

# 2015 TITAN OWNER'S MANUAL

For your safety, read carefully and keep in this vehicle.

# Owner's Manual Supplement

The information contained within this supplement replaces and revises the following information in the 2015 Titan Owner's Manual:

- Front passenger air bag and status light in the "Safety-Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of the Owner's Manual
- Towing your vehicle in the "In case of emergency" section of the Owner's Manual

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#### Front passenger air bag and status light

#### **AWARNING**

The front passenger air bag is designed to automatically turn OFF under some conditions. Read this section carefully to learn how it operates. Proper use of the seat, seat belt and child restraints is necessary for most effective protection. Failure to follow all instructions in this manual concerning the use of seats, seat belts and child restraints can increase the risk or severity of injury in an accident.

#### Status light

The right front passenger air bag status light is located under the climate controls. After the ignition switch is placed in the "ON" position, the front passenger air bag status light on the instrument panel illuminates for about 7 seconds and then turns off or operates depending on the front passenger seat occupied status. The light operates as follows:

- Unoccupied passenger's seat: The light is OFF and the front passenger air bag is OFF and will not inflate in a crash.
- Passenger's seat occupied by a small adult, child or child restraint as outlined in this section: The illuminates to indicate that the front passenger air bag is OFF and will not inflate in a crash.
- Occupied passenger seat and the passenger meets the conditions outlined in this section: The light is OFF to indicate that the front passenger air bag is operational.

#### Front passenger air bag

The right front passenger air bag is designed to automatically turn OFF when the vehicle is operated under some conditions as described below in accordance with U.S. regulations. If the front passenger air bag is OFF it will not inflate in a crash. The driver air bag and other air bags in your vehicle are not part of this system.

The purpose of the regulation is to help reduce the risk of injury or death from an inflating air bag to certain front passenger seat occupants, such as children, by requiring the air bag to be automatically turned OFF. Certain sensors are used to meet the requirements.

One sensor used is the occupant classification sensor (weight sensor). It is in the bottom of the right front passenger seat cushion and is designed to detect an occupant and objects on the right front seat by weight. It works together with seat belt sensors described in this section. For example, if a child is in the right front passenger seat, the Advanced Air Bag System is designed to turn the passenger air bag OFF in accordance with the regulations. Also, if a child restraint of the type specified in the regulations is on the seat, its weight and the child's weight can be detected and cause the air bag to turn OFF. Occupant classification sensor operation can vary depending on the right front passenger seat belt sensors.

The front passenger seat belt sensors are designed to detect if the seat belt is buckled and the amount of tension on the seat belt, such as when it is in the Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) mode (child restraint mode). Based on the weight on the seat detected by the occupant

classification sensor and the belt tension detected on the seat belt, the Advanced Air Bag System determines whether the front passenger air bag should be automatically turned OFF, as required by the regulations.

Front passenger seat adult occupants who are properly seated and using the seat belt as outlined in this manual should not cause the passenger air bag to be automatically turned OFF. For small adults it may be turned OFF; however, if the occupant takes his/her weight off the seat cushion (for example, by not sitting upright, by sitting on an edge of the seat, or by otherwise being out of position), this could cause the sensor to turn the air bag OFF. In addition, if the occupant improperly uses the seat belt in the ALR mode (child restraint mode), this could cause the air bag to be turned OFF. Always be sure to be seated and wearing the seat belt properly for the most effective protection by the seat belt and supplemental air bag.

NISSAN recommends that pre-teens and children be properly restrained in a rear seat. NISSAN also recommends that appropriate child restraints and booster seats be properly installed in a rear seat. If this is not possible, the occupant classification sensor and seat belt sensors are designed to operate as described above to turn the front passenger air bag OFF for specified child restraints as required by the regulations.

Failing to properly secure child restraints and to use the ALR mode (child restraint mode) may allow the restraint to tip or move in a collision or sudden stop. This can also result in the passenger air bag inflating in a crash instead of being OFF. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section for proper use and installation.

If the right front passenger seat is not occupied the passenger air bag is designed not to inflate in a crash. However, heavy objects placed on the seat could result in air bag inflation, because of the object's weight detected by the occupant classification sensor. Other conditions could also result in air bag inflation, such as if a child is standing on the seat, or if two children are on the seat, contrary to the instructions in this manual. Always be sure that you and all vehicle occupants are seated and restrained properly.

Using the passenger air bag status light, you can monitor when the front passenger air bag is automatically turned OFF with the seat occupied. The light will not illuminate when the right front passenger seat is unoccupied.

If an adult occupant is in the seat but the passenger air bag status light is illuminated (indicating that the air bag is OFF), it could be that the person is a small adult, or is not sitting on the seat properly or not using the seat belt properly.

If a child restraint must be used in the front seat, the passenger air bag status light may or may not be illuminated, depending on the size of the child and the type of child restraint being used. If the air bag status light is not illuminated (indicating that the air bag might inflate in a crash), it could be that the child restraint or seat belt is not being used properly. Make sure that the child restraint is installed properly, the seat belt is used properly and the occupant is positioned properly. If the air bag status light is not illuminated, reposition the occupant or child restraint in a rear seat.

If the passenger air bag status light will not illuminate even though you believe that the child restraint, the seat belts and the occupant are properly positioned, the system may be sensing an unoccupied seat (in which case the air bag is OFF). Your NISSAN dealer can check that the system is OFF by using a special tool. However, until you have confirmed with your dealer that your air bag is working properly, reposition the occupant or child restraint in a rear seat.

The air bag system and passenger air bag status light will take a few seconds to register a change in the passenger seat status. For example, if a large adult who is sitting in the front passenger seat exits the vehicle, the passenger air bag status light will go from OFF to ON for a few seconds and then to OFF. This is normal system operation and does not indicate a malfunction.

If a malfunction occurs in the front passenger air bag system, the supplemental air bag warning light \*, located in the meter and gauges area on the driver's side of the instrument panel, will blink. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

Other supplemental front-impact air bag precautions

#### **AWARNING**

- Do not place any objects on the steering wheel pad or on the instrument panel.
   Also, do not place any objects between any occupant and the steering wheel or instrument panel. Such objects may become dangerous projectiles and cause injury if the front air bags inflate.
- Immediately after inflation, several front air bag system components will be hot. Do not touch them; you may severely burn yourself.
- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the supplemental air bag system. This is to prevent accidental inflation of the supplemental air bag or damage to the supplemental air bag system.

- Do not make unauthorized changes to your vehicle's electrical system, suspension system or front end structure. This could affect proper operation of the front air bag system.
- If your vehicle has front recovery hooks as original factory equipment do not remove or modify them. If it was not equipped with front recovery hooks do not install them. Either action could affect proper operation of the front airbag system resulting in injury or death.
- Tampering with the front air bag system may result in serious personal injury.
   Tampering includes changes to the steering wheel and the instrument panel assembly by placing material over the steering wheel pad and above the instrument panel or by installing additional trim material around the air bag system.
- Modifying or tampering with the front passenger seat may result in serious personal injury. For example, do not change the front seats by placing material on the seat cushion or by installing additional trim material, such as seat covers, on the seat that are not specifically designed to assure proper air bag operation. Additionally, do not stow any objects under the front passenger seat or the seat cushion and seatback. Such objects may interfere with the proper operation of the occupant classification sensor (pressure sensor).
- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the seat belt system. This may affect the front air bag system. Tampering with the seat belt system may result in serious personal injury.

#### **TOWING YOUR VEHICLE**

- Work on and around the front air bag system should be done by a NISSAN dealer. Installation of electrical equipment should also be done by a NISSAN dealer. The Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) wiring should not be modified or disconnected. Unauthorized electrical test equipment and probing devices should not be used on the air bag system.
- A cracked windshield should be replaced immediately by a qualified repair facility. A cracked windshield could affect the function of the supplemental air bag system.

# \*The SRS wiring harness connectors are yellow and orange for easy identification.

When selling your vehicle, we request that you inform the buyer about the front air bag system and guide the buyer to the appropriate sections in this Owner's Manual.

When towing your vehicle, all jurisdictional and local regulations for towing must be followed. Incorrect towing equipment could damage your vehicle. Towing instructions are available from a NISSAN dealer. Local service operators are generally familiar with the applicable laws and procedures for towing. To assure proper towing and to prevent accidental damage to your vehicle, NISSAN recommends having a service operator tow your vehicle. It is advisable to have the service operator carefully read the following precautions:

#### **AWARNING**

- Never ride in a vehicle that is being towed.
- Never get under your vehicle after it has been lifted by a tow truck.
- If your vehicle has front recovery hooks as original factory equipment do not remove or modify them. If it was not equipped with front recovery hooks do not install them. Either action could affect proper operation of the front airbag system resulting in injury or death.

### **A** CAUTION

- When towing, make sure that the transmission, axles, steering system and powertrain are in working condition. If any of these conditions apply, dollies or a flatbed tow truck must be used.
- Always attach safety chains before towing.

For additional information about towing your vehicle behind a recreational vehicle (RV), refer to "Flat towing" in the "Technical and Consumer Information" section of this manual.

#### **FOREWORD**

#### **READ FIRST—THEN DRIVE SAFELY**

Welcome to the growing family of new NISSAN owners. This vehicle is delivered to you with confidence. It was produced using the latest techniques and strict quality control.

This manual was prepared to help you understand the operation and maintenance of your vehicle so that you may enjoy many miles (kilometers) of driving pleasure. Please read through this manual before operating your vehicle.

A separate Warranty Information Booklet explains details about the warranties covering your vehicle. The "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide" explains details about maintaining and servicing your vehicle. Additionally, a separate Customer Care/Lemon Law Booklet (U.S. only) will explain how to resolve any concerns you may have with your vehicle, and clarify your rights under your state's lemon law.

Your NISSAN dealership knows your vehicle best. When you require any service or have any questions, they will be glad to assist you with the extensive resources available to them.

In addition to factory-installed options, your vehicle may also be equipped with additional accessories installed by NISSAN or by your NISSAN dealer prior to delivery. It is important that you familiarize yourself with all disclosures, warnings, cautions and instructions concerning

proper use of such accessories prior to operating the vehicle and/or accessory. See a NISSAN dealer for details concerning the particular accessories with which your vehicle is equipped. Before driving your vehicle, please read this Owner's Manual carefully. This will ensure familiarity with controls and maintenance requirements assisting you in the safe operation of your vehicle.

#### **AWARNING**

#### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION RE-MINDERS FOR SAFETY!

Follow these important driving rules to help ensure a safe and comfortable trip for you and your passengers!

- NEVER drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- ALWAYS observe posted speed limits and never drive too fast for conditions.
- ALWAYS give your full attention to driving and avoid using vehicle features or taking other actions that could distract you.
- ALWAYS use your seat belts and appropriate child restraint systems. Pre-teen children should be seated in the rear seat.
- ALWAYS provide information about the proper use of vehicle safety features to all occupants of the vehicle.
- ALWAYS review this Owner's Manual for important safety information.

For descriptions specified for 4-wheel drive models, a \*\* mark is placed at the begin-

ning of the applicable sections/items.

As with other vehicles with features for off-road use, failure to operate 4-wheel drive models correctly may result in loss of control or a collision. For additional information, refer to "Driving safety precautions" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

#### ON-PAVEMENT AND OFF-ROAD DRIV-ING

This vehicle will handle and maneuver differently from an ordinary passenger car because it has a higher center of gravity for off-road use. As with other vehicles with features of this type, failure to operate this vehicle correctly may result in loss of control or an accident.

For additional information, refer to "Onpavement and off-road driving precautions," "Avoiding collision and rollover" and "Driving safety precautions" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

#### MODIFICATION OF YOUR VEHICLE

This vehicle should not be modified. Modification could affect its performance, safety or durability and may even violate governmental regulations. In addition, damage or performance problems resulting from modifications may not be covered under NISSAN warranties.

#### WHEN READING THE MANUAL

This manual includes information for all features and equipment available on this model. Features and equipment in your vehicle may vary depending on model, trim level, options selected, order, date of production, region or availability. Therefore, you may find information about features or equipment that are not included or installed on your vehicle.

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# IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THIS MANUAL

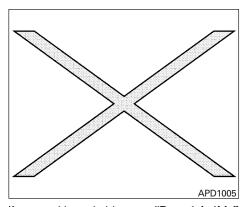
You will see various symbols in this manual. They are used in the following ways:

#### **AWARNING**

This is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that could cause death or serious personal injury. To avoid or reduce the risk, the procedures must be followed precisely.

## **A** CAUTION

This is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that could cause minor or moderate personal injury or damage to your vehicle. To avoid or reduce the risk, the procedures must be followed carefully.



If you see this symbol, it means "Do not do this" or "Do not let this happen."





If you see a symbol similar to these in an illustration, it means the arrow points to the front of the vehicle.









Arrows in an illustration that are similar to these indicate movement or action.









Arrows in an illustration that are similar to these call attention to an item in the illustration

# CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 WARNING

#### **AWARNING**

Engine exhaust, some of its constituents, and certain vehicle components contain or emit chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. In addition, certain fluids contained in vehicles and certain products of component wear contain or emit chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

# CALIFORNIA PERCHLORATE ADVISORY

Some vehicle parts, such as lithium batteries, may contain perchlorate material. The following advisory is provided: "Perchlorate Material – special handling may apply, See www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate/".

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# NISSAN CUSTOMER CARE PROGRAM

#### **NISSAN CARES...**

Both NISSAN and your NISSAN dealer are dedicated to serving all your automotive needs. Your satisfaction with your vehicle and your NISSAN dealer are our primary concerns. Your NISSAN dealer is always available to assist you with all your automobile sales and service needs.

However, if there is something that your NISSAN dealer cannot assist you with or you would like to provide NISSAN directly with comments or questions, please contact the NISSAN Consumer Affairs Department using our toll-free number:

For U.S. customers 1-800-NISSAN-1 (1-800-647-7261)

For Canadian customers 1-800-387-0122

The Consumer Affairs Department will ask for the following information:

- Your name, address, and telephone number
- Vehicle identification number (attached to the top of the instrument panel on the driver's side)
- Date of purchase
- Current odometer reading
- Your NISSAN dealer's name
- Your comments or questions

OR

You can write to NISSAN with the information at:

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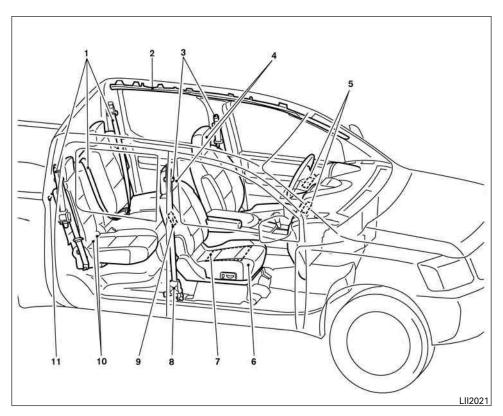
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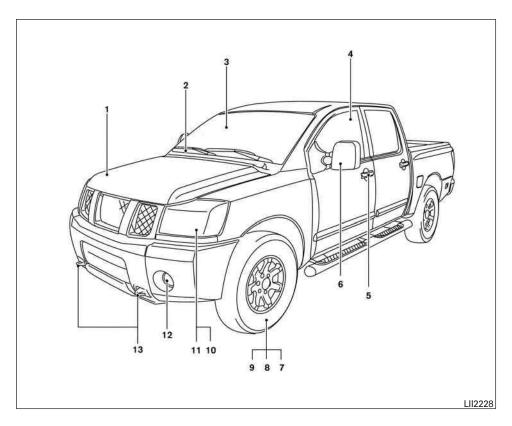
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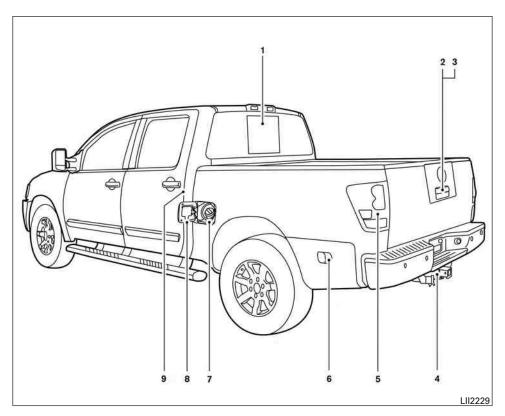
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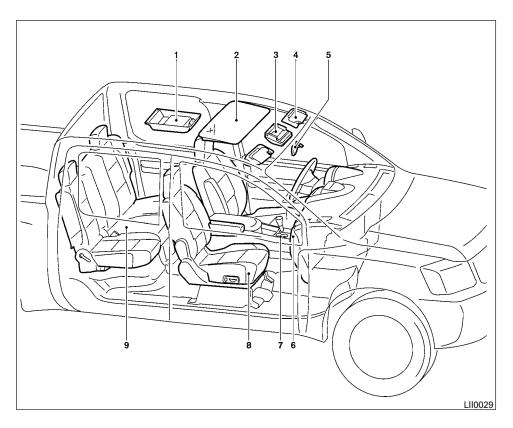
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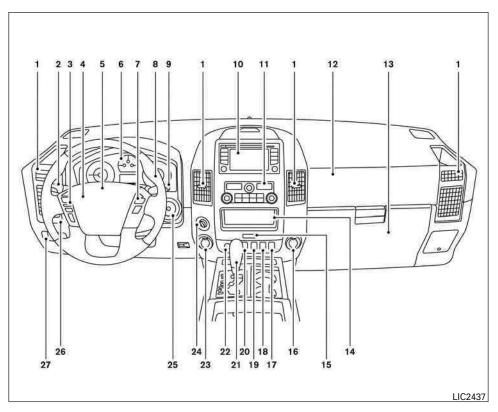
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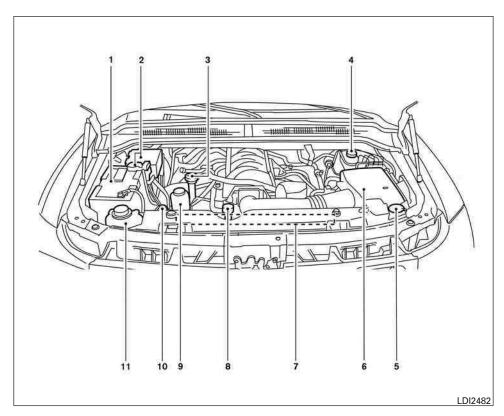


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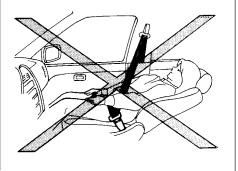
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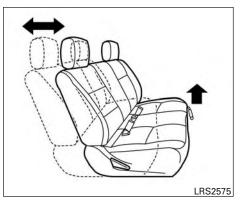
## **AWARNING**

- Do not ride in a moving vehicle when the seatback is reclined. This can be dangerous. The shoulder belt will not be against your body. In an accident, you could be thrown into it and receive neck or other serious injuries. You could also slide under the lap belt and receive serious internal injuries.
- For the most effective protection when the vehicle is in motion, the seat should be upright. Always sit well back in the seat with both feet on the floor and adjust the seat properly. For additional information, refer to "Precautions on seat belt usage" in this section.
- After adjustment, gently rock in the seat to make sure it is securely locked.
- Do not leave children unattended inside the vehicle. They could unknowingly activate switches or controls. Unattended children could become involved in serious accidents.

- Do not adjust the driver's seat while driving so full attention may be given to vehicle operation. The seat may move suddenly and could cause loss of control of the vehicle.
- The seatback should not be reclined any more than needed for comfort. Seat belts are most effective when the passenger sits well back and straight up in the seat. If the seatback is reclined, the risk of sliding under the lap belt and being injured is increased.

## **A** CAUTION

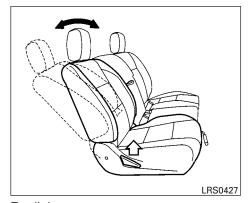
When adjusting the seat positions, be sure not to contact any moving parts to avoid possible injuries and/or damage.



FRONT MANUAL BENCH SEAT ADJUSTMENT (if so equipped)

#### Forward and backward

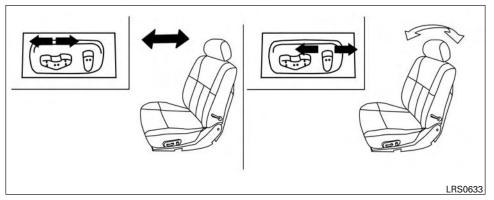
Pull the lever up and hold it while you slide the seat forward or backward to the desired position. Release the lever to lock the seat in position.



# Reclining

To recline the seatback, pull the lever up and lean back. To bring the seatback forward, pull the lever up and lean your body forward. Release the lever to lock the seatback in position.

The reclining feature allows adjustment of the seatback for occupants of different sizes for added comfort and to help obtain proper seat belt fit. For additional information, refer to "Precautions on seat belt usage" in this section. Also, the seatback can be reclined to allow occupants to rest when the vehicle is stopped and the shift lever is in P (Park).



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# FRONT POWER SEAT ADJUSTMENT (if so equipped)

## Operating tips

- The power seat motor has an auto-reset overload protection circuit. If the motor stops during operation, wait 30 seconds then reactivate the switch.
- Do not operate the power seat switch for a long period of time when the engine is off. This will discharge the battery.

For additional information, refer to "Automatic drive positioner" in the "Pre-driving checks and

adjustments" section of this manual for automatic drive positioner operation.

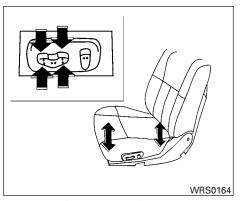
## Forward and backward

Moving the switch forward or backward will slide the seat forward or backward to the desired position.

## Reclining

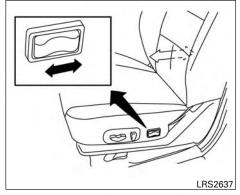
Move the recline switch backward until the desired angle is obtained. To bring the seatback forward again, move the switch forward and move your body forward. The seatback will move forward.

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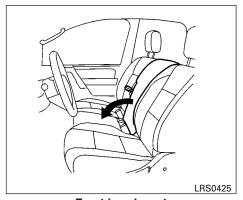
Seat lifter (driver's seat)

Push the front or rear end of the switch up or down to adjust the angle and height of the seat cushion.



Lumbar support (driver's seat)

The lumbar support feature provides adjustable lower back support to the driver. Push the switch forward or backward to adjust the seatback lumbar area.



Front bench seat ARMRESTS (if so equipped)

To use the center armrest on the bench seats, pull on the tab in the center of the seat and fold it down to the resting position.



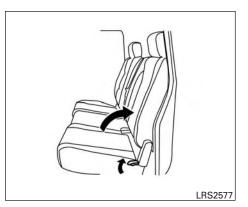
Rear bench seat

#### FLEXIBLE SEATING

### **WARNING**

- Never allow anyone to ride in the cargo area or on the rear seats when they are in the fold-down position. In a collision, people riding in these areas without proper restraints are more likely to be seriously injured or killed.
- Do not allow people to ride in any area of your vehicle that is not equipped with seats and seat belts. Be sure everyone in your vehicle is in a seat and using a seat belt properly.
- Do not allow more than one person to use the same seat belt.
- Do not fold down the rear seats when occupants are in the rear seat area or any luggage is on the rear seats.
  - Make sure that the seat path is clear before moving the seat.
  - Be careful not to allow hands or feet to get caught or pinched in the seat.

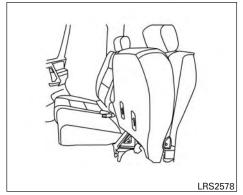
- Head restraints/headrests should be adjusted properly as they may provide significant protection against injury in an accident. Always replace and adjust them properly if they have been removed for any reason.
- If the head restraints/headrests are removed for any reason, they should be securely stored to prevent them from causing injury to passengers or damage to the vehicle in case of sudden braking or an accident.
- When returning the seatbacks to the upright position, be certain they are completely secured in the latched position. If they are not completely secured, passengers may be injured in an accident or sudden stop.
- Properly secure all cargo to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. Do not place cargo higher than the seatbacks.
   In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.



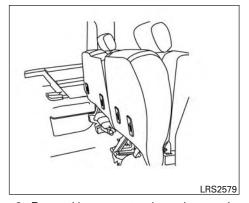
Folding the rear bench seat up

To fold the rear bench seat up for storage capacity behind the front seats or to remove the jacking tools from the storage area:

1. Lift up on the lever, located on the side of the seat, while lifting the front of the seat cushion up.



2. Fold the bottom of the seat cushion toward the back of the vehicle until it locks in place.

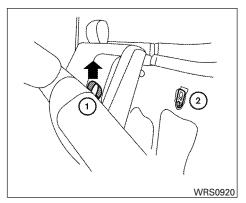


3. Repeat this process to raise and secure the seat cushion on the other side of the vehicle for maximum storage capacity.

To return the rear bench seat to a seating position, reverse the process. Make sure to properly push the seat cushion down into place.

#### **AWARNING**

- When the vehicle is being used to carry cargo, properly secure all cargo to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. Do not place cargo higher than the seatbacks. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.
- Do not allow people to ride in any area of your vehicle that is not equipped with seats and seat belts. Be sure everyone in your vehicle is in a seat and using a seat belt properly. Never ride in the rear seat unless the seat bottom cushions are in place and latched.
- When returning the seatbacks to the upright position, be certain they are completely secured in the latched position. If they are not completely secured, passengers may be injured in an accident or sudden stop.



## Folding the rear bench seat down

The rear bench seat can be tilted forward to access the child restraint anchor point locations.

To tilt the seatback forward, pull the strap up ① and tilt the seatback. The child restraint anchor points ② can be accessed behind the rear bench seatback.

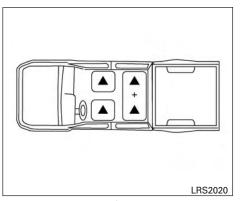
### **WARNING**

Never allow anyone to ride in the cargo area or on the rear seat when it is in the fold-down position. Use of these areas by passengers without proper restraints could result in serious injury in an accident or sudden stop.

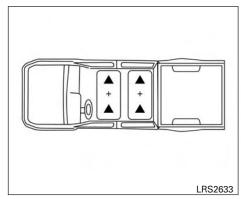
#### HEAD RESTRAINTS/HEADRESTS

## **AWARNING**

Head restraints/headrests supplement the other vehicle safety systems. They may provide additional protection against iniury in certain rear end collisions. Adjustable head restraints/headrests must be adjusted properly, as specified in this section. Check the adjustment after someone else uses the seat. Do not attach anything to the head restraint/headrest stalks or remove the head restraint/headrest. Do use the seat if the head restraint/headrest has been removed. If the head restraint/headrest was removed. reinstall and properly adjust the head restraint/headrest before an occupant uses the seating position. Failure to follow these instructions can reduce the effectiveness the of head restraints/headrests. This may increase the risk of serious injury or death in a collision.



Folding front seat

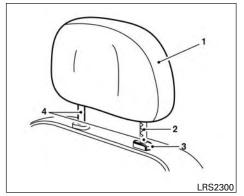


Front bucket seat

The illustration shows the seating positions equipped with head restraints/headrests.

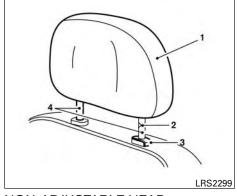
- ▲ Indicates the seating position is equipped with a head restraint.
- Indicates the seating position is equipped with a headrest.
- + Indicates the seating position is not equipped with a head restraint or headrest (if applicable).
  - Your vehicle is equipped with a head restraint/headrest that may be integrated, adjustable or non-adjustable.

- Adjustable head restraints/headrests have multiple notches along the stalk(s) to lock them in a desired adjustment position.
- non-adiustable head The restraints/headrests have a single locking notch to secure them to the seat frame.
- Proper Adjustment:
  - For the adjustable type, align the head restraint/headrest so the center of your ear is approximately level with the center of the head restraint/headrest.
  - If your ear position is still higher than the recommended alignment, place the head restraint/headrest at the highest position.
- If the head restraint/headrest has been removed, ensure that it is reinstalled and locked in place before riding in that designated seating position.



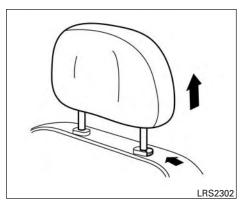
## ADJUSTABLE HEAD RESTRAINT/ **HEADREST COMPONENTS**

- 1. Removable head restraint/headrest
- 2. Multiple notches
- 3. Lock knob
- 4. Stalks



## NON-ADJUSTABLE HEAD RESTRAINT/HEADREST **COMPONENTS**

- 1. Removable head restraint/headrest
- 2. Single notch
- 3. Lock knob
- 4. Stalks

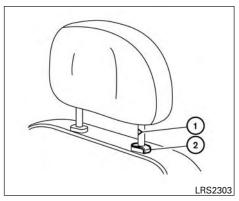


#### **REMOVE**

Use the following procedure to remove the head restraint/headrest:

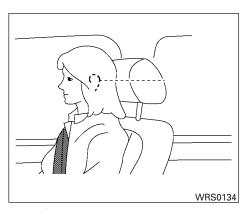
- 1. Pull the head restraint/headrest up to the highest position.
- 2. Push and hold the lock knob.
- 3. Remove the head restraint/headrest from the seat.
- 4. Store the head restraint/headrest properly in a secure place so it is not loose in the vehicle.

5. Reinstall and properly adjust the head restraint/headrest before an occupant uses the seating position.



#### INSTALL

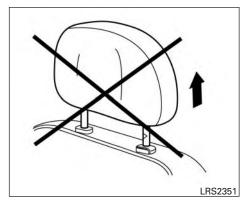
- 1. Align the head restraint/headrest stalks with the holes in the seat. Make sure that the head restraint/headrest is facing the correct direction. The stalk with the notch (notches) 1 must be installed in the hole with the lock knob (2).
- 2. Push and hold the lock knob and push the head restraint/headrest down.
- 3. Properly adjust the head restraint/headrest before an occupant uses the seating position.



**ADJUST** 

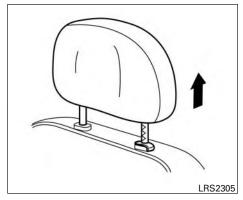
For adjustable head restraint/headrest

Adjust the head restraint/headrest so the center is level with the center of your ears. If your ear position is still higher than the recommended alignment, place the head restraint/headrest at the highest position.



For non-adjustable head restraint/headrest

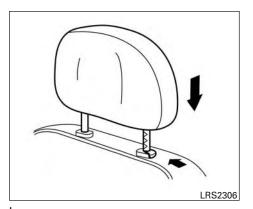
Make sure the head restraint/headrest is positioned so the lock knob is engaged in the notch before riding in that designated seating position.



Raise

To raise the head restraint/headrest, pull it up.

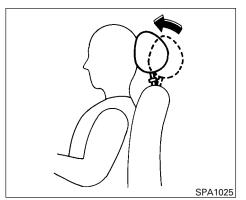
Make sure the head restraint/headrest is positioned so the lock knob is engaged in the notch before riding in that designated seating position.



Lower

To lower, push and hold the lock knob and push the head restraint/headrest down.

Make sure the head restraint/headrest is positioned so the lock knob is engaged in the notch before riding in that designated seating position.



FRONT-SEAT ACTIVE HEAD RESTRAINTS

#### **AWARNING**

- Always adjust the head restraints properly as specified in this section. Failure to do so can reduce the effectiveness of the active head restraint.
- Active head restraints are designed to supplement other safety systems. Always wear seat belts. No system can prevent all injuries in any accident.

Do not attach anything to the head restraint stalks. Doing so could impair active head restraint function.

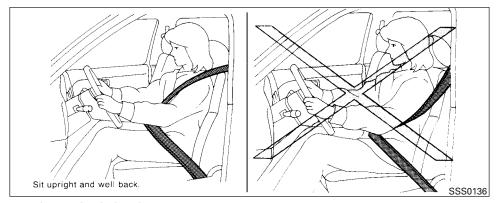
The active head restraint moves forward utilizing the force that the seatback receives from the occupant in a rear-end collision. The movement of the head restraint helps support the occupant's head by reducing its backward movement and helping absorb some of the forces that may lead to whiplash-type injuries.

Active head restraints are effective for collisions at low to medium speeds in which it is said that whiplash injury occurs most.

Active head restraints operate only in certain rear-end collisions. After the collision, the head restraints return to their original positions.

Properly adjust the active head restraints as described in this section.

#### **SEAT BELTS**

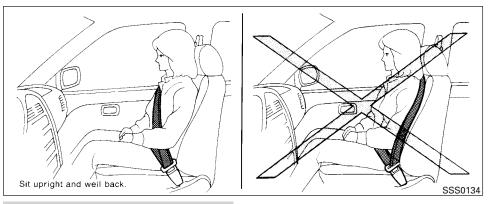


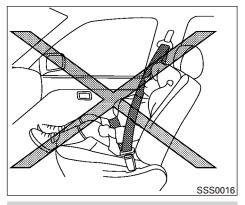
# PRECAUTIONS ON SEAT BELT USAGE

If you are wearing your seat belt properly adjusted and you are sitting upright and well back in your seat with both feet on the floor, your chances of being injured or killed in a collision and/or the severity of injury may be greatly reduced. NISSAN strongly encourages you and all of your passengers to buckle up every time you drive, even if your seating position includes a supplemental air bag.

Most U.S. states and Canadian provinces or territories specify that seat belts be worn at all times when a vehicle is being driven.

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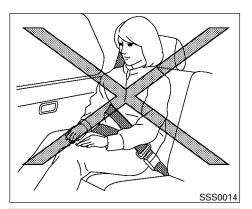


# **AWARNING**

Every person who drives or rides in this vehicle should use a seat belt at all times. Children should be properly restrained in the rear seat and, if appropriate, in a child restraint.

## **WARNING**

The seat belt should be properly adjusted to a snug fit. Failure to do so may reduce the effectiveness of the entire restraint system and increase the chance or severity of injury in an accident. Serious injury or death can occur if the seat belt is not worn properly.



# **AWARNING**

- Always route the shoulder belt over your shoulder and across your chest.
   Never put the belt behind your back, under your arm or across your neck. The belt should be away from your face and neck, but not falling off your shoulder.
- Position the lap belt as low and snug as possible AROUND THE HIPS, NOT THE WAIST. A lap belt worn too high could increase the risk of internal injuries in an accident.

- Be sure the seat belt tongue is securely fastened to the proper buckle.
- Do not wear the seat belt inside out or twisted. Doing so may reduce its effectiveness.
- Do not allow more than one person to use the same seat belt.
- Never carry more people in the vehicle than there are seat belts.
- If the seat belt warning light glows continuously while the ignition is turned
  ON with all doors closed and all seat
  belts fastened, it may indicate a malfunction in the system. Have the system
  checked by a NISSAN dealer.
- No changes should be made to the seat belt system. For example, do not modify the seat belt, add material, or install devices that may change the seat belt routing or tension. Doing so may affect the operation of the seat belt system. Modifying or tampering with the seat belt system may result in serious personal injury.

- Once a seat belt pretensioner has activated, it cannot be reused and must be replaced together with the retractor.
   See your NISSAN dealer.
- Removal and installation of pretensioner system components should be done by a NISSAN dealer.
- All seat belt assemblies, including retractors and attaching hardware, should be inspected after any collision by a NISSAN dealer. NISSAN recommends that all seat belt assemblies in use during a collision be replaced unless the collision was minor and the belts show no damage and continue to operate properly. Seat belt assemblies not in use during a collision should also be inspected and replaced if either damage or improper operation is noted.
- All child restraints and attaching hardware should be inspected after any collision. Always follow the restraint manufacturer's inspection instructions and replacement recommendations. The child restraints should be replaced if they are damaged.



#### SEAT BELT WARNING LIGHT

Both the driver's and passenger's front seats are equipped with a seat belt warning light. The warning light, located on the instrument panel, will show the status of the driver and passenger seat belt.

#### NOTE:

The front passenger seat belt warning light will not light up if the seat is not occupied.

For additional information. refer "Warning/indicator lights and audible reminders" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

#### PREGNANT WOMEN

NISSAN recommends that pregnant women use seat belts. The seat belt should be worn snug and always position the lap belt as low as possible around the hips, not the waist. Place the shoulder belt over your shoulder and across your chest. Never run the lap/shoulder belt over your abdominal area. Contact your doctor for specific recommendations.

#### INJURED PERSONS

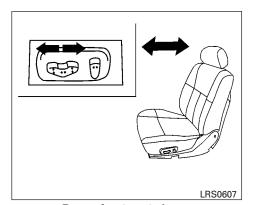
NISSAN recommends that injured persons use seat belts. Check with your doctor for specific recommendations.

# THREE-POINT TYPE SEAT BELT WITH RETRACTOR (if so equipped)

## **AWARNING**

 Every person who drives or rides in this vehicle should use a seat belt at all times.

- Do not ride in a moving vehicle when the seatback is reclined. This can be dangerous. The shoulder belt will not be against your body. In an accident, you could be thrown into it and receive neck or other serious injuries. You could also slide under the lap belt and receive serious internal injuries.
- For the most effective protection when the vehicle is in motion, the seat should be upright. Always sit well back in the seat with both feet on the floor and adjust the seat belt properly.
- Do not allow children to play with the seat belts. Most seating positions are equipped with Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) mode seat belts. If the seat belt becomes wrapped around a child's neck with the ALR mode activated, the child can be seriously injured or killed if the seat belt retracts and becomes tight. This can occur even if the vehicle is parked. Unbuckle the seat belt to release the child. If the seat belt cannot be unbuckled or is already unbuckled. release the child by cutting the seat belt with a suitable tool (such as a knife or scissors) to release the seat belt.



Power front seat shown

## Fastening the seat belts

1. Adjust the seat. For additional information, refer to "Seats" in this section.



- Slowly pull the seat belt out of the retractor and insert the tongue into the buckle until you hear and feel the latch engage.
  - The retractor is designed to lock during a sudden stop or on impact. A slow pulling motion permits the seat belt to move, and allows you some freedom of movement in the seat.
  - If the seat belt cannot be pulled from its fully retracted position, firmly pull the belt and release it. Then smoothly pull the belt out of the retractor.



- Position the lap belt portion low and snug on the hips as shown.
- Pull the shoulder belt portion toward the retractor to take up extra slack. Be sure the shoulder belt is routed over your shoulder and across your chest.

The front passenger seat and the rear seating positions three-point seat belts have two modes of operation:

- Emergency Locking Retractor (ELR)
- Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR)

The ELR mode allows the seat belt to extend and retract to allow the driver and passengers some freedom of movement in the seat. The ELR locks the seat belt when the vehicle slows down rapidly or during certain impacts.

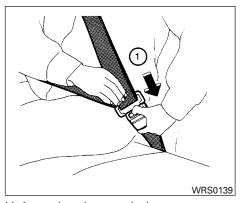
The ALR mode (child restraint mode) locks the seat belt for child restraint installation.

When the ALR mode is activated, the seat belt cannot be extended again until the seat belt tongue is detached from the buckle and fully retracted. The seat belt returns to the ELR mode after the seat belt fully retracts. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section.

The ALR mode should be used only for child restraint installation. During normal seat belt use by a passenger, the ALR mode should not be activated. If it is activated it may cause uncomfortable seat belt tension. It can also change the operation of the front passenger air bag. For additional information, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section.

## **AWARNING**

When fastening the seat belts, be certain that the seatbacks are completely secured in the latched position. If they are not completely secured, passengers may be injured in an accident or sudden stop.



# Unfastening the seat belts

(1) To unfasten the seat belt, press the button on the buckle. The seat belt automatically retracts.

# Checking seat belt operation

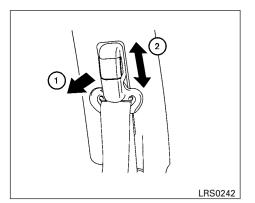
Seat belt retractors are designed to lock seat belt movement by two separate methods:

- When the seat belt is pulled quickly from the retractor
- When the vehicle slows down rapidly

To increase your confidence in the seat belts, check the operation as follows:

 Grasp the shoulder belt and pull forward quickly. The retractor should lock and restrict further belt movement.

If the retractor does not lock during this check or if you have any questions about seat belt operation, see a NISSAN dealer.



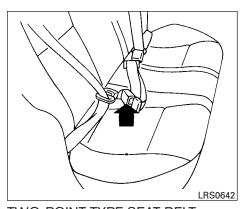
Front seats

Shoulder belt height adjustment (front outboard seats)

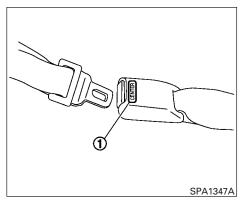
The shoulder belt anchor height should be adjusted to the position best for you. For additional information, refer to "Precautions on seat belt usage" in this section. To adjust, pull out 1 the adjustment button and move the shoulder belt anchor (2) to the desired position, so the belt passes over the center of the shoulder. The belt should be away from your face and neck, but not falling off your shoulder. Release the adjustment button to lock the shoulder belt anchor into position.

### **WARNING**

- After adjustment, release the adjustment button and try to move the shoulder belt anchor up and down to make sure it is securely fixed in position.
- The shoulder belt anchor height should be adjusted to the position best for you. Failure to do so may reduce the effectiveness of the entire restraint system and increase the chance or severity of iniury in an accident.

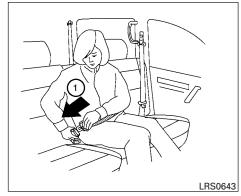


TWO-POINT TYPE SEAT BELT WITHOUT RETRACTOR (if so equipped)



Selecting the correct set of seat belts

The center seat belt buckle and tongue are identified by the CENTER mark 1. The center seat belt tongue can only be fastened into the center seat belt buckle.

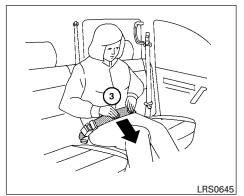


Fastening the seat belts

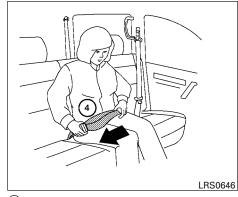
Insert the tongue into the buckle until you hear and feel the latch engage.



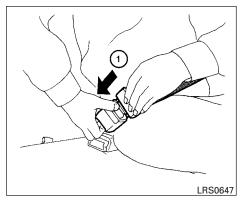
Tighten the belt by pulling the free end of the belt away from the tongue.



Position the lap belt low and snug on the hips as illustrated.



Loosen the belt by holding the tongue at a right angle to the belt, then pull on the belt.



# Unfastening the seat belts

To unfasten the seat belt, press the button 1 on the buckle.

#### SEAT BELT EXTENDERS

If, because of body size or driving position, it is not possible to properly fit the lap/shoulder belt and fasten it, an extender that is compatible with the installed seat belts is available for purchase. The extender adds approximately 8 in (200 mm) of length and may be used for either the driver or front passenger seating position. See a NISSAN dealer for assistance with purchasing an extender if an extender is required.

### **AWARNING**

- Only NISSAN seat belt extenders, made by the same company which made the original equipment seat belts, should be used with NISSAN seat belts.
- Adults and children who can use the standard seat belt should not use an extender. Such unnecessary use could result in serious personal injury in the event of an accident.
- Never use seat belt extenders to install child restraints. If the child restraint is not secured properly, the child could be seriously injured in a collision or a sudden stop.

#### SEAT BELT MAINTENANCE

- To clean the seat belt webbing, apply a mild soap solution or any solution recommended for cleaning upholstery or carpet. Then wipe with a cloth and allow the seat belts to dry in the shade. Do not allow the seat belts to retract until they are completely dry.
- If dirt builds up in the shoulder belt guide of the seat belt anchors, the seat belts may retract slowly. Wipe the shoulder belt guide with a clean, dry cloth.

Periodically check to see that the seat belt and the metal components, such as buckles, tongues, retractors, flexible wires and anchors, work properly. If loose parts, deterioration, cuts or other damage on the webbing is found, the entire seat belt assembly should be replaced.

## **AWARNING**

Do not allow children to play with the seat belts. Most seating positions are equipped with Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) mode seat belts. If the seat belt becomes wrapped around a child's neck with the ALR mode activated, the child can be seriously injured or killed if the seat belt retracts and becomes tight. This can occur even if the vehicle is parked. Unbuckle the seat belt to release the child. If the seat belt cannot be unbuckled or is the seat belt cannot be unbuckled or is clease the child by cutting the seat belt with a suitable tool (such as a knife or scissors) to release the seat belt.

# Children need adults to help protect them. They need to be properly restrained.

In addition to the general information in this manual, child safety information is available from many other sources, including doctors, teachers, government traffic safety offices, and community organizations. Every child is different, so be sure to learn the best way to transport your child.

There are three basic types of child restraint systems:

Rear-facing child restraints

- Forward-facing child restraints
- Booster seats

The proper restraint depends on the child's size. Generally, infants up to about 1 year and less than 20 lbs (9 kg) should be placed in rear-facing child restraints. Forward-facing child restraints are available for children who outgrow rearfacing child restraints and are at least 1 year old. Booster seats are used to help position a vehicle lap/shoulder belt on a child who can no longer use a forward-facing child restraint.

## **WARNING**

Infants and children need special protection. The vehicle's seat belts may not fit them properly. The shoulder belt may come too close to the face or neck. The lap belt may not fit over their small hip bones. In an accident, an improperly fitting seat belt could cause serious or fatal injury. Always use appropriate child restraints.

All U.S. states and Canadian provinces or territories require the use of approved child restraints for infants and small children. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section.

A child restraint may be secured in the vehicle by using either the LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for CHildren) system or with the vehicle seat belt. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section.

NISSAN recommends that all pre-teens and children be restrained in the rear seat. Studies show that children are safer when properly restrained in the rear seat than in the front seat.

This is especially important because your vehicle has a supplemental restraint system (air bag system) for the front passenger. For additional information, refer to "Supplemental restraint system (SRS)" in this section.

### **INFANTS**

Infants up to at least 1 year old should be placed in a rear-facing child restraint. NISSAN recommends that infants be placed in child restraints that comply with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards or Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards. You should choose a child restraint that fits your vehicle and always follow the manufacturer's instructions for installation and use.

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#### CHILD RESTRAINTS

#### SMALL CHILDREN

Children that are over 1 year old and weigh at least 20 lbs (9 kg) should remain in a rear-facing child restraint as long as possible up to the height or weight limit of the child restraint. Children who outgrow the height or weight limit of the rearfacing child restraint and are at least 1 year old should be secured in a forward-facing child restraint with a harness. Refer to the manufacturer's instructions for minimum and maximum weight and height recommendations. NISSAN recommends that small children be placed in child restraints that comply with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards or Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards. You should choose a child restraint that fits your vehicle and always follow the manufacturer's instructions for installation and use.

#### LARGER CHILDREN

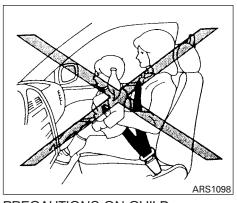
Children should remain in a forward-facing child restraint with a harness until they reach the maximum height or weight limit allowed by the child restraint manufacturer.

Once a child outgrows the height or weight limit of the harness-equipped forward-facing child restraint. NISSAN recommends that the child be placed in a commercially available booster seat to obtain proper seat belt fit. For a seat belt to fit

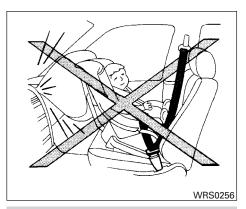
properly, the booster seat should raise the child so that the shoulder belt is properly positioned across the chest and the top, middle portion of the shoulder. The shoulder belt should not cross the neck or face and should not fall off the shoulder. The lap belt should lie snugly across the lower hips or upper thighs, not the abdomen. A booster seat can only be used in seating positions that have a three-point type seat belt. The booster seat should fit the vehicle seat and have a label certifying that it complies with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards or Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards. Once the child has grown so the shoulder belt is no longer on or near the face and neck and the lap belt can be positioned properly across the lower hips or upper thighs, use the seat belt without the booster seat.

## **AWARNING**

Never let a child stand or kneel on any seat and do not allow a child in the cargo area. The child could be seriously injured or killed in a sudden stop or collision.



PRECAUTIONS ON CHILD **RESTRAINTS** 



# **AWARNING**

- Failure to follow the warnings and instructions for proper use and installation of child restraints could result in serious injury or death of a child or other passengers in a sudden stop or collision:
  - The child restraint must be used and installed properly. Always follow all of the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation and use.

- Infants and children should never be held on anyone's lap. Even the strongest adult cannot resist the forces of a collision.
- Do not put a seat belt around both a child and another passenger.
- NISSAN recommends that all child restraints be installed in the rear seat. Studies show that children are safer when properly restrained in the rear seat than in the front seat. If you must install a forward-facing child restraint in the front seat, refer to "Forward-facing child restraint installation using the seat belts" in this section.
- **Even with the NISSAN Advanced Air** Bag System, never install a rearfacing child restraint in the front seat. An inflating air bag could seriously iniure or kill a child. A rear-facing child restraint must only be used in the rear seat.
- Be sure to purchase a child restraint that will fit the child and vehicle. Some child restraints may not fit properly in your vehicle.

- Child restraint anchorages are designed to withstand only those loads imposed by correctly fitted child restraints. Under no circumstances are they to be used to attach adult seat belts, or other items or equipment to the vehicle. Doing so could damage the child restraint anchorages. The child restraint will not be properly installed using the damaged anchorage, and a child could be seriously injured or killed in a collision.
- Never use the anchor points for adult seat belts or harnesses.
- A child restraint with a top tether strap should not be used in the front passenger seat.
- Keep seatbacks as upright as possible after fitting the child restraint.
- Infants and children should always be placed in an appropriate child restraint while in the vehicle.
- When the child restraint is not in use. keep it secured with the LATCH system or a seat belt. In a sudden stop or collision, loose objects can injure occupants or damage the vehicle.

## **A** CAUTION

A child restraint in a closed vehicle can become very hot. Check the seating surface and buckles before placing a child in the child restraint.

This vehicle is equipped with a universal child restraint anchor system, referred to as the LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for CHildren) system. Some child restraints include rigid or webbing-mounted attachments that can be connected to these anchors. For additional information, refer to "LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for CHildren) system" in this section.

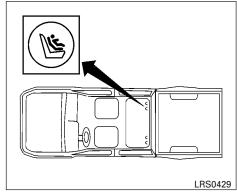
If you do not have a LATCH compatible child restraint, the vehicle seat belts can be used.

Several manufacturers offer child restraints for infants and children of various sizes. When selecting any child restraint, keep the following points in mind:

- Choose only a restraint with a label certifying that it complies with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 213 or Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 213.
- Check the child restraint in your vehicle to be sure it is compatible with the vehicle's seat and seat belt system.

- If the child restraint is compatible with your vehicle, place your child in the child restraint and check the various adjustments to be sure the child restraint is compatible with your child. Choose a child restraint that is designed for your child's height and weight. Always follow all recommended procedures.
- If the combined weight of the child and child restraint is less than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), you may use either the LATCH anchors or the seat belt to install the child restraint (not both at the same time).
- If the combined weight of the child and child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint.
- Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

All U.S. states and Canadian provinces or territories require that infants and small children be restrained in an approved child restraint at all times while the vehicle is being operated. Canadian law requires the top tether strap on forward-facing child restraints be secured to the designated anchor point on the vehicle.



**LATCH** system lower anchor locations LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for CHildren) SYSTEM

Your vehicle is equipped with special anchor points that are used with the LATCH system compatible child restraints. This system may also be referred to as the ISOFIX or ISOFIX compatible system. With this system, you do not have to use a vehicle seat belt to secure the child restraint unless the combined weight of the child and child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg) use the vehicles seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

The LATCH anchor points are provided to install child restraints in the rear outboard seating positions only. Do not attempt to install a child restraint in the center position using the LATCH anchors.

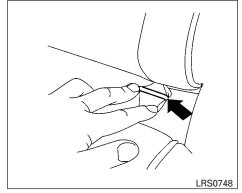
LATCH lower anchor

## **AWARNING**

Failure to follow the warnings and instructions for proper use and installation of child restraints could result in serious injury or death of a child or other passengers in a sudden stop or collision:

- Attach LATCH system compatible child restraints only at the locations shown in the illustration.
- Do not secure a child restraint in the center rear seating position using the LATCH lower anchors. The child restraint will not be secured properly.

- Inspect the lower anchors by inserting your fingers into the lower anchor area. Feel to make sure there are no obstructions over the anchors such as seat belt webbing or seat cushion material. The child restraint will not be secured properly if the lower anchors are obstructed.
- Child restraint anchorages are designed to withstand only those loads imposed by correctly fitted child restraints. Under no circumstances are they to be used to attach adult seat belts, or other items or equipment to the vehicle. Doing so could damage the child restraint anchorages. The child restraint will not be properly installed using the damaged anchorage, and a child could be seriously injured or killed in a collision.

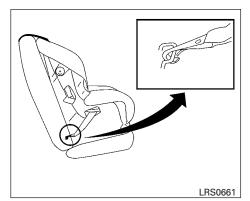


**LATCH** lower anchor location LATCH lower anchor location

The LATCH lower anchors are located at the rear of the seat cushion near the seatback. A label is attached to the seatback to help you locate the LATCH lower anchors.

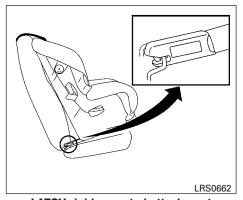


**LATCH** lower anchor point locations



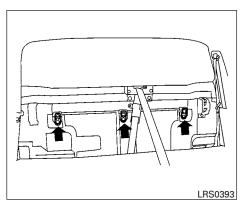
**LATCH** webbing-mounted attachment Installing child restraint LATCH lower anchor attachments

LATCH compatible child restraints include two rigid or webbing-mounted attachments that can be connected to two anchors located at certain seating positions in your vehicle. With this system, you do not have to use a vehicle seat belt to secure the child restraint. Check your child restraint for a label stating that it is compatible with LATCH. This information may also be in the instructions provided by the child restraint manufacturer.



