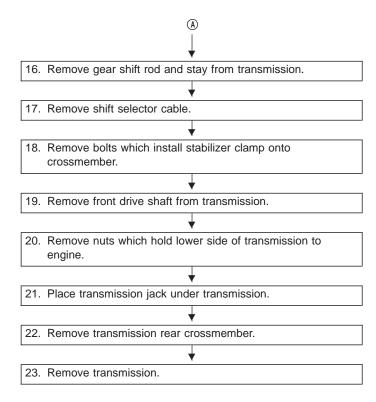
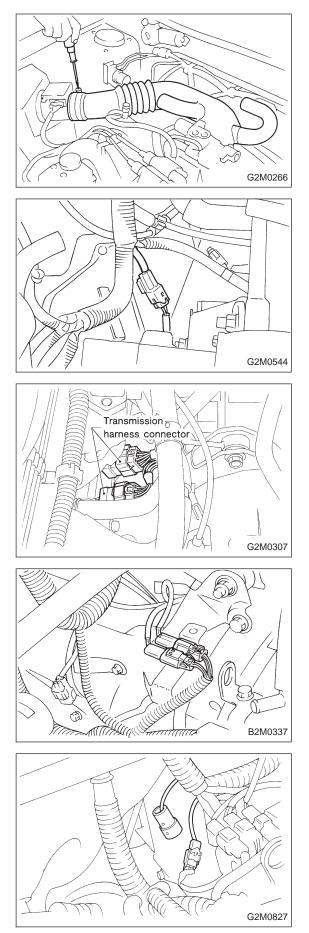
3. Transmission A: REMOVAL

 Open front hood fully, and support it with stay. Disconnect battery ground terminal.
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3. Remove air intake duct.
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4. Disconnect connectors and cables.
5. Remove starter.
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6. Remove pitching stopper.
AT model
 7. Separate torque converter from drive plate. 8. Remove ATF level gauge.
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9. Remove transmission connector bracket.
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10. Set special tools.
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11. Remove bolt which holds right upper side of transmission to engine.
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12. Remove exhaust system.Front exhaust pipeCenter exhaust pipeRear exhaust pipe [AWD]
AT model
 Drain ATF to remove ATF drain plug. Disconnect ATF cooler hose from pipe on transmission side, and remove ATF level gauge guide.
AWD model
15. Remove propeller shaft.
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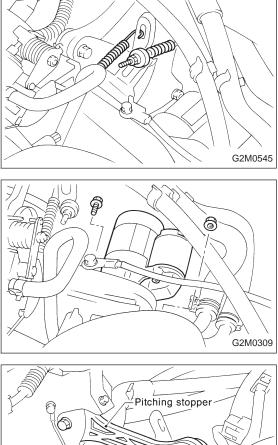
- 1) Open front hood fully, and support with stay.
- 2) Disconnect battery ground terminal.
- 3) Remove air intake duct.

- 4) Disconnect connectors and cables.(1) Disconnect connectors and cables.
 - (1) Disconnect the following connectors.Front oxygen sensor connector

- Transmission harness connector
- Transmission ground terminal

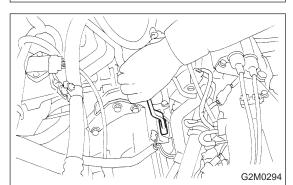
- Neutral position switch connector (MT model)
- Back-up light switch connector (MT model)

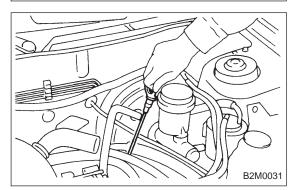
• Vehicle speed sensor 2



- (2) Disconnect the following cables.
 - Clutch release spring (MT model)
 - Clutch cable (MT model)

- 5) Remove starter.
 - (1) Disconnect connectors and terminal from starter.
 - (2) Remove bolt which installs upper side of starter.
 - (3) Remove nut which installs lower side of starter, and remove starter from transmission.
- Pitching stopper Bracket G2M0295
- 6) Remove pitching stopper.





