

ENGINE SECTION 2

This service manual has been prepared to provide SUBARU service personnel with the necessary information and data for the correct maintenance and repair of SUBARU vehicles.

This manual includes the procedures for maintenance, disassembling, reassembling, inspection and adjustment of components and diagnostics for guidance of experienced mechanics.

Please peruse and utilize this manual fully to ensure complete repair work for satisfying our customers by keeping their vehicle in optimum condition. When replacement of parts during repair work is needed, be sure to use SUBARU genuine parts.

All information, illustration and specifications contained in this manual are based on the latest product information available at the time of publication approval.

FUEL INJECTION (FUEL SYSTEM) FU(H4DOTC)

EMISSION CONTROL (AUX. EMISSION CONTROL DEVICE) EC(H4DOTC)

INTAKE (INDUCTION) IN(H4DOTC)

MECHANICAL ME(H4DOTC)

EXHAUST EX(H4DOTC)

COOLING CO(H4DOTC)

LUBRICATION LU(H4DOTC)

SPEED CONTROL SYSTEM SP(H4DOTC)

IGNITION IG(H4DOTC)

STARTING/CHARGING SYSTEM SC(H4DOTC)

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General Description

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1. General Description

A: SPECIFICATION

1. 2.0 L MODEL

Engine	Type		Horizontally opposed, liquid cooled, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke gasoline engine		
	Valve arrangement		Belt driven, double overhead camshaft, 4-valve/cylinder		
	Bore×Stroke		mm (in)		
			92×75 (3.62×2.95)		
	Piston displacement		cm ³ (cu in)		
			1,994 (121.67)		
	Compression ratio		8.0		
	Compression pressure (at 200 — 300 rpm)		kPa (kgf/cm ² , psi)		
			981 — 1,177 (10 — 12, 142 — 171)		
	Number of piston rings		Pressure ring: 2, Oil ring: 1		
	Intake valve timing	Opening	Max. retard	BTDC 3°	
			Min. advance	BTDC 33°	
		Closing	Max. retard	ABDC 33°	
			Min. advance	ABDC 3°	
	Exhaust valve timing	Opening	BBDC 33°		
		Closing	ATDC 3°		
Valve clearance	Intake	mm (in)	0.20±0.02 (0.0079±0.0008)		
	Exhaust	mm (in)	0.35±0.02 (0.0138±0.0008)		
Idling speed [At neutral position on MT, or "P" or "N" range on AT] rpm	No load		MT: 700±100		
			AT: 700±100		
	A/C ON		A/C Refrigerant pressure (LOW)	MT: 725±100	
			A/C Refrigerant pressure (HIGH)	AT: 750±100	
			MT: 800±100		
			AT: 825±100		
Firing order		1 → 3 → 2 → 4			
Ignition timing		BTDC/rpm			
		12°±10°/700			

NOTE:

STD: Standard I.D.: Inner Diameter O.D.: Outer Diameter OS: Oversize US: Undersize

Belt tension adjuster	Protrusion of adjuster rod		5.7 — 6.7 mm (0.224 — 0.264 in)	
Belt tensioner	Spacer O.D.		17.955 — 17.975 mm (0.7069 — 0.7077 in)	
	Tensioner bush I.D.		18.0 — 18.08 mm (0.7087 — 0.7118 in)	
	Clearance between spacer and bush	STD	0.025 — 0.125 mm (0.0010 — 0.0049 in)	
		Limit	0.175 mm (0.0069 in)	
	Side clearance of spacer	STD	0.2 — 0.55 mm (0.0079 — 0.0217 in)	
Limit		0.81 mm (0.0319 in)		

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Camshaft	Bend limit			0.020 mm (0.0079 in)	
	Thrust clearance		STD	0.068 — 0.116 mm (0.0027 — 0.0046 in)	
			Limit	0.14 mm (0.0055 in)	
	Cam lobe height		Intake	STD	44.75 — 44.85 mm (1.762 — 1.766 in)
				Limit	44.65 mm (1.758 in)
			Exhaust	STD	44.75 — 44.85 mm (1.762 — 1.766 in)
				Limit	44.65 mm (1.758 in)
	Journal O.D.		STD	Front	37.946 — 37.963 mm (1.4939 — 1.4946 in)
				Center rear	29.946 — 29.963 mm (1.1790 — 1.1796 in)
			Oil clearance	STD	0.037 — 0.072 mm (0.0015 — 0.0028 in)
		Limit	0.10 mm (0.0039 in)		
Cylinder head	Surface warpage limit			0.05 mm (0.0020 in)	
	Surface grinding limit			0.3 mm (0.012 in)	
	Standard height			127.5 mm (5.02 in)	
Valve seat	Refacing angle			90°	
	Contacting width		Intake	STD	1.0 mm (0.039 in)
				Limit	1.7 mm (0.067 in)
			Exhaust	STD	1.5 mm (0.059 in)
				Limit	2.2 mm (0.087 in)
Valve guide	Inner diameter			6.000 — 6.012 mm (0.2362 — 0.2367 in)	
	Protrusion above head			15.8 — 16.2 mm (0.622 — 0.638 in)	
Valve	Head edge thickness		Intake	STD	1.2 mm (0.047 in)
				Limit	0.8 mm (0.031 in)
			Exhaust	STD	1.5 mm (0.059 in)
				Limit	0.8 mm (0.031 in)
	Stem diameter			Intake	5.955 — 5.970 mm (0.2344 — 0.2350 in)
				Exhaust	5.945 — 5.960 mm (0.2341 — 0.2346 in)
	Stem oil clearance		STD	Intake	0.030 — 0.057 mm (0.0012 — 0.0022 in)
				Exhaust	0.040 — 0.067 mm (0.0016 — 0.0026 in)
			Limit	—	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)
Overall length			Intake	104.4 mm (4.110 in)	
			Exhaust	104.65 mm (4.120 in)	
Valve spring	Free length			44.67 mm (1.759 in)	
	Squareness			2.5°, 2.0 mm (0.079 in)	
	Tension/spring height		Set	206 — 236 N (21.0 — 24.1 kgf, 46.3 — 53.1 lb)/ 36.0 mm (1.417 in)	
			Lift	485 — 537 N (49.5 — 54.8 kgf, 109 — 121 lb)/ 26.6 mm (1.047 in)	
Cylinder block	Surface warpage limit (mating with cylinder head)			0.05 mm (0.0020 in)	
	Surface grinding limit			0.1 mm (0.004 in)	
	Cylinder bore		STD	A	92.005 — 92.015 mm (3.6222 — 3.6226 in)
				B	91.995 — 92.005 mm (3.6218 — 3.6222 in)
	Taper			STD	0.015 mm (0.0006 in)
				Limit	0.050 mm (0.0020 in)
	Out-of-roundness			STD	0.010 mm (0.0004 in)
				Limit	0.050 mm (0.0020 in)
	Piston clearance			STD	0.010 — 0.030 mm (0.0004 — 0.0012 in)
Limit				0.050 mm (0.0020 in)	
Enlarging (boring) limit			0.5 mm (0.020 in)		

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Piston	Outer diameter	STD	A	91.985 — 91.995 mm (3.6214 — 3.6218 in)	
			B	91.975 — 91.985 mm (3.6211 — 3.6214 in)	
		0.25 mm (0.0098 in) OS		92.225 — 92.235 mm (3.6309 — 3.6313 in)	
		0.50 mm (0.0197 in) OS		92.475 — 92.485 mm (3.6407 — 3.6411 in)	
Piston pin	Standard clearance between piston pin and hole in piston		STD	0.004 — 0.008 mm (0.0002 — 0.0003 in)	
			Limit	0.020 mm (0.0008 in)	
	Degree of fit			Piston pin must be fitted into position with thumb at 20°C (68°F).	
Piston ring	Piston ring gap	Top ring	STD	0.20 — 0.25 mm (0.0079 — 0.0098 in)	
			Limit	1.0 mm (0.039 in)	
		Second ring	STD	0.40 — 0.50 mm (0.016 — 0.020 in)	
			Limit	1.0 mm (0.039 in)	
		Oil ring	STD	0.20 — 0.50 mm (0.0079 — 0.020 in)	
			Limit	1.5 mm (0.059 in)	
	Clearance between piston ring and piston ring groove	Top ring	STD	0.040 — 0.080 mm (0.0016 — 0.0031 in)	
			Limit	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)	
Second ring		STD	0.030 — 0.070 mm (0.0012 — 0.0028 in)		
		Limit	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)		
Connecting rod	Bend twist per 100 mm (3.94 in) in length		Limit	0.10 mm (0.0039 in)	
	Side clearance		STD	0.070 — 0.330 mm (0.0028 — 0.0130 in)	
			Limit	0.4 mm (0.016 in)	
Connecting rod bearing	Oil clearance		STD	0.010 — 0.038 mm (0.0004 — 0.0015 in)	
			Limit	0.05 mm (0.0020 in)	
	Thickness at center portion		STD	1.486 — 1.498 mm (0.0585 — 0.0590 in)	
			0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	1.504 — 1.512 mm (0.0592 — 0.0595 in)	
			0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	1.514 — 1.522 mm (0.0596 — 0.0599 in)	
			0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	1.614 — 1.622 mm (0.0635 — 0.0639 in)	
	Connecting rod bushing	Clearance between piston pin and bushing		STD	0 — 0.022 mm (0 — 0.0009 in)
				Limit	0.030 mm (0.0012 in)

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Crankshaft	Bend limit		0.035 mm (0.0014 in)		
	Crank pin and crank journal	Out-of-roundness	0.005 mm (0.0002 in) or less		
		Grinding limit	0.25 mm (0.0098 in)		
	Crank pin outer diameter		STD	51.984 — 52.000 mm (2.0466 — 2.0472 in)	
			0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	51.954 — 51.970 mm (2.0454 — 2.0461 in)	
			0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	51.934 — 51.950 mm (2.0447 — 2.0453 in)	
			0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	51.734 — 51.750 mm (2.0368 — 2.0374 in)	
	Crank journal outer diameter		#1, #3, #5	STD	59.992 — 60.008 mm (2.3619 — 2.3625 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	59.962 — 59.978 mm (2.3607 — 2.3613 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	59.942 — 59.958 mm (2.3599 — 2.3605 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	59.742 — 59.758 mm (2.3520 — 2.3527 in)
			#2, #4	STD	59.992 — 60.008 mm (2.3619 — 2.3625 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	59.962 — 59.978 mm (2.3607 — 2.3613 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	59.942 — 59.958 mm (2.3599 — 2.3605 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	59.742 — 59.758 mm (2.3520 — 2.3527 in)
Thrust clearance		STD	0.030 — 0.115 mm (0.0012 — 0.0045 in)		
		Limit	0.25 mm (0.0098 in)		
Oil clearance		STD	0.010 — 0.030 mm (0.0004 — 0.0012 in)		
		Limit	0.040 mm (0.0016 in)		
Crankshaft bearing	Crankshaft bearing thickness		#1, #3	STD	1.998 — 2.011 mm (0.0787 — 0.0792 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	2.017 — 2.020 mm (0.0794 — 0.0795 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	2.027 — 2.030 mm (0.0798 — 0.0799 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	2.127 — 2.130 mm (0.0837 — 0.0839 in)
			#2, #4, #5	STD	2.000 — 2.013 mm (0.0787 — 0.0793 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	2.019 — 2.022 mm (0.0795 — 0.0796 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	2.029 — 2.032 mm (0.0799 — 0.0800 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	2.129 — 2.132 mm (0.0838 — 0.0839 in)

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2. 2.5 L MODEL

Engine	Model		2.5 L		
	Type		Horizontally opposed, liquid cooled, 4-cylinder, 4-stroke gasoline engine		
	Valve arrangement		Belt driven, double overhead camshaft, 4-valve/cylinder		
	Bore×Stroke		mm (in) 99.5×79.0 (3.92×3.11)		
	Piston displacement		cm ³ (cu in) 2,457 (149.94)		
	Compression ratio		8.2		
	Compression pressure (at 200 — 300 rpm)		kPa (kgf/cm ² , psi) 981 — 1,177 (10 — 12, 142 — 171)		
	Number of piston rings		Pressure ring: 2, Oil ring: 1		
	Intake valve timing	Opening	Max. retard	ATDC 5°	
			Min. advance	BTDC 15°	
		Closing	Max. retard	ABDC 65°	
			Min. advance	ABDC 45°	
	Exhaust valve timing	Opening		BBDC 55°	
		Closing		ATDC 5°	
	Valve clearance	Intake	mm (in)	0.20±0.02 (0.0079±0.0008)	
		Exhaust	mm (in)	0.35±0.02 (0.0138±0.0008)	
	Idling speed [At neutral position on MT, or “P” or “N” range on AT] rpm		No load	MT: 700±100 AT: 700±100	
A/C ON			A/C Refrigerant pressure (LOW)	MT: 725±100 AT: 750±100	
			A/C Refrigerant pressure (HIGH)	MT: 800±100 AT: 825±100	
Firing order		1 → 3 → 2 → 4			
Ignition timing	BTDC/rpm	MT model	17°±10°/700		
		AT model	17°±10°/700		