**LATCH** rigid-mounted attachment

When installing a child restraint, carefully read and follow the instructions in this manual and those supplied with the child restraint.



Top tether anchor point locations

Anchor points are located under the rear window behind the rear bench seat.

# REAR-FACING CHILD RESTRAINT INSTALLATION USING LATCH

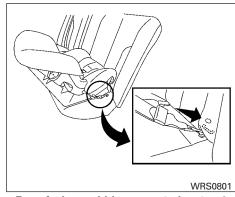
For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child Safety" and "Child Restraints" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

NISSAN does not recommend the use of the lower anchors if the combined weight of the child and the child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and the child

restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

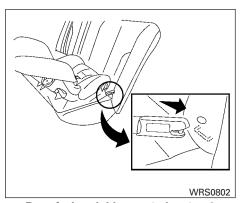
Follow these steps to install a rear-facing child restraint in the rear bench seats using the LATCH system:

 Position the child restraint on the seat. Always follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions.

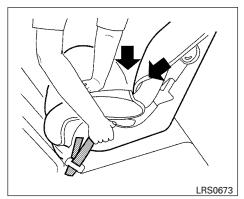


# Rear-facing webbing-mounted - step 2

Secure the child restraint anchor attachments to the LATCH lower anchors. Check to make sure the LATCH attachment is properly attached to the lower anchors.

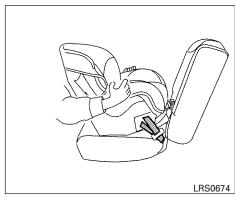


Rear-facing rigid-mounted - step 2



Rear-facing - step 3

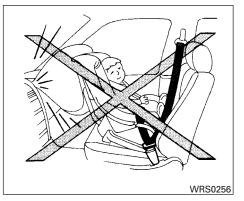
3. For child restraints that are equipped with webbing-mounted attachments, remove any additional slack from the anchor attachments. Press downward and rearward firmly in the center of the child restraint with your hand to compress the vehicle seat cushion and seatback while tightening the webbing of the anchor attachments.



Rear-facing - step 4

4. After attaching the child restraint, test it before you place the child in it. Push it from side to side while holding the child restraint near the LATCH attachment path. The child restraint should not move more than 1 inch. (25 mm), from side to side. Try to tug it forward and check to see if the LATCH attachment holds the restraint in place. If the restraint is not secure, tighten the LATCH attachment as necessary, or put the restraint in another seat and test it again. You may need to try a different child restraint or try installing by using the vehicle seat belt (if applicable). Not all child restraints fit in all types of vehicles.

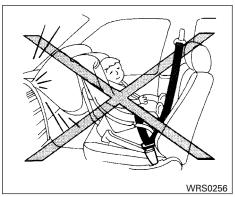
5. Check to make sure the child restraint is properly secured prior to each use. If the child restraint is loose, repeat steps 2 through 4.



REAR-FACING CHILD RESTRAINT INSTALLATION USING THE SEAT **BELTS** 

## **WARNING**

The three-point seat belt with Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) must be used when installing a child restraint. Failure to use the ALR mode will result in the child restraint not being properly secured. The restraint could tip over or be loose and cause injury to a child in a sudden stop or collision. Also, it can change the operation of the front passenger air bag. For additional information, refer to "Supplemental air bag warning light" in this section.



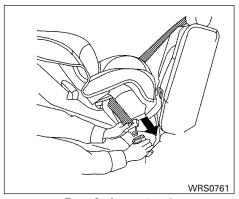
Rear-facing - step 1

For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child safety" and "Child restraints" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

NISSAN does not recommend the use of the lower anchors if the combined weight of the child and the child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and the child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

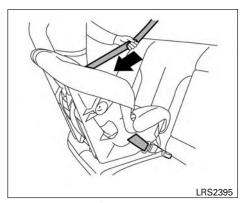
Follow these steps to install a rear-facing child restraint using the vehicle seat belts in the rear seats:

1. Child restraints for infants must be used in the rear-facing direction and therefore must not be used in the front seat. Position the child restraint on the seat. Always follow the restraint manufacturer's instructions.



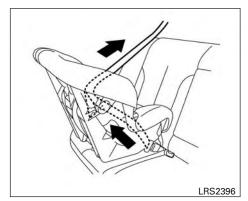
Rear-facing - step 2

2. Route the seat belt tongue through the child restraint and insert it into the buckle until you hear and feel the latch engage. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for belt routing.



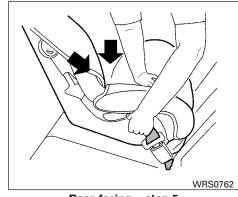
Rear-facing - step 3

3. Pull the shoulder belt until the belt is fully extended. At this time, the seat belt retractor is in the ALR mode (child restraint mode). It reverts to the ELR mode when the seat belt is fully retracted.



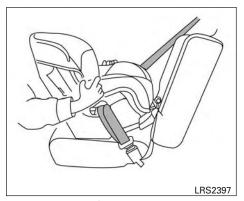
Rear-facing - step 4

4. Allow the seat belt to retract. Pull up on the shoulder belt to remove any slack in the belt.



Rear-facing - step 5

5. Remove any additional slack from the seat belt; press downward and rearward firmly in the center of the child restraint to compress the vehicle seat cushion and seatback while pulling up on the seat belt.



Rear-facing - step 6

6. After attaching the child restraint, test it before you place the child in it. Push it from side to side while holding the child restraint near the seat belt path. The child restraint should not move more than 1 inch (25 mm), from side to side. Try to tug it forward and check to see if the belt holds the restraint in place. If the restraint is not secure, tighten the seat belt as necessary, or put the restraint in another seat and test it again. You may need to try a different child restraint. Not all child restraints fit in all types of vehicles.

7. Check to make sure that the child restraint is properly secured prior to each use. If the seat belt is not locked, repeat steps 1 through 6.

After the child restraint is removed and the seat belt fully retracted, the ALR mode (child restraint mode) is canceled.

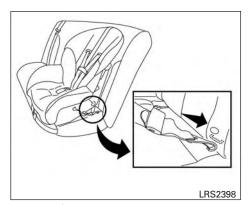
## FORWARD-FACING CHILD RESTRAINT INSTALL ATION USING LATCH

For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child Safety" and "Child Restraints" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

NISSAN does not recommend the use of the lower anchors if the combined weight of the child and the child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and the child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

Follow these steps to install a forward-facing child restraint in the rear bench seats using the LATCH system:

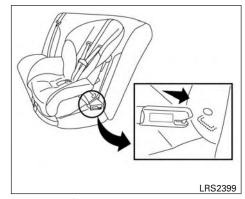
1. Position the child restraint on the seat. Always follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions.



Forward-facing webbing-mounted - step 2

2. Secure the child restraint anchor attachments to the LATCH lower anchors. Check to make sure the LATCH attachment is properly attached to the lower anchors.

If the child restraint is equipped with a top tether strap, route the top tether strap and secure the tether strap to the tether anchor point. For additional information, refer to "Installing top tether strap" in this section. Do not install child restraints that require the use of a top tether strap in seating positions that do not have a top tether anchor.

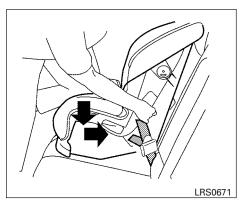


Forward-facing rigid-mounted - step 2

3. The back of the child restraint should be secured against the vehicle seatback.

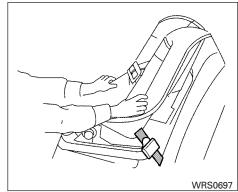
If necessary, adjust or remove the head restraint/headrest to obtain the correct child restraint fit. If the head restraint/headrest is removed, store it in a secure place. Be sure to reinstall the head restraint/headrest when the child restraint is removed. For additional information, refer to "Head restraints/headrests" in this section for head restraint/headrest adjustment information.

If the seating position does not have an adjustable head restraint/headrest and it is interfering with the proper child restraint fit, try another seating position or a different child restraint.



Forward-facing - step 4

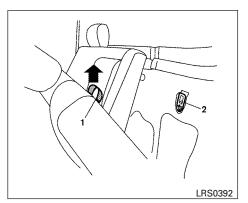
- 4. For child restraints that are equipped with webbing-mounted attachments, remove any additional slack from the anchor attachments. Press downward and rearward firmly in the center of the child restraint with your knee to compress the vehicle seat cushion and seatback while tightening the webbing of the anchor attachments.
- 5. Tighten the tether strap according to the manufacturer's instructions to remove any slack.



Forward-facing - step 6

6. After attaching the child restraint, test it before you place the child in it. Push it from side to side while holding the child restraint near the LATCH attachment path. The child restraint should not move more than 1 inch (25 mm), from side to side. Try to tug it forward and check to see if the LATCH attachment holds the restraint in place. If the restraint is not secure, tighten the LATCH attachment as necessary, or put the restraint in another seat and test it again. You may need to try a different child restraint. Not all child restraints fit in all types of vehicles.

7. Check to make sure the child restraint is properly secured prior to each use. If the child restraint is loose, repeat steps 3 through 6.



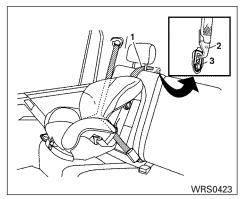
Rear bench seat

- Anchor point strap
- Anchor points

## Installing top tether strap

The child restraint top tether strap must be used when installing the child restraint with the LATCH lower anchor attachments.

First, secure the child restraint with the LATCH lower anchors (rear bench outboarding seating positions only).



Rear bench seat

- Seatback
- Top tether strap
- Tether anchor point

#### Rear bench seat

#### **OUTBOARD SEATING POSITIONS**

1. Remove the head restraint/headrest and store it in a secure place. Be sure to reinstall the head restraint/headrest when the child restraint is removed. For additional information, refer to "Head restraints/headrests" in

- this section for head restraint/headrest adiustment, removal and installation information.
- 2. Position the top tether strap over the seatback.
- 3. Secure the tether strap to the tether anchor point on the wall behind the seatback behind the child restraint.
- 4. Return the seatback to the locked position.
- 5. Tighten the tether strap according to the manufacturer's instructions to remove any slack.

If you have any questions when installing a top tether strap, consult your NISSAN dealer for details.

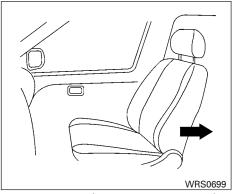
## **AWARNING**

Child restraint anchorages are designed to withstand only those loads imposed by correctly fitted child restraints. Under no circumstances are they to be used to attach adult seat belts, or other items or equipment to the vehicle. Doing so could damage the child restraint anchorages. The child restraint will not be properly installed using the damaged anchorage. and a child could be seriously injured or killed in a collision.

FORWARD-FACING CHILD RESTRAINT INSTALLATION USING THE SEAT BELTS — FRONT PASSENGER AND REAR BENCH SEAT

## **AWARNING**

The three-point seat belt with Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) must be used when installing a child restraint. Failure to use the ALR mode will result in the child restraint not being properly secured. The restraint could tip over or be loose and cause injury to a child in a sudden stop or collision. Also, it can change the operation of the front passenger air bag. For additional information, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section.



Forward-facing (front passenger seat) step 1

For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child Safety" and "Child Restraints" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

NISSAN does not recommend the use of the lower anchors if the combined weight of the child and the child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and the child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

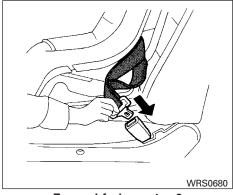
Follow these steps to install a forward-facing child restraint using the vehicle seat belt in the rear seats or in the front passenger seat:

- 1. If you must install a child restraint in the front seat, it should be placed in a forward-facing direction only. Move the seat to the rearmost position. Child restraints for infants must be used in the rear-facing direction and therefore must not be used in the front seat.
- 2. Position the child restraint on the seat. Always follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions.

The back of the child restraint should be secured against the vehicle seatback.

If necessary, adjust or remove the head restraint/headrest to obtain the correct child restraint fit. If the head restraint/headrest is removed, store it in a secure place. Be sure to reinstall the head restraint/headrest when the child restraint is removed. For additional information, refer to "Head restraints/headrests" in this section for head restraint/headrest adjustment, removal and installation information

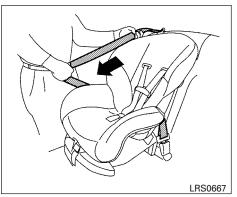
If the seating position does not have an adjustable head restraint/headrest and it is interfering with the proper child restraint fit, try another seating position or a different child restraint.



Forward-facing - step 3

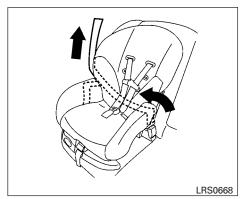
3. Route the seat belt tongue through the child restraint and insert it into the buckle until you hear and feel the latch engage. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for belt routing.

If the child restraint is equipped with a top tether strap, route the top tether strap and secure the tether strap to the tether anchor point (rear seat installation only). For additional information, refer to "Installing top tether strap" in this section. Do not install child restraints that require the use of a top tether strap in seating positions that do not have a top tether anchor.



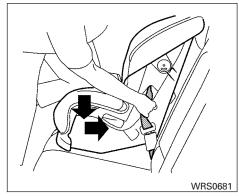
Forward-facing - step 4

4. Pull the shoulder belt until the belt is fully extended. At this time, the seat belt retractor is in the ALR mode (child restraint mode). It reverts to ELR mode when the seat belt is fully retracted.



Forward-facing - step 5

5. Allow the seat belt to retract. Pull up on the shoulder belt to remove any slack in the belt.



Forward-facing - step 6

- 6. Remove any additional slack from the seat belt; press downward and rearward firmly in the center of the child restraint with your knee to compress the vehicle seat cushion and seatback while pulling up on the seat belt.
- 7. Tighten the tether strap according to the manufacturer's instructions to remove any slack.



Forward-facing - step 8

8. After attaching the child restraint, test it before you place the child in it. Push it from side to side while holding the child restraint near the seat belt path. The child restraint should not move more than 1 inch (25 mm), from side to side. Try to tug it forward and check to see if the seat belt holds the restraint in place. If the restraint is not secure, tighten the seat belt as necessary, or put the restraint in another seat and test it again. You may need to try a different child restraint. Not all child restraints fit in all types of vehicles.

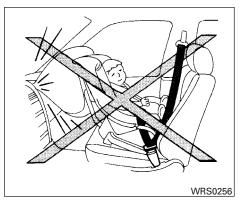
9. Check to make sure the child restraint is properly secured prior to each use. If the seat belt is not locked, repeat steps 3 through 8.



Forward-facing - step 10

10. If the child restraint is installed in the front passenger seat, place the ignition switch in the ON position. The front passenger air bag status light should illuminate. If this light is not illuminated refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section. Move the child restraint to another seating position. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

After the child restraint is removed and the seat belt is fully retracted, the ALR mode (child restraint mode) is canceled.

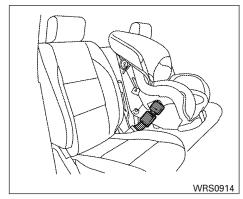


FORWARD-FACING CHILD RESTRAINT INSTALLATION USING THE SEAT BELTS — FRONT BENCH CENTER POSITION

## **AWARNING**

Never install a rear-facing child restraint in the front passenger seat. Front air bags inflate with great force, A rear-facing child restraint could be struck by the front air bag in a crash and could seriously injure or kill your child.

- NISSAN recommends that child restraints be installed in the rear seat. However, if you must install a forward facing child restraint in the front center bench seat, follow these instructions carefully.
- A child restraint with a top tether strap should not be used in the front passenger seat.



Foward-Facing — step 1

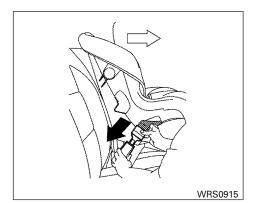
For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child Safety" and "Child Restraints" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

NISSAN does not recommend the use of the lower anchors if the combined weight of the child and the child restraint exceeds 65 lbs (29.5 kg). If the combined weight of the child and the child restraint is greater than 65 lbs (29.5 kg), use the vehicle's seat belt (not the lower anchors) to install the child restraint. Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for installation.

Follow these steps to install a child restraint in the front center bench seat:

- 1. If you must install a child restraint in the front seat, it should be placed in a forward-facing direction only. Move the seat to the rearmost position. Child restraints for infants must be used in the rear-facing direction and therefore must not be used in the front seat.
- 2. Position the child restraint on the seat. Always follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions.

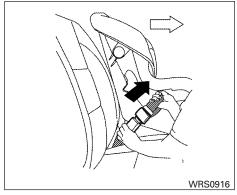
The back of the child restraint should be secured against the vehicle seat back. If necessary, adjust or remove the head restraint to obtain the correct child restraint fit. For additional information, refer to "Head restraints/Headrests" in this section. If the head restraint is removed, store it in a secure place. Be sure to install the head restraint when the child restraint is removed. If the seating position does not have an adjustable head restraint and it is interfering with the proper child restraint fit, try another seating position or a different child restraint.



Forward-Facing — step 3

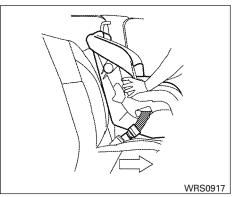
3. Route the seat belt tongue through the child restraint and insert it into the buckle until you hear and feel the latch engage.

Be sure to follow the child restraint manufacturer's instructions for seat belt routing.



Forward-Facing — step 4

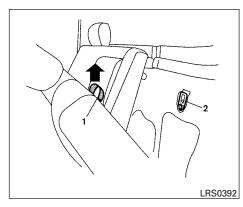
4. Remove any additional slack from the seat belt. Press downward and rearward firmly in the center of the child restraint with your knee to compress the vehicle seat cushion and seatback while pulling up on the seat belt.



Forward-Facing — step 5

5. After attaching the child restraint, test it before you place the child in it. Push it from side to side while holding the child restraint near the seat belt path. The child restraint should not move more than 1 inch (25 mm), from side to side. Try to tug it forward and check to see if the seat belt holds the restraint in place. If the restraint is not secure, tighten the seat belt as necessary, or put the restraint in another seat and test it again. You may need to try a different child restraint. Not all child restraints fit in all types of vehicles.

6. Check to make sure the child restraint is properly secured prior to each use. If the seat belt is not locked, repeat steps 3 through 5.

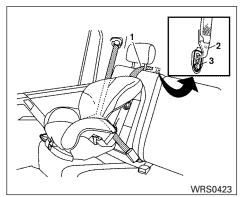


- Anchor point strap
- Anchor points

# Installing top tether strap

The child restraint top tether strap must be used when installing the child restraint with seat belts.

First, secure the child restraint with the seat belt.



Rear bench seat

- Seatback
- 2. Top tether strap
- 3. Tether anchor point

#### Rear bench seat

#### **OUTBOARD SEATING POSITIONS**

Remove the head restraint/headrest and store
it in a secure place. Be sure to reinstall the
head restraint/headrest when the child restraint is removed. For additional information,
refer to "Head restraints/headrests" in this
section for head restraint/headrest adjustment, removal and installation information.

- 2. Position the top tether strap over the seat-back.
- Secure the tether strap to the tether anchor point on the wall behind the seatback behind the child restraint.
- 4. Return the seatback to the locked position.
- Tighten the tether strap according to the manufacturer's instructions to remove any slack.

If you have any questions when installing a top tether strap, consult your NISSAN dealer for details.

## **WARNING**

Child restraint anchorages are designed to withstand only those loads imposed by correctly fitted child restraints. Under no circumstances are they to be used to attach adult seat belts, or other items or equipment to the vehicle. Doing so could damage the child restraint anchorages. The child restraint will not be properly installed using the damaged anchorage, and a child could be seriously injured or killed in a collision.

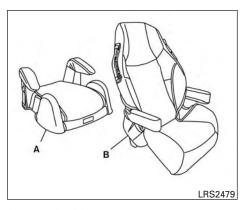
#### **BOOSTER SEATS**

Precautions on booster seats

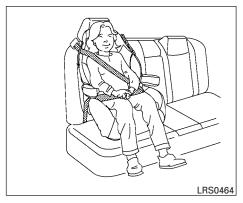
### **AWARNING**

If a booster seat and seat belt are not used properly, the risk of a child being injured in a sudden stop or collision greatly increases:

- Make sure the shoulder portion of the belt is away from the child's face and neck and the lap portion of the belt does not cross the stomach.
- Make sure the shoulder belt is not behind the child or under the child's arm.
- A booster seat must only be installed in a seating position that has a lap/shoulder belt.







- Low back booster seat
- B. High back booster seat

Booster seats of various sizes are offered by several manufacturers. When selecting any booster seat, keep the following points in mind:

- Choose only a booster seat with a label certifying that it complies with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 213 or Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 213.
- Check the booster seat in your vehicle to be sure it is compatible with the vehicle's seat and seat belt system.

- Make sure the child's head will be properly supported by the booster seat or vehicle seat. The seatback must be at or above the center of the child's ears. For example, if a low back booster seat is chosen, the vehicle seatback must be at or above the center of the child's ears. If the seatback is lower than the center of the child's ears, a high back booster seat should be used.
- If the booster seat is compatible with your vehicle, place the child in the booster seat and check the various adjustments to be sure the booster seat is compatible with the child. Always follow all recommended procedures.

All U.S. states and Canadian provinces or territories require that infants and small children be restrained in an approved child restraint at all times while the vehicle is being operated.

The instructions in this section apply to booster seat installation in the rear seats or the front passenger seat.

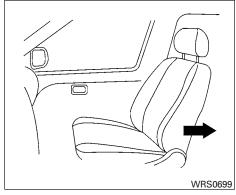
Booster seat installation on front passenger seat and rear bench seat

# **A** CAUTION

Do not use the lap/shoulder belt in the Automatic Locking Retractor mode when using a booster seat with the seat belts.

For additional information, refer to all Warnings and Cautions in the "Child Safety", "Child Restraints" and "Booster Seats" sections of this manual before installing a child restraint.

Follow these steps to install a booster seat in the rear seat or in the front passenger seat:



- 1. If you must install a booster seat in the front seat, move the seat to the rearmost position.
- 2. Position the booster seat on the seat, Only place it in a front-facing direction. Always follow the booster seat manufacturer's instructions.



Front passenger position

3. The booster seat should be positioned on the vehicle seat so that it is stable.

If necessary, adjust or remove the head restraint/headrest to obtain the correct booster fit. the head seat restraint/headrest is removed, store it in a secure place. Be sure to reinstall the head restraint/headrest when the booster seat is removed. For additional information. "Head refer to restraints/headrests" in this section for head restraint/headrest adjustment, removal and installation information.

If the seating position does not have an adjustable head restraint/headrest and it is interfering with the proper booster seat fit, try another seating position or a different booster seat.

- 4. Position the lap portion of the seat belt low and snug on the child's hips. Be sure to follow the booster seat manufacturer's instructions for adjusting the seat belt routing.
- 5. Pull the shoulder belt portion of the seat belt toward the retractor to take up extra slack. Be sure the shoulder belt is positioned across the top, middle portion of the child's shoulder. Be sure to follow the booster seat manufacturer's instructions for adjusting the seat belt routing.
- 6. Follow the warnings, cautions and instructions for properly fastening a seat belt shown in "Three-point type seat belt with retractor" in this section.



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7. If the booster seat is installed in the front passenger seat, place the ignition switch in the ON position. The front passenger air bag status light a may or may not illuminate, depending on the size of the child and the type of booster seat being used. For additional information, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section.

# SUPPLEMENTAL RESTRAINT SYSTEM (SRS)

#### PRECAUTIONS ON SRS

This SRS section contains important information concerning the following systems:

- Driver and passenger supplemental frontimpact air bag (NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System)
- Front seat-mounted side-impact supplemental air bag
- Roof-mounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bag
- Seat belt with pretensioner

#### Supplemental front-impact air bag system

The NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System can help cushion the impact force to the head and chest of the driver and right front passenger in certain frontal collisions.

## Front seat-mounted side-impact supplemental air bag system

This system can help cushion the impact force to the chest area of the driver and right front passenger in certain side impact collisions. The side air bag is designed to inflate on the side where the vehicle is impacted.

#### Roof-mounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bag system

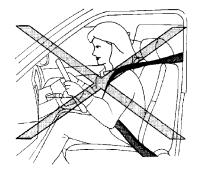
This system can help cushion the impact force to the head of occupants in front and rear outboard seating positions in certain side impact or rollover collisions. In a side impact, the curtain and rollover air bags are designed to inflate on the side where the vehicle is impacted. In a rollover, both curtain and rollover air bags are designed to inflate and remain inflated for a short time.

The SRS is designed to **supplement** the crash protection provided by the seat belts and is not a substitute for them. Seat belts should always be correctly worn and the occupant seated a suitable distance away from the steering wheel, instrument panel and door finishers. For additional information, refer to "Seat belts" in this section for instructions and precautions on seat belt usage.

#### The supplemental air bags operate only when the ignition switch is in the ON or START position.

After turning the ignition key to the ON position, the supplemental air bag warning light illuminates. The supplemental air bag warning light will turn off after about 7 seconds if the system is operational.

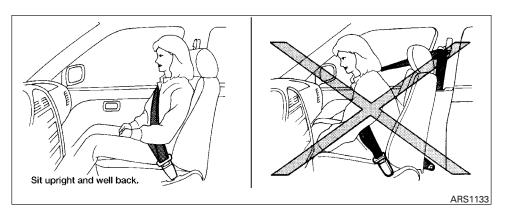


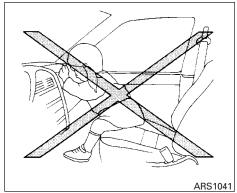


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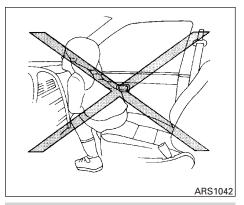
- The front air bags ordinarily will not inflate in the event of a side impact, rear impact, rollover, or lower severity frontal collision. Always wear your seat belts to help reduce the risk or severity of injury in various kinds of accidents.
- The front passenger air bag will not inflate if the passenger air bag status light is lit or if the front passenger seat is unoccupied. For additional information, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section.
- The seat belts and the front air bags are most effective when you are sitting well back and upright in the seat. The front air bags inflate with great force. Even with the NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System, if you are unrestrained, leaning forward, sitting sideways or out of position in any way, you are at greater risk of injury or death in a crash. You may also receive serious or fatal injuries from the front air bag if you are up against it when it inflates. Always sit back against the seatback and as far away as practical from the steering wheel or instrument panel. Always use the seat belts.

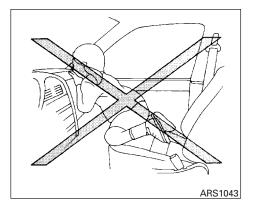
- The driver and front passenger seat belt buckles are equipped with sensors that detect if the seat belts are fastened. The Advanced Air Bag System monitors the severity of a collision and seat belt usage then inflates the air bags as needed. Failure to properly wear seat belts can increase the risk or severity of injury in an accident.
- The front passenger seat is equipped with an occupant classification sensor (pressure sensor) that turns the front passenger air bag OFF under some conditions. This sensor is only used in this seat. Failure to be properly seated and wearing the seat belt can increase the risk or severity of injury in an accident. For additional information, refer to "Front Passenger air bag and status light" in this section.
- Keep hands on the outside of the steering wheel. Placing them inside the steering wheel rim could increase the risk that they are injured when the front air bag inflates.

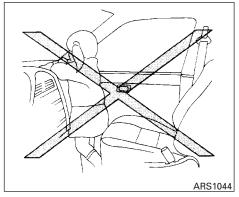




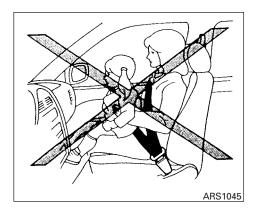
Never let children ride unrestrained or extend their hands or face out of the window. Do not attempt to hold them in your lap or arms. Some examples of dangerous riding positions are shown in the illustrations.

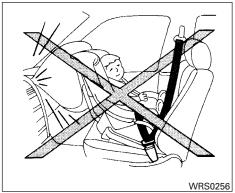




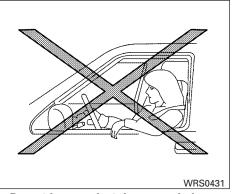


Children may be severely injured or killed when the front air bags, side air bags or curtain and rollover air bags inflate if they are not properly restrained. Pre-teens and children should be properly restrained in the rear seat, if possible.





Even with the NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System, never install a rear-facing child restraint in the front seat. An inflating front air bag could seriously iniure or kill vour child. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section for details.

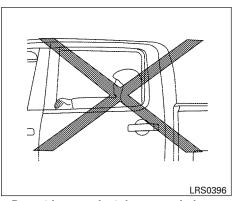


Do not lean against doors or windows.

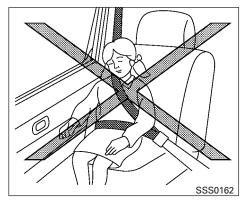
# **WARNING**

Front seat-mounted side-impact supplemental air bags and roof-mounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bags:

• The side air bags and curtain and rollover air bags ordinarily will not inflate in the event of a frontal impact, rear impact, or lower severity side collision. Always wear your seat belts to help reduce the risk or severity of injury in various kinds of accidents.

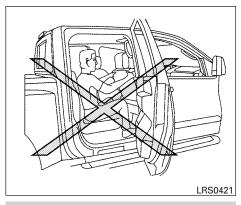


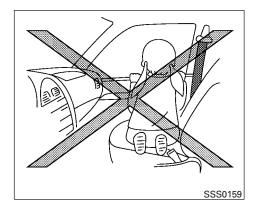
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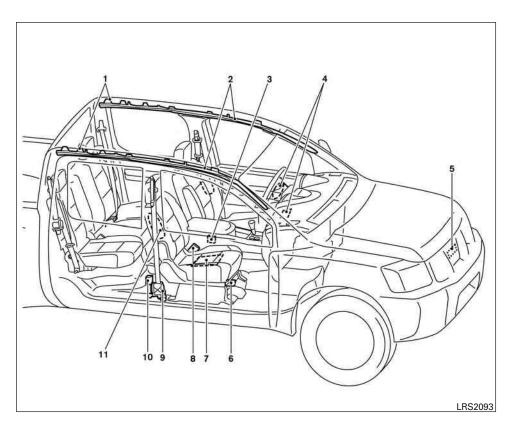
Do not lean against doors or windows.

The seat belts, the side air bags and curtain and rollover air bags are most effective when you are sitting well back and upright in the seat. The side air bag and curtain and rollover air bag inflate with great force. Do not allow anyone to place their hand, leg or face near the side air bag on the side of the seatback of the front seat or near the side roof rails. Do not allow anyone sitting in the front seats or rear outboard seats to extend their hand out of the window or lean against the door. Some examples of dangerous riding positions are shown in the previous illustrations.





- When sitting in the rear seat, do not hold onto the seatback of the front seat. If the side air bag inflates, you may be seriously injured. Be especially careful with children, who should always be properly restrained. Some examples of dangerous riding positions are shown in the illustrations.
- Do not use seat covers on the front seatbacks. They may interfere with side air bag inflation.



# NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System (front seats)

- 1. Roof-mounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bags inflators
- 2. Roof-mounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bag
- 3. Air bag Control Unit (ACU)
- 4. Supplemental front-impact air bag modules
- 5. Crash zone sensor
- 6. Occupant classification system control unit
- 7. Occupant classification sensor (weight sensor)
- 8. Seat belt buckle switches.
- 9. Seat belt with pretensioner
- Satellite sensors
- 11. Front seat-mounted side-impact supplemental air bag modules

This vehicle is equipped with the NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System for the driver and right front passenger seats. This system is designed to meet certification requirements under U.S. regulations. It is also permitted in Canada. However,

# all of the information, cautions and warnings in this manual still apply and must be followed.

The driver supplemental front-impact air bag is located in the center of the steering wheel. The passenger supplemental front-impact air bag is mounted in the dashboard above the glove box. The supplemental front air bags are designed to inflate in higher severity frontal collisions, although they may inflate if the forces in another type of collision are similar to those of a higher severity frontal impact. They may not inflate in certain frontal collisions. Vehicle damage (or lack of it) is not always an indication of proper front air bag system operation.

The NISSAN Advanced Air Bag System has dual stage inflators. It also monitors information from the crash zone sensor, the Air Bag Control Unit (ACU), seat belt buckle sensors, occupant classification sensor (weight sensor) and right front passenger seat belt tension sensor. Inflator operation is based on the severity of a collision and seat belt usage for the driver. For the right front passenger, it additionally monitors the weight of an occupant or object on the seat and seat belt tension. Based on information from the sensors, only one front air bag may inflate in a crash, depending on the crash severity and whether the front occupants are belted or unbelted. Additionally, the right front passenger air bag may be

automatically turned OFF under some conditions, depending on the weight detected on the passenger seat and how the seat belt is used. If the front passenger air bag is OFF, the passenger air bag status light will be illuminated (if the seat is unoccupied, the light will not be illuminated, but the air bag will be off). For additional information, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in this section. One front air bag inflating does not indicate improper performance of the system.

If you have any questions about your air bag system, please contact NISSAN or your NISSAN dealer. If you are considering modification of your vehicle due to a disability, you may also contact NISSAN. Contact information is contained in the beginning of this Owner's Manual.

When a front air bag inflates, a fairly loud noise may be heard, followed by the release of smoke. This smoke is not harmful and does not indicate a fire. Care should be taken to not inhale it, as it may cause irritation and choking. Those with a history of a breathing condition should get fresh air promptly.

Front air bags, along with the use of seat belts, help to cushion the impact force on the face and chest of the driver and right front passenger. They can help save lives and reduce serious injuries. However, an inflating front air bag may cause facial abrasions or other injuries. Front air bags do not provide restraint to the lower body.

Even with NISSAN advanced air bags, seat belts should be correctly worn and the driver and passenger seated upright as far as practical away from the steering wheel or instrument panel. The front air bags inflate quickly in order to help protect the front occupants. Because of this, the force of the front air bag inflating can increase the risk of injury if the occupant is too close to, or is against, the front air bag module during inflation.

The front air bags deflate quickly after a collision.

The front air bags operate only when the ignition switch is in the ON or START position.

After turning the ignition key to the ON position, the supplemental air bag warning light illuminates. The supplemental air bag warning light will turn off after about 7 seconds if the system is operational.



Front passenger air bag and status light

# **AWARNING**

The front passenger air bag is designed to automatically turn OFF under some conditions. Read this section carefully to learn how it operates. Proper use of the seat, seat belt and child restraints is necessary for most effective protection. Failure to follow all instructions in this manual concerning the use of seats, seat belts and child restraints can increase the risk or severity of injury in an accident.

#### Status light

The right front passenger air bag status light is located under the climate controls. After the ignition switch is placed in the "ON" position, the front passenger air bag status light on the instrument panel illuminates for about 7 seconds and then turns off or operates depending on the front passenger seat occupied status. The light operates as follows:

- Unoccupied passenger's seat: The light is OFF and the front passenger air bag is OFF and will not inflate in a crash.
- Passenger's seat occupied by a small adult, child or child restraint as outlined in this section: The illuminates to indicate that the front passenger air bag is OFF and will not inflate in a crash.
- Occupied passenger seat and the passenger meets the conditions outlined in this section: The light is OFF to indicate that the front passenger air bag is operational.

#### Front passenger air bag

The right front passenger air bag is designed to automatically turn OFF when the vehicle is operated under some conditions as described below in accordance with U.S. regulations. If the front passenger air bag is OFF it will not inflate in a crash. The driver air bag and other air bags in your vehicle are not part of this system.

The purpose of the regulation is to help reduce the risk of injury or death from an inflating air bag to certain front passenger seat occupants, such as children, by requiring the air bag to be automatically turned OFF. Certain sensors are used to meet the requirements.

One sensor used is the occupant classification sensor (weight sensor). It is in the bottom of the right front passenger seat cushion and is designed to detect an occupant and objects on the right front seat by weight. It works together with seat belt sensors described in this section. For example, if a child is in the right front passenger seat, the Advanced Air Bag System is designed to turn the passenger air bag OFF in accordance with the regulations. Also, if a child restraint of the type specified in the regulations is on the seat, its weight and the child's weight can be detected and cause the air bag to turn OFF. Occupant classification sensor operation can vary depending on the right front passenger seat belt sensors.

The front passenger seat belt sensors are designed to detect if the seat belt is buckled and the amount of tension on the seat belt, such as when it is in the Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) mode (child restraint mode). Based on the

weight on the seat detected by the occupant classification sensor and the belt tension detected on the seat belt, the Advanced Air Bag System determines whether the front passenger air bag should be automatically turned OFF, as required by the regulations.

Front passenger seat adult occupants who are properly seated and using the seat belt as outlined in this manual should not cause the passenger air bag to be automatically turned OFF. For small adults it may be turned OFF; however, if the occupant takes his/her weight off the seat cushion (for example, by not sitting upright, by sitting on an edge of the seat, or by otherwise being out of position), this could cause the sensor to turn the air bag OFF. In addition, if the occupant improperly uses the seat belt in the ALR mode (child restraint mode), this could cause the air bag to be turned OFF. Always be sure to be seated and wearing the seat belt properly for the most effective protection by the seat belt and supplemental air bag.

NISSAN recommends that pre-teens and children be properly restrained in a rear seat. NISSAN also recommends that appropriate child restraints and booster seats be properly installed in a rear seat. If this is not possible, the occupant classification sensor and seat belt sensors are designed to operate as described above to turn the front passenger air bag OFF for specified

child restraints as required by the regulations. Failing to properly secure child restraints and to use the ALR mode (child restraint mode) may allow the restraint to tip or move in a collision or sudden stop. This can also result in the passenger air bag inflating in a crash instead of being OFF. For additional information, refer to "Child restraints" in this section for proper use and installation.

If the right front passenger seat is not occupied the passenger air bag is designed not to inflate in a crash. However, heavy objects placed on the seat could result in air bag inflation, because of the object's weight detected by the occupant classification sensor. Other conditions could also result in air bag inflation, such as if a child is standing on the seat, or if two children are on the seat, contrary to the instructions in this manual. Always be sure that you and all vehicle occupants are seated and restrained properly.

Using the passenger air bag status light, you can monitor when the front passenger air bag is automatically turned OFF with the seat occupied. The light will not illuminate when the right front passenger seat is unoccupied.

If an adult occupant is in the seat but the passenger air bag status light is illuminated (indicating that the air bag is OFF), it could be that the person is a small adult, or is not sitting on the seat properly or not using the seat belt properly.

If a child restraint must be used in the front seat, the passenger air bag status light may or may not be illuminated, depending on the size of the child and the type of child restraint being used. If the air bag status light is not illuminated (indicating that the air bag might inflate in a crash), it could be that the child restraint or seat belt is not being used properly. Make sure that the child restraint is installed properly, the seat belt is used properly and the occupant is positioned properly. If the air bag status light is not illuminated, reposition the occupant or child restraint in a rear seat.

If the passenger air bag status light will not illuminate even though you believe that the child restraint, the seat belts and the occupant are properly positioned, the system may be sensing an unoccupied seat (in which case the air bag is OFF). Your NISSAN dealer can check that the system is OFF by using a special tool. However, until you have confirmed with your dealer that your air bag is working properly, reposition the occupant or child restraint in a rear seat.

The air bag system and passenger air bag status light will take a few seconds to register a change in the passenger seat status. For example, if a large adult who is sitting in the front passenger seat exits the vehicle, the passenger air bag

status light will go from OFF to ON for a few seconds and then to OFF. This is normal system operation and does not indicate a malfunction.

If a malfunction occurs in the front passenger air bag system, the supplemental air bag warning light , located in the meter and gauges area on the driver's side of the instrument panel, will blink. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

Other supplemental front-impact air bag precautions

# **AWARNING**

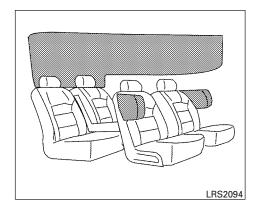
- Do not place any objects on the steering wheel pad or on the instrument panel. Also, do not place any objects between any occupant and the steering wheel or instrument panel. Such objects may become dangerous projectiles and cause injury if the front air bags inflate.
- Immediately after inflation, several front air bag system components will be hot. Do not touch them; you may severely burn yourself.

- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the supplemental air bag system. This is to prevent accidental inflation of the supplemental air bag or damage to the supplemental air bag system.
- Do not make unauthorized changes to vour vehicle's electrical system, suspension system or front end structure. This could affect proper operation of the front air bag system.
- Tampering with the front air bag system may result in serious personal injury. Tampering includes changes to the steering wheel and the instrument panel assembly by placing material over the steering wheel pad and above the instrument panel or by installing additional trim material around the air bag system.
- Modifying or tampering with the front passenger seat may result in serious personal injury. For example, do not change the front seats by placing material on the seat cushion or by installing additional trim material, such as seat covers, on the seat that are not specifically designed to assure proper air bag operation. Additionally, do not stow any objects under the front passenger seat or the seat cushion and seatback. Such objects may interfere with the proper operation of the occupant classification sensor (pressure sensor).
- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the seat belt system. This may affect the front air bag system. Tampering with the seat belt system may result in serious personal injury.

- Work on and around the front air bag system should be done by a NISSAN dealer. Installation of electrical equipment should also be done by a NISSAN dealer. The Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) wiring should not be modified or disconnected. Unauthorized electrical test equipment and probing devices should not be used on the air bag system.
- A cracked windshield should be replaced immediately by a qualified repair facility. A cracked windshield could affect the function of the supplemental air bag system.

#### \*The SRS wiring harness connectors are vellow and orange for easy identification.

When selling your vehicle, we request that you inform the buyer about the front air bag system and guide the buyer to the appropriate sections in this Owner's Manual



Front seat-mounted side-impact supplemental air bag and roofmounted curtain side-impact and rollover supplemental air bag systems

The side air bags are located in the outside of the seatback of the front seats. The curtain air bags are located in the side roof rails. All of the information, cautions and warnings in this manual must be followed. The side air bags and curtain air bags are designed to inflate in higher severity side collisions, although they may inflate if the forces in another type of collision are similar to those of a higher severity impact. They

are designed to inflate on the side where the vehicle is impacted. They may not inflate in certain side collisions.

Curtain air bags are also designed to inflate in certain types of rollover collisions or near rollovers. As a result, certain vehicle movements (for example, during severe off-roading) may cause the curtain air bags to inflate.

Vehicle damage (or lack of it) is not always an indication of proper side air bag and curtain air bag operation.

When the side air bags and curtain air bags inflate, a fairly loud noise may be heard, followed by release of smoke. This smoke is not harmful and does not indicate a fire. Care should be taken not to inhale it, as it may cause irritation and choking. Those with a history of a breathing condition should get fresh air promptly.

Side air bags, along with the use of seat belts, help to cushion the impact force on the chest of the front occupants. Curtain air bags help to cushion the impact force to the head of occupants in the front and rear outboard seating positions. They can help save lives and reduce serious injuries. However, an inflating side air bag or curtain air bag may cause abrasions or other injuries. Side air bags and curtain air bags do not provide restraint to the lower body.

The seat belts should be correctly worn and the driver and passenger seated upright as far as practical away from the side air bag. Rear seat passengers should be seated as far away as practical from the door finishers and side roof rails. The side air bags and curtain air bags inflate quickly in order to help protect the occupants. Because of this, the force of the side air bag and curtain air bag inflating can increase the risk of injury if the occupant is too close to, or is against, these air bag modules during inflation. The side air bag will deflate quickly after the collision is over.

The curtain air bags will remain inflated for a short time.

The side air bags and curtain air bags operate only when the ignition switch is in the ON or START position.

After placing the ignition switch in the ON position, the supplemental air bag warning light illuminates. The supplemental air bag warning light will turn off after about 7 seconds if the system is operational.

# **AWARNING**

- Do not place any objects near the seatback of the front seats. Also, do not place any objects (an umbrella, bag, etc.) between the front door finisher and the front seat. Such objects may become dangerous projectiles and cause injury if a side air bag inflates.
- Right after inflation, several side air bag and curtain air bag system components will be hot. Do not touch them: you may severely burn yourself.
- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the side air bag and curtain air bag systems. This is to prevent damage to or accidental inflation of the side air bag and curtain air bag systems.
- Do not make unauthorized changes to your vehicle's electrical system, suspension system or side panel. This could affect proper operation of the curtain air bag systems.

- Tampering with the side air bag system may result in serious personal injury. For example, do not change the front seats by placing material near the seatbacks or by installing additional trim material, such as seat covers, around the side air bag.
- Work around and on the side air bag and curtain air bag systems should be done by a NISSAN dealer. Installation of electrical equipment should also be done by a NISSAN dealer. The SRS wiring harnesses\* should not be modified or disconnected. Unauthorized electrical test equipment and probing devices should not be used on the side air bag or curtain air bag systems.

\* The SRS wiring harness or connectors are vellow or orange for easy identification.

When selling your vehicle, we request that you inform the buyer about the side air bag and curtain air bag systems and guide the buyer to the appropriate sections in this Owner's Manual. Seat belts with pretensioners (front outboard seats)

#### **AWARNING**

- The pretensioners cannot be reused after activation. They must be replaced together with the retractor and buckle as a unit.
- If the vehicle becomes involved in a collision but a pretensioner is not activated, be sure to have the pretensioner system checked and, if necessary, replaced by your NISSAN dealer.
- No unauthorized changes should be made to any components or wiring of the pretensioner system. This is to prevent damage to or accidental activation of the pretensioners. Tampering with the pretensioner system may result in serious personal injury.
- Work around and on the pretensioner system should be done by a NISSAN dealer. Installation of electrical equipment should also be done by a NISSAN dealer. Unauthorized electrical test equipment and probing devices should not be used on the pretensioner system.

• If you need to dispose of a pretensioner or scrap the vehicle, contact a NISSAN dealer. Incorrect disposal procedures could cause personal injury.

The pretensioner system may activate with the supplemental air bag system in certain types of collisions. Working with the seat belt retractor, the pretensioner helps tighten the seat belt when the vehicle becomes involved in certain types of collisions, helping to restrain front seat occupants.

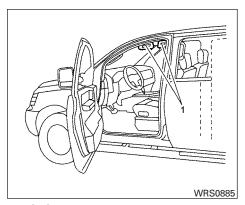
The pretensioner is encased with the seat belt retractor. These seat belts are used the same way as conventional seat belts.

When a pretensioner activates, smoke is released and a loud noise may be heard. This smoke is not harmful and does not indicate a fire. Care should be taken not to inhale it, as it may cause irritation and choking. Those with a history of a breathing condition should get fresh air promptly.

After pretensioner activation, load limiters allow the seat belt to release webbing (if necessary) to reduce forces against the chest.

The supplemental air bag warning light \* is used to indicate malfunctions in the pretensioner system. For additional information, refer to "Supplemental air bag warning light" in this section. If the operation of the supplemental air bag warning light indicates there is a malfunction. have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

When selling your vehicle, we request that you inform the buyer about the pretensioner system and guide the buyer to the appropriate sections in this Owner's Manual.



1. SRS Air bag warning labels

The warning labels are located on the surface of the sun visor.

## SUPPLEMENTAL AIR BAG WARNING LABELS

Warning labels about the supplemental frontimpact air bag system are placed in the vehicle as shown in the illustration.



# SUPPLEMENTAL AIR BAG WARNING LIGHT

The supplemental air bag warning light, displaying \* in the instrument panel, monitors the circuits for the air bag systems, pretensioners and all related wiring.

When the ignition key is in the ON or START position, the supplemental air bag warning light illuminates for about 7 seconds and then turns off. This means the system is operational.

If any of the following conditions occur, the front air bag, side air bag, curtain air bag and pretensioner systems need servicing:

- The supplemental air bag warning light remains on after approximately 7 seconds.
- The supplemental air bag warning light flashes intermittently.
- The supplemental air bag warning light does not come on at all.

Under these conditions, the front air bag, side air bag and curtain air bag or pretensioner systems may not operate properly. They must be checked and repaired. Take your vehicle to the nearest NISSAN dealer.

#### **AWARNING**

If the supplemental air bag warning light is on, it could mean that the front air bag, side air bag, curtain and rollover air bag and/or pretensioner systems will not operate in an accident. To help avoid injury to vourself or others, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.

# Repair and replacement procedure

The front air bags, side air bags, curtain supplemental air bags and pretensioners are designed to inflate on a one-time-only basis. As a reminder, unless it is damaged, the supplemental air bag warning light remains illuminated after inflation has occurred. Repair and replacement of these supplemental air bag systems should be done only by a NISSAN dealer.

When maintenance work is required on the vehicle, the front air bags, side air bags, curtain air bags, pretensioners and related parts should be pointed out to the person performing the maintenance. The ignition key should always be in the LOCK position when working under the hood or inside the vehicle.

# **AWARNING**

Once a front air bag, side air bag or curtain air bag has inflated, the air bag module will not function again and must be replaced. Additionally, the activated pretensioners must also be replaced. The air bag module and pretensioners should be replaced by a NISSAN dealer. The air bag module and pretensioner cannot be repaired.

- The front air bag, side air bag, curtain air bag systems and the pretensioner system should be inspected by a NISSAN dealer if there is any damage to the front end or side portion of the vehicle.
- If you need to dispose of a supplemental air bag or pretensioners or scrap the vehicle, contact a NISSAN dealer. Correct supplemental air bag and pretensioner system disposal procedures are set forth in the appropriate NISSAN Service Manual, Incorrect disposal procedures could cause personal injury.

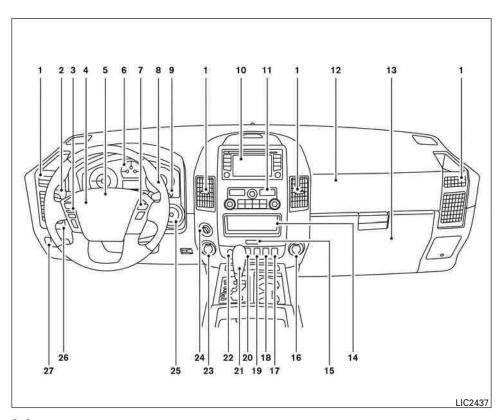
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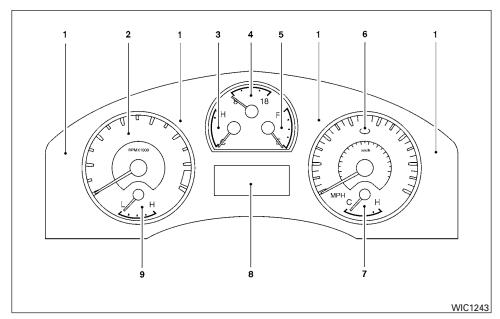


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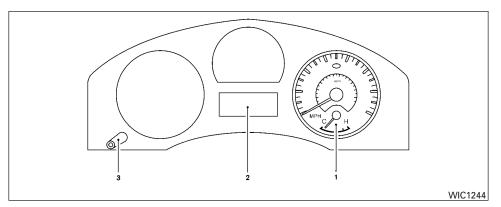
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- \*: Refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual (if so equipped).

See the page number indicated in parentheses for operating details.



- Warning/indicator lights
- **Tachometer**
- Engine coolant temperature gauge
- Voltmeter (if so equipped)
- Fuel gauge
- Speedometer

- Automatic transmission fluid temperature gauge (if so equipped)
- Odometer/Twin trip odometer/Vehicle Information Display
- Engine oil pressure gauge (if so equipped)



# SPEEDOMETER AND ODOMETER

- 1. Speedometer
- 2. Odometer/twin trip display
- 3. Change/reset button

# Speedometer

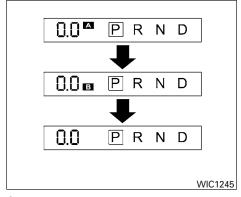
The speedometer indicates vehicle speed.

# Odometer/Twin trip odometer

The odometer/twin trip odometer is displayed when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position.

The odometer records the total distance the vehicle is driven.

The twin trip odometer records the distance of individual trips.



# Changing the display:

Pushing the change/reset button changes the display as follows:

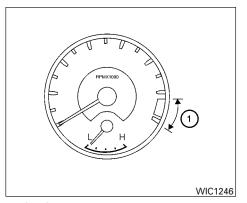
Trip 
$$A \rightarrow Trip B \rightarrow Odometer only$$

Elapsed time, driving distance and average speed information is also available for vehicles with a navigation system. For additional information, refer to "Control panel buttons-color screen with navigation system" in the "Monitor, climate, audio, phone and voice recognition systems" section of this manual.

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#### Resetting the trip odometer:

Pushing the change/reset button for more than 1 second resets the currently displayed trip odometer to zero.

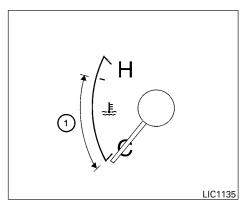


## **TACHOMETER**

The tachometer indicates engine speed in revolutions per minute (RPM). Do not rev the engine into the red zone (1).

# **A** CAUTION

When engine speed approaches the red zone, shift to a higher gear or reduce engine speed. Operating the engine in the red zone may cause serious engine damage.



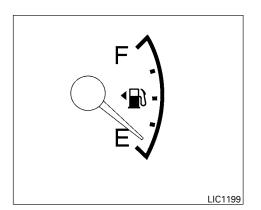
# ENGINE COOLANT TEMPERATURE **GAUGE**

The gauge indicates the engine coolant temperature. The engine coolant temperature is within the normal range (1) when the gauge needle points within the zone shown in the illustration.

