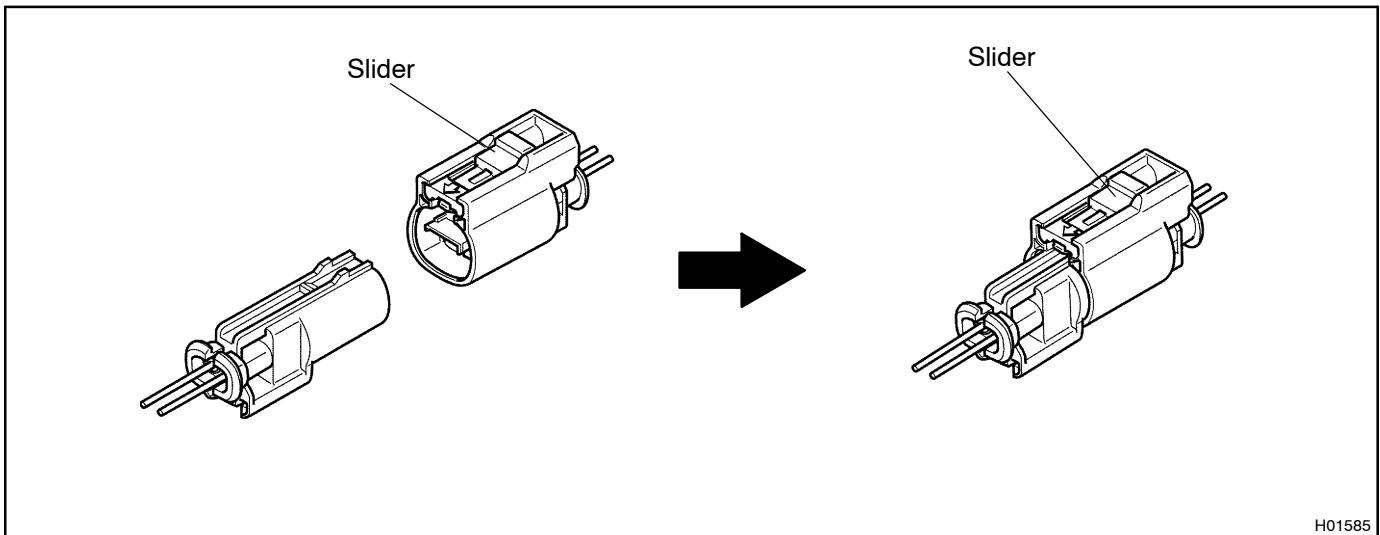


14. CONNECTION OF SIDE AIRBAG CONNECTOR

- (a) Align the male connector and the female connector in the same direction as shown in the illustration, fit in them without rubbing.
- (b) Make sure to insert until the connectors are locked. After fitting in, pull them lightly to check that they are locked. (When locked, make sure that the outer returns to its original position and sound at the time of fitting in can be heard.)

HINT:

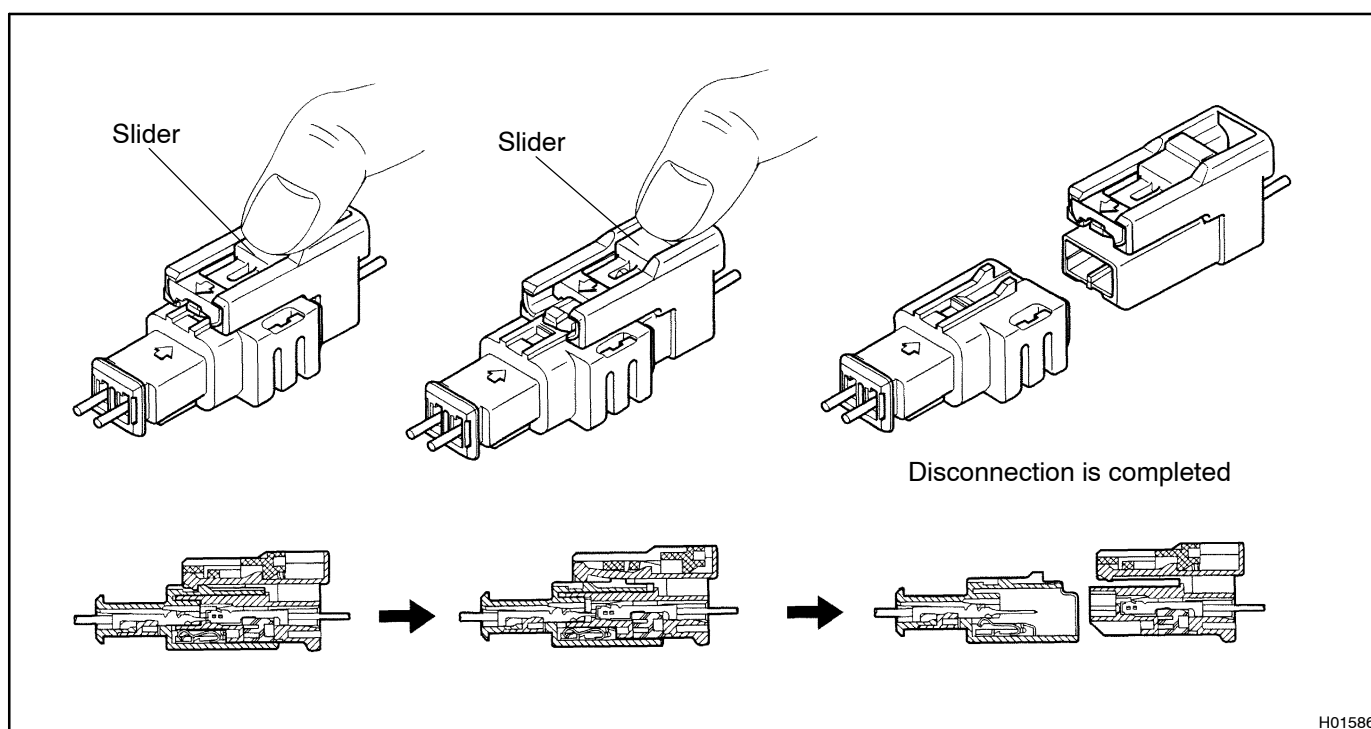
- As the slider slides, do not touch it.
- Be careful not to deform the release board. If the release board is deformed, replace it with a new one.



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15. DISCONNECTION OF CONNECTORS FOR STEERING WHEEL PAD (with AIRBAG) AND FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

- (a) Place a finger on the slider.
- (b) Slide the slider to release lock.
- (c) Disconnect the connector.

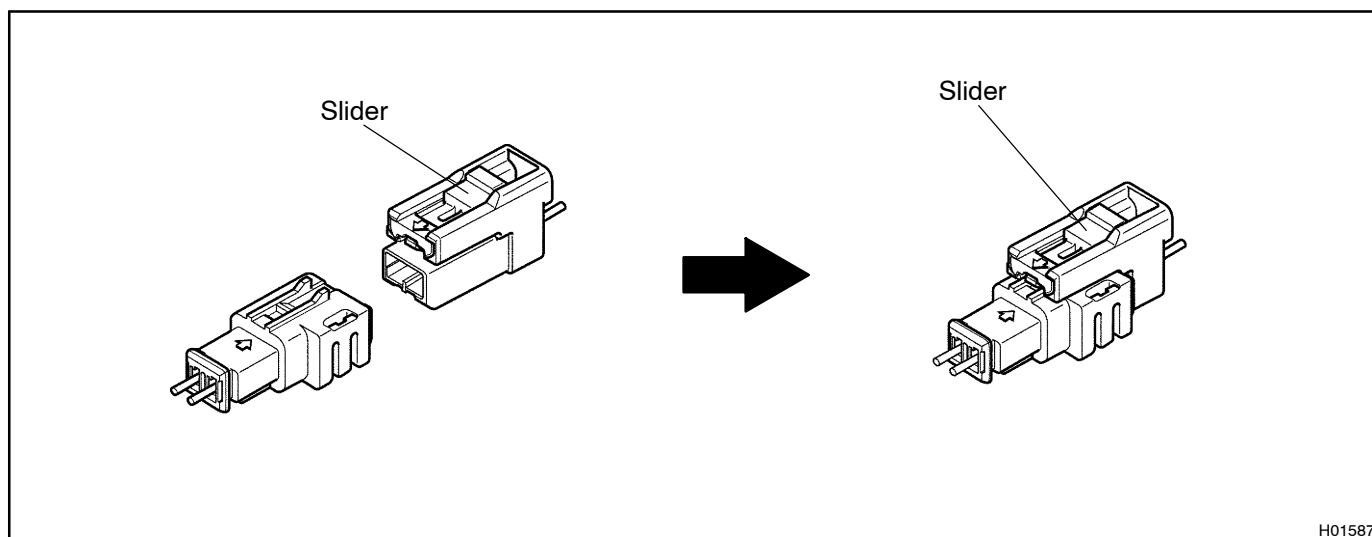


16. CONNECTION OF CONNECTORS FOR STEERING WHEEL PAD (with AIRBAG) AND FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

- (a) Align the male connector and the female connector in the same direction as shown in the illustration, fit in them without rubbing.
- (b) Make sure to insert until the connectors are locked. After fitting in, pull them lightly to check that they are locked. (When locked, make sure that the outer returns to its original position and sound at the time of fitting in can be heard.)

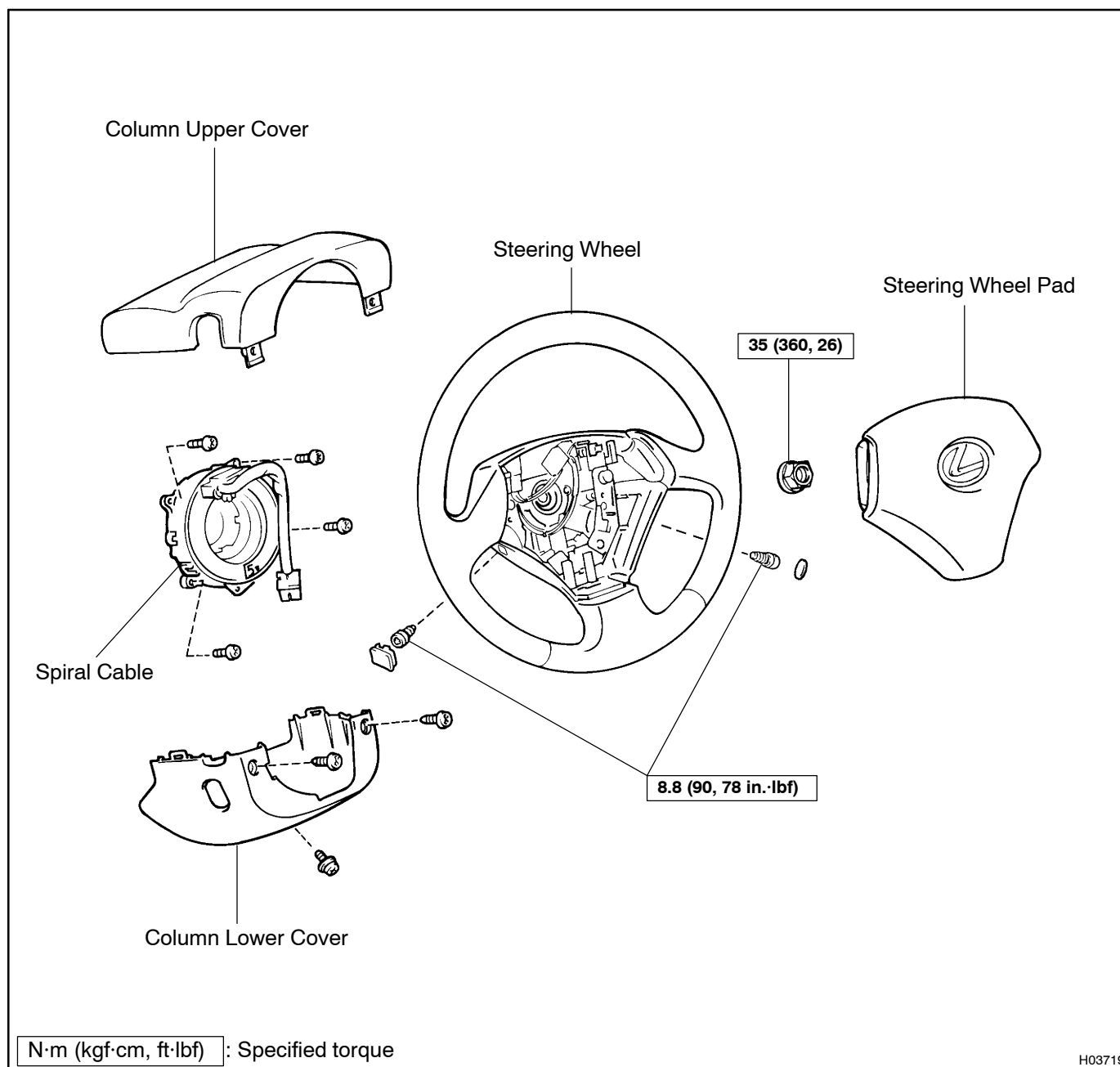
HINT:

- As the slider slides, do not touch it.
- Be careful not to deform the release board. If the release board is deformed, replace it with a new one.



STEERING WHEEL PAD AND SPIRAL CABLE COMPONENTS

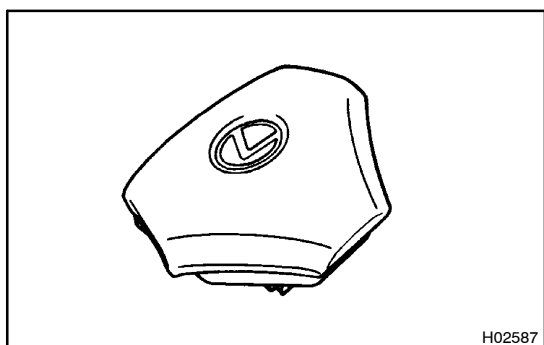
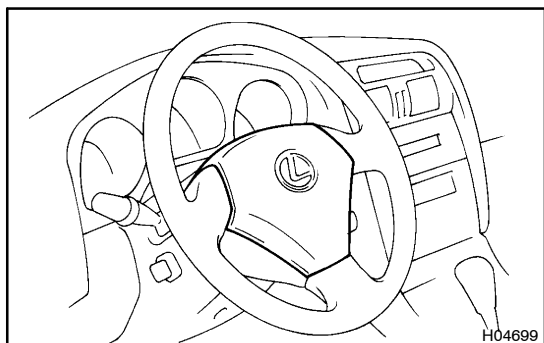
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REMOVAL

REMOVE STEERING WHEEL AND SPIRAL CABLE (See page SR-12)



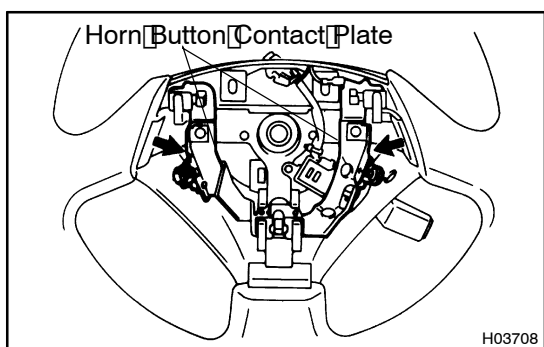
INSPECTION

1. VEHICLES NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the steering wheel pad (with airbag) installed in the vehicle.
Check for cuts, minute cracks or marked discoloration on the steering wheel pad top surface and in the grooved portion.

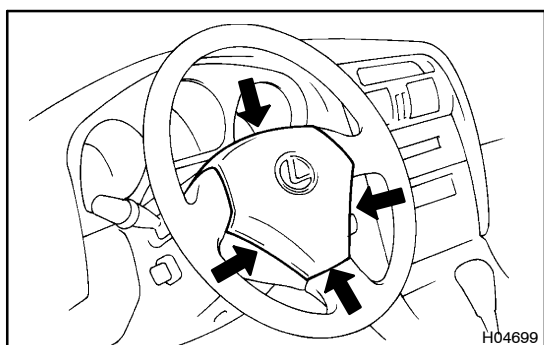
2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS NOT DEPLOYED

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the steering wheel pad (with airbag) removed from the vehicle.
 - Check for cuts, minute cracks or marked discoloration on the steering wheel pad top surface and in the grooved portion.
 - Check for cuts and cracks in wire harness, and chipping in connectors.
 - Check for the deformation of the horn button contact plate of the steering wheel.



HINT:

- If the horn button contact plate of the steering wheel is deformed, never repair it. Always replace the steering wheel assembly with a new one.