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Belt tension adjuster	Protrusion of adjuster rod		5.7 — 6.7 mm (0.224 — 0.264 in)	
Belt tensioner	Spacer O.D.		17.955 — 17.975 mm (0.7069 — 0.7077 in)	
	Tensioner bush I.D.		18.0 — 18.08 mm (0.7087 — 0.7118 in)	
	Clearance between spacer and bush	STD	0.025 — 0.125 mm (0.0010 — 0.0049 in)	
		Limit	0.175 mm (0.069 in)	
	Side clearance of spacer	STD	0.2 — 0.55 mm (0.0079 — 0.0217 in)	
Limit		0.81 mm (0.0319 in)		
Camshaft	Bend limit		0.020 mm (0.0079 in)	
	Thrust clearance	STD	0.068 — 0.116 mm (0.0027 — 0.0046 in)	
		Limit	0.14 mm (0.0055 in)	
	Cam lobe height	Intake	STD	46.55 — 46.65 mm (1.833 — 1.837 in)
			Limit	46.45 mm (1.829 in)
		Exhaust	STD	46.75 — 46.85 mm (1.841 — 1.844 in)
			Limit	46.65 mm (1.837 in)
	Journal O.D.	STD	Front	37.946 — 37.963 mm (1.4939 — 1.4946 in)
			Center rear	29.946 — 29.963 mm (1.1790 — 1.1796 in)
	Oil clearance	STD	0.037 — 0.072 mm (0.0015 — 0.0028 in)	
Limit		0.10 mm (0.0039 in)		
Cylinder head	Surface warpage limit (mating with cylinder head)		0.05 mm (0.0020 in)	
	Surface grinding limit		0.3 mm (0.012 in)	
	Standard height		127.5 mm (5.02 in)	
Valve seat	Refacing angle		90°	
	Contacting width	Intake	STD	1.0 mm (0.039 in)
			Limit	1.7 mm (0.067 in)
		Exhaust	STD	1.5 mm (0.059 in)
			Limit	2.2 mm (0.087 in)
Valve guide	Inner diameter		6.000 — 6.012 mm (0.2362 — 0.2367 in)	
	Protrusion above head		15.8 — 16.2 mm (0.622 — 0.638 in)	
Valve	Head edge thickness	Intake	STD	1.2 mm (0.047 in)
			Limit	0.8 mm (0.031 in)
		Exhaust	STD	1.5 mm (0.059 in)
			Limit	0.8 mm (0.031 in)
	Stem diameter	Intake	5.955 — 5.970 mm (0.2344 — 0.2350 in)	
		Exhaust	5.945 — 5.960 mm (0.2341 — 0.2346 in)	
	Stem oil clearance	STD	Intake	0.030 — 0.057 mm (0.0012 — 0.0022 in)
			Exhaust	0.040 — 0.067 mm (0.0016 — 0.0026 in)
		Limit	—	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)
	Overall length	Intake	104.4 mm (4.110 in)	
Exhaust		104.65 mm (4.120 in)		
Valve spring	Free length		47.32 mm (1.863 in)	
	Squareness		2.5°, 2.1 mm (0.083 in)	
	Tension/spring height	Set	205 — 235 N (20.9 — 24.0 kgf, 46.1 — 52.8 lb)/ 36.0 mm (1.417 in)	
		Lift	426 — 490 N (43.4 — 50.0 kgf, 95.8 — 110 lb)/ 26.50 mm (1.043 in)	

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Cylinder block	Surface warpage limit (mating with cylinder head)			0.05 mm (0.0020 in)
	Surface grinding limit			0.1 mm (0.004 in)
	Standard height			201.0 mm (7.91 in)
	Cylinder bore	STD	A	99.505 — 99.515 mm (3.9175 — 3.9179 in)
			B	99.495 — 99.505 mm (3.9171 — 3.9175 in)
	Taper	STD		0.015 mm (0.0006 in)
		Limit		0.050 mm (0.0020 in)
	Out-of-roundness	STD		0.010 mm (0.0004 in)
		Limit		0.050 mm (0.0020 in)
Piston clearance	STD		−0.010 — 0.010 mm (−0.0004 — 0.0004 in)	
	Limit		0.030 mm (0.0012 in)	
Enlarging (boring) limit			0.5 mm (0.020 in)	
Piston	Outer diameter	STD	A	99.505 — 99.515 mm (3.9175 — 3.9179 in)
			B	99.495 — 99.505 mm (3.9171 — 3.9175 in)
		0.25 mm (0.0098 in) OS		99.745 — 99.765 mm (3.9270 — 3.9278 in)
		0.50 mm (0.0197 in) OS		99.995 — 100.015 mm (3.9368 — 3.9376 in)
Piston pin	Standard clearance between piston pin and hole in piston		STD	0.004 — 0.008 mm (0.0002 — 0.0003 in)
			Limit	0.020 mm (0.0008 in)
	Degree of fit			Piston pin must be fitted into position with thumb at 20°C (68°F).
Piston ring	Piston ring gap	Top ring	STD	0.20 — 0.25 mm (0.0079 — 0.0098 in)
			Limit	1.0 mm (0.039 in)
		Second ring	STD	0.37 — 0.52 mm (0.015 — 0.020 in)
			Limit	1.0 mm (0.039 in)
	Oil ring	STD	0.20 — 0.50 mm (0.0079 — 0.020 in)	
		Limit	1.5 mm (0.059 in)	
	Clearance between piston ring and piston ring groove	Top ring	STD	0.040 — 0.080 mm (0.0016 — 0.0031 in)
			Limit	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)
Second ring		STD	0.030 — 0.070 mm (0.0012 — 0.0028 in)	
		Limit	0.15 mm (0.0059 in)	
Connecting rod	Bend twist per 100 mm (3.94 in) in length		Limit	0.10 mm (0.0039 in)
	Side clearance	STD		0.070 — 0.330 mm (0.0028 — 0.0130 in)
		Limit		0.4 mm (0.016 in)
Connecting rod bearing	Oil clearance		STD	0.017 — 0.045 mm (0.0007 — 0.0018 in)
			Limit	0.05 mm (0.0020 in)
	Thickness at center portion	STD		1.490 — 1.502 mm (0.0587 — 0.0591 in)
		0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US		1.504 — 1.512 mm (0.0592 — 0.0595 in)
		0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US		1.514 — 1.522 mm (0.0596 — 0.0599 in)
		0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US		1.614 — 1.622 mm (0.0635 — 0.0639 in)
	Connecting rod bushing	Clearance between piston pin and bushing		STD
Limit				0.030 mm (0.0012 in)

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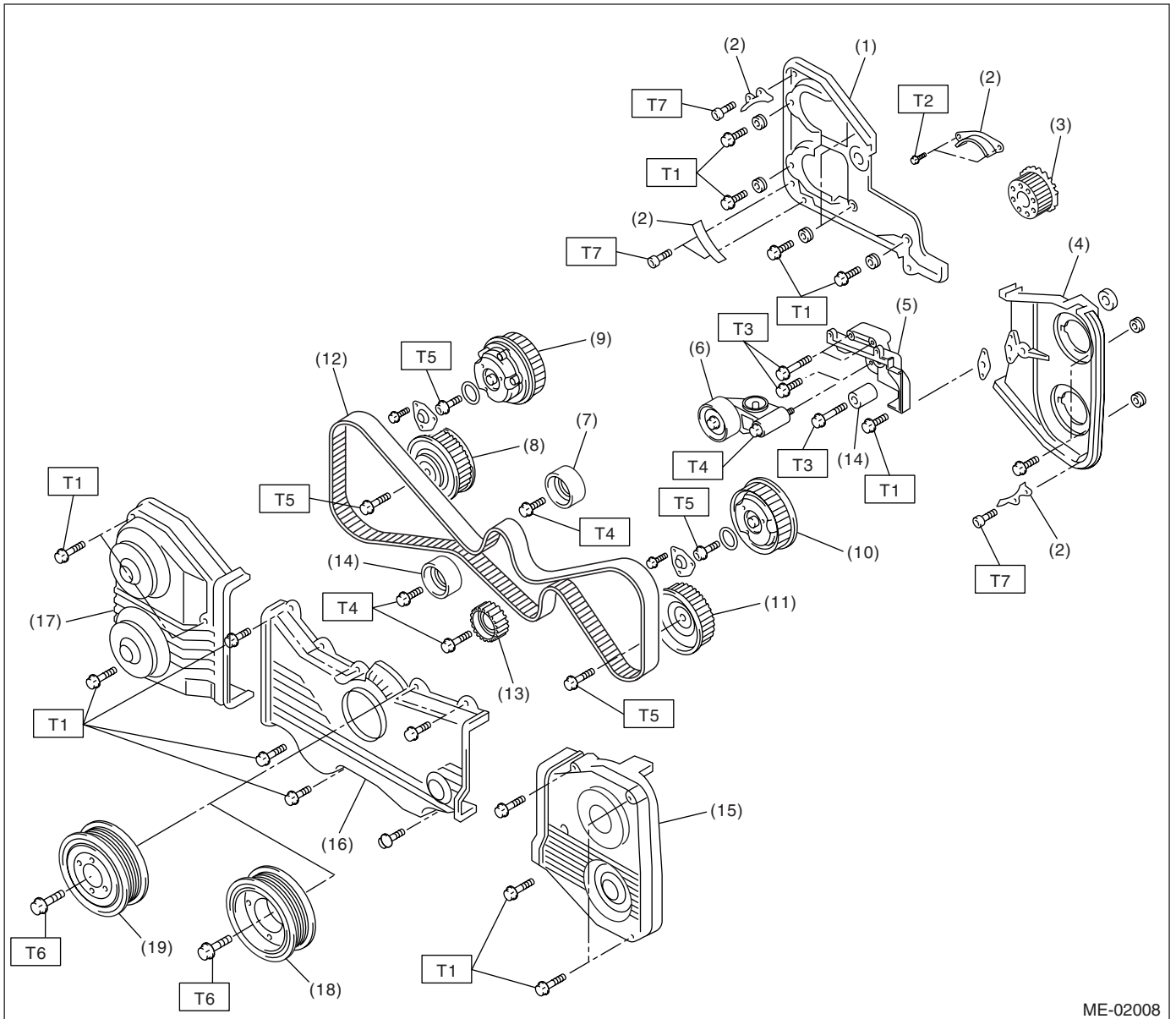
Crankshaft	Bend limit		0.035 mm (0.0014 in)		
	Crank pin and crank journal	Out-of-roundness		0.005 mm (0.0002 in) or less	
		Grinding limit		0.25 mm (0.0098 in)	
	Crank pin outer diameter		STD	51.984 — 52.000 mm (2.0466 — 2.0472 in)	
			0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	51.954 — 51.970 mm (2.0454 — 2.0461 in)	
			0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	51.934 — 51.950 mm (2.0447 — 2.0453 in)	
			0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	51.734 — 51.750 mm (2.0368 — 2.0374 in)	
	Crank journal outer diameter		#1, #3, #5	STD	59.992 — 60.008 mm (2.3619 — 2.3625 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	59.962 — 59.978 mm (2.3607 — 2.3613 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	59.942 — 59.958 mm (2.3599 — 2.3605 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	59.742 — 59.758 mm (2.3520 — 2.3527 in)
			#2, #4	STD	59.992 — 60.008 mm (2.3619 — 2.3625 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	59.962 — 59.978 mm (2.3607 — 2.3613 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	59.942 — 59.958 mm (2.3599 — 2.3605 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	59.742 — 59.758 mm (2.3520 — 2.3527 in)
Thrust clearance		STD	0.030 — 0.115 mm (0.0012 — 0.0045 in)		
		Limit	0.25 mm (0.0098 in)		
Oil clearance		STD	0.010 — 0.030 mm (0.0004 — 0.0012 in)		
		Limit	0.040 mm (0.0016 in)		
Crankshaft bearing	Crankshaft bearing thickness		#1, #3	STD	1.998 — 2.011 mm (0.0787 — 0.0792 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	2.017 — 2.020 mm (0.0794 — 0.0795 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	2.027 — 2.030 mm (0.0798 — 0.0799 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	2.127 — 2.130 mm (0.0837 — 0.0839 in)
			#2, #4, #5	STD	2.000 — 2.013 mm (0.0787 — 0.0793 in)
				0.03 mm (0.0012 in) US	2.019 — 2.022 mm (0.0795 — 0.0796 in)
				0.05 mm (0.0020 in) US	2.029 — 2.032 mm (0.0799 — 0.0800 in)
				0.25 mm (0.0098 in) US	2.129 — 2.132 mm (0.0838 — 0.0839 in)

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B: COMPONENT

1. TIMING BELT



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| (1) Timing belt cover No. 2 (RH) | (11) Exhaust cam sprocket (LH) |
| (2) Timing belt guide | (12) Timing belt |
| (3) Crank sprocket | (13) Belt idler No. 2 |
| (4) Timing belt cover No. 2 (LH) | (14) Belt idler |
| (5) Tensioner bracket | (15) Timing belt cover (LH) |
| (6) Automatic belt tension adjuster ASSY | (16) Front belt cover |
| (7) Belt idler | (17) Timing belt cover (RH) |
| (8) Exhaust cam sprocket (RH) | (18) Crank pulley (2.0 L model) |
| (9) Intake cam sprocket (RH) | (19) Crank pulley (2.5 L model) |
| (10) Intake cam sprocket (LH) | |

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

T1: 5 (0.5, 3.6)

T2: 10 (1.0, 7)

T3: 25 (2.5, 18.1)

T4: 39 (4.0, 28.9)