The engine coolant temperature varies with the outside air temperature and driving conditions.

# **A** CAUTION

If the gauge indicates coolant temperature near the hot (H) end of the normal range, reduce vehicle speed to decrease temperature. If the gauge is over the normal range, stop the vehicle as soon as safely possible. If the engine is overheated, continued operation of the vehicle may seriously damage the engine. For additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual for immediate action required.



#### **FUEL GAUGE**

The gauge indicates the **approximate** fuel level in the tank.

The gauge may move slightly during braking, turning, acceleration, or going up or down hills.

The gauge needle returns to E (Empty) after the ignition key is turned to OFF.

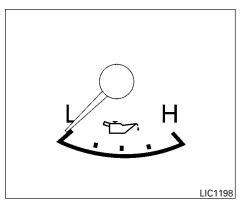
The low fuel warning light comes on when the amount of fuel in the tank is getting low.

Refill the fuel tank before the gauge registers E (Empty).

The Indicates that the fuel-filler door is located on the driver's side of the vehicle.

#### **A** CAUTION

- If the vehicle runs out of fuel, the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) may come on. Refuel as soon as possible.
   After a few driving trips, the light should turn off. If the light remains on after a few driving trips, have the vehicle inspected by a NISSAN dealer.
- For additional information, refer to "Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL)" in this section.

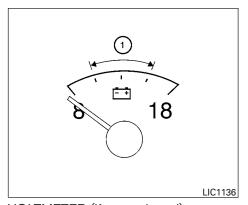


# ENGINE OIL PRESSURE GAUGE (if so equipped)

The gauge indicates the engine lubrication system oil pressure while the engine is running. The needle should be in the middle of the gauge when the engine is running.

# **A** CAUTION

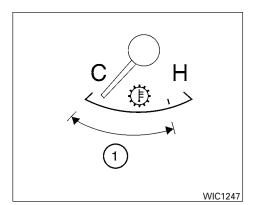
- This gauge is not designed to indicate low engine oil level. Use the dipstick to check the oil level. (For additional information, refer to "Engine oil" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.)
- If the gauge needle does not move with the proper amount of engine oil, have the vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer. Continued vehicle operation in such a condition could cause serious damage to the engine.



# VOLTMETER (if so equipped)

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the voltmeter indicates the battery voltage. When the engine is running, it indicates the generator voltage.

While cranking the engine, the volts drop below the normal range. If the needle is not in the normal range (11 - 15 volts) (1) while the engine is running, it may indicate that the charging system is not functioning properly. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.



# AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION FLUID TEMPERATURE GAUGE (if so equipped)

This gauge indicates the temperature of the automatic transmission fluid. The automatic transmission fluid temperature is in the normal range ① when the gauge needle points within the zone shown in the illustration

# **A**CAUTION

- This gauge is not designed to indicate low automatic transmission fluid level. Use the dipstick to check the fluid level. (For additional information, refer to "5-speed automatic transmission fluid" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.)
- If the gauge indicates automatic transmission fluid temperature over the normal range, stop the vehicle as soon as safely possible. Have the vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer. Continued operation of the vehicle may seriously damage the transmission.

# **COMPASS DISPLAY** (if so equipped)

This unit measures terrestrial magnetism and indicates the heading direction of the vehicle.

With the ignition switch in the ON position, press the O or N- button as described in the charts below to activate various features of the automatic anti-glare rearview mirror.

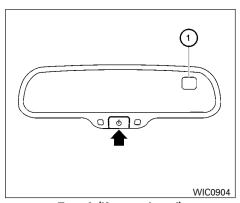
#### Type A (if so equipped)

Push and hold the <b>b</b>	Feature: (Push button again for about 1 second to change settings)
1 second	Compass display toggles on/off
8 seconds	Automatic anti-glare/indicator light toggles on/off
11 seconds	Compass zone can be changed to correct false compass readings
13 seconds	Compass enters calibration mode

## Type B (if so equipped)

Push and hold the -N-button for about:	Feature: (Push button again for about 1 second to change settings)
1 second	Compass display toggles on/off
8 seconds	Compass zone can be changed to correct false compass readings
10 seconds	Compass enters calibration mode

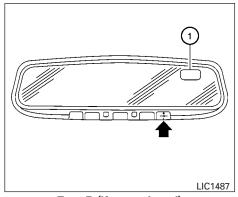
For additional information about the automatic anti-glare feature, refer to "Automatic anti-glare rearview mirror" in the "Pre-driving checks and adjustments" section of this manual.



Type A (if so equipped) COMPASS DISPLAY

Push the or -N- button for about 1 second when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position to toggle the compass direction display (1) on or off. The display will indicate the direction that the vehicle is heading.

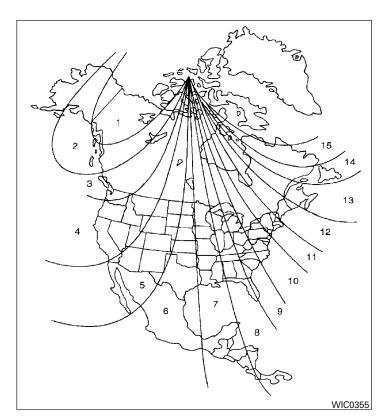
N: North E: East S: South W: West



Type B (if so equipped)

If the display reads "C", calibrate the compass by driving the vehicle in three complete circles at less than 5 MPH (8 km/h).

You can also calibrate the compass by driving your vehicle on your everyday route. The compass will be calibrated once it has tracked three complete circles.



# Zone variation change procedure

The difference between magnetic north and geographical north is known as variance. In some areas, this difference can sometimes be great enough to cause false compass readings. Follow these instructions to set the variance for your particular location if this happens:

- Press and hold the ♥ button for about
   11 seconds or the -N- button for about
   8 seconds. The current zone number will appear in the display. Release the button.
- Find your current location on the zone map. Refer to the illustration.
- Press the ♥ or the -Ñ- button repeatedly to toggle through the zone numbers until the desired number appears in the display. Once you have selected a zone number, the display will show a compass direction within a few seconds.

#### NOTE:

#### Use zone number 5 for Hawaii.

#### Inaccurate compass direction

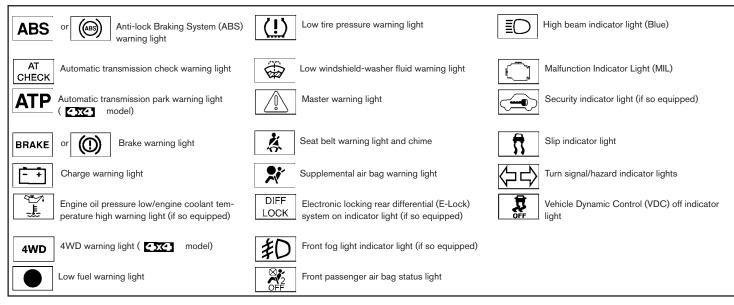
The compass display is equipped with automatic correction function. If the correct direction is not shown, follow this procedure.

- 1. With the display turned on, press and hold the -N- for about 10 seconds. The "C" icon in the compass display will illuminate.
- 2. Calibrate the compass by driving the vehicle in three complete circles at a maximum speed of 5 MPH (8 km/h).
- 3. After completing the circles, the display should return to normal.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not install a ski rack, antenna, etc., which are attached to the vehicle by means of a magnet. They affect the operation of the compass.
- When cleaning the mirror, use a paper towel or similar material dampened with glass cleaner. Do not spray glass cleaner directly on the mirror as it may cause the liquid cleaner to enter the mirror housing.

# WARNING/INDICATOR LIGHTS AND AUDIBLE REMINDERS



#### **CHECKING BULBS**

With all doors closed, apply the parking brake and place the ignition switch in the ON position without starting the engine. The following lights will come on:

📆 , BRAKE Or 🛈 , 🖫 , 🗘 , 4WD

The following lights come on briefly and then go off:

ABS or (®) , \*, ft , (!) , \$

If any light fails to come on, it may indicate a burned-out bulb or an open circuit in the electrical system. Have the system repaired promptly.

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#### WARNING LIGHTS

For additional information on warnings and indicators, refer to "Vehicle information display" in this section.





Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) warning light

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the ABS warning light illuminates and then turns off. This indicates the ABS is operational.

If the ABS warning light illuminates while the engine is running or while driving, it may indicate the ABS is not functioning properly. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

If an ABS malfunction occurs, the anti-lock function is turned off. The brake system then operates normally, but without anti-lock assistance. For additional information, refer to "Brake system" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

CHECK

Automatic Transmission check warning light

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the light comes on for about 2 seconds. If the light comes on at any other time, it may

indicate the automatic transmission system is not functioning properly. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

**ATP** Automatic transmission park warning light ( exe model)

# **WARNING**

- If the ATP light is ON, this indicates that the automatic transmission P (Park) position will not function and the transfer case is in neutral.
- When parking, always make sure that the 4WD shift indicator light illuminates and the parking brake is set. Failure to engage the transfer position in 2WD, 4H or 4LO could result in the vehicle moving unexpectedly, resulting in serious personal injury or property damage.
- Shift the 4WD switch into the 2WD. 4H or 4LO position again to turn off the ATP warning light when the shift lever to the P position and the ATP warning light is ON. (Before shifting the 4WD switch into the 4LO position, move the shift lever to the N position once, shift the shift lever into P again and make sure the ATP warning light is OFF.)

This light indicates that the automatic transmission parking function is not engaged. If the transfer control is not secured in any drive position while the shift lever is in the P (Park) position, the transmission will disengage and the drive wheels will not lock.

BRAKE



Brake warning light

This light functions for both the parking brake and the foot brake systems.

# Parking brake indicator

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the light comes on when the parking brake is applied.

#### Low brake fluid warning light

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the light warns of a low brake fluid level. If the light comes on while the engine is running with the parking brake not applied, stop the vehicle and perform the following:

- 1. Check the brake fluid level. Add brake fluid as necessary. For additional information, refer to the "Maintenance and do-it-vourself" section of this manual.
- 2. If the brake fluid level is correct, have the warning system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

- Your brake system may not be working properly if the warning light is on. Driving could be dangerous. If you judge it to be safe, drive carefully to the nearest service station for repairs. Otherwise, have your vehicle towed because driving it could be dangerous.
- Pressing the brake pedal with the engine stopped and/or a low brake fluid level may increase your stopping distance and braking will require greater pedal effort and pedal travel.
- If the brake fluid level is below the MINIMUM or MIN mark on the brake fluid reservoir, do not drive until the brake system has been checked at a NISSAN dealer.

# Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) warning indicator

When the parking brake is released and the brake fluid level is sufficient, if both the brake warning light and the ABS warning light illuminates, it may indicate the ABS is not functioning properly. Have the brake system checked, and if necessary, repaired by a NISSAN dealer promptly. Avoid high-speed driving and abrupt

braking. For additional information, refer to "Antilock Braking System (ABS) warning light" in this section.



# Charge warning light

If this light comes on while the engine is running, it may indicate the charging system is not functioning properly. Turn the engine off and check the generator belt. If the belt is loose, broken, missing, or if the light remains on, see a NISSAN dealer immediately.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not ground electrical accessories directly to the battery terminal. Doing so will bypass the variable control system and the vehicle battery may not charge completely. For additional information, refer to "Variable voltage control system" in the "Maintenance and do-ityourself" section of this manual.
- Do not continue driving if the generator belt is loose, broken or missing



Engine oil pressure low/ Engine coolant temperature high warning light (if so equipped)

This light warns of low engine oil pressure or high engine coolant temperature.

If the light flickers or comes on during normal driving, pull off the road in a safe area, stop the engine and allow it to cool. If the light remains on after checking the oil and coolant, stop the engine **immediately** and call a NISSAN dealer or other authorized repair shop.

This light is not designed to indicate a low oil or low coolant level. Check the oil level with the dipstick and check the coolant level on the reservoir. For additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section and "Engine oil" and "Checking engine coolant level" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

# **A** CAUTION

- Running the engine with the engine oil pressure warning light on could cause serious damage to the engine almost immediately. Such damage is not covered by warranty. Turn off the engine as soon as it is safe to do so.
- If the gauge indicates engine coolant temperature over the normal range, stop the vehicle as soon as safely possible. If the engine is overheated, continued operation of the vehicle may seriously damage the engine. additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section for immediate action required.

4WD

4WD warning light ( 2x2) model)

The 4WD warning light comes on when the key switch is turned to ON. It turns off soon after the engine is started.

If the engine or vehicle is not functioning properly, the warning light will either remain illuminated or blink. For additional information, refer to "4WD warning light" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

## **A** CAUTION

- If the warning light comes on or blinks during operation, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.
- Do not drive on dry hard surface roads in the 4H or 4LO position. If the 4WD warning light turns on when you are driving on dry hard surface roads:
  - in the 4H position, shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
  - in the 4LO position, stop the vehicle, move the shift lever to the N position with the brake pedal depressed, and shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
- If the warning light is still on after the above operation, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.



Low fuel warning light

This light comes on when the fuel level in the fuel tank is getting low. Refuel as soon as it is convenient, preferably before the fuel gauge reaches E (Empty). There will be a small reserve of fuel in the tank when the fuel gauge needle reaches E (Empty).



Low tire pressure warning light

Your vehicle is equipped with a TPMS that monitors the tire pressure of all tires except the spare.

The low tire pressure warning light warns of low tire pressure or indicates that the TPMS is not functioning properly.

After the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, this light illuminates for about 1 second and turns off.

## Low tire pressure warning:

If the vehicle is being driven with low tire pressure, the warning light will illuminate. A CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning also appears in the vehicle information display. If you select the tire pressure information in the display (if so equipped), the LOW PRESSURE warning message will be displayed. The tire pressure for each tire will also be displayed.

When the low tire pressure warning light illuminates, you should stop and adjust the tire pressure of all four tires to the recommended COLD tire pressure shown on the Tire and Loading Information label located in the driver's door opening. The low tire pressure warning light does not automatically turn off when the tire pressure is adiusted. After the tire is inflated to the recommended pressure, the vehicle must be driven at speeds above 16 MPH (25 km/h) to activate the TPMS and turn off the low tire pressure warning light. Use a tire pressure gauge to check the tire pressure.

The CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning appears each time the ignition switch is placed in the ON position as long as the low tire pressure warning light remains illuminated.

For additional information, refer to "Vehicle information display" in the "Instruments and controls" section and "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "Starting and driving" section and in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

#### TPMS malfunction:

If the TPMS is not functioning properly, the low tire pressure warning light will flash for approximately 1 minute when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position. The light will remain on after the 1 minute. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer. The CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning does not appear if the low tire pressure warning light illuminates to indicate a TPMS malfunction.

For additional information, refer to "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "Starting and driving" section and "Tire pressure" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section in this manual.

# **WARNING**

- Radio waves could adversely affect electrical medical equipment. Those who use a pacemaker should contact the electric medical equipment manufacturer for the possible influences before use.
- If the light does not illuminate with the ignition switch in the ON position, have the vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.
- If the light illuminates while driving, avoid sudden steering maneuvers or abrupt braking, reduce vehicle speed, pull off the road to a safe location and stop the vehicle as soon as possible. Driving with under-inflated tires may permanently damage the tires and increase the likelihood of tire failure. Serious vehicle damage could occur and may lead to an accident and could result

- in serious personal injury. Check the tire pressure for all four tires. Adjust the tire pressure to the recommended **COLD** tire pressure shown on the Tire and Loading Information label located in the driver's door opening to turn the low tire pressure warning light OFF. If the light still comes on while driving after adjusting the tire pressure, a tire may be flat. If you have a flat tire, replace it with a spare tire as soon as possible.
- When a spare tire is mounted or a wheel is replaced, tire pressure will not be indicated, the TPMS will not function and the low tire pressure warning light will flash for approximately 1 minute. The light will remain on after 1 minute. Contact your NISSAN dealer as soon as possible for tire replacement and/or system resetting.
- Replacing tires with those not originally specified by NISSAN could affect the proper operation of the TPMS.

# **A** CAUTION

- The TPMS is not a substitute for the regular tire pressure check. Be sure to check the tire pressure regularly.
- If the vehicle is being driven at speeds of less than 16 MPH (25 km/h), the TPMS may not operate correctly.
- Be sure to install the specified size of tires to the 4 wheels correctly.



Low windshield-washer fluid warning light

This light comes on when the windshield-washer fluid is at a low level. Add windshield-washer fluid as necessary. For additional information, refer to "Windshield-washer fluid" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.



# Master warning light

This light comes on when various vehicle information display warnings appear.

- No key warning
- Low fuel warning
- Low windshield-washer fluid warning
- Parking brake release warning

- Door open warning
- Loose fuel cap warning
- Check tire pressure warning



# Seat belt warning light and chime

The light and chime remind you to fasten your seat belts. The light illuminates whenever the ignition switch is placed in the ON or START position and remains illuminated until the driver's seat belt is fastened. At the same time, the chime sounds for about 6 seconds unless the driver's seat belt is securely fastened.

The seat belt warning light may also illuminate if the front passenger's seat belt is not fastened when the front passenger's seat is occupied. For 7 seconds after the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, the system does not activate the warning light for the front passenger.

For additional information, refer to "Seat belts" in the "Safety-Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual for precautions on seat belt usage.



# Supplemental air bag warning light

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON or START position, the supplemental air bag warning light illuminates for about 7 seconds and then turns off. This means the system is operational.

If any of the following conditions occur, the front air bag, side air bag, curtain air bag, and pretensioner systems need servicing and your vehicle must be taken to a NISSAN dealer:

- The supplemental air bag warning light remains on after approximately 7 seconds.
- The supplemental air bag warning light flashes intermittently.
- The supplemental air bag warning light does not come on at all.

Unless checked and repaired, the supplemental restraint system (air bag system) and/or the seat belts with pretensioner system may not function properly. For additional information, refer to "Supplemental restraint system (SRS)" in the "Safety-Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual.

# **AWARNING**

If the supplemental air bag warning light is on, it could mean that the front air bag, side air bag, curtain air bag and/or pretensioner systems will not operate in an accident. To help avoid injury to yourself or others, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.

## INDICATOR LIGHTS

For additional information on warnings and indicators, refer to "Vehicle information display" in this section.



Electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system on indicator light (if so equipped)

This light comes on when the electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system clutch is fully engaged.

The indicator light flashes when the system is first turned on. When the system fully engages, the light remains on. If the switch is on and the indicator light continues to flash, the system is not engaged.

For additional information, refer to "Electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system switch"

in this section and "Electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.



Front fog light indicator light (if so equipped)

The front fog light indicator light illuminates when the front fog lights are ON. For additional information, refer to "Fog light switch" in this section.



Front passenger air bag status light

The front passenger air bag status light will be lit and the passenger front air bag will be OFF depending on how the front passenger seat is being used.

For front passenger air bag status light operation, refer to "Front passenger air bag and status light" in the "Safety — Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual.



High beam indicator light (blue)

This blue light comes on when the headlight high beams are on and goes out when the low beams are selected.

The high beam indicator light also comes on when the passing signal is activated.



# Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL)

If this indicator light comes on steady or blinks while the engine is running, it may indicate a potential emission control malfunction.

The MIL may also come on steady if the fuel-filler cap is loose or missing, or if the vehicle runs out of fuel. Check to make sure the fuel-filler cap is installed and closed tightly, and that the vehicle has at least 3 gal (11.4 L) of fuel in the fuel tank.

After a few driving trips, the \(\bigcirc\) light should turn off if no other potential emission control system malfunction exists.

If this indicator light comes on steady for 20 seconds and then blinks for 10 seconds when the engine is not running, it indicates that the vehicle is not ready for an emission control system inspection/maintenance test. For additional information, refer to "Readiness for inspection/maintenance (I/M) test" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

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## Operation

The MIL will come on in one of two ways:

- MIL on steady An emission control system malfunction has been detected. Check the fuel-filler cap if the LOOSE FUEL CAP warning appears in the vehicle information display. If the fuel-filler cap is loose or missing, tighten or install the cap and continue to drive the vehicle. The light should turn off after a few driving trips. If the \(\bigcap\) light does not turn off after a few driving trips, have the vehicle inspected by a NISSAN dealer. You do not need to have your vehicle towed to the dealer.
- MIL blinking An engine misfire has been detected which may damage the emission control system. To reduce or avoid emission control system damage:
  - do not drive at speeds above 45 MPH (72 km/h).
  - avoid hard acceleration or deceleration.
  - avoid steep uphill grades.
  - if possible, reduce the amount of cargo being hauled or towed.

The MIL may stop blinking and come on steady. Have the vehicle inspected by a NISSAN dealer. You do not need to have your vehicle towed to the dealer.

# **A** CAUTION

Continued vehicle operation without having the emission control system checked and repaired as necessary could lead to poor driveability, reduced fuel economy, and possible damage to the emission control system.



Security indicator light (if so equipped)

This light blinks whenever the ignition switch is in the LOCK, OFF or ACC position. This function indicates the security system equipped on the vehicle is operational.

For additional information, refer to "Security systems" in this section.



Slip indicator light

This indicator will blink when the Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system or the Traction Control System (TCS) is operating, thus alerting that the vehicle is nearing its traction limits. The road surface may be slippery.



# Turn signal/hazard indicator

The appropriate light flashes when the turn signal switch is activated.

Both lights flash when the hazard switch is turned on.



Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) off indicator light

This indicator light comes on when the VDC off switch is pushed to OFF, the transfer case is in the 4LO position ( model), or when the VDC system is not functioning properly. This indicates the VDC system is not operating.

Push the VDC off switch again or restart the engine and the system will operate normally. For additional information, refer to "Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

The VDC light also comes on when you place the ignition switch in the ON position. The light will turn off after about 2 seconds if the system is operational. If the light stays on or comes on along with the T indicator light while you are driving, have the VDC system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

While the VDC system is operating, you might feel slight vibration or hear the system working when starting the vehicle or accelerating, but this is normal.

The VDC system will be disabled and the VDC light will illuminate when the electronic locking rear differential (E-lock) system switch (if so equipped) is turned on and the E-lock system is engaged. If the E-lock system disengages or the switch is turned off, the VDC system will be enabled and the VDC light will turn off.

# **AUDIBLE REMINDERS**

# Brake pad wear warning

The disc brake pads have audible wear warnings. When a disc brake pad requires replacement, it makes a high pitched scraping sound when the vehicle is in motion, whether or not the brake pedal is depressed. Have the brakes checked as soon as possible if the warning sound is heard.

# Key reminder chime

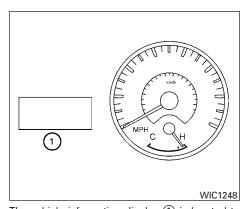
A chime sounds if the driver's door is opened while the key is left in the ignition switch. Remove the key and take it with you when leaving the vehicle.

# Light reminder chime

With the ignition switch placed in the OFF position, a chime sounds when the driver's door is opened if the headlights or parking lights are on.

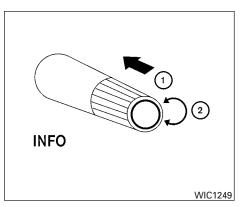
Turn the headlight control switch off before leaving the vehicle.

# **VEHICLE INFORMATION DISPLAY** (if so equipped)



The vehicle information display ① is located to the left of the speedometer. It displays such items as:

- Automatic transmission position indicator
- Cruise control system information (if so equipped)
- Some indicators and warnings



# HOW TO USE THE VEHICLE INFORMATION DISPLAY

Press the vehicle information display INFO button 1 located on the instrument panel to toggle through the following modes:

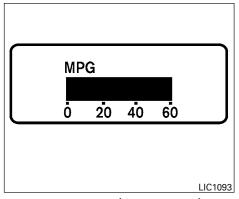
- Fuel economy (if so equipped)
- Driving averages
- Current trip information
- Range
- Outside temperature (if so equipped)
- Settings

#### Alerts

Rotate the INFO button (2) to highlight the desired menu option within the selected mode. Press the INFO button (1) to enter the highlighted menu.

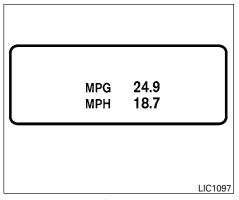
The icons at the bottom of the display screen show the options available:

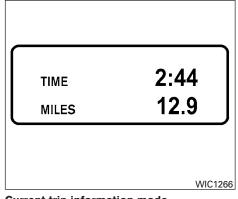
- FNTFR Press the INFO button to select a highlighted option.
- NEXT Rotate the INFO button to highlight an option.

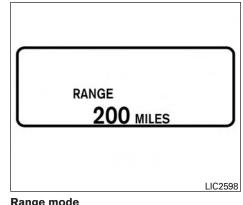


Fuel economy mode (if so equipped)

The fuel economy mode can be selected to display the instant fuel economy.







# Average driving information mode

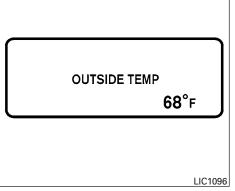
The average driving information mode can be selected to display the average miles per gallon and miles per hour since the last reset.

## **Current trip information mode**

The current trip information mode can be selected to show the time and distance driven since the last reset.

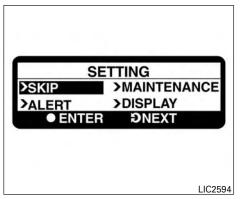
# Range mode

The range mode can be selected to give you an estimation of the distance that can be driven before refueling. The range is constantly calculated based on the amount of fuel in the fuel tank and the actual fuel consumption.



## Exterior temperature mode (if so equipped)

The exterior temperature mode can be selected to provide you with the temperature outside of your vehicle.



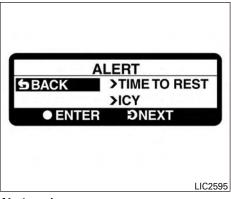
## Settings mode

The settings mode allows you to set reminders or preferences for alerts, maintenance intervals, language, and units.

In the settings mode screen, rotate the INFO button to move to:

- Alert
- Maintenance
- Display

and press the INFO button to select the menu.

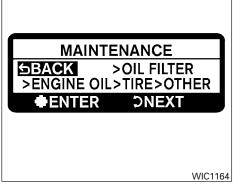


## Alert mode

The alert mode allows you to set alerts notifying you of time to rest or icy conditions.

The time to rest alert is a timer that can be set to remind the driver when the selected amount of time has passed.

The icy alert notifies you that icy driving conditions may exist.

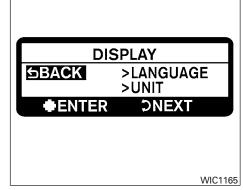




The maintenance mode allows you to set alerts for the reminding of maintenance intervals for the following:

- engine oil
- oil filter
- tires
- other

Set a desired interval by rotating the INFO button to highlight the maintenance field, then press the INFO button to select. The reset mode will open up and allow you to enter the desired distance.



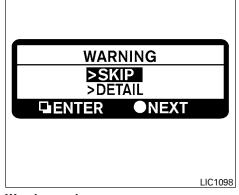
## Display mode

Rotate the INFO button to highlight the desired mode, then press the INFO button to select.

Language: English or French

Unit: US — mile, °F, MPG Metric — km, °C, L/100 km

The settings are automatically saved when you exit the menu by pressing the BACK button or any other mode button.

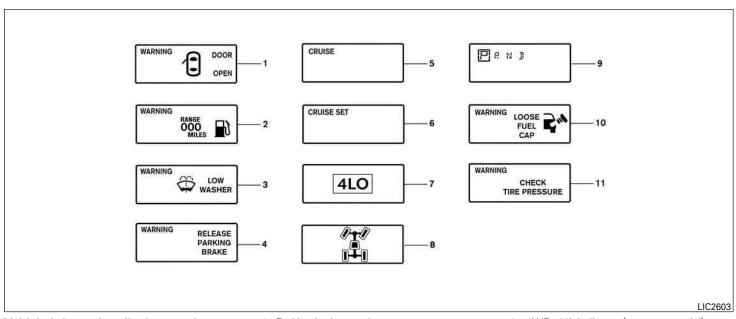


# Warning mode

The warning mode can be selected to view any warnings that may be present. Once the screen is selected you have the option of skipping the warning or viewing it in detail.

Warnings can be present for issues such as an open door or low fuel. For additional information about potential warnings, refer to "Vehicle information display warnings and indicators" in this section.

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Vehicle information display warnings and indicators

- 1. Door open warning
- 2. Low fuel warning (if so equipped)
- 3. Low windshield-washer fluid warning

- 4. Parking brake warning
- 5. Cruise main switch indicator (if so equipped)
- 6. Cruise set switch indicator (if so equipped)
- 7. Transfer 4LO position indicator ( 4x4 model)

- 8. 4WD shift indicator ( Ax4 model)
- 9. Automatic transmission position indicator
- 10. Loose fuel cap warning
- 11. Check tire pressure warning

## Door open warning

This warning illuminates when a door has been opened and the engine is running.

## Low fuel warning

This warning illuminates when the fuel level in the fuel tank is getting low. Refuel as soon as it is convenient, preferably before the fuel gauge reaches E (Empty). There will be a small reserve of fuel in the tank when the fuel gauge needle reaches E (Empty).

## Low windshield-washer fluid warning

This warning illuminates when the windshield-washer fluid is at a low level. Add windshield-washer fluid as necessary. For additional information, refer to "Windshield-washer fluid" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

## Parking brake warning

This warning illuminates when the parking brake is set and the vehicle is driven.

# Cruise main switch indicator (if so equipped)

This indicator illuminates when the cruise control main switch is pushed. The indicator turns off when the main switch is pushed again. When the

cruise main switch indicator illuminates, the cruise control system is operational.

# Cruise set switch indicator (if so equipped)

This indicator illuminates while the vehicle speed is controlled by the cruise control system. If the indicator blinks while the engine is running, it may indicate the cruise control system is not functioning properly. Have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

# Transfer 4LO position indicator ( model)

This indicator illuminates when the 4WD shift switch is set in the 4LO position with the ignition switch placed in the ON position.

If the 4WD shift switch is set in the 4LO position and the indicator blinks, stop the vehicle, drive slowly forward and the indicator will turn on.

When you shift between 4H and 4LO, stop the vehicle, move the shift lever to the N (Neutral) position, then depress and turn the 4WD shift switch to 4LO or 4H.

The transfer case may be damaged if you shift the switch while driving.

You cannot move the transfer 4WD shift switch between 4H and 4LO unless you have first stopped the vehicle and moved the shift lever to N (Neutral). Make sure the transfer 4LO position indicator illuminates when you shift the 4WD shift switch to 4LO.

# The indicator may blink while shifting from one drive mode to the other.

## 4WD shift indicator ( ( model)

While the engine is running, the 4WD shift indicator will illuminate the position selected by the 4WD shift switch.

# The 4WD shift indicator may blink while shifting from one drive mode to the other.

# Automatic transmission position indicator

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, this indicator shows the shift lever position. For additional information, refer to "Driving the vehicle" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

# Loose fuel cap warning

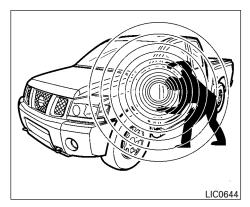
This warning appears when the fuel-filler cap is not tightened correctly after the vehicle is refueled. For additional information, refer to "Fuel-filler cap" in the "Pre-driving checks and adjustments" section of this manual.

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# **SECURITY SYSTEMS (if so equipped)**

## Check tire pressure warning

This warning appears when the low tire pressure warning light in the meter illuminates and low tire pressure is detected. If this warning appears, stop the vehicle and adjust the tire pressure to the recommended COLD tire pressure shown on the Tire and Loading Information label. For additional information, refer to "Low tire pressure warning light" in this section and "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.



Your vehicle may have two types of security systems:

- Vehicle security system (if so equipped)
- NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System (if so equipped)

# VEHICLE SECURITY SYSTEM (if so equipped)

The vehicle security system provides visual and audible alarm signals if someone opens the doors when the system is armed. It is not, however, a motion detection type system that activates when a vehicle is moved or when a vibration occurs.

The system helps detect vehicle theft but cannot prevent it, nor can it prevent the theft of interior or exterior vehicle components in all situations. Always secure your vehicle even if parking for a brief period. Never leave your keys in the ignition, and always lock the vehicle when unattended. Be aware of your surroundings, and park in secure, well-lit areas whenever possible.

Many devices offering additional protection, such as component locks, identification markers, and tracking systems, are available at auto supply stores and specialty shops. Your NISSAN dealer may also offer such equipment. Check with your insurance company to see if you may be eligible for discounts for various theft protection features.

# How to arm the vehicle security system

- 1. Close all windows. (The system can be armed even if the windows are open.)
- 2. Remove the key from the ignition switch.
- 3. Close all doors, Lock all doors. The doors can be locked with the key, power door lock switch (if the door is opened, locked and then closed), or with the key fob.

## Key fob operation:

- Push the button on the key fob.
   All doors lock. The hazard lights flash twice and the horn beeps once to indicate all doors are locked.
- When the button is pushed with all doors locked, the hazard lights flash twice and the horn beeps once as a reminder that the doors are already locked.

The horn may or may not beep. For additional information, refer to "Silencing the horn beep feature" (vehicles without navigation system) in the "Pre-driving checks and adjustments" section of this manual.

4. Confirm that the indicator light comes on. The light stays on for about 30 seconds. The vehicle security system is now pre-armed. After about 30 seconds the vehicle security system automatically shifts into the armed phase. The light begins to flash once every 3 seconds. If, during the 30-second pre-arm time period, the door is unlocked by the key or the key fob, or the ignition switch is placed to ACC or ON, the system will not arm.

- If the key is turned slowly when locking the door, the system may not arm. Furthermore, if the key is turned beyond the vertical position toward the unlock position to remove the key, the system may be disarmed when the key is removed. If the indicator light fails to glow for a period of time, unlock the door once and lock it again.
- Even when the driver and/or passengers are in the vehicle, the system will arm with all doors closed and locked with the ignition switch in the OFF position.
- The lockable bedside storage compartment (if so equipped) is not protected by the vehicle security system.

## Vehicle security system activation

The vehicle security system will give the following alarm:

- The headlights blink and the horn sounds intermittently.

The alarm is activated by:

 Opening a door without using the key or key fob (even if the door is unlocked by using the inside lock knob or the power door lock switch).

# How to stop an activated alarm

The alarm stops only by unlocking the driver's door with the key or by pressing the button on the key fob.

# NISSAN VEHICLE IMMOBILIZER SYSTEM (if so equipped)

The NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System will not allow the engine to start without the use of a registered key.

If the engine fails to start using a registered key (for example, when interference is caused by another registered key, an automated toll road device or automatic payment device on the key ring), restart the engine using the following procedures:

- 1. Leave the ignition switch in the ON position for approximately 5 seconds.
- Turn the ignition switch to the OFF or LOCK position, and wait approximately 10 seconds.

- 3. Repeat steps 1 and 2.
- 4. Restart the engine while holding the device (which may have caused the interference) separate from the registered key.

If the no start condition re-occurs, NISSAN recommends placing the registered key on a separate key ring to avoid interference from other devices.

#### **FCC Notice:**

#### For USA:

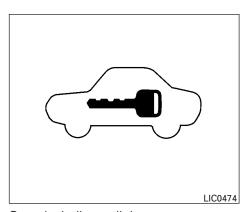
This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions; (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

## NOTE:

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### For Canada:

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.



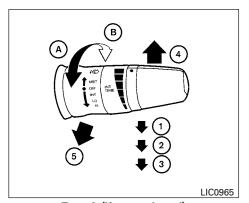
# Security indicator light

The security indicator light blinks whenever the ignition switch is placed in the LOCK, OFF or ACC position. This function indicates the NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System is operational.

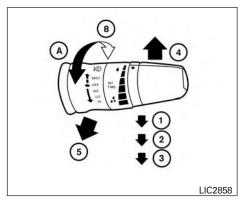
If the NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System is malfunctioning, the light will remain on while the ignition switch is placed in the ON position.

If the light still remains on and/or the engine will not start, see a NISSAN dealer for NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System service as soon as possible. Please bring all registered keys that you have when visiting vour NISSAN dealer for service.

## WINDSHIELD WIPER AND WASHER **SWITCH**



Type A (if so equipped)



Type B (if so equipped) SWITCH OPERATION

The windshield wiper and washer operates when the ignition switch is in the ON position.

Push the lever down to operate the wiper at the following speed:

1) Intermittent (INT) — intermittent operation can be adjusted by turning the knob toward (A) (Slower) or (B) (Faster). Also, the intermittent operation speed varies in accordance with the vehicle speed. (For example, when the vehicle speed is high, the intermittent operation speed will be faster.)

- Low (LO) continuous low speed operation
- High (HI) continuous high speed operation

Push the lever up (4) to have one sweep operation (MIST) of the wiper.

Pull the lever toward you (5) to operate the washer. The wiper will also operate several times.

## **AWARNING**

In freezing temperatures the washer solution may freeze on the windshield and obscure your vision which may lead to an accident. Warm the windshield with the defroster before you wash the windshield.

# **A** CAUTION

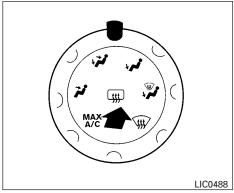
- Do not operate the washer continuously for more than 30 seconds.
- Do not operate the washer of the reservoir is empty.
- Do not fill the windshield-washer reservoir with washer fluid concentrates at full strength. Some methyl alcohol based washer fluid concentrates may permanently stain the grille if spilled while filling the windshield-washer fluid reservoir.

# Pre-mix washer fluid concentrates with water to the manufacturer's recommended levels before pouring the fluid into the windshield-washer fluid reservoir. Do not use the windshield-washer

reservoir to mix the washer fluid con-

centrate and water.

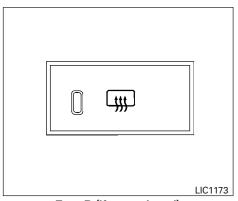
# **REAR WINDOW AND OUTSIDE** MIRROR (if so equipped) **DEFROSTER SWITCH**



Type A (if so equipped)

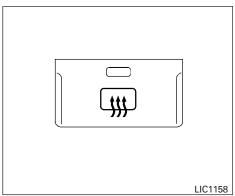
To defrost the rear window glass and outside mirrors (if so equipped), start the engine and push the rear window defroster switch on. The rear window defroster indicator light on the switch comes on. Push the switch again to turn the defroster off.

The rear window defroster automatically turns off after approximately 15 minutes.



Type B (if so equipped)

# **HEADLIGHT AND TURN SIGNAL SWITCH**



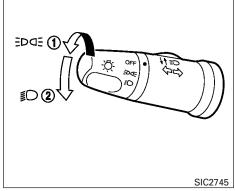
Type C (if so equipped)

#### NOTE:

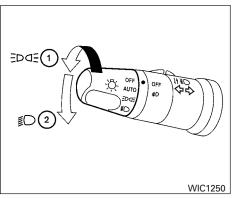
If the rear power window (if so equipped) is lowered while the defroster switch is on, the rear window defroster will automatically shut off. The heated outside mirrors (if so equipped) will remain on. The rear window defroster will automatically turn on when the rear power window is fully closed if the switch is on.

# **A** CAUTION

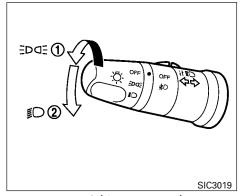
When cleaning the inner side of the rear window, be careful not to scratch or damage the rear window defroster.



Type A (if so equipped)



Type B (if so equipped)



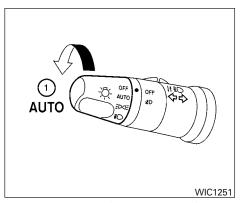
Type C (if so equipped) **HEADLIGHT CONTROL SWITCH** 

# Lighting

- 1) When turning the switch to the position, the front parking, tail, license plate and instrument panel lights come on.
- When turning the switch to the tion, the headlights come on and all the other lights remain on.

# **A** CAUTION

Use the headlights with the engine running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.



# Autolight system (if so equipped)

The autolight system allows the headlights to be set so they turn on and off automatically. The autolight system can:

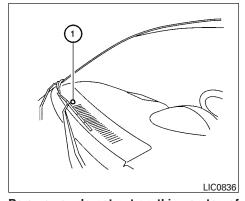
- Turn on the headlights, front parking, tail, license plate and instrument panel lights automatically when it is dark.
- Turn off all the lights when it is light.
- Keep all the lights on for a period of time after you place the ignition switch in the OFF position and all doors are closed.

To turn on the autolight system:

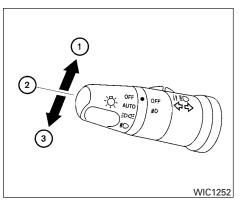
- Turn the headlight switch to the AUTO position (1).
- 2. Place the ignition switch in the ON position.
- 3. The autolight system automatically turns the headlights on and off.

Initially, if the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position and a door is opened and left open, the headlights remain ON for a period of time. If another door is opened while the headlights are on, then the timer is reset.

To turn the autolight system off, turn the switch to the OFF,  $\exists Pd\exists$ , or  $\not \! D$  position.



Be sure you do not put anything on top of the autolight sensor ① located on the top side of the instrument panel. The autolight sensor controls the autolight; if it is covered, the autolight sensor reacts as if it is dark out and the headlights will illuminate. If this occurs while parked with the engine off and the ignition switch placed in the ON position, your vehicle's battery could become discharged.



# Headlight beam select

- 1) To select the high beam function, push the lever forward. The high beam lights come on and the light illuminates.
- Pull the lever back to select the low beam.
- Pulling and releasing the lever flashes the headlight high beams on and off.

# Battery saver system

If the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position while the headlight switch is in the EDGE or position, the headlights will turn off after a period of time.

After the headlights automatically turn off with the headlight switch in the **EDGE** or **ED** position, the headlights will illuminate again if the headlight switch is moved to the OFF position and then turned to the EDGE or position.

# **A** CAUTION

Even though the battery saver feature automatically turns off the headlights after a period of time, you should turn the headlight switch to the OFF position when the engine is not running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.

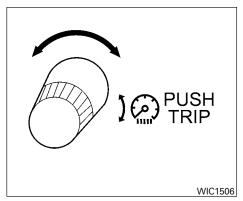
# DAYTIME RUNNING LIGHT SYSTEM (Canada only)

The daytime running lights automatically illuminate when the engine is started with the parking brake released. The daytime running lights operate with the headlight switch in the OFF position or in the EDGE position. Turn the headlight switch to the 🗊 position for full illumination when driving at night.

If the parking brake is applied before the engine is started, the daytime running lights do not illuminate. The daytime running lights illuminate when the parking brake is released. The daytime running lights will remain on until the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position.

# **AWARNING**

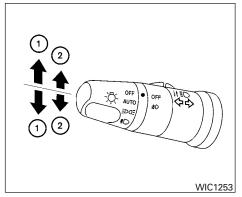
When the daytime running light system is active, tail lights on your vehicle are not on. It is necessary at dusk to turn on your headlights. Failure to do so could cause an accident injuring yourself and others.



# INSTRUMENT BRIGHTNESS CONTROL

The instrument brightness control operates when headlight control switch is the the **EDdE** , **₽** or AUTO position (with autolights activated).

Turn the control to adjust the brightness of instrument panel lights when driving at night.



## TURN SIGNAL SWITCH

# Turn signal

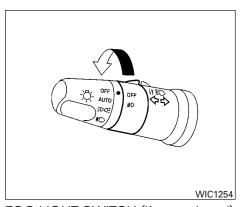
1) Move the lever up or down to signal the turning direction. When the turn is completed, the turn signal cancels automatically.

# Lane change signal

Move the lever up or down until the turn signal begins to flash, but the lever does not latch, to signal a lane change. Hold the lever until the lane change is completed. Move the lever up or down until the turn signal begins to flash, but the lever does not latch, and release the lever. The turn signal will automatically flash three times.

Choose the appropriate method to signal a lane change based on road and traffic conditions.

## HORN



selected for the fog lights to operate. The fog lights automatically turn off when the high beam headlights are selected.

The headlights must be on and the low beams

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To sound the horn, push near the horn icon on the steering wheel.

# FOG LIGHT SWITCH (if so equipped)

To turn the fog lights on, turn the headlight switch to the ₽ position, then turn the fog light switch to the position.

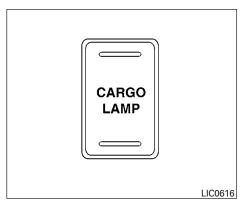
To turn the fog lights on with the headlight switch in the AUTO position (if so equipped), the headlights must be on, then turn the fog light switch to the #D position.

To turn the fog lights off, turn the fog light switch to the OFF position.

# **AWARNING**

Do not disassemble the horn. Doing so could affect proper operation of the supplemental front air bag system. Tampering with the supplemental front air bag system may result in serious personal injury.

# **CARGO LAMP SWITCH (if so** equipped)

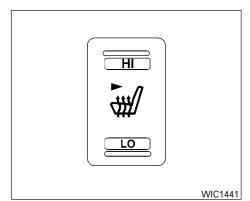


To turn on the cargo lamp, push the switch down to the ON position. The tailgate lights (if so equipped) will also illuminate when the cargo lamp switch is in the ON position.

# **A** CAUTION

Be sure to turn the light switch to the OFF position when you leave the vehicle for extended periods of time, otherwise the battery will go dead.

# **HEATED SEATS (if so equipped)**



- 1. Start the engine.
- 2. Push the LO or HI position of the switch, as desired, depending on the temperature. The indicator light in the switch will illuminate.

The heater is controlled by a thermostat, automatically turning the heater on and off. The indicator light will remain on as long as the switch is on.

3. When the seat is warmed or before you leave the vehicle, be sure to turn the switch off.

# **AWARNING**

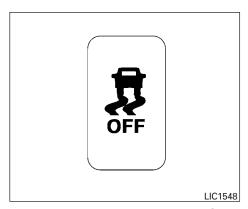
Do not use or allow occupants to use the seat heater if you or the occupants cannot monitor elevated seat temperatures or have an inability to feel pain in body parts that contact the seat. Use of the seat heater by such people could result in serious injury.

## **A** CAUTION

- Do not use the seat heater for extended periods or when no one is using the seat.
- Do not put anything on the seat which insulates heat, such as a blanket, cushion, seat cover, etc. Otherwise, the seat may become overheated.
- Do not place anything hard or heavy on the seat or pierce it with a pin or similar object. This may result in damage to the heater.
- Any liquid spilled on the heated seat should be removed immediately with a dry cloth.
- When cleaning the seat, never use gasoline, benzine, thinner, or any similar materials.

- If any malfunctions are found or the heated seat does not operate, turn the switch off and have the system checked by your NISSAN dealer.
- The battery could run down if the seat heater is operated while the engine is not running.

# **VEHICLE DYNAMIC CONTROL (VDC) OFF SWITCH**



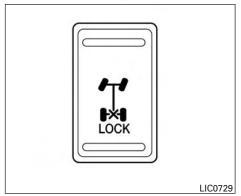
The vehicle should be driven with the VDC system on for most driving conditions.

If the vehicle is stuck in mud or snow, the VDC system reduces the engine output to reduce wheel spin. The engine speed will be reduced even if the accelerator is depressed to the floor. If maximum engine power is needed to free a stuck vehicle, turn the VDC system off.

To turn off the VDC system, push the VDC OFF switch. The R indicator will come on.

Push the VDC OFF switch again or restart the engine to turn on the system. For additional information, refer to "Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

# **ELECTRONIC LOCKING REAR DIFFERENTIAL (E-Lock) SYSTEM SWITCH** (if so equipped)



The Electronic Locking Rear Differential (E-Lock) system can help provide added traction if the vehicle is stuck or becoming stuck.

### To activate the E-Lock system:

- the 4WD switch must be in the 4LO position (4-wheel drive vehicles).
- the vehicle must be stopped or moving at 4 MPH (7 km/h) or less, and
- the E-Lock system switch must be turned ON.

When the E-Lock switch is turned ON, the indicator light will flash until the system engages. However, if all operation conditions listed above are not met or the system becomes disengaged, the indicator light will continue to flash.

The Anti-Lock Brake (ABS) system is disabled and the ABS light illuminates when the E-Lock system is ON. Also, the Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system is disabled and the VDC light illuminates when the E-Lock system is ON.

For additional information, refer to "Electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual for further explanation and system limitations.

## **AWARNING**

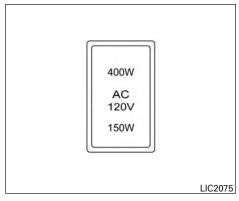
 Never leave the E-Lock system ON when driving on paved or hard-surfaced roads. Turning the vehicle may result in the rear wheels slipping and result in an accident and personal injury. After using the E-Lock system to free the vehicle, turn the system OFF.

• Use the E-Lock system only when freeing a stuck vehicle. Try the 4LO position before using the E-Lock system. Never use the E-Lock system on a slippery road surface such as snow or ice surface. Using the E-Lock system when driving in these road conditions may cause unexpected movement of the vehicle during engine braking, accelerating or turning, which may result in an accident and serious personal injury.

# **A** CAUTION

- After using the E-Lock system, turn the switch OFF to prevent possible damage to driveline components from extended use.
- Do not drive over 12 MPH (20 km/h) when the system is engaged. Doing so could result in possible damage to the driveline.
- Do not turn on the E-lock system while the tires are spinning. Doing so could damage drivetrain components.

# **POWER INVERTER SWITCH (if so** equipped)



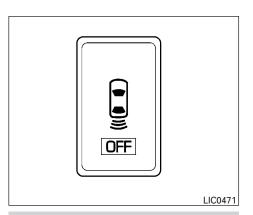
To use the outlets for devices that require 120v power, place the ignition in the ON position and push the power inverter switch.

The 400W or 150W on the switch will illuminate according to the mode selected. Only the 150W is available when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position or while the vehicle is being driven. For additional information, refer to "120v outlets" in this section of the manual regarding using devices that require the power inverter switch activated.

# REAR SONAR SYSTEM OFF SWITCH (if so equipped)

# **A** CAUTION

- Use power outlets with the engine running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.
- Do not attempt to use this while driving.
- Do not use double adapters or more than one electrical accessory, doing so could significantly drain the battery of your vehicle.



# **AWARNING**

The rear sonar system is a convenience but it is not a substitute for proper backing. Always turn and check that it is safe to do so before backing up. Always back up slowly.

The rear sonar system is active when the ignition switch is placed to the ON position and the shift lever is in R (Reverse).

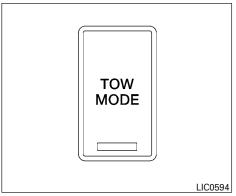
When sensors detect obstacles within 5.9 ft (1.8 m) of the rear bumper, a beeping tone is emitted.

The rear sonar system can be disabled by pushing the OFF switch. When the system is disabled, the indicator light on the switch will illuminate. Push the switch again to enable the system. The indicator light will go off.

The system will automatically reset the next time the ignition switch is turned on.

For additional information, refer to "Rear sonar system" in the "Starting and driving" section.

TOW MODE SWITCH POWER OUTLETS

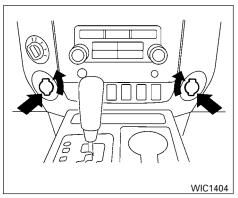


For additional information, refer to "Tow mode" in the "Technical and consumer information" section in this manual. 12V OUTLETS

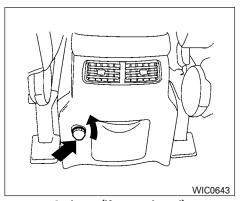
Tow mode should be used when pulling a heavy trailer or hauling a heavy load. Driving the vehicle in the tow mode with no trailer/load or light trailer/light load will not cause any damage. However, fuel economy may be reduced, and the transmission/engine driving characteristics may feel unusual.

Press the tow mode switch to activate tow mode. The indicator light on the tow mode switch illuminates when tow mode is selected. Press the tow mode switch again to turn tow mode OFF.

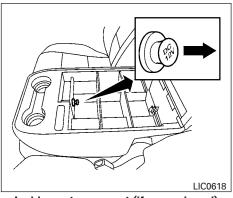
Tow mode is automatically canceled when the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position.







2nd row (if so equipped)



Inside center armrest (if so equipped)

The power outlets are for powering electrical accessories such as cellular telephones.

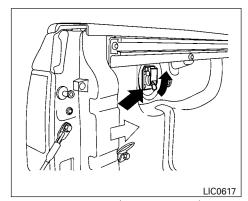
The power outlets located on the driver's side of the instrument panel is powered only when the ignition switch is placed in the ACC or ON position.

The power outlets located on the passenger's side of the instrument panel, and in the 2nd row are powered only when the ignition switch is placed in the ACC or ON position.

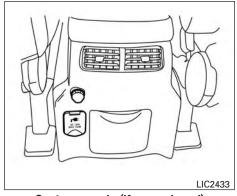
Open the cap to use a power outlet.

# **A** CAUTION

- The outlet and plug may be hot during or immediately after use.
- Only certain power outlets are designed for use with a cigarette lighter unit. Do not use any other power outlet for an accessory lighter. See your NISSAN dealer for additional information.
- Do not use with accessories that exceed a 12 volt, 120W (10A) power draw. Do not use double adapters or more than one electrical accessory.
- Use power outlets with the engine running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.
- Avoid using power outlets when the air conditioner, headlights or rear window defroster is on.
- Before inserting or disconnecting a plug, be sure the electrical accessory being used is turned OFF.
- Push the plug in as far as it will go. If good contact is not made, the plug may overheat or the internal temperature fuse may open.
- When not in use, be sure to close the cap. Do not allow water or any other liquid to contact the outlet.