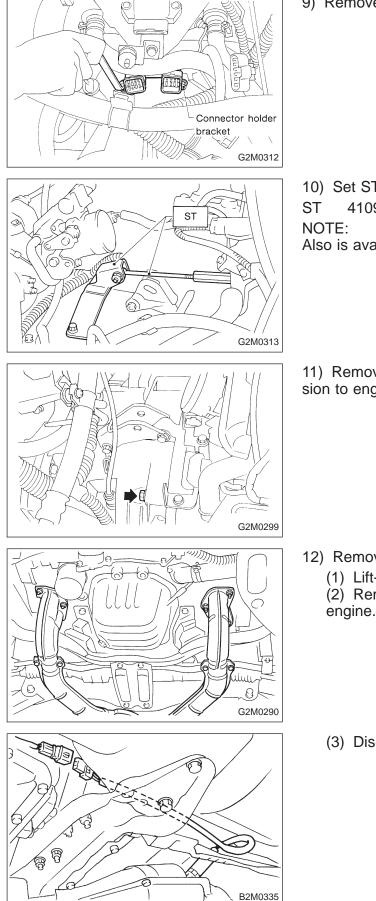
- 7) Separate torque converter from drive plate. (AT model)(1) Remove service hole plug.
 - (2) Remove bolts which hold torque converter to drive plate.
 - (3) While rotating the engine, remove other bolts using ST.
- ST 499977000 CRANK PULLEY WRENCH CAUTION:

Be careful not to drop bolts into torque converter housing.

8) Remove ATF level gauge. (AT model)

CAUTION:

Plug opening to prevent entry of foreign particles into transmission fluid.



9) Remove transmission connector holder bracket.

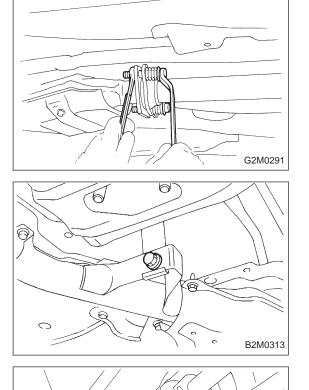
10) Set ST. ST 41099AA020 ENGINE SUPPORT ASSY NOTE: Also is available Part No. 927670000.

11) Remove bolt which holds right upper side of transmission to engine.

- 12) Remove exhaust system.
 - (1) Lift-up the vehicle.

(2) Remove nuts which install front exhaust pipe onto engine.

(3) Disconnect connector from rear oxygen sensor.



(4) Separate center exhaust pipe from rear exhaust pipe.

- (5) Remove bolt which installs center exhaust pipe to hanger bracket.
- (6) Take off front and center exhaust pipes.

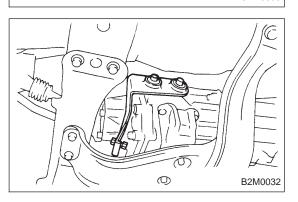
(7) Remove rear exhaust pipe. (AWD model)

CAUTION:

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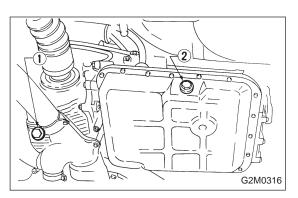
When removing exhaust pipes, be careful each exhaust pipe does not drop out.

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(8) Remove heat shield cover of rear exhaust pipe. (AWD model)

(9) Remove hanger bracket from right side of transmission. (AWD model)



ATF cooler hoses-

- 13) Drain ATF to remove ATF drain plug. (AT model)
- ① Front differential oil drain plug
- ATF drain plug

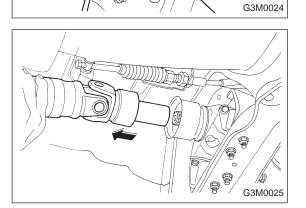
ATF level gauge guide 14) Disconnect ATF cooler hoses from pipes of transmission side, and remove ATF level gauge guide. (AT model)

Matching mark Matching mark G3M0023

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- 15) Remove propeller shaft. (AWD model)
 - (1) Remove front cover of rear differential mount.
 - (2) Separate propeller shaft from rear differential.