T5: <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-67, INSTALLATION, Cam Sprocket.>

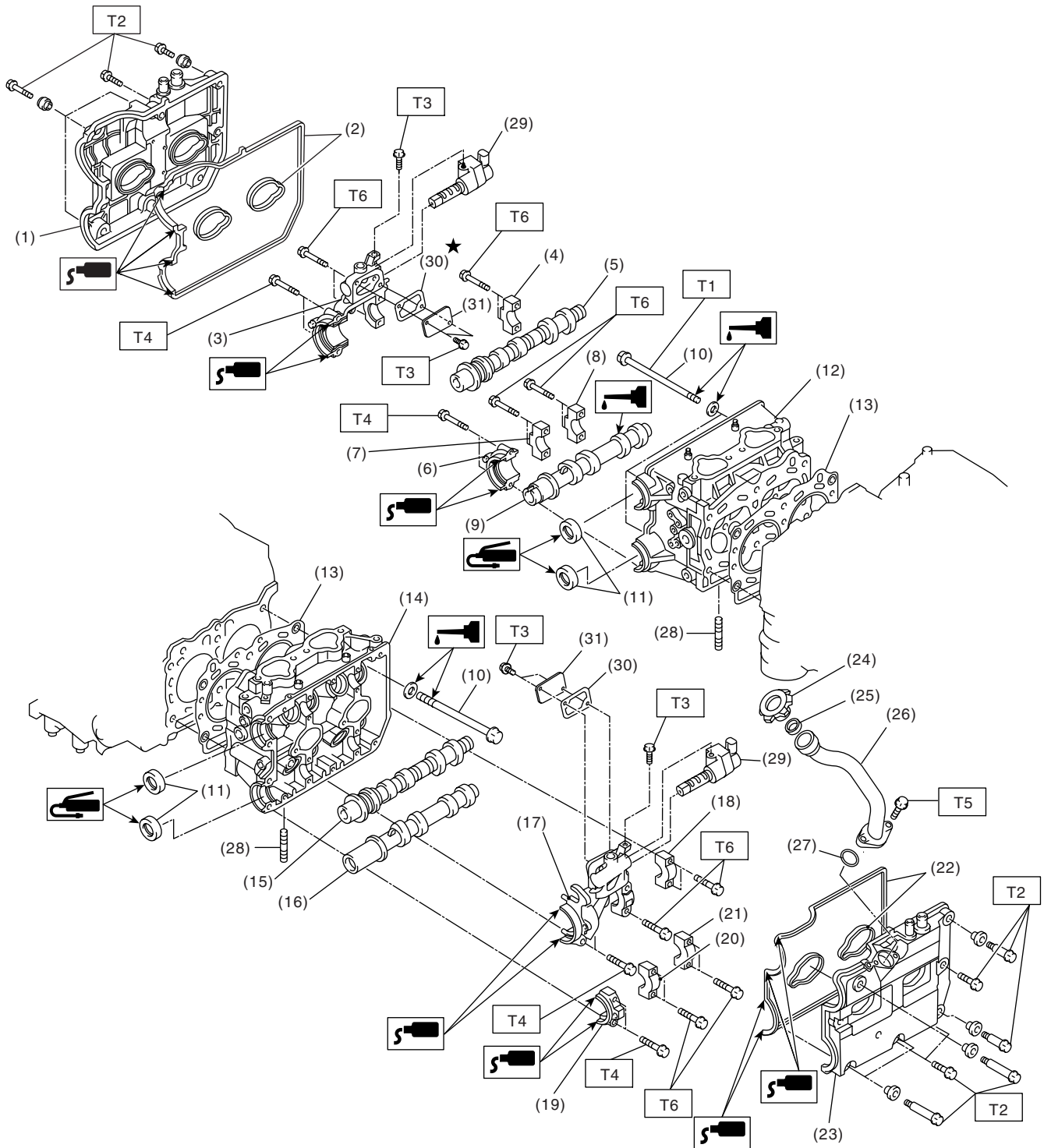
T6: <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-55, INSTALLATION, Crank Pulley.>

T7: 6.4 (0.65, 4.7)

ME(H4DOTC)-10

2. CYLINDER HEAD AND CAMSHAFT

• 2.0 L MODEL



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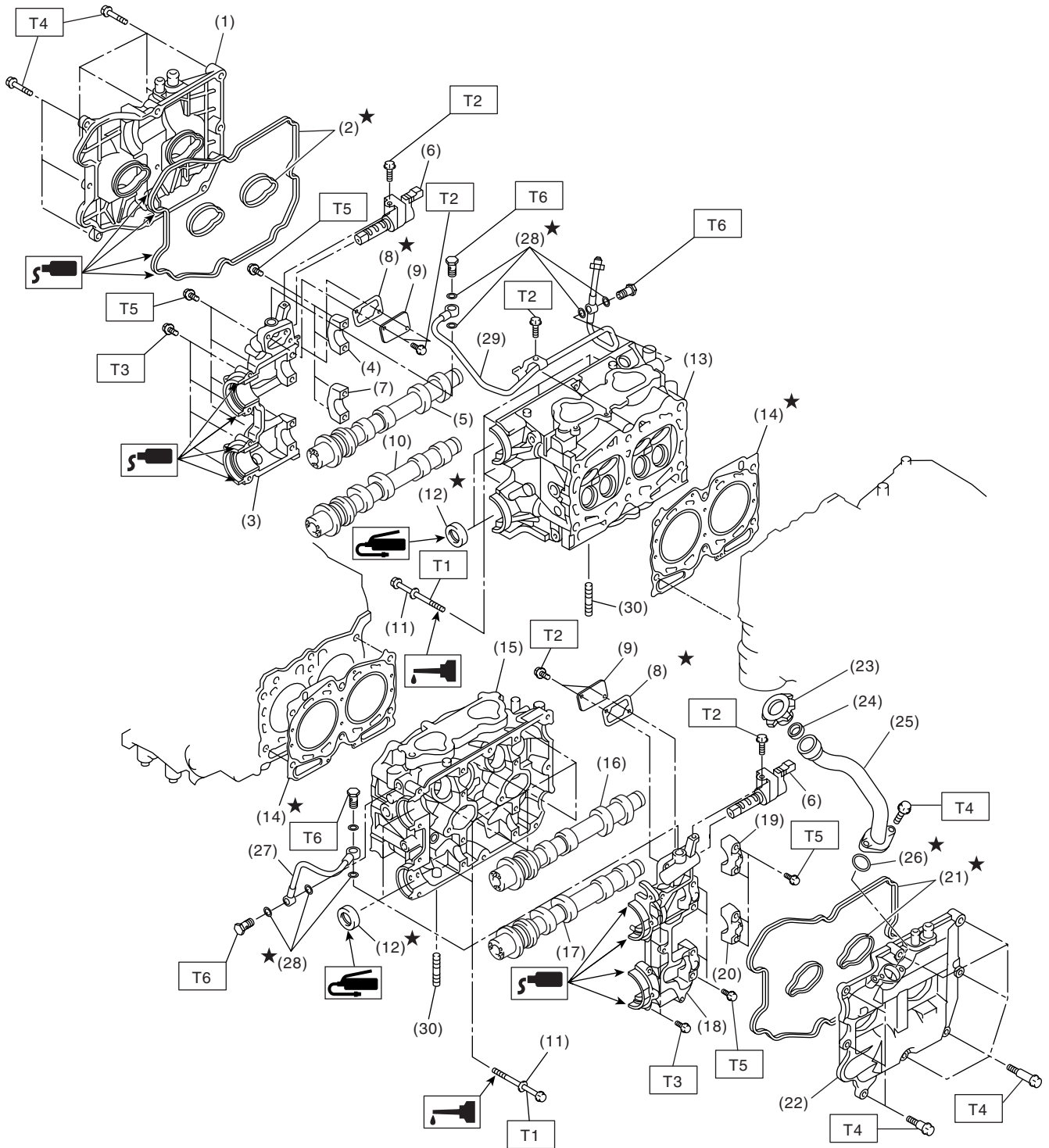
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(1) Rocker cover (RH)	(15) Intake camshaft (LH)	(29) Oil flow control solenoid valve
(2) Rocker cover gasket (RH)	(16) Exhaust camshaft (LH)	(30) Gasket
(3) Intake camshaft cap (Front RH)	(17) Intake camshaft cap (Front LH)	(31) Oil return cover
(4) Intake camshaft cap (Rear RH)	(18) Intake camshaft cap (Rear LH)	
(5) Intake camshaft (RH)	(19) Exhaust camshaft cap (Front LH)	<hr/> Tightening torque: N·m (kgf-m, ft-lb)
(6) Exhaust camshaft cap (Front RH)	(20) Exhaust camshaft cap (Center LH)	T1: <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-76, INSTALLATION, Cylinder Head Assembly.>
(7) Exhaust camshaft cap (Center RH)	(21) Exhaust camshaft cap (Rear LH)	T2: 5 (0.5, 3.6)
(8) Exhaust camshaft cap (Rear RH)	(22) Rocker cover gasket (LH)	T3: 8 (0.8, 5.9)
(9) Exhaust camshaft (RH)	(23) Rocker cover (LH)	T4: 10 (1.0, 7)
(10) Cylinder head bolt	(24) Oil filler cap	T5: 6.4 (0.65, 4.7)
(11) Oil seal	(25) Gasket	T6: 20 (2.0, 14.5)
(12) Cylinder head (RH)	(26) Oil filler duct	<hr/>
(13) Cylinder head gasket	(27) O-ring	
(14) Cylinder head (LH)	(28) Stud bolt	

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• 2.5 L MODEL



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General Description

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| (1) Rocker cover (RH) | (15) Cylinder head (LH) | (29) Oil pipe (RH) |
| (2) Rocker cover gasket (RH) | (16) Intake camshaft (LH) | (30) Stud bolt |
| (3) Camshaft cap (Front RH) | (17) Exhaust camshaft (LH) | |
| (4) Intake camshaft cap (Rear RH) | (18) Camshaft cap (Front LH) | |
| (5) Intake camshaft (RH) | (19) Intake camshaft cap (Rear LH) | |
| (6) Oil flow control solenoid valve | (20) Exhaust camshaft cap (Rear LH) | |
| (7) Exhaust camshaft cap (Rear RH) | (21) Rocker cover gasket (LH) | |
| (8) Gasket | (22) Rocker cover (LH) | |
| (9) Oil return cover | (23) Oil filler cap | |
| (10) Exhaust camshaft (RH) | (24) Gasket | |
| (11) Cylinder head bolt | (25) Oil filler duct | |
| (12) Oil seal | (26) O-ring | |
| (13) Cylinder head (RH) | (27) Oil pipe (LH) | |
| (14) Cylinder head gasket | (28) Gasket | |

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

**T1: <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-76,
INSTALLATION, CYLINDER
HEAD ASSEMBLY.>**

T2: 8 (0.8, 5.9)

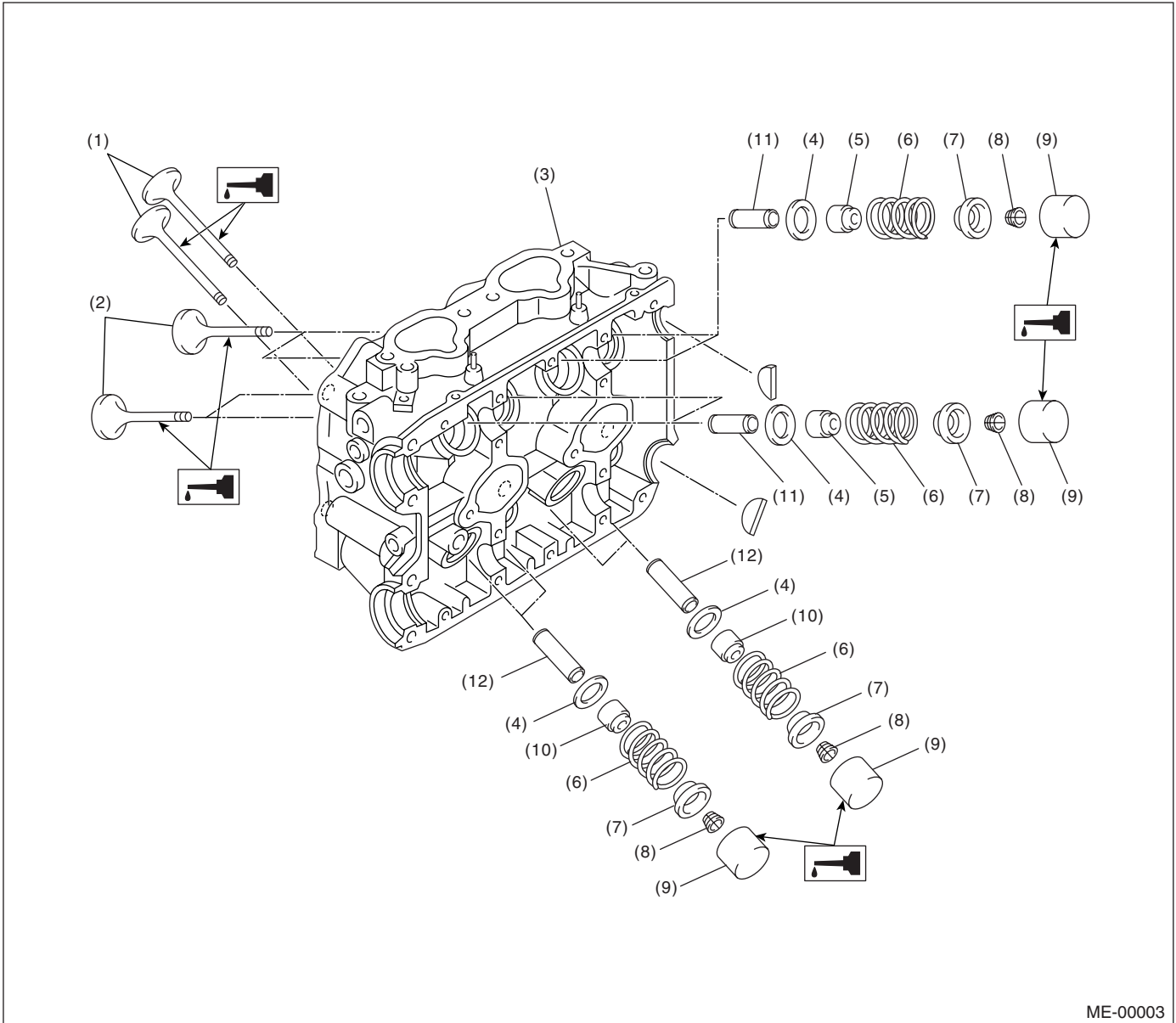
T3: 10 (1.0, 7.2)