In truck box (if so equipped)
120V OUTLET (if so equipped)



Center console (if so equipped)

			Before Drive (idling) (Park)		When shifting out of Park		When shifting back to (idling) (Park)		Switch Reset	
Options	What is plugged IN	Indicator	Inverter Status	Indicator	Inverter Status	Indicator	Inverter Status	Indicator	Inverter Status	
	Nothing plugged but switch is on	150 and 400	ON	150	ON	150 and 400	ON	NOT NECES- SARY	NOT NECES- SARY	
	Device<150W	150 and 400	ON	150	ON	150 and 400	ON	NOT NECES- SARY	NOT NECES- SARY	
	150W>device<400W	150 and 400	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	150 and 400	ON	
	Device>400W	150 and 400	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF**	OFF**	

<sup>\*\*</sup> OFF means that the inverter system cannot be reset until a device that is within the specified range of operation is plugged in. Therefore, the switch indicators and inverter would remain OFF. There may be a very short period of time where the switch indicators are on, but once the inverter reaches it's peak saturation point (temp and power level). it will shut off both the inverter and the switch indicators.

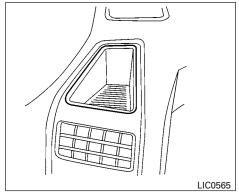
## **STORAGE**

Do not use the outlet located in the truck box with accessories that exceed 120 volt. Do not use double adapters or more than one electrical accessory.

# **A** CAUTION

- Operation of the 120 volt system with the ignition in the ON position and the engine not running (idle) will drain the battery charge. This could lead to a dead battery or no start condition.
- The outlet and plug may be hot during or immediately after use.
- Use power outlets with the engine running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.
- Do not use double adaptors or more than one electrical accessory.
- Avoid using power outlets when the air conditioner, headlights or rear window defroster is on.
- Before inserting or disconnecting a plug, be sure the electrical accessory being used is turned OFF.

- Push the plug in as far as it will go. If good contact is not made, the plug may overheat or the internal temperature fuse may open.
- When not in use, be sure to close the cap. Do not allow water or any other liquid to contact the outlet.

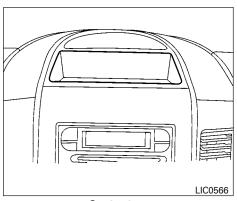


Side tray INSTRUMENT PANEL STORAGE **TRAYS** 

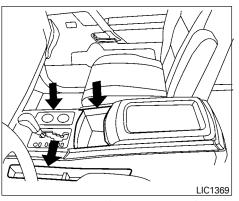
## **AWARNING**

Do not place sharp objects in the trays to help prevent injury in an accident or sudden stop.

The rubber mats can be removed for cleaning.

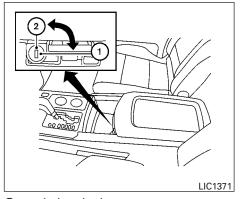


**Center tray** 



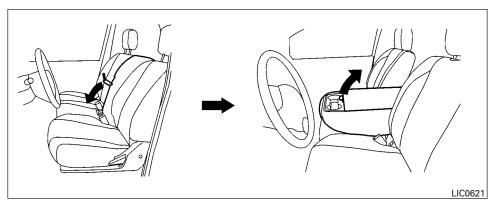
CONSOLE BOX (if so equipped)

Console box storage trays (if so equipped)



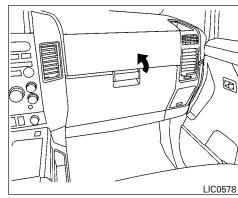
Console box lock

Use the master key to lock 1 or unlock 2 the console box.



CENTER ARMREST STORAGE (if so equipped)

To access the center armrest storage area, lower the center armrest and lift the lid.



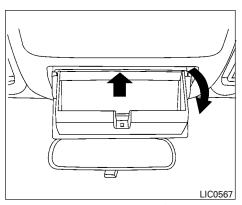
# **GLOVE BOX**

Open the glove box by pulling the handle.

Use the master key to lock or unlock the glove box lock (if so equipped). The valet key cannot be used.

# **WARNING**

Keep glove box lid closed while driving to help prevent injury in an accident or a sudden stop.



SUNGLASSES HOLDER (if so equipped)

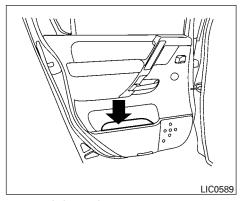
To open the sunglasses holder, push and release.

# **AWARNING**

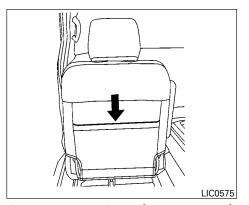
Keep the sunglasses holder closed while driving to prevent an accident.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not leave sunglasses in the sunglasses holder while parking in direct sunlight. The heat may damage the sunglasses.
- Do not use for anything other than sunglasses.

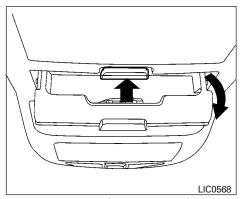


MAP POCKETS

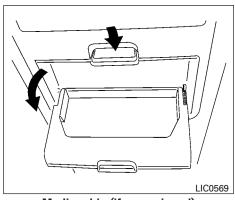


SEATBACK POCKET (if so equipped)

The seatback pocket is located on the back of the driver's seat. The pocket can be used to store maps.



Small bin (if so equipped) OVERHEAD CONSOLE (if so equipped)



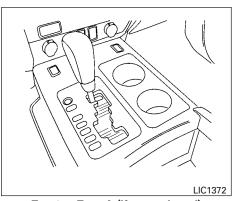
Medium bin (if so equipped) Storage bins

# **WARNING**

Keep storage bins closed while driving to help prevent injury in an accident or a sudden stop.

Push the button to open a storage bin.

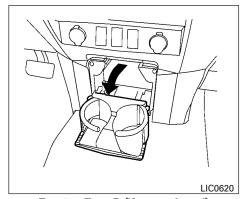
Push the lid up to close.



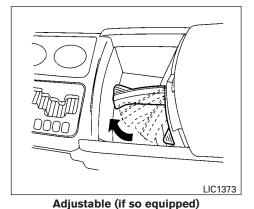
Front — Type A (if so equipped) **CUP HOLDERS** 

# **CAUTION**

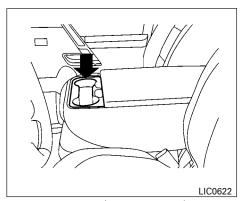
- Avoid abrupt starting and braking when the cup holder is being used to prevent spilling the drink. If the liquid is hot, it can scald you or your passenger.
- Use only soft cups in the cup holder. Hard objects can injure you in an accident.



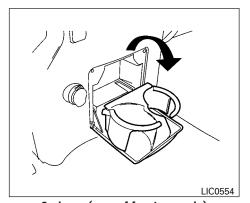
Front — Type B (if so equipped)



Position the arm on the adjustable cup holder so that the cup is held securely.

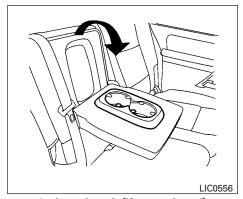


Armrest (if so equipped)

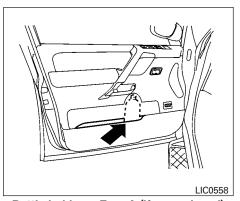


2nd row (rear of front console) (if so equipped)

To open the 2nd row cup holders (rear of front console), lower the lid. To close, raise the lid.



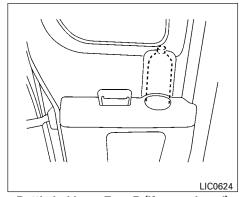
2nd row bench (if so equipped)



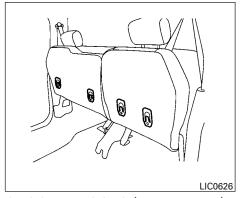
Bottle holder — Type A (if so equipped)

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not use bottle holder for any other objects that could be thrown about in the vehicle and possibly injure people during sudden braking or an accident.
- Do not use bottle holder for open liquid containers.



Bottle holder — Type B (if so equipped)



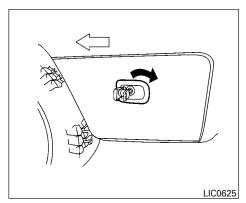
GROCERY HOOKS (if so equipped)

The grocery hooks allow for standard size plastic grocery bags to hang side by side.

To access the grocery hooks, fold up the rear bench seat. For additional information, refer to "Folding the rear bench seat" in the "Safety -Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual.

#### **A** CAUTION

Do not apply a total load of more than 18 lbs (8 kg) to a single grocery hook.



# LOCKABLE BEDSIDE STORAGE COMPARTMENT (if so equipped)

To access the bedside storage compartment, hold the key hole cover open and insert the master key. Turn the key clockwise to unlock the lid.

The tray inside the bedside storage compartment is adjustable.

The bedside storage compartment will automatically lock when the lid is closed. You do not need to use the kev.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not store a total load of more than 22 lbs (10 kg) inside the storage compartment.
- Do not use the storage compartment or storage compartment lid as a step. Doing so may damage them.

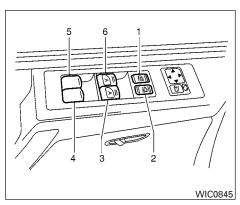
#### **WINDOWS**

#### POWER WINDOWS

#### **AWARNING**

- Make sure that all passengers have their hands, etc. inside the vehicle while it is in motion and before closing the windows. Use the window lock switch to prevent unexpected use of the power windows.
- Do not leave children unattended inside the vehicle. They could unknowingly activate switches or controls and become trapped in a window. Unattended children could become involved in serious accidents.

The power windows operate when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, or for a period of time after the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position. If the driver's or passenger's door is opened during this period of time, the power to the windows is canceled.

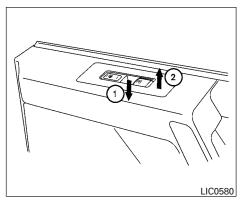


- Window lock button
- Power door lock switch
- Front passenger side automatic switch
- Right rear passenger window switch
- Left rear passenger window switch 5.
- Driver side automatic switch

# Driver's side power window switch

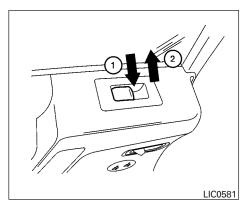
The driver's side control panel is equipped with switches to open or close the front and rear passenger windows.

To open a window, push the switch and hold it down. To close a window, pull the switch and hold it up. To stop the opening or closing function at any time, simply release the switch.



Front passenger's power window switch

The passenger's window switch operates only the corresponding passenger's window. To open the window, push the switch and hold it down 1. To close the window, pull the switch up 2.

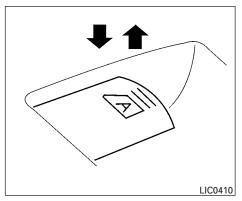


#### Rear power window switch

The rear power window switches open or close only the corresponding windows. To open the window, push the switch and hold it down (1). To close the window, pull the switch up (2).

# Locking passengers' windows

When the window lock switch is depressed, only the driver's side window can be opened or closed. Push it again to cancel the window lock function.



# Automatic operation

To fully open a window equipped with automatic operation, press the window switch down to the second detent and release it: it need not be held. The window automatically opens all the way. To stop the window, lift the switch up while the window is opening.

To fully close a window equipped with automatic operation, pull the switch up to the second detent and release it; it need not be held. To stop the window, press the switch down while the window is closing.

#### Auto-reverse function

The auto-reverse function can be activated when a window is closed by automatic operation.

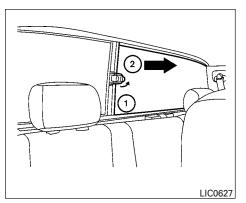
Depending on the environment or driving conditions, the auto-reverse function may be activated if an impact or load similar to something being caught in the window occurs.

### **AWARNING**

There are some small distances immediately before the closed position which cannot be detected. Make sure that all passengers have their hands, etc., inside the vehicle before closing the window.

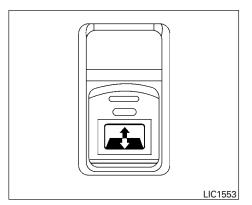
If the vehicle's battery is disconnected, replaced, or jump started, the power window auto-reverse function may not operate properly. If this occurs, please contact the dealer to re-initialize the power window auto-reverse system.

If the control unit detects something caught in a window equipped with automatic operation as it is closing, the window will be immediately lowered.



REAR SLIDING WINDOW (if so equipped)

Squeeze the handles of the lever (1), then slide the window open (2).



REAR POWER WINDOW SWITCH (if so equipped)

To open the rear power window, push in and hold the switch.

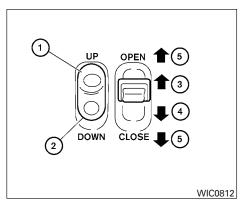
To close the rear power window, pull out and hold the switch.

To stop the opening or closing function at any time, simply release the switch.

#### NOTE:

If the rear power window (if so equipped) is lowered while the defroster switch is on, the rear window defroster will automatically shut off. The heated outside mirrors (if so equipped) will remain on. The rear window defroster will automatically turn on when the rear power window is fully closed if the switch is on.

# MOONROOF (if so equipped)



#### POWER MOONROOF

The moonroof will only operate when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position. The power moonroof is operational for a period of time, even if the ignition switch is placed in the ACC or OFF position. If the driver's door or the front passenger's door is opened during this period of time, the power to the moonroof is canceled.

# Sliding the moonroof

To fully open the moonroof, push the switch toward the open position (3).

To fully close the moonroof, push the switch toward the close position (4).

To open or close the moonroof part way, push the switch in any direction (5) while the moonroof is sliding open or closed to stop it in the desired position.

# Tilting the moonroof

To tilt the moonroof up, push the tilt switch toward the up position (1).

To tilt the moonroof down, push the tilt switch toward the down position (2).

# Restarting the moonroof sliding switch

The sliding switch will become inoperable after the battery terminal is disconnected, the electrical supply interrupted and/or some abnormality detected. Use the following reset procedure to return moonroof operation to normal.

- 1. If the moonroof lid is open, push the tilting switch repeatedly toward the down position (2) to fully close the lid.
- 2. Push and hold the tilting switch for more than 2 seconds toward the down position (2) to reestablish the lid's home position.

The moonroof should now operate normally.

# Auto-reverse function (when closing or tilting down the moonroof)

The auto-reverse function can be activated when the moonroof is closed or tilted down by automatic operation when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position or for a period of time after the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position.

Depending on the environment or driving conditions, the auto-reverse function may be activated if an impact or load similar to something being caught in the moonroof occurs.

#### **AWARNING**

There are some small distances immediately before the closed position which cannot be detected. Make sure that all passengers have their hands, etc., inside the vehicle before closing the moonroof.

#### When closing

If the control unit detects something caught in the moonroof as it moves to the front, the moonroof will immediately open backward.

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#### INTERIOR LIGHT

#### When tilting down

If the control unit detects something caught in the moonroof as it tilts down, the moonroof will immediately tilt up.

If the auto-reverse function malfunctions and repeats opening or tilting up the moonroof, keep pushing the tilt down switch within 5 seconds after it happens; the moonroof will fully close gradually. Make sure nothing is caught in the moonroof.

# **AWARNING**

- In an accident you could be thrown from the vehicle through an open moonroof. Always use seat belts and child restraints.
- Do not allow anyone to stand up or extend any portion of their body out of the moonroof opening while the vehicle is in motion or while the moonroof is closing.

### **A** CAUTION

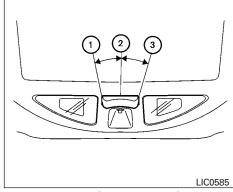
- Remove water drops, snow, ice or sand from the moonroof before opening.
- Do not place heavy objects on the moonroof or surrounding area.

#### Sunshade

Open and close the sunshade by sliding it forward or backward.

If the moonroof does not close

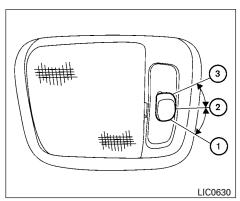
Have your NISSAN dealer check and repair the moonroof.



Type A (if so equipped)

The interior light has a three-position switch and operates regardless of ignition switch position.

When the switch is in the ON position (1), the interior lights illuminate, regardless of door position. The lights will go off after a period of time unless the ignition switch is placed in the ON position.



Type B (if so equipped)

When the switch is in the DOOR or normal operation position ②, the interior lights, puddle lights (if so equipped) and cargo light will stay on for a period of time when:

- The doors are unlocked by the key fob, a key or the power door lock switch while all doors are closed and the ignition switch is in the OFF position.
- The driver's door is opened and then closed while the key is removed from the ignition switch.
- The key is removed from the ignition switch while all doors are closed.

The lights will turn off while the timer is activated when:

- The driver's door is locked by the key fob, a key, or the power door lock switch.
- The ignition switch is turned ON.

When the switch is in the OFF position ③, the interior lights do not illuminate, regardless of door position. The puddle lights (if so equipped) and cargo light come on when any front or rear passenger door is opened.

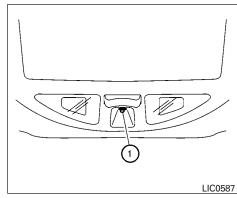
The lights will turn off automatically after a period of time while doors are open to prevent the battery from becoming discharged.

#### NOTE:

The door step lights (if so equipped) illuminate when the driver and passenger doors are open regardless of the interior light switch position. These lights will turn off automatically after a period of time while doors are open to prevent the battery from becoming discharged.

# **A**CAUTION

Do not use for extended periods of time with the engine stopped. This could result in a discharged battery.



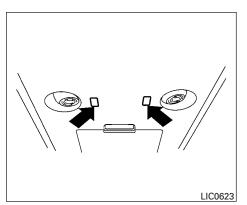
# CONSOLE LIGHT (if so equipped)

The console light ① will turn on whenever the parking lights or headlights are illuminated.

The console light brightness can be adjusted with the illumination brightness control.

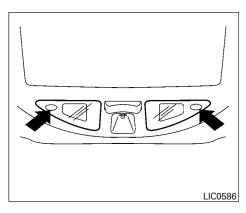
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# **PERSONAL LIGHTS** (if so equipped)



The personal lights on the overhead console can be swiveled 360 degrees. To turn on the light, press the button. Press the button again to turn off the light.

# MAP LIGHTS (if so equipped)



To turn the map lights on, press the switches. To turn them off, press the switches again.

#### **A** CAUTION

Do not use for extended periods of time with the engine stopped. This could result in a discharged battery.

# HOMELINK® UNIVERSAL TRANSCEIVER (if so equipped)

The HomeLink® Universal Transceiver provides a convenient way to consolidate the functions of up to three individual hand-held transmitters into one built-in device.

HomeLink® Universal Transceiver:

- Will operate most Radio Frequency devices such as garage doors, gates, home and office lighting, entry door locks and security systems.
- Is powered by your vehicle's battery. No separate batteries are required. If the vehicle's battery is discharged or is disconnected, HomeLink® will retain all programming.

When the HomeLink® Universal Transceiver is programmed, retain the original transmitter for future programming procedures (Example: new vehicle purchases). Upon sale of the vehicle, the programmed HomeLink® Universal Transceiver buttons should be erased for security purposes. For additional information, refer to "Programming HomeLink®" in this section.

# **AWARNING**

- Do not use the HomeLink® Universal Transceiver with any garage door opener that lacks safety stop and reverse features as required by federal safety standards. (These standards became effective for opener models manufactured after April 1, 1982). A garage door opener which cannot detect an object in the path of a closing garage door and then automatically stop and reverse, does not meet current federal safety standards. Using a garage door opener without these features increases the risk of serious injury or death.
- During the programming procedure your garage door or security gate will open and close (if the transmitter is within range). Make sure that people or objects are clear of the garage door, gate, etc. that you are programming.
- Your vehicle's engine should be turned off while programming the HomeLink® Universal Transceiver.

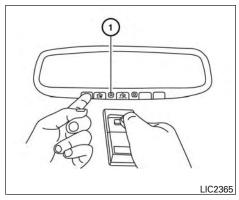
#### PROGRAMMING HOMFLINK®

If you have any questions or are having difficulty programming your HomeLink® buttons, refer to the Homel ink® web site at: www.homelink.com or call 1-800-355-3515.

#### NOTE:

Place the ignition switch in the ACC position when programming HomeLink®. It is also recommended that a new battery be placed in the hand-held transmitter of the device being programmed to HomeLink® for quicker programming and accurate transmission of the radio-frequency.

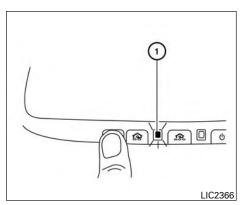
1. Position the end of your hand-held transmitter 1-3 in (2-8 cm) away from the Homel ink® surface. keepina the HomeLink® indicator light (1) in view.



2. Using both hands, simultaneously press and hold the desired Homel ink® button and hand-held transmitter button. DO NOT release until the HomeLink® indicator light (1) flashes slowly and then rapidly. When the indicator light flashes rapidly, both buttons may be released. (The rapid flashing indicates successful programming.)

#### NOTE:

Some devices may require you to replace Step 2 with the cycling procedure noted in "Programming HomeLink® for Canadian customers and gate openers" in this section.



- Press and hold the programmed HomeLink® button and observe the indicator light.
  - If the indicator light (1) is solid/continuous, programming is complete and your device should activate when the HomeLink® button is pressed and released.
  - If the indicator light ① blinks rapidly for 2 seconds and then turns to a solid/continuous light, continue with Steps 4-6 for a rolling code device. A second person may make the following steps easier. Use a ladder or other device.

Do not stand on your vehicle to perform the next steps.

- 4. At the receiver located on the garage door opener motor in the garage, locate the "learn" or "smart" button (the name and color of the button may vary by manufacturer but it is usually located near where the hanging antenna wire is attached to the unit). If there is difficulty locating the button, reference the garage door opener's manual.
- Press and release the "learn" or "smart" button.
- 6. Return to the vehicle and firmly press and hold the trained HomeLink® button for 2 seconds and release. Repeat the "press/hold/release" sequence up to three times to complete the training process. HomeLink® should now activate your rolling code equipped device.
- If you have any questions or are having difficulty programming your HomeLink® buttons, refer to the HomeLink® web site at: www.homelink.com or call 1-800-355-3515.

# PROGRAMMING HOMELINK® FOR CANADIAN CUSTOMERS AND GATE OPENERS

Canadian radio-frequency laws require transmitter signals to "time-out" (or quit) after several seconds of transmission – which may not be long enough for HomeLink® to pick up the signal during training. Similar to this Canadian law, some U.S. gate operators are designed to "timeout" in the same manner.

If you live in Canada or you are having difficulties training a gate operator **or** garage door opener by using the "Training" procedures, **replace** "Programming HomeLink®" **Step 2** with the following:

#### NOTE:

When programming a garage door opener, etc., unplug the device during the "cycling" process to prevent possible damage to the garage door opener components.

- For additional information, refer to "Programming HomeLink®" step 1 in this section.
- Using both hands, simultaneously press and hold the desired HomeLink® button and the hand-held transmitter button. During training, your hand-held transmitter may auto-

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matically stop transmitting. Continue to press and hold the desired HomeLink® button while you press and re-press ("cycle") your hand-held transmitter every 2 seconds until the frequency signal has been learned. The HomeLink® indicator light will flash slowly and then rapidly after several seconds upon successful training. DO NOT release until the HomeLink® indicator light flashes slowly and then rapidly. When the indicator light flashes rapidly, both buttons may be released. The rapid flashing indicates successful training.

Proceed with "Programming HomeLink®" step 3 to complete.

If the device was unplugged during the programming procedure, remember to plug it back in when programming is completed.

# OPERATING THE HOMELINK® UNIVERSAL TRANSCEIVER

The HomeLink® Universal Transceiver, after it is programmed, can be used to activate the programmed device. To operate, simply press and release the appropriate programmed HomeLink® Universal Transceiver button. The amber indicator light will illuminate while the signal is being transmitted.

For convenience, the hand-held transmitter of the device may also be used at any time.

#### PROGRAMMING TROUBLE-DIAGNOSIS

If the HomeLink® does not quickly learn the hand-held transmitter information:

- replace the hand-held transmitter batteries with new batteries.
- position the hand-held transmitter with its battery area facing away from the HomeLink® surface.
- press and hold both the HomeLink® and hand-held transmitter buttons without interruption.
- position the hand-held transmitter 1 3 inches (26 76 mm) away from the HomeLink® surface. Hold the transmitter in that position for up to 15 seconds. If HomeLink® is not programmed within that time, try holding the transmitter in another position keeping the indicator light in view at all times.

If you have any questions or are having difficulty programming your HomeLink® buttons, refer to the HomeLink® web site at: www.homelink.com or call 1-800-355-3515.

# CLEARING THE PROGRAMMED INFORMATION

The following procedure clears the programmed information from both buttons. Individual buttons cannot be cleared. However, individual buttons can be reprogrammed. For additional information, refer to "Reprogramming a single HomeLink® button" in this section.

To clear all programming:

- Press and hold the two outer HomeLink® buttons until the indicator light begins to flash in approximately 10 seconds. Do not hold for longer than 20 seconds.
- 2. Release both buttons.

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#### REPROGRAMMING A SINGLE HOMELINK® BUTTON

To reprogram a HomeLink® Universal Transceiver button, complete the following:

- 1. Press and hold the desired HomeLink® button. **DO NOT** release the button.
- 2. The indicator light will begin to flash after 20 seconds. Without releasing HomeLink® button, proceed with "Programming HomeLink®" - Step 1.

For questions or comments, contact HomeLink® at: www.homelink.com or 1-800-355-3515 (except Mexico).

The HomeLink® Universal Transceiver button has now been reprogrammed. The new device can be activated by pushing the HomeLink® button that was just programmed. This procedure will not affect any other programmed HomeLink® buttons.

### IF YOUR VEHICLE IS STOLEN

If your vehicle is stolen, you should change the codes of any non-rolling code device that has been programmed into HomeLink®. Consult the Owner's Manual of each device or call the manufacturer or dealer of those devices for additional information.

When your vehicle is recovered, you will need to reprogram the HomeLink® Universal Transceiver with your new transmitter information.

#### **FCC Notice:**

#### For USA:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received. including interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### NOTE:

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

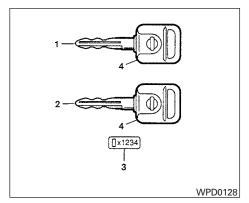
#### For Canada:

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

# **MEMO**

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- Two master keys (black) with transponder chip (if so equipped) and chrome NISSAN brand symbol on one side
- 2. Valet key (black) with transponder chip (if so equipped)
- Key number plate
- 4. Transponder chip (if so equipped)

A key number plate is supplied with your keys. Record the key number and keep it in a safe place (such as your wallet), not in the vehicle. If you lose your keys, see a NISSAN dealer for duplicates by using the key number. NISSAN does not record key numbers so it is very important to keep track of your key number plate.

A key number is only necessary when you have lost all keys and do not have one to duplicate from. If you still have a key, your NISSAN dealer can duplicate it.

# NISSAN VEHICLE IMMOBILIZER SYSTEM KEYS (if so equipped)

You can only drive your vehicle using the master or valet keys which are registered to the NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System components in your vehicle. These keys have a transponder chip in the key head.

The master key can be used for all the locks.

The valet key cannot be used for the console box lock, the bedside storage compartment lock, or the glove box lock (if so equipped).

To protect belongings when you leave a key with someone, give them the valet key only.

# Never leave these keys in the vehicle.

Additional or replacement keys:

If you still have a key, the key number is not necessary when you need extra NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System keys. Your dealer can duplicate your existing key. As many as four NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System keys can be used with one vehicle. You should bring all NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System keys that you have to

your NISSAN dealer for registration. This is because the registration process will erase the memory of all key codes previously registered into the NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System. After the registration process, these components will only recognize keys coded into the NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System during registration. Any key that is not given to your dealer at the time of registration will no longer be able to start your vehicle.

#### **A** CAUTION

Do not allow the immobilizer system key, which contains an electrical transponder, to come into contact with water or salt water. This could affect system function.

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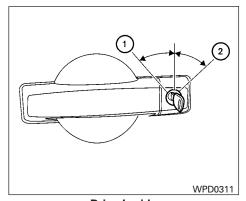
#### **DOORS**

When the doors are locked using one of the following methods, the doors cannot be opened using the inside or outside door handles. The doors must be unlocked to open the doors.

#### **AWARNING**

- Always have the doors locked while driving. Along with the use of seat belts. this provides greater safety in the event of an accident by helping to prevent persons from being thrown from the vehicle. This also helps keep children and others from unintentionally opening the doors, and will help keep out intruders.
- Before opening any door, always look for and avoid oncoming traffic.
- Do not leave children unattended inside the vehicle. They could unknowingly activate switches or controls. Unattended children could become involved in serious accidents.

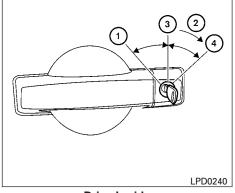
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Driver's side

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To lock a door, turn the key toward the front of the vehicle (1). To unlock, turn the key toward the rear **(2**).



Driver's side

#### Power

The power door lock system allows you to lock or unlock all doors at the same time.

Turning the key toward the front (1) of the vehicle locks all doors.

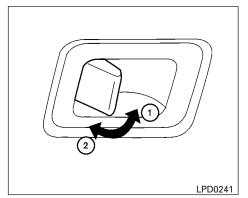
Turning the key one time toward the rear 2 of the vehicle unlocks that door. From that position, returning the key to neutral 3 (where the key can only be removed and inserted) and turning it toward the rear again (4) within 45 seconds unlocks all doors.

# Opening and closing windows

The driver's door key operation allows you to open and close windows equipped with automatic operation at the same time.

- To open the windows, turn the driver's door key toward the rear of the vehicle for longer than 1 second after the door is unlocked.
- To close the windows, turn the driver's door key toward the front of the vehicle for longer than 1 second after the door is locked.

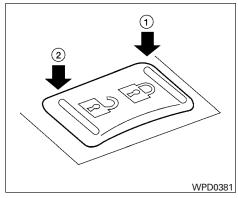
Windows stop when the key cylinder is released.



Inside lock
LOCKING WITH INSIDE LOCK
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To lock the door without the key, move the inside lock knob to the lock position ①, then close the door.

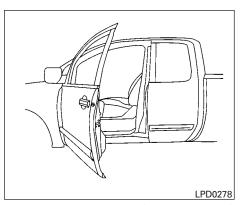
To unlock the door without the key, move the inside lock knob to the unlock position ②.



# LOCKING WITH POWER DOOR LOCK SWITCH

To lock all the doors without a key, push the door lock switch (driver's or front passenger's side) to the lock position ①. When locking the door this way, be certain not to leave the key inside the vehicle.

To unlock all the doors without a key, push the door lock switch (driver's or front passenger's side) to the unlock position ②.



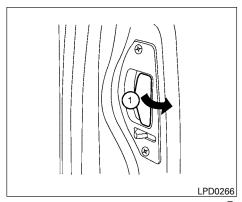
WIDE OPEN DOORS (if so equipped)

# **A** CAUTION

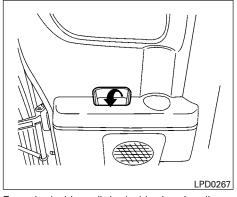
Do not open the Wide Open door to the full open position while the fuel-filler door is open; only open it as far as the first detent. Opening the door to the full open position may damage the fuel-filler door and Wide Open door.

The Wide Open doors open nearly 180° to allow access to the rear of the cab.

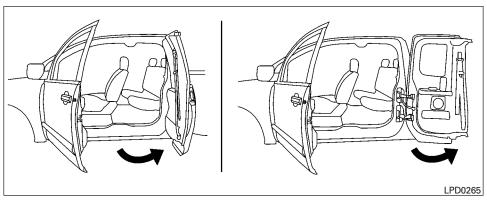
1. Open the driver's or passenger's door.



2. From the outside, pull the door handle (1) toward you.



From the inside, pull the inside door handle toward you. The door will unlock automatically.



3. Open the door to the desired position.

#### **AUTOMATIC DOOR LOCKS**

- All doors lock automatically when the vehicle speed reaches 15 MPH (24 km/h).
- All doors unlock automatically when the transmission is placed in the P (Park) position.

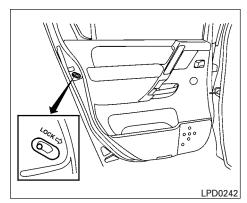
The automatic unlock function can be deactivated or activated. To deactivate or activate the automatic door unlock system, perform the following procedure:

- Close all doors.
- 2. Place the ignition switch in the ON position.
- Within 20 seconds of performing Step 2, push and hold the power door lock switch to the position (UNLOCK) for more than 5 seconds.
- When activated, the hazard indicator will flash twice. When deactivated, the hazard indicator will flash once.

The ignition switch must be placed in the OFF and ON position again between each setting change.

When the automatic door unlock system is deactivated, the doors do not unlock when the transmission is placed in the P (Park) position. To unlock the door manually, use the inside lock knob or the power door lock switch (driver's or front passenger's side).

# REMOTE KEYLESS ENTRY SYSTEM (if so equipped)



# CHILD SAFETY REAR DOOR LOCK (if so equipped)

Child safety locks help prevent the rear doors from being opened accidentally, especially when small children are in the vehicle.

The child safety lock levers are located on the edge of the rear doors.

When the lever is in the LOCK position, the door can be opened only from the outside.

#### **AWARNING**

- Radio waves could adversely affect electric medical equipment. Those who use a pacemaker should contact the electric medical equipment manufacturer for the possible influences before use.
- The remote keyless entry key fob transmits radio waves when the buttons are pressed. The FAA advises radio waves may affect aircraft navigation and communication systems. Do not operate the remote keyless entry key fob while on an airplane. Make sure the buttons are not operated unintentionally when the unit is stored for a flight.

It is possible to lock/unlock all doors, turn the interior lights on, and activate the panic alarm by using the key fob from outside the vehicle.

#### Be sure to remove the key from the vehicle before locking the doors.

The key fob can operate at a distance of approximately 33 ft (10 m) from the vehicle. The effective distance depends on the conditions around the vehicle.

As many as five key fobs can be used with one vehicle. For information concerning the purchase and use of additional key fobs, contact a NISSAN dealer.

The key fob will not function when:

- the battery is discharged
- the distance between the vehicle and the key fob is over 33 ft (10 m)

The panic alarm will not activate when the key is in the ignition switch.

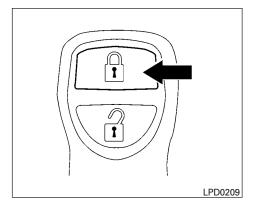
### **A** CAUTION

Listed below are conditions or occurrences which will damage the key fob:

- Do not allow the key fob, which contains electrical components, to come into contact with water or salt water. This could affect the system function.
- Do not drop the key fob.
- Do not strike the key fob sharply against another object.
- Do not change or modify the key fob.
- Wetting may damage the key fob. If the key fob gets wet, immediately wipe until it is completely dry.

- Do not place the key fob for an extended period in an area where temperatures exceed 140°F (60°C).
- Do not attach the key fob with a key holder that contains a magnet.
- Do not place the key fob near equipment that produces a magnetic field, such as a TV, audio equipment and personal computers.

If a key fob is lost or stolen, NISSAN recommends erasing the ID code of that key fob. This will prevent the key fob from unauthorized use to unlock the vehicle. For information regarding the erasing procedure, please contact a NISSAN dealer.



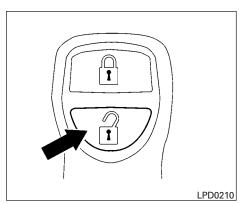
HOW TO USE REMOTE KEYLESS ENTRY SYSTEM

# Locking doors

- Close all windows.
- 2. Remove the key from the ignition switch.
- 3. Close the hood and all doors.
- Press the button on the key fob. All the doors lock. The hazard warning lights flash twice and the horn beeps once to indicate all doors are locked.

- When the button is pressed with all doors locked, the hazard warning lights flash twice and the horn beeps once as a reminder that the doors are already locked.
- If a door is open and you press the button, the doors will lock but the horn will not beep and the hazard lights will not flash.

The horn may or may not beep. For additional information, refer to "Silencing the horn beep feature" in this section.



# Unlocking doors

Press the button on the key fob once.

- Only the driver's door unlocks.
- The hazard warning lights flash once if all doors are completely closed with the ignition switch in any position except the ON position.
- The interior lights and puddle lights (if so equipped) turn on and the light timer activates for a period of time when the interior light switch is in the DOOR position with the ignition switch in any position except the ON position.

Press the button on the key fob again within 5 seconds.

- All doors unlock.
- The hazard warning lights flash once if all doors are completely closed.

The interior lights can be turned off without waiting by inserting the key into the ignition switch and placing it in the ON or START position, locking the doors with the key fob or pushing the interior light switch to the OFF position.

#### Auto relock

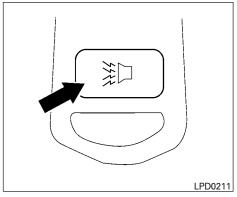
When the if button on the key fob is pressed, all doors will lock automatically within 1 minute unless one of the following operations is performed:

- Any door is opened.
- A key is inserted into the ignition switch and the switch is cycled from OFF to ON.

# Linking the key fob to automatic drive positioner memory (if so equipped)

If the vehicle is equipped with automatic drive positioner, the key fob can be linked to a memory setting.

For additional information, refer to "Automatic drive positioner" in this section.



# Using the panic alarm

If you are near your vehicle and feel threatened, you may activate the panic alarm to call attention by pressing and holding the Dutton on the key fob for longer than 0.5 seconds.

The panic alarm and headlights will stay on for a period of time.

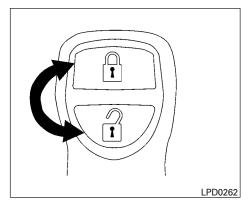
The panic alarm stops when:

- it has run for a period of time, or
- any button is pressed on the key fob.

# Using the interior lights

Press the Dutton on the key fob once to turn on the interior lights and puddle lights (if so equipped).

For additional information, refer to "Interior light" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.



# Silencing the horn beep feature

If desired, the horn beep feature can be deactivated using the key fob.

#### NOTE:

If you change the horn beep and light flash feature with the key fob, the display screen (if so equipped) will not show the current mode and cannot be used to change the mode. Use the key fob to return to the previous mode and re-enable the display screen control.

To deactivate: Press and hold the buttons for at least 2 seconds.

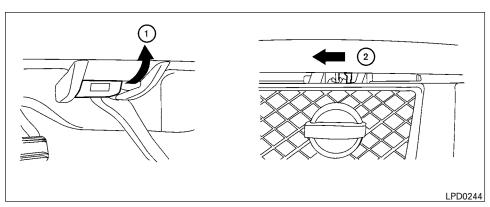
The hazard warning lights will flash three times to confirm that the horn beep feature is deactivated.

To activate: Press and hold the buttons for at least 2 seconds once more.

The hazard warning lights will flash once and the horn will sound once to confirm that the horn beep feature reactivated.

Deactivating the horn beep feature does not silence the horn if the alarm is triggered.

HOOD **FUEL-FILLER DOOR** 



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- Pull the hood lock release handle located below the driver side instrument panel. The hood will spring up slightly.
- Push the lever at the front of the hood to the side as illustrated with your fingertips and raise the hood.

When closing the hood, lower it slowly and make sure it locks into place.

#### **AWARNING**

- Make sure the hood is completely closed and latched before driving. Failure to do so could cause the hood to fly open and result in an accident.
- If you see steam or smoke coming from the engine compartment, to avoid injury do not open the hood.

**FUEL-FILLER CAP** 

#### **AWARNING**

Gasoline is extremely flammable and highly explosive under certain conditions. You could be burned or seriously injured if it is misused or mishandled. Always stop the engine and do not smoke or allow open flames or sparks near the vehicle when refueling.

- Do not attempt to top off the fuel tank after the fuel pump nozzle shuts off automatically. Continued refueling may cause fuel overflow, resulting in fuel spray and possibly a fire.
- Use only an original equipment type fuel-filler cap as a replacement. It has a built-in safety valve needed for proper operation of the fuel system and emission control system. An incorrect cap can result in a serious malfunction and possible injury. It could also cause the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) to come on.
- Never pour fuel into the throttle body to attempt to start your vehicle.
- Do not fill a portable fuel container on a truck bed liner, rubber truck bed mat, or other insulating material. Static electricity can cause an explosion of flammable liquid, vapor or gas in any vehicle or trailer. To reduce the risk of serious injury or death when filling portable fuel containers:
  - Always place the container on the ground when filling.
  - Do not use electronic devices when filling.

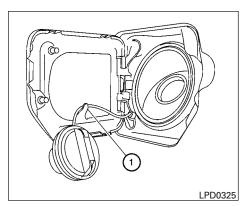
- Keep the pump nozzle in contact with the container while you are filling it.
- Use only approved portable fuel containers for flammable liquid.

# **A**CAUTION

- Only vehicles with the E-85 filler door label can operate on up to E-85 fuel. Fuel system or other damage can occur if up to E-85 fuel is used in vehicles that are not designed to run on E-85 fuel. For additional information, refer to "Fuel Recommendation" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.
- The LOOSE FUEL CAP warning will appear if the fuel-filler cap is not properly tightened. It may take a few driving trips for the message to be displayed. Failure to tighten the fuel-filler cap properly after the LOOSE FUEL CAP warning appears may cause the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) to illuminate.

- Failure to tighten the fuel-filler cap properly may cause the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) to illuminate. If the light illuminates because the fuel-filler cap is loose or missing, tighten or install the cap and continue to drive the vehicle. The light should turn off after a few driving trips. If the light does not turn off after a few driving trips, have the vehicle inspected by a NISSAN dealer.
- For additional information, refer to "Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL)" in the "Instruments and Controls" section in this manual.
- If fuel is spilled on the vehicle body, flush it away with water to avoid paint damage.

For additional information, refer to "Fuel recommendation (without Flexible Fuel Vehicle option)" and "Flexible fuel vehicle (FFV) fuel recommendation" in the "Technical and consumer information" section in this manual.

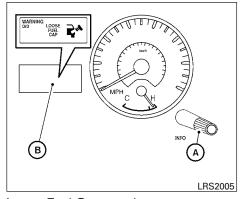


To remove the fuel-filler cap:

- 1. Turn the fuel-filler cap counterclockwise to remove.
- 2. Loop the tether strap around the hook 1 while refueling.

#### To install the fuel-filler cap:

- 1. Insert the fuel-filler cap straight into the fuelfiller tube.
- 2. Turn the fuel-filler cap clockwise until a single click is heard.



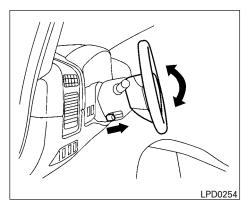
Loose Fuel Cap warning

The LOOSE FUEL CAP warning appears in the odometer when the fuel-filler cap is not tightened correctly after the vehicle has been refueled. It may take a few driving trips for the message to be displayed. To turn off the warning, perform the following:

- 1. Remove and install the fuel-filler cap as previously described as soon as possible.
- 2. Tighten the fuel-filler cap until it clicks.

3. Press the loose fuel cap warning reset button (A) on the instrument panel located behind the steering wheel for about 1 second to turn off the LOOSE FUEL CAP warning (B) after tightening the fuel-filler cap.

#### STEERING WHEEL



**TILT OPERATION** 

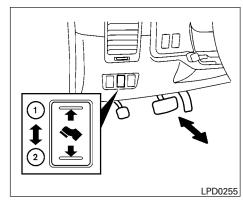
# **WARNING**

Do not adjust the steering wheel while driving. You could lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident.

Pull the lock lever toward the driver and hold it to adjust the steering wheel up or down to the desired position.

Release the lock lever to lock the steering wheel in place.

# **PEDAL POSITION ADJUSTMENT (if so** equipped)



The accelerator and brake pedals can be adjusted for driving comfort.

Use the pedal adjusting switch to adjust the brake and accelerator pedal position away from the driver (1) or toward the driver (2).

The brake and accelerator pedals cannot be adjusted separately.

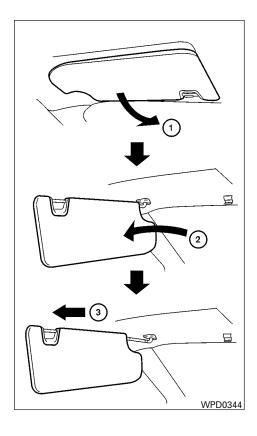
### **AWARNING**

Do not adjust the pedal position while driving. You can lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident.

#### **A** CAUTION

Do not adjust the pedal position with your foot on the pedal.

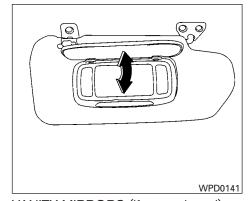
#### **SUN VISORS**



- To block glare from the front, swing down the main sun visor.
- To block glare from the side, remove the main sun visor from the center mount and swing the visor to the side.
- (3) To extend the sun visor, slide in or out as needed.

# **A** CAUTION

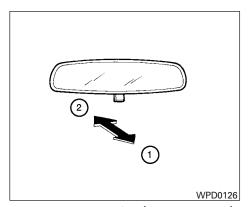
- Do not store the sun visor before returning the extension to its original position.
- Do not pull the extension sun visor forcedly downward.



# VANITY MIRRORS (if so equipped)

To access the vanity mirror, pull the sun visor down and flip open the mirror cover. Some vanity mirrors are illuminated and turn on when the mirror cover is open.

#### **MIRRORS**



# REARVIEW MIRROR (if so equipped)

Use the night position (1) to reduce glare from the headlights of vehicles behind you at night.

Use the day position (2) when driving in daylight hours.

#### **AWARNING**

Use the night position only when necessary, because it reduces rear view clarity.

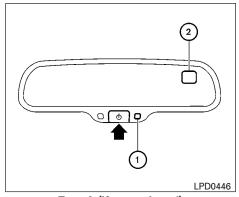
# AUTOMATIC ANTI-GLARE REARVIEW MIRROR (if so equipped)

The inside mirror is designed so that it automatically dims during night time conditions and according to the intensity of the headlights of the vehicle following you. The automatic anti-glare feature is activated when the ignition switch is in the ON position.

The indicator light will illuminate when the automatic anti-glare feature is operating.

#### NOTE:

Do not hang any objects over the sensors (1) or apply glass cleaner to the sensors. Doing so will reduce the sensitivity of the sensors, resulting in improper operation.



Type A (if so equipped)

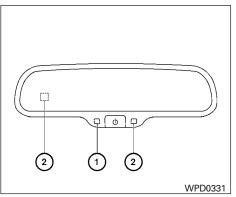
Type A (if so equipped)

With the ignition switch placed in the ON position, press the button as described:

- To turn off the anti-glare feature, press the button. The indicator light will turn off.
- To turn on the anti-glare feature, press button again. The indicator light will turn on.

The indicator light will illuminate when the automatic anti-glare feature is operating.

For additional information about the compass and compass features (2) (if so equipped), refer to "Compass display" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.



Type B (if so equipped)

Type B (if so equipped)

With the ignition switch in the ON position, press the button as described:

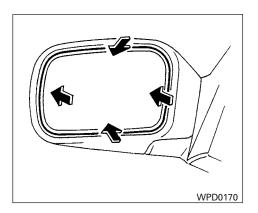
- To turn off the automatic anti-glare feature, press the button. The indicator light will turn off.
- To turn on the automatic anti-glare feature, press the **O** button again. The indicator light will turn on.

The indicator light (2) will illuminate when the automatic anti-glare feature is operating.

#### **OUTSIDE MIRRORS**

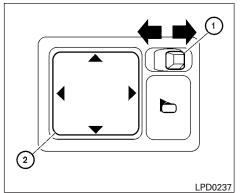
#### **A WARNING**

- Objects viewed in the outside mirror on the passenger side are closer than they appear. Be careful when moving to the right. Using only this mirror could cause an accident. Use the inside mirror or glance over your shoulder to properly judge distances to other objects.
- Do not adjust the mirrors while driving. You could lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident.



Manual control type (if so equipped)

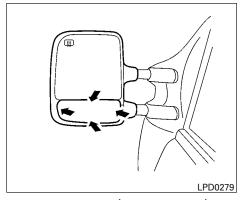
The outside mirror can be moved in any direction for a better rear view.



Electric control type (if so equipped)

The outside mirror remote control will operate only when the ignition switch is placed in the ACC or ON position.

Move the small switch 1 to select the right or left mirror. Move the large switch 2 to adjust each mirror to the desired position.



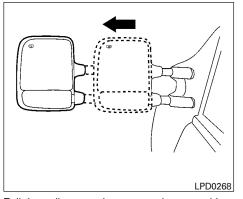
Trailer tow mirrors (if so equipped)

#### **WARNING**

Objects viewed in the convex portion of the trailer tow mirror are closer than they appear. Be careful when changing lanes or turning. Using only the convex mirror could cause an accident. Use the other mirrors or glance over your shoulder to properly judge distances to other objects.

Use the outside mirror remote control to adjust the top portion of the trailer tow mirror.

The lower portion of the trailer tow mirror can be moved manually in any direction for a better rear view.



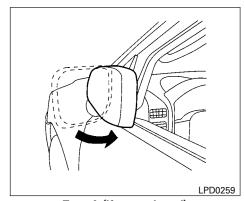
Pull the trailer tow mirror outward to extend it to the desired position for better visibility while towing a trailer.

#### **AWARNING**

Do not extend or retract mirrors while driving. You may lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident.

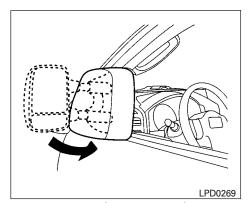
# **A** CAUTION

Driving in tight spaces with mirrors extended may cause damage to the vehicle.

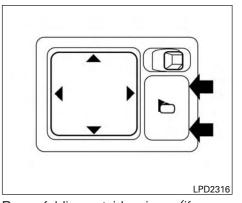


Type A (if so equipped) Manual folding outside mirrors (if so equipped)

Pull the outside mirror toward the door to fold it.



Type B (if so equipped)



Power folding outside mirrors (if so equipped)

### **CAUTION**

Do not manually fold the power folding mirrors. Manually folding the mirrors can damage the mirrors.

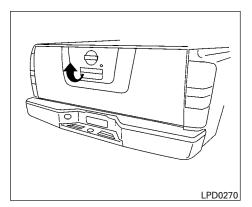
Push the switch to open or close the mirrors.

If one of the mirrors are manually operated or bumped, the mirror body can become loose at the pivot point. To correct electronic mirror operation, cycle the mirrors by pushing the bottom of the switch until completely closed, then push the top of the switch until the mirrors are in the open position.

# Heated mirrors (if so equipped)

Some outside mirrors can be heated to defrost, defog, or de-ice for improved visibility. For additional information, refer to "Rear window and outside mirror (if so equipped) defroster switch" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

#### TRUCK BOX



#### **TAILGATE**

#### Opening the tailgate

Pull the tailgate handle upward and lower the tailgate. The support cables hold the tailgate open.

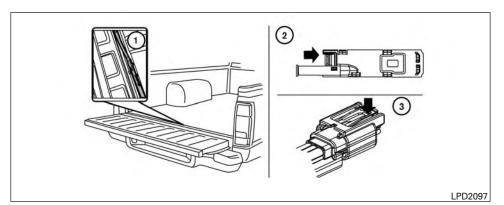
When closing the tailgate, make sure the latches are securely locked.

Do not drive the vehicle with the tailgate down, unless equipped with NISSAN's Bed Extender (accessory) or equivalent in the extended position.

For additional information on proper truck box loading, refer to "Vehicle loading information" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual

#### **AWARNING**

- It is extremely dangerous to ride in a cargo area inside a vehicle. In a collision, people riding in these areas are more likely to be seriously injured or killed.
- Do not allow people to ride in any area of your vehicle that is not equipped with seats and seat belts.
- Be sure everyone in your vehicle is in a seat and using a seat belt properly.

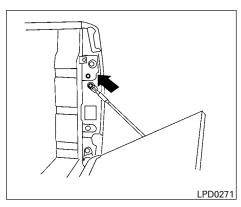


#### Disconnecting the rear camera (if so equipped)

Before removing the tailgate disconnect the rear camera by performing the following:

- 1. Open the tailgate to access the rear camera connector bracket (1) located on the rear sill.
- 2. Remove the connector bracket (2) from the sill by pressing the locking tab inward, in the direction shown, while pulling the bracket apart.
- 3. Disconnect the chassis wiring harness (3) by pressing inward on the locking tab, in the direction shown, while pulling the connectors apart. Hold the connector firmly to prevent the connector in the chassis harness from falling into the sill.
- 4. Take the chassis plug and bracket from the glove box and connect them to the chassis wiring harness to avoid contamination to the terminals which will lead to malfunction of the rear camera.
- 5. Insert the bracket back into the sill.

- 6. Take the tailgate plug from the glove box and connect it to the tailgate wiring harness to avoid contamination which will lead to malfunction of the rear camera.
- 7. Remove the tailgate. For additional information, refer to "Removing the tailgate" in this section.



#### Removing the tailgate

- 1. Disconnect the wiring harness for the rear camera (if so equipped). For additional information, refer to "Disconnecting the rear camera" in this section.
- 2. Release the tailgate support cables.

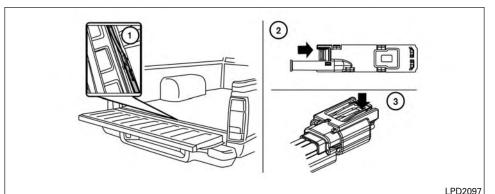
#### **A** CAUTION

- The tailgate is heavy. Two people should remove or install it. Be careful not to drop it during removal.
- After releasing the support cables, do not let the tailgate rest on the bumper.