- There should be no interference between the steering wheel pad and steering wheel, and the clearance should be uniform all the way around when the new steering wheel pad is installed on the steering wheel.

CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the steering wheel pad, see the SR section and be sure to follow the correct procedure.

3. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS DEPLOYED

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See [page DI-386](#))
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the steering wheel pad (with airbag) removed from the vehicle.
 - Check for the deformation on the horn button contact plate of the steering wheel.
 - Check for the damage on the spiral cable connector and wire harness.

HINT:

- If the horn button contact plate of the steering wheel is deformed, never repair it. Always replace the steering wheel assembly with a new one.
- There should be no interference between the steering wheel pad and steering wheel, and the clearance should be uniform all the way around when the new steering wheel pad is installed on the steering wheel.

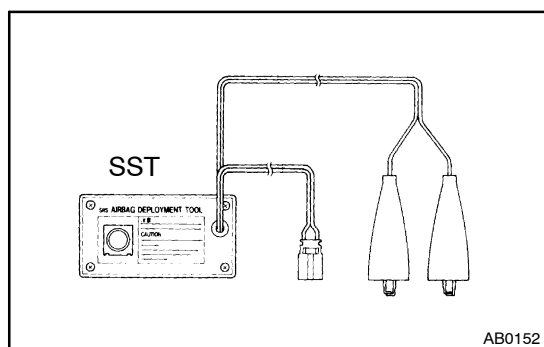
DISPOSAL

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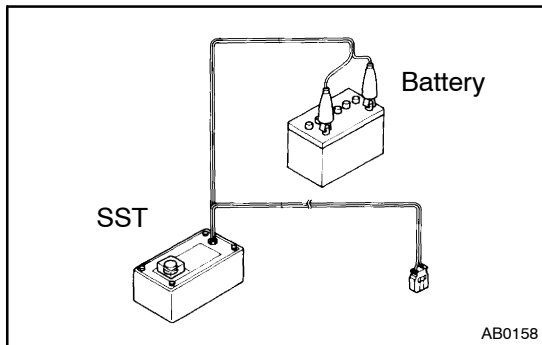
When scrapping vehicle equipped with an SRS or disposing of a steering wheel pad (with airbag), always first deploy the airbag in accordance with the procedure described below. If any abnormality occurs with the airbag deployment, contact the SERVICE DEPT. of the DISTRIBUTOR. When disposing of a steering wheel pad with an airbag deployed in a collision, follow the same procedure given in step 1–(g) in "DISPOSAL".

CAUTION:

- **Never dispose of a steering wheel pad which has an undeployed airbag.**
- **The airbag produces a sizeable exploding sound when it deploys, so perform the operation out-of-doors and where it will not create a nuisance to nearby residents.**



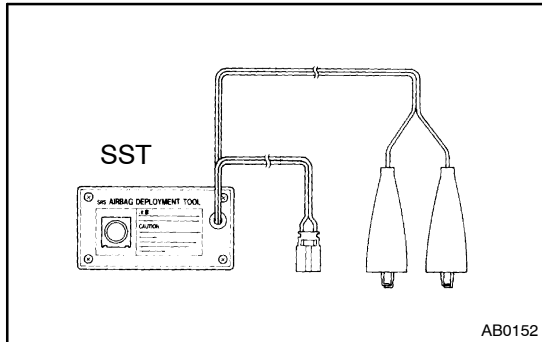
- **When deploying the airbag, always use the specified SST (SRS Airbag Deployment Tool). Perform the operation in a place away from electrical noise.**
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- **When deploying an airbag, perform the operation at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the steering wheel pad.**
- **The steering wheel pad is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.**
- **Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a steering wheel pad with the deployed airbag.**
- **Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.**
- **Do not apply water, etc. to a steering wheel pad with the deployed airbag.**



1. AIRBAG DEPLOYMENT WHEN SCRAPPING VEHICLE

HINT:

Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

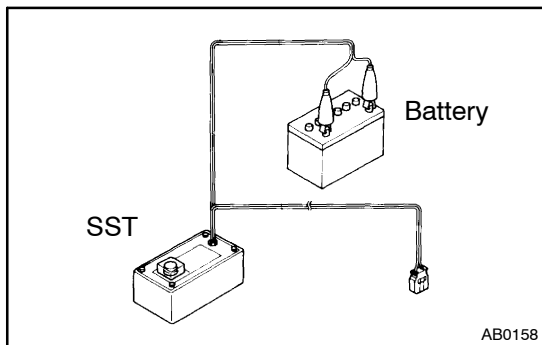


(a) Check functioning of SST

CAUTION:

When deploying the airbag, always use the specified SST: SRS Airbag Deployment Tool.

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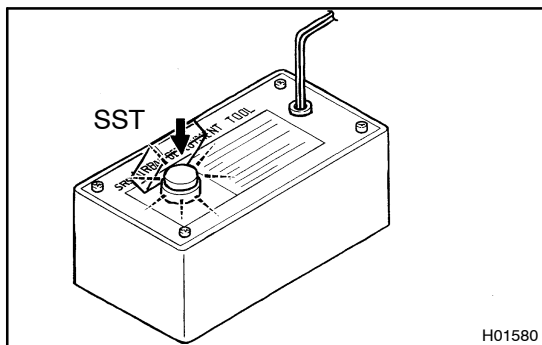


(1) Connect the SST battery.

Connect the red clip of the SST to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative (-) terminal.

HINT:

Do not connect the yellow connector which will be connected with the supplemental restraint system.

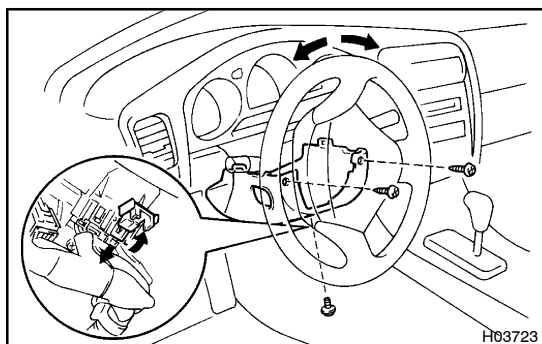


(2) Check functioning of SST.

Press the SST activation switch, and check that the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.

CAUTION:

If the LED lights up when the activation switch is not being pressed, SST malfunction is probable, so definitely do not use the SST.



(b) Install the SST.

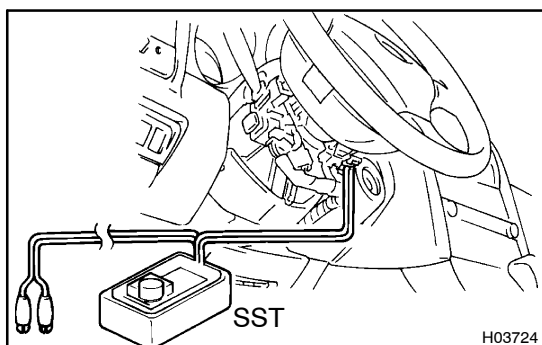
CAUTION:

Check that there is no looseness in the steering wheel and steering wheel pad.

(1) Remove the steering column lower cover.

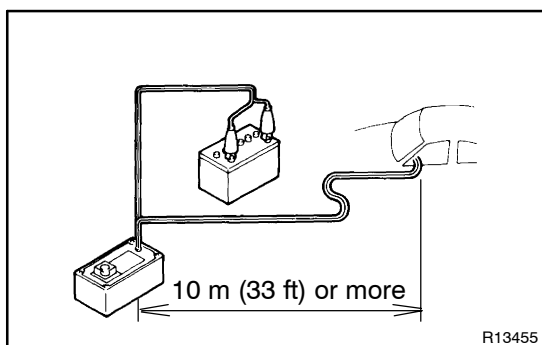
Remove the 3 screws and steering column lower cover as shown in the illustration.

(2) Disconnect the airbag connector of the spiral cable.



- (3) Connect the SST connector to the airbag connector of the spiral cable.

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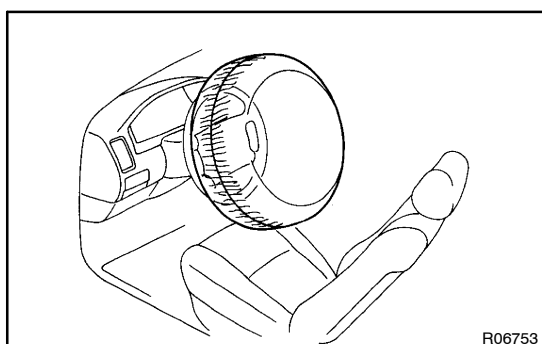
- (4) Move the SST at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the front of the vehicle.

- (5) Close all the doors and windows of the vehicle.

NOTICE:

Take care not to damage the SST wire harness.

- (6) Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the negative (-) terminal.



- (c) Deploy the airbag.

- (1) Confirm that no one is inside the vehicle or within 10 m (33 ft) area around the vehicle.

- (2) Press the SST activation switch and deploy the airbag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.

- (d) Dispose of steering wheel pad (with airbag).

CAUTION:

- **The steering wheel pad is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.**
 - **Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a steering wheel pad with the deployed airbag.**
 - **Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.**
 - **Do not apply water, etc. to a steering wheel pad with the deployed airbag.**
- (1) When scrapping a vehicle, deploy the airbag and scrap the vehicle with the steering wheel pad still installed.
- (2) When moving a vehicle for scrapping which has a steering wheel pad with deployed airbag, use gloves and safety glasses.

2. DEPLOYMENT WHEN DISPOSING OF STEERING WHEEL PAD ONLY

NOTICE:

- When disposing of the steering wheel pad (with airbag) only, never use the customer's vehicle to deploy the airbag.
- Be sure to follow the procedure given below when deploying the airbag.

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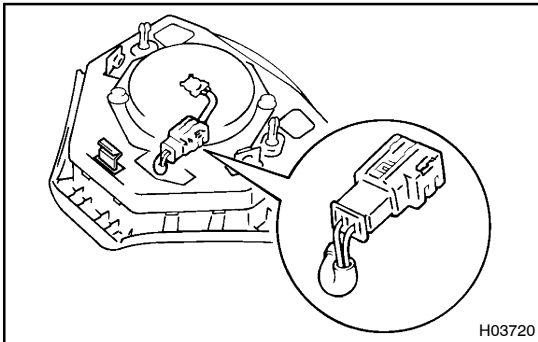
Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

- (a) Remove the steering wheel pad (See page SR-12).

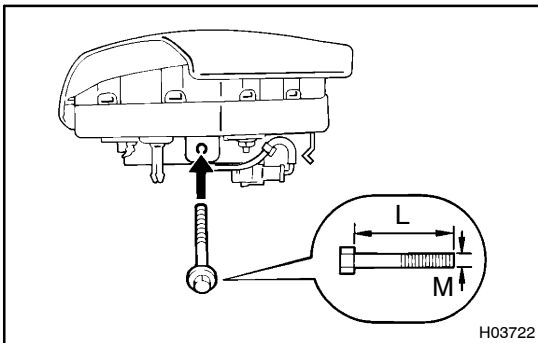
CAUTION:

When storing the steering wheel pad, keep the upper surface of the pad facing upward.

- (b) Remove the steering wheel pad connector.
Remove the connector on the rear surface of the steering wheel pad from the bracket.



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- (c) Fix steering wheel pad to disc wheel with tire.
(1) Install the 2 bolt with washers in the 2 bolt holes on the steering wheel pad.

Bolt:

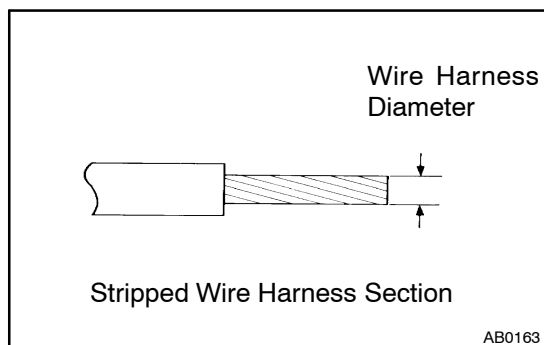
L: 35. mm (1.387 in.)

M: 6.0 mm (0.236 in.)

Pitch: 1.0 mm (0.039 in.)

NOTICE:

- Tighten the bolts by hand until the bolts become difficult to turn.
- Do not tighten the bolts too much.



- (2) Using a service-purpose wire harness tie down the steering wheel pad to the disc wheel.

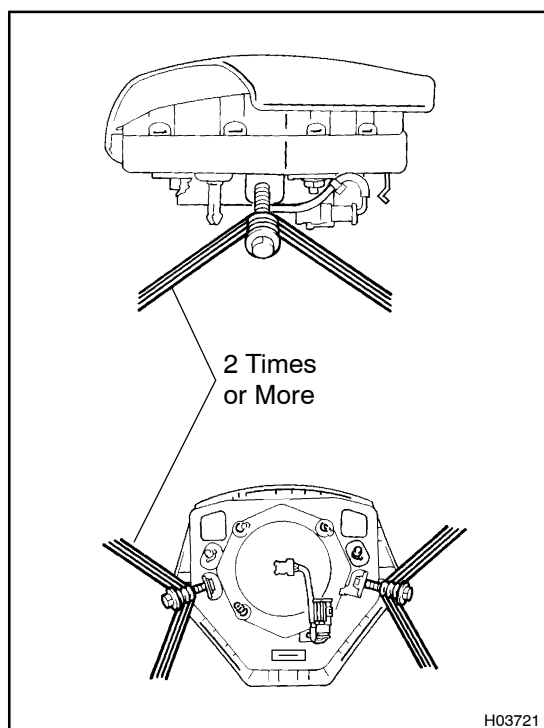
Wire harness: Stripped wire harness section
1.25 mm² or more (0.0019 in². or more).

HINT:

To calculate the square of the stripped wire harness section:
 Square = $3.14 \times (\text{Diameter})^2$ divided by 4

CAUTION:

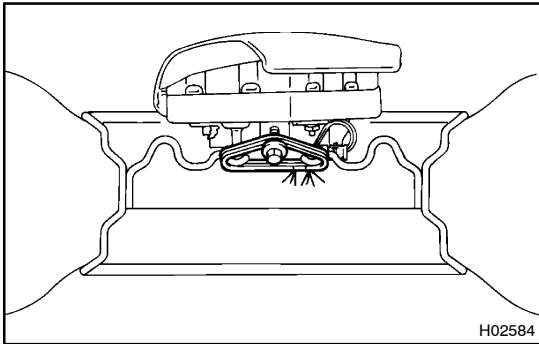
If a wire harness which is too thin or some other thing is used to tie down the steering wheel pad, it may be snapped by the shock when the airbag is deployed. This is highly dangerous. Always use a wire harness for vehicle use which is at least 1.25 mm² (0.0019 in²).



- (3) Using 3 wire harness, wind the wire harness at least 2 times each around the bolts installed on the left and right sides of the steering wheel pad.

CAUTION:

- **Tightly wind the wire harness around the bolts so that there is no slack.**
- **If there is slackness in the wire harness, the steering wheel pad may come loose due to the shock when the airbag is deployed. This is highly dangerous.**



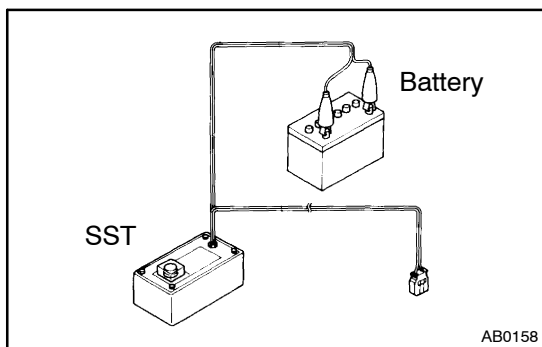
- (4) Face the upper surface of the steering wheel pad upward. Separately tie the left and right sides of the steering wheel pad to the disc wheel through the hub nut holes. Position the steering wheel pad connector so that it hangs downward through a hub hole in the disc wheel.

CAUTION:

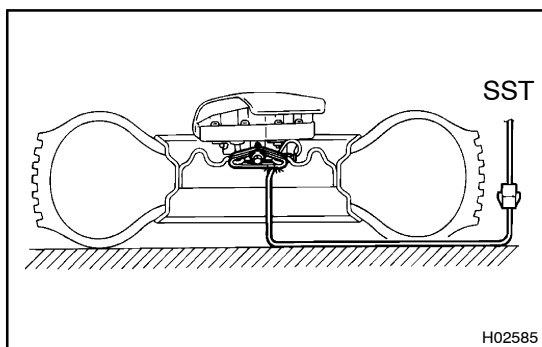
- **Make sure that the wire harness is tight. It is very dangerous when looseness in the wire harness results in the steering wheel pad coming free through the shock from the airbag deploying.**
- **Always tie down the steering wheel pad with the pad side facing upward. It is very dangerous when the steering wheel pad is tied down with the metal surface facing upward and the steering wheel pad will be thrown into the air.**

NOTICE:

The disc wheel will be marked by airbag deployment, so use the redundant disc wheel.