T4: 6.4 (0.65, 4.7)

T5: 20 (2.0, 14.5)

T6: 29 (3.0, 21.4)

3. CYLINDER HEAD AND VALVE ASSEMBLY



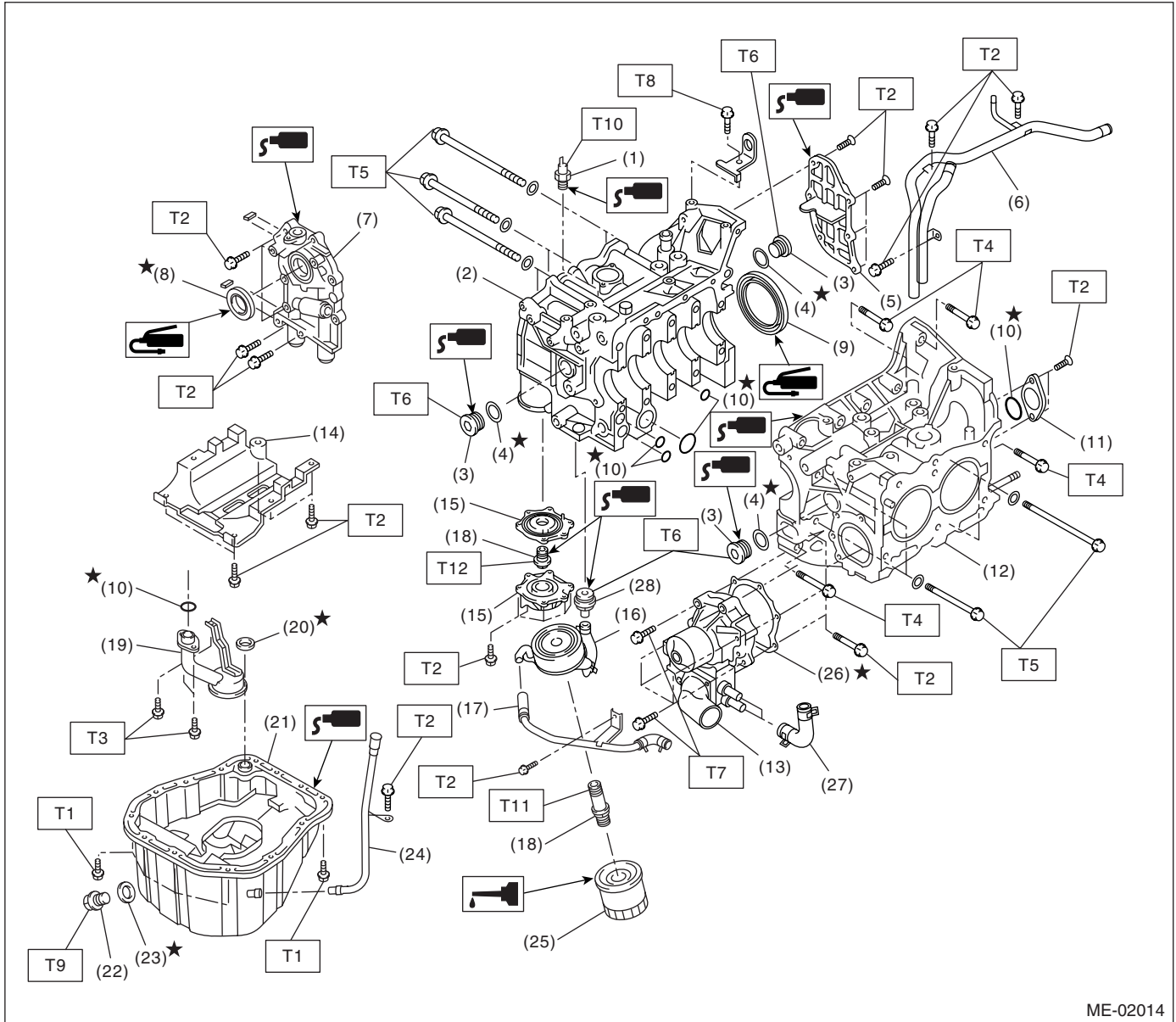
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| (1) Exhaust valve | (5) Intake valve oil seal | (9) Valve lifter |
| (2) Intake valve | (6) Valve spring | (10) Exhaust valve oil seal |
| (3) Cylinder head | (7) Retainer | (11) Intake valve guide |
| (4) Valve spring seat | (8) Retainer key | (12) Exhaust valve guide |

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4. CYLINDER BLOCK



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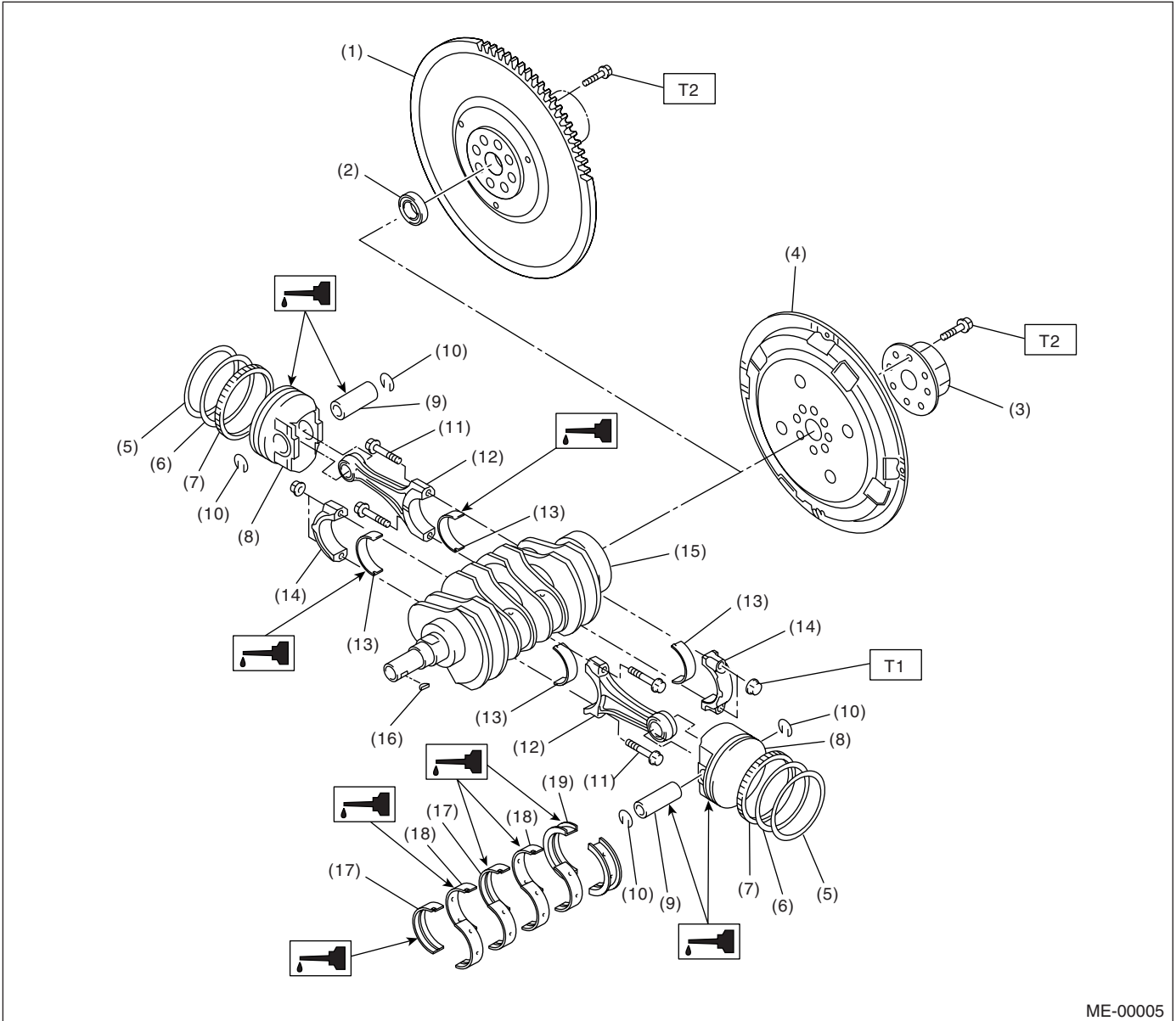
(1) Oil pressure switch	(15) Adapter	Tightening torque: N-m (kgf-m, ft-lb)
(2) Cylinder block (RH)	(16) Oil cooler	T1: 5 (0.5, 3.6)
(3) Service hole plug	(17) Water by-pass pipe	T2: 6.4 (0.65, 4.7)
(4) Gasket	(18) Connector	T3: 10 (1.0, 7.2)
(5) Oil separator cover	(19) Oil strainer	T4: 25 (2.5, 18.1)
(6) Water by-pass pipe	(20) Gasket	T5: <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-88, INSTALLATION, CYLINDER BLOCK.>
(7) Oil pump	(21) Oil pan	T6: 70 (7.1, 50.6)
(8) Front oil seal	(22) Drain plug	T7: First 12 (1.2, 8.7) Second 12 (1.2, 8.7)
(9) Rear oil seal	(23) Metal gasket	T8: 16 (1.6, 11.6)
(10) O-ring	(24) Oil level gauge guide	T9: 44 (4.5, 33)
(11) Service hole cover	(25) Oil filter	T10: 25 (2.5, 18.1)
(12) Cylinder block (LH)	(26) Gasket	T11: 54 (5.3, 39)
(13) Water pump	(27) Water pump hose	T12: 45 (4.6, 33)
(14) Baffle plate	(28) Plug	

General Description

MECHANICAL

5. CRANKSHAFT AND PISTON

• 2.0 L MODEL



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| (1) Flywheel (MT model) | (9) Piston pin | (17) Crankshaft bearing #1, #3 |
| (2) Ball bearing (MT model) | (10) Circlip | (18) Crankshaft bearing #2, #4 |
| (3) Reinforcement (AT model) | (11) Connecting rod bolt | (19) Crankshaft bearing #5 |
| (4) Drive plate (AT model) | (12) Connecting rod | |
| (5) Top ring | (13) Connecting rod bearing | |
| (6) Second ring | (14) Connecting rod cap | |
| (7) Oil ring | (15) Crankshaft | |
| (8) Piston | (16) Woodruff key | |