- 3. Hold the tailgate at a 45 degree angle.
- 4. Pull the tailgate out from the left side hinge.
- 5. Slide the tailgate out of the right side hinge.

#### Installing the tailgate

- 1. Insert the tailgate into the right side hinge.
- 2. Hold the tailgate at a 45 degree angle and insert into the left side hinge.
- 3. Continue to hold the tailgate at a 45 degree angle and attach the tailgate support cables.
- 4. For vehicles with rear camera: Be sure the tailgate harness is not hanging below the tailgate and keep the tailgate open. For additional information, refer to "Connecting the rear camera" in this section before closing the tailgate.
- 5. For vehicles without rear camera: Close the tailgate securely.

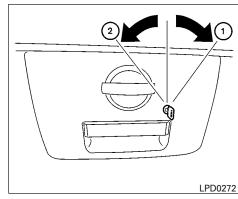


# Connecting the rear camera (if so equipped)

Before closing the tailgate reconnect the rear camera by performing the following:

- After attaching the rear tailgate to the truck, keep the tailgate open and check that the tailgate harness is not hanging below the tailgate.
- Remove the connector bracket ② from the sill by pressing the locking tab inward, in the direction shown, while pulling the bracket apart.

- Disconnect the chassis plug and bracket from the chassis wiring harness 3. Keep the connector and bracket in a safe place such as the glove box.
- 4. Disconnect the tailgate plug from the tailgate wiring harness. Keep the tailgate plug in a safe place such as the glove box.
- 5. Connect the tailgate wiring harness to the chassis wiring harness.
- 6. Securely fix the rear camera connector bracket 1 to the rear sill.
- 7. Close the tailgate securely.

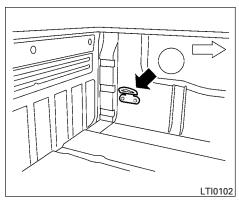


#### Locking the tailgate

To unlock the tailgate, turn the key toward the passenger side of the vehicle ①. To lock, turn the key toward the driver side ②.

Both the master key and the valet key can be used to lock and unlock the tailgate.

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#### TIE DOWN HOOKS

For your convenience, tie down hooks are placed at each corner of the truck box. These may be used to help secure cargo loaded into the truck box.

- The weight of the cargo load must be evenly distributed over both the front and the rear axles.
- All cargo should be securely fastened with ropes or straps to prevent it from shifting or sliding within the vehicle.

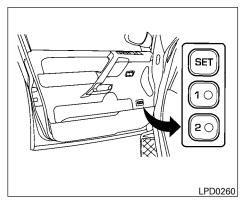
#### **AWARNING**

Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.

#### **AUTOMATIC DRIVE POSITIONER (if** so equipped)

The automatic drive positioner system has two features:

- Memory storage function
- Entry/exit function



#### MEMORY STORAGE FUNCTION

Two positions for the driver's seat, accelerator and brake pedals, and outside mirrors can be stored in the automatic drive positioner memory. Follow these procedures to use the memory system.

- 1. Place the shift lever in the P (Park) position.
- 2. Place the ignition switch in the ON position.
- Adjust the driver's seat, accelerator and brake pedals, and outside mirrors to the desired positions by manually operating each adjusting switch. For additional information, refer to "Seats" in the "Safety—

Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual and "Pedal position adjustment" and "Outside mirrors" in this section.

During this step, do not place the ignition switch in any position other than ON.

4. Push the SET switch and, within 5 seconds, push the memory switch (1 or 2).

The indicator light for the pushed memory switch will come on and stay on for approximately 5 seconds after pushing the switch. After the indicator light goes off, the selected positions are stored in the selected memory (1 or 2).

If a new memory is stored in the same memory switch, the previous memory will be deleted.

### Linking a key fob to a stored memory position

Each key fob can be linked to a stored memory position (memory switch 1 or 2) with the following procedure.

- Follow the steps for storing a memory position.
- While the indicator light for the memory switch being set is illuminated for 5 seconds, press the button on the key fob.

The indicator light will blink. After the indicator light goes off, the key fob is linked to that memory setting.

With the key removed from the ignition switch, press the button on the key fob. The driver's seat, accelerator and brake pedals, and outside mirrors will move to the memorized position.

#### NOTE:

If a new memory position is saved to the memory switch, the key fob automatically re-links.

#### Confirming memory storage

- Place the ignition switch in the ON position and push the SET switch. If the main memory has not been stored, the indicator light will come on for approximately 0.5 seconds. When the memory has stored the position, the indicator light will stay on for approximately 5 seconds.
- If the battery cable is disconnected, or if the fuse opens, the memory storage function will be canceled and must be restarted before a stored memory position can be set again. Drive the vehicle over 25 MPH (40 km/h) to restart the memory storage function. You can also restart the memory storage function using the following procedure.

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- 1. Connect the battery cable or replace the fuse.
- 2. Open and close the driver's door more than two times with the ignition switch in the LOCK position.

Once the memory storage function has been restarted, you can store a memory position. For additional information, refer to "Memory storage function" in this section.

#### Selecting the memorized position

Set the shift lever to the P (Park) position, then:

- Within 45 seconds of opening the driver's door, push the memory switch (1 or 2) or
- Place the ignition switch in the ON position and push the memory switch (1 or 2).

The driver's seat, accelerator and brake pedals, and outside mirrors will move to the memorized position with the indicator light blinking, and then the light will stay on for approximately 5 seconds.

#### **ENTRY/EXIT FUNCTION**

This system is designed so that the driver's seat will automatically move when the shift lever is placed in the P (Park) position. This allows the driver to get into and out of the driver's seat more easily.

The driver's seat will slide backward:

- When the key is removed from the ignition switch and the driver's door is opened.
- When the driver's door is opened with the ignition switch placed in the LOCK position.
- When the ignition switch is turned from ACC to LOCK with the driver's door open.

The driver's seat will return to the previous position:

- When the key is inserted into the ignition switch and the driver's door is closed.
- When the driver's door is closed with the ignition switch placed in the LOCK position.
- When the ignition switch is turned from ACC to ON while the shift lever is in the P (Park) position.

The entry/exit function can be adjusted or canceled. See your NISSAN dealer.

#### Restarting the entry/exit function

If the battery cable is disconnected or if the fuse opens, the entry/exit function will be disabled. Drive the vehicle over 25 MPH (40 km/h) to restart the entry/exit function. You can also restart the entry/exit function using the following procedure.

- 1. Connect the battery cable or replace the fuse.
- 2. Open and close the driver's door more than two times with the ignition switch in the LOCK position.

The entry/exit function should now work properly.

#### SYSTEM OPERATION

The automatic drive positioner system will not work or will stop operating under the following conditions:

- When the vehicle speed is above 4 MPH (7 km/h).
- When any of the memory switches are pushed while the automatic drive positioner is operating.
- When the adjusting switch for the driver's seat is turned on while the automatic drive positioner is operating.
- When the seat has already been moved to the memorized position.
- When no seat position is stored in the memory switch.
- When the shift lever is moved from P (Park). to any other position.

• When the driver's door remains open more than 45 seconds and the ignition switch is not in the ON position.

The automatic drive positioner system can be adjusted and canceled. See your NISSAN dealer.

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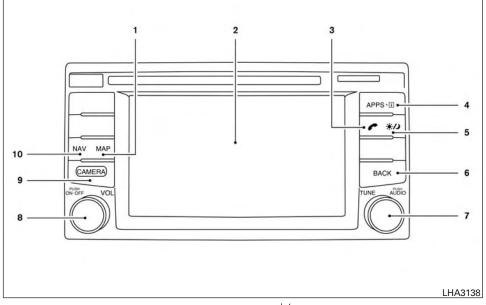
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# CONTROL PANEL BUTTONS — COLOR SCREEN WITH NAVIGATION SYSTEM (if so equipped)

#### **WARNING**

- Positioning of the heating or air conditioning controls and display controls should not be done while driving in order that full attention may be given to the driving operation.
- Do not disassemble or modify this system. If you do, it may result in accidents, fire, or electrical shock.
- Do not use this system if you notice any abnormality, such as a frozen screen or lack of sound. Continued use of the system may result in accident, fire or electric shock.
- In case you notice any foreign object in the system hardware, spill liquid on it, or notice smoke or smell coming from it, stop using the system immediately and contact your nearest NISSAN dealer. Ignoring such conditions may lead to accidents, fire or electrical shock.



- 1. MAP button\*
- 2. Display screen
- 3. **C** button\*\*
- 4. APPS· button

- 5. ☼/⊅ (brightness control) button
- 6. BACK button
- 7. ENTER/AUDIO button / TUNE knob
- 8. ON-OFF button/VOL (volume) control knob

- CAMERA button
- 10. NAV button\*
- \* For additional information, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual regarding the Navigation system control buttons.
- For additional information, refer to the "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with navigation system" or "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System without navigation system" regarding Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System control button in this section.

When you use this system, make sure the engine is runnina.

If you use the system with the engine not running (ignition ON or ACC) for a long time, it will discharge the battery, and the engine will not start.

Reference symbols:

"Example" — Words marked in quotes refer to a key shown only on the display. These keys can be selected by touching the screen.

#### HOW TO USE THE TOUCH-**SCREEN**

#### **A** CAUTION

- The glass display screen may break if it is hit with a hard or sharp object. If the glass screen breaks, do not touch it. Doing so could result in an injury.
- To clean the display, never use a rough cloth, alcohol, benzine, thinner or any kind of solvent or paper towel with a chemical cleaning agent. They will scratch or deteriorate the panel.
- Do not splash any liquid such as water or car fragrance on the display. Contact with liquid will cause the system to malfunction.

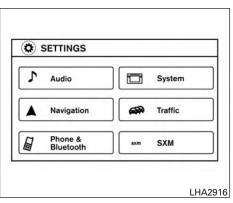
To help ensure safe driving, some functions cannot be operated while driving.

The on-screen functions that are not available while driving will be graved out or muted.

Park the vehicle in a safe location and then operate the navigation system.

#### **AWARNING**

- ALWAYS give your full attention to driving.
- Avoid using vehicle features that could distract vou. If distracted, vou could lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident.



#### Touch-screen operation

Menu Ite	m	Result
Selecting the item		Touch an item to select . To select the "Audio" key, touch the "Audio" key (1) on the screen. Press the BACK button to return to
		the previous screen.
Adjusting the item		Touch the "+" key or the "-" key to adjust the settings of an item. Touch the up arrow to scroll up the page one item at a time, or touch the double up arrow to scroll up an entire page. Touch the down arrow to scroll down the page one item at a time, or touch the double down arrow to scroll down an entire page.
Inputting characters		Touch the letter or number key. There are some options available when inputting characters.
1	23/ABC	Changes the available character set to numbers.
S	Space	Inserts a space.
	Delete	Deletes the last inputted character with one touch. Touch and hold the "Delete" key to delete all of the characters.
С	)K	Completes the character input.

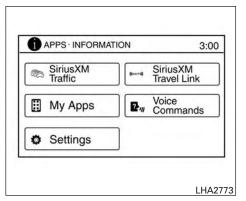
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#### Touch-screen maintenance

If you clean the display screen, use a dry, soft cloth. If additional cleaning is necessary, use a small amount of neutral detergent with a soft cloth. Never spray the screen with water or detergent. Dampen the cloth first and then wipe the screen.

#### HOW TO USE THE BACK BUTTON

Press the BACK button to return to the previous screen.

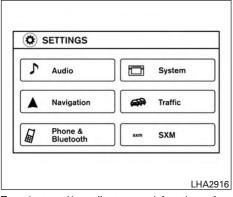


#### HOW TO USE THE APPS BUTTON

For additional information, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual regarding the "SiriusXM Travel Link" and "SiriusXM Traffic" features.

For additional information, refer to "Nissan-Connect<sup>SM</sup> with Mobile Apps" regarding the "My Apps" key in this section.

For additional information, refer to "NISSAN Voice Recognition System" regarding the "Voice Commands" key in this section.



To select and/or adjust several functions, features and modes that are available for your vehicle:

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the desired item.

	Menu it	em	Result
Audio			For additional information, refer to "Audio system" in this section.
Navigation			For additional information, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual.
Phone &	Bluetooth		For additional information, refer to "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with Navigation System" in this section.
System			Touch this key to select and/or adjust various functions of this system. A screen with additional options will appear.
	Display		Touch this key to adjust the appearance of the display.
		Brightness	Adjusts the brightness of the display.
		Display Mode	Adjusts to fit the level of lighting in the vehicle. Touch key to cycle through options. "Day" and "Night" modes are suited for the respective times of day while "Auto" controls the display automatically.
		Scroll Direction	Adjusts the direction of the menu scroll. Choose to either move up or down.
	Clock	•	Touch this key to adjust the time.
		Time Format	The clock can be set to 12 hours or 24 hours.
		Date Format	Select from five possible formats for displaying the day, month, and year.
		Clock Mode	Adjust the mode for the clock. "Auto" uses the system's GPS to automatically maintain the time. "Manual" allows you to set the clock using the "Set Clock Manually" key.
		Set Clock Manually	Adjust the clock manually, Touch the "+" or "-" keys to adjust the hours, minutes, day, month and year up or down. "Clock Mode" must be set to manual for this option to be available.
		Daylight Sav- ings Time	Adjusts the daylight savings time on or off.
		Time Zone	Choose the applicable time zone from the list.
	Language	•	Touch this key to change the language on the display.
	Camera		Touch this key to change the camera settings.
	-	Display Mode	Touch this key to select the touch-screen display mode (day, night, or automatic).
		Brightness	Adjust touch-screen brightness.
		Contrast	Adjust touch-screen contrast.
		Color	Adjust touch-screen color.

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	Menu item	Result
Te	emperature Unit	Touch this key to change the temperature unit being displayed (Fahrenheit or Celsius).
То	ouchscreen click	Toggles the touchscreen click feature on or off. When activated a click sound will be heard every time a key on the screen is touched.
Sy	ystem Beeps	Toggle the system beep tones feature on or off. When activated, a beep sound will be heard when a pop-up message appears on the
		screen or a button on the unit (such as the :the button) is pressed and held for 2 seconds.
	eturn to Factory Settings/	Touch this key to return all settings to default and to clear the memory.
CI	Clear Memory	
So	oftware Licenses	Touch this key to display software licensing information.
Traffic		Touch this key to display traffic settings. For additional information, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual.
SXM		Touch this key to display SXM status information. For additional information, refer to "Audio System" regarding SXM setup in this
		section.

#### ☆/⊅ BUTTON

To change the display brightness, press the 🌣/🔊 button. Pressing the button again will change the display to day or night display mode.

If no operation is performed within 5 seconds, the display will return to the previous display.

Press and hold the 🌣/🕽 button for more than 2 seconds to turn the display off. Press the button again to turn the display on.

#### HOW TO USE THE ON-OFF BUTTON/VOL (volume) CONTROL **KNOB**

Press the ON-OFF button to turn audio function on and off. Turn the volume control knob to adjust audio volume.

#### HOW TO USE THE CAMERA **BUTTON**

For additional information, refer to "REARVIEW MONITOR" in this section regarding the CAM-FRA button.

#### **REARVIEW MONITOR (if so** equipped)

When the shift lever is shifted into the R (Reverse) position, the monitor display shows the view to the rear of the vehicle.

#### **AWARNING**

Failure to follow the warnings and instructions for proper use of the RearView Monitor could result in serious injury or death.

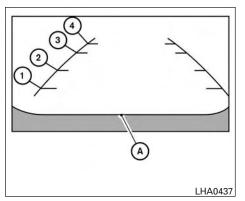
- The RearView Monitor is a convenience but it is not a substitute for proper backing. Always turn and look out the windows, and check mirrors to be sure that it is safe to move before operating the vehicle. Always back up slowly.
- The system is designed as an aid to the driver in showing large stationary objects directly behind the vehicle, to help avoid damaging the vehicle.
- The system cannot completely eliminate blind spots and may not show every object.

- Underneath the bumper and the corner areas of the bumper cannot be viewed on the RearView Monitor because of its monitoring range limitation. The system will not show small objects below the bumper, and may not show objects close to the bumper or on the ground.
- Objects viewed in the RearView Monitor differ from actual distance because a wide-angle lens is used.
- Objects in a RearView Monitor will appear visually opposite than when viewed in the rear view and outside mirrors.
- Make sure that the trunk is securely closed when backing up.
- Do not put anything on the rearview camera. The rearview camera is installed above the license plate.
- When washing the vehicle with high pressure water, be sure not to spray it around the camera. Otherwise, water may enter the camera unit causing water condensation on the lens, a malfunction, fire or an electric shock.

• Do not strike the camera. It is a precision instrument. Otherwise, it may malfunction or cause damage resulting in a fire or an electric shock.

#### **A** CAUTION

There is a plastic cover over the camera. Do not scratch the cover when cleaning dirt or snow from the cover.



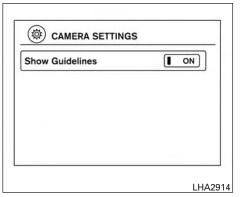
#### HOW TO READ THE DISPLAYED **LINES**

Guiding lines which indicate the vehicle width and distances to objects with reference to the vehicle body line (A) are displayed on the monitor.

#### Distance guide lines:

Indicate distances from the vehicle body.

- Red line (1): approx. 1.5 ft (0.5 m)
- Yellow line (2): approx. 3 ft (1 m)
- Green line (3): approx. 7 ft (2 m)
- Green line 4: approx. 10 ft (3 m)



The on-screen guidelines can be set to on or off.

#### With the shift lever in the R (Reverse) position:

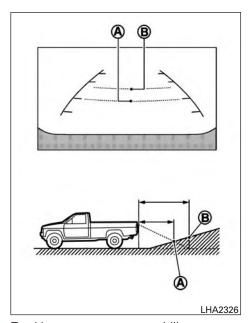
Press the CAMERA button to toggle the feature on and off.

#### With the shift lever in any position other than the R (Reverse) position:

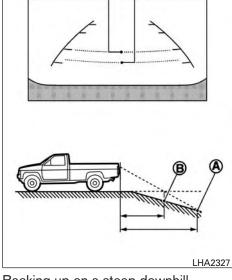
- 1. Press the CAMERA button.
- 2. Touch the "Show Guidelines" key to toggle the feature on or off.

#### DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PREDICTED AND ACTUAL DISTANCES

The distance guide line and the vehicle width guide line should be used as a reference only when the vehicle is on a level, paved surface. The distance viewed on the monitor is for reference only and may be different than the actual distance between the vehicle and displayed objects.



the hill is the place **(B)**. Note that any object on the hill is further than it appears on the monitor.



Backing up on a steep uphill

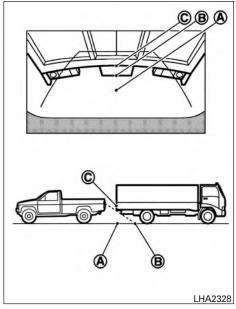
When backing up the vehicle up a hill, the distance guide lines and the vehicle width guide lines are shown closer than the actual distance. For example, the display shows 3 ft (1.0 m) to the place (A), but the actual 3 ft (1.0 m) distance on

#### Backing up on a steep downhill

When backing up the vehicle down a hill, the distance guide lines and the vehicle width guide lines are shown farther than the actual distance. For example, the display shows 3 ft (1.0 m) to the place (A), but the actual 3 ft (1.0 m) distance on

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the hill is the place (B). Note that any object on the hill is closer than it appears on the monitor.



Backing up behind a projecting object

The position (C) is shown farther than the position (B) in the display. However, the position (C) is actually at the same distance as the position (A). The vehicle may hit the object when backing up to the position (A) if the object projects over the actual backing up course.

#### ADJUSTING THE SCREEN

The procedure for adjusting the display settings of the screen differs depending on the type of screen present on the vehicle.

#### For vehicles without Navigation System

- 1. Firmly apply the brake and place the shift lever in R (reverse)
- Press the ENTER/SETTING button.
- 3. The screen will display the Brightness settings.
- 4. Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to adjust the setting up or down.
- 5. Press the ENTER/SETTING button again to display the Contrast settings.
- 6. Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to adjust the setting up or down.
- 7. Press the ENTER/SETTING button to complete the adjustment.
- Do not adjust the display settings of the RearView Monitor while the vehicle is moving.

#### For vehicles with Navigation System

- Firmly apply the brake and place the shift lever in R (reverse)
- 2. Press the 🐫 🕽 button on the control panel.
- 3. The screen will display the Night settings.
- Turn the TUNE knob to adjust the setting up or down.
- 5. Press the ☆/⊅ button again to access the Auto settings.
- Turn the TUNE knob to adjust the setting up or down.
- Do not adjust the display settings of the RearView Monitor while the vehicle is moving.

#### **OPERATING TIPS**

#### **A** CAUTION

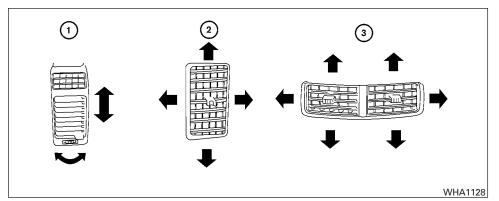
- Do not use alcohol, benzine or thinner to clean the camera. This will cause discoloration. To clean the camera, wipe with a cloth dampened with a diluted mild cleaning agent and then wipe with a dry cloth.
- Do not damage the camera as the monitor screen may be adversely affected.

- When the shift lever is shifted to R (Reverse), the monitor screen automatically changes to the RearView Monitor mode. However, the radio can be heard.
- It may take some time until the RearView Monitor is displayed after the shift lever has been shifted to R (Reverse). Objects may be distorted momentarily until the RearView Monitor screen is displayed completely. When the shift lever is returned to a position other than R (Reverse), it may take some time until the screen changes. Objects on the screen may be distorted until they are completely displayed.
- When the temperature is extremely high or low, the screen may not clearly display objects. This is not a malfunction.
- When strong light directly enters the camera, objects may not be displayed clearly.
- Vertical lines may be seen in objects on the screen. This is due to strong reflected light from the bumper. This is not a malfunction.
- The screen may flicker under fluorescent light. This is not a malfunction.
- The colors of objects on the RearView Monitor may differ somewhat from those of the actual object.

- When the contrast of objects is low at night, pressing the ENTER/AUDIO button or the ENTER/SETTING button may not change the brightness.
- Objects on the monitor may not be clear in a dark place or at night.
- If dirt, rain or snow attaches to the camera, the RearView Monitor may not display objects. Clean the camera.
- Do not use body wax on the camera window.
   If body wax does get on the camera window,
   wipe off the wax with a clean cloth dampened with mild detergent diluted with water.

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#### **VENTS**



Adjust air flow direction for the driver's and passenger's side vents (1), center vents (2), and rear passengers' vents (if so equipped) (3) by moving the vent slide and/or vent assemblies.

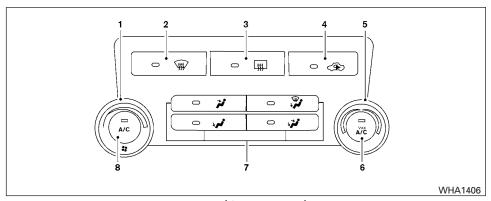
#### **HEATER AND AIR CONDITIONER** (manual) (if so equipped)

#### **AWARNING**

- The air conditioner cooling function operates only when the engine is running.
- Do not leave children or adults who would normally require the assistance of others alone in your vehicle. Pets should also not be left alone. They could accidentally injure themselves or others through inadvertent operation of the vehicle. Also, on hot, sunny days, temperatures in a closed vehicle could quickly become high enough to cause severe or possibly fatal injuries to people or animals.
- Do not use the recirculation mode for long periods as it may cause the interior air to become stale and the windows to fog up.

#### NOTE:

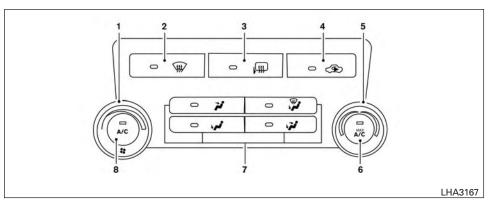
- Odors from inside and outside the vehicle can build up in the air conditioner unit. Odor can enter the passenger compartment through the vents.
- When parking, set the heater and air conditioner controls to turn off air recirculation to allow fresh air into the passenger compartment. This should help reduce odors inside the vehicle.



Type A (if so equipped)

#### **CONTROLS**

- 1. Fan speed control dial
- 2. Front window defroster button
- 3. Rear window defroster switch (if so equipped)
- 4. Air recirculation button
- 5. Temperature control dial
- 6. Max A/C button
- 7. Air flow control buttons
- 8. Air conditioner ON/OFF button



Type B (if so equipped)

#### **CONTROLS**

- 1. Fan speed control dial
- 2. Front window defroster button
- Outside mirror defroster switch (if so equipped)
- 4. Air recirculation button
- Temperature control dial
- 6. Max A/C button
- 7. Air flow control buttons
- 8. Air conditioner ON/OFF button

#### Fan control dial

The fan control dial turns the fan on and off, and controls fan speed.

#### Air flow control buttons

The air flow control buttons allow you to select the air flow outlets.

MAX A/C — Air flows from center and side vents with maximum cooling (air conditioning).

Air flows from center and side vents.

- Air flows from center and side vents and foot outlets.
- Air flows mainly from foot outlets.
- Air flows from defroster outlets and foot outlets.
- Air flows mainly from defroster outlets.

#### Temperature control dial

The temperature control dial allows you to adjust the temperature of the outlet air. To lower the temperature, turn the dial to the left. To increase the temperature, turn the dial to the right.



#### Air recirculation button

#### ON position (Indicator light on)

Interior air is recirculated inside the vehicle.

Press the button to the ON position when:

- driving on a dusty road.
- to prevent traffic fumes from entering passenger compartment.
- for maximum cooling when using the air conditioner.

#### **OFF** position (Indicator light off)

Outside air is drawn into the passenger compartment and distributed through the selected outlet.

Use the OFF position for normal heater or air conditioner operation.

#### A/C | Air conditioner button

Start the engine, turn the fan control dial to the desired position and press the A/C button to turn on the air conditioner. To turn off the air conditioner, press the A/C button again.

#### The air conditioner cooling function operates only when the engine is running.

#### Rear window and outside mirror (if so equipped) defroster switch

For additional information about the rear window or outside mirror defroster switch, refer to "Rear window and outside mirror (if so equipped) defroster switch" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

#### **HEATER OPERATION**

#### Heating

This mode is used to direct heated air to the foot outlets. Some air also flows from the defrost outlets.

- 1. Press the button to the OFF position for normal heating. The indicator light on the sutton will go off.
- 2. Press the vi air flow control button.

- 3. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 4. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position between the middle and the hot position.

#### Ventilation

This mode directs outside air to the side and center vents.

- 1. Press the button to the OFF position. The indicator light on the button will ao off.
- 2. Press the in air flow control button.
- 3. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 4. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position.

#### Defrosting or defogging

This mode directs the air to the defrost outlets to defrost/defog the windows.

- 1. Press the defrost/defog button .
- 2. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 3. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position between the middle and the hot position.

- To quickly remove ice or fog from the windows, turn the fan control dial to the highest setting and the temperature control to the full HOT position.
- When the www position is selected, the air conditioner automatically turns on if the outside temperature is more than 36°F (2°C). This dehumidifies the air which helps defog the windshield. The see mode automatically turns off, allowing outside air to be drawn into the passenger compartment to further improve the defogging performance.

#### Bi-level heating

The bi-level mode directs warmed air to the side and center vents and to the front and rear floor outlets.

- 1. Press the S button to the OFF position. The indicator light on the S button will go off.
- 2. Press the iii air flow control button.
- 3. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 4. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position.

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#### Heating and defogging

This mode heats the interior and defogs the windshield.

- 1. Press the air flow control button.
- 2. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 3. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position between the middle and the hot position.
- When the position is selected, the air conditioner automatically turns on if the outside temperature is more than 36°F (2°C). If the air flow control button is selected for more than 1 minute, the air conditioning system will continue to operate until the fan control dial is turned to OFF, the vehicle is shut off, or the A/C button is used to turn off the compressor even if the air flow control dial is turned to a position other than the position. This dehumidifies the air which helps defog the windshield. The seem mode automatically turns off, allowing outside air to be drawn into the passenger compartment to further improve the defogging performance.

#### Operating tips

Clear snow and ice from the wiper blades and air inlet in front of the windshield. This improves heater operation.

#### AIR CONDITIONER OPERATION

Start the engine, turn the fan control dial to the desired position, and press the A/C button to activate the air conditioner. When the air conditioner is on, cooling and dehumidifying functions are added to the heater operation.

#### The air conditioner cooling function operates only when the engine is running.

#### Cooling

This mode is used to cool and dehumidify the air.

- 1. Press the button to the OFF position.
- 2. Press the in air flow control button.
- 3. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 4. Press the A/C button.
- 5. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position.

• For quick cooling when the outside temperature is high, press the S button to the ON position. Be sure to return the to the OFF position for normal cooling. The indicator light on the button will go off. You may also select MAX A/C for quick cooling.

#### Dehumidified heating

This mode is used to heat and dehumidify the air.

- 1. Press the button to the OFF position. The indicator light on the button will go off.
- 2. Press the in air flow control button.
- 3. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 4. Press the A/C button on.
- 5. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position.

#### Dehumidified defogging

This mode is used to defog the windows and dehumidify the air.

- 1. Press the war air flow control button.
- 2. Turn the fan control dial to the desired position.
- 3. Press the A/C button.

When the W positions are selected, the air conditioner automatically turns on if the outside temperature is more than 36°F (2°C). The air conditioning system will continue to operate until the fan control dial is turned to OFF, the air conditioner is turned OFF, or the vehicle is shut off, even if a position other than the flow control button is selected. This dehumidifies the air which helps defog the windshield. The some automatically turns off, allowing outside air to be drawn into the passenger compartment to further improve the defogging performance.

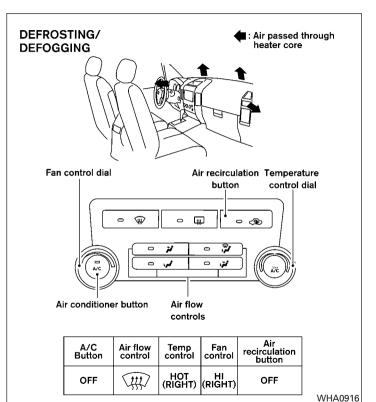
4. Turn the temperature control dial to the desired position.

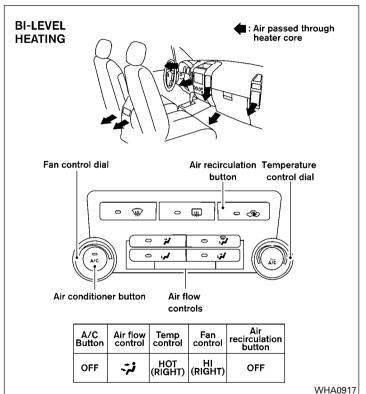
#### Operating tips

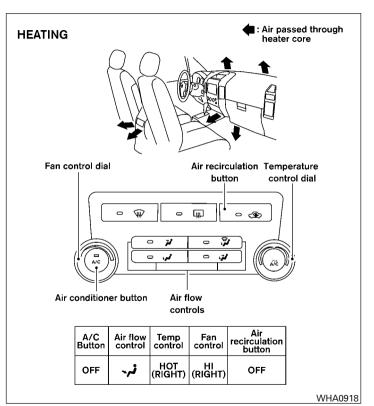
- Keep the windows closed while the air conditioner is in operation.
- After parking in the sun, drive for 2 or 3 minutes with the windows open to vent hot air from the passenger compartment. Then, close the windows. This allows the air conditioner to cool the interior more quickly.
- The air conditioning system should be operated for approximately 10 minutes at least once a month. This helps prevent damage to the system due to lack of lubrication.
- A visible mist may be seen coming from the ventilators in hot, humid conditions as the air is cooled rapidly. This does not indicate a malfunction.
- If the engine coolant temperature gauge indicates engine coolant temperature over the normal range, turn the air conditioner off. For additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

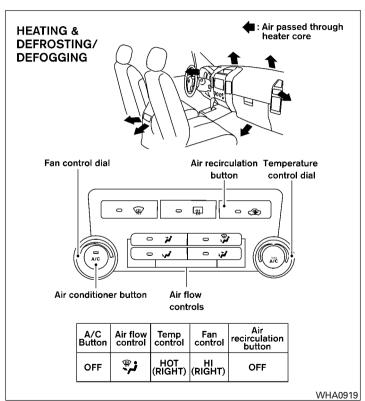
#### AIR FLOW CHARTS

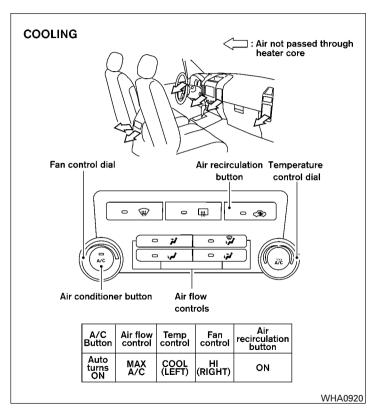
The following charts show the button and dial positions for MAXIMUM AND QUICK heating, cooling or defrosting. For additional information on heating and cooling, refer to "Heater and air conditioner (manual)" in this section. The air recirculation ( ) button should always be in the OFF position for heating and defrosting.



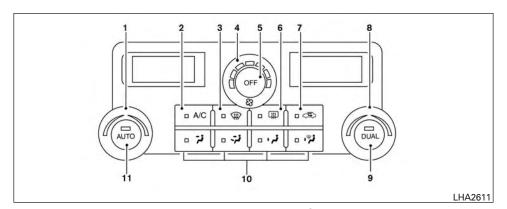








## HEATER AND AIR CONDITIONER (automatic) (if so equipped)



1. Driver temperature control dial

11. AUTO button

- 2. A/C ON/OFF button
- 3. Front window defroster button
- 4. Fan speed control dial
- 5. (system off) button
- 6. Rear window defroster button
- 7. Air recirculation button
- 8. Passenger temperature control dial
- 9. DUAL button
- 10. Air flow control buttons

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#### **WARNING**

- The air conditioner cooling function operates only when the engine is running.
- Do not leave children or adults who would normally require the assistance of others alone in your vehicle. Pets should also not be left alone. They could accidentally injure themselves or others through inadvertent operation of the vehicle. Also, on hot, sunny days, temperatures in a closed vehicle could quickly become high enough to cause severe or possibly fatal injuries to people or animals.
- Do not use the recirculation mode for long periods as it may cause the interior air to become stale and the windows to fog up.

Start the engine and operate the controls to activate the air conditioner.

#### NOTE:

 Odors from inside and outside the vehicle can build up in the air conditioner unit. Odor can enter the passenger compartment through the vents. When parking, set the heater and air conditioner controls to turn off air recirculation to allow fresh air into the passenger compartment. This should help reduce odors inside the vehicle.

#### **AUTOMATIC OPERATION**

#### Cooling or heating (auto)

This mode may be normally used all year round as the system automatically works to keep a constant temperature. Air flow distribution and fan speed are also controlled automatically.

- 1. Press the AUTO button on.
- Turn the temperature dial to the left or right to set the desired temperature. Driver and passenger temperatures can be set independently. Press DUAL to activate dual climate control functions. Turn the passenger's side temperature control dial to the left or right to set the desired passenger's temperature.
- Adjust the temperature dial to about 75°F (24°C) for normal operation.
- The temperature of the passenger compartment will be maintained automatically. Air flow distribution, fan speed and A/C on/off are also controlled automatically.

 A visible mist may be seen coming from the vents in hot, humid conditions as the air is cooled rapidly. This does not indicate a malfunction.

#### Heating (A/C OFF)

The air conditioner does not activate. When you need to heat only, use this mode.

- 1. Press the A/C button.
- 2. Turn the temperature control dial to set the desired temperature.
- The temperature of the passenger compartment will be maintained automatically. Air flow distribution and fan speed are also controlled automatically.
- Do not set the temperature lower than the outside air temperature. Otherwise, the system may not work properly.
- Not recommended if windows fog up.

#### Dehumidified defrosting or defogging

- Press the defroster control button to turn the system on. The indicator light in the button will illuminate.
- 2. Turn the temperature dial to the left or right to set the desired temperature.

- To quickly remove ice from the outside of the windows, turn the manual fan control to the maximum position.
- As soon as possible after the windshield is clean, press the AUTO button to return to the auto mode.
- When the worth control is activated, the air conditioner will automatically be turned on at outside temperatures above 36°F (2°C). If in defrost mode for more than 1 minute, the air conditioning system will continue to operate until the fan control is turned OFF, the vehicle is shut off or the A/C button is used to turn off the compressor even if an air flow button other than will is selected. This dehumidifies the air which helps defog the windshield. The air recirculation mode automatically turns off, allowing outside air to be drawn into the passenger compartment to further improve the defogging performance.

#### MANUAL OPERATION

#### Fan speed control dial

Turn the fan speed control dial  $\Im$  left or right to manually control the fan speed or turn the system on or off.

Press the AUTO button to return to automatic control of the fan speed.

#### Air recirculation

Push the air recirculation button to recirculate interior air inside the vehicle. Push the AUTO button to return to automatic mode.

The air recirculation button will not be activated when the air conditioner is in DEF, floor, or floor/defrost mode.

#### Fresh air intake (if so equipped)

Press the fresh air intake button to draw outside air into the passenger compartment. The indicator light on the button will come on.

#### Air flow control

Press the air flow control buttons to manually control air flow and select the air outlet:

 Air flows from center and side vents.

 Air flows from center and side vents and foot outlets.

Air flows mainly from foot outlets.

 Air flows from defroster and foot outlets.

Air flows from defroster outlets.

#### To turn system off

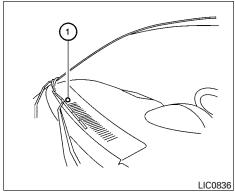
Press the S /OFF button.

#### Outside mirror defroster switch (if so equipped)

For additional information about the outside mirror defroster switch, refer to "Rear window and outside mirror (if so equipped) defroster switch" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

#### **OPERATING TIPS**

 When the engine coolant temperature and outside air temperature are low, the air flow from the foot outlets may not operate for a maximum of 150 seconds. However, this is not a malfunction. After the coolant temperature warms up, air flow from the foot outlets will operate normally.



The sunload sensor (1), located on the top center of the instrument panel, helps the system maintain a constant temperature. Do not put anything on or around this sensor.

#### SERVICING AIR CONDITIONER

The air conditioner system in your NISSAN vehicle is charged with a refrigerant designed with the environment in mind.

#### This refrigerant does not harm the earth's ozone laver.

Special charging equipment and lubricant is reguired when servicing your NISSAN air conditioner. Using improper refrigerants or lubricants will cause severe damage to your air conditioner system. For additional information, refer to "Air conditioner system refrigerant and oil recommendations" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

A NISSAN dealer is able to service your "environmentally friendly" air conditioning system.

#### **AWARNING**

The air conditioner system contains refrigerant under high pressure. To avoid personal injury, any air conditioner service should be done only by an experienced technician with proper equipment.

#### **AUDIO SYSTEM**

#### **RADIO**

With the ignition placed in the ACC or ON position, press the (power) or ON•OFF button to turn the radio on. If you listen to the radio with the engine not running, the ignition should be placed in the ACC position.

Radio reception is affected by station signal strength, distance from radio transmitter, buildings, bridges, mountains and other external influences. Intermittent changes in reception quality normally are caused by these external influences.

#### Using a cellular phone in or near the vehicle may influence radio reception quality.

#### Radio reception

Your NISSAN radio system is equipped with state-of-the-art electronic circuits to enhance radio reception. These circuits are designed to extend reception range, and to enhance the guality of that reception.

However, there are some general characteristics of both FM and AM radio signals that can affect radio reception quality in a moving vehicle, even when the finest equipment is used. These characteristics are completely normal in a given reception area and do not indicate any malfunction in your NISSAN radio system.

Reception conditions will constantly change because of vehicle movement. Buildings, terrain, signal distance and interference from other vehicles can work against ideal reception. Described below are some of the factors that can affect your radio reception.

Some cellular phones or other devices may cause interference or a buzzing noise to come from the audio system speakers. Storing the device in a different location may reduce or eliminate the noise.

#### FM RADIO RECEPTION

Range: FM range is normally limited to 25 - 30 mi (40 - 48 km), with monaural (single channel) FM having slightly more range than stereo FM. External influences may sometimes interfere with FM station reception even if the FM station is within 25 mi (40 km). The strength of the FM signal is directly related to the distance between the transmitter and receiver. FM signals follow a lineof-sight path, exhibiting many of the same characteristics as light. For example, they will reflect off objects.

Fade and drift: As your vehicle moves away from a station transmitter, the signals will tend to fade and/or drift.

Static and flutter: During signal interference from buildings, large hills or due to antenna position (usually in conjunction with increased distance from the station transmitter), static or flutter can be heard. This can be reduced by adjusting the treble control to reduce treble response.

Multipath reception: Because of the reflective characteristics of FM signals, direct and reflected signals reach the receiver at the same time. The signals may cancel each other, resulting in momentary flutter or loss of sound.

#### AM RADIO RECEPTION

AM signals, because of their low frequency, can bend around objects and skip along the ground. In addition, the signals can be bounced off the ionosphere and bent back to earth. Because of these characteristics, AM signals are also subject to interference as they travel from transmitter to receiver.

Fading: Occurs while the vehicle is passing through freeway underpasses or in areas with many tall buildings. It can also occur for several seconds during ionospheric turbulence even in areas where no obstacles exist.

Static: Caused by thunderstorms, electrical power lines, electric signs and even traffic lights.

#### SATELLITE RADIO RECEPTION (if so equipped)

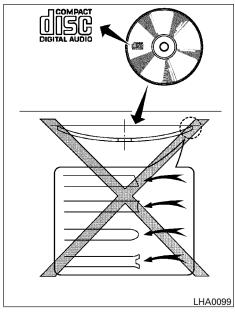
When the satellite radio is used for the first time or the battery has been replaced, the satellite radio may not work properly. This is not a malfunction. Wait more than 10 minutes with satellite radio ON and the vehicle outside of any metal or large building for satellite radio to receive all of the necessary data.

No satellite radio reception is available and "NO SAT" is displayed when the SAT band option is selected unless optional satellite receiver and antenna are installed and a SiriusXM® Satellite Radio service subscription is active. Satellite radio is not available in Alaska, Hawaii and Guam.

Satellite radio performance may be affected if cargo carried on the roof blocks the satellite radio signal.

If possible, do not put cargo over the satellite antenna.

A build up of ice on the satellite radio antenna can affect satellite radio performance. Remove the ice to restore satellite radio reception.



AUDIO OPERATION PRECAUTIONS

# Compact disc (CD) player

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not force a compact disc into the CD insert slot. This could damage the CD and/or CD player.
- Trying to load a CD with the CD door closed could damage the CD and/or CD player.
- Only one CD can be loaded into the CD player at a time.
- Only use high quality 4.7 in (12 cm) round discs that have the "COMPACT disc DIGITAL AUDIO" logo on the disc or packaging.
- During cold weather or rainy days, the player may malfunction due to the humidity. If this occurs, remove the CD and dehumidify or ventilate the player completely.
- The player may skip while driving on rough roads.
- The CD player sometimes cannot function when the compartment temperature is extremely high or low. Decrease/increase the temperature before use.

- Do not expose the CD to direct sunlight.
- CDs that are in poor condition or are dirty, scratched or covered with fingerprints may not work properly.
- The following CDs may not work properlv:
  - Copy control compact discs (CCCD)
  - Recordable compact discs (CD-R)
  - Rewritable compact discs (CD-RW)
- Do not use the following CDs as they may cause the CD player to malfunction:
  - 3.1 in (8 cm) discs with an adapter
  - CDs that are not round
  - CDs with a paper label
  - CDs that are warped, scratched, or have abnormal edges
- This audio system can only play prerecorded CDs. It has no capability to record or burn CDs.
- If the CD cannot be played, one of the following messages will be displayed.

#### **CHECK DISC**

- Confirm that the CD is inserted correctly (the label side is facing up. etc.).
- Confirm that the CD is not bent or warped and it is free of scratches.

#### PRESS EJECT

This is an error due to excessive temperature inside the player. Remove the CD by pressing the EJECT button. After a short time, reinsert the CD. The CD can be played when the temperature of the player returns to normal.

#### UNPLAYABLE

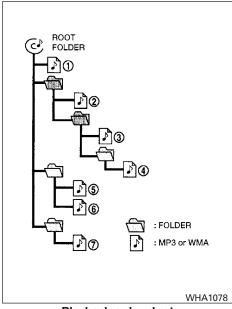
The file is unplayable in this audio system (only MP3 or WMA (if so equipped) CD).

# Compact disc with MP3 or WMA (if so equipped)

#### **Terms**

- MP3 MP3 is short for Moving Pictures Experts Group Audio Layer 3. MP3 is the most well-known compressed digital audio file format. This format allows for near "CD quality" sound, but at a fraction of the size of normal audio files. MP3 conversion of an audio track from CD-ROM can reduce the file size by approximately a 10:1 ratio with virtually no perceptible loss in quality. MP3 compression removes the redundant and irrelevant parts of a sound signal that the human ear doesn't hear.
- WMA Windows Media Audio (WMA)\* is a compressed audio format created by Microsoft as an alternative to MP3. The WMA codec offers greater file compression than the MP3 codec, enabling storage of more digital audio tracks in the same amount of space when compared to MP3s at the same level of quality.
- Bit rate Bit rate denotes the number of bits per second used by a digital music file.
   The size and quality of a compressed digital audio file is determined by the bit rate used when encoding the file.

- Sampling frequency Sampling frequency is the rate at which the samples of a signal are converted from analog to digital (A/D conversion) per second.
- Multisession Multisession is one of the methods for writing data to media. Writing data once to the media is called a single session, and writing more than once is called a multisession.
- ID3/WMA Tag The ID3/WMA tag is the part of the encoded MP3 or WMA file that contains information about the digital music file such as song title, artist, encoding bit rate, track time duration, etc. ID3 tag information is displayed on the Artist/song title line on the display.
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Playback order chart

### Playback order

Music playback order of a CD with MP3 or WMA files is as illustrated.

 The names of folders not containing MP3 or WMA files are not shown in the display.

- If there is a file in the top level of the disc, "Root Folder" is displayed.
- The playback order is the order in which the files were written by the writing software. Therefore, the files might not play in the desired order.

## **Specification chart**

Supported media			CD, CD-R, CD-RW	
Supported file systems			ISO9660 LEVEL1, ISO9660 LEVEL2, Apple ISO, Romeo, Joliet * ISO9660 Level 3 (packet writing) is not supported.	
Supported versions*1		Version	MPEG1, MPEG2, MPEG2.5	
	MP3	Sampling frequency	8 kHz - 48 kHz	
		Bit rate	8 kbps - 320 kbps, VBR	
	WMA	Version	WMA7, WMA8, WMA9	
		Sampling frequency	32 kHz - 48 kHz	
		Bit rate	48 kbps - 192 kbps, VBR	
Tag information			ID3 tag VER1.0, VER1.1, VER2.2, VER2.3 (MP3 only)	
Folder levels			Folder levels: 8, Max folders: 255 (including root folder), Files: 512 (Max. 255 files for one folder)	
Text character number limitation			128 characters	
Displayable character codes*2			01: ASCII, 02: ISO-8859-1, 03: UNICODE (UTF-16 BOM Big Endian), 04: UNICODE (UTF-16 Non-BOM Big Endian), 05: UNICODE (UTF-8), 06: UNICODE (Non-UTF-16 BOM Little Endian)	

<sup>\*1</sup> Files created with a combination of 48 kHz sampling frequency and 64 kbps bit rate cannot be played.

<sup>\*2</sup> Available codes depend on what kind of media, versions and information are going to be displayed.

# Troubleshooting guide

Symptom	Cause and Countermeasure		
	Check if the disc was inserted correctly.		
	Check if the disc is scratched or dirty.		
	Check if there is condensation inside the player. If there is, wait until the condensation is gone (about 1 hour) before using the player.		
	If there is a temperature increase error, the CD player will play correctly after it returns to the normal temperature.		
Cannot play	If there is a mixture of music CD files (CD-DA data) and MP3/WMA files on a CD, only the music CD files (CD-DA data) will be played.		
	Files with extensions other than ".MP3",".WMA", ".mp3" or ".wma" cannot be played. In addition, the character codes and number of characters for folder names and file names should be in compliance with the specifications.		
	Check if the finalization process, such as session close and disc close, is done for the disc.		
	Check if the disc is protected by copyright.		
Door cound availty	Check if the disc is scratched or dirty.		
Poor sound quality	Bit rate may be too low.		
It takes a relatively long time before the music starts playing.	If there are many folders or file levels on the MP3/WMA disc, or if it is a multisession disc, some time may be required before the music starts playing.		
Music cuts off or skips	The writing software and hardware combination might not match, or the writing speed, writing depth, writing width, etc., might not match the specifications. Try using the slowest writing speed.		
Skipping with high bit rate files	Skipping may occur with large quantities of data, such as for high bit rate data.		
Moves immediately to the next song when playing	When a non-MP3/WMA file has been given an extension of ".MP3", ".WMA", ."mp3"or ".wma", or when play is prohibited by copyright protection, there will be approximately 5 seconds of no sound and then the player will skip to the next song.		
Songs do not play back in the desired order	The playback order is the order in which the files were written by the writing software. Therefore, the files might not play in the desired order.		

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USB (Universal Serial Bus) Connection Port (if so equipped)

## **AWARNING**

Do not connect, disconnect, or operate the USB device while driving. Doing so can be a distraction. If distracted you could lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident or serious injury.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not force the USB device into the USB port, Inserting the USB device tilted or up-side-down into the port may damage the port. Make sure that the USB device is connected correctly into the USB port.
- Do not grab the USB port cover (if so equipped) when pulling the USB device out of the port. This could damage the port and the cover.
- Do not leave the USB cable in a place where it can be pulled unintentionally. Pulling the cable may damage the port.

The vehicle is not equipped with a USB device. USB devices should be purchased separately as necessary.

This system cannot be used to format USB devices. To format a USB device, use a personal computer.

In some jurisdictions, the USB device for the front seats plays only sound without images for regulatory reasons, even when the vehicle is parked.

This system supports various USB connection port devices. USB hard drives and iPod® players. Some USB devices may not be supported by this system.

- Partitioned USB devices may not play correctly.
- Some characters used in other languages (Chinese, Japanese, etc.) may not appear properly in the display. Using English language characters with a USB device is recommended.

### General notes for USB use

 Refer to your device manufacturer's owner information regarding the proper use and care of the device.

#### Notes for iPod® use

iPod® is a trademark of Apple Inc., registered in the U.S. and other countries.

- Improperly plugging in the iPod® may cause a checkmark to be displayed on and off (flickering). Always make sure that the iPod® is connected properly.
- An iPod® nano (1st Generation) may remain in fast forward or rewind mode if it is connected during a seek operation. In this case, please manually reset the iPod®.
- An iPod® nano (2nd Generation) will continue to fast-forward or rewind if it is disconnected during a seek operation.
- An incorrect song title may appear when the Play Mode is changed while using an iPod® nano (2nd Generation).
- Audiobooks may not play in the same order as they appear on an iPod®.
- Large video files cause slow responses in an iPod®. The vehicle center display may momentarily black out, but will soon recover.

 If an iPod® automatically selects large video files while in the shuffle mode, the vehicle center display may momentarily black out, but will soon recover.

# Bluetooth® streaming audio (if so equipped)

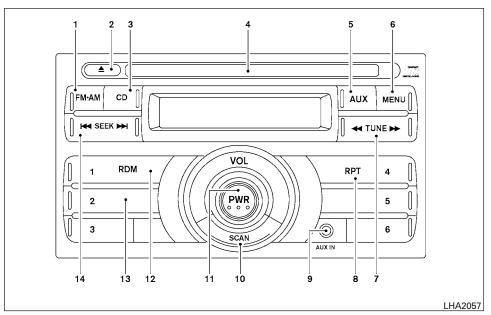
- Some Bluetooth® audio devices may not be recognized by the in-vehicle audio system.
- It is necessary to set up the wireless connection between a compatible Bluetooth® audio device and the in-vehicle Bluetooth® module before using the Bluetooth® audio.
- Operating procedure of the Bluetooth® audio will vary depending on the devices. Refer to how to operate your audio device before using it with this system.
- The Bluetooth® audio may be stopped under the following conditions:
  - Receiving a call on the Hands-Free Phone System.
  - Checking the connection to the handsfree phone.

- Do not place the Bluetooth® audio device in an area surrounded by metal or far away from the in-vehicle Bluetooth® module to prevent tone quality degradation and wireless connection disruption.
- While an audio device is connected through the Bluetooth® wireless connection, the battery power of the device may discharge quicker than usual.
- This system supports the Bluetooth® Audio Distribution Profile (A2DP, AVRCP).

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FM/AM RADIO WITH COMPACT DISC (CD) PLAYER (Type A) (if so equipped)

- 1. FM·AM button
- CD eject button

- 3. CD button
- 4. CD insert slot
- 5. AUX button
- 6. MENU button

- 7. ◀◀ TUNE ▶▶ button
- 8. RPT (repeat) button
- 9. AUX IN jack
- 10. SCAN button
- 11. PWR (power) button/VOL (volume) control knob
- 12. RDM (random) button
- 13. Station select (1 6) buttons
- 14. Id SEEK ▶ button

For additional information on all operation precautions, refer to "Audio operation precautions" in this section.