(3) Remove bolts which hold center bearing onto body.CAUTION:Be careful not to drop propeller shaft.



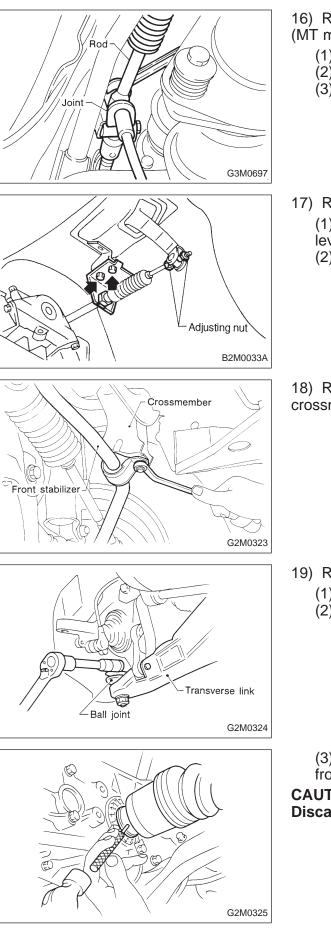
(4) Remove propeller shaft from transmission.

CAUTION:

• Be sure to use an empty container to catch oil flowing out when removing propeller shaft.

• Be sure not to damage oil seals and the frictional surface of sleeve yoke.

• Be sure to plug the opening in transmission after removal of propeller shaft.



16) Remove gear shift rod and stay from transmission. (MT model)

- (1) Remove spring.
- (2) Disconnect stay from transmission.
- (3) Disconnect rod from transmission.
- 17) Remove shift selector cable. (AT model) (1) Disconnect shift selector cable from selector lever.
 - (2) Remove cable bracket from body.

18) Remove bolts which install stabilizer clamps onto crossmember.

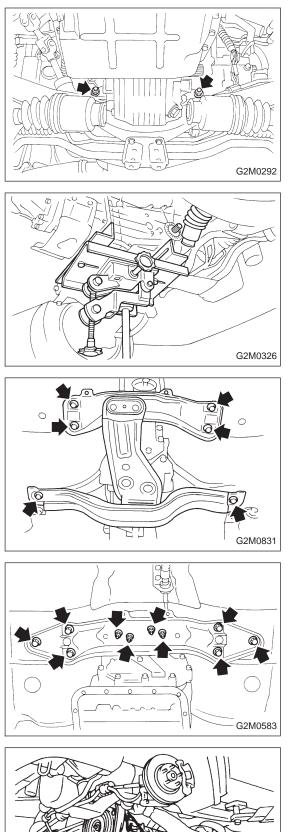
- 19) Remove front drive shafts from transmission.
 - (1) Remove transverse link from housing.
 - (2) Lower transverse link.

(3) Remove spring pins and separate front drive shafts from each side of the transmission.

CAUTION:

Discard removing spring pin. Replace with a new one.

2-11 3. Transmission



20) Remove nuts which hold lower side of transmission to engine.

21) Place transmission jack under transmission. CAUTION:

• Always support transmission case with a transmission jack.

• On AT model, make sure that the support plates of transmission jack don't touch the oil pan.

22) Remove transmission rear crossmember.