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

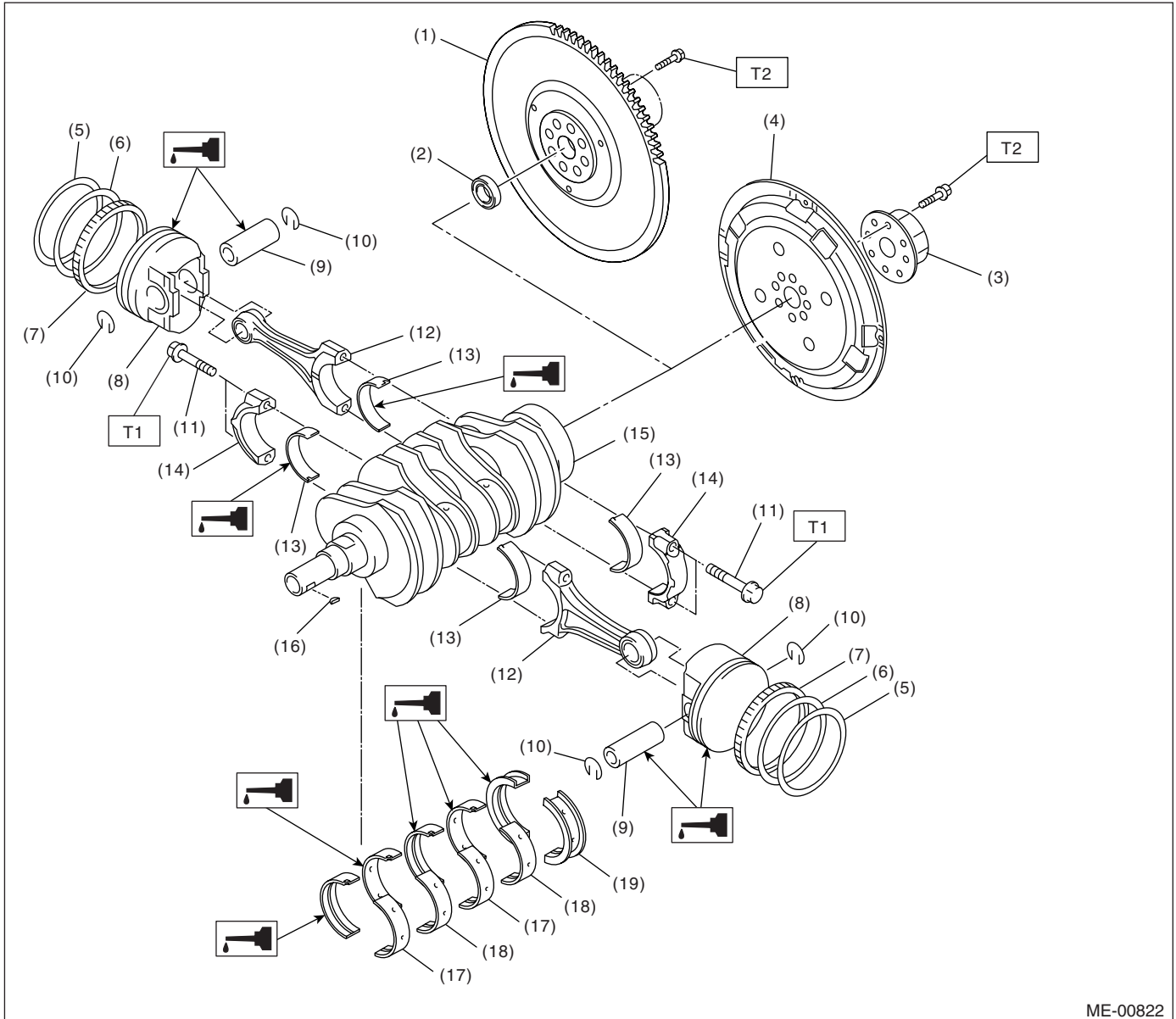
T1: 45 (4.6, 33.3)

T2: 72 (7.3, 52.8)

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• 2.5 L MODEL



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|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) Flywheel (MT model) | (9) Piston pin | (17) Crankshaft bearing #1, #3 |
| (2) Ball bearing (MT model) | (10) Circlip | (18) Crankshaft bearing #2, #4 |
| (3) Reinforcement (AT model) | (11) Connecting rod bolt | (19) Crankshaft bearing #5 |
| (4) Drive plate (AT model) | (12) Connecting rod | |
| (5) Top ring | (13) Connecting rod bearing | |
| (6) Second ring | (14) Connecting rod cap | |
| (7) Oil ring | (15) Crankshaft | |
| (8) Piston | (16) Woodruff key | |

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

T1: 52 (5.3, 38.4)

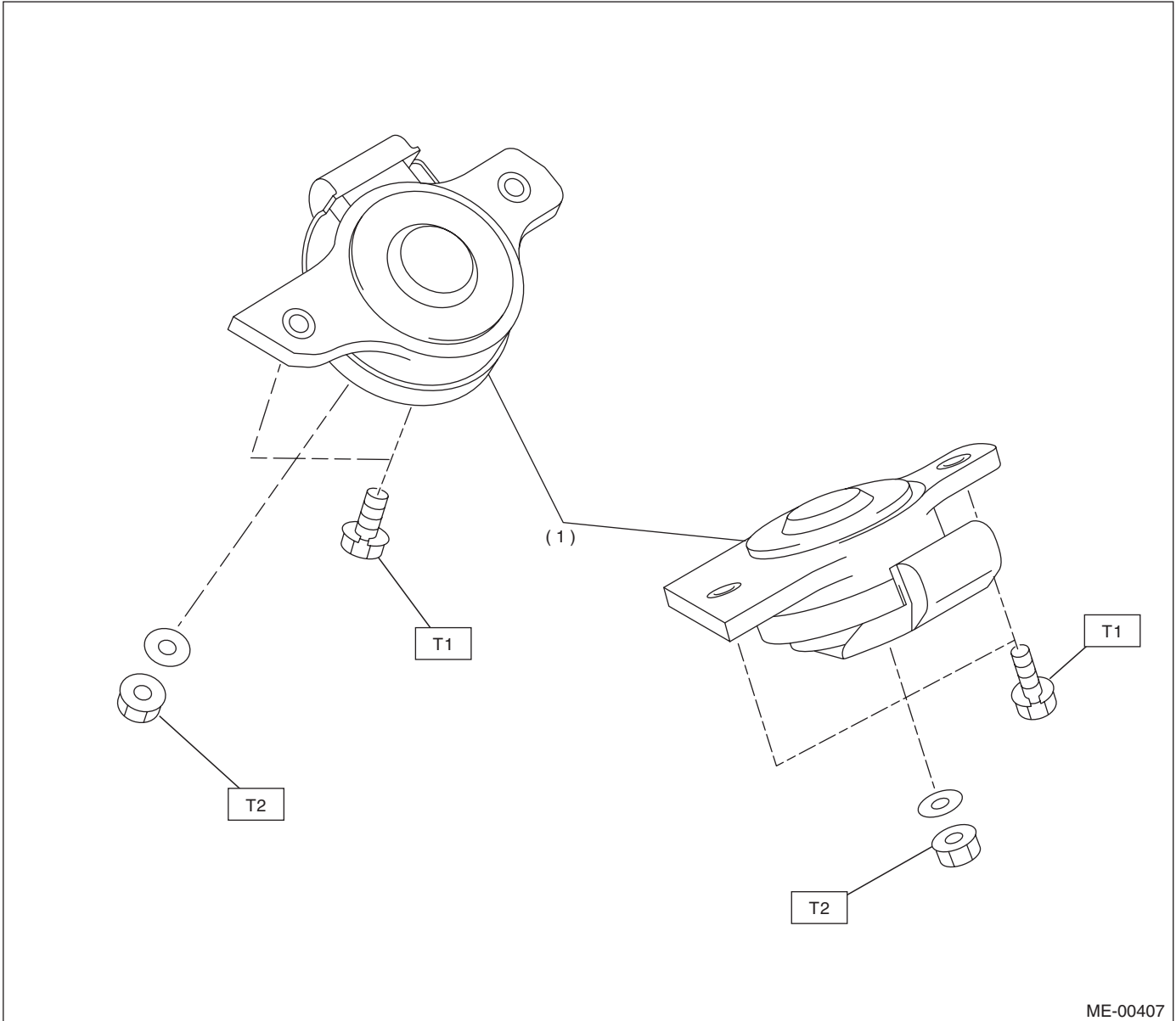
T2: 72 (7.3, 52.8)

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6. ENGINE MOUNTING

• 2.0 L MODEL



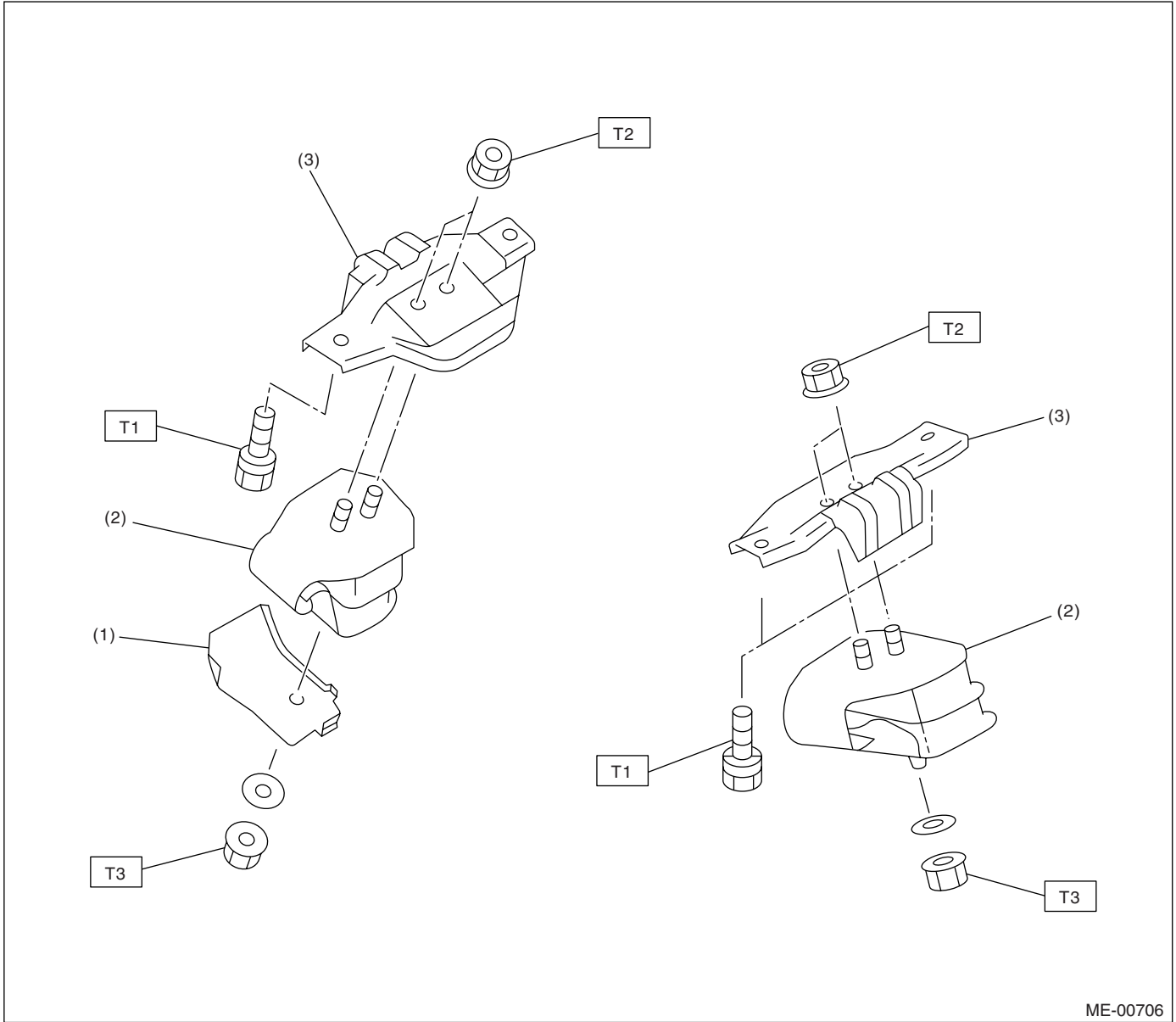
(1) Front cushion rubber

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

T1: 34 (3.5, 25.3)

T2: 85 (8.7, 62.7)

• 2.5 L MODEL



- (1) Heat shield cover
- (2) Front cushion rubber

- (3) Front engine mounting bracket

Tightening torque: N·m (kgf·m, ft·lb)

T1: 35 (3.6, 25.8)

T2: 42 (4.3, 30.9)

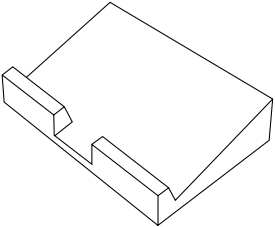
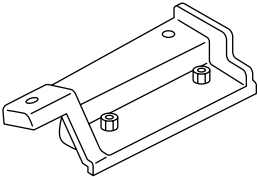
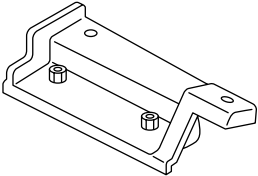
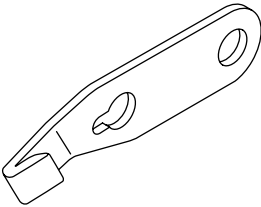
T3: 85 (8.7, 62.7)

C: CAUTION

- Wear working clothing, including a cap, protective goggles, and protective shoes during operation.
- Remove contamination including dirt and corrosion before removal, installation or disassembly.
- Keep the disassembled parts in order and protect them from dust or dirt.
- Before removal, installation or disassembly, be sure to clarify the failure. Avoid unnecessary removal, installation, disassembly, and replacement.
- Be careful not to burn yourself, because each part in the vehicle is hot after running.
- Be sure to tighten fasteners including bolts and nuts to the specified torque.
- Place shop jacks or rigid racks at the specified points.
- Before disconnecting electrical connectors of sensors or units, be sure to disconnect the ground cable from battery.
- All parts should be thoroughly cleaned, paying special attention to the engine oil passages, pistons and bearings.
- Rotating parts and sliding parts such as piston, bearing and gear should be coated with oil prior to assembly.
- Be careful not to let oil, grease or coolant contact the timing belt, clutch disc and flywheel.
- All removed parts, if to be reused, should be reinstalled in the original positions and directions.
- Bolts, nuts and washers should be replaced with new ones as required.
- Even if necessary inspections have been made in advance, proceed with assembly work while making rechecks.
- Remove or install the engine in an area where chain hoists, lifting devices, etc. are available for ready use.
- Be sure not to damage coated surfaces of body panels with tools or stain seats and windows with coolant or oil. Place a cover over fenders, as required, for protection.
- Prior to starting work, prepare the following:
Service tools, clean cloth, containers to catch coolant and oil, wire ropes, chain hoist, transmission jacks, etc.
- Lift-up or lower the vehicle when necessary. Make sure to support the correct positions.