# Audio main operation

#### Power button and VOL control knob

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position, then press the PWR (power) button. If vou listen to the radio with the engine not running, place the ignition switch in the ACC position. The mode (radio or CD) that was playing immediately before the system was turned off resumes playing.

When no CD is loaded, the radio comes on. Pressing the PWR button again turns the system off.

Turn the VOL control knob to the right to increase volume or to the left to decrease volume.

## **MENU button (BASS, TREBLE, FADE,** BALANCE and CLOCK)

Press the MENU button to change the mode as follows:

$$BAS \rightarrow TRE \rightarrow FAD \rightarrow BAL \rightarrow CLOCK \rightarrow BAS$$
  
To adjust Bass, Treble, Fade and Balance, press

the MENU button until the desired mode appears in the display. Press the ■ SEEK ▶ button to adjust Bass and Treble to the desired level. You can also use the ◀◀ SEEK ▶▶ button to adjust Fade and Balance modes. Balance adjusts the sound between the right and left speakers. Since this vehicle is not equipped with rear speakers, adjusting the fade to the rear of the

vehicle will reduce the volume until no sound is

Once you have adjusted the sound quality to the desired level, press the MENU button repeatedly until the radio or CD display reappears. Otherwise, the radio or CD display will automatically reappear after about 10 seconds.

#### NOTE:

If the clock is enabled, pressing the MENU button will change the mode as follows:  $BAS \rightarrow TRE \rightarrow FAD \rightarrow BAL \rightarrow CLOCK \rightarrow$ Hour adjustment → Minute adjustment → BAS

For additional information, refer to "Clock set" in this section.

### **Clock operation**

Press the MENU button until CLOCK is displayed; use the ◀ SEEK ▶ button to turn the clock display on (CLK ON) or off (CLK OFF).

#### Clock set

If the clock is not displayed with the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position, you need to select the CLK ON mode. Press the MENU button repeatedly until CLOCK is displayed. Use the ► SEEK ► button to enable CLK ON mode.

- 1. Press the MENU button repeatedly until CLOCK mode appears: press the ◄◀ SEEK button until CLK ON appears.
- 2. Press the MENU button again; the hours will start flashing.

- 3. Press the ◄ SEEK ► button to adiust the hour.
- 4. Press the MENU button again; the display will switch to the minute adjustment mode.
- The minutes will start flashing. Press ◄ SEEK button to adjust the minutes.
- 6. Press the MENU button again to exit the clock set mode.

The display will return to the regular clock display after 10 seconds, or press the MENU button again to return to the regular clock display.

## Resetting the time

Hold the MENU button down and then press the TUNE or SEEK button: the time will reset as follows:

- If the displayed minutes before the reset are in the range of :00 - :29, the hour displayed before the reset will stay the same and the minutes will be reset to :00.
- If the displayed minutes before the reset are in the range of :30 - :59, the hour displayed before the reset will advance by one hour and the minutes will be reset to :00.

played.

For example, if the MENU button and the TUNE or SEEK button are pressed while the time displayed is between 8:00 and 8:29, the display will be reset to 8:00. If the buttons were pressed while the time was between 8:30 and 8:59, the display will be reset to 9:00. At the same time the display will return to the audio.

# FM/AM radio operation

#### FM-AM button

Press the FM·AM button to change the band as follows:

$$FM1 \rightarrow FM2 \rightarrow AM \rightarrow FM1$$

The FM stereo indicator, ST (STEREO), illuminates during FM stereo reception. When the stereo broadcast signal is weak, the radio automatically changes from stereo to monaural reception.



TUNE |

buttons:

#### Manual tuning

Press the TUNE button for less than 0.5 seconds for manual tuning.

To move quickly through the channels, press and hold either ◀◀ TUNE ▶▶ button down for more than 1.5 seconds.



## **SEEK tuning**

Press the SEEK Dutton to seek through the frequencies. Seek tuning begins from low to high frequencies, or high to low frequencies, depending on which button is pressed, and stops at the next broadcasting station. Once the highest broadcasting station is reached, the radio continues in the seek mode at the lowest broadcasting station.

## **Station memory operations**

Twelve stations can be set for the FM band (6 for FM1 and 6 for FM2) and 6 stations can be set for the AM band to the preset buttons.

- Press the FM-AM button to change to the desired band.
- Tune to the desired station using manual TUNE or SEEK tuning. Press and hold any of the desired station memory buttons (1 – 6) until a beep sound is heard. (The radio mutes when the select button is pressed.)
- The channel indicator will then come on and the sound will resume. Programming is now complete.
- Other buttons can be set in the same manner.

If the battery cable is disconnected, or if the fuse opens, the radio memory will be canceled. In that case, reset the desired stations.

# Compact disc (CD) player operation

If the radio is already operating, it automatically turns off and the compact disc begins to play.

#### **CD** button

When the CD button is pressed with a compact disc loaded and the radio playing, the radio turns off and the last used compact disc starts to play.



When the **44** TUNE **>>** button is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the compact disc plays at an increased speed while rewinding or fast forwarding. When the button is released, the compact disc returns to normal play speed.



When Is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the next track following the present one starts to play from the beginning. Press Is several times to skip several tracks. Each time the button is pressed, the CD advances 1 additional track. The track number ap-

pears in the display window. (When the last track on the compact disc is skipped, the first track is played.)

When ◄ is pressed, the track being played returns to the beginning. Press ◄ several times to skip back several tracks. Each time the button is pressed, the CD moves back one track.

## **RPT** (repeat) button

When the RPT button is pressed while the compact disc is being played, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

1 ←→ Normal

1: The track that is currently playing will be repeated.

#### RDM (random) button

When the RDM button is pressed while the compact disc is being played, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

RDM ←→ Normal

RDM: Tracks from the disc that is currently playing will be played randomly.

## **AUX (Auxiliary) button**

The AUX IN jack is located on the CD player. The AUX IN audio input jack accepts any standard analog audio input such as from a portable cassette tape/CD player, MP3 player or laptop computers.

Press the AUX button to play a compatible device when it is plugged into the AUX IN jack.

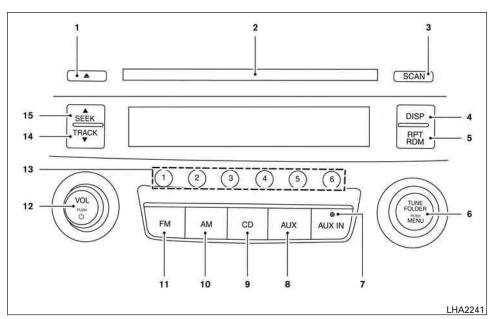


#### CD EJECT button

When the CD eject button is pressed with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will be ejected.

When the 

CD eject button is pressed while the compact disc is being played, the compact disc will eject and the system will turn off.



FM/AM RADIO WITH COMPACT DISC (CD) PLAYER (Type B) (if so equipped)

- CD eject button
- 2. CD insert slot

- 3. SCAN button
- 4. DISP (display) button
- 5. RPT (repeat) /RDM (random) button
- 6. MENU button /TUNE/FOLDER knob

- 7. AUX IN jack
- 8. AUX button
- 9. CD button
- 10. AM button
- 11. FM button
- 12. (power) button / VOL (volume) control knob
- 13. Station select (1 6) buttons
- 14. TRACK ▼ button
- 15. ▲ SEEK button

For additional information, refer to "Audio operation precautions" regarding all operation precautions in this section.

# Audio main operation

# (power) button /VOL (volume) control knob

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position, then press the (b) (power) button. If you listen to the radio with the engine not running, place the ignition in the ACC position. The mode (radio or CD) that was playing immediately before the system was turned off resumes playing.

When no CD is loaded, the radio comes on. Pressing the © (power) button again turns the system off.

Turn the VOL (volume) control knob to the right to increase volume or to the left to decrease volume.

## MENU button (Bass, Treble, Balance, Fade, Speed Sensitive Volume and Clock)

Press the MENU button to change the mode as follows:

 $Bass \rightarrow Treble \rightarrow Balance \rightarrow Fade \rightarrow Spd. Sen.$ Vol. (Speed Sensitive Volume) → AUX IN Volume → Clock → Clock Adjust

To adjust the Bass, Treble, Fade and Balance, press the MENU button until the desired mode appears in the display. Press the A SEEK or TRACK ▼ button to adjust the setting to the desired level (-5 to +5). Balance adjusts the sound between the right and left speakers. Fade adjusts the sound between the front and rear speakers.

Once you have adjusted the sound quality to the desired level, press the MENU button repeatedly until the radio or CD display reappears. Otherwise, the radio or CD display will automatically reappear after about 10 seconds.

Speed Sensitive Volume (SSV) adjusts the volume of the audio system as the vehicle's driving speed changes. It can be set as follows:

 $OFF \rightarrow LOW \rightarrow MID \rightarrow HIGH$ 

#### DISP (display) button

Press the DISP (display) button while a CD is playing to change the text shown in the audio display as follows:

For CDs:

Running Time → Album Title: → Artist Name: → Song Title

For MP3 CDs:

Running Time → Folder Title: → Album Title: → Artist Name: → Song Title:

If the text information is too long to fully be displayed on the screen; press and hold the DISP button for longer than 1.5 seconds to scroll through the rest of the text.

Press the DISP (display) button while the radio is playing to toggle the audio display between station number and RDS.

### **Clock operation**

To turn the clock display on or off, press the MENU button repeatedly until "Clock" appears on the display. Turn the TUNE/FOLDER knob to toggle the setting (ON or OFF).

#### Clock set

- 1. Press the MENU button, and turn the TUNE/FOLDER knob until "Adjust Clock" appears on the display.
- 2. Press the MFNU button.
- 3. "Change Hour" will appear on the screen. Turn the TUNE/FOLDER knob to adjust the hours and then press MENU.
- 4. "Change Minute" will appear on the screen. Turn the TUNE/FOLDER knob to adjust the minutes and then press MENU.

The display will return to the regular clock display after 10 seconds if no further adjustment is performed.

## FM/AM radio operation

#### AM and FM buttons

Press the AM button to change the band to AM.

If another audio source is playing when the AM button is pressed, the audio source playing will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will begin playing.

Press the FM button to change the band as follows:

 $FM1 \rightarrow FM2 \rightarrow FM1$ 

If another audio source is playing when the FM button is pressed, the audio source playing will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will begin playing.





# SEEK and TRACK (tuning) **buttons**

Press the A SEEK button to tune from low to high frequencies and stop at the next broadcasting station.

Press the ▼ TRACK button to tune from high to low frequencies and stop at the next broadcasting station.

Press and hold either button to seek at a faster speed.

#### SCAN (tuning) button

Press the SCAN button, SCAN illuminates in the display window. Scan tuning begins from low to high frequencies. Scan tuning stops for 5 seconds at each broadcasting station that has sufficient signal strength. When scanning, SCAN blinks in the display. Pressing the SCAN button again during this 5 second period stops scan tuning and the radio remains tuned to that station.

### 1 to 6 Station memory operations

Twelve stations can be set for the FM band (six for FM1, six for FM2) and six stations can be set for the AM band.

- 1. Choose the radio band AM, FM1 or FM2 using the AM or FM button.
- 2. Tune to the desired station using manual. SEEK or SCAN tuning. Press and hold any of the desired station memory buttons (1 -6) until a beep sound is heard.
- 3. The channel indicator will then come on and the sound will resume. Programming is now complete.
- 4. Other buttons can be set in the same manner.

If the battery cable is disconnected or if the fuse opens, the radio memory will be canceled. In that case, reset the desired stations.

# Compact disc (CD) player operation

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position, and carefully insert the compact disc into the slot with the label side up. The compact disc is automatically pulled into the slot and starts to play.

If the radio is already operating, it automatically turns off and the compact disc begins to play.

#### CD button

When the CD button is pressed with a compact disc loaded and the radio playing, the radio turns off and the last used compact disc starts to play.





**SEEK and TRACK (Fast** Forward, Rewind) buttons

When the ▲ SFFK button or ▼ TRACK button is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the compact disc plays at an increased speed while fast forwarding or rewinding. When the button is released, the compact disc returns to normal play speed.





## **SEEK and TRACK buttons**

When the 

SEEK button is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the next track following the present one starts to play from the beginning. Press the A SEEK button several times to skip several tracks. Each time the button is pressed, the CD advances one additional track. The track number appears in the display window. When the last track on the compact disc is skipped, the first track is played.

When the ▼ TRACK button is pressed, the track being played returns to the beginning. Press the ▼ TRACK button several times to skip back several tracks. Each time the button is pressed the CD moves back one track.

## RPT (repeat) /RDM (random) button

Press the RPT (repeat) /RDM (random) button while a compact disc is playing to change the play pattern as follows:

#### CD:

TRACK REPEAT → DISC RANDOM → DISC RFPFAT

#### MP3/WMA CD:

FOLDER REPEAT → TRACK REPEAT → DISC RANDOM → FOI DER RANDOM → DISC RE-**PFAT** 

TRACK REPEAT: The track that is currently playing will be repeated.

DISC RANDOM: The order of the tracks on the disc will be mixed during play.

DISC REPEAT: The disc currently playing will be repeated.

FOLDER REPEAT: The tracks in the current folder will be repeated.

FOLDER RANDOM: The order of the tracks in the folder will be mixed during play.

#### SCAN (CDs) button

Press the SCAN button for less than 1.5 seconds to scan all tracks of the current disc for 10 seconds per track. The SCAN icon is flashed during scan mode.

The scan mode is canceled once it scans through all tracks on the disc, or if the SCAN button is pressed during scan mode.



#### CD EJECT button

When the 

CD EJECT button is pressed with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will eject and the last source will be played.

When the 

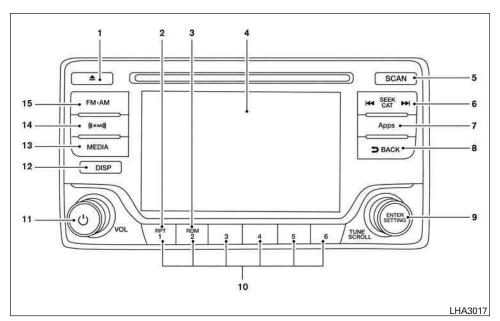
CD EJECT button is pressed twice with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will be ejected further for easier CD removal. If the disc is not removed within 20 seconds. the disc will reload.

## **AUX (Auxiliary) button**

The AUX IN jack is located on the CD player. The AUX IN audio input jack accepts any standard analog audio input such as from a portable cassette tape/CD player, MP3 player or laptop computers.

Press the AUX button to play a compatible device when it is plugged into the AUX IN jack.

Press the MENU button repeatedly until "AUX IN Volume" appears on the screen to control the incoming volume level of the auxiliary input device. Turn the TUNE/FOLDER knob to adjust the level between 0 and +3.



FM/AM/SAT RADIO WITH COMPACT DISC (CD) PLAYER (Type A) (if so equipped)

- CD eject button
- 2. RPT (repeat) button

- 3. RDM (random) button
- 4. Display screen
- 5. SCAN button
- SEEK/CAT buttons ▶▶

- 7. APPS button
- BACK button
- FNTFR/SFTTING button / TUNF/SCROLL knob
- 10. Station select (1-6) buttons
- (power) button / VOL (volume) knob
- 12. DISP (display) button
- 13. MFDIA button
- 14. XM button\*
- 15. FM•AM button

\*No satellite radio reception is available when the XM button is pressed to access satellite radio stations unless optional satellite receiver and antenna are installed and an SiriusXM® Satellite Radio service subscription is active. Satellite radio is not available in Alaska, Hawaii or Guam.

For additional information, refer to "Audio operation precautions" regarding all operation precautions in this section.

# Audio main operation

## (power) button / VOL (volume)

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position and press the <sup>()</sup> (power) button while the system is off to call up the mode (radio, CD, AUX, Bluetooth® audio, USB or iPod®) that was playing immediately before the system was turned off.

To turn the system off, press the  $\,^{\circlearrowleft}$  (power) button.

Turn the VOL (volume) control knob to adjust the volume.

This vehicle may be equipped with Speed Sensitive Volume. When this feature is active, the audio volume changes as the driving speed changes.

#### **ENTER/SETTING button**

Press the ENTER/SETTING button to show the Settings screen on the display. Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to navigate the options and then press the ENTER/SETTING button to make a selection.

udio				
Bass	Adjusts the bass to the desired level.			
Treble	Adjusts the treble to the desired level.			
Balance	Adjusts the balance to the desired level. Balance adjusts the sound level between the left and right speakers.			
Fade	Adjusts the fade to the desired level. Fade adjusts the sound level between the front and rear speakers.			
Speed Sens Vol. (Speed Sensitive Volume)	Adjusts the speed sensitive volume function, which increases the volume of the audio system as the speed of the vehicle increases. Set to "OFF" to disable the feature. The higher the setting, the more the volume increases in relation to vehicle speed.			
AUX Vol.	Choose a setting from 0 to +3 to control the boost of incoming auxiliary device volume. A setting of 0 provides no additional boost in volume. A setting of +3 provides the greatest boost in volume.			
Brightness and Contrast	Adjust the brightness or contrast to adjust the appearance of the display screen.			
Clock adjust	Press the ENTER/SETTING button to highlight the hours or minutes and then use the TUNE/SCROLL knob to adjust the value. Press the ENTER/SETTING button again to set the value.			
On-Screen Clock	Toggles ON or OFF the clock display on the upper right corner of the display screen.			
RDS Display	Toggles ON or OFF the RDS information displayed on the screen while the radio is playing.			
Language	Select the desired language for the system from the available options.			

Bass, treble, balance and fade can also be adjusted by pressing the ENTER/SETTING button and turning the TUNE/SCROLL control knob to select the item to adjust. When the desired item is shown on the display, turn the tuning to adjust and then press the ENTER/SETTING button until the display returns to the main audio screen. If the button is not pressed for approximately 10 seconds, the radio or CD display will automatically reappear.

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#### **APPS** button

Press the APPS button to launch the Smartphone Integration Mode. For additional information, refer to "NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> with Mobile Apps" in this section regarding this feature.

For additional information, refer to "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone system without Navigation" in this section regarding connecting your phone.

## FM/AM/SAT radio operation

#### FM-AM button

Press the FM·AM button to change the band as follows:

$$AM \rightarrow FM1 \rightarrow FM2 \rightarrow AM$$

If another audio source is playing when the FM-AM button is pressed, the audio source playing will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will begin playing.

The FM stereo indicator (STEREO) is shown on the screen during FM stereo reception. When the stereo broadcast signal is weak, the radio automatically changes from stereo to monaural reception.

#### XM band select

Pressing the XM button will change the band as follows:

 $XM1^* \rightarrow XM2^* \rightarrow XM3^* \rightarrow XM1^*$  (satellite, if so equipped)

When the XM button is pressed while the ignition switch is in the ACC or ON position, the radio will come on at the last station played.

The last station played will also come on when the (power) button is pressed to turn the radio on.

\*When the XM button is pressed, the satellite radio mode will be skipped unless an optional satellite receiver and antenna are installed and a SiriusXM® Satellite Radio service subscription is active. Satellite radio is not available in Alaska, Hawaii and Guam.

If a compact disc is playing when the XM button is pressed, the compact disc will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will come on.

#### TUNE/SCROLL knob (Tuning)

Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to the left or right for manual tuning.





SEEK and TRACK (tuning) **buttons** 

Press the A SFFK button to tune from low to high frequencies and stop at the next broadcasting station.

Press the TRACK button to tune from high to low frequencies and stop at the next broadcasting station.

Press and hold either button to seek at a faster speed.

## SCAN (tuning) button

Press the SCAN button, SCAN illuminates in the display window. Scan tuning begins from low to high frequencies. Scan tuning stops for 5 seconds at each broadcasting station that has sufficient signal strength. When scanning, SCAN blinks in the display. Pressing the SCAN button again during this 5 second period stops scan tuning and the radio remains tuned to that station.

#### 1 to 6 Station memory operations

Six stations can be set for the AM band. Twelve stations can be set for the FM band (six for FM1, six for FM2).

- 1. Choose the radio band AM, FM1 or FM2 using the FM-AM select button.
- 2. Tune to the desired station using the SEEK button or the ►► TRACK button. Press and hold any of the desired station memory buttons (1 - 6) until the preset number is updated on the display and the sound is briefly muted.

- The channel indicator will then come on and the sound will resume. Programming is now complete.
- Other buttons can be set in the same manner.

If the battery cable is disconnected, or if the fuse opens, the radio memory will be canceled. In that case, reset the desired stations.

# Compact disc (CD) player operation

If the radio is already operating, it automatically turns off and the compact disc begins to play.

#### **MEDIA** button

With a CD loaded, press the MEDIA button until the CD mode is displayed on the screen.

## CD/MP3 display mode

While listening to an MP3/WMA CD, certain text may be displayed on the screen if the CD has been encoded with text information. Depending on how the MP3/WMA CD is encoded, information such as Artist, Song and Folder will be displayed.

The track number and the total number of tracks in the current folder or on the current disc are displayed on the screen as well.





# SEEK and TRACK (Fast Forward, Rewind) buttons

When the ▲ SEEK button or ▼ TRACK button is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the compact disc plays at an increased speed while fast forwarding or rewinding. When the button is released, the compact disc returns to normal play speed.





## **SEEK and TRACK buttons**

When the A SEEK button is pressed while the compact disc is playing, the next track following the present one starts to play from the beginning. Press the A SEEK button several times to skip several tracks. Each time the button is pressed, the CD advances one additional track. The track number appears in the display window. When the last track on the compact disc is skipped, the first track is played.

When the ▼ TRACK button is pressed, the track being played returns to the beginning. Press the ▼ TRACK button several times to skip back several tracks. Each time the button is pressed the CD moves back one track.

## TUNE/SCROLL knob (MP3/WMA CD only)

If a MP3/WMA CD with multiple folders is playing, turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to change folders. Turn the knob to the left to skip back a folder. Turn the knob to the right to skip ahead a folder.

## RPT (repeat) button

When the RPT (repeat) button is pressed while a compact disc is playing, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

CD:

1 Track Repeat ← → OFF

CD with MP3 or WMA:

- 1 Folder Repeat → 1 Track Repeat → OFF
- 1 Track Repeat: the current track will be repeated.
- 1 Folder Repeat: the current folder will be repeated.

OFF: No repeat play pattern is applied. The indicator on the display will turn off.

The current play pattern of the CD is displayed on the screen unless no pattern is applied.

### RDM (random) button

When the RDM (random) button is pressed while a compact disc is playing, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

CD:

1 Disc Random ← OFF

CD with MP3 or WMA:

- 1 Disc Random → 1 Folder Random → OFF
- 1 Disc Random: all tracks on the disc will be played randomly.
- 1 Folder Random: all tracks in the current folder will be played randomly.

OFF: No random play pattern is applied. The indicator on the display will turn off.

The current play pattern of the CD is displayed on the screen unless no pattern is applied.



#### CD EJECT button

When the 

CD EJECT button is pressed with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will eject and the last source will be played.

When the 

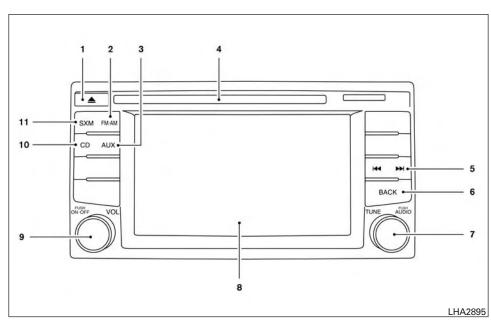
CD EJECT button is pressed twice with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will be ejected further for easier CD removal. If the disc is not removed within 20 seconds, the disc will reload.

## Additional features

For additional information, refer to "iPod® player operation without Navigation System" regarding the iPod® player available with this system in this section.

For additional information, refer to "USB (Universal Serial Bus) Connection Port (models without Navigation System)" regarding the USB connection port available with this system in this section.

For additional information, refer to "Bluetooth® streaming audio without Navigation System" about the Bluetooth® audio interface available with this system in this section.



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- CD eject button
- 2. FM-AM button

- 3. AUX button
- 4. CD insert slot
- 5. ► Backward seek button and ► Forward seek button
- 6. BACK button
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- 7. AUDIO button / TUNE knob
- 8. Display screen
- ON-OFF button / VOL (volume) control knob
- 10. CD button
- 11. SXM button\*

\*No satellite radio reception is available when the SXM button is pressed to access satellite radio stations unless optional satellite receiver and antenna are installed and an SiriusXM® Satellite Radio service subscription is active. Satellite radio is not available in Alaska, Hawaii and Guam.

For additional information, refer to "Audio operation precautions" regarding all operation precautions in this section.

## Audio main operation

## ON-OFF button / VOL (volume) control knob

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position and press the ON-OFF button while the system is off to call up the mode (radio, CD, AUX, Bluetooth® audio, USB or iPod®) that was playing immediately before the system was turned off.

To turn the system off, press the ON-OFF button.

Turn the VOL (volume) control knob to adjust the volume.

This vehicle may be equipped with Speed Sensitive Volume. When this feature is active, the audio volume changes as the driving speed changes.

## **Audio settings**

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "Audio" key.

Use the touch-screen to adjust the following items to the desired setting:

Audio				
	Bass	Adjusts the bass to the desired level.		
	Treble	Adjusts the treble to the desired level.		
	Balance	Adjusts the balance to the desired level. Balance adjusts the sound level between the left and right speakers.		
	Fade	Adjusts the fade to the desired level. Fade adjusts the sound level between the front and rear speakers.		
	Speed Sensitive Vol.	Adjusts the speed sensitive volume function, which increases the volume of the audio system as the speed of the vehicle increases. Set to "OFF" to disable the feature. The higher the setting, the more the volume increases in relation to vehicle speed.		
	AUX Volume Level/AUX Level	Controls the volume level of incoming sound when an auxiliary device is connected to the system. Available options are Low (Quiet), Medium, and High (Loud).		

Bass, treble, balance and fade can also be adjusted by pressing the AUDIO button and turning the TUNE knob to select the item to adjust. When the desired item is shown on the display, turn the tuning to adjust and then press the AUDIO button until the display returns to the main audio screen. If the button is not pressed for approximately 10 seconds, the radio or CD display will automatically reappear.

#### SXM settings

To view the SXM settings:

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "SXM" key.

The signal strength, activation status and other information are displayed on the screen.

# FM/AM/SAT radio operation

#### FM-AM button

Press the FM·AM button to change the band as follows:

$$AM \rightarrow FM1 \rightarrow FM2 \rightarrow AM$$

If another audio source is playing when the FM·AM button is pressed, the audio source playing will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will begin playing.

The FM stereo indicator (STEREO) is shown on the screen during FM stereo reception. When the stereo broadcast signal is weak, the radio automatically changes from stereo to monaural reception.

#### **SXM** band select

Pressing the SXM button will change the band as follows:

SXM1\*  $\rightarrow$  SXM2\*  $\rightarrow$  SXM3\*  $\rightarrow$  SXM1\* (satellite, if so equipped)

When the SXM button is pressed while the ignition switch is in the ACC or ON position, the radio will come on at the last station played.

The last station played will also come on when the ON-OFF button is pressed to turn the radio on.

\*When the SXM button is pressed, the satellite radio mode will be skipped unless an optional satellite receiver and antenna are installed and a SiriusXM® Satellite Radio service subscription is active. Satellite radio is not available in Alaska, Hawaii and Guam.

If a compact disc is playing when the SXM button is pressed, the compact disc will automatically be turned off and the last radio station played will come on.

While the radio is in SXM mode, the operation can be controlled through the touch-screen. Touch the "Channels" key to display a list of channels. Touch a channel displayed on the list to change to that channel. Touch the "Categories" key to display a list of categories. Touch a category displayed on the list to display options within that category.

#### Tuning with the touch-screen

When in AM or FM mode, the radio can be tuned using the touch-screen. To bring up the visual tuner, touch the "Tune" key on the lower right corner of the screen. A screen appears with a bar running from low frequencies on the left to high frequencies on the right. Touch the screen at the location of the frequency you wish to tune and the station will change to that frequency. To return to the regular radio display screen, touch the "OK" key.

### **Tuning with the TUNE knob**

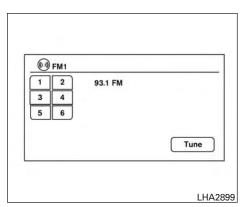
The radio can also be manually tuned using the TUNE knob. When in FM or AM mode, turn the TUNE knob to the left for lower frequencies or to the right for higher frequencies. When in SXM mode, turn the TUNE knob to change the channel.



When in FM or AM mode, press the ◄ or ► seek buttons to tune from low to high or high to low frequencies and to stop at the next broadcasting station.

When in SXM mode, press the ◄ or ► seek buttons to change the category.

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### 1 to 6 Station memory operations

Twelve stations can be set for the FM band (six for FM1, six for FM2) and six stations can be set for the AM band. Eighteen stations can be set for the SXM band (six for SXM1, six for SXM2 & six SXM3).

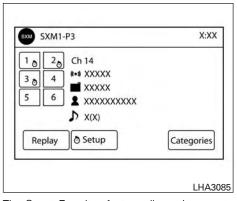
- Choose the radio band AM, FM1 or FM2 using the FM·AM select button or choose the radio band SXM1, SXM2 & SXM3 using the SXM button.
- Tune to the desired station using manual or seek tuning. Press and hold any of the desired station memory buttons (1 – 6) until a beep sound is heard.

- The channel indicator will then come on and the sound will resume. Programming is now complete.
- Other buttons can be set in the same manner.

If the battery cable is disconnected or if the fuse opens, the radio memory will be canceled. In that case, reset the desired stations.

Presets can also be selected by touching the desired preset number on the screen.

Smart Favorites Preset Setup (if so equipped):



The Smart Favorites feature allows the user to designate presets, within the SXM1, SXM2 and SXM3 bands, as their Smart Favorites. When any of the Smart Favorite presets are selected, the current track on that station will play from the beginning of the song.

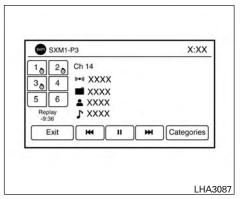
To program a Smart Favorite preset:

- 1. Press the SXM button.
- 2. Touch the "Setup" key.
- 3. Touch the "Tune Start" key to activate (ON) or deactivate (OFF) Smart Favorites.
- Touch the "Add Preset" key to select an available preset.

For additional information, refer to "1 to 6 station memory operations" in this section regarding preset memory options.

#### NOTE:

- Smart Favorites will start functioning only after the audio unit is turned on for a few minutes.
- Tune Start is supported for music channels only.



## Replay Screen

The Replay Screen gives the user the ability to replay, skip, pause or rewind the currently aired track.

When the "Replay" key is pressed, the Replay Screen is prompted.

## **REPLAY**

To replay a track from the beginning, press the ◄◀ seek button. The user can continue to press the ◄◀ seek button to replay previous songs, but can only go back as far as the system permits. The system will warn the user when they cannot skip any further back by displaying "At the End" in the bottom left corner of the screen.

#### **SKIP**

To skip a track, press the ►► track button. "Live" will appear in the bottom left corner of the screen indicating the difference from play time to live audio.

#### **PAUSE**

To pause a track, press pause button. REWIND/ **FAST** FOR-WARD

To rewind/ fast forward a track, hold the ◄ or ▶ seek/track button.

# Compact disc (CD) player operation

If the radio is already operating, it automatically turns off and the compact disc begins to play.

#### **CD** button

When the CD button is pressed with the system off and the compact disc loaded, the system will turn on and the compact disc will start to play.

When the CD button is pressed with a compact disc loaded and the radio playing, the radio will automatically be turned off and the compact disc will start to play.

## CD/MP3 display mode

	Menu item	
CD/MP3 display mode		While listening to a CD or an MP3/WMA CD, certain text may be displayed (when a CD encoded with text is being used). Depending on how the CD or MP3/WMA CD is encoded, the text is displayed listing the artist, album and song title. There are other keys displayed on the screen when a CD is playing:
	Random/Mix	Touch the "Random" key to apply a random play pattern to the CD. If an MP3 CD is playing, touching "Random" or alternates between Random Folder, and Random All. This text will appear on the display. To cancel Random/Mix mode, touch the "Random" or "Mix" key until the key is no longer highlighted.
	Repeat	Touch the "Repeat" key to apply a repeat play pattern to the CD. If an MP3 CD is playing, touching "Repeat" alternates between repeating the current song and repeating the current folder. This text will appear on the display. To cancel Repeat mode, touch the "Repeat" key until the key is no longer highlighted
	Browse	Touch the "Browse" key to display the titles on the CD in list format. Touch the title of a song in the list to begin playing that song. If an MP3 CD is playing, touching the "Browse" key will also list the folders on the disc. Follow the procedure for selecting a song with the touch-screen to choose a folder.





# **SEEK (Reverse or Fast** Forward) buttons

Press and hold the ◄ or ▶ seek buttons for 1.5 seconds while the compact disc is playing to reverse or fast forward the track being played. The compact disc plays at an increased speed while reversing or fast forwarding. When the button is released, the compact disc returns to normal play speed.





# **SEEK buttons**

Press the I seek button while a CD or MP3/WMA CD is playing to return to the beginning of the current track. Press the button several times to skip backward several tracks.

Press the ▶► seek button while a CD or MP3/WMA CD is playing to advance one track. Press the PN seek button several times to skip forward several tracks. If the last track on a CD is skipped, the first track on the disc is played. If the last track in a folder of an MP3/WMA CD is skipped, the first track of the next folder is played.

#### **AUX** button

The AUX IN audio input port accepts any standard analog audio input such as from a portable cassette tape/CD player, MP3 player or a laptop computer. Press the AUX button to play a compatible device plugged into the AUX IN port.



#### **CD EJECT button**

When the 
CD EJECT button is pressed with a compact disc loaded, the compact disc will eject and the last source will be played.

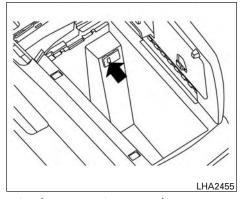
If the disc is not removed within 10 seconds, the disc will reload.

## Additional features

For additional information, refer to "iPod® player operation with Navigation System" regarding the iPod® player available with this system in this section.

For additional information, refer to "USB (Universal Serial Bus) Connection Port (models with Navigation System)" regarding the USB (Universal Serial Bus) Connection Port available with this system in this section.

For additional information, refer to "Bluetooth® streaming audio with Navigation System" regarding the Bluetooth® audio interface available with this system in this section.



USB (Universal Serial Bus) **CONNECTION PORT (models** without Navigation System) (if so equipped)

Connecting a device to the USB Connection Port

## **AWARNING**

Do not connect, disconnect, or operate the USB device while driving. Doing so can be a distraction. If distracted you could lose control of your vehicle and cause an accident or serious injury.

## **A** CAUTION

- To avoid damage and loss of function when using a USB device, note the following precautions.
- Do not force the USB device into the USB port. Inserting the USB device tilted or up-side-down into the port may damage the port. Make sure that the USB device is connected correctly into the USB port.
- Do not grab the USB port cover (if so equipped) when pulling the USB device out of the port. This could damage the port and the cover.
- Do not leave the USB cable in a place where it can be pulled unintentionally.
   Pulling the cable may damage the port.

Refer to your device manufacturer's owner information regarding the proper use and care of the device.

The USB connection port is located on the center console beneath the heater and air conditioner controls. Insert the USB device into the connection port.

When a compatible storage device is plugged into the connection port, compatible audio files on the storage device can be played through the vehicle's audio system.

# Audio file operation

#### **MEDIA** button

Place the ignition switch in the ON or ACC position and press the MEDIA button to switch to the USB input mode. If a CD is playing or another audio source is plugged in through the AUX IN jack, the MEDIA button toggles between the three sources.

# Play information

Information about the audio files being played can be displayed on the display screen of the vehicle's audio system. Depending on how the audio files are encoded, information such as Folder, Song and Artist will be displayed.

The track number and number of total tracks in the folder are displayed on the screen as well.





SEEK/CAT (Reverse or Fast Forward) buttons

Press and hold the ◄ or ►► SEEK/CAT buttons for 1.5 seconds while an audio file on the USB device is playing to reverse or fast forward the track being played. The track plays at an

increased speed while reversing or fast forwarding. When the button is released, the audio file returns to normal play speed.





# SEEK/CAT and TRACK buttons

Press the SEEK/CAT button ◄ while an audio file on the USB device is playing to return to the beginning of the current track. Press the SEEK/CAT button ◄ several times to skip backward several tracks.

Press the TRACK button Mile an audio file on the USB device is playing to advance one track. Press the TRACK button Mile several times to skip forward several tracks. If the last track in a folder on the USB device is skipped, the first track of the next folder is played.

## RDM (random) button

When the RDM (random) button is pressed while an audio file on the USB device is playing, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

All Random → 1 Folder Random → OFF

All Random: all tracks on the USB device will be played randomly.

1 Folder Random: all tracks in the current folder will be played randomly.

OFF: No random play pattern is applied. The indicator on the display will turn off.

The current play pattern of the USB device is displayed on the screen unless no pattern is applied.

## RPT (repeat) button

When the RPT (repeat) button is pressed while an audio file on the USB device is playing, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

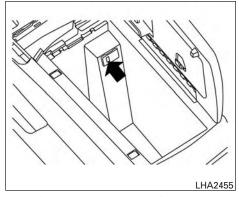
- 1 Folder Repeat → 1 Track Repeat → OFF
- 1 Track Repeat: the current track will be repeated.
- 1 Folder Repeat: the current folder will be repeated.

OFF: No repeat play pattern is applied. The indicator on the display will turn off.

The current play pattern of the USB device is displayed on the screen unless no pattern is applied.

#### TUNE/SCROLL knob

If there are multiple folders with audio files on the USB device, turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to change folders. Turn the knob to the left to skip back a folder. Turn the knob to the right to skip ahead a folder. If there is only one folder of audio files on the USB device, turning the TUNE/SCROLL knob in either direction will return to the first track on the USB device.



USB (Universal Serial Bus) CONNECTION PORT (models with Navigation System)

Connecting a device to the USB Connection Port

## **AWARNING**

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- Do not grab the USB port cover (if so equipped) when pulling the USB device out of the port. This could damage the port and the cover.
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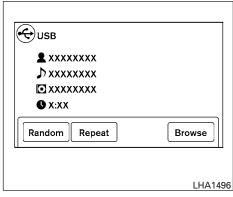
When a compatible storage device is plugged into the connection port, compatible audio files on the storage device can be played through the vehicle's audio system.

# Audio file operation

## AUX (auxiliary) button

Place the ignition switch in the ON or ACC position and press the AUX button to switch to the USB input mode. If another audio source is playing and a USB connection port device is inserted, press the AUX button until the center display changes to the USB memory mode.

If the system has been turned off while the USB memory was playing, push the ON-OFF/VOL control knob to restart the USB memory.



## Play information

Information about the audio files being played is shown on the display screen of the vehicle's audio system. Touch "Browse" to display the list of folders and files on the USB device. Touch the name of a song on the screen to begin playing that song.





# Seeking buttons

Press the seeking button while an audio file on the USB device is playing to return to the beginning of the current track. Press the seeking button several times to skip backward several tracks.

Press the seeking button while an audio file on the USB device is playing to advance one track. Press the seeking button several times to skip forward several tracks. If the last track in a folder on the USB device is skipped, the first track of the next folder is played.

### Random and repeat play mode

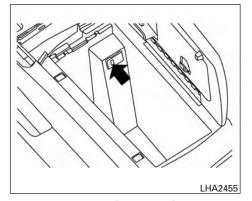
While files on a USB device are playing, the play pattern can be altered so that songs are repeated or played randomly.

#### Random

Touch the "Random" key to apply a random play pattern to the USB device. When the random mode is active, the icon is displayed to the left of the song title or album name to denote which random pattern is applied. To cancel Random mode, touch the "Random" key until no icon is displayed.

## Repeat

Touch the "Repeat" key to apply a repeat play pattern to the USB device. When the repeat mode is active, the () icon is displayed to the left of the song title or album name to denote which repeat pattern is applied. To cancel Repeat mode, touch the "Repeat" key until no is displayed.



iPod®\* PLAYER OPERATION WITHOUT NAVIGATION SYSTEM (if so equipped)

Connecting iPod®

## **AWARNING**

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Refer to your device manufacturer's owner information regarding the proper use and care of the device.

To connect an iPod® to the vehicle so that the iPod® can be controlled with the audio system controls and display screen, use the USB connection port located on the center console below the heater and air conditioner controls. Connect the iPod®-specific end of the cable to the iPod® and the USB end of the cable to the USB connection port on the vehicle. If your iPod® supports charging via a USB connection, its battery will be charged while connected to the vehicle with the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position.

While connected to the vehicle, the iPod® can only be operated by the vehicle audio controls.

To disconnect the iPod® from the vehicle, remove the USB end of the cable from the USB connection port on the vehicle, then remove the cable from the iPod®.

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## Compatibility

The following models are compatible:

- iPod® 5th Generation (firmware version 1.3 or later)
- iPod® Classic (80GB) (firmware version 1.1.2PC or later)
- iPod® Classic (120GB) (firmware version 2.0.1PC or later)
- iPod® nano 1st generation (firmware version 1.3.1 or later)
- iPod® nano 2nd generation (firmware version 1.1.3 or later)
- iPod® nano 3rd generation (firmware version 1.1.3PC or later)

- iPod® nano 4th generation (firmware version 1.0PC or later)
- iPod® nano 5th generation (8GB) (firmware version 1.0.2PC or later)
- iPod® nano 5th generation (16GB) (firmware version 1.0.1PC or later)
- iPod® nano 6th generation (8GB) (firmware version 1.2PC or later)
- iPod® nano 6th generation (8GB) (firmware version 1.1PC or later)
- iPod® Touch 1st generation (firmware version 2.2.1 or later)
- iPod® Touch 2nd generation (firmware version 2.2.1 or later)
- iPod® Touch 3rd generation (firmware version 3.1.3 or later)
- iPod® Touch 4th generation (firmware version 4.3.5 or later)
- iPhone® 3G (firmware version 4.1 or later)
- iPhone® 3GS (firmware version 4.3 or later)
- iPhone® 4 (firmware version 5.0 or later)
- iPhone® 4S (firmware version 5.1 or later)
- iPad® (firmware version 4.3.2 or later)
- iPad® 2 (firmware version 4.3.3 or later)

Make sure that your iPod® firmware is updated to the version indicated above.

# Audio main operation

Place the ignition switch to the ACC or ON position. Then, press the CD-AUX or MEDIA button repeatedly to switch to the iPod® mode.

If the audio system is turned off while the iPod® is playing, the iPod® plays when the audio system is turned back on.

If the audio system is off, pressing the CD-AUX or MEDIA button turns the audio system on and plays the iPod®.

If the audio system is on, the audio system automatically begins playing tracks from the iPod® when it is plugged into the port.

## **MEDIA** button

Press the MFDIA button while the iPod® is connected to show the iPod® operation menu on the audio display. Scroll through the menu list using TUNE/SCROLL knob. the Press ENTER/SETTING button to select a menu item. Items in the iPod® menu appear on the display in the following order:

- Now playing
- Playlists
- Artists

- Albums
- Songs
- Podcasts
- Genres
- Composers
- Audiobooks
- Shuffle songs

For additional information, refer to the iPod® Owner's Manual regarding each item.

#### SEEK/CAT and TRACK buttons

When the ◀◀ SEEK/CAT button or ▶▶ TRACK button is pressed for less than 1.5 seconds while the iPod® is playing, the next track or the beginning of the current track on the iPod® will be played.

When the ◀◀ SFFK/CAT button or >> TRACK button is pressed for more than 1.5 seconds while the iPod® is playing, the iPod® will play while fast forwarding or rewinding. When the button is released, the iPod® will return to the normal play speed.

#### REPEAT (RPT)

When the RPT button is pressed while a track is being played, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

Repeat Off → 1 Track Repeat → All Repeat → Repeat Off

1 Track Repeat: the current track will be repeated.

All Repeat: all songs in the current list are repeated.

Repeat Off: no repeat play pattern is applied.

## RANDOM (RDM)

When the RDM button is pressed while a track is being played, the play pattern can be changed as follows:

Shuffle Off → Track Shuffle → Album Shuffle → Shuffle Off

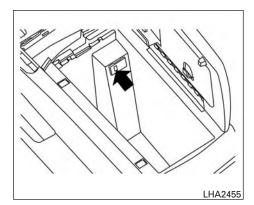
Track Shuffle: the tracks in the current list will be played randomly.

Album Shuffle: the albums in the current list will be played randomly.

Shuffle Off: no random play pattern is applied.

#### **BACK** button

When the BACK button is pressed, it returns to the previous menu.



iPod®\* PLAYER OPERATION WITH NAVIGATION SYSTEM (if so equipped)

Connecting iPod®

## **AWARNING**

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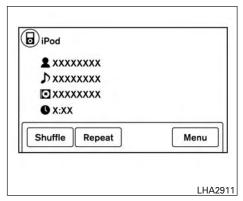
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- iPod® Touch 3rd generation (firmware version 5.1 or later)
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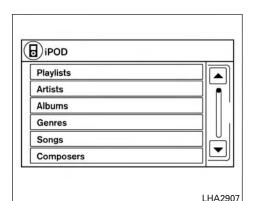
## Audio main operation

Place the ignition switch in the ACC or ON position. Press the AUX button repeatedly to switch to the iPod® mode.

If the system has been turned off while the iPod® was playing, pressing the VOL/ON-OFF control knob will start the iPod®.

#### **AUX** button

When the AUX button is pressed with the system off and the iPod® connected, the system will turn on. If another audio source is playing and the iPod® is connected, press the AUX button repeatedly until the center display changes to the iPod® mode.



#### Interface

The interface for iPod® operation shown on the vehicle's audio system display screen is similar to the iPod® interface. Use the touch-screen. BACK button or the scrolling knob to navigate the menus on the screen.

When the iPod® is playing, touch the "Menu" key to bring up the iPod® interface.

Depending on the iPod® model, the following items may be available on the menu list screen. For additional information, refer to the iPod® Owner's Manual regarding each menu item.

Playlists

- Artists
- Albums
- Genres
- Songs
- Composers
- Audiobooks
- Podcasts

#### Shuffle and repeat play mode

While the iPod® is playing, the play pattern can be altered so that songs are repeated or played randomly.

#### Shuffle

Touch the "Shuffle" key to apply a random play pattern to the iPod®. When the Shuffle mode is active, the text is illuminated. Touching the "Shuffle" key once more will display the "Shuffle songs" key. To cancel Shuffle mode, touch the "Shuffle" key again until the text is no longer illuminated.

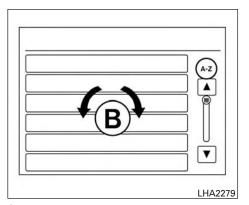
## Repeat

Touch the "Repeat" key to apply a repeat play pattern to the iPod®. When the repeat mode is active, the text is illuminated. Touching the "Repeat" key once more will display the "Repeat song" key. To cancel Repeat mode, touch the "Repeat" key again until the text is no longer illuminated.

#### **SEEK/CAT and TRACK buttons**

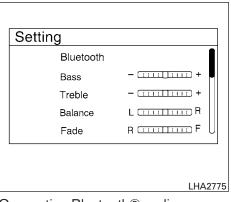
When the ◀◀ SEEK/CAT button or ▶▶ TRACK button is pressed for less than 1.5 seconds while the iPod® is playing, the next track or the beginning of the current track on the iPod® will be played.

SFFK/CAT button or ▶▶ When the ◀◀ TRACK button is pressed for more than 1.5 seconds while the iPod® is playing, the iPod® will play while fast forwarding or rewinding. When the button is released, the iPod® will return to the normal play speed.



# BLUETOOTH® STREAMING AUDIO WITHOUT NAVIGATION SYSTEM (if so equipped)

If you have a compatible Bluetooth® audio device that is capable of playing audio files, the device can be connected to the vehicle's audio system so that the audio files on the device play through the vehicle's speakers.



## Scrolling menus

While navigating long lists of artists, albums or songs in the music menu, it is possible to scroll the list by the first character in the name. To activate character indexing, touch and hold the "A-Z" key in the upper right corner of the screen. Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to choose the number or letter to jump to in the list and then press the ENTER/AUDIO button.

If no character is selected after 2 seconds, the display returns to normal.

# Connecting Bluetooth® audio

To connect your Bluetooth® audio device to the vehicle, follow the procedure below:

- 1. Press the ENTER/SETTING button.
- 2. Select "Bluetooth".
- 3. Select "Add Phone or Device". This same screen can be accessed to remove, replace or select a different Bluetooth® device.
- 4. The system acknowledges the command and asks you to initiate connecting from the phone handset. The connecting procedure of the cellular phone varies according to each cellular phone model. For additional

information, refer to the cellular phone Own-Manual. You can also visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth or www.nissan.ca.com/bluetooth for instructions on connecting NISSAN recommended cellular phones.

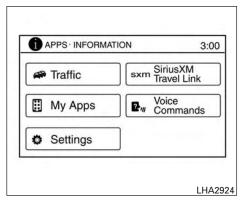
## Audio main operation

To switch to the Bluetooth® audio mode, press MEDIA button repeatedly until the Bluetooth® audio mode is displayed on the screen.

The controls for the Bluetooth® audio are displayed on the screen. Use the Preset 3 button for play and the Preset 4 button for pause.

## BLUETOOTH® STREAMING AUDIO WITH NAVIGATION SYSTEM

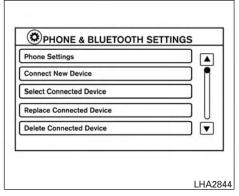
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## Connecting Bluetooth® audio

To connect your Bluetooth® audio device to the vehicle, follow the procedure below:

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "Phone & Bluetooth" key.

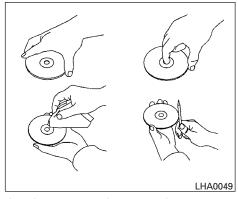


- 4. Touch the "Connect New Device" kev.
- 5. The system acknowledges the command and asks you to initiate connecting from the phone handset. The connecting procedure of the cellular phone varies according to each cellular phone model. For additional information, refer to the cellular phone Own-Manual. You can also www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth www.nissan.ca.com/bluetooth for instructions on connecting NISSAN recommended cellular phones.

## Audio main operation

To switch to the Bluetooth® audio mode, press the AUX button repeatedly until the Bluetooth® audio mode is displayed on the screen.

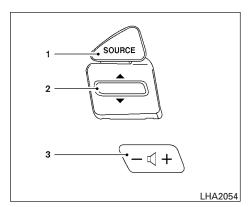
The controls for the Bluetooth® audio are displayed on the screen.



#### CD CARE AND CLEANING

- Handle a CD by its edges. Do not bend the disc. Never touch the surface of the disc.
- Always place the discs in the storage case when they are not being used.
- To clean a disc, wipe the surface from the center to the outer edge using a clean, soft cloth. Do not wipe the disc using a circular motion.
- Do not use a conventional record cleaner or alcohol intended for industrial use.

A new disc may be rough on the inner and outer edges. Remove the rough edges by rubbing the inner and outer edges with the side of a pen or pencil as illustrated.



- SOURCE select switch
- Tuning switch
- 3. Volume control switch

## STEERING WHEEL SWITCH FOR AUDIO CONTROL (if so equipped)

The audio system can be operated using the controls on the steering wheel.

## SOURCE select switch

Push the SOURCE select switch to change the mode in the following sequence: AM  $\rightarrow$  FM  $\rightarrow$  CD\*  $\rightarrow$  USB/iPod®\* (if so equipped)  $\rightarrow$  Bluetooth® audio\* (if so equipped)  $\rightarrow$  AUX\*  $\rightarrow$  AM

\* These modes are only available when compatible media storage is inserted into the device.

#### Volume control switch

Push the volume control switch to increase or decrease the volume.





## Menu control switch/ENTER button

While the display is showing a map or audio screen, tilt the Menu Control switch upward or downward to select a station, track, CD or folder. For most audio sources, tilting the switch up/down for more than 1.5 seconds provides a different function than a tilting up/down for less than 1.5 seconds.

#### AM and FM

- Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the preset station.
- Tilt up/down for more than 1.5 seconds to seek up or down to the next station.
- Press the ENTER button to show the list of preset stations.

#### SXM (if so equipped)

 Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the preset station.

- Tilt up/down for more than 1.5 seconds to go to the next or previous channel.
- Press the ENTER button to show the SXM Menu.

## iPod® (if so equipped)

- Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the track number.
- Press the ENTER button to show the iPod Menu.

#### CD

- Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the track number.
- Tilt up/down for more than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the folder number (if playing compressed audio files).
- Press the ENTER button to show the CD Menu.

## **USB** (if so equipped)

- Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the track number.
- Tilt up/down for more than 1.5 seconds to increase or decrease the folder number.
- Press the ENTER button to show the USB Menu.

## NISSANCONNECT<sup>SM</sup> WITH MOBILE APPS (if so equipped)

#### Bluetooth® Audio (if so equipped)

- Tilt up/down for less than 1.5 seconds to skip ahead or back to the next song.
- Tilt up/down for more than 1.5 seconds to reverse or fast forward the current song.

#### AUX

 Press the ENTER button to show the AUX Menu.

## **ANTENNA**

The antenna cannot be shortened, but can be removed. When you need to remove the antenna, turn the antenna rod counterclockwise.

To install the antenna rod, turn the antenna rod clockwise and hand tighten.

## **A** CAUTION

- Always properly tighten the antenna rod during installation or the antenna rod may break during vehicle operation.
- Be sure that the antenna is removed before the vehicle enters an automatic car wash.
- Be sure to fold down the antenna before the vehicle enters a garage with a low ceiling.

This vehicle is equipped with Smartphone Integration technology. This allows many compatible Smartphone applications to be displayed and easily controlled through the vehicle's touch-screen.