- (d) Check functioning of SST.
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- (e) Install the SST

CAUTION:

Place the disc wheel on the level ground.

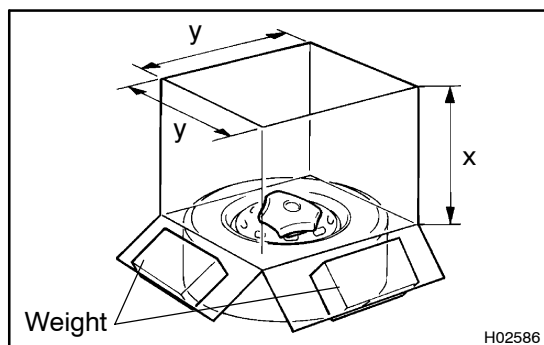
- (1) Connect the 2 SST each other, then connect them to the steering wheel pad connector.

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NOTICE:

To avoid damaging the SST connector and wire harness, do not lock the secondary lock of the twin lock. Also, secure some slack for the SST wire harness inside the disc wheel.

- (2) Move the SST to at least 10 m (33 ft) away from steering wheel pad tied down on the disc wheel.



- (f) Cover steering wheel pad with cardboard box or tires.
- Covering method using cardboard box:
Cover the steering wheel pad with the cardboard box and weight the cardboard box down in 4 places with at least 190 N (20 kg, 44 lb).

Size of cardboard box:

Must exceed the following dimensions:

x=460 mm (18.11 in.)

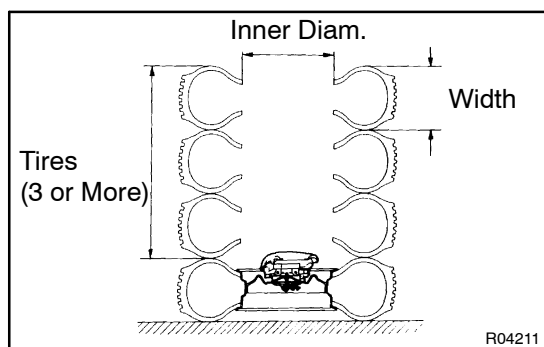
When dimension of the cardboard box exceeds the diameter of the disc wheel with tire which the steering wheel pad is tied to–

x=460 mm (18.11 in.) + width of tire

y= 650 mm (25.59 in.)

NOTICE:

If a cardboard box smaller than the specified size is used, the cardboard box will be broken by the shock from the air-bag deployment.



- Covering method using tires:
Place at least 3 tires without disc wheel on top of the disc wheel with tire to which the steering wheel pad is tied.

Tire size: Must exceed the following dimensions–

Width: 185 mm (7.87 in.)

Inner diameter: 360 mm (14.17 in.)

CAUTION:

Do not use tires with disc wheels.

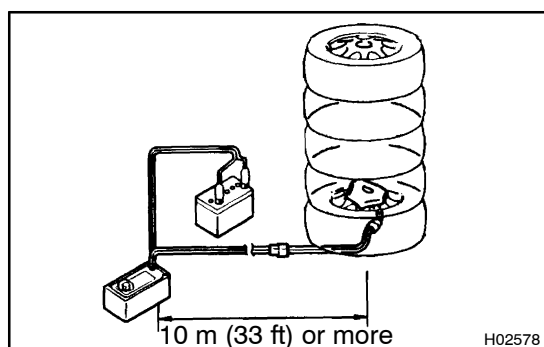
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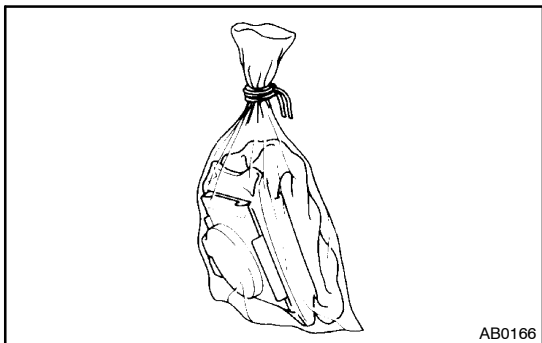
The tires may be marked by the airbag deployment, so use the redundant tires.

- (g) Deploy the airbag.
- Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative (–) terminal.
 - Check that no one is within 10 m (33 ft) area around the disc wheel which the steering wheel pad is tied to.
 - Press the SST activation switch and deploy the air-bag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.





(h) Dispose of the steering wheel pad (with airbag).

CAUTION:

- The steering wheel pad is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.
- Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a steering wheel pad with deployed airbag.
- Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.
- Do not apply water, etc. to a steering wheel pad with deployed airbag.
 - (1) Remove the steering wheel pad from the disc wheel.
 - (2) Place the steering wheel pad in a vinyl bag, tie the end tightly and dispose of it in the same way as other general parts disposal.

REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

In the following case, replace the steering wheel pad, steering wheel or spiral cable.

- If the airbag has been deployed.
- If the steering wheel pad or spiral cable has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If the steering wheel pad, steering or spiral cable has been found to be faulty during the check in items [\(See page RS-15\)](#).
- If the steering wheel pad has been dropped.

CAUTION:

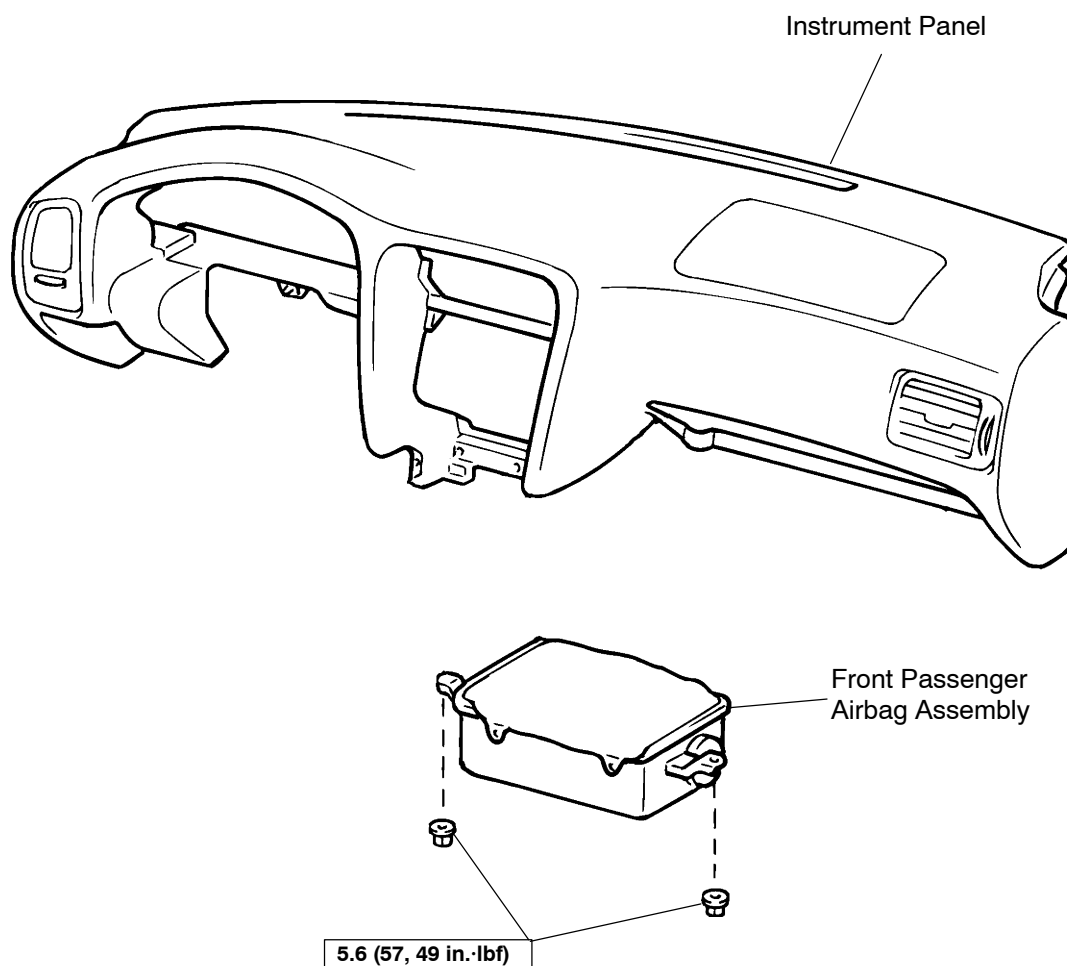
For removal and installation of the steering wheel pad, [see page SR-12](#) and [SR-17](#). Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

INSTALLATION

INSTALL STEERING WHEEL AND SPIRAL CABLE (See page SR-17)

FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY COMPONENTS

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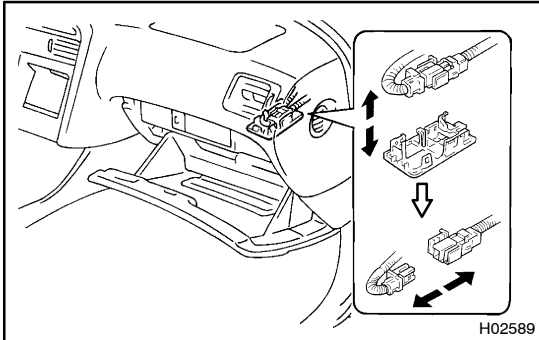
N·m (kgf·cm, ft·lbf) : Specified torque

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REMOVAL

NOTICE:

- If the wiring connector of the SRS is disconnected and the ignition switch is in ON or ACC position, DTCs will be recorded.
- Never use airbag parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace with new parts.



1. DISCONNECT AIRBAG CONNECTOR

- (a) Using a screwdriver, remove the glove compartment door finish plate.

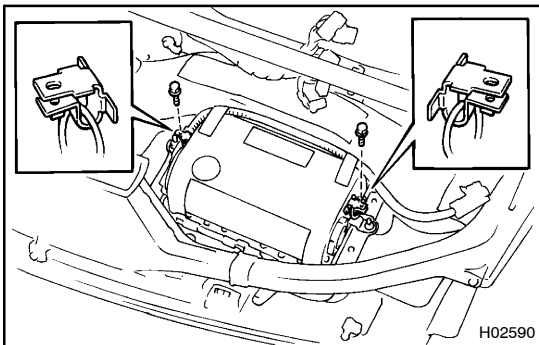
HINT:

Tape the screwdriver tip before use.

- (b) Remove the airbag connector from the plate.
(c) Disconnect the airbag connector.

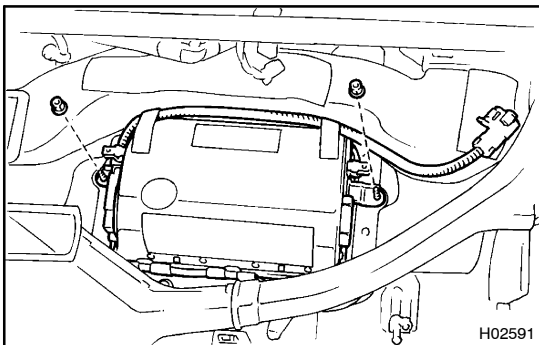
2. REMOVE INSTRUMENT PANEL

(See page BO-91)



3. REMOVE FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

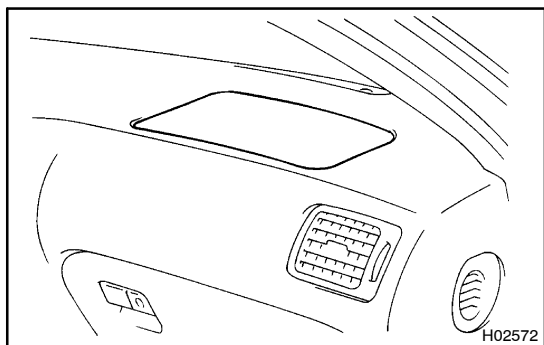
- (a) Remove the 2 bolts and 2 straps.



- (b) Remove the 2 nuts and front passenger airbag assembly.

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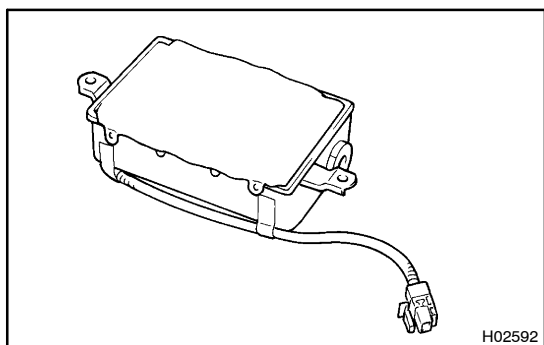
- Do not store the front passenger airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing down.
- Never disassemble the front passenger airbag assembly.



INSPECTION

1. VEHICLE NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the front passenger airbag assembly installed in the vehicle.
Check cuts, minute cracks or marked discoloration on the front passenger airbag assembly and instrument panel.



2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS NOT DEPLOYED

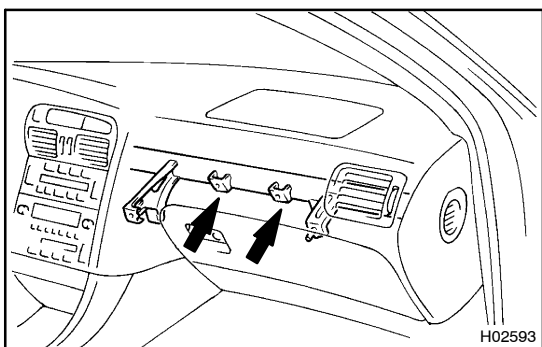
- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the front passenger airbag assembly removed from the vehicle.
 - Check cuts, minute cracks or marked discoloration on the front passenger airbag assembly.
 - Check cuts and cracks in wire harness, and for chipping in connectors.

CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the front passenger airbag assembly, see page RS-28 and RS-38, and be sure to follow the correct procedure.

3. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS DEPLOYED

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check.
(See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the front passenger airbag assembly removed from the vehicle.
 - Check the deformation or cracks on the instrument panel and instrument panel reinforcement.
 - Check the damage on the connector and wire harness.



HINT:

If the instrument panel or instrument panel reinforcement is deformed or cracked, never repair it. Always replace it with a new one.

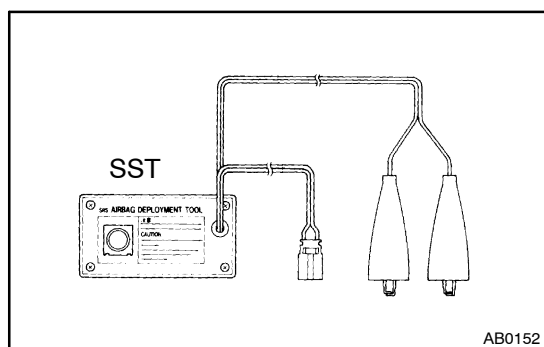
DISPOSAL

HINT:

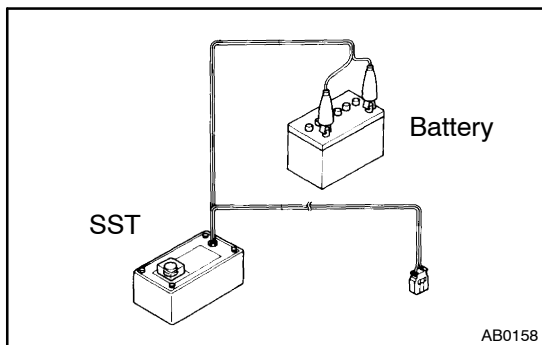
When scrapping vehicles equipped with an SRS or disposing of a front passenger airbag assembly, always first deploy the airbag in accordance with the procedure described below. If any abnormality occurs with the airbag deployment, contact the SERVICE DEPT. of the DISTRIBUTOR. When disposing of a front passenger airbag assembly with an airbag deployed in a collision, follow the same procedure given in step 1-(g) in "DISPOSAL".