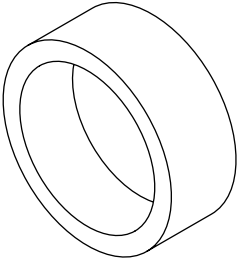
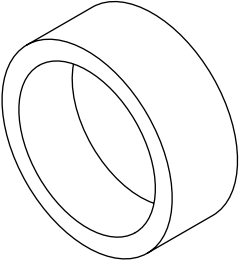
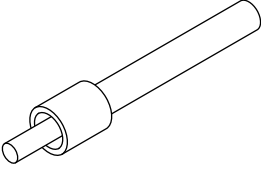
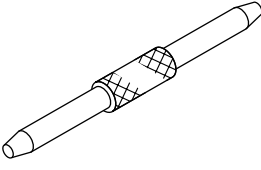
D: PREPARATION TOOL

1. SPECIAL TOOL

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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498267600</p>	498267600	CYLINDER HEAD TABLE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used for replacing valve guides. • Used for removing and installing valve springs.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498457000</p>	498457000	ENGINE STAND ADAPTER RH	Used with ENGINE STAND (499817000).
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498457100</p>	498457100	ENGINE STAND ADAPTER LH	Used with ENGINE STAND (499817000).
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498497100</p>	498497100	CRANKSHAFT STOPPER	Used for stopping rotation of flywheel when loosening and tightening crankshaft pulley bolt, etc.

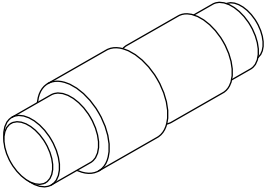
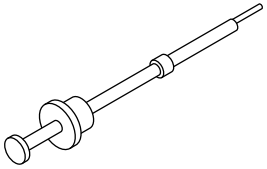
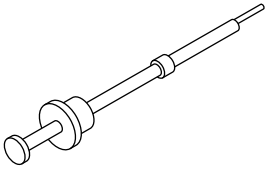
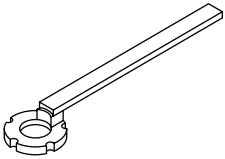
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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-398744300</p>	398744300	PISTON GUIDE	Used for installing piston in cylinder for 2.0 L engine.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498747300</p>	498747300	PISTON GUIDE	Used for installing piston in cylinder for 2.5 L engine.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498857100</p>	498857100	VALVE OIL SEAL GUIDE	Used for press-fitting of intake and exhaust valve guide oil seals.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499017100</p>	499017100	PISTON PIN GUIDE	Used for installing piston pin, piston and connecting rod.

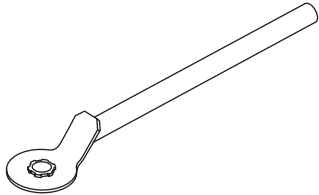
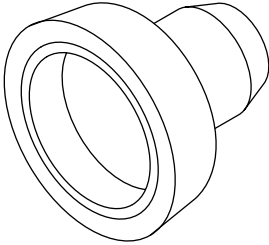
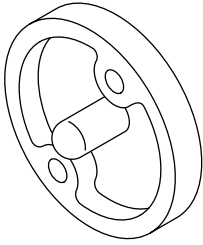
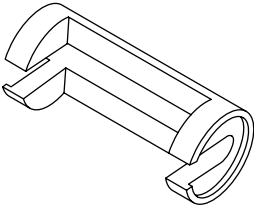
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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499097600</p>	499097600	PISTON PIN REMOVER ASSY	Used for removing piston pin. (2.0 L model)
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499097700</p>	499097700	PISTON PIN REMOVER ASSY	Used for removing piston pin. (2.5 L model)
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499207400</p>	499207400	CAM SPROCKET WRENCH	Used for removing and installing exhaust cam sprocket

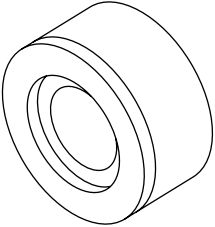
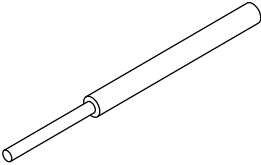
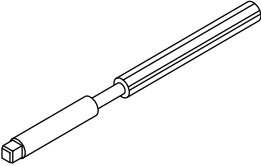
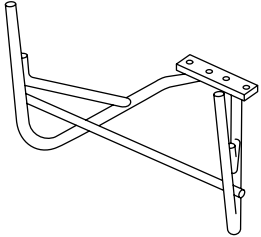
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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499587200</p>	499587200	CRANK OIL SEAL INSTALLER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used for installing crankshaft oil seal. • Used with CRANKSHAFT OIL SEAL GUIDE (499597100).
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499597100</p>	499597100	CRANKSHAFT OIL SEAL GUIDE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used for installing crankshaft oil seal. • Used with CRANKSHAFT OIL SEAL INSTALLER (499587200).
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499718000</p>	499718000	VALVE SPRING REMOVER	Used for removing and installing valve spring.

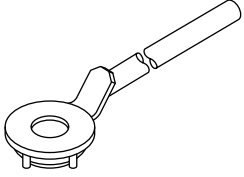
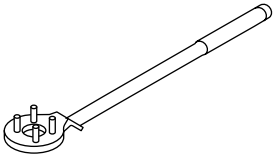
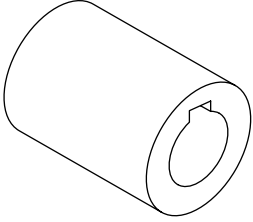
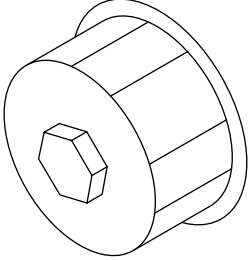
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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499767200</p>	499767200	VALVE GUIDE REMOVER	Used for removing valve guides.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499767400</p>	499767400	VALVE GUIDE REAMER	Used for reaming valve guides.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499817000</p>	499817000	ENGINE STAND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stand used for engine disassembly and assembly. • Used with ENGINE STAND ADAPTER RH (498457000) & LH (498457100).

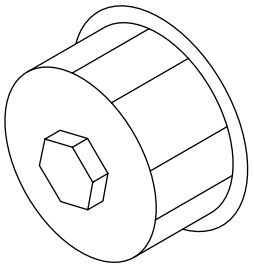
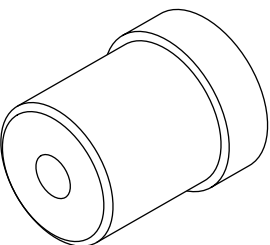
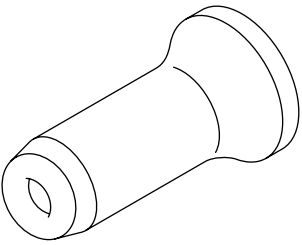
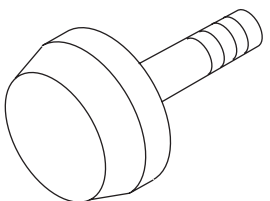
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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499977100</p>	499977100	CRANK PULLEY WRENCH	Used for stopping rotation of crank pulley when loosening and tightening crank pulley bolts. (2.5 L model)
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499987500</p>	499987500	CRANKSHAFT SOCKET	Used for rotating crankshaft.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST18332AA000</p>	18332AA000	OIL FILTER WRENCH	Used for removing and installing the oil filter. (Outer diameter: 68 mm (2.68 in))

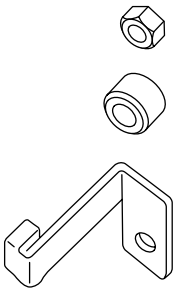
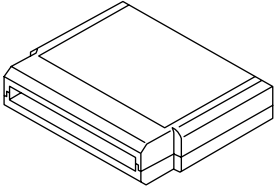

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 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499587100</p>	499587100	OIL SEAL INSTALLER	Used for installing oil pump oil seal.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499587600</p>	499587600	OIL SEAL INSTALLER	Used for installing camshaft oil seal for DOHC engine.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-499597200</p>	499597200	OIL SEAL GUIDE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used for installing camshaft oil seal for DOHC engine. • Used with OIL SEAL GUIDE (499587600).

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ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST-498277200</p>	498277200	STOPPER SET	Used for installing automatic transmission assembly to engine.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST24082AA230</p>	24082AA230 (Newly adopted tool)	CARTRIDGE	Troubleshooting for electrical systems.
 <p style="text-align: center;">ST22771AA030</p>	22771AA030	SUBARU SELECT MONITOR KIT	Troubleshooting for electrical systems. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: 22771AA030 (Without printer) • German: 22771AA070 (Without printer) • French: 22771AA080 (Without printer) • Spanish: 22771AA090 (Without printer)

2. GENERAL TOOL

TOOL NAME	REMARKS
Compression gauge	Used for measuring compression.

E: PROCEDURE

It is possible to conduct the following service procedures with engine on the vehicle, however, the procedures described in this section are based on the condition that the engine is removed from the vehicle.

- V-belt
- Timing Belt
- Camshaft
- Cylinder Head

2. Compression

A: INSPECTION

CAUTION:

After warming-up, engine becomes very hot. Be careful not to burn yourself during measurement.

- 1) After warming-up the engine, turn the ignition switch to OFF.
- 2) Make sure that the battery is fully charged.
- 3) Release the fuel pressure. <Ref. to FU(H4DOTC)-54, RELEASING OF FUEL PRESSURE, OPERATION, Fuel.>
- 4) Remove all the spark plugs. <Ref. to IG(H4DOTC)-5, REMOVAL, Spark Plug.>
- 5) Fully open the throttle valve.
- 6) Check the starter motor for satisfactory performance and operation.
- 7) Hold the compression gauge tight against spark plug hole.

NOTE:

When using a screw-in type compression gauge, the screw (put into cylinder head spark plug hole) should be less than 18 mm (0.71 in) long.

- 8) Crank the engine by means of starter motor, and then read the maximum value on the gauge when the pointer is steady.

- 9) Perform at least two measurements per cylinder, and make sure that the values are correct.

Compression (350 rpm and fully open throttle):

Standard

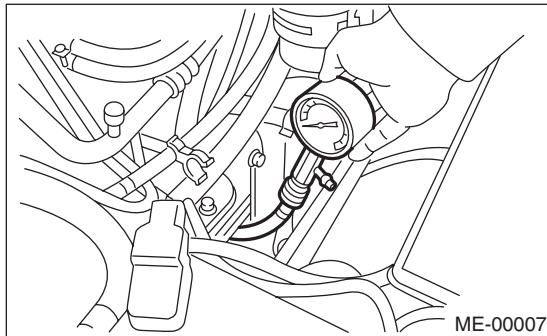
981 — 1,177 kPa (10 — 12 kgf/cm², 142 — 171 psi)

Limit

882 kPa (9.0 kgf/cm², 128 psi)

Difference between cylinders

Less than 49 kPa (0.5 kgf/cm², 7 psi)



3. Idle Speed

A: INSPECTION

1. USING SUBARU SELECT MONITOR

1) Before checking the idle speed, check the following:

(1) Ensure the air cleaner element is free from clogging, ignition timing is correct, spark plugs are in good condition, and that the hoses are connected properly.

(2) Ensure the malfunction indicator light does not illuminate.

2) Warm-up the engine.

3) Stop the engine, and then turn the ignition switch to OFF.

4) Insert the cartridge to Subaru Select Monitor.

5) Connect the Subaru Select Monitor to data link connector.

6) Turn the ignition switch to ON, and Subaru Select Monitor switch to ON.

7) Select the {2. Each System Check} in Main Menu.

8) Select the {Engine Control System} in Selection Menu.

9) Select the {1. Current Data Display & Save} in Engine Control System Diagnosis.

10) Select the {1.12 Data Display} in Data Display Menu.

11) Start the engine, and then read the engine idle speed.

12) Check the idle speed when unloaded. (With headlights, heater fan, rear defroster, radiator fan, air conditioning, etc. OFF)

Idle speed [No load and gears in neutral]:

700±100 rpm

13) Check the idle speed when loaded. (Turn the air conditioning switch to “ON” and operate the compressor for at least 1 minute before measurement.)

Idle speed [A/C “ON”, no load and gears in neutral]:

• ***A/C Refrigerant pressure (LOW)***

MT: 725±100 rpm

AT: 750±100 rpm

• ***A/C Refrigerant pressure (HIGH)***

MT: 800±100 rpm

AT: 825±100 rpm

NOTE:

As idle speed is controlled by the automatic adjustment type, it can not be adjusted manually. If the idle speed is out of specifications, refer to General On-board Diagnosis Table under “Engine Control System”. <Ref. to EN(H4DOTC)-2, Basic Diagnostics Procedure.>

4. Ignition Timing

A: INSPECTION

1. USING SUBARU SELECT MONITOR

- 1) Before checking the ignition timing speed, check the following:
 - (1) Ensure the air cleaner element is free from clogging, spark plugs are in good condition, and that hoses are connected properly.
 - (2) Ensure the malfunction indicator light does not illuminate.
- 2) Warm-up the engine.
- 3) Stop the engine, and then turn the ignition switch to OFF.
- 4) Insert the cartridge to Subaru Select Monitor.
- 5) Connect the Subaru Select Monitor to data link connector.
- 6) Turn the ignition switch to ON, and Subaru Select Monitor switch to ON.
- 7) Select the {2. Each System Check} in Main Menu.
- 8) Select the {Engine Control System} in Selection Menu.
- 9) Select the {1. Current Data Display & Save} in Engine Control System Diagnosis.
- 10) Select the {1.12 Data Display} in Data Display Menu.
- 11) Start the engine and check the ignition timing at idle speed.