#### NOTE:

A compatible smartphone and registration is required to use mobile applications or to access connected features of certain vehicle applications.

# REGISTERING WITH NISSANCONNECT<sup>SM</sup> WITH MOBILE APPS

To use the Smartphone Integration feature, it is necessary for the user to register. In order to register, visit the NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> website, www.nissanusa.com/connect/ or https://canada.nissanconnect.com (For Canada) and sign up or create an account through the prompts on the NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> with Mobile Apps. Once registered, download the NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> App from your compatible phone's application download source and then log into the application. If you already have an account created through the App, please log in.

## CONNECT PHONE

To use this feature, a compatible smartphone must be connected via Bluetooth® or USB to the vehicle. For additional information on connecting your phone, refer to Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System without Navigation System" or "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with Navigation System" in this section.

#### NOTE:

For vehicles with navigation, Apple iPhones REQUIRE the phone to be plugged in via USB for NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> Apps to function.

For vehicles without Navigation, Apple iPhones must be paired via Bluetooth for NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> Apps to function.

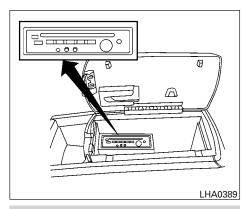
#### NOTE:

For Android phones, NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> Apps REQUIRES the phone to be paired via Bluetooth.

## **NISSAN MOBILE ENTERTAINMENT** SYSTEM (MES) (if so equipped)

#### APPLICATION DOWNLOAD

Once connected, the NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> App will search your phone to determine which compatible applications are currently installed. The user will then choose which apps they want to bring into their vehicle from the list of apps within the "Manage My Apps" section of the Nissan-Connect<sup>SM</sup> App on their smartphone. The vehicle will then download the in-vehicle interface for each of these compatible applications. Once downloaded, the user can access their selected smartphone applications through the vehicle interface. For additional information on application availability visit www.nissanusa.com/connect/ or www.canada.nissanconnect.com



## **AWARNING**

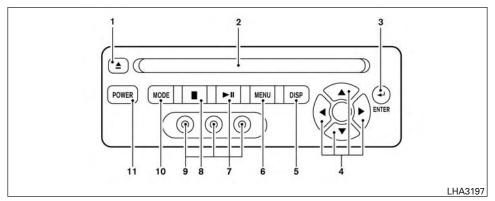
- The Mobile Entertainment System is designed for rear seat passenger viewing only.
- The driver must not attempt to operate the Mobile Entertainment System while the vehicle is in motion so that full attention may be given to vehicle operation.

## **A** CAUTION

- The glass screen on the liquid crystal display may break if hit with a hard or sharp object. If the glass breaks, do not touch the liquid crystalline material. which contains a small amount of mercury. In case of contact with skin, wash immediately with soap and water.
- Use a damp, soft cloth when cleaning the Mobile Entertainment System components. Do not use solvents or cleaning solutions.

Do not attempt to use the system in extreme temperature conditions [below -4°F (-20°C) or above 158°F (70°C)].

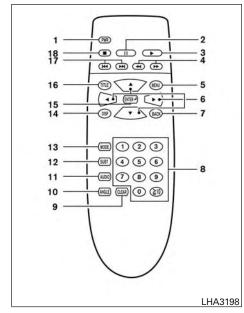
To avoid discharging the vehicle battery, do not operate the system more than 15 minutes without starting the engine.



- EJECT button
- 2. DVD slot
- 3. ENTER button
- 4. NAVIGATION keys
- DISPLAY button
- 6. MENU button
- 7. PLAY/PAUSE button
- 8. STOP button
- 9. Input jacks
- 10. MODE button
- 11. POWER on/off button

## DIGITAL VIDEO DISC (DVD) PLAYER CONTROLS

For additional information, refer to "Playing a digital video disc (DVD)" in this section for the function of each button.

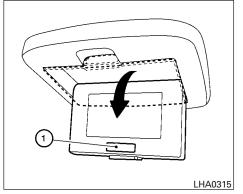


- POWER button
- 2. PAUSE button
- PLAY button
- FAST FORWARD/FAST REVERSE button
- 5. MENU button

- 6. NAVIGATION keys
- BACK button
- Numeric keypad
- CI FAR button
- 10. ANGLE button
- 11. AUDIO button
- SUBTITLE button
- MODE button
- DISPLAY button
- **FNTFR** button
- 16. TITLE button
- 17. NEXT TRACK/CHAPTER and PREVI-OUS TRACK/CHAPTER button
- 18. STOP button

#### REMOTE CONTROL

For additional information, refer to "Playing a digital video disc (DVD)" in this section for the function of each button.

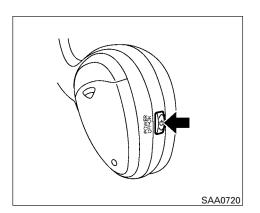


#### **FLIP-DOWN SCREEN**

The flip-down screen has a wireless remote control receiver (1) located at the bottom of the screen.

## **A** CAUTION

- The glass screen on the liquid crystal display may break if hit with a hard or sharp object. If the glass screen breaks, do not touch it. Doing so could result in an injury.
- The screen rotates down to view and up into the housing to store when not in use. Ensure that the screen is latched securely into the housing when stored.



## Headphones

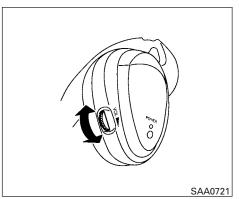
#### **Power ON/OFF**

Press the power button to turn the headphones on or off.

#### Volume control

Turn the volume control knob to adjust the volume.

The headphones will automatically be turned off in 30 seconds if there is no sound during that period. To prevent the battery from being discharged, keep the power supply turned off when not in use.



#### NOTE:

For optimum infrared headphone performance, increase the volume on the rear seat controller to the maximum level and adjust the infrared headphone volume using the volume control on the headphones. Using a lower volume setting on the rear seat controller can cause static noise in the infrared headphones.

## PLAYING A DIGITAL VIDEO DISC (DVD)

## **A** CAUTION

- Only operate the DVD while the vehicle engine is running. Operating the DVD for extended periods of time with the engine OFF can discharge the vehicle battery.
- Do not allow the system to get wet.
   Excessive moisture such as spilled liquids may cause the system to malfunction.

The driver must not attempt to wear the headphones while the vehicle is in motion so that full attention may be given to vehicle operation.

While playing video CD media, this DVD player does not guarantee complete functionality of all video CD formats.

With the DVD player, you can hear DVD videos, video CDs and CDs using headphones. Passengers in the rear seat can enjoy the sound independently of the front seat.

Press the AUX button located on the front controls to hear the sound of the DVD play through the speakers.

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It is possible to operate the DVD player by remote control.

Headphones are a wireless type and no cables are necessary. You can use them in almost all the ranges in the rear seat. (It is not possible to use the headphones in the front seat.)

#### POWER on/off button

With the ignition switch placed in the ACC or ON position, press the POWER button to turn the DVD player on or off.

Insert the DVD into the slot with the label side facing up. The DVD will be guided automatically into the slot.

If the DVD player is off and a DVD is inserted, the DVD player will automatically turn on.

## **A** CAUTION

Do not force the compact disc into the slot. This could damage the player.

#### MODE select button

Press the MODE button to select Audio/Video source between DVD and AUX input (input jacks on the faceplate, Red = right channel audio input, White = left channel audio input, and Yellow = Video input).

The display will show the "AUX" in the upper left corner of the display for 4 seconds once the mode is changed to AUX.

For additional information on how to use the input jacks, refer to "Auxiliary input jacks" in this section.





**PLAY** 

When the PLAY/PAUSE button on the player or the PLAY button on the remote control is pressed, the player will play.

In play mode, the display will briefly show on the upper left corner of the display.





FF (Fast Forward), REW (Remote control only)

Press the FAST FORWARD/FAST REVERSE buttons to carry out the fast forward or fast reverse presentation at 5 times normal play speed.

Press the FAST FORWARD/FAST REVERSE buttons again or PLAY button to resume the normal play speed.





NEXT CHAPTER/PREVIOUS **CHAPTER (Remote con**trol only)

When the (NEXT CHAPTER) button is pressed while the DVD is playing, the program next to the present one will start to play from its beginning. Press several times to skip through programs. The DVD will advance the number of times the button is pressed. When the (PREVIOUS CHAPTER) button is pressed, the program being played returns to its beginning. Press several times to skip back through programs. The DVD will go back the number of times the button is pressed.





**PAUSE** 

When the PLAY/PAUSE button on the player or the PAUSE button on the remote control is pressed, the player will pause playing of the media. In pause mode, the player will show on the upper left corner of the display until the player is changed to another mode.



#### **STOP**

Press the STOP button once to stop playing the media. The display will show in the upper left corner of the display for 4 seconds, and the last disc position will be stored. When the PLAY button is pressed again, it will resume at the stored disc track and time position.

If the STOP button is pressed again when the player is already in Stop mode, it will reinitialize the pointer to the beginning of the disc. In effect, it will ignore the last stored disc position and upon receipt of the next play message, will begin at the Title Menu or at "the beginning of the disc".



#### ▲ EJECT

When the EJECT button is pressed with the DVD loaded, it will be ejected.

The display will show the EJECT symbol △ in the upper left corner of the display for 4 seconds once the EJECT button is pressed.

If the DVD is not loaded, the display will show "NO DISC".

If the DVD comes out and is not removed within 25 seconds, it will be pulled back into the slot to protect it.

#### **DISPLAY**

If the DISPLAY control is pressed for less than 2 seconds, the display menu will appear on the screen.

- The display menu will remain on the screen for 10 seconds if no subsequent control activations occur.
- Use the NAVIGATION KEYS to navigate within the display menu and use ENTER to select the item.
- Holding the DISPLAY control on the faceplate for longer than approximately 2 seconds while in the display menu will reset the display characteristics to their nominal values. (Faceplate feature only)

If the DISPLAY control button on the faceplate is pressed for more than 2 seconds, the media track/time information will be displayed along the bottom of the display. Pressing the DISPLAY control for more than 2 seconds will remove the media track/time information from the display. (Faceplate feature only)

#### **NAVIGATION KEYS**

If media is in PLAY mode, activation of the NAVI-GATION KEYS (Up, Down, Left, and Right) will perform the following functions: next chapter/track, previous chapter/track, fast re-

verse and fast forward, and the display will

show ►I , I , ← and ► respectively in the upper left corner of the display for 4 seconds. (Faceplate feature only)

If media is in PAUSE mode, activation of the NAVIGATION KEYS (Up, Down and Right) will perform the following functions: next chapter/track, previous chapter/track and slow forward, and the display will show ► , ► and a forward arrow symbol respectively in the upper left corner of the display for 4 seconds. (Faceplate feature only)

If media is in activated MENU mode, the NAVI-GATION KEYS will be used to navigate Up, Down, Left, and Right within the menu.

If display control menu is on, the NAVIGATION KEYS will be used to navigate Up, Down, Left, and Right within the menu.

#### **ENTER**

In MENU mode, press the ENTER button to select MENU items.

In the display menu, press the ENTER button to select items for modification, as per the on-screen instructions.

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#### **MENU**

If the media is in PLAY mode and the MENU button is pressed, the DVD menu will appear on the screen. Use the Navigation Keys to navigate within the menu and use ENTER to select the item.

Press the MENU button again to return to PLAY mode.

## TITLE (Remote control only)

Press the TITLE button to return the DVD media to the "title" of the DVD.

Press the TITLE button again to return to the previous stop point and play.

## **BACK (Remote control only)**

Press the BACK button to exit the current active menu and return to the previous menu.

#### **SUBTITLE** (Remote control only)

Press the SUBTITLE button to call up subtitle selection menu.

Repeatedly press the SUBTITLE button to cycle through each available subtitle.

### AUDIO (Remote control only)

Press the AUDIO button to call up the audio menu.

Repeatedly press the AUDIO button to cycle through each available audio track.

#### ANGLE (Remote control only)

Press the ANGLE button to call up the camera angle menu.

Repeatedly press the ANGLE button to cycle through each available angle.

#### **CLEAR (Remote control only)**

Press the CLEAR button to clear all numeric inputs, if actuated prior to expiration of the 3-second timer.

## NUMERIC KEYPAD (0-9 & ≥10) (Remote control only)

Press the NUMERIC KEYPAD to directly access disc chapters, titles or tracks by inputting their numeric value.

Use the "≥10" button to input numbers greater than or equal to 10. Up to three digits can be inputted when selecting the chapter/title/track number.

The subsequent actuation of numeric buttons will continuously shift the previously input number to the "left".

The chapter/title/track number will be automatically selected (if valid, based on media content) if 3 seconds expire without any keypad inputs.

operator The cancel input can chapter/title/track number by actuating the CLEAR control prior to the expiration of the 3-second timer.

These functions can be used only for the DVD discs which correspond to them.

## Auxiliary input jacks

The auxiliary input jacks are located on the control panel. Compatible devices such as video games, camcorders and portable video players can be connected to the auxiliary jacks.

The auxiliary jacks are color coded for identification purposes.

- Yellow video input
- White left channel audio input
- Red right channel audio input

To view the compatible device connected to the AUX jacks, press the MODE button. For additional information, refer to "Mode select button" in this section.

#### CARE AND MAINTENANCE

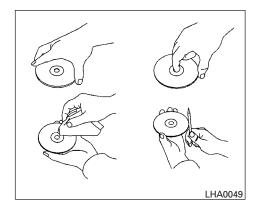
Use a lightly dampened, lint free cloth to clean the surfaces of your NISSAN Mobile Entertainment System (DVD player face, screen, remote control, etc.).

Do not attempt to use the system in extreme temperature conditions [below -4°F (-20°C) or above 158°F (70°C)].

Do not attempt to operate the system in extreme humidity conditions (less than 10% or more than 75%).

## **A** CAUTION

- Do not use any solvents or cleaning solutions when cleaning the video system.
- Do not use excessive force on the monitor screen.
- Avoid touching or scratching the monitor screen as it may become dirty or damaged.

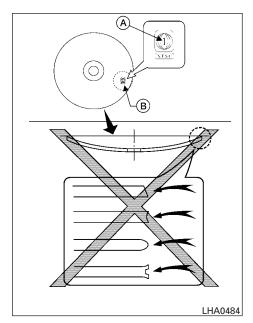


HOW TO HANDLE THE DVD

## **A** CAUTION

- Handle a DVD by its edges. Never touch the surface of the disc.
- To clean a disc, wipe the surface from the center to the outer edge using a clean, soft cloth. Do not wipe the disc using a circular motion.
- Do not use a conventional record cleaner, benzine, thinner or alcohol intended for industrial use.

- A new disc may be rough on its inner and outer edges. Remove the rough edges using the side of a pen or pencil as illustrated.
- Never attempt to use a DVD that has been cracked, deformed, or repaired using adhesive. Doing so may cause damage to the equipment.
- Handle the DVD carefully to avoid contamination or flaws. Otherwise, signals may not be read properly.
- Do not write, draw or attach anything on any side of the DVD
- Do not store the DVD in locations with direct sunlight or in high temperatures or humidity.
- Always place discs in the storage case when they are not being used.
- Do not put on any sticker or write anything on either surface of the DVD.



DVD player operation precautions

Do not use the following DVDs as they may cause the DVD player to malfunction:

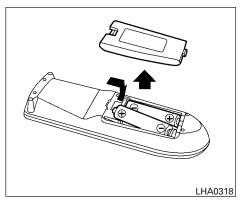
• 3.1 in (8 cm) discs with an adapter.

- DVDs with a region code other than "1". The region code (A) is displayed in a small symbol printed on the top of the DVD (B).
- DVDs that are not round.
- DVDs with a paper label.
- DVDs that are warped, scratched, or have unequal edges.
- Recordable digital video discs (DVD+R).
- Rewritable digital video discs (DVD+RW).

If a DVD with a paper label is used and becomes jammed, you may be able to reset the unit and eject the jammed disc with the following procedure:

- 1. Record the radio presets.
- 2. Disconnect the negative terminal from the battery for 5 minutes.
- 3. Reconnect the negative battery terminal.
- 4. Check to see if the jammed DVD has been ejected. If it has not, try to eject the DVD by pushing the eject button.

- 5. If the disc cannot be ejected see your NISSAN dealer for further assistance.
- 6. Re-program the radio presets.



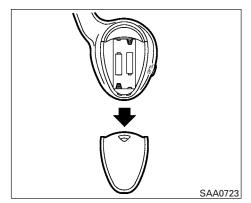
## Remote control and headphones battery replacement

Replace the battery as follows:

- 1. Open the lid.
- 2. Replace batteries with new ones.
- Size AA (remote control)
- Size AAA (headphones)

Make sure that the  $\Theta$  and  $\Theta$  ends on the batteries match the markings inside the compartment.

3. Close the lid securely.



If the battery is removed for any reason other than replacement, close the lid securely.

- If you will not be using the remote control for long periods of time, remove the batteries.
- Replacement of the batteries is needed when the remote control only functions at extremely close distances to the DVD player or not at all.
- Be careful not to touch the battery terminal.
- An improperly disposed battery can harm the environment. Always confirm local regulations for battery disposal.

 When changing batteries, do not let dust or oil get on the remote control and headphones.

#### **FCC Notice:**

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment. This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules and RSS-210 of Industry Canada. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

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#### CAR PHONE OR CB RADIO

When installing a CB, ham radio or car phone in vour vehicle, be sure to observe the following precautions; otherwise, the new equipment may adversely affect the engine control system and other electronic parts.

## **WARNING**

- A cellular phone should not be used for any purpose while driving so full attention may be given to vehicle operation. Some jurisdictions prohibit the use of cellular phones while driving.
- If you must make a call while your vehicle is in motion, the hands free cellular phone operational mode (if so equipped) is highly recommended. Exercise extreme caution at all times so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.
- If you are unable to devote full attention to vehicle operation while talking on the phone, pull off the road to a safe location and stop your vehicle.

## **A** CAUTION

- Keep the antenna as far away as possible from the electronic control modules.
- Keep the antenna wire more than 8 in (20 cm) away from the electronic control system harnesses. Do not route the antenna wire next to any harness.
- Adjust the antenna standing-wave ratio as recommended by the manufacturer.
- Connect the ground wire from the CB radio chassis to the body.
- For details, consult a NISSAN dealer.

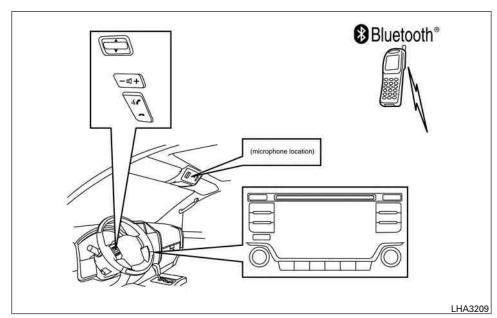
## BLUETOOTH® HANDS-FREE PHONE SYSTEM WITHOUT NAVIGATION **SYSTEM** (if so equipped)

## **AWARNING**

- Use a phone after stopping your vehicle in a safe location. If you have to use a phone while driving, exercise extreme caution at all times so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.
- If you are unable to devote full attention to vehicle operation while talking on the phone, pull off the road to a safe location and stop your vehicle.

## **A** CAUTION

To avoid discharging the vehicle battery, use a phone after starting the engine.



Your NISSAN is equipped with the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System. If you have a compatible Bluetooth® enabled cellular phone, you can set up the wireless connection between your cellular phone and the in-vehicle phone module. With Bluetooth® wireless technology, you can

make or receive a hands-free telephone call with your cellular phone in the vehicle.

Once your cellular phone is connected to the in-vehicle phone module, no other phone connecting procedure is required. Your phone is automatically connected with the in-vehicle

phone module when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position with the previously connected cellular phone turned on and carried in the vehicle.

#### NOTE:

Some devices require the user to accept connections to other Bluetooth® devices. If your phone does not connect automatic ally to the system, consult the phone's Owner's Manual for details on device operation.

You can connect up to five different Bluetooth® cellular phones to the in-vehicle phone module. However, you can talk on only one cellular phone at a time.

Before using the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, refer to the following notes.

- Set up the wireless connection between a compatible cellular phone and the in-vehicle phone module before using the hands-free phone system.
- Some Bluetooth® enabled cellular phones may not be recognized or work properly. Please visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth or www.nissan.ca/bluetooth for a recommended phone list and connecting instructions.

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- You will not be able to use a hands-free phone under the following conditions:
  - Your vehicle is outside of the cellular service area.
  - Your vehicle is in an area where it is difficult to receive a cellular signal; such as in a tunnel, in an underground parking garage, near a tall building or in a mountainous area.
  - Your cellular phone is locked to prevent it from being dialed.
- When the radio wave condition is not ideal or ambient sound is too loud, it may be difficult to hear the other person's voice during a call.
- Do not place the cellular phone in an area surrounded by metal or far away from the in-vehicle phone module to prevent tone quality degradation and wireless connection disruption.
- While a cellular phone is connected through the Bluetooth® wireless connection, the battery power of the cellular phone may discharge guicker than usual. The Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System cannot charge cellular phones.

- If the hands-free phone system seems to be malfunctioning, refer to "Troubleshooting guide" in this section. You can also visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth www.nissan.ca/bluetooth for troubleshootina help.
- Some cellular phones or other devices may cause interference or a buzzing noise to come from the audio system speakers. Storing the device in a different location may reduce or eliminate the noise.
- For additional information, refer to the cellular phone Owner's Manual regarding the telephone charges, cellular phone antenna and body, etc.

## REGULATORY INFORMATION

FCC Regulatory information

- CAUTION: To maintain compliance with FCC's RF exposure guidelines, use only the supplied antenna. Unauthorized antenna, modification, or attachments could damage the transmitter and may violate FCC regulations.
- Operation is subject to the following two conditions:
- 1. This device may not cause interference and

2. this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

## IC Regulatory information

- Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.
- This Class B digital apparatus meets all reguirements of the Canadian Interference-Causing Equipment Regulations.



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## USING THE SYSTEM

The NISSAN Voice Recognition system allows hands-free operation of the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.

If the vehicle is in motion, some commands may not be available so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.

#### Initialization

When the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, NISSAN Voice Recognition is initialized, which takes a few seconds. If the \$\sigma \bigcep\$ button is pressed before the initialization completes, the system will announce "Hands-free phone system not ready" and will not react to voice commands.

## Operating tips

To get the best performance out of the NISSAN Voice Recognition (VR) system, observe the following:

- Keep the interior of the vehicle as guiet as possible. Close the windows to eliminate surrounding noises (traffic noises, vibration sounds, etc.), which may prevent the system from recognizing voice commands correctly.
- Wait until the tone sounds before speaking a command. Otherwise, the command will not be received properly.
- Start speaking a command within 5 seconds after the tone sounds.
- Speak in a natural voice without pausing between words

## Giving voice commands

To operate NISSAN Voice Recognition, press and release the 1/2 button located on the steering wheel. After the tone sounds, speak a command.

The command given is picked up by the microphone, and voice feedback is given when the command is accepted.

- If you need to hear the available commands for the current menu again, say "Help" and the system will repeat them.
- If a command is not recognized, the system announces, "Command not recognized. Please try again." Make sure the command is said exactly as prompted by the system and repeat the command in a clear voice.
- If you want to go back to the previous command, you can say "Go back" or "Correction" any time the system is waiting for a response.

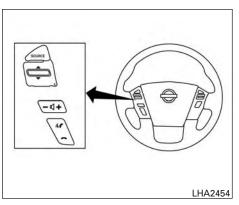
- You can cancel a command when the system is waiting for a response by saying, "Cancel" or "Quit." The system announces "Cancel" and ends the VR session. You can also press and hold the putton on the steering wheel for 5 seconds at any time to end the VR session. Whenever the VR session is cancelled, a double beep is played to indicate you have exited the system.
- If you want to adjust the volume of the voice feedback, press the volume control switches (+ or -) on the steering wheel while being provided with feedback. You can also use the radio volume control knob.

## **Voice Prompt Interrupt**

In most cases you can interrupt the voice feedback to speak the next command by pressing the we button on the steering wheel. After interrupting the system, wait for a beep before speaking your command.

#### One Shot Call

To use the system faster, you may speak the second level commands with the main menu command on the main menu. For example, press the we button and after the tone say, "Call Redial".



## CONTROL BUTTONS

The control buttons for the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System are located on the steering wheel.

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Press the ve button to initiate a VR session or answer an incoming call.

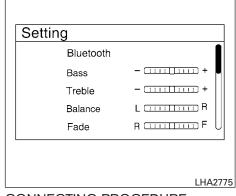
You can also use the & button to interrupt the system feedback and give a command at once. For additional information, refer to "Voice commands" and "During a call" in this section.

## PHONE/FND

While the voice recognition system is active, press and hold the button for 5 seconds to quit the voice recognition system at any time.

## Tuning switch

While using the voice recognition system, tilt the tuning switch up or down to manually control the phone system.



## CONNECTING PROCEDURE

#### NOTE:

The connecting procedure must be performed when the vehicle is stationary. If the vehicle starts moving during the procedure, the procedure will be cancelled.

To connect a phone to the Bluetooth  ${\bf \^{E}}$  Hands-Free Phone System:

- 1. Press the SETTING button.
- Use the TUNE/SCROLL knob to select "Bluetooth" and then press the ENTER button.

Menu Item		Result
Bluetooth ON/OFF		Allows user to switch Bluetooth on and off. Bluetooth must be turned on in order to connect device.
	On	Turns Bluetooth functionality on
	Off	Turns Bluetooth functionality off
Add Phone or Device		Upon pressing this button, a message with a PIN appears on the screen. operate the Bluetooth phone to enter the PIN and complete the connection process.
Replace Phone		Replace the phone currently connected to the system. This option allows the user to keep any voicetags that were recorded using the previous phone if vehicle is equipped with voice recognition.

The connecting procedure varies according to each phone. For additional information, refer to the phone's Owner's Manual for details. You can also visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth or call the NISSAN Consumer Affairs Department for instructions on connecting recommended cellular phones.

#### **VOICE COMMANDS**

Voice commands can be used to operate the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System. Press the \* button and say "Phone" to bring up the phone command menu. The available options are:

- Call
- Phonebook
- Recent Calls
- Messaging (if available)
- Show applications (if available)

#### "Call"

For additional information on the "Call" command, refer to "Making a call" in this section.

## "Phonebook"

The following commands are available under "Phonebook":

#### (a name)

Say a name in the phonebook to bring up a list of options for that phonebook entry. The system will say the name it interpreted based on the voice command provided. If the name is incorrect, say "Correction" to hear another name.

Once the correct phonebook entry is identified, say "Dial" to dial the number or "Send Text" to send a text message to that number. Say "Record Name" to record a name for the phonebook entry. Say "Delete Recording" to delete a recorded name for the phonebook entry.

#### List Names

Speak this command to have the system list the names in the phonebook one by one alphabetically. Say "Dial" to dial the number of the current name or "Send Text" to send a text message to that number. Say "Next Entry" or "Previous Entry" to move through the list alphabetically. Say "Record Name" to record a name for the current phonebook entry. Say "Delete Recording" to delete a recorded name for the current phonebook entry.

## Transfer Entry

This command can be used to transfer multiple contacts at a time. To enable manual contact transfer capability, set "Phonebook Download" to "Off" in the Setting menu. The ability to transfer contacts via the OPP Bluetooth profile depends on your mobile phone. For additional information, refer to your phone's Owner's Manual.

#### Delete Entry

Speak this command to delete an entry in the phonebook. Choose an entry to delete by speaking the desired name or say "List Names".

## "Recent Calls"

The following commands are available under "Recent Calls":

### Incoming Calls

Speak this command to list the last five incoming calls to the vehicle. If the call is from an entry in the phonebook, the name will be displayed. Otherwise, the phone number of the incoming call will be displayed.

Say "Dial" to call the number or "Send Text" to send a text message to that number. Say "Next Entry" or "Previous Entry" to move through the list of incoming calls.

#### Missed Calls

Speak this command to list the last five missed calls to the vehicle. If the call is from an entry in the phonebook, the name will be displayed. Otherwise, the phone number of the missed call will be displayed.

Say "Dial" to call the number or "Send Text"

Say "Dial" to call the number or "Send Text" to send a text message to that number. Say "Next Entry" or "Previous Entry" to move through the list of missed calls.

#### Outgoing Calls

Speak this command to list the last five outgoing calls from the vehicle. If the call was to an entry in the phonebook, the name will be displayed. Otherwise, the phone number of the outgoing call will be displayed.

Say "Dial" to call the number or "Send Text" to send a text message to that number. Say "Next Entry" or "Previous Entry" to move through the list of outgoing calls.

- Redial Speak this command to call the last number dialed.
- Call Back
   Speak this command to call the number of
   the last incoming call to the vehicle.

## "Messaging"

Speak this command to access text messaging functions. For additional information on these commands, refer to "Text messaging" in this section.

## "Show Applications"

Speak this command to display list of smartphone apps available.

#### NOTE:

Compatible smartphone and registration necessary to access applications. For additional information, refer to "Nissan-Connect<sup>SM</sup> with Mobile Apps" in this section.

## MAKING A CALL

To make a call from a phone connected to the vehicle's Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System:

#### NOTE:

Available commands different if system is in Manual Control mode. For additional information, refer to "Manual Control" in this section.

- 1. Press the 😢 🕻 button.
- The system will prompt you for a command. Say "Call".
- Select one of the available voice commands to continue:
- "(a name)" Speak the name of a phonebook entry to place a call to that entry. The system will respond with the name it interpreted from your command and will prompt you to confirm that the name is correct. Say "Yes" to initiate the call or "No" to hear another name from the phonebook.
- "List Names" Speak this command to have the system list the names in the phonebook one by one alphabetically. Say "Next Entry" or "Previous Entry" to move through the list alphabetically. Say "Select" once desired contact is heard and displayed on screen. Say "Dial" to dial the number of the current name or say "Record Name" to record a name for the current phonebook entry to be assigned.

- "Phone Number" Speak this command to place a call by inputting numbers. For 7- to 10-digit phone number, speak the numbers. Say "Correction" at any time in the process to correct a misspoken or misinterpreted number. For phone numbers with more diaits or special characters, say "Special Number", then speak the digits. Up to 24 digits can be entered. Available special characters are "start", "pound", "plus", and "pause". When finished, say "Dial" to initiate the call. Say "Correction" at any time in the process to correct a misspoken or misinterpreted number or character.
- "Redial" Speak this command to dial the number of the last outgoing call. The system will display "Re-dialing <name/number>". The name of the phonebook entry will be displayed if it available, otherwise the number being re-dialed will be displayed.
- "Call Back" Speak this command to dial the number of the last incoming call. The system will display "Calling back <name/number>". The name of the phonebook entry will be displayed if it available, otherwise the number being called back will be displayed.

#### RECEIVING A CALL

When a call is received by the phone connected to the vehicle's Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, the call information is displayed on either the vehicle information display or both the vehicle information display and he control panel display.

Press the value of button to accept the call. Press the button to reject the call.

## **DURING A CALL**

While a call is active, press the & button to access additional options. Speak one of the following commands:

- "(numbers)" Speak numbers and then say "Send" or say "Correction" to change the numbers entered.
- "Mute On" or "Mute Off" Speak the command to mute or unmute the system.
- "Transfer Call" Speak this command to transfer the call to the handset. To transfer the call back from the handset to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, press the vector and confirm when prompted.

If supported by the phone, the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System allows for call waiting functionality. If a call is received while another call is already active, a message will be displayed on the screen. Press the ve button to hold the active call and switch to the second call. Press the button to reject the second call.

While the second call is active, pressing the ve button will allow the same commands that are available during any call and additional commands:

- "Switch Call" Speak this command to hold the second call and switch back to the original call.
- "End Other Call" Speak this command to stay with the second call and end the original call.

Press the wall button to accept the call. Press the button to reject the call.

## ENDING A CALL

To end an active call, press the button.

#### TEXT MESSAGING

## **AWARNING**

- Laws in some jurisdictions may restrict the use of "Text-to-Speech." Check local regulations before using the feature.
- Laws in some jurisdictions may restrict the use of some of the applications and features, such as social networking and texting. Check local regulations for any requirements.
- Use the text messaging feature after stopping your vehicle in a safe location.
   If you have to use the feature while driving, exercise extreme caution at all times so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.
- If you are unable to devote full attention to vehicle operation while using the text messaging feature, pull off the road to a safe location and stop your vehicle.

#### NOTE:

This feature is automatically disabled if the connected device does not support the Message Access Profile (MAP). For additional information, refer to the phone's Owner's Manual for details and instructions.

#### NOTE:

## Some features may or may not be supported depending on connected device.

The system allows for the sending and receiving of text messages through the vehicle interface.

### Sending a text message:

- 1. Press the 🗞 🕻 button.
- 2. Say "Messaging".
- 3. Say "Send Text".
- 4. The system will provide a list of available commands in order to determine the recipient of the text message. Choose from the following:
  - (A name)
  - Number
  - Incoming Calls
  - Outgoing Calls
  - Missed Calls

If "Incoming Calls", "Outgoing Calls", or "Missed Calls" is selected, the following additional commands will be displayed:

- Send Text
- Next Entry

#### Previous Entry

For additional information, refer to "Voice commands" in this section.

- 5. Once a recipient is chosen, the system prompts for which message to send. Five predefined messages and three custom messages are available. To choose one of the predefined messages, speak one of the following:
  - "Driving, can't text"
  - "Call me"
  - "On my way"
  - "Running late"
  - "Okay"

To send one of the custom messages, say "Custom Message". If more than one custom message is stored, the system will prompt for the number of the desired custom message. For additional information, refer to "Bluetooth® settings" in this section.

## Reading a received text message:

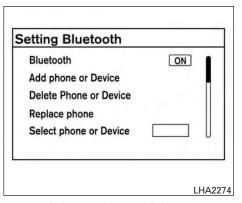
- 1. Press the we button.
- 2. Say "Messaging".
- 3. Say "Read Text".

The text message, sender and delivery time are shown on the screen. Use the tuning switch on the steering wheel to scroll through all text messages if more than one are available. Press the button to exit the text message screen. Press the button to access the following options for replying to the text message:

- Call Back
   Speak this command to call the sender of the text message using the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
- Send Text Speak this command to send a text message response to the sender of the text message.
- Read Text Speak this command to read the text message again.
- Previous Text Speak this command to move to the previous text message (if available).
- Next Text Speak this command to move to the next text message (if available).

#### NOTE:

Text messages are only displayed if the vehicle speed is less than 5 mph (8 km/h).



#### BLUETOOTH® SETTINGS

To access and adjust the settings for the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System:

- 1. Press the SETTING button.
- Use the TUNE/SCROLL knob to select "Bluetooth" and then press the ENTER button:
- Bluetooth
   Select "On" or "Off" to turn the vehicle's
   Bluetooth® system on or off.
- Add Phone or Device
   For additional information, refer to "Connecting procedure" in this section.

- Delete Phone or Device
   Select to delete a phone from the displayed
   list. The system will ask to confirm before
   deleting the phone.
- Replace Phone
   Select to replace a phone from the displayed
   list. When a selection is made, the system
   will ask to confirm before proceeding. The
   recorded phonebook for the phone being
   deleted will be saved as long as the new
   phone's phonebook is the same as the old
   phone's phonebook.
- Select Phone or Device Select to connect to a previously connected phone from the displayed list.
- Show Incoming Calls
  Select "Driver Only" to have incoming call information displayed only in the vehicle information display. Select "Both" to have incoming call information displayed in both the vehicle information display and the center display screen.
- Phonebook Download
   Select to turn on or off the automatic download of a connected phone's phonebook.
- Text Message Select to turn on or off the vehicle's text messaging feature.

#### New Text Sound

Select to adjust the volume of the sound that plays when a new text is received by a phone connected to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System. The setting all the way to the left indicates that the new text sound will be muted.

## Show Incoming Text

Select "Driver Only" to have incoming text messages displayed only in the vehicle information display. Select "Both" to have incoming text messages displayed in both the vehicle information display and the center display screen. Select "None" to have no display of incoming text messages.

#### Edit Custom Messages

Select to set a custom message that will be available with the standard options when sending a text message. To set a custom message, send a text message to your own phone number while the phone is connected to the system. Three custom messages can be set. Custom messages can only be set while the vehicle is stationary.

## Auto Reply

Select to turn on or off the Auto Reply function. When enabled, the vehicle will automatically send a predefined text message to the sender when a text message is received while driving.

## Auto Reply Message

Select to choose the message that is sent when the Auto Reply function is enabled. Choose from "I'm Driving" or one of the three custom messages stored in the system.

 Vehicle Signature On/Off Select to choose whether or not the vehicle signature is added to outgoing text messages from the vehicle. This message cannot be changed or customized.

#### MANUAL CONTROL

While using the Voice Recognition system, it is possible to select menu options by using the steering wheel controls instead of speaking voice commands. The manual control mode does not allow dialing a phone number by digits. The user may select an entry from the Phonebook or Recent Calls lists. To re-activate Voice Recognition, exit the manual control mode by pressing and holding the PHONE/END ( ) button. At that time, pressing the PHONE/SEND ( button will start the Hands Free Phone System.

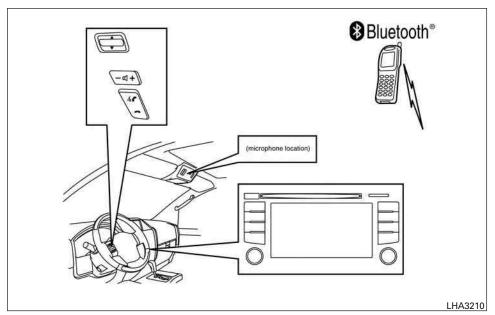
## BLUETOOTH® HANDS-FREE PHONE SYSTEM WITH NAVIGATION SYSTEM (if so equipped)

#### **WARNING**

- Use a phone after stopping your vehicle in a safe location. If you have to use a phone while driving, exercise extreme caution at all times so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.
- If you are unable to devote full attention to vehicle operation while talking on the phone, pull off the road to a safe location and stop your vehicle.

## **CAUTION**

To avoid discharging the vehicle battery, use a phone after starting the engine.



Your NISSAN is equipped with the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System. If you have a compatible Bluetooth® enabled cellular phone, you can set up the wireless connection between your cellular phone and the in-vehicle phone module. With Bluetooth® wireless technology, you can

make or receive a hands-free telephone call with your cellular phone in the vehicle.

Once your cellular phone is connected to the in-vehicle phone module, no other phone connecting procedure is required. Your phone is automatically connected with the in-vehicle phone module when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position with the connected cellular phone turned on and carried in the vehicle.

You can register up to five different Bluetooth® cellular phones to the in-vehicle phone module. However, you can talk on only one cellular phone at a time.

NISSAN Voice Recognition system supports the phone commands, so dialing a phone number using your voice is possible. For additional information, refer to "NISSAN Voice Recognition System" in this section.

Before using the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, refer to the following notes.

- · Set up the wireless connection between a cellular phone and the in-vehicle phone module before using the hands-free phone system.
- Some Bluetooth® enabled cellular phones may not be recognized by the in-vehicle module. phone Please visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth www.nissan.ca/bluetooth for a recommended phone list and connecting.

- You will not be able to use a hands-free phone under the following conditions:
  - Your vehicle is outside of the cellular service area.
  - Your vehicle is in an area where it is difficult to receive cellular signal; such as in a tunnel, in an underground parking garage, near a tall building or in a mountainous area.
  - Your cellular phone is locked to prevent it from being dialed.
- When the radio wave condition is not ideal or ambient sound is too loud, it may be difficult to hear the other person's voice during a call.
- Immediately after the ignition switch is placed in the ON position, it may be impossible to receive a call for a short period of time.
- Do not place the cellular phone in an area surrounded by metal or far away from the in-vehicle phone module to prevent tone quality degradation and wireless connection disruption.

- While a cellular phone is connected through the Bluetooth® wireless connection, the battery power of the cellular phone may discharge quicker than usual. The Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System cannot charge cellular phones.
- For additional information, refer to "Toubleshooting guide" in this section if the hand hands-free phone system seems to be malfunctioning. You can also visit www.nissanusa.com/bluetooth www.nissan.ca/bluetooth for troubleshooting help.
- Some cellular phones or other devices may cause interference or a buzzing noise to come from the audio system speakers. Storing the device in a different location may reduce or eliminate the noise.
- Refer to the cellular phone owner's manual regarding the telephone charges, cellular phone antenna and body, etc.
- The signal strength display on the monitor will not coincide with the signal strength display of some cellular phones.

#### REGULATORY INFORMATION

## FCC Regulatory information

- CAUTION: To maintain compliance with FCC's RF exposure guidelines, use only the supplied antenna. Unauthorized antenna. modification, or attachments could damage the transmitter and may violate FCC regulations.
- Operation is subject to the following two conditions:
- 1. This device may not cause interference and
- 2. this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

## IC Regulatory information

- Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.
- This Class B digital apparatus meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference-Causing Equipment Regulations.

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#### **VOICE COMMANDS**

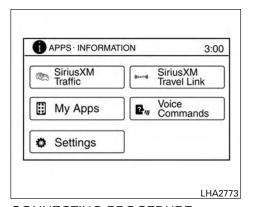
You can use voice commands to operate various Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System features using the NISSAN Voice Recognition system. For additional information, refer to "NISSAN Voice Recognition System" in this section.

## Voice Prompt Interrupt

While using the voice recognition system, the system voice can be interrupted to allow the user to speak commands. While the system is speaking, press the ver button on the steering wheel. The system voice will stop and a tone will be heard. After the tone, speak desired command (displayed on the touch-screen).

## One Shot Call

To use the system faster, you may speak the second level commands with the main menu command on the main menu. For example, press button and after the tone say, "Call Redial".



## CONNECTING PROCEDURE

#### NOTE:

The connecting procedure must be performed when the vehicle is stationary. If the vehicle starts moving during the procedure, the procedure will be cancelled.

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button on the control panel.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "Phone & Bluetooth" key.
- 4. Touch the "Connect New Device" key.

5. Initiate the connecting process from the handset. The system will display the message: "Is PIN XXXXXX displayed on your Bluetooth device?". If the PIN is displayed on your Bluetooth® device, select "Yes" to complete the pairing process.

For additional information, refer to the Bluetooth® device's Owner's Manual.

#### VEHICLE PHONEBOOK

To access the vehicle phonebook:

- 1. Press the button on the control panel.
- 2. Touch the "Phonebook" key.
- 3. Choose the desired entry from the displayed list.
- 4. The number of the entry will be displayed on the screen. Touch the number to initiate dialina.

#### NOTE:

To scroll quickly through the list, touch the "A-Z" key in the upper right corner of the screen. Turn the TUNE/SCROLL knob to choose a letter or number and then press ENTER. The list will move to the first entry that begins with that number or letter.

#### MAKING A CALL

To make a call, follow the procedure below:

- Press the button on the control panel. The "Phone" screen will appear on the display.
- Select one of the following options to make a call:
- "Phonebook": Select the name from an entry stored in the vehicle phonebook.
- "Call Lists": Select the name from the incoming, outgoing or missed.
- "Redial": Dial the last outgoing call from the vehicle.
- "Input the phone number manually using a keypad displayed on the screen. For additional information on how to use the touch-screen, refer to "How to use the touch-screen" in this section.

#### RECEIVING A CALL

When a call is placed to the connected phone, the display will change to phone mode.

To accept the incoming call, either:

• Press the value button on the steering wheel, or

• Touch the green phone icon on the screen.

To reject the incoming call, either:

- Press the button on the steering wheel, or
- Touch the red phone icon on the screen.

#### DURING A CALL

While a call is active, the following options are available on the screen:

- "Handset"
   Select this option to switch control of the
   phone call over to the handset.
- "Mute Mic."
   Select this option to mute the microphone.
   Select again to unmute the microphone.
- Red phone ( ) icon
   Select to end the phone call.

#### **ENDING A CALL**

To end a phone call, select the red phone ( ) icon on the screen or press the button on the steering wheel.

#### **TEXT MESSAGING**

## **AWARNING**

- Laws in some jurisdictions may restrict the use of "Text-to-Speech." Check local regulations before using the feature.
- Laws in some jurisdictions may restrict the use of some of the applications and features, such as social networking and texting. Check local regulations for any requirements.
- Use the text messaging feature after stopping your vehicle in a safe location.
   If you have to use the feature while driving, exercise extreme caution at all times so full attention may be given to vehicle operation.
- If you are unable to devote full attention to vehicle operation while using the text messaging feature, pull off the road to a safe location and stop your vehicle.

#### NOTE:

Some features may or may not be supported depending on connected device.

The system allows for the sending and receiving of text messages through the vehicle interface.

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#### Sending a text message:

- 1. Press the value button on the steering wheel.
- 2. Say "Phone" after the tone.
- 3. Say "Send Text" after the tone.
- 4. The system will provide a list of available commands in order to determine the recipient of the text message. Choose from the following:
  - To (a name)
  - Enter Number
  - Missed Calls
  - Incoming Calls
  - Outgoing Calls

For additional information about these options, refer to "Voice commands" in this section.

- 5. Once a recipient is chosen, the system prompts for which message to send. Nine predefined messages and three custom messages are available. To choose one of the predefined messages, speak one of the following after the tone:
  - "Driving, can't text"

- "Call me"
- "On my way"
- "Running late"
- "Okay"
- "Yes"
- "No"
- "Where are you?"
- "When?"

To send one of the custom messages, say "Custom Messages". If more than one custom message is stored, the system will prompt for the number of the desired custom message. For additional information on setting and managing custom text messages, refer to "Bluetooth® settings" in this section.

#### Reading a received text message:

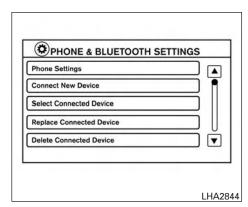
- 1. Press the vec button on the steering wheel.
- 2. Say "Phone" after the tone.
- 3. Say "Read Text" after the tone.

The text message, sender and delivery time are shown on the screen. Use the tuning switch to scroll through all text messages if more than one are available. Press the — button to exit the text message screen. Press the vice button to access the following options for replying to the text message:

- Call Back Speak this command to call the sender of the text message using the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
- Send Text Speak this command to send a text message response to the sender of the text message.
- Read Text Speak this command to read the text message again.
- Previous Text Speak this command to move to the previous text message (if available).
- Next Text Speak this command to move to the next text message (if available).

#### NOTE:

Text messages are only displayed if the vehicle speed is less than 5 mph (8 km/h).



## **BLUETOOTH® SETTINGS**

To access the phone settings:

- 1. Press the [APPS·ii ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "Phone & Bluetooth" key.

Menu Item	Result
Phone Settings	For additional information, refer to "Phone settings" in this section.
Connect New Device	Touch to connect a new Bluetooth® device to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
Select Connected Device	Touch to choose a Bluetooth® device from a list of those devices connected to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
Replace Connected Device	Touch to replace a Bluetooth® device from a list of those devices connected to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
Delete Connected Device	Touch to delete a Bluetooth® device from a list of those devices connected to the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System.
Bluetooth	Touch to toggle Bluetooth® on and off.

#### PHONE SETTINGS

To access the phone settings:

- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Settings" key.
- 3. Touch the "Phone & Bluetooth" key.
- 4. Touch the "Phone Settings" key and adjust the following settings as desired:
- Sort Phonebook By: Touch "First Name" or "Last Name" to choose how phonebook entries are alphabetically displayed on the screen.
- Use Phonebook From: Touch "Handset" to use the phone's phonebook. Select "SIM" to use the phonebook on the SIM card. Touch "Both" to use both sources.
- Download Phonebook Now: Touch to download the phonebook to the vehicle from the chosen source.
- Record Name for Phonebook Entry: Touch to record a name for a phonebook entry for use with the NISSAN Voice Recognition System.

Phone Notifications for:

Touch "Driver" to have phone notifications shown in the vehicle information display. Touch "Both" to have phone notifications shown in both the vehicle information display and the center display screen.

- Text Messaging: Touch to toggle the text message functionality on or off.
  - Show Incoming Text for: Touch "Driver" to have incoming text notifications shown in the vehicle information display. Touch "Both" to have text notifications shown in both the vehicle information display and the center display screen. Touch "Off" to turn off all text notifications.
- Auto Reply: Touch to toggle the auto reply functionality on or off.
- Auto Reply Message: Touch to indicate preferred message to be sent when "Auto Reply" function is activated.
- Use Vehicle's Signature: Touch to toggle on or off the addition of the vehicle signature to outgoing messages.

 Custom Text Messages: Touch this option to select a custom message to edit. There are 4 customer message slots available.

## NISSAN VOICE RECOGNITION **SYSTEM** (if so equipped)

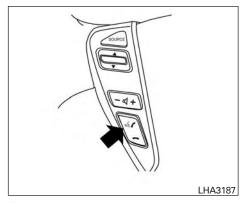
The NISSAN Voice Recognition system allows hands-free operation of the systems equipped on this vehicle, such as the phone and navigation systems.

To operate NISSAN Voice Recognition, press the we button located on the steering wheel. When prompted, speak the command for the system you wish to activate. The command given is picked up by the microphone and performed when it is properly recognized. NISSAN Voice Recognition will provide a voice response and a message in the center display to inform you of the command results.

## **USING THE SYSTEM**

## Initialization

When the ignition switch is in the ON position, NISSAN Voice Recognition is initialized, which takes a few seconds. When completed, the system is ready to accept voice commands. If the we button is pressed before the initialization completes, the system will announce: "Voice Recognition System not ready. Please wait."



## Giving voice commands

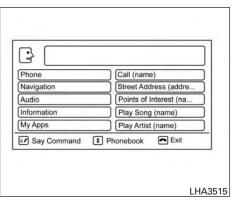
- 1. Press the war button.
- 2. The system announces: "Please say a category like phone or a command like points of interest followed by a brand name". A list of available commands is then spoken by the system.
- 3. After the tone sounds and the face icon on the display changes, speak a command. Available commands are discussed in this section.
- 4. Voice and display feedback are provided when the command is accepted.

- If the command is not recognized, the system announces: "Command not recognized". Repeat the command in a clear voice.
- If you want to cancel the command or go back to the previous menu of commands, press the button. The system will announce: "Cancelling voice recognition" or "Go back" depending on the current menu level.
- Press the BACK button on the control panel to move back through the menus displayed on the screen.
- If you want to adjust the volume of the voice feedback, use the volume control switches on the steering wheel or the volume knob on the control panel.
- The voice command screen can also be accessed using the control panel display:
- 1. Press the [APPS: ] button.
- 2. Touch the "Voice Commands" key.

## Operating tips

To get the best performance out of NISSAN Voice Recognition, observe the following:

- Keep the interior of the vehicle as quiet as possible. Close the windows to eliminate the surrounding noises (traffic noises, vibration sounds, etc.), which may prevent the system from recognizing the voice commands correctly.
- Wait until a tone sounds before speaking a command. Otherwise, the command will not be received properly.
- Start speaking a command within 3.5 seconds after the tone sounds.
- Speak in a natural voice without pausing between words.



## SYSTEM FEATURES

NISSAN Voice Recognition can activate the following systems:

- Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System
- Navigation
- Audio
- Information
- My Apps

For additional information on the navigation system, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual.

## How to say numbers

NISSAN Voice Recognition requires a certain way to speak numbers in voice commands. Refer to the following examples.

General rule: Either "zero" or "oh" can be used for "0".

#### Phone numbers

Speak phone numbers according to the following example. For 1-800-662-6200, say dial number and then speak the phone number in any of the following formats:

- "one eight oh oh six six two six two oh oh"
- "one eight hundred six six two six two oh oh"
- "one eight zero zero six six two six two oh oh"

For the best voice recognition phone dialing results, say phone numbers as single digits. Also, full numbers can only be spoken for "800". For example, you cannot say 555-6000 as "five five five six thousand".

## BLUETOOTH® HANDS-FREE PHONE SYSTEM VOICE COMMANDS

To access the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System voice commands:

- 1. Press the 🗞 🕻 button.
- Say "Call" and then a name in the vehicle phonebook to call that entry. Otherwise, say "Phone" to access various phone commands.

If the Bluetooth® has been set to "Off", the system announces: "Bluetooth® is off. Would you like to turn Bluetooth® on?"

If no phone is connected to the system and the vehicle is stationary, the system announces: "There is no phone connected. Would you like to connect a phone now?" Say "Yes" to connect a phone. All further Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System voice commands are only available if a phone is connected.

If a phone is connected and Bluetooth® is set to "On", the following voice commands are available:

Call (a name)

Speak the name of the contact in which you are trying to call. System will confirm correct contact. Say "Dial" to initiate dialing.

#### Dial Number

Allows for up to 24 digits to be dialed. After the number is entered, say "Dial" to initiate dialing. Say "Correction" to correct the number entered. Say "Go Back" to return to the main menu.

#### List Phonebook

Starting with the first alphabetical entry in the vehicle phonebook, the system prompts for an additional command. Say "Dial" to call the number of the phonebook entry. Say "Send Text" to send a text message to the number of the phonebook entry. Say "Next Entry" to skip to the next alphabetical entry in the vehicle phonebook, where the same options will then be available.

#### Recent Calls

The system prompts for an additional command. Say "Missed Calls", "Incoming Calls" or "Outgoing Calls" to display a list of such calls on the screen.

Speak the number of the entry displayed on the screen to dial that number or say "Next Page" to view entries on the next page (if available).

#### Redial

Redials the last called number.

#### Read Text

Reads an incoming text message. For additional information about text messaging with the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, refer to "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with Navigation System" in this section.

#### Send Text

Sends a text message. For additional information about text messaging with the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, refer to "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with Navigation System" in this section.

#### Select Phone

The system replies "Please use manual controls to continue". Use manual controls to change the active phone from among the listed phones connected to the vehicle.

For additional information about the Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System, refer to "Bluetooth® Hands-Free Phone System with Navigation System" in this section.