CAUTION:

- **Never dispose of front passenger airbag assembly which has an undeployed airbag.**
- **The airbag produces a sizeable exploding sound when it deploys, so perform the operation out of doors and where it will not create a nuisance to nearby residents.**



- **When deploying the airbag, always use the specified SST (SRS Airbag Deployment Tool). Perform the operation in place away from electrical noise.**
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- **When deploying an airbag, perform the operation at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the front passenger airbag assembly.**
- **The front passenger airbag is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.**
- **Use gloves and safety glasses when handling the front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**
- **Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.**
- **Do not apply water etc. to the front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**



1. AIRBAG DEPLOYMENT WHEN SCRAPPING VEHICLE

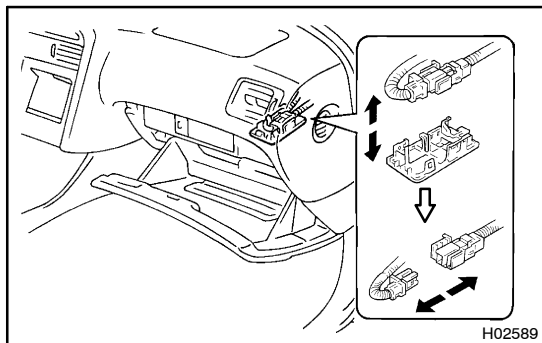
HINT:

Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

- (a) Check functioning of SST.

(See page RS-17)

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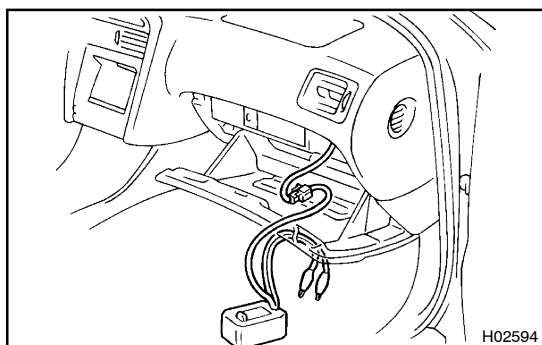
- (b) Disconnect the airbag connector.

- (1) Using a screwdriver, remove the glove compartment door finish plate.

HINT:

Tape the screwdriver tip before use.

- (2) Remove the airbag connector from the plate.
(3) Disconnect the airbag connector.



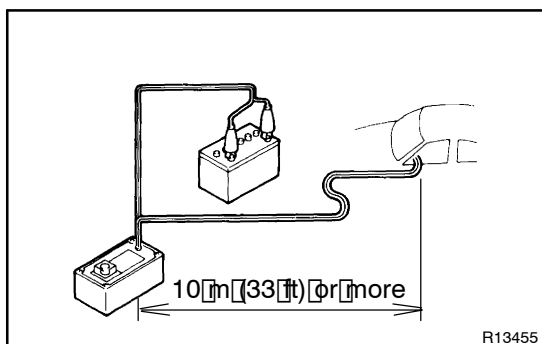
- (c) Install the SST.

- (1) Connect the 2 SST each other, then connect them to the airbag connector of the spiral cable.

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NOTICE:

To avoid damage to the SST connector and wire harness, do not lock the secondary lock of the twin lock.

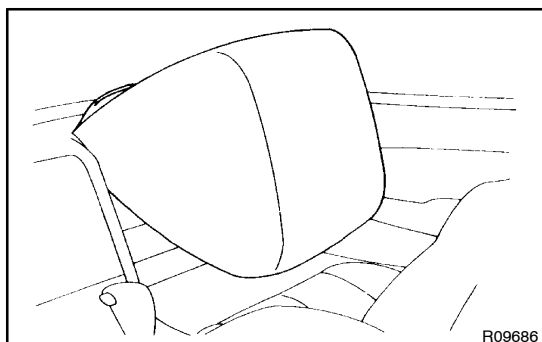


- (2) Move the SST at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the front of the vehicle.
(3) Close all the doors and windows of the vehicle.

NOTICE:

Take care not to damage the SST wire harness.

- (4) Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative (-) terminal.



- (d) Deploy the airbag.

- (1) Check that no one is inside the vehicle or within 10 m (33 ft) area around the vehicle.
(2) Press the SST activation switch and deploy the airbag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.

(e) Dispose of front passenger airbag assembly.

CAUTION:

- The front passenger airbag assembly is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.
- Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.
- Do not apply water etc., to a front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.
- Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.

When scrapping a vehicle, deploy the airbag and scrap the vehicle with the front passenger airbag assembly still installed.

2. DEPLOYMENT WHEN DISPOSING OF FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

NOTICE:

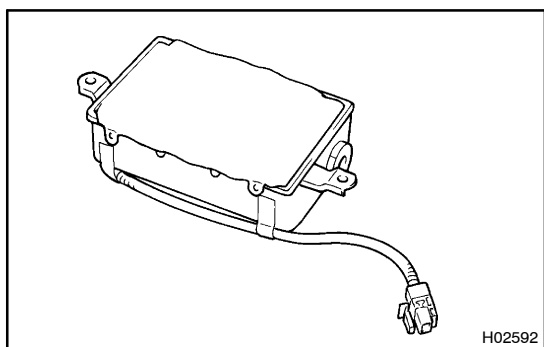
- When disposing of the front passenger airbag assembly only, never use the customer's vehicle to deploy the airbag.
- Be sure to follow the procedure given below when deploying the airbag.

HINT:

Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

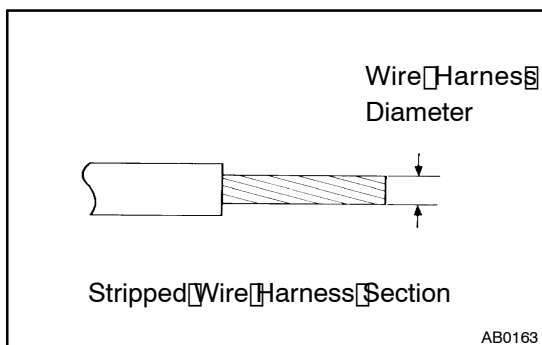
(a) Remove the front passenger airbag assembly.

(See page RS-28)



CAUTION:

Store the front passenger airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing up.



(b) Fix the front passenger airbag assembly.

- (1) Use a service-purpose wire harness tie down the front passenger airbag assembly.

Wire harness: Stripped wire harness section
1.25 mm² or more (0.0019 in² or more)

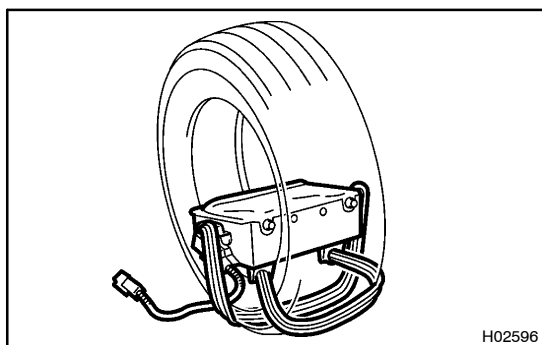
HINT:

To calculate the square of the stripped wire harness section:
 Square = $3.14 \times (\text{Diameter})^2 \div 4$

CAUTION:

If a wire harness which is too thin or some other thing is used to tie down the front passenger airbag assembly, it may be snapped by the shock when the airbag is deployed. This is highly dangerous. Always use a wire harness for vehicle use which is at least 1.25 mm² (0.0019 in²).

- (2) Wind the wire harness around the mount brackets.



- (3) Position the front passenger airbag assembly inside the tire with the airbag deployment side facing inside.

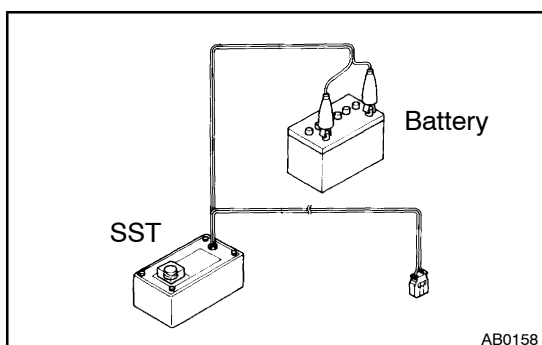
Tire size: Must exceed the following dimensions—
Width 185 mm (7.28 in.)
Inner diameter 360 mm (14.17 in.)

CAUTION:

- Make sure the wire harness is tight. It is very dangerous when a loose wire harness results in the front passenger airbag assembly coming free due to the shock from the airbag deploying.
- Always tie down the front passenger airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing inside.

NOTICE:

The tire will be marked by the airbag deployment, so use the spare tire.



- (c) Check functioning of SST.

(See page RS-17)

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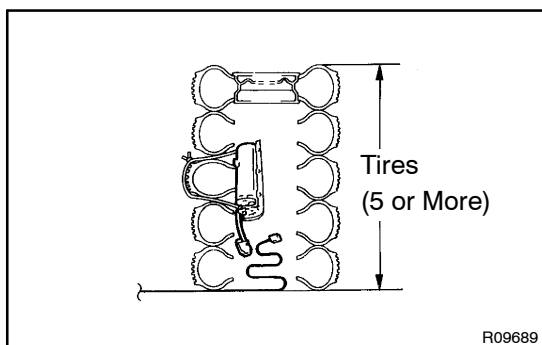
- (d) Install the SST.

Connect the SST connector to the front passenger airbag assembly connector.

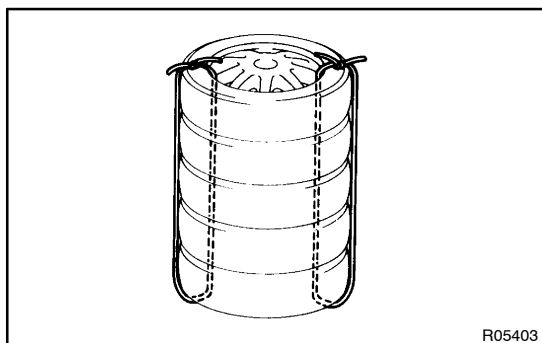
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NOTICE:

To avoid damage to the SST connector and wire harness, do not lock the secondary lock of the twin lock.



- (e) Place the tires
- (1) Place at least 2 tires under the tire to which the front passenger airbag assembly is tied.
 - (2) Place at least 2 tires over the tire to which the front passenger airbag assembly is tied. The top tier should have the wheel installed.



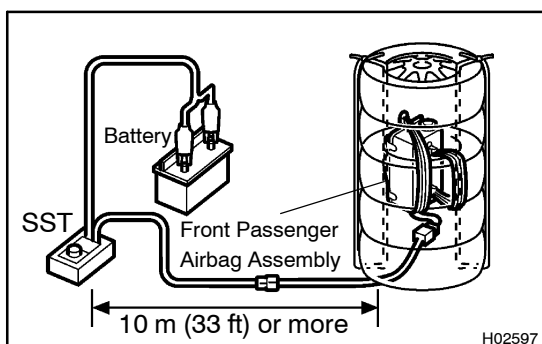
- (3) Tie the tires together with 2 wire harness.

CAUTION:

Make sure that the wire harness is tight. It is very dangerous when loose wire harness results in the tires coming free due to the shock from the airbag deploying.

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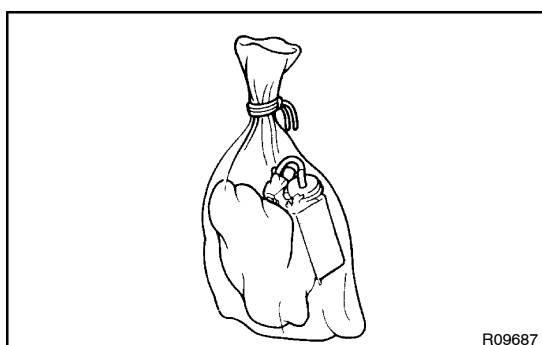
Place the SST connector and wire harness inside tires. Secure at least 1 m (3 ft) of slack for the wire harness.



- (f) Deploy the airbag.
- (1) Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative(-) terminal.
 - (2) Check that no one is within 10 m (33 ft) area around the tire which the front passenger airbag assembly is tied to.
 - (3) Press the SST activation switch and deploy the airbag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.



- (g) Dispose of front passenger airbag assembly.

CAUTION:

- The front passenger airbag assembly is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.
- Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.
- Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.

- **Do not apply water, etc. to a front passenger airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**
 - (1) Remove the front passenger airbag assembly from the tire.
 - (2) Place the front passenger airbag assembly in a vinyl bag, tie the end tightly and dispose of it in the same way as other general parts disposal.

REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

In the following cases, replace the front passenger airbag assembly, instrument panel or instrument panel reinforcement.

- If the airbag has been deployed.
- If the front passenger airbag assembly has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If the front passenger airbag assembly, instrument panel or instrument panel reinforcement has been found to be faulty during the check in items. (See page RS-29)
- If the front passenger airbag assembly has been dropped.

CAUTION:

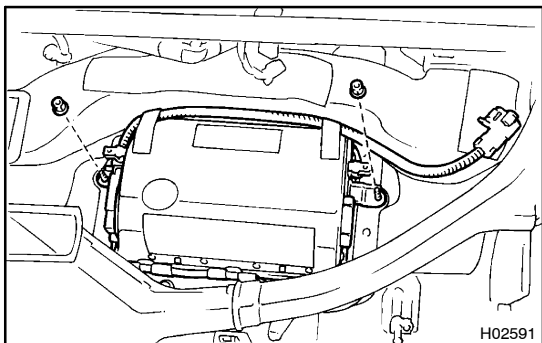
For replacement of the front passenger airbag assembly, see page RS-28 and RS-38.

Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

INSTALLATION

NOTICE:

Never use airbag parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace with new parts.

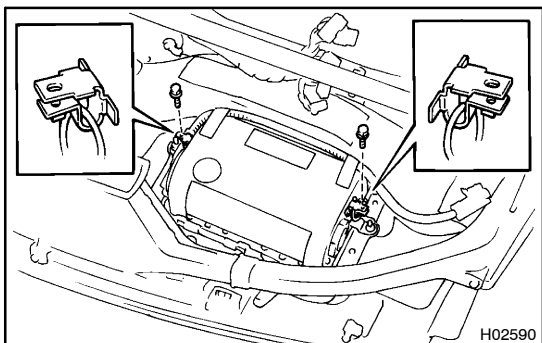


1. INSTALL FRONT PASSENGER AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

- (a) Install the front passenger airbag assembly with 2 nuts.
Torque: 5.6 N·m (57 kgf·cm, 49 in.·lbf)

NOTICE:

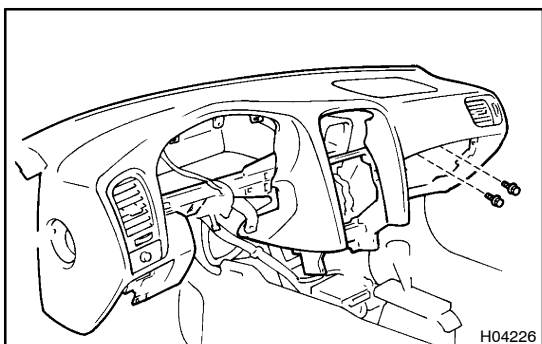
- Pass the straps of the front passenger airbag door through the brackets on the right and left sides securely.
- Install the straps so that they are not pinched between the airbag and instrument panel.



- (b) Install the 2 straps and 2 bolts.

NOTICE:

- When installing the front passenger airbag assembly, make sure that the straps are not distorted and installed to the brackets securely.
- Make sure that the front passenger airbag assembly is installed to the specified torque.
- If the front passenger airbag assembly has been dropped, or there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case or connector, replace the front passenger airbag assembly with a new one.
- When installing the front passenger airbag assembly, take care that the wiring does not interfere with other parts and is not pinched between other parts.



2. INSTALL INSTRUMENT PANEL

(See page BO-97)

Install the 2 bolts to the instrument panel reinforcement.