Ignition timing [BTDC/rpm]:

2.0 L model

$12^{\circ} \pm 10^{\circ} / 700$

2.5 L model

$17^{\circ} \pm 10^{\circ} / 700$

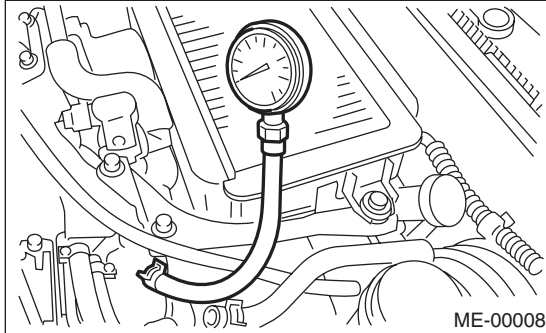
If the timing is not correct, check the ignition control system. Refer to Engine Control System. <Ref. to EN(H4DOTC)-2, Basic Diagnostics Procedure.>

5. Intake Manifold Vacuum

A: INSPECTION

- 1) Warm-up the engine.
- 2) Disconnect the brake vacuum hose, and then install the vacuum gauge to hose fitting on manifold.
- 3) Keep the engine at the idle speed, and then read the vacuum gauge indication.

By observing the gauge needle movement, the internal condition of engine can be diagnosed as described below.



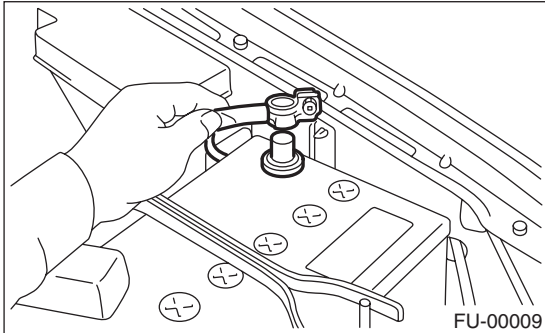
Vacuum pressure (at idling, A/C “OFF”):
Less than –60.0 kPa (–450 mmHg, –17.72 inHg)

Diagnosis of engine condition by measurement of manifold vacuum	
Vacuum gauge indication	Possible engine condition
1. Needle is steady but lower than normal position. This tendency becomes more evident as engine temperature rises.	Leakage around intake manifold gasket or disconnection or damaged vacuum hose
2. When engine speed is reduced slowly from higher speed, needle stops temporarily when it is lowering or becomes steady above normal position.	Back pressure too high, or exhaust system clogged
3. Needle intermittently drops to position lower than normal position.	Leakage around cylinder
4. Needle drops suddenly and intermittently from normal position.	Sticky valves
5. When engine speed is gradually increased, needle begins to vibrate rapidly at certain speed, and then vibration increases as engine speed increases.	Weak or broken valve springs
6. Needle vibrates above and below normal position in narrow range.	Defective ignition system or throttle chamber idle adjustment

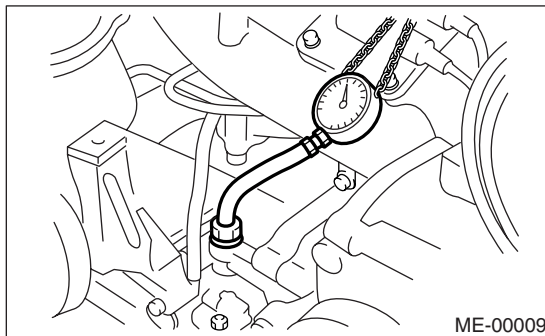
6. Engine Oil Pressure

A: INSPECTION

- 1) Remove the oil pressure switch from engine cylinder block. <Ref. to LU(H4SO)-20, REMOVAL, Oil Pressure Switch.>
- 2) Connect the oil pressure gauge hose to cylinder block.
- 3) Connect the battery ground cable to battery.



- 4) Start the engine, and then measure the oil pressure.



Oil pressure:

98 kPa (1.0 kg/cm², 14 psi) or more at 800 rpm
294 kPa (3.0 kg/cm², 43 psi) or more at 5,000 rpm

- If the oil pressure is out of specification, check oil pump, oil filter and lubrication line. <Ref. to LU(H4SO)-24, INSPECTION, Engine Lubrication System Trouble in General.>
- If the oil pressure warning light is turned ON and oil pressure is in specification, replace the oil pressure switch. <Ref. to LU(H4SO)-24, INSPECTION, Engine Lubrication System Trouble in General.>

NOTE:

The specified data is based on an engine oil temperature of 80°C (176°F).

- 5) After measuring the oil pressure, install the oil pressure switch. <Ref. to LU(H4SO)-20, INSTALLATION, Oil Pressure Switch.>

Tightening torque:

25 N·m (2.5 kgf·m, 18.1 ft·lb)

7. Fuel Pressure

A: INSPECTION

CAUTION:

Before removing the fuel pressure gauge, release the fuel pressure.

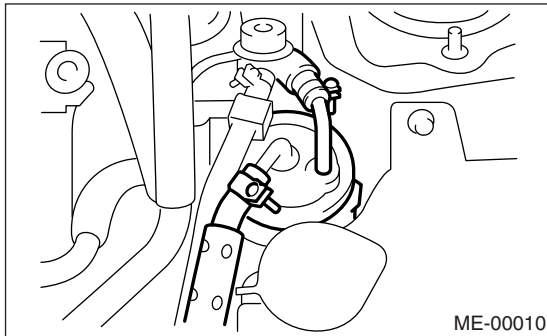
NOTE:

If out of specification, check or replace the pressure regulator and pressure regulator vacuum hose.

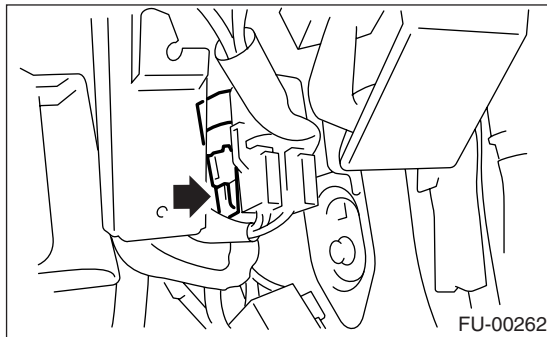
1) Release the fuel pressure. <Ref. to FU(H4DOTC)-54, RELEASING OF FUEL PRESSURE, OPERATION, Fuel.>

2) Open the fuel filler flap lid, and then remove the fuel filler cap.

3) Disconnect the fuel delivery hoses from fuel filter, and then connect the fuel pressure gauge.



4) Connect the connector of fuel pump relay.

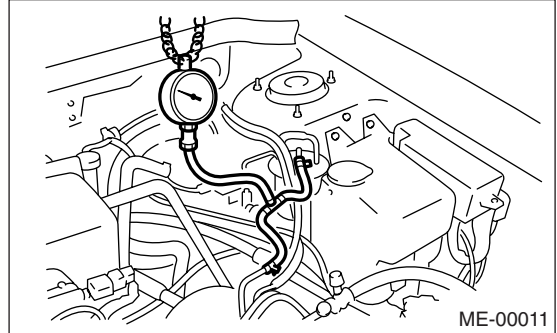


5) Start the engine.

6) Measure the fuel pressure while disconnecting the pressure regulator vacuum hose from intake manifold.

Fuel pressure:

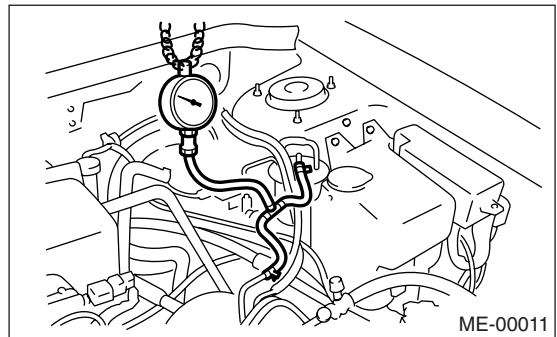
Standard; 284 — 314 kPa (2.9 — 3.2 kgf/cm², 41 — 46 psi)



7) After connecting the pressure regulator vacuum hose, measure the fuel pressure.

Fuel pressure:

Standard; 230 — 260 kPa (2.35 — 2.65 kgf/cm², 33 — 38 psi)



NOTE:

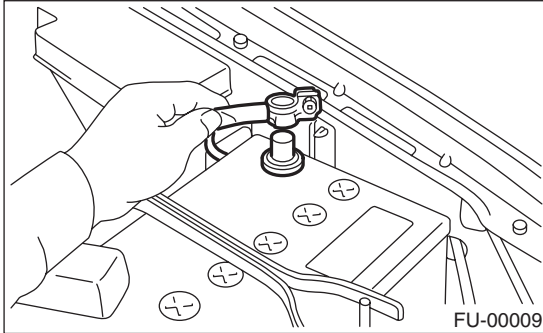
The fuel pressure gauge registers 10 to 20 kPa (0.1 to 0.2 kgf/cm², 1 to 3 psi) higher than standard values during high-altitude operations.

8. Valve Clearance

A: INSPECTION

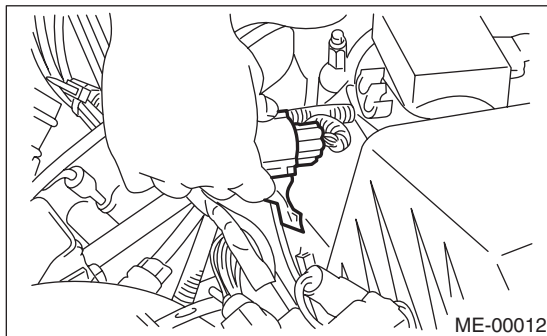
Inspection and adjustment of the valve clearance should be performed while engine is cold.

- 1) Set the vehicle on a lift.
- 2) Disconnect the ground cable from battery.



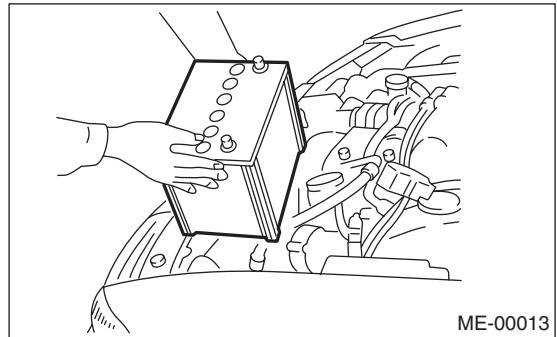
- 3) Remove the air intake duct. <Ref. to IN(H4DOTC)-8, REMOVAL, Air Intake Duct.>
- 4) Remove the bolts which secure the timing belt cover (RH).
- 5) Lift-up the vehicle.
- 6) Remove the under cover.
- 7) Loosen the remaining bolts which secure the timing belt cover (RH), and then remove the timing belt cover.
- 8) Lower the vehicle.
- 9) When inspecting the #1 and #3 cylinders:

- (1) Pull out the engine harness connector with bracket from air cleaner upper cover.

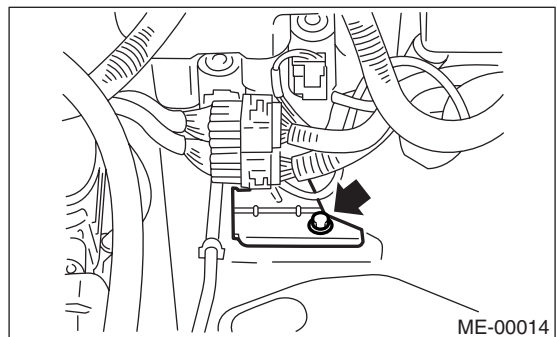


- (2) Remove the air cleaner case. <Ref. to IN(H4DOTC)-7, REMOVAL, Air Cleaner.>
- (3) Disconnect the ignition coil connector.
- (4) Remove the ignition coil.
- (5) Place a suitable container under the vehicle.
- (6) Disconnect the PCV hose from rocker cover (RH).
- (7) Remove the bolts, and then remove the rocker cover (RH).

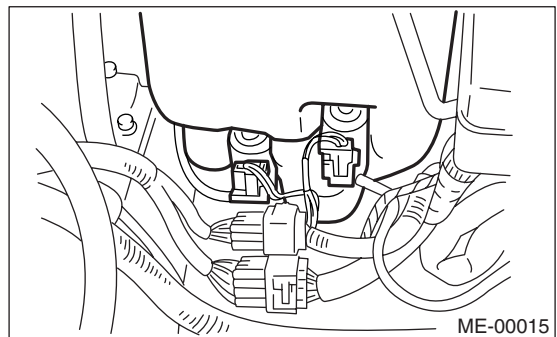
- 10) When inspecting the #2 and #4 cylinders:
 - (1) Disconnect the battery cable, and then remove the battery and battery carrier.



