DRIVE BELTS PFP:02117

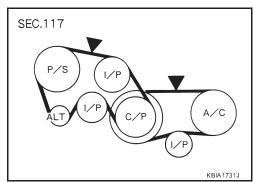
Checking Drive Belts

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WARNING:

Be sure to perform when the engine is stopped.

- 1. Inspect belts for cracks, fraying, wear and oil. If necessary, replace.
- Inspect drive belt deflection or tension at a point on the belt midway between pulleys.
 - Inspection should be done only when engine is cold, or over 30 minutes after engine is stopped.
 - Measure the belt tension with belt tension gauge (commercial service tool: BT3373-F or equivalent) at points marked ▼ shown in the figure.
 - When measuring deflection, apply 98 N (10 kg, 22 lb) at the ▼ marked point.
 - Adjust if belt deflection exceeds the limit or if belt tension is not within specifications.



CAUTION:

- When checking belt deflection or tension immediately after installation, first adjust it to the specified value. Then, after turning the crankshaft two turns or more, re-adjust to the specified value to avoid variation in deflection between pulleys.
- Tighten idler pulley lock nut by hand and measure the deflection or tension without looseness.

Belt deflection and tension

	Deflection adjustment Used belt		Unit: mm (in)	Tension adjustment* ¹ lb)		Unit: N (kg,
			Now holt	Used belt		New belt
	Limit	After adjustment	New belt	Limit	After adjustment	new pell
Alternator and power steering oil pump belt	7 (0.28)	4 - 5 (0.16 - 0.20)	3.5 - 4.5 (0.138 - 0.177)	294 (30, 66)	730 - 818 (74.5 - 83.5, 164 - 184)	838 - 926 (85.5 - 94.5, 188 - 208)
A/C compressor belt	12 (0.47)	9 - 10 (0.35 - 0.39)	8 - 9 (0.31 - 0.35)	196 (20, 44)	348 - 436 (35.5 - 44.5, 78 - 98)	470 - 559 (48 - 57, 106 - 126)
Applied pushing force	98 N (10 kg, 22 lb)			_		

^{*1:} If belt tension gauge cannot be installed at check points shown, check drive belt tension at different location on the belt.

Tension Adjustment

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Portion	Belt tightening method for adjustment		
Alternator and power steering oil pump belt	Adjusting bolt on idler pulley		
A/C compressor belt	Adjusting bolt on idler pulley		

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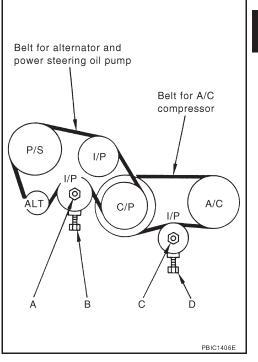
- When belt is replaced with a new one, adjust it to value for "New belt" to accommodate for insufficient adaptability with pulley grooves.
- When deflection or tension of belt being used exceeds "Limit", adjust it to value for "After adjustment".
- When checking belt deflection or tension immediately after installation, first adjust it to the specified value. Then, after turning crankshaft two turns or more, re-adjust to the specified value to avoid variation in deflection between pulleys.
- When installing belt, make sure that it is correctly engaged with pulley groove.
- Keep oil and water away from belt.
- Do not twist or bend belt excessively.

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ALTERNATOR AND POWER STEERING OIL PUMP BELT

- 1. Remove undercover with power tool.
- 2. Loosen idler pulley lock nut (A) and adjust tension by turning adjusting bolt (B).
 - For specified belt tension, refer to <u>EM-14, "Checking Drive</u> <u>Belts"</u>.
- 3. Tighten nut (A).

(3.5 kg-m, 26 ft-lb)



A/C COMPRESSOR BELT

- 1. Remove undercover with power tool.
- 2. Loosen idler pulley lock nut (C) and adjust tension by turning adjusting bolt (D).
 - For specified belt tension, refer to EM-14, "Checking Drive Belts".
- 3. Tighten nut (C).

(3.5 kg-m, 26 ft-lb)

Removal and Installation REMOVAL

- 1. Remove undercover with power tool.
- Remove alternator and power steering oil pump belt. Refer to <u>EM-15, "ALTERNATOR AND POWER</u> STEERING OIL PUMP BELT".
- 3. Remove A/C compressor belt. Refer to EM-15, "A/C COMPRESSOR BELT".

CAUTION:

Grease is applied to idler pulley adjusting bolt. Be careful to keep grease away from belt.

INSTALLATION

1. Install belts to pulley in the reverse order of removal.

CAUTION:

- Make sure belt is correctly engaged with the pulley groove.
- Check for engine oil and engine coolant are not adhered to belt and each pulley groove.
- 2. Adjust belt tension. Refer to EM-14, "Tension Adjustment".
- 3. Tighten each adjusting bolt and nut to the specified torque.
- 4. Make sure that tension of each belt is within the standard.

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