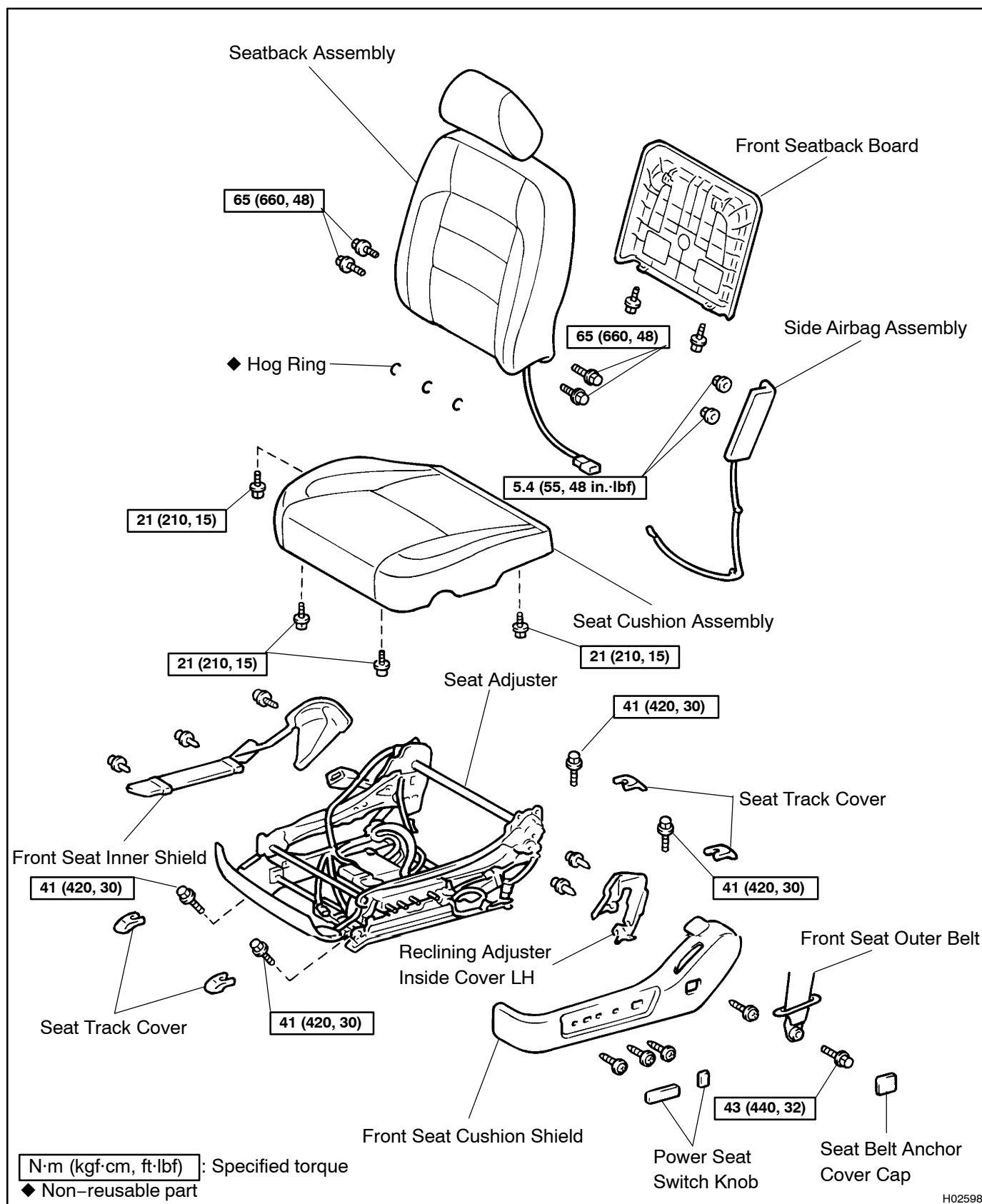
Torque: 20 N·m (205 kgf·cm, 15 ft·lbf)

3. CONNECT AIRBAG CONNECTOR

- (a) Connect the airbag connector.
(b) Install the airbag connector to glove compartment door finish plate.
(c) Install the glove compartment door finish plate.

SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY COMPONENTS

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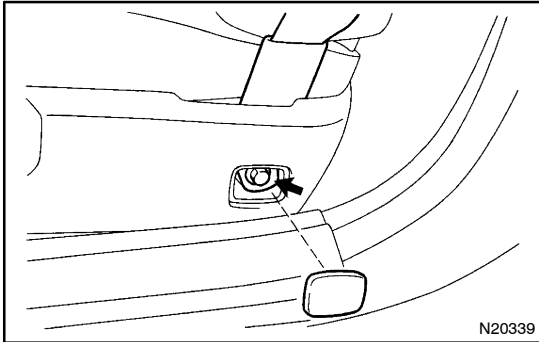


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REMOVAL

NOTICE:

- If the wiring connector of the SRS is disconnected and the ignition switch is in ON or ACC position, DTCs will be recorded.
- Never use the airbag parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new parts.



1. REMOVE FRONT SEAT OUTER BELT FLOOR ANCHOR

- (a) Using a screwdriver, remove the seat belt anchor cover cap.

HINT:

Tape the screwdriver tip before use.

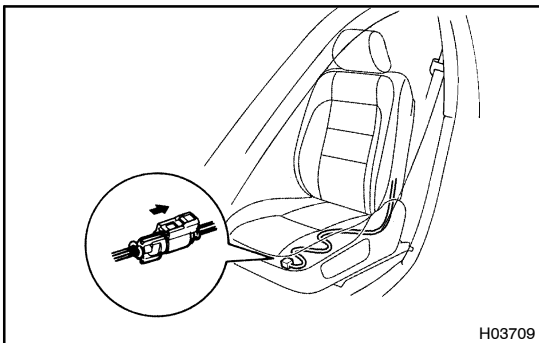
- (b) Remove the front seat outer belt floor anchor.

2. REMOVE FRONT SEAT

- (a) Using a screwdriver, remove the 4 seat track covers.

HINT:

Tape the screwdriver tip before use.



- (b) Remove the 4 bolts, then disconnect the airbag connector.

NOTICE:

When handling the airbag connector, take care not to damage the airbag wire harness.

- (c) Remove the front seat.

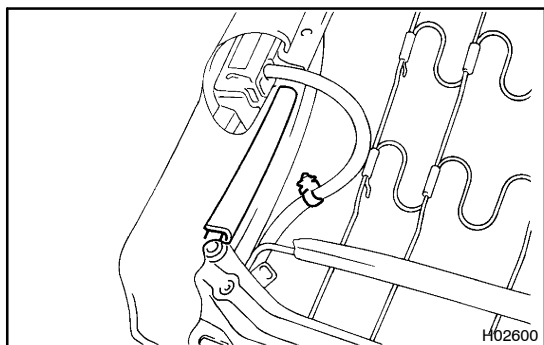
3. REMOVE SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY WIRE HARNESS

- (a) Remove the connector from the bracket.
 (b) Remove the 5 clamps and wire harness from the seat cushion frame

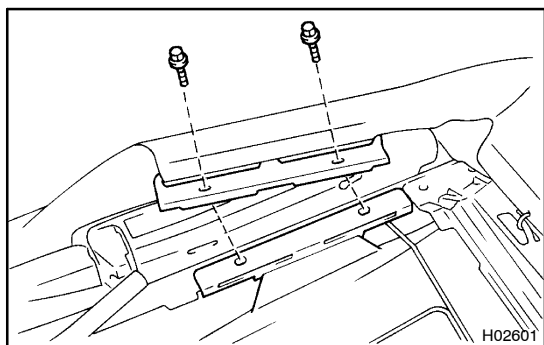
4. REMOVE THESE PARTS:

(See page BO-109)

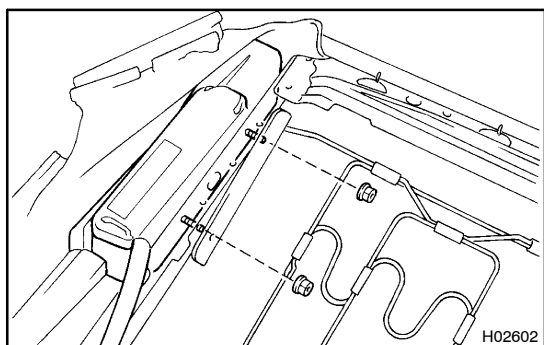
- (a) Power seat switch knobs
- (b) Front seat cushion shield
- (c) Front seat inner shield
- (d) Seat cushion assembly
- (e) Reclining adjuster inside cover LH
- (f) Front seatback board
- (g) Seatback assembly

**5. REMOVE SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY**

- (a) Remove the clamp.
- (b) Remove the hook.



- (c) Remove the 2 bolts and 2 hooks.



- (d) Remove the 2 nuts and side airbag assembly.

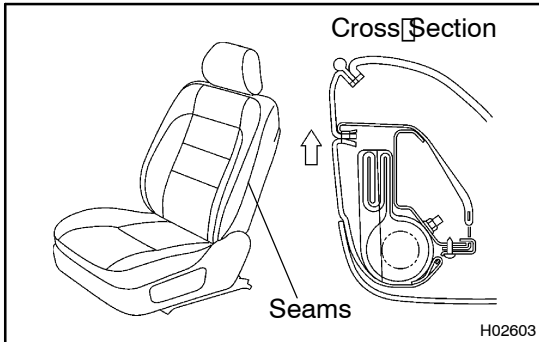
CAUTION:

- **Do not store the side airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing down.**
- **Never disassemble the side airbag assembly.**

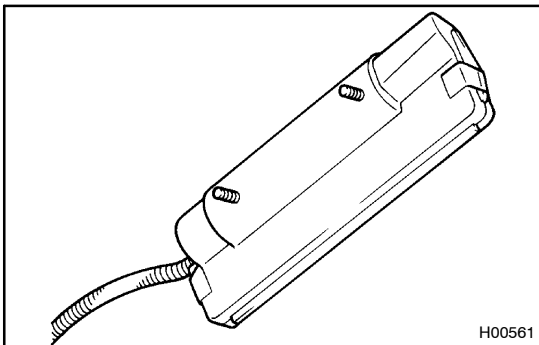
INSPECTION

1. VEHICLES NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check. (See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the side airbag assembly installed in the vehicle.



Check that there are no cuts or the frayed on seams shown in the illustration.



2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS NOT DEPLOYED

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check. (See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the side airbag assembly removed from the vehicle.
 - Check cuts and cracks, or marked discoloration of the side airbag assembly.
 - Check cuts and cracks in wire harness, and chipping in connectors.

CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the side airbag assembly, see page RS-40 and RS-50. Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

3. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS DEPLOYED

- (a) Do a diagnostic system check. (See page DI-386)
- (b) Do a visual check which includes the following items with the side airbag assembly removed from the vehicle.
 - Check the side airbag installation part of the seat frame.
 - Check the damage to the connector and wire harness.

HINT:

If the seat frame is deformed, never repair it. Always replace it with new one.

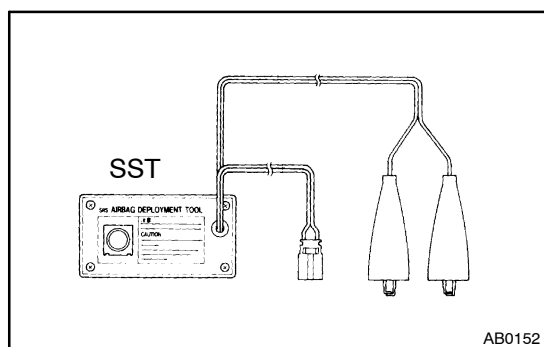
DISPOSAL

HINT:

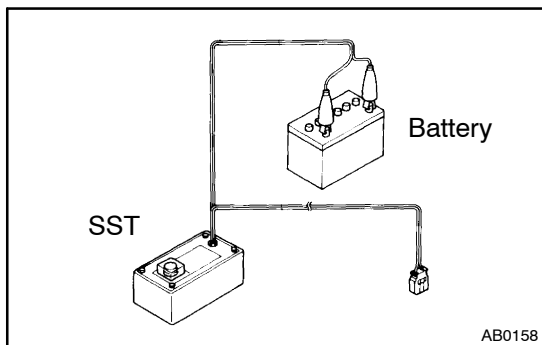
When scrapping vehicles equipped with an SRS or disposing of the side airbag assembly always first deploy the airbag in accordance with the procedure described below. If any abnormality occurs with the airbag deployment, contact the SERVICE DEPT. of the DISTRIBUTOR. When disposing of a side airbag assembly with an airbag deployed in a collision, follow the same procedure given in step 1-(e) in "DISPOSAL".

CAUTION:

- **Never dispose of a side airbag assembly which has an undeployed airbag.**
- **The airbag produces a sizeable exploding sound when it deploys, so perform the operation out of doors and where it will not create a nuisance to nearby residents.**



- **When deploying the airbag, always use the specified SST (SRS Airbag Deployment Tool). Perform the operation in a place away from electrical noise.**
SST 09082-00700, 09082-00750
- **When deploying an airbag, perform the operation at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the airbag assembly.**
- **The side airbag assembly is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.**
- **Use gloves and safety glasses when handling side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**
- **Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.**
- **Do not apply water, etc. to a side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**



1. AIRBAG DEPLOYMENT WHEN SCRAPPING VEHICLE

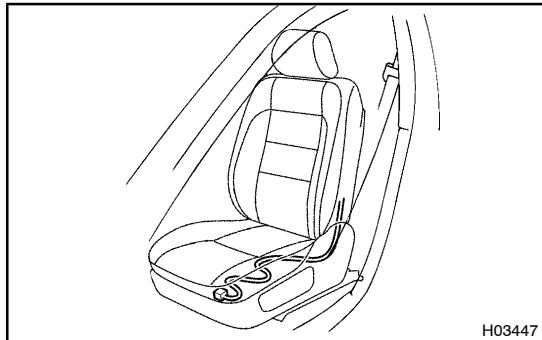
HINT:

Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

- (a) Check functioning of SST.

(See page RS-17)

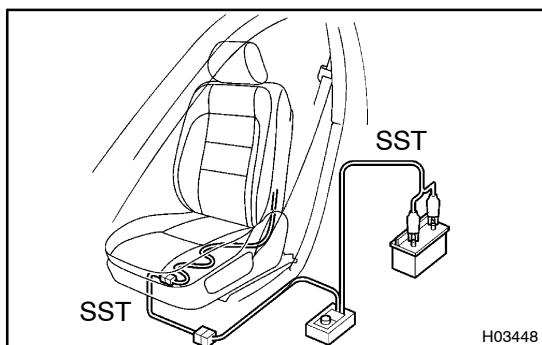
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- (b) Disconnect the side airbag connector.

NOTICE:

When handling the airbag connector, take care not to damage the airbag wire harness.



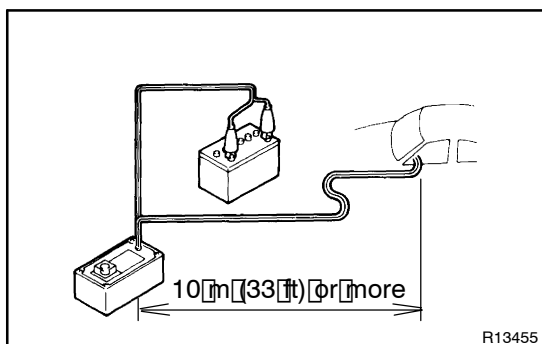
- (c) Install the SST.

- (1) Connect the 2 SST each other, then connect them to the airbag connector of the front seat.

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NOTICE:

To avoid damage to the SST connector and wire harness, do not lock the secondary lock of the twin lock.



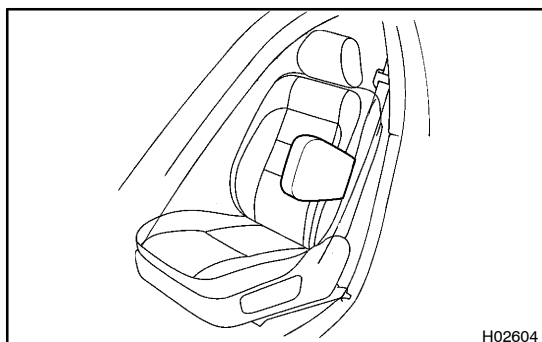
- (2) Move the SST at least 10 m (33 ft) away from the front of the vehicle.

- (3) Close all the doors and windows of the vehicle.

NOTICE:

Take care not to damage the SST wire harness.

- (4) Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative (-) terminal.



- (d) Deploy the airbag.

- (1) Check that no one is inside the vehicle or within 10 m (33 ft) area around the vehicle.

- (2) Press the SST activation switch and deploy the airbag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of SST activation switch lights up.

(e) Dispose of side airbag assembly.

CAUTION:

- The side airbag assembly is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.
- Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.
- Do not apply water, etc. to a side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.
- Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.

When scrapping a vehicle, deploy the airbag and scrap the vehicle with the side airbag assembly still installed.

2. DEPLOYMENT WHEN DISPOSING OF SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

NOTICE:

- When disposing of the side airbag assembly only, never use the customer's vehicle to deploy the airbag.
- Be sure to follow the procedure given below when deploying the airbag.