## 4-100 Monitor, climate, audio, phone and voice recognition systems

## NAVIGATION SYSTEM VOICE **COMMANDS**

The following voice commands are available for the Navigation System:

- Street Address (address)
- Points of Interest (name)
- POI by Category
- Home
- Address Book
- Previous Destinations
- Enter Address in Steps
- Cancel Route

For additional information about these commands, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual.

## AUDIO SYSTEM VOICE **COMMANDS**

To access the audio system voice commands:

- Press the button.
- 2. Say "Audio"
- 3. Speak a command from the following available commands:

Play (AM, FM, etc.)

Allows user to select radio band

Tune AM (number)

Allows user to tune directly to a desired AM frequency

Tune FM (number)

Allows user to tune directly to a desired FM frequency

SXM channel (number)

Allows user to tune directly to a desired SXM station (if so equipped)

CD Track (number)

Allows user to select track to be played

Play Song (name)

Allows user to select song name to be played

Play Artist (name)

Allows user to select artist to be played

Play Album (name)

Allows user to select album name to be played

For additional information about the audio system, refer to "Audio system" in this section.

#### INFORMATION VOICE COMMANDS

The following voice commands are available for the information functions of the Navigation System:

- Traffic
- Fuel Prices
- Stocks
- Movie Listings
- Current Weather
- Weather Map
- 5 day Forecast
- 6 hour Forecast

For additional information about these commands, refer to the separate Navigation System Owner's Manual.

#### MY APPS VOICE COMMANDS

Many Apps can be accessed using this voice command. For additional information, refer to "NissanConnect<sup>SM</sup> with Mobile Apps" in this section.

#### HELP VOICE COMMANDS

The following voice commands can be spoken to have the system provide instructions and tips for using the NISSAN Voice Recognition system.

- List Commands
- What Can I Say?
- General Help
- Quit
- Exit

#### TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

The system should respond correctly to all voice commands without difficulty. If problems are encountered, follow the solutions given in this guide for the appropriate error. Where the solutions are listed by number, try each solution in turn, starting with number one, until the problem is resolved.

Symptom/error message	Solution
The system responds "Command Not	1. Ensure that the command format is valid. Use the "List Commands" or "What Can I Say?" command under the "Help" menu.
Recognized" or the system fails to rec-	2. Speak clearly without pausing between words and at a level appropriate to the ambient noise level.
ognize the command correctly.	3. Ensure that the ambient noise level is not excessive (for example, with the windows open or the defroster on).
	NOTE:
	If it is too noisy to use the phone, it is likely that voice commands will not be recognized.
	4. If optional words of the command have been omitted, then the command should be tried with these in place.

# **MEMO**

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# PRECAUTIONS WHEN STARTING AND DRIVING

## **AWARNING**

- Do not leave children or adults who would normally require the assistance of others alone in your vehicle. Pets should also not be left alone. They could accidentally injure themselves or others through inadvertent operation of the vehicle. Also, on hot, sunny days, temperatures in a closed vehicle could quickly become high enough to cause severe or possibly fatal injuries to people or animals.
- Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. Do not place cargo higher than the seatbacks. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.

EXHAUST GAS (carbon monoxide)

## **AWARNING**

 Do not breathe exhaust gases; they contain colorless and odorless carbon monoxide. Carbon monoxide is dangerous. It can cause unconsciousness or death.

- If you suspect that exhaust fumes are entering the vehicle, drive with all windows fully open, and have the vehicle inspected immediately.
- Do not run the engine in closed spaces such as a garage.
- Do not park the vehicle with the engine running for any extended length of time.
- Keep the rear vent windows, liftgates, doors and trunk lids (if so equipped) closed while driving, otherwise exhaust gases could be drawn into the passenger compartment. If you must drive with one of these open, follow these precautions:
  - 1. Open all the windows.
  - 2. Set the air recirculation button to off and the fan control dial to high to circulate the air.
- If electrical wiring or other cable connections must pass to a trailer through the seal on the liftgate or the body, follow the manufacturer's recommendation to prevent carbon monoxide entry into the vehicle.

- The exhaust system and body should be inspected by a qualified mechanic whenever:
  - a. The vehicle is raised for service.
  - You suspect that exhaust fumes are entering into the passenger compartment.
  - c. You notice a change in the sound of the exhaust system.
  - d. You have had an accident involving damage to the exhaust system, underbody, or rear of the vehicle.

## THREE-WAY CATALYST

The three-way catalyst is an emission control device installed in the exhaust system. Exhaust gases in the three-way catalyst are burned at high temperatures to help reduce pollutants.

## **AWARNING**

 The exhaust gas and the exhaust system are very hot. Keep people, animals or flammable materials away from the exhaust system components. Do not stop or park the vehicle over flammable materials such as dry grass. waste paper or rags. They may ignite and cause a fire.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not use leaded gasoline. Deposits from leaded gasoline will seriously reduce the three-way catalyst's ability to help reduce exhaust pollutants.
- Keep your engine tuned up. Malfunctions in the ignition, fuel injection, or electrical systems can cause overrich fuel flow into the three-way catalyst, causing it to overheat. Do not keep driving if the engine misfires, or if noticeable loss of performance or other unoperating conditions usual are detected. Have the vehicle inspected promptly by a NISSAN dealer.
- Avoid driving with an extremely low fuel level. Running out of fuel could cause the engine to misfire, damaging the three-way catalyst.
- Do not race the engine while warming it up.
- Do not push or tow your vehicle to start the engine.

# TIRE PRESSURE MONITORING SYSTEM (TPMS)

Each tire, including the spare (if provided), should be checked monthly when cold and inflated to the inflation pressure recommended by the vehicle manufacturer on the vehicle placard or tire inflation pressure label. (If your vehicle has tires of a different size than the size indicated on the vehicle placard or tire inflation pressure label. you should determine the proper tire inflation pressure for those tires.)

As an added safety feature, your vehicle has been equipped with a Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) that illuminates a low tire pressure telltale when one or more of your tires is significantly under-inflated. Accordingly, when the low tire pressure telltale illuminates, you should stop and check all four tires as soon as possible, and inflate them to the proper pressure. Driving on a significantly under-inflated tire causes the tire to overheat and can lead to tire failure. Underinflation also reduces fuel efficiency and tire tread life, and may affect the vehicle's handling and stopping ability.

Please note that the TPMS is not a substitute for proper tire maintenance, and it is the driver's responsibility to maintain correct tire pressure, even if under-inflation has not reached the level to trigger illumination of the TPMS low tire pressure telltale.

Your vehicle has also been equipped with a TPMS malfunction indicator to indicate when the system is not operating properly. The TPMS malfunction indicator is combined with the low tire pressure telltale. When the system detects a malfunction, the telltale will flash for approximately one minute and then remain continuously illuminated. This sequence will continue upon subsequent vehicle start-ups as long as the malfunction exists. When the malfunction indicator is illuminated, the system may not be able to detect or signal low tire pressure as intended. TPMS malfunctions may occur for a variety of reasons, including the installation of replacement or alternate tires or wheels on the vehicle that prevent the TPMS from functioning properly. Always check the TPMS malfunction telltale after replacing one or more tires or wheels on your vehicle to ensure that the replacement or alternate tires and wheels allow the TPMS to continue to function properly.

#### Additional information:

 The TPMS does not monitor the tire pressure of the spare tire.

- The TPMS will activate only when the vehicle is driven at speeds above 16 MPH (25 km/h). Also, this system may not detect a sudden drop in tire pressure (for example a flat tire while driving).
- The low tire pressure warning light does not automatically turn off when the tire pressure is adjusted. After your tires are inflated to the recommended pressure, the vehicle must be driven at speeds above 16 MPH (25 km/h) to activate the TPMS and turn off the low tire pressure warning light. Use a tire pressure gauge to check the tire pressure.
- The CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning appears in the vehicle information display when
  the low tire pressure warning light is illuminated and low tire pressure is detected. The
  CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning turns off
  when the low tire pressure warning light
  turns off.
- The CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning does not appear if the low tire pressure warning light illuminates to indicate a TPMS malfunction.

- Tire pressure rises and falls depending on the heat caused by the vehicle's operation and the outside temperature. Low outside temperature can lower the temperature of the air inside the tire which can cause a lower tire inflation pressure. This may cause the low tire pressure warning light to illuminate. If the warning light illuminates, check the tire pressure for all four tires.
- You can also check the pressure of all tires (except the spare tire) on the display screen. The order of the tire pressure figures displayed on the screen does not correspond with the actual order of the tire position. For additional information, refer to "Tire pressure" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section.
- The Tire and Loading Information label (also referred to as the vehicle placard or tire inflation pressure label) is located in the driver's door opening.

For additional information, refer to "Low tire pressure warning light" in the "Instruments and controls" section, "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "In case of emergency" section.

## **AWARNING**

- Radio waves could adversely affect electric medical equipment. Those who use a pacemaker should contact the electric medical equipment manufacturer for the possible influences before use.
- If the low tire pressure warning light illuminates while driving, avoid sudden steering maneuvers or abrupt braking. reduce vehicle speed, pull off the road to a safe location and stop the vehicle as soon as possible. Driving with underinflated tires may permanently damage the tires and increase the likelihood of tire failure. Serious vehicle damage could occur and may lead to an accident and could result in serious personal iniury. Check the tire pressure for all four tires. Adjust the tire pressure to the recommended COLD tire pressure shown on the Tire and Loading Information label to turn the low tire pressure warning light OFF. If you have a flat tire, replace it with a spare tire as soon as possible. (For additional information. refer to "Flat tire" in the "In case of emergency" section for changing a flat tire.)

- When a spare tire is mounted or a wheel is replaced, tire pressure will not be indicated, the TPMS will not function and the low tire pressure warning light will flash for approximately 1 minute. The light will remain on after 1 minute. Contact your NISSAN dealer as soon as possible for tire replacement and/or system resetting.
- Replacing tires with those not originally specified by NISSAN could affect the proper operation of the TPMS.
- Do not inject any tire liquid or aerosol tire sealant into the tires, as this may cause a malfunction of the tire pressure sensors.

## **A** CAUTION

Do not place metalized film or any metal parts (antenna, etc.) on the windows. This may cause poor reception of the signals from the tire pressure sensors, and the TPMS will not function properly.

Some devices and transmitters may temporarily interfere with the operation of the TPMS and cause the low tire pressure warning light to illuminate.

Some examples are:

- Facilities or electric devices using similar radio frequencies are near the vehicle.
- If a transmitter set to similar frequencies is being used in or near the vehicle.
- If a computer (or similar equipment) or a DC/AC converter is being used in or near the vehicle.

#### **FCC Notice:**

#### For USA:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### NOTE:

Changes or modification not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### For Canada:

This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

## ON-PAVEMENT AND OFF-ROAD DRIVING PRECAUTIONS

## Utility vehicles have a significantly higher rollover rate than other types of vehicles.

They have higher ground clearance than passenger cars to make them capable of performing in a variety of on-pavement and off-road applications. This gives them a higher center of gravity than ordinary vehicles. An advantage of higher ground clearance is a better view of the road, allowing you to anticipate problems. However, they are not designed for cornering at the same speeds as conventional 2-wheel drive vehicles any more than low-slung sports cars are designed to perform satisfactorily under off-road conditions. If at all possible, avoid sharp turns at high speeds. As with other vehicles of this type, failure to operate this vehicle correctly may result in loss of control or vehicle rollover. In a rollover crash, an unbelted person is significantly more likely to die than a person wearing a seat belt.

For additional information, refer to "Driving safety precautions" in this section.

# AVOIDING COLLISION AND ROLLOVER

# **AWARNING**

Failure to operate this vehicle in a safe and prudent manner may result in loss of control or an accident.

Be alert and drive defensively at all times. Obey all traffic regulations. Avoid excessive speed, high speed cornering, or sudden steering maneuvers, because these driving practices could cause you to lose control of your vehicle. As with any vehicle, loss of control could result in a collision with other vehicles or objects or cause the vehicle to roll over, particularly if the loss of control causes the vehicle to slide sideways. Be attentive at all times, and avoid driving when tired. Never drive when under the influence of alcohol or drugs (including prescription or overthe-counter drugs which may cause drowsiness). Always wear your seat belt as outlined in the "Safety - Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual, and also instruct your passengers to do so.

Seat belts help reduce the risk of injury in collisions and rollovers. In a rollover crash, an unbelted

or improperly belted person is significantly more likely to be injured or killed than a person properly wearing a seat belt.

#### OFF-ROAD RECOVERY

While driving, the right side or left side wheels may unintentionally leave the road surface. If this occurs, maintain control of the vehicle by following the procedure below. Please note that this procedure is only a general guide. The vehicle must be driven as appropriate based on the conditions of the vehicle, road and traffic.

- 1. Remain calm and do not overreact.
- 2. Do not apply the brakes.
- Maintain a firm grip on the steering wheel with both hands and try to hold a straight course.
- 4. When appropriate, slowly release the accelerator pedal to gradually slow the vehicle.
- If there is nothing in the way, steer the vehicle to follow the road while vehicle speed is reduced. Do not attempt to drive the vehicle back onto the road surface until vehicle speed is reduced.
- 6. When it is safe to do so, gradually turn the steering wheel until both tires return to the

- road surface. When all tires are on the road surface, steer the vehicle to stay in the appropriate driving lane.
- If you decide that it is not safe to return the vehicle to the road surface based on vehicle, road or traffic conditions, gradually slow the vehicle to a stop in a safe place off the road.

#### RAPID AIR PRESSURE LOSS

Rapid air pressure loss or a "blow-out" can occur if the tire is punctured or is damaged due to hitting a curb or pothole. Rapid air pressure loss can also be caused by driving on under-inflated tires.

Rapid air pressure loss can affect the handling and stability of the vehicle, especially at highway speeds.

Help prevent rapid air pressure loss by maintaining the correct air pressure and visually inspect the tires for wear and damage. For additional information, refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual. If a tire rapidly loses air pressure or "blows-out" while driving, maintain control of the vehicle by following the procedure below. Please note that this procedure is only a general guide. The vehicle must be driven as appropriate based on the conditions of the vehicle, road and traffic.

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# **AWARNING**

The following actions can increase the chance of losing control of the vehicle if there is a sudden loss of tire air pressure. Losing control of the vehicle may cause a collision and result in personal injury.

- The vehicle generally moves or pulls in the direction of the flat tire.
- Do not rapidly apply the brakes.
- Do not rapidly release the accelerator pedal.
- Do not rapidly turn the steering wheel.
- Remain calm and do not overreact.
- 2. Maintain a firm grip on the steering wheel with both hands and try to hold a straight course.
- 3. When appropriate, slowly release the accelerator pedal to gradually slow the vehicle.
- 4. Gradually steer the vehicle to a safe location off the road and away from traffic if possible.
- 5. Lightly apply the brake pedal to gradually stop the vehicle.
- 6. Turn on the hazard warning flashers and contact a roadside emergency service to change the tire. For additional information,

refer to "Changing a flat tire" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

# DRINKING ALCOHOL/DRUGS AND DRIVING

## **AWARNING**

Never drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs. Alcohol in the bloodstream reduces coordination, delays reaction time and impairs judgement. Driving after drinking alcohol increases the likelihood of being involved in an accident injuring yourself and others. Additionally, if you are injured in an accident, alcohol can increase the severity of the injury.

NISSAN is committed to safe driving. However, you must choose not to drive under the influence of alcohol. Every year thousands of people are injured or killed in alcohol-related collisions. Although the local laws vary on what is considered to be legally intoxicated, the fact is that alcohol affects all people differently and most people underestimate the effects of alcohol.

Remember, drinking and driving don't mix! That is true for drugs (over-the-counter, prescription) and illegal drugs too. Don't drive if your ability to operate your vehicle is impaired by alcohol, drugs, or some other physical condition.

## DRIVING SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Your NISSAN is designed for both normal and off-road use. However, avoid driving in deep water or mud as your NISSAN is mainly designed for leisure use, unlike a conventional off-road vehicle.

Remember that 2-wheel drive models are less capable than 4-wheel drive models for rough road driving and extrication when stuck in deep snow or mud, or the like.

Please observe the following precautions:

### **WARNING**

- Drive carefully when off the road and avoid dangerous areas. Every person who drives or rides in this vehicle should be seated with their seat belt fastened. This will keep you and your passengers in position when driving over rough terrain.
- Do not drive across steep slopes. Instead drive either straight up or straight down the slopes. Off-road vehicles can tip over sideways much more easily than they can forward or backward.

- Many hills are too steep for any vehicle.
   If you drive up them, you may stall. If you drive down them, you may not be able to control your speed. If you drive across them, you may roll over.
- Do not shift gears while driving on downhill grades as this could cause loss of control of the vehicle.
- Stay alert when driving to the top of a hill. At the top there could be a drop-off or other hazard that could cause an accident.
- If your engine stalls or you cannot make it to the top of a steep hill, never attempt to turn around. Your vehicle could tip or roll over. Always back straight down in R (Reverse) gear and apply brakes to control your speed.
- Heavy braking going down a hill could cause your brakes to overheat and fade, resulting in loss of control and an accident. Apply brakes lightly and use a low gear to control your speed.
- Unsecured cargo can be thrown around when driving over rough terrain. Properly secure all cargo so it will not be thrown forward and cause injury to you or your passengers.

- Secure heavy loads in the cargo area as far forward and as low as possible. Do not equip the vehicle with tires larger than specified in this manual. This could cause your vehicle to roll over
- Do not grip the inside or spokes of the steering wheel when driving off-road.
   The steering wheel could move suddenly and injure your hands. Instead drive with your fingers and thumbs on the outside of the rim.
- Before operating the vehicle, ensure that the driver and all passengers have their seat belts fastened.
- Lower your speed when encountering strong crosswinds. With a higher center of gravity, your NISSAN is more affected by strong side winds. Slower speeds ensure better vehicle control.
- Do not drive beyond the performance capability of the tires, even with 4WD engaged.

- For 4WD equipped vehicles, do not attempt to raise two wheels off the ground and shift the transmission to any drive or reverse position with the engine running. Doing so may result in drivetrain damage or unexpected vehicle movement which could result in serious vehicle damage or personal injury.
- Do not attempt to test a 4WD equipped vehicle on a 2-wheel dynamometer (such as the dynamometers used by some states for emissions testing), or similar equipment even if the other two wheels are raised off the ground. Make sure you inform test facility personnel that your vehicle is equipped with 4WD before it is placed on a dynamometer. Using the wrong test equipment may result in drivetrain damage or unexpected vehicle movement which could result in serious vehicle damage or personal injury.
- Accelerating quickly, sharp steering maneuvers or sudden braking may cause loss of control.

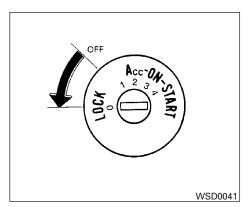
#### **IGNITION SWITCH**

- If at all possible, avoid sharp turning maneuvers, particularly at high speeds. Your NISSAN 4-wheel drive vehicle has a higher center of gravity than a passenger car. The vehicle is not designed for cornering at the same speeds as passenger cars. Failure to operate this vehicle correctly could result in loss of control and/or a rollover accident.
- Always use tires of the same type, size, brand, construction (bias, bias-belted, or radial), and tread pattern on all four wheels. Install tire chains on the rear wheels when driving on slippery roads and drive carefully.
- Be sure to check the brakes immediately after driving in mud or water. For additional information, refer to "Wet brakes" in the "Brake system"in this section.
- Avoid parking your vehicle on steep hills. If you get out of the vehicle and it rolls forward, backward or sideways, you could be injured.

 Whenever you drive off-road through sand, mud or water as deep as the wheel hub, more frequent maintenance may be required. For additional information, refer to "Periodic maintenance" in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide."

## **AWARNING**

 Never remove the ignition key or place the ignition switch in the LOCK position while driving. The steering wheel will lock (for models without NISSAN vehicle immobilizer system). This may cause the driver to lose control of the vehicle and could result in serious vehicle damage or personal injury.



#### AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

The ignition lock is designed so the ignition switch cannot be placed in the LOCK position and the key cannot be removed until the shift lever is moved to the P (Park) position.

When removing the key from the ignition switch, make sure the shift lever is in the P (Park) position.

If the shift lever is not returned to P (Park) position, the ignition switch cannot be placed in the LOCK position.

To remove the key from the ignition switch:

- Shift the shift lever to the P (Park) position with the ignition switch in the ON position.
- Place the ignition switch in the LOCK position.
- 3. Remove the key from the ignition switch.

If the shift lever is shifted to the P (Park) position after the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position or when the ignition switch cannot be placed in the LOCK position, proceed as follows to remove the key.

- Move the shift lever into the P (Park) position.
- 2. Place the ignition switch slightly toward the ON position.
- Place the ignition switch in the LOCK position.
- 4. Remove the key.

The shift lever is designed so it cannot move out of P (Park) and into any of the other gear positions if the ignition switch is placed in the OFF position or if the key is removed from the switch.

The shift lever can be moved if the ignition switch is in the ON position and the foot brake pedal is depressed.

There is an OFF position between the LOCK and ON positions. The OFF position is indicated by a "1" on the ignition switch. For models without NISSAN vehicle immobilizer system: when the ignition switch is in the OFF position, the steering wheel is not locked.

In order for the steering wheel to be locked, it must be turned about 1/8 of a turn clockwise from the straight up position.

To lock the steering wheel, turn the ignition to the LOCK position. Remove the key. To unlock the steering wheel, insert the key and turn it gently while rotating the steering wheel slightly right and left.

If the key will not turn from the LOCK position, turn the steering wheel to the left or right while turning the key to unlock the key cylinder.

#### **IGNITION SWITCH POSITIONS**

LOCK: Normal parking position (0)

OFF: (1)

The engine can be turned off without locking the steering wheel.

ACC: (Accessories) (2)

## BEFORE STARTING THE ENGINE

This position activates electrical accessories such as the radio when the engine is not running.

ON: Normal operating position (3)

This position turns on the ignition system and the electrical accessories.

START: (4)

This position starts the engine. As soon as the engine has started, release the key. It automatically returns to the ON position.

# NISSAN VEHICLE IMMOBILIZER SYSTEM (if so equipped)

The NISSAN Vehicle Immobilizer System will not allow the engine to start without the use of the registered key.

If the engine fails to start using a registered key (for example, when interference is caused by another registered key, an automated toll road device or automatic payment device on the key ring), restart the engine using the following procedures:

- 1. Leave the ignition switch in the ON position for approximately 5 seconds.
- 2. Turn the ignition switch to the OFF or LOCK position, and wait approximately 10 seconds.

- 3. Repeat steps 1 and 2.
- 4. Restart the engine while holding the device (which may have caused the interference) separate from the registered key.

If the no start condition re-occurs, NISSAN recommends placing the registered key on a separate key ring to avoid interference from other devices.

- Make sure the area around the vehicle is clear.
- Check fluid levels such as engine oil, coolant, brake fluid, and windshield-washer fluid as frequently as possible, or at least whenever you refuel.
- Check that all windows and lights are clean.
- Visually inspect tires for their appearance and condition. Also check tires for proper inflation.
- Check that all doors are closed.
- Position and adjust head restraints/headrests.
- Adjust inside and outside mirrors.
- Fasten seat belts and ask all passengers to do likewise.
- Check the operation of warning lights when the ignition switch is placed in the ON position. For additional information, refer to "Warning/indicator lights and audible reminders" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

#### STARTING THE ENGINE

- 1. Apply the parking brake.
- 2. Move the shift lever to P (Park) or N (Neutral). P (Park) is recommended.

The shift lever cannot be moved out of P (Park) and into any of the other gear positions if the ignition switch is turned to the OFF position or if the key is removed from the ignition switch.

The starter is designed not to operate if the shift lever is in any of the driving positions.

- Crank the engine with your foot off the accelerator pedal by placing the ignition switch in the START position. Release the key when the engine starts. If the engine starts, but fails to run, repeat the above procedure.
  - If the engine is very hard to start in extremely cold weather or when restarting, depress the accelerator pedal a little (approximately 1/3 to the floor) and hold it and then crank the engine. Release the key and the accelerator pedal when the engine starts.
  - If the engine is very hard to start because it is flooded, depress the accelerator pedal all the way to the floor and hold it. Crank the engine for 5-6 seconds. After

cranking the engine, release the accelerator pedal. Crank the engine **with your foot off the accelerator pedal** by turning the ignition key to START. Release the key when the engine starts. If the engine starts, but fails to run, repeat the above procedure.

## **A**CAUTION

Do not operate the starter for more than 15 seconds at a time. If the engine does not start, turn the key off and wait 10 seconds before cranking again, otherwise the starter could be damaged.

 Allow the engine to idle for at least 30 seconds after starting. Do not race the engine while warming it up. Drive at moderate speed for a short distance first, especially in cold weather.

In cold weather, keep the engine running for a minimum of 2–3 minutes before shutting it off. Starting and stopping the engine over a short period of time may make the vehicle more difficult to start.

#### NOTE:

Care should be taken to avoid situations that can lead to potential battery discharge and potential no-start conditions such as:

- Installation or extended use of electronic accessories that consume battery power when the engine is not running (Phone chargers, GPS, DVD players, etc.)
- Vehicle is not driven regularly and/or only driven short distances. In these cases, the battery may need to be charged to maintain battery health.

#### **DRIVING THE VEHICLE**

#### **ENGINE PROTECTION MODE**

The engine has an engine protection mode to reduce the chance of damage if the coolant temperature becomes too high (for example, when climbing steep grades in high temperature with heavy loads, such as when towing a trailer). When the engine temperature reaches a certain level:

- The engine coolant temperature gauge will move toward the H position.
- Engine power may be reduced.
- The air conditioning cooling function may be automatically turned OFF for a short time (the blower will continue to operate).

Engine power and, under some conditions, vehicle speed will decrease. Vehicle speed can be controlled with the accelerator pedal, but the vehicle may not accelerate at the desired speed. The transmission will downshift or upshift as it reaches prescribed shift points. You can also shift manually.

As driving conditions change and engine coolant temperature is reduced, vehicle speed can be increased using the accelerator pedal, and air conditioning cooling function will automatically be turned back ON.

- 1. The engine coolant temperature is not reduced.
- 2. The air conditioning cooling function does not turn back ON.
- 3. The engine oil pressure low/engine coolant temperature high warning light illuminates, this may indicate a malfunction. Move the vehicle off the road in a safe area and allow the engine to cool. If after checking the oil and coolant, the Tremains on, do not continue to drive and call a NISSAN dealer.

The malfunction indicator light (MIL) may also come ON. If only it remains on, you do not need to have your vehicle towed, but have it inspected soon by a NISSAN dealer. For additional information, refer to "Malfunction indicator light (MIL)" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

## **AWARNING**

Overheating can result in reduced engine power and vehicle speed. The reduced speed may be lower than other traffic, which could increase the chance of a collision. Be especially careful when driving. If the vehicle cannot maintain a safe driving speed, pull to the side of the road in a safe area. Allow the engine to cool and return to normal operation. For additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

## **A** CAUTION

Running the engine with the engine oil pressure warning light on could cause serious damage to the engine almost immediately. Such damage is not covered by warranty. Turn off the engine as soon as it is safe to do so.

#### **AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION**

### **AWARNING**

- Do not depress the accelerator pedal while shifting from P (Park) or N (Neutral) to R (Reverse), or L (Low). Always depress the brake pedal until shifting is completed. Failure to do so could cause you to lose control and have an accident.
- Cold engine idle speed is high, so use caution when shifting into a forward or reverse gear before the engine has warmed up.
- Never shift to P (Park) or R (Reverse) while the vehicle is moving. This could cause an accident.
- Except in an emergency, do not shift to the N (Neutral) position while driving. Coasting with the transmission in the N (Neutral) position may cause serious damage to the transmission.

## **A**CAUTION

 When stopping the vehicle on an uphill grade, do not hold the vehicle by depressing the accelerator pedal. The foot brake should be used for this purpose.  Do not downshift abruptly on slippery roads. This may cause a loss of control.

The automatic transmission in your vehicle is electronically controlled to produce maximum power and smooth operation.

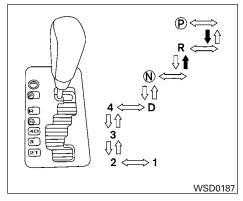
The recommended operating procedures for this transmission are shown on the following pages. Follow these procedures for maximum vehicle performance and driving enjoyment.

# Starting the vehicle

- After starting the engine, fully depress the foot brake pedal before moving the shift lever out of the P (Park) position.
- 2. Keep the foot brake pedal depressed and move the shift lever into a driving gear.
- Release the foot brake, then gradually start the vehicle in motion.

The automatic transmission is designed so the foot brake pedal MUST be depressed before shifting from P (Park) to any drive position while the ignition switch is in the ON position.

The shift lever cannot be moved out of the P (Park) position and into any of the other gear positions if the ignition switch is placed in the LOCK or OFF position.



To move the shift lever:

: Shift while depressing the brake pedal

: Shift without depressing brake pedal

Shifting – console (if so equipped)

After starting the engine, fully depress the brake pedal and move the shift lever out of the P (Park) position.

## **WARNING**

Apply the parking brake if the shift lever is in any position while the engine is not running. Failure to do so could cause the vehicle to move unexpectedly or roll away and result in serious personal injury or property damage

If the key is turned to the OFF position for any reason while the vehicle is in N (Neutral), or any D (Drive) position, the key cannot be turned to the LOCK position and be removed from the ignition switch. Move the shift lever to the P (Park) position, then the key can be turned to LOCK.

## P (Park)

## **A** CAUTION

To prevent transmission damage, use the P (Park) or R (Reverse) position only when the vehicle is completely stopped.

Use the P (Park) shift lever position when the vehicle is parked or when starting the engine. Make sure the vehicle is completely stopped. The brake pedal should be depressed to move the shift lever from N (Neutral) or any drive position to P (Park). Apply the parking brake. When parking on a hill, apply the parking brake first, then move the shift lever into the P (Park) position.

#### R (Reverse)

## **A** CAUTION

To prevent transmission damage, use the P (Park) or R (Reverse) position only when the vehicle is completely stopped.

Use the R (Reverse) position to back up. Make sure the vehicle is completely stopped before selecting the R (Reverse) position. The brake pedal must be depressed to move the shift lever from P (Park), N (Neutral) or any drive position to R (Reverse).

## N (Neutral)

Neither forward nor reverse gear is engaged. The engine can be started in this position. You may shift to N (Neutral) and restart a stalled engine while the vehicle is moving.

## D (Drive)

Use this position for all normal forward driving.

## 4 (Fourth gear):

Use this position for driving up and down long slopes where engine braking would be advantageous.

Do not downshift into the 4 position at speeds over the following and do not exceed the following speeds in the 4 position. 4H:

62 MPH (100 km/h)

4LO:

31 MPH (50 km/h)

## 3 (Third gear)

Use this position for driving up and down long slopes where engine braking would be advantageous.

## 2 (Second gear):

Use this position for hill climbing or engine braking on downhill grades.

Do not downshift into the 2 position at speeds over the following and do not exceed the following speeds in the 2 position.

2WD and AUTO:

71 MPH (115 km/h) without tow mode

62 MPH (100 km/h) with tow mode

4H:

62 MPH (100 km/h) without tow mode

62 MPH (100 km/h) with tow mode

4LO:

31 MPH (50 km/h) without tow mode

27 MPH (44 km/h) with tow mode

### 1 (Low gear):

Use this position when climbing steep hills slowly or slow driving through deep snow, sand or mud, or for maximum engine braking on steep downhill grades.

Do not downshift into the 1 position at speeds over the following and do not exceed the following speeds in the 1 position.

#### 2WD and AUTO:

43 MPH (70 km/h) without tow mode

37 MPH (60 km/h) with tow mode

4H:

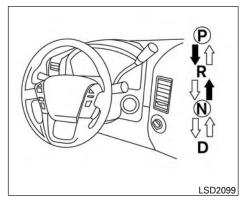
43 MPH (70 km/h) without tow mode

37 MPH (60 km/h) with tow mode

4LO:

19 MPH (30 km/h) without tow mode

16 MPH (27 km/h) with tow mode



To move the shift lever:

Shift while depressing the brake pedal

: Shift without depressing brake pedal

Shifting – column (if so equipped)

After starting the engine, fully depress the brake pedal and move the shift lever out of the P (Park) position.

## **WARNING**

Apply the parking brake if the shift lever is in any position while the engine is not running. Failure to do so could cause the vehicle to move unexpectedly or roll away and result in serious personal injury or property damage.

If the key is turned to the OFF or ACC position for any reason while the vehicle is in N (Neutral), or any D (Drive) position, the key cannot be turned to the LOCK position and be removed from the ignition switch. Move the shift lever to the P (Park) position, then the key can be turned to LOCK.

P (Park)

## **A** CAUTION

To prevent transmission damage, use the P (Park) or R (Reverse) position only when the vehicle is completely stopped.

Use the P (Park) shift lever position when the vehicle is parked or when starting the engine. Make sure the vehicle is completely stopped. The brake pedal should be depressed to move the shift lever from N (Neutral) or any drive position to P (Park). Apply the parking brake. When parking on a hill, apply the parking brake first, then move the shift lever into the P (Park) position.

#### R (Reverse)

## **A** CAUTION

To prevent transmission damage, use the P (Park) or R (Reverse) position only when the vehicle is completely stopped.

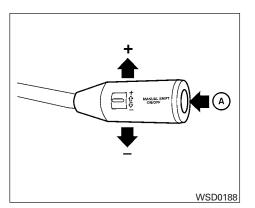
Use the R (Reverse) position to back up. Make sure the vehicle is completely stopped before selecting the R (Reverse) position. The brake pedal must be depressed to move the shift lever from P (Park), N (Neutral) or any drive position to R (Reverse).

## N (Neutral)

Neither forward nor reverse gear is engaged. The engine can be started in this position. You may shift to N (Neutral) and restart a stalled engine while the vehicle is moving.

#### D (Drive)

Use this position for all normal forward driving.



# Manual shift mode (if so equipped)

When the manual shift mode button (A) is pressed while driving, the transmission enters the manual shift mode. Shift ranges can be selected manually.

In the manual shift mode, the shift range is displayed on the position indicator in the meter. After pressing the manual shift mode button, the position indicator first displays M4 (Fourth)

Shift ranges up or down one by one as follows:

 $M1 \longleftrightarrow M2 \longleftrightarrow M3 \longleftrightarrow M4 \longleftrightarrow D$ 

#### M4 (Fourth):

For driving up or down long slopes where engine braking would be advantageous.

Shift ranges up or down one by one as follows:

$$M1 \longleftrightarrow M2 \longleftrightarrow M3 \longleftrightarrow M4$$

M4 will be displayed on the position indicator in the meter.

#### M3 (Third):

Use for hill climbing or engine braking on downhill grades.

Shift ranges up or down one by one as follows:

$$M1 \longleftrightarrow M2 \longleftrightarrow M3$$

M3 will be displayed on the position indicator in the meter.

## M2 (Second):

Use for hill climbing or engine braking on downhill grades.

Shift ranges up or down one by one as follows:

$$M1 \longleftrightarrow M2$$

M2 will be displayed on the position indicator in the meter.

#### M1 (First):

Use this position when climbing steep hills slowly or driving slowly through deep snow, sand or mud, or for maximum engine braking on steep downhill grades.

M1 will be displayed on the position indicator on the meter.

Remember not to drive at high speeds for extended periods of time in lower than M4 range. This reduces fuel economy.

## When shifting up:

Move the shift lever to the + (up) side. (Shifts to higher range.)

#### When shifting down:

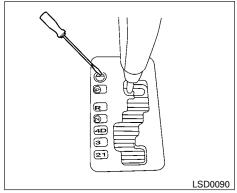
Move the shift lever to the - (down) side. (Shifts to lower range.)

- The transmission will automatically downshift the gears. (For example, if you select the 3rd range, the transmission will shift down between the 3rd and 1st gears.)
- Moving the shift lever rapidly to the same side twice will shift the ranges in succession.

#### When canceling the manual shift mode:

Press the manual shift mode button (A) to return the transmission to the normal driving mode.

- In the manual shift mode, the transmission may not shift to the selected gear immediately because of vehicle speed. The transmission will up or down shift when vehicle speed matches the programmed transmission shift points. This helps maintain driving performance and reduces the chance of vehicle damage or loss of control.
- In the manual shift mode, the transmission will not up shift to a higher gear than is manually selected. When the vehicle speed decreases, the transmission automatically shifts down and shifts to 1st gear before the vehicle comes to a stop.

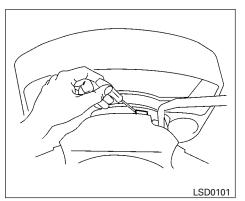


Console shift (if so equipped)

Shift lock release

If the battery is discharged, the shift lever may not be moved from the P (Park) position even with the brake pedal depressed.

To move the shift lever, release the shift lock, The shift lever can be moved to N (Neutral). However. for models without the NISSAN vehicle immobilizer system, the steering wheel will be locked unless the ignition switch is turned to the ON position. This allows the vehicle to be moved if the battery is discharged.



Column shift (if so equipped)

To push the shift lock release, complete the following procedure:

- 1. Turn the ignition key to the LOCK position and remove the key
- 2. Apply the parking brake.
- 3. On vehicles equipped with a column shifter, tilt the steering wheel down to the lowest position.
- 4. Remove the shift lock release cover as shown.

- 5. Use a protective cloth on the end of a small screwdriver before inserting it in the shift lock release slot and pushing down.
- 6. Move the shift lever to the N (Neutral) position while holding down the shift lock release.
- 7. For models without the NISSAN vehicle immobilizer system, turn the key to the ON position to unlock the steering wheel.
- 8. Now the vehicle may be moved to the desired location.

If the shift lever cannot be moved out of P (Park), have a NISSAN dealer check the automatic transmission system as soon as possible.

## **AWARNING**

If the shift lever cannot be moved from the P (Park) position while the engine is running and the brake pedal is depressed, the stop lights may not work. Malfunctioning stop lights could cause an accident injuring yourself and others.

# Accelerator downshift in D (Drive) position —

For passing or hill climbing, depress the accelerator pedal to the floor. This shifts the transmission down into a lower gear, depending on the vehicle speed.

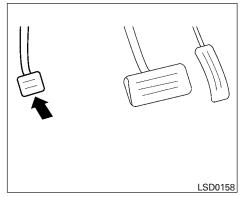
#### Fail-safe

When the fail-safe operation occurs, please note that the transmission will be locked in any of the forward gears according to the condition.

If the vehicle is driven under extreme conditions, such as excessive wheel spinning and subsequent hard braking, the fail-safe system may be activated. This will occur even if all electrical circuits are functioning properly. In this case, turn the ignition switch OFF and wait for 3 seconds. Then turn the ignition switch back to the ON position. The vehicle should return to its normal operating condition. If it does not return to its normal operating condition. have a NISSAN dealer check the transmission and repair it if necessary.

## **AWARNING**

- Be sure the parking brake is fully released before driving. Failure to do so can cause brake failure and lead to an accident.
- Do not release the parking brake from outside the vehicle.
- Do not use the shift lever in place of the parking brake. When parking, be sure the parking brake is fully engaged.
- Do not leave children unattended in a vehicle. They could release the parking brake and cause an accident.

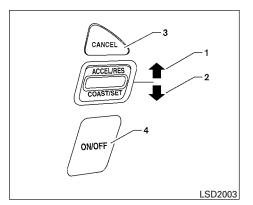


**To engage:** Firmly depress the parking brake.

#### To release:

- 1. Firmly apply the foot brake.
- 2. Move the shift lever to the P (Park) position.
- 3. Firmly depress the parking brake pedal and it will release.
- 4. Before driving, be sure the brake warning light goes out.

PRECAUTIONS ON CRUISE CONTROL



- ACCEL/RES switch
- COAST/SET switch
- CANCEL switch
- ON-OFF switch
- If the cruise control system malfunctions, it cancels automatically. The SET indicator light illuminates in the vehicle information display then blinks to warn the driver. For additional information, refer to "Vehicle information display" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.
- If the SET indicator light blinks, push the cruise control ON-OFF switch off and have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.

The SET indicator light may blink when the cruise control ON:OFF switch is pushed ON ACCEL/RES. while pushina the COAST/SET, or CANCEL switch, To properly set the cruise control system, use the following procedures.

## **AWARNING**

Do not use the cruise control when driving under the following conditions:

- When it is not possible to keep the vehicle at a set speed.
- In heavy traffic or in traffic that varies in speed.
- On winding or hilly roads.
- On slippery roads (rain, snow, ice, etc.).
- In very windy areas.

Doing so could cause a loss of vehicle control and result in an accident.

#### CRUISE CONTROL OPERATIONS

The cruise control allows driving at a speed between 25 - 89 MPH (40 - 144 km/h) without keeping your foot on the accelerator pedal.

To turn on the cruise control, push the ON-OFF switch on. The CRUISE indicator light in the vehicle information display will illuminate.

To set cruising speed, accelerate the vehicle to the desired speed, push the COAST/SET switch and release it. The SET indicator light in the vehicle information display will illuminate. Take your foot off the accelerator pedal. Your vehicle maintains the set speed.

- To pass another vehicle, depress the accelerator pedal. When you release the pedal, the vehicle returns to the previously set speed.
- The vehicle may not maintain the set speed when going up or down steep hills. If this happens, drive without the cruise control.

To cancel the preset speed, use one of the following three methods:

- Push the CANCEL button: the SET indicator light in the vehicle information display goes out.
- Tap the brake pedal; the SET indicator light goes out.
- Push the ON-OFF switch off. Both the CRUISE indicator light and SET indicator light in the vehicle information display go out.

## **BREAK-IN SCHEDULE**

The cruise control is automatically canceled and the SET light in the vehicle information display goes out if:

- You depress the brake pedal while pushing the ACCEL/RES or SET/COAST switch. The preset speed is deleted from memory.
- The vehicle slows down more than 8 MPH (13 km/h) below the set speed.
- You move the shift lever to N (Neutral).

To reset at a faster cruising speed, use one of the following three methods:

- Depress the accelerator pedal. When the vehicle attains the desired speed, push and release the COAST/SET switch.
- Push and hold the ACCEL/RES switch.
   When the vehicle attains the speed you desire, release the switch.
- Push and release the ACCEL/RES switch.
   Each time you do this, the set speed increases by about 1 MPH (1.6 km/h).

**To reset at a slower cruising speed,** use one of the following three methods:

 Lightly tap the brake pedal. When the vehicle attains the desired speed, push the COAST/SET switch and release it.

- Push and hold the COAST/SET switch. Release the switch when the vehicle slows to the desired speed.
- Push and release the COAST/SET switch.
   Each time you do this, the set speed decreases by about 1 MPH (1.6 km/h).

**To resume the preset speed,** push and release the ACCEL/RES switch. The vehicle returns to the last set cruising speed when the vehicle speed is over 25 MPH (40 km/h).

## **A** CAUTION

During the first 1,200 miles (2,000 km), follow these recommendations to obtain maximum engine performance and ensure the future reliability and economy of your new vehicle. Failure to follow these recommendations may result in shortened engine life and reduced engine performance.

- Avoid driving for long periods at constant speed, either fast or slow, and do not run the engine over 4,000 RPM.
- Do not accelerate at full throttle in any gear.
- Avoid quick starts.
- Avoid hard braking as much as possible.
- Do not tow a trailer for the first 500 mi (805 km). Your engine, axle or other parts could be damaged.

#### 5-22 Starting and driving

#### **FUEL EFFICIENT DRIVING TIPS**

Follow these easy-to-use Fuel Efficient Driving Tips to help you achieve the most fuel economy from your vehicle.

## 1. Use Smooth Accelerator and Brake **Pedal Application**

- Avoid rapid starts and stops.
- Use smooth, gentle accelerator and brake application whenever possible.
- Maintain constant speed while commuting and coast whenever possible.

#### 2. Maintain Constant Speed

- Look ahead to try and anticipate and minimize stops.
- Synchronizing your speed with traffic lights allows you to reduce your number of stops.
- Maintaining a steady speed can minimize red light stops and improve fuel efficiency.

## 3. Use Air Conditioning (A/C) at Higher **Vehicle Speeds**

• Below 40 MPH (64 km/h), it is more efficient to open windows to cool the vehicle due to reduced engine load.

- Above 40 MPH (64 km/h), it is more efficient to use A/C to cool the vehicle due to increased aerodynamic drag.
- Recirculating the cool air in the cabin when the A/C is on reduces cooling load.

#### 4. Drive at Economical Speeds and Distances

- · Observing the speed limit and not exceeding 60 MPH (97 km/h) (where legally allowed) can improve fuel efficiency due to reduced aerodynamic drag.
- Maintaining a safe following distance behind other vehicles reduces unnecessary braking.
- Safely monitoring traffic to anticipate changes in speed permits reduced braking and smooth acceleration changes.
- Select a gear range suitable to road conditions.

#### 5. Use Cruise Control

- Using cruise control during highway driving helps maintain a steady speed.
- Cruise control is particularly effective in providing fuel savings when driving on flat terrains.

#### 6. Plan for the Shortest Route

• Utilize a map or navigation system to determine the best route to save time.

#### 7. Avoid Idling

 Shutting off your engine when safe for stops exceeding 30-60 seconds saves fuel and reduces emissions.

#### 8. Buy an Automated Pass for Toll Roads

 Automated passes permit drivers to use special lanes to maintain cruising speed through the toll and avoid stopping and starting.

#### 9. Winter Warm Up

- Limit idling time to minimize impact to fuel economy.
- Vehicles typically need no more than 30 seconds of idling at start-up to effectively circulate the engine oil before driving.
- Your vehicle will reach its ideal operating temperature more quickly while driving versus idlina.

#### INCREASING FUEL ECONOMY

#### 10. Keeping your Vehicle Cool

- Park your vehicle in a covered parking area or in the shade whenever possible.
- When entering a hot vehicle, opening the windows will help to reduce the inside temperature faster, resulting in reduced demand on your A/C system.
- Keep your engine tuned up.
- Follow the recommended scheduled maintenance.
- · Keep the tires inflated to the correct pressure. Low tire pressure increases tire wear and lowers fuel economy.
- Keep the wheels in correct alignment. Improper alignment increases tire wear and lowers fuel economy.
- For vehicles equipped with (axc), use 4H or 4L position only when necessary. Fourwheel drive operation lowers fuel economy.
- Use the recommended viscosity engine oil. For additional information, refer to "Engine oil and oil filter recommendations" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

# USING 4-WHEEL DRIVE (4WD) (if so equipped)

## **AWARNING**

- For 4WD equipped vehicles, do not attempt to raise two wheels off the ground and shift the transmission to any drive or reverse position with the engine running. Doing so may result in drivetrain damage or unexpected vehicle movement which could result in serious vehicle damage or personal iniurv.
- Do not attempt to test a 4WD equipped vehicle on a 2-wheel dynamometer (such as the dynamometers used by some states for emissions testing), or similar equipment even if the other two wheels are raised off the ground. Make sure you inform test facility personnel that your vehicle is equipped with 4WD before it is placed on a dynamometer. Using the wrong test equipment may result in drivetrain damage or unexpected vehicle movement which could result in serious vehicle damage or personal injury.

## **A** CAUTION

Do not drive the vehicle in the 4H or 4LO position on dry hard surface roads. Driving on dry, hard surfaces in 4H or 4LO may cause unnecessary noise, tire wear and increased fuel consumption.

If the 4WD warning light turns on when you are driving on dry hard surface roads:

- in the 4H position, shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
- in the 4LO position, stop the vehicle, move the shift lever to the N (Neutral) position with the brake pedal depressed, and shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
- If the warning light is still on after the above operation, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.

# TRANSFER CASE SHIFTING **PROCEDURES**

The part time 4WD system provides 3 positions (2WD, 4H and 4LO), so you can select the desired drive mode according to the driving conditions.

## 2WD or 4WD shift procedure:

4WD Shift Switch Position	Wheels Driven	Indic 4WD shift	cator Light Transfer 4LO position	Use Conditions	4WD Shift Procedure
2WD	Rear wheels		·	For driving on dry, paved roads (Economy drive)	Move the 4WD switch.  2WD < -> 4H  4WD shift indicator light will indicate transfer shift position engaged.  IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO MOVE THE SHIFT SELECT TO THE N POSITION IN THIS OPERATION.  PERFORM THIS OPERATION WHEN DRIVING STRAIGHT.
<b>O</b>	4 wheels	<b>₽₽₽</b>		For driving on rocky, sandy or snow-covered roads	
4H	(N) Neutral	<u>₹</u>	*1 May blink	(N) Neutral disengages the automatic transmis- sion mechanical parking lock, which will allow the vehicle to roll. Do not leave the transfer shift position in (N) Neutral.*2	Stop the vehicle.     With the brake pedal depressed, move the shift lever to the N position.     With the brake pedal depressed, depress and turn the 4WD shift switch to 4LO or 4H.     THE TRANSFER CASE DOES NOT ENGAGE BETWEEN 4H AND 4LO (OR 4LO TO 4H) UNLESS
	4 wheels	070 m n+1	Illuminated	For use when maximum power and traction is required (for example: on steep grades or rocky, sandy, muddy roads)	YOU HAVE FIRST STOPPED THE VEHICLE, DE- PRESSED THE BRAKE PEDAL AND MOVED THE SHIFT LEVER TO (N) NEUTRAL. *3

- \*1: Before moving the shift lever from (N) Neutral, wait until the 4LO indicator light stays on steady. This indicates that the 4WD shift procedure is completed and the transfer gear is correctly set in the 4LO position. If the vehicle is shifted into gear before the indicator is on steady, the transfer gear may grind. not engage correctly or stay in the (N) Neutral position.
  - If the 4WD warning light illuminates, perform the following procedure to return the transfer case to correct operating condition.
  - 1. Turn off the engine by turning the ignition switch "OFF".
  - 2. Start the engine.
  - Check that the 4WD warning light turns off. If the 4WD light illuminates, have the system checked by a NISSAN dealer.
  - 3. Apply the parking brake, depress the brake pedal and move the shift lever to (N) Neutral position.
  - 4. With the brake pedal depressed, move the 4WD shift switch to desired mode.
  - Be sure to wait until the transfer gear change completes before shifting the shift lever from (N) Neutral position.
- \*2: While changing in and out of 4LO, the ignition key must be ON and the vehicle's engine must be running for a shift to take place and for the indicator lights (4WD shift and 4LO position indicator) to be operable. Otherwise, the shift will not take place and no indicator lights will be on or flashing.
- \*3: Make sure the transfer 4LO position indicator light turns on when you shift the 4WD shift switch to 4LO. The 🐰 indicator light will also turn on when 4LO is selected. For additional information, refer to "Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system" in this section.

The transfer case 4WD shift switch is used to select either 2WD or 4WD depending on the driving conditions. There are three types of drive modes available, 2WD, 4H and 4LO.

The 4WD shift switch electronically controls the transfer case operation. Rotate the switch to move between each mode, 2WD, 4H and 4LO.

To change into or out of 4LO, the vehicle MUST be stationary, shift the shift lever to (N) Neutral, and depress the brake pedal. The switch must be pushed and turned to select 4LO.

## **AWARNING**

- When parking, apply the parking brake before stopping the engine and make sure that the 4WD shift indicator light is on and the ATP warning light goes off. Otherwise, the vehicle could unexpectedly move even if the automatic transmission is in the P position.
- The 4LO indicator light must stop blinking and remain illuminated or turn off before shifting the transmission into gear. If the shift lever is shifted from the "N" position to any other gear when the 4LO indicator light is blinking, the vehicle may move unexpectedly.

## **ACAUTION**

- Never shift the 4WD shift switch between 4LO and 4H while driving.
- The 4H position provides greater traction. Avoid excessive speed, as it will cause increased fuel consumption and higher oil temperatures, and could damage drivetrain components. Speeds over 62 MPH (100 km/h) in 4H is not recommended.
- The 4LO position provides maximum power and traction. Avoid raising vehicle speed excessively, as the maximum speed is approximately 31 MPH (50 km/h).
- When driving straight, shift the 4WD shift switch to the 2WD or 4H position.
   Do not move the 4WD shift switch when making a turn or reversing.
- Do not shift the 4WD shift switch (between 2WD and 4H) while driving on steep downhill grades. Use the engine brake and low automatic transmission gears (D1 or D2) for engine braking.
- Do not operate the 4WD shift switch (between 2WD and 4H) with the rear wheels spinning.

- Do not drive on dry hard surface roads in the 4H or 4LO position. Driving on dry hard surfaces in 4H or 4LO may cause unnecessary noise and tire wear. NISSAN recommends driving in the 2WD position under these conditions.
- The 4WD transfer case may not be shifted between 4H and 4LO at low ambient temperatures and the transfer 4LO position indicator light may blink even when the 4WD shift switch is shifted. After driving for a while you can change the 4WD transfer case between 4H and 4LO.

When driving on rough roads,

- Set the 4WD shift switch to 4H or 4LO.
- Drive carefully according to the road surface conditions.

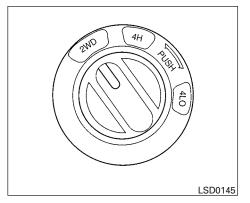
When the vehicle is stuck.

- Set the 4WD shift switch to 4H or 4LO.
- Use the Electronic Locking Rear Differential (E-Lock) system (if so equipped). Turn the switch ON while the vehicle is stationary and apply the throttle to try to free the vehicle.

- If it is difficult to free the vehicle, rock the vehicle back and forth between reverse and drive gears.
- If the vehicle is stuck deep in mud, place stones or wooden blocks under the tires. Then try the recovery procedures above. Tire chains may be effective.

### **A** CAUTION

- Do not spin the tires excessively. Tires will sink