• MT model

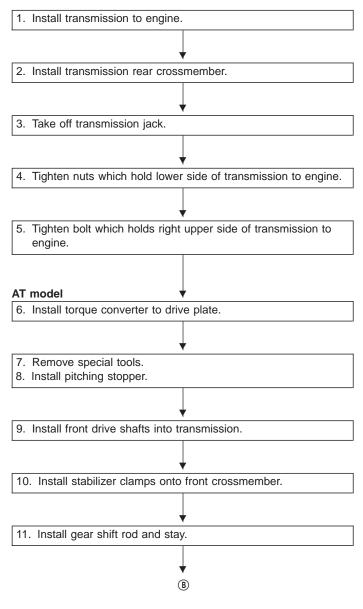
• AT model

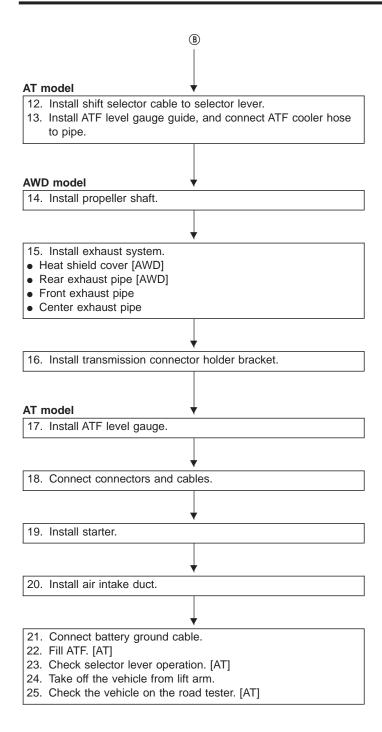
23) Remove transmission. **CAUTION:** • Move transmission jack toward rear until mainshaft

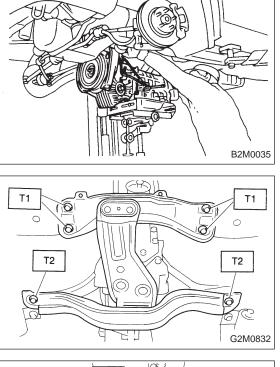
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is withdrawn from clutch cover. (MT model) • Move transmission and torque converter as a unit away from engine. (AT model)

B: INSTALLATION







- 1) Install transmission onto engine.
 - (1) Gradually raise transmission with transmission jack.
 - (2) Engage them at splines.

CAUTION:

Be careful not to strike mainshaft against clutch cover. (MT model)

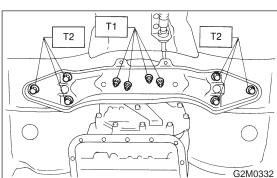
2) Install transmission rear crossmember.

• MT model

Tightening torque:

T1: 69±15 N m (7.0±1.5 kg-m, 51±11 ft-lb)

T2: 137±20 N m (14±2 kg-m, 101±14 ft-lb)



AT model

- Tightening torque:
 - T1: 18±5 N·m (1.8±0.5 kg-m, 13.0±3.6 ft-lb) T2: 69±15 N·m (7.0±1.5 kg-m, 51±11 ft-lb)

3) Take off transmission jack.

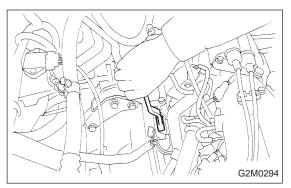
4) Tighten nuts which hold lower side of transmission to engine.

Tightening torque: 50±4 N·m (5.1±0.4 kg-m, 36.9±2.9 ft-lb)

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5) Tighten bolt which holds right upper side of transmission to engine.

Tightening torque: 50±4 № m (5.1±0.4 kg-m, 36.9±2.9 ft-lb)



- 6) Install torque converter to drive plate. (AT model)
 - (1) Tighten bolts which hold torque converter to drive plate.

(2) Tighten other bolts while rotating the engine by using ST.

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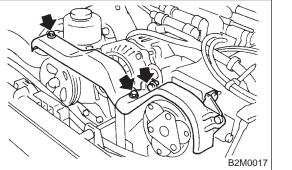
CAUTION:

Be careful not to drop bolts into torque converter housing.