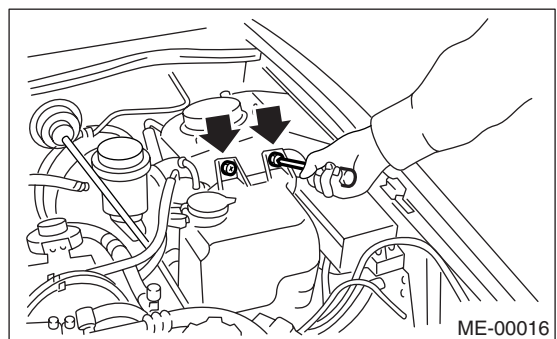
- (2) Remove the bolt which secures the engine harness bracket onto body.



- (3) Disconnect the washer motor connectors.



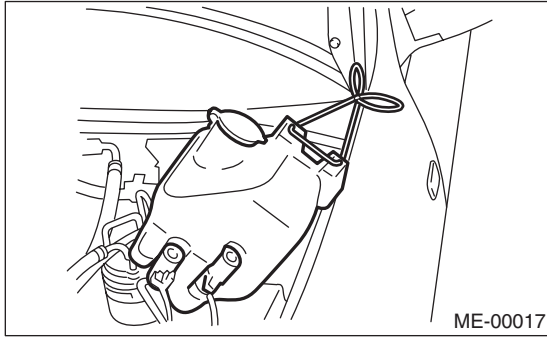
- (4) Remove the washer tank mounting bolts.



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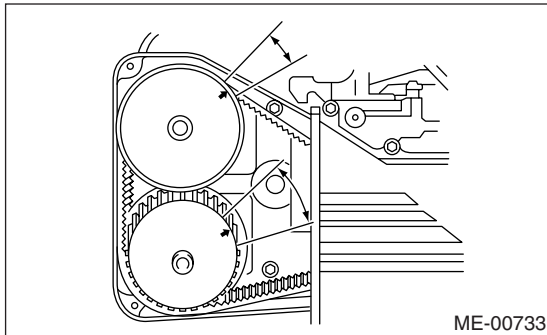
- (5) Move the washer tank upward.



- (6) Disconnect the ignition coil connector.
(7) Remove the ignition coil.
(8) Place a suitable container under the vehicle.
(9) Disconnect the PCV hose from rocker cover (LH).
(10) Remove the bolts, and then remove the rocker cover (LH).
11) Turn the crankshaft pulley clockwise until arrow mark on the camshaft sprocket is set to position shown in the figure.

NOTE:

Turn the crankshaft using socket wrench.



- 12) Measure the #1 cylinder intake valve and #3 cylinder exhaust valve clearance by using thickness gauge (A).

NOTE:

- Insert the thickness gauge in as horizontal a direction as possible with respect to the shim.
- Measure the exhaust valve clearances while lifting-up the vehicle.

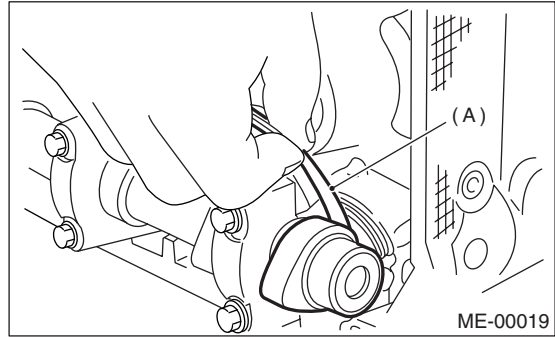
Valve clearance:

Intake: 0.20 ± 0.02 mm (0.0079 ± 0.0008 in)

Exhaust: 0.35 ± 0.02 mm (0.0138 ± 0.0008 in)

NOTE:

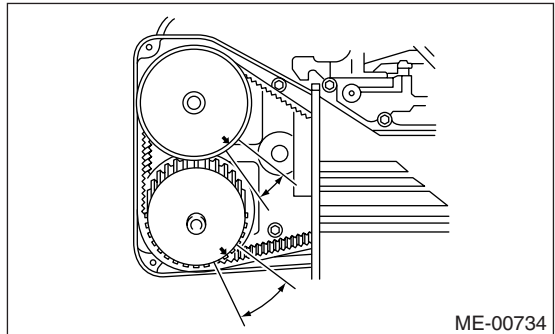
If the measured value is not within specification, take notes of the value in order to adjust the valve clearance later on.



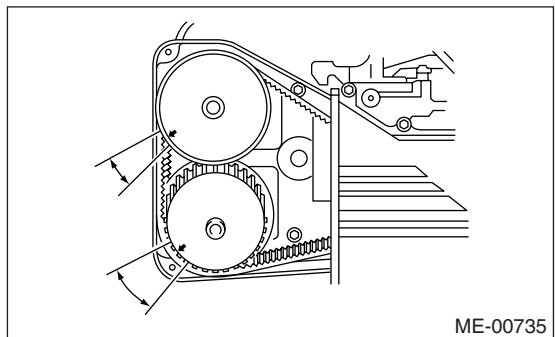
- 13) If necessary, adjust the valve clearance. <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-39, ADJUSTMENT, Valve Clearance.>

- 14) Further turn the crankshaft pulley clockwise. Using the same procedures described previously, and then measure the valve clearances again.

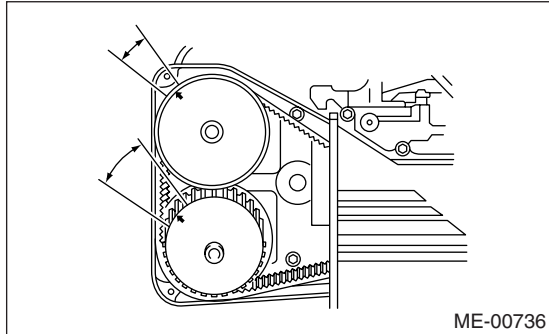
- (1) Set the arrow mark on camshaft sprocket to position shown in the figure, and then measure the #2 cylinder exhaust valve and #3 cylinder intake valve clearances.



- (2) Set the arrow mark on camshaft sprocket to position shown in the figure, and then measure the #2 cylinder intake valve and #4 cylinder exhaust valve clearances.

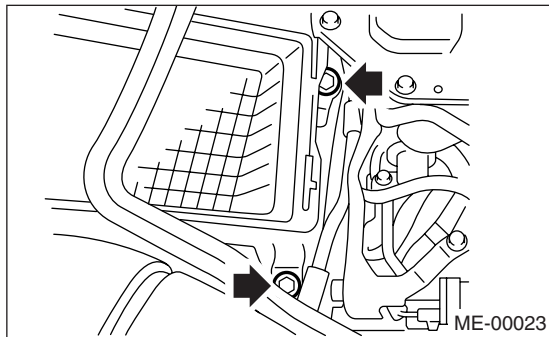


(3) Set the arrow mark on camshaft sprocket to position shown in the figure, and then measure the #1 cylinder exhaust valve and #4 cylinder intake valve clearances.



15) After inspection, install the related parts in the reverse order of removal.

Tightening torque:
33 N·m (3.4 kgf·m, 25 ft·lb)

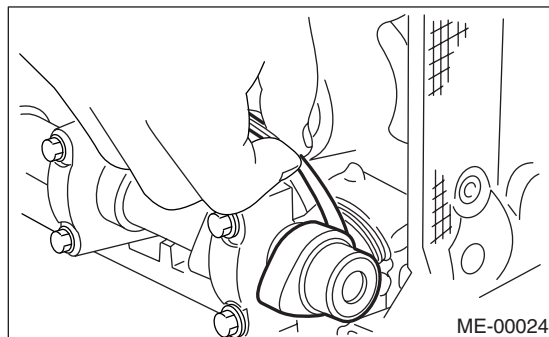


B: ADJUSTMENT

CAUTION:
Adjustment of the valve clearance should be performed while engine is cold.

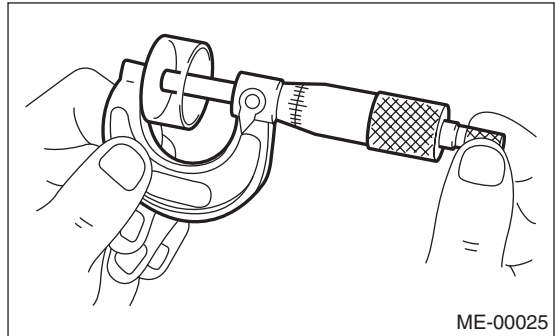
1) Measure all valve clearances. <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-37, INSPECTION, Valve Clearance.>

NOTE:
 Record each valve clearance after it has been measured.



2) Remove the camshaft. <Ref. to ME(H4DOTC)-69, REMOVAL, Camshaft.>
 3) Remove the valve lifter.

4) Measure the thickness of valve lifter with a micrometer.



5) Select a shim of suitable thickness using measured valve clearance and valve lifter thickness, by referring to the following table.

Unit: mm
Intake valve: $S = (V+T) - 0.20$
Exhaust valve: $S = (V+T) - 0.35$
S: Required thickness of valve lifter
V: Measured valve clearance
T: Used valve lifter thickness

Part No.	Thickness mm (in)
13228 AB101	4.68 (0.1843)
13228 AB111	4.69 (0.1846)
13228 AB121	4.70 (0.1850)
13228 AB131	4.71 (0.1854)
13228 AB141	4.72 (0.1858)
13228 AB151	4.73 (0.1862)
13228 AB161	4.74 (0.1866)
13228 AB171	4.75 (0.1870)
13228 AB181	4.76 (0.1874)
13228 AB191	4.77 (0.1878)
13228 AB201	4.78 (0.1882)
13228 AB211	4.79 (0.1886)
13228 AB221	4.80 (0.1890)
13228 AB231	4.81 (0.1894)
13228 AB241	4.82 (0.1898)
13228 AB251	4.83 (0.1902)
13228 AB261	4.84 (0.1906)
13228 AB271	4.85 (0.1909)
13228 AB281	4.86 (0.1913)
13228 AB291	4.87 (0.1917)
13228 AB301	4.88 (0.1921)
13228 AB311	4.89 (0.1925)
13228 AB321	4.90 (0.1929)
13228 AB331	4.91 (0.1933)
13228 AB341	4.92 (0.1937)
13228 AB351	4.93 (0.1941)
13228 AB361	4.94 (0.1945)
13228 AB371	4.95 (0.1949)
13228 AB381	4.96 (0.1953)

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Part No.	Thickness mm (in)
13228 AB391	4.97 (0.1957)
13228 AB401	4.98 (0.1961)
13228 AB411	4.99 (0.1965)
13228 AB421	5.00 (0.1969)
13228 AB431	5.01 (0.1972)
13228 AB441	5.02 (0.1976)
13228 AB451	5.03 (0.1980)
13228 AB461	5.04 (0.1984)
13228 AB471	5.05 (0.1988)
13228 AB481	5.06 (0.1992)
13228 AB491	5.07 (0.1996)
13228 AB501	5.08 (0.2000)
13228 AB511	5.09 (0.2004)
13228 AB521	5.10 (0.2008)
13228 AB531	5.11 (0.2012)
13228 AB541	5.12 (0.2016)
13228 AB551	5.13 (0.2020)
13228 AB561	5.14 (0.2024)
13228 AB571	5.15 (0.2028)
13228 AB581	5.16 (0.2031)
13228 AB591	5.17 (0.2035)
13228 AB601	5.18 (0.2039)
13228 AB611	5.19 (0.2043)
13228 AB621	5.20 (0.2047)
13228 AB631	5.21 (0.2051)
13228 AB641	5.22 (0.2055)
13228 AB651	5.23 (0.2059)
13228 AB661	5.24 (0.2063)
13228 AB671	5.25 (0.2067)
13228 AB681	5.26 (0.2071)
13228 AB691	5.27 (0.2075)
13228 AB701	4.38 (0.1724)
13228 AB711	4.40 (0.1732)
13228 AB721	4.42 (0.1740)
13228 AB731	4.44 (0.1748)
13228 AB741	4.46 (0.1756)
13228 AB751	4.48 (0.1764)
13228 AB761	4.50 (0.1771)
13228 AB771	4.52 (0.1780)
13228 AB781	4.54 (0.1787)
13228 AB791	4.56 (0.1795)
13228 AB801	4.58 (0.1803)
13228 AB811	4.60 (0.1811)
13228 AB821	4.62 (0.1819)
13228 AB831	4.64 (0.1827)
13228 AB841	4.66 (0.1835)
13228 AB851	5.29 (0.2083)
13228 AB861	5.31 (0.2091)
13228 AB871	5.33 (0.2098)
13228 AB881	5.35 (0.2106)
13228 AB891	5.37 (0.2114)

Part No.	Thickness mm (in)
13228 AB901	5.39 (0.2122)
13228 AB911	5.41 (0.2123)
13228 AB921	5.43 (0.2138)
13228 AB931	5.45 (0.2146)
13228 AB941	5.47 (0.2154)
13228 AB951	5.49 (0.2161)
13228 AB961	5.51 (0.2169)
13228 AB971	5.53 (0.2177)
13228 AB981	5.55 (0.2185)
13228 AB991	5.57 (0.2193)
13228 AC001	5.59 (0.2201)
13228 AC011	5.61 (0.2209)
13228 AC021	5.63 (0.2217)
13228 AC031	5.65 (0.2224)

6) Inspect all valves for clearance again at this stage. If the valve clearance is not correct, repeat the procedure over again from the first step.

7) After inspection, install the related parts in the reverse order of removal.