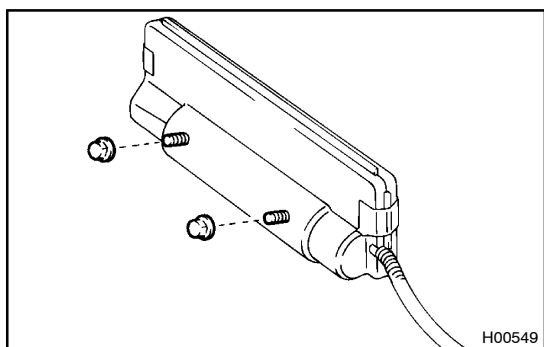
HINT:

Have a battery ready as the power source to deploy the airbag.

(a) Remove the side airbag assembly.

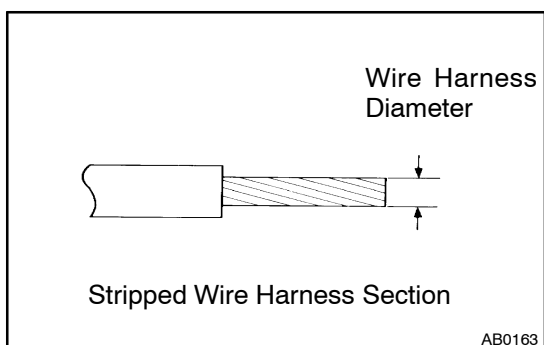
CAUTION:

Store the side airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing up.



(b) Fix the side airbag assembly.

(1) Install the 2 nuts in the side airbag assembly.



(2) Using a service-purpose wire harness for tying down the side airbag assembly.

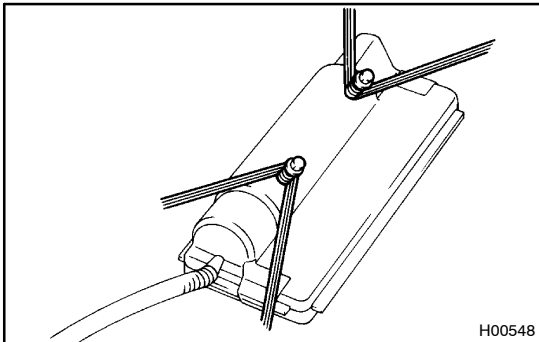
**Wire harness: Stripped wire harness section
1.25 mm² or more (0.0019 in² or more)**

HINT:

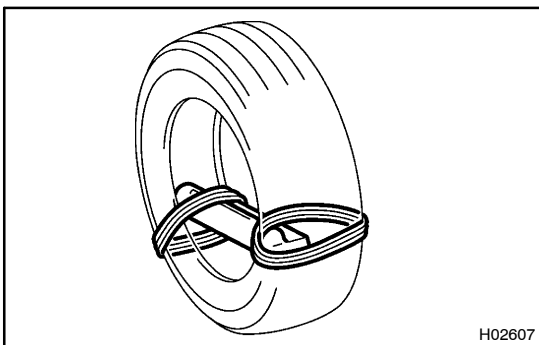
To calculate the square of the stripped wire harness section–
Square = 3.14 x (Diameter)² divided by 4

CAUTION:

If a wire harness which is too thin or some other thing is used to tie down the side airbag assembly, it may be snapped by the shock when the airbag is deployed. This is highly dangerous. Always use a wire harness for vehicle use which is at least 1.25 mm² (0.0019 in²).



- (3) Wind the wire harness around the stud bolts of the side airbag assembly as shown in the illustration.



- (4) Position the side airbag assembly inside the tire with the airbag deployment side facing inside.

Tire size must exceed the following dimensions:-

Width 185 mm (7.28 in.)

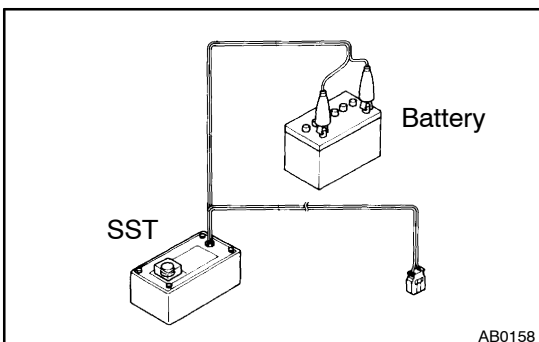
Inner diameter 360 mm (14.17 in.)

CAUTION:

- Make sure the wire harness is tight. It is very dangerous when a loose wire harness results in the side airbag assembly coming free due to the shock from the airbag deploying.
- Always tie down the side airbag assembly with the airbag deployment side facing inside.

NOTICE:

The tire will be marked by the airbag deployment, so use the redundant tire.



- (c) Check functioning of SST.

(See page RS-17)

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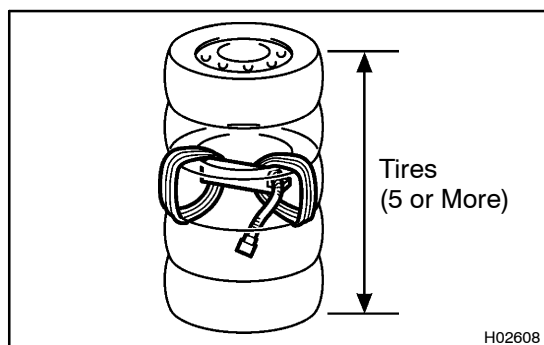
- (d) Install the SST.

Connect the SST connector to the side airbag assembly connector.

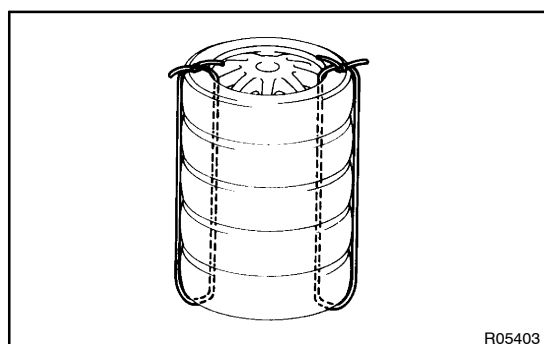
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NOTICE:

To avoid damage to the SST connector and wire harness, do not lock the secondary lock of the twin lock.



- (e) Place the tires
- (1) Place at least 2 tires under the tire to which the side airbag assembly is tied.
 - (2) Place at least 2 tires over the tire to which the side airbag assembly is tied. The top tire should have the wheel installed.



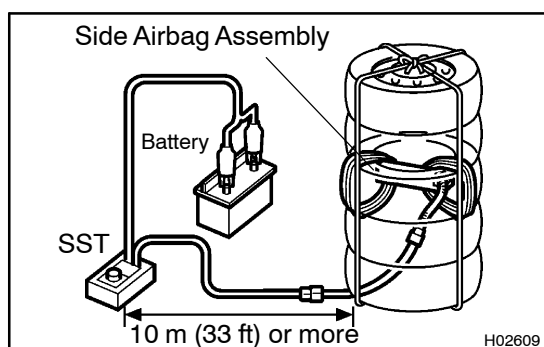
- (3) Tie the tires together with 2 wire harness.

CAUTION:

Make sure that the wire harness is tight. It is very dangerous when loose wire harness results in the tires coming free due to the shock from the airbag deploying.

HINT:

Place the SST connector and wire harness inside tires. Secure at least 1 m (3 ft) of slack for the wire harness.



- (f) Deploy the airbag.
- (1) Connect the SST red clip to the battery positive (+) terminal and the black clip to the battery negative (-) terminal.
 - (2) Check that no one is within 10 m (33 ft) area around the tire which the side airbag assembly is tied to.
 - (3) Press the SST activation switch and deploy the airbag.

HINT:

The airbag deploys simultaneously as the LED of the SST activation switch lights up.



(g) Dispose of side airbag assembly.

CAUTION:

- **The side airbag assembly is very hot when the airbag is deployed, so leave it alone for at least 30 minutes after deployment.**
- **Use gloves and safety glasses when handling a side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**
- **Do not apply water etc. to a side airbag assembly with the deployed airbag.**
- **Always wash your hands with water after completing the operation.**
 - (1) Remove the side airbag assembly from the tire.
 - (2) Place the side airbag assembly in a vinyl bag, tie the end tightly and dispose of it in the same way as other general parts disposal.

REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

In the following cases, replace the side airbag assembly or seat cover.

- ☐ If the side airbag has been deployed.
- ☐ If the side airbag assembly has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- ☐ If the side airbag assembly or seat cover has cuts and the frayed on seams during the check in item.
(See page RS-42)
- ☐ If the side airbag assembly or seat cover has been found to be faulty during the check in item.
(See page RS-42)
- ☐ If the side airbag assembly has been dropped.

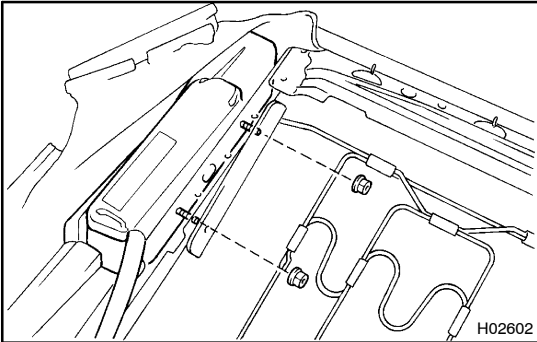
CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the side airbag assembly, see page RS-40 and RS-50. Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

INSTALLATION

NOTICE:

Never use airbag parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new parts.



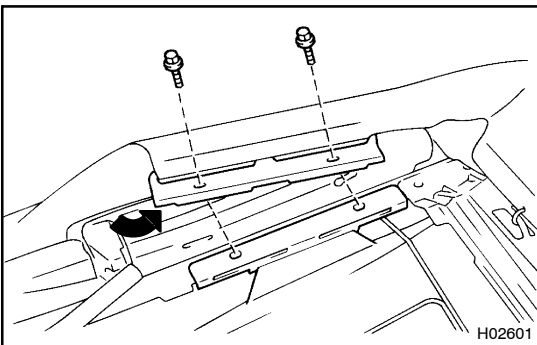
1. INSTALL SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY

- (a) Install the 2 nuts and side airbag assembly to the seatback frame.

Torque: 5.4 N·m (55 kgf·cm, 48 in·lbf)

NOTICE:

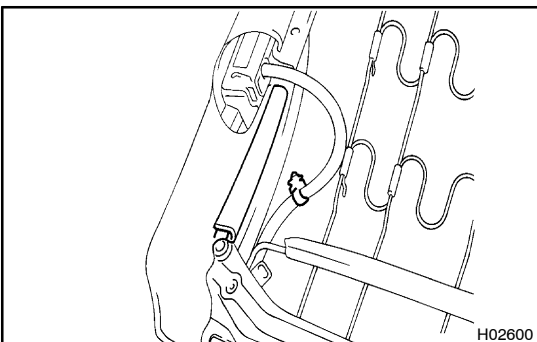
- Make sure that the side airbag assembly is installed to the specified torque.
- If the side airbag assembly has been dropped, or there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case or connector, replace the side airbag assembly with a new one.
- When installing the side airbag assembly, take care it is not pinched between other parts.



- (b) Hang the 2 hooks onto the seatback frame, then install the 2 bolts.

CAUTION:

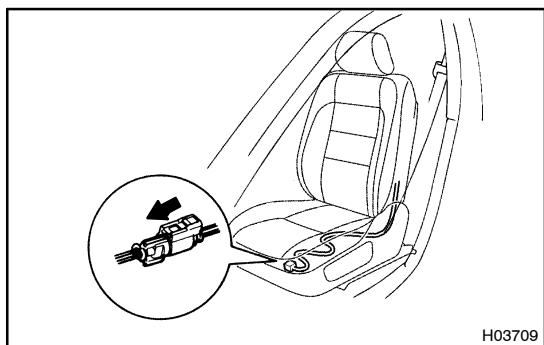
Take care to hang the hook securely. Otherwise the seat cover slides, it might cause incorrect deploying.



- (c) Hang the hook onto the seatback frame.
(d) Install the clamp.

2. INSTALL THESE PARTS:(See [page BO-112](#))

- (a) Seatback assembly
- (b) Front seatback board
- (c) Reclining adjuster inside cover LH
- (d) Seat cushion assembly
- (e) Front seat inner shield
- (f) Front seat cushion shield
- (g) Power seat switch knobs

**3. INSTALL SIDE AIRBAG ASSEMBLY WIRE HARNESS**

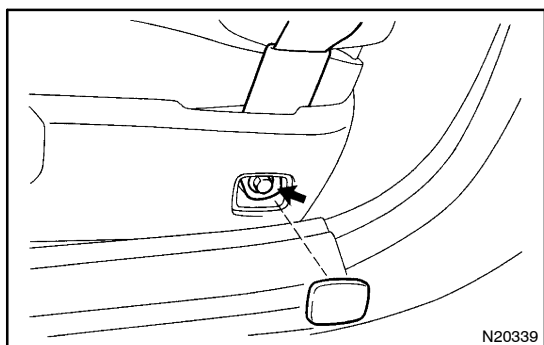
- (a) Install the wire harness with the 5 clamps to the seat cushion frame.
- (b) Install the connector to the bracket.

4. INSTALL FRONT SEAT

- (a) Disconnect the connector, then install the 4 bolts.

Torque: 37 N·m (375 kgf·cm, 27 ft·lbf)

- (b) Install the 4 seat track covers.

**5. INSTALL FRONT SEAT OUTER BELT FLOOR ANCHOR**

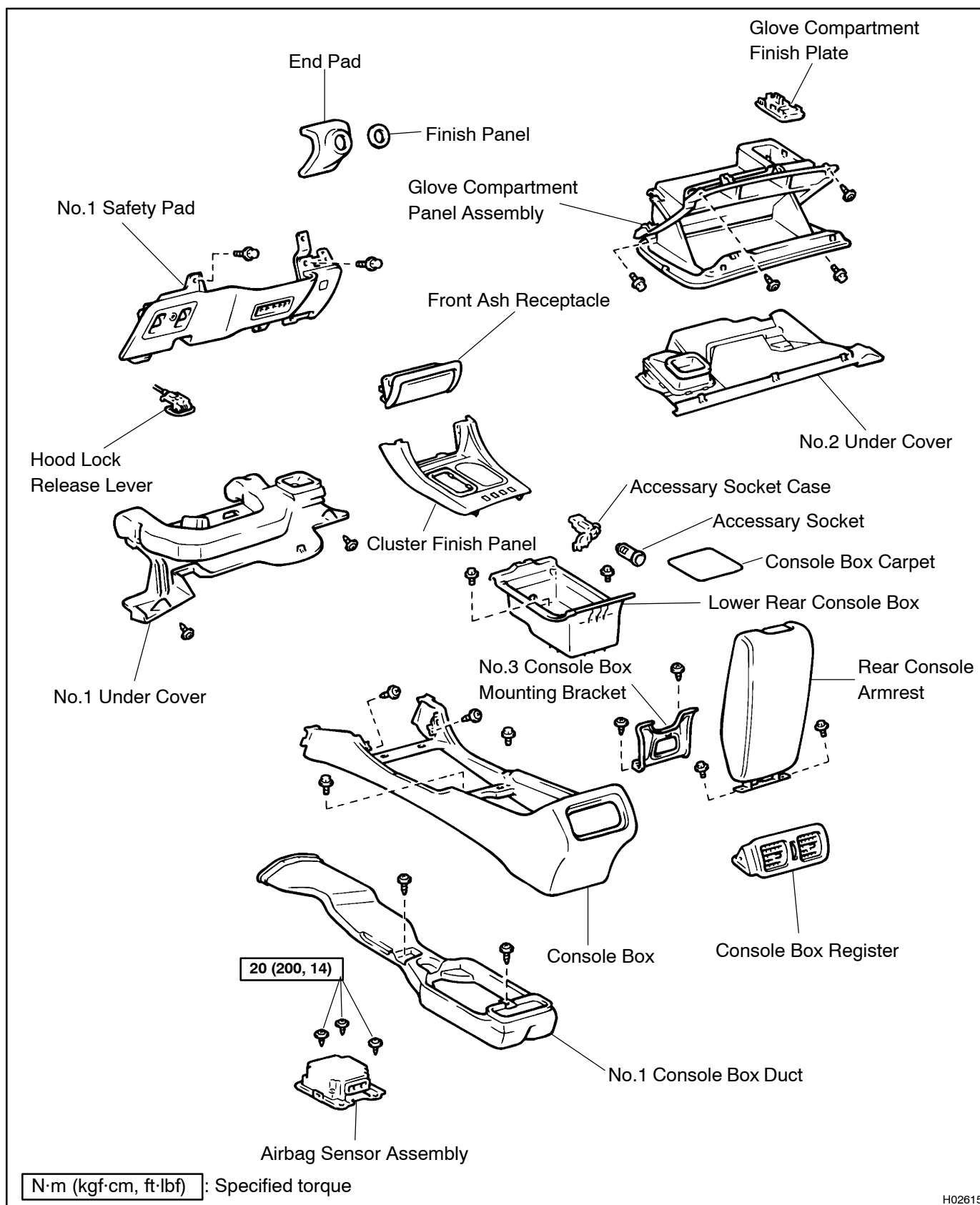
- (a) Install the front seat outer belt floor anchor.

