17. Starter System

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Service Information

General Safety

The starter motor can be maintained without removing the engine from the vehicle.

Specifications

Unit: mm(in)

Item	Standard value	Service limit
Starter motor brush length	-	6.5mm (0.255)
Starter motor brush spring tension	-	680g

Troubleshooting

Starter motor will not turn

Battery discharged Faulty ignition switch Faulty starter switch Faulty starter magnetic switch Loosen or disconnected wire or cable

Starter motor turns engine slowly

Low specific gravity Excessive resistance in circuit Binding in starter motor

Starter motor turns, but engine does not turn

Faulty starter clutch Faulty starter motor gears Faulty starter motor or idle gear

Starter motor and engine turns, but engine does not start

Faulty ignition system Engine problems

Starter Motor

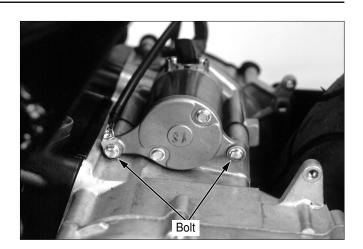
Removal

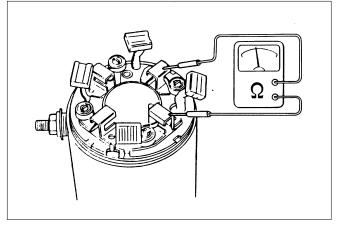
- Remove the luggage box. (4-5)
- Remove the body cover (4-6)

Remove the starter motor cable from the motor. Unfasten the 2 starter motor mounting bolts, and remove the starter motor.

NOTE

Turn off the main switch prior to servicing the starter motor. If power is connected, the starter motor may be activated and damaged.

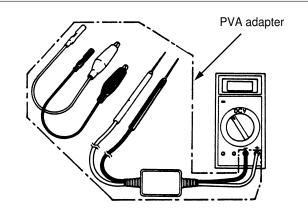




Inspection

Check the starter motor terminal with a tester to determine if power is connected.

Tester: PVA multi-tester



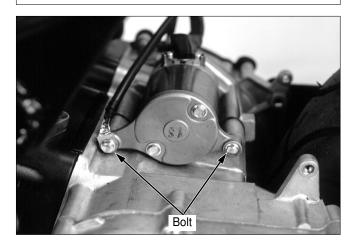
Installation

Install a new O-ring and apply oil. Insert the starter motor, and tighten the 2 bolts completely.

NOTE

Accurately connect the earth terminal to the starter motor mounting bolts.

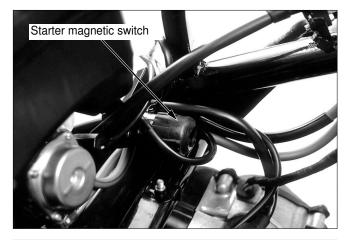
Assemble the luggage box and body cover.

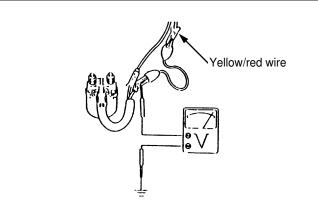


Starter Magnetic Switch

Inspection

Turn on the main switch, and press the starter button. If the starter magnet switch generates operation signal tone at this time, it indicates satisfactory condition.





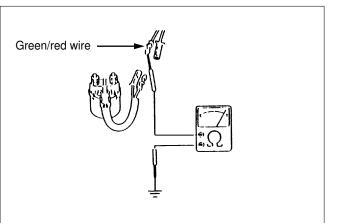
Voltage Check

Measure the voltage between the yellow/red wire (+) of the starter magnetic switch and the vehicle earth.

Turn main switch on and press the starter switch. If there is battery voltage displayed, it indicates operation condition is satisfactory.

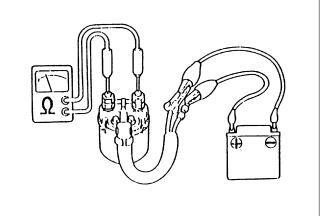
Earth Circuit Inspection

Disconnect the green/yellow wire connector of the starter magnetic switch. If power is connected between the harness terminal and the vehicle earth, it indicates satisfactory condition.



Operation Inspection

Disconnect the magnetic switch wire connector. If power is connected between terminals, as shown in the figure, when the yellow/red wire is connected to the positive (+) battery terminal and the green/yellow wire to the negative (-) battery terminal, it indicates the switch is functioning satisfactorily.



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