# **COOLING SYSTEM**

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# OUTLINE

# **COOLANT FLOW CHART**



- 1. Water pump
- 2. Thermostat
- 3. Radiator
- 4. Coolant reservoir
- 5. Oil cooler (only Turbo)

- 6. Cooling fan7. No.1 water thermo switch
- 8. No.2 water thermo switch
- 9. Pressure switch

### SPECIFICATIONS

Item		Engine m	odel	F2		
Cooling system		Water-cooled, forced circulation				
Coolant capacity liters (US qt, Imp qt)		With heater		7.5 (7.9, 6.6)		
		Without heater		7.0 (7.4, 6.2)		
Michael Burger	Туре			Centrifugal, timing belt driven		
Water pump Water seal				Unified seal		
	Туре			Wax, 2-stage		
Theresected	Opening temperature °C(°F)		C(°F)	Sub: 83.5—86.5 (182—188), Main: 86.5—89.5 (188—193)		
Thermostat	Full-open temperature °C(°F)		C(°F)	100 (212)		
	Full-open lift mm (in)		n (in)	Sub: 1.5 (0.06) min., Main: 8.0 (0.31) min.		
Radiator Type Cap valve opening pressure kPa (kg/cm², psi)			Corrugated			
		essure Pa (kg/cm², psi)		74—103 (0.75—1.05, 11—15)		
	Capacity W	Turbo	MTX	80		
Cooling fan			ATX	160		
		Non-Turbo	MTX	80		
			ATX	120		
	Number of blade			4		
	Outer diameter of blade mm (in)		МТХ	320 (12.6)		
			ATX	340 (13.4)		

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# **TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE**

Problem	Possible Cause	Remedy	Page
Overheating	Insufficient coolant Coolant leakage Radiator fins clogged Radiator cap malfunction Cooling fan malfunction Thermostat malfunction Water passage clogged	Add Repair Clean Replace Repair Replace Clean Repair or replace	3-4  3-6 3-5 3-10 3-9 3-4 2-7
Corrosion	Impurities in coolant	Replace	3— 4

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# COOLANT

### INSPECTION Coolant Level (Engine cold)

- 1. Check that the coolant level is near the radiator inlet port.
- 2. Check that the coolant level in the coolant reservoir is between the FULL and LOW marks.

Add coolant if necessary.

#### Warning

- a) Never remove the radiator cap while the engine is hot.
- b) Wrap a thick cloth around the cap when removing it.

#### **Coolant Quality**

- 1. Check that there is no build-up of rust or scales around the radiator cap or radiator filler neck.
- 2. Check that coolant is free from oil.
- 3. Replace the coolant, if necessary.

## **Coolant Leakage**

- 1. Connect a tester and SST to the radiator inlet port.
- 2. Apply 103 kPa (1.05 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 15 psi) pressure to the system.
- 3. Check that the pressure is held. If not, check for coolant leakage.

### Warning

When removing either the radiator cap or the tester, loosen it slowly until the pressure in the radiator is released, and then remove it.

#### REPLACEMENT

- 1. Remove the radiator cap and loosen the drain plug.
- 2. Drain the coolant into a suitable container.

#### Warning

a) Never open the radiator cap while the engine is hot. b) Wrap a thick cloth around the cap when loosening.

c) Use caution when draining hot coolant.



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- 3. Set the heater control switch to the maximum heat position.
- 4. Flush the cooling system with water until all traces of color are gone, then let the system drain completely.
- 5. Fill with the proper mixture and amount of ethylene glycolbased coolant.

# Caution

a) Do not use alcohol- or methanol-based coolant.
b) Use only soft (demineralized) water in the coolant mixture.

# Anti-freeze solution mixture percentage

Destastis	Volume p	Gravity at	
Protection	Solution	Water	20°C (68°F)
Above -16°C (3°F)	35	65	1.054
Above -26°C (-15°F)	45	55	1.066
Above -40°C (-40°F)	55	45	1.078

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- 6. Run the engine at idle with the radiator cap removed. Let any air bleed from the system, and add more coolant.
- 7. Install the radiator cap, and inspect all connections for leakage.

# RADIATOR CAP

#### INSPECTION Radiator Cap Valve

- 1. Remove foreign material (such as water residue) from between the radiator cap valve and the valve seat.
- Attach the radiator cap to a tester with the SST. Apply pressure gradually to 74—103 kPa (0.75—1.05 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>, 11—15 psi).
- 3. Wait about 10 seconds; then check that the pressure has not decreased.

# **Negative Pressure Valve**

- 1. Pull the negative-pressure valve to open it. Check that it closes completely when released.
- 2. Check for damage on the contact surfaces, and for cracked or deformed seal packing.
- 3. Replace the radiator cap if necessary.