Torque: 43 N·m (440 kgf·cm, 32 ft·lbf)

- (b) Install the seat belt anchor cover cap.

AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY COMPONENTS

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REMOVAL

NOTICE:

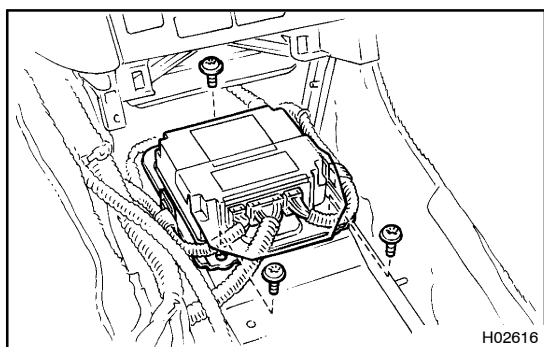
Do not open the cover or the case of the ECU and various computers unless absolutely necessary.

(If the IC terminals are touched, the IC may be destroyed by static electricity.)

1. REMOVE THESE PARTS:

(See page BO-91)

- (a) Finish panel
- (b) End pad
- (c) No.1 under cover
- (d) Hood lock release lever
- (e) No.1 safety pad
- (f) No.2 under cover
- (g) Glove compartment finish plate
- (h) Glove compartment panel assembly
- (i) Front ash receptacle
- (j) Cluster finish panel
- (k) Console box carpet
- (l) Accessory socket
- (m) Accessory case
- (n) Lower rear console box
- (o) Rear console armrest
- (p) Console box register
- (q) Console box
- (r) No.3 console box mounting bracket
- (s) No.1 console box duct



2. REMOVE AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY

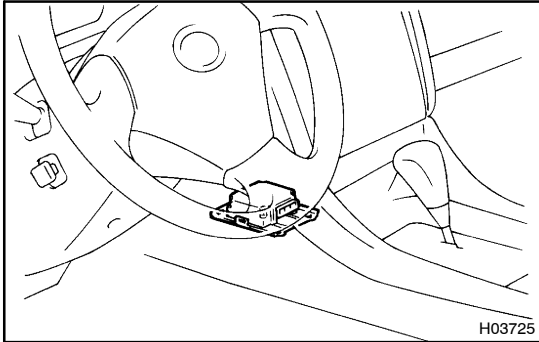
- (a) Disconnect the airbag sensor connectors.

NOTICE:

Remove the connectors with the sensor assembly installed.

- (b) Using a torx wrench, remove the 3 screws and airbag sensor assembly.

Torx wrench: T40 (Part No.09042-00020 or locally manufactured tool)



INSPECTION

1. VEHICLE NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS NOT DEPLOYED

Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

3. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS DEPLOYED

Replace the airbag sensor assembly.

REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

In the following cases, replace the airbag sensor assembly.

- If the SRS has been deployed in a collision.
- If the airbag sensor assembly has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If the airbag sensor assembly has been dropped.

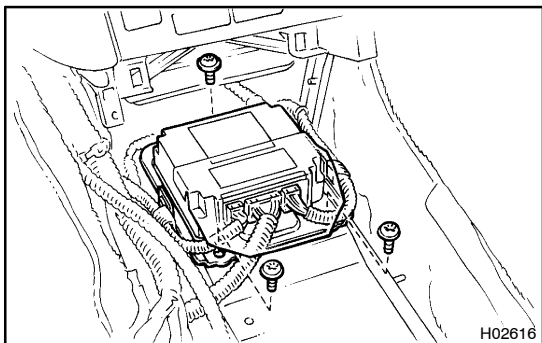
CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the airbag sensor assembly, [see page RS-53](#) and [RS-56](#). Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

INSTALLATION

NOTICE:

- Never use SRS parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new parts.
- Never reuse the airbag sensor assembly involved in a collision when the airbag has deployed.
- Never repair a sensor in order to reuse it.



1. INSTALL AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY

- (a) Using a Torx wrench, install the airbag sensor assembly with 3 screws.

Torx wrench: T40 (Part No. 09042-00020 or locally manufactured tool)

Torque: 20 N·m (200 kgf·cm, 14 ft·lbf)

- (b) Connect the airbag sensor connectors.

NOTICE:

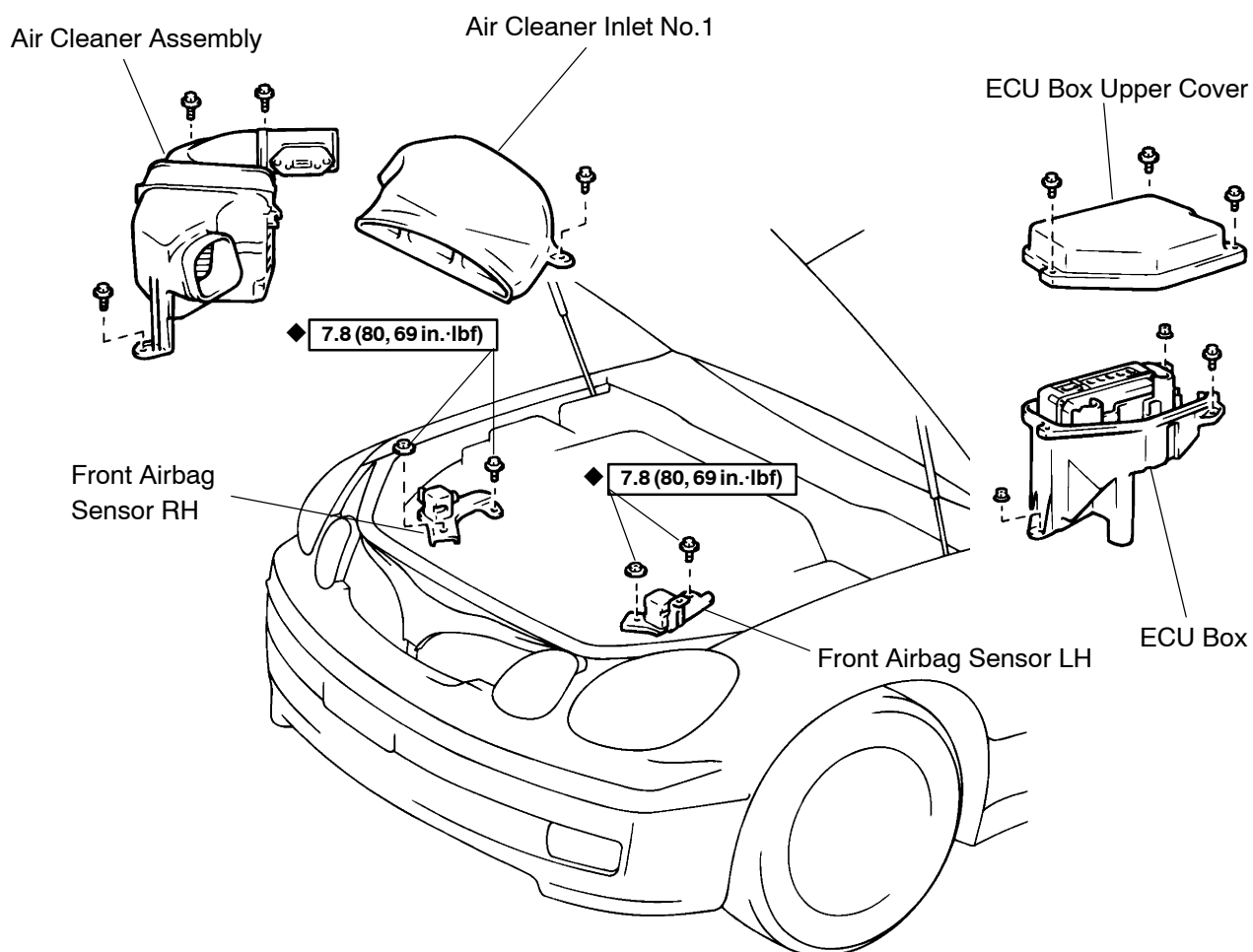
- Installation of the connector is done with the sensor assembly installed. Make sure the sensor assembly is installed to the specified torque.
- If the sensor assembly has been dropped, or there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case, bracket or connector, replace the sensor assembly with a new one.
- When installing the sensor assembly, take care that the SRS wiring does not interfere with other parts and is not pinched between other parts.
- After installing, shake the sensor assembly to check that there is no looseness.

2. INSTALL THESE PARTS: (See page BO-97)

- (a) No.1 console box duct
- (b) No.3 console box mounting bracket
- (c) Console box
- (d) Console box register
- (e) Rear console armrest
- (f) Lower rear console box
- (g) Accessory case
- (h) Accessory socket
- (i) Console box carpet
- (j) Cluster finish panel
- (k) Front ash receptacle
- (l) Glove compartment panel assembly
- (m) Glove compartment finish plate
- (n) No.2 under cover
- (o) No.1 safety pad
- (p) Hood lock release lever
- (q) No.1 under cover
- (r) End pad
- (s) Finish panel

FRONT AIRBAG SENSOR COMPONENTS

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N·m (kgf·cm, ft·lbf) : Specified torque

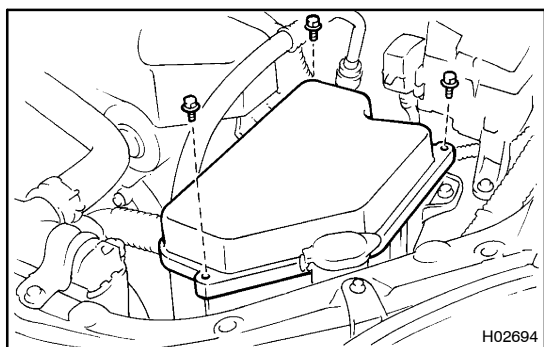
◆ Non-reusable part

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REMOVAL

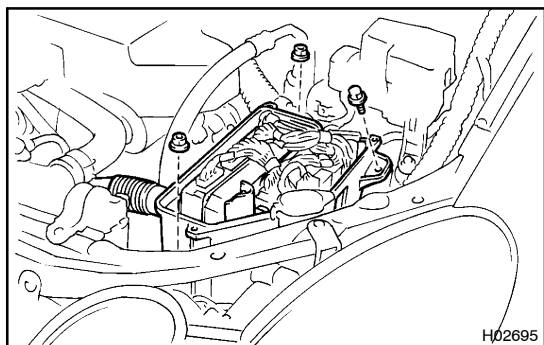
NOTICE:

- If the wiring connector of the SRS is disconnected with the ignition switch in ON or ACC position, DTCs will be recorded.
- Never use SRS parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new parts.
- Never reuse the sensor involved in a collision when the SRS has deployed.
- Never repair a sensor in order to reuse it.

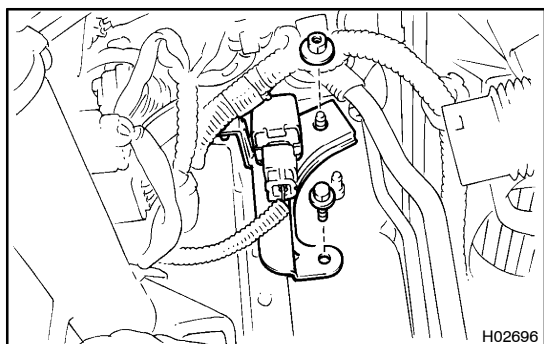


1. REMOVE LH FRONT AIRBAG SENSOR

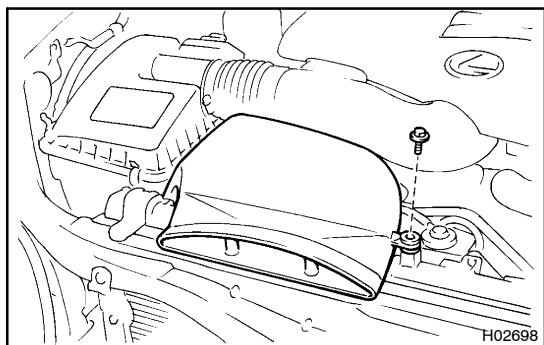
- (a) Remove the 2 bolts and J/B cover.



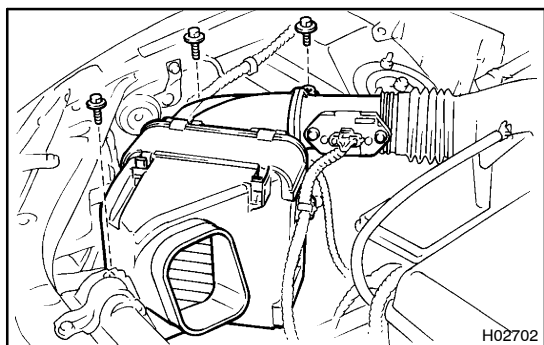
- (b) Remove the bolt and 2 nuts.
(c) Disconnect the connectors and hose, then remove the J/B box.



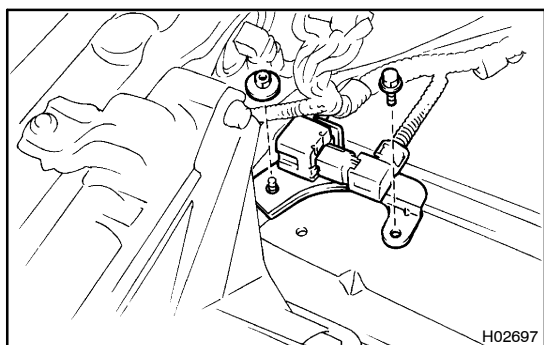
- (d) Disconnect the connector, then remove the bolt, nut and sensor.



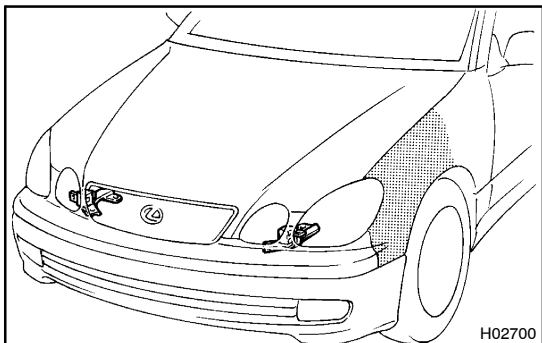
- 2. REMOVE RH FRONT AIRBAG SENSOR**
(a) Remove the bolt and No.1 air cleaner inlet.



- (b) Disconnect the connector and inlet hose, then remove the 3 bolts and air cleaner.



- (c) Disconnect the connector, then remove the bolt, nut and sensor.



INSPECTION

1. VEHICLES NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

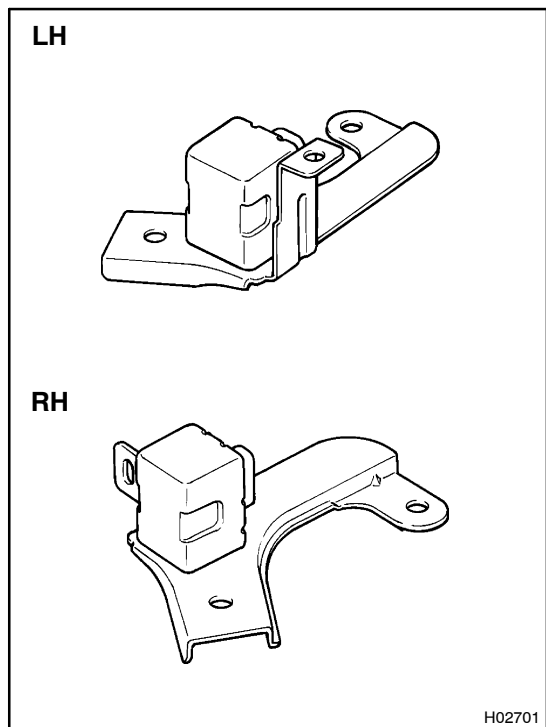
Do a diagnostic system check. (See page DI-386)

2. VEHICLES INVOLVED IN COLLISION

(a) Do a diagnostic system check. (See page DI-386)

(b) If the front fender of the car or its periphery is damaged, do a visual check for damage to the front airbag sensor, which includes the following items even if the airbag was not deployed:

- Bracket deformation
- Paint peeling off the bracket
- Cracks, dents or chips in the case
- Cracks, dents, chipping and scratches in the connector
- Peeling of the label or damage to the serial number



REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

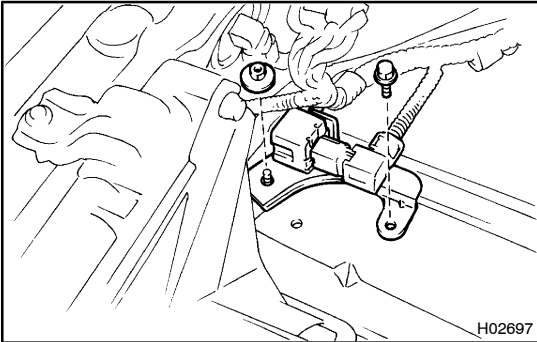
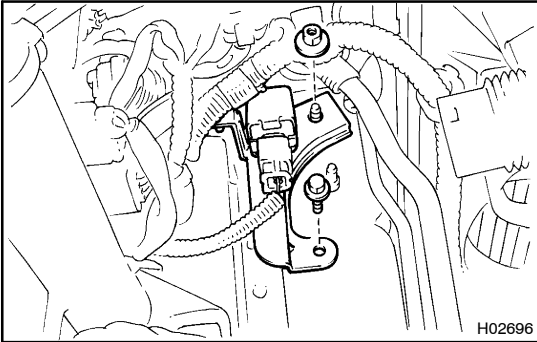
In the following cases, replace the front airbag sensor.

- If the SRS has been deployed in a collision. (Replace both the left and right airbag sensors.)
- If the front airbag sensor has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If the front airbag sensor has been found to be faulty during the check in item.
(See page RS-60)
- If the front airbag sensor has been dropped.

CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the front airbag sensor, see page RS-58 and RS-62.

Be sure to follow the correct procedure.



INSTALLATION

1. INSTALL FRONT AIRBAG SENSOR

Install the sensor with bolt and nut, then connect the connector.

Torque: 7.8 N·m (80 kgf·cm, 69 in·lbf)

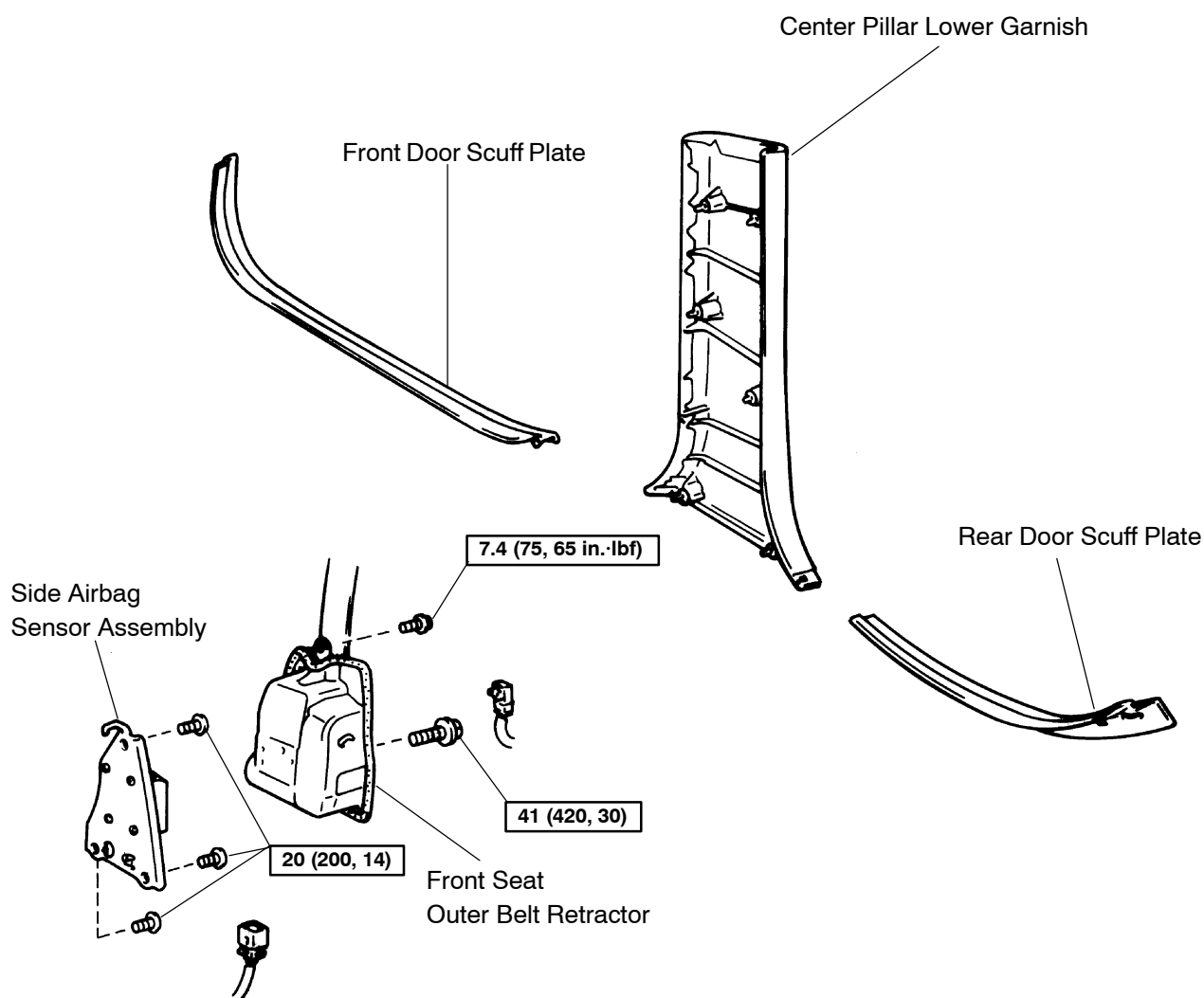
NOTICE:

- Make sure the sensor is installed to the specified torque.
- If the sensor has been dropped, or there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case, brackets or connector, replace the removed sensor. Always replace the set bolt and nut with new ones.
- The sensor set bolt and nut have been anti-rust treated. When the sensor is removed, always replace the set bolt and nut with new ones.
- After installation, shake the sensor to check that there is no looseness.
- The front sensor is equipped with an electrical connection check mechanism. Be sure to lock this mechanism securely when connecting the connector. If the connector is not securely locked, a malfunction code will be detected by the diagnostic system.

2. INSTALL REMOVED PARTS

SIDE AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY COMPONENTS

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N·m (kgf·cm, ft·lbf) : Specified torque

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REMOVAL

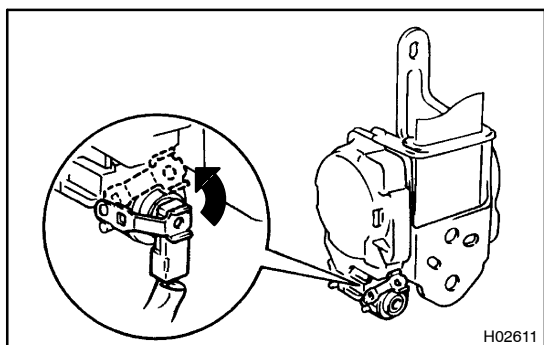
NOTICE:

Do not open the cover or the case of the ECU and various computers unless absolutely necessary.

(If the IC terminals are touched, the IC may be destroyed by static electricity.)

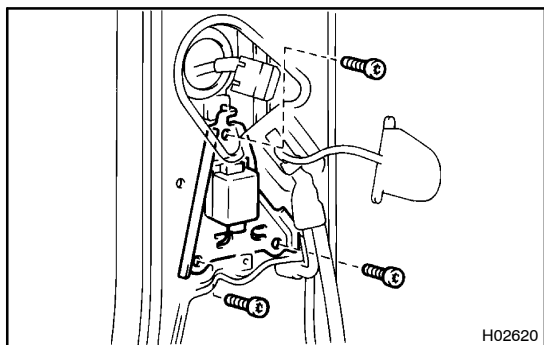
1. REMOVE THESE PARTS:

- (a) Front door scuff plate
- (b) Rear door scuff plate
- (c) Center pillar lower garnish



2. REMOVE FRONT SEAT OUTER BELT RETRACTOR (See page BO-124)

- (a) w/Seat Belt Pretensioner:
Disconnect the pretensioner connector.
- (b) Remove the 2 bolts and retractor.



3. REMOVE SIDE AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY

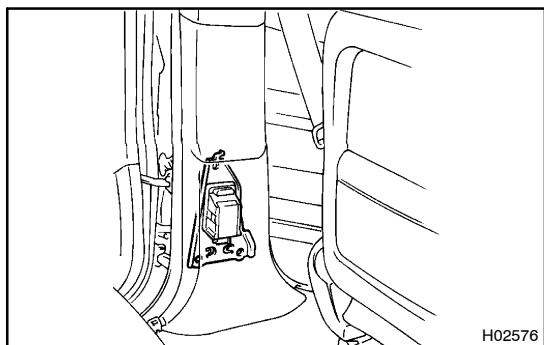
- (a) Disconnect the connector.

NOTICE:

Remove the connector with the sensor assembly installed.

- (b) Using a Torx wrench, remove the 4 screws and side airbag sensor assembly.

Torx wrench: T40 (Part No.09042-00020 or locally manufactured tool)



INSPECTION

1. VEHICLES NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS NOT DEPLOYED

Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

3. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG IS DEPLOYED

Replace the airbag sensor assembly.

REPLACEMENT

REPLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

In the following cases, replace the side airbag sensor assembly.

- If the side airbag sensor assembly has been deployed in a collision.
- If the side airbag sensor assembly has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If the side airbag sensor assembly has been dropped.

CAUTION:

For removal and installation of the side airbag sensor assembly, see [page RS-64](#) and [RS-67](#).
Be sure to follow the correct procedure.

INSTALLATION

NOTICE:

- Never use SRS parts from another vehicle. When replacing parts, replace them with new ones.
- Never reuse the side airbag sensor assembly involved in a collision when the airbag has deployed.
- Never repair a sensor in order to reuse it.

1. INSTALL SIDE AIRBAG SENSOR

- (a) Using a Torx wrench, install the side airbag assembly with 4 screws.

Torx wrench: T40 (Part No. 09042-00020 or locally manufactured tool)

Torque: 20 N·m (200 kgf·cm, 14 ft·lbf)

- (b) Connect the connector.

NOTICE:

- Make sure the sensor assembly is installed to the specified torque.
- If the sensor assembly has been dropped, or there are cracks, dents or other defects in the case, bracket or connector, replace the sensor assembly with a new one.
- When installing the sensor assembly, take care that the SRS wiring does not interfere with other parts and is not pinched between other parts.
- After installation, shake the sensor assembly to check that there is no looseness.

2. INSTALL FRONT SEAT OUTER BELT RETRACTOR (See page BO-132)

- (a) Install the retractor with 2 bolts.

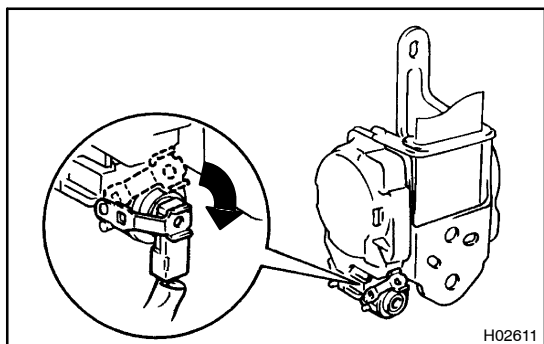
HINT:

After tightening the upper bolt, tighten the lower bolt.

Torque:

Upper bolt: 7.4 N·m (75 kgf·cm, 65 in·lbf)

Lower bolt: 41 N·m (420 kgf·cm, 30 ft·lbf)



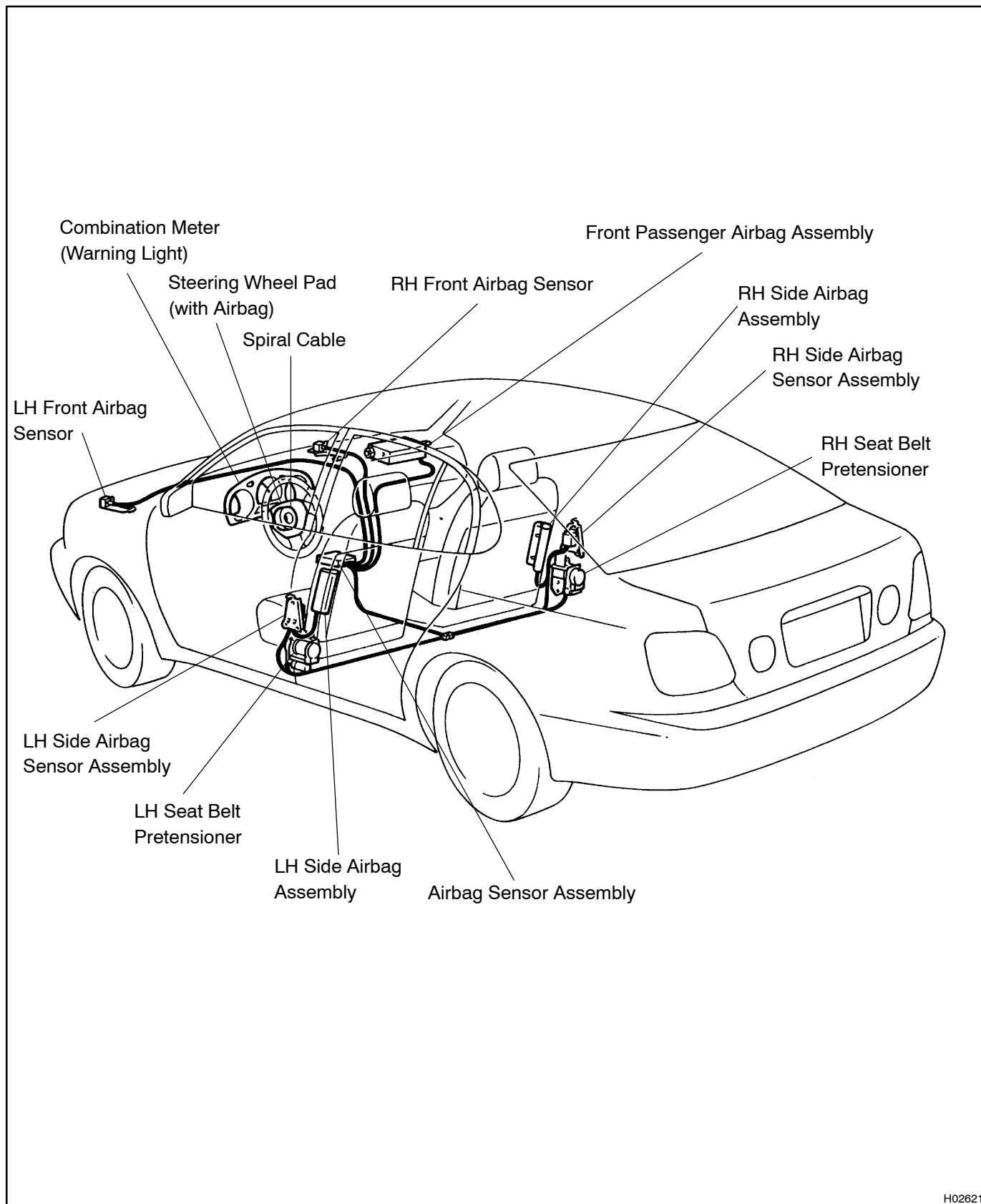
- (b) w/ Seat Belt Pretensioner:
Connect the pretensioner connector.

3. INSTALL THESE PARTS:

- (a) Center pillar lower garnish
- (b) Rear door scuff plate
- (c) Front door scuff plate

WIRE HARNESS AND CONNECTOR LOCATION

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INSPECTION

HINT:

The SRS wire harness is integrated with the instrument panel wire harness assembly. The wires for the SRS wire harness are encased in a yellow corrugated tube and all the connectors in the system are a standard yellow color.

1. VEHICLE NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION

Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

2. VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION

(a) Do a diagnostic system check.

(See page DI-386)

(b) Check breaks in all wires of the SRS wire harness, and exposed conductors.

(c) Check to see if the SRS wire harness connectors are cracked or chipped.

REPLACEMENT

In the following cases, replace the wire harness or connector.

- If any part of the SRS wire harness or any connector has been found to be faulty in troubleshooting.
- If any part of the SRS wire harness or any connector has been found to be faulty during the check in Items. (See page RS-69)

CAUTION:

If the wire harness used in the SRS is damaged, replace the whole wire harness assembly.