Tightening torque:

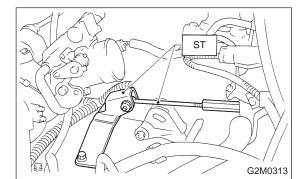
25±2 N m (2.5±0.2 kg-m, 18.1±1.4 ft-lb)

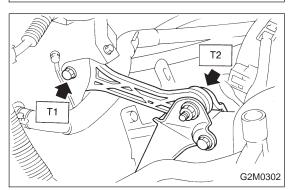
(3) Clog plug onto service hole.



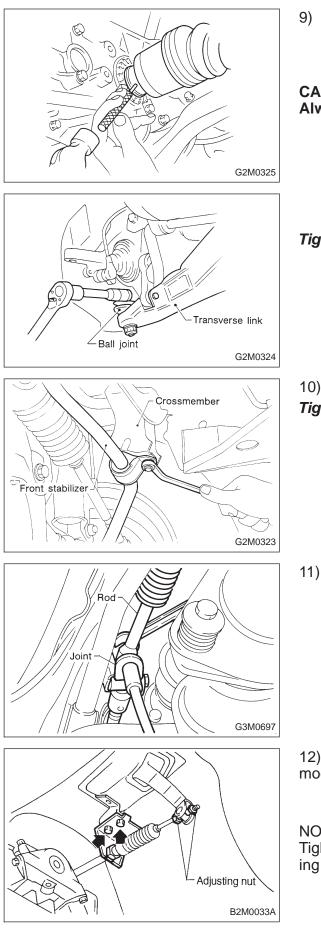
(4) Install V-belt cover.

7) Remove special tools.





8) Install pitching stopper. *Tightening torque:* T1: 49±5 № m (5.0±0.5 kg-m, 36.2±3.6 ft-lb) T2: 57±10 № m (5.8±1.0 kg-m, 42±7 ft-lb)



- 9) Install front drive shafts into transmission.
 - (1) Lift-up the vehicle.
 - (2) Install front drive shaft into transmission.
 - (3) Drive spring pin into chamfered hole of drive shaft.

CAUTION:

Always use a new spring pin.

(4) Install ball joints of lower arm into knuckle arm of housing, and tighten installing bolts.

Tightening torque: 49±10 N·m (5.0±1.0 kg-m, 36±7 ft-lb)

 Install stabilizer clamps onto front crossmember.
 Tightening torque: 25±4 N·m (2.5±0.4 kg-m, 18.1±2.9 ft-lb)

- 11) Install gear shift rod and stay. (MT model)
 - (1) Install gear shift rod onto transmission.
 - (2) Install stay onto transmission.
 - (3) Install spring.

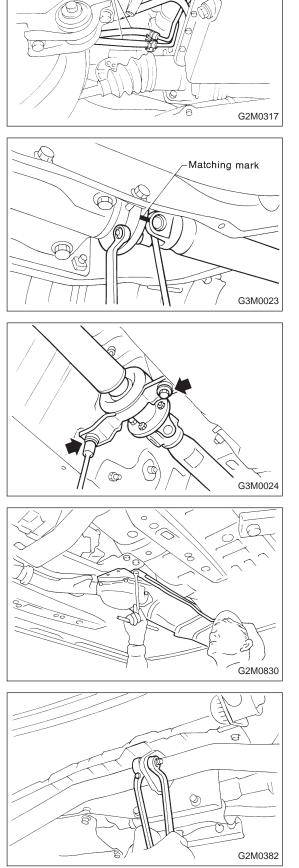
12) Install shift selector cable onto selector lever. (AT model)(1) Install selector cable into selector lever.

(2) Install cable bracket onto body.

NOTE:

Tighten selector cable adjusting and lock nut after checking selector lever operation [step. 24)]. ATF level gauge guide

ATF cooler hoses-a



13) Install ATF level gauge guide, and ATF cooler hoses onto pipe. (AT model)

- 14) Install propeller shaft. (AWD model)
 - (1) Install propeller shaft into transmission.
 - (2) Tighten bolts which install propeller shaft onto companion flange of rear differential.