# RADIATOR

## **REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION**

- 1. Drain the engine coolant.
- 2. Remove in the sequence shown in the figure.
- 3. Install in the reverse order of removal.

#### Note

- a) Position the hose clamp in the original location on the hose.
- b) Squeeze the clamp lightly with large pliers to ensure a good fit.



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- 1. Coolant reservoir hose
- 2. ATF hose (ATX)
- 3. Water thermo switch connector
- 4. Cooling fan connector



- 5. Upper and lower radiator hose
- 6. Cooling fan and radiator assembly
- 7. Cooling fan
- INSPECTION

Check the following points. Repair or replace if necessary.

- 1. Cracks, damage, or water leakage
- 2. Bent fins (Repair with a screwdriver)
- 3. Distorted or bent radiator inlet.

# WATER PUMP

## REMOVAL

- Disconnect the negative battery cable.
   Turn the crankshaft so that the No. 1 cylinder is at TDC of compression.
- 3. Drain the engine coolant.
- 4. Remove in the sequence shown in the figure.



# **3** WATER PUMP



## INSPECTION

- Check the following. Replace the water pump if necessary.
- 1. Cracks or damage
- 2. Abnormal noise, bearing sticking or looseness.

## INSTALLATION

Install in the reverse order of removal, referring to the installation note.

#### Installation Note Rubber seal

Install the rubber seals on the water pump.

#### Water pump

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- 1. Remove any gasket fragments, dirt, or oil from the contact surfaces.
- 2. Install a new gasket on the water pump.
- 3. Install the water pump.

#### Tightening torque: 19-25 N·m (1.9-2.6 m-kg, 14-19 ft-lb)

#### **Steps After Installation**

- 1. Supply the specified amount and type of coolant.
- 2. Start the engine and check for leakage.



# THERMOSTAT

# REMOVAL

- 1. Drain the engine coolant.
- 2. Remove the thermostat cover.
- 3. Remove the thermostat.

# INSPECTION

- Check the thermostat. Replace if necessary.
- 1. Visually check that the valve is airtight.
- 2. Place the thermostat and a thermometer in water.
- 3. Gradually heat the water and check the following:

## Initial opening temperature

Sub valve : 83.5—86.5°C (182—188°F) Main valve: 86.5—89.5°C (188—193°F) Full-open temperature: 100°C (212°F) Full-open lift

Sub valve : 1.5 mm (0.06 in) min. Main valve: 8.0 mm (0.31 in) min.

# INSTALLATION

- 1. Install the thermostat into the cylinder head with jiggle pin at the top.
- 2. Install a new gasket with the seal print side facing the cylinder head.
- 3. Install the thermostat cover.

## Tightening torque: 19—30 N·m (1.9—3.1 m-kg, 14—22 ft-lb)

- 4. Replenish the coolant.
- 5. Start the engine and check for leaks.

# **3** COOLING FAN

# COOLING FAN

# SYSTEM CIRCUIT



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## **CIRCUIT INSPECTION**

Check the cooling fan operation.

	Operating fan					
Condition		With A/C	Without A/C			
	ATX	MTX				
		Turbo	Non-Turbo	AIX	MIX	
Coolant temp. over 97°C (177°F)	Main (Lo)	Main	Main	Main (Lo)	Main	
Coolant temp. over 108°C (226°F)	Main (Hi)	Main		Main (Hi)		
A/C switch ON	Main (Hi)	Main	Main, Additional			
Pressure switch ON	Main (Hi), Additional	Main, Additional				

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#### **FAN MOTOR Removal and Installation**

1. Remove in the sequence shown in the figure.

2. Install in the reverse order of removal.



- 1. Cooling fan assembly (Refer to page 3-6) 2. Cowling
- 4. Fan motor



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#### Inspection

- 1. Connect an ammeter and battery to the fan motor connectors.
- 2. Check that the fan motor operates smoothly at the specified current.

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#### Current

Turbo	MTX	5.6—7.6	
	ATX	10.6—16.6	
Non-Turbo	MTX	5.6—7.6	
	ATX	8.0—11.0	

3. Replace the fan motor if necessary.

#### WATER THERMO SWITCH

1. Remove the cooling fan water thermo switch.

#### Note

Make sure that the ignition switch is OFF. If not, the fan will operate when the connector is removed.

- 2. Place the water thermo switch in water.
- 3. Heat the water gradually, and check for continuity of the switch with an ohmmeter. Replace if necessary.

No.1 water thermo switch: over 97°C (207°F) ON  $\rightarrow$  OFF No.2 water thermo switch: over 108°C (226°F) OFF  $\rightarrow$  ON

4. Install the water thermo switch and a new O-ring.

#### Caution

Do not use sealing tape.