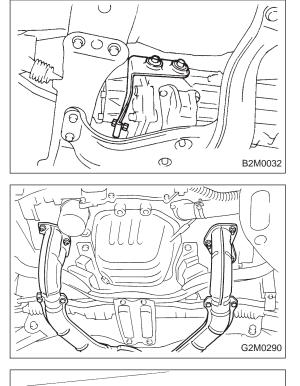
Tightening torque: 31±8 N·m (3.2±0.8 kg-m, 23.1±5.8 ft-lb)

(3) Install center bearing bracket on body.

Tightening torque: 52±5 N·m (5.3±0.5 kg-m, 38.3±3.6 ft-lb)

15) Install exhaust system.(1) Install heat shield cover. (AWD model)

 (2) Install rear exhaust pipe to muffler. (AWD model)
 Tightening torque: 48±9 N·m (4.9±0.9 kg-m, 35.4±6.5 ft-lb)

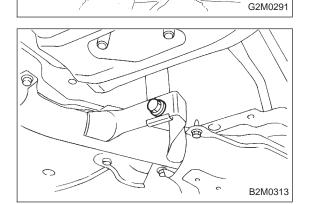


(3) Install hanger bracket on right side of transmission. (AWD model)

(4) Install front exhaust pipe onto engine. Tightening torque: 30±5 Ň m (3.1±0.5 kg-m, 22.4±3.6 ft-lb)

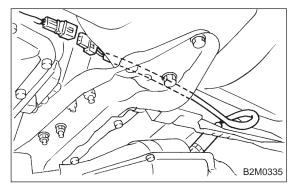
(5) Install center exhaust pipe to rear exhaust pipe. Tightening torque:

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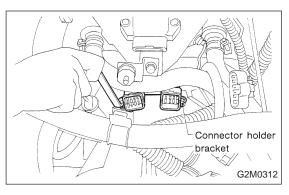


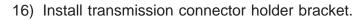
(6) Tighten bolt which installs center exhaust pipe to hanger bracket. Tightening torque:

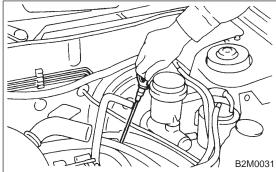
 $30\pm5 \ Nm$ (3.1 $\pm0.5 \ kg-m$, 22.4 $\pm3.6 \ ft-lb$)



(7) Connect connector to rear oxygen sensor.

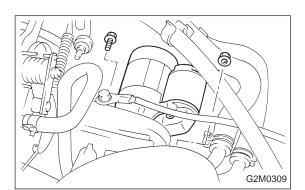






17) Install ATF level gauge. (AT model)

- 18) Connect connectors and cables.
 - (1) Connect the following connectors.
 - Transmission harness connectors
 - Transmission ground terminal
 - Front oxygen sensor connector
 - Vehicle speed sensor 2
 - Neutral position switch connector (MT model)
 - Back-up light switch connector (MT model)
 - (2) Connect the following cables.
 - Cruise control cable
 - (With cruise control model)
 - Clutch cable



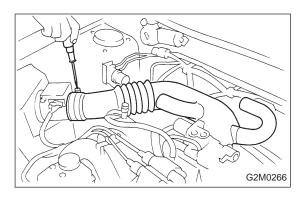
19) Install starter.

(1) Install starter onto transmission case, and connect connectors and terminals.

(2) Tighten bolt and nut which install starter onto transmission.

Tightening torque:

40±4 N m (4.1±0.4 kg-m, 29.7±2.9 ft-lb)



20) Install air intake duct.

- 21) Connect battery ground cable.
- 22) Fill ATF. (AT model)
- <Ref. to 3-2 [W2A1].>
- 23) Check selector lever operation. (AT model)
- <Ref. to 3-3 [W2E0].>
- 24) Take off vehicle from lift arms.
- 25) Check the vehicle on road tester. (AT model)
- <Ref. to 3-2 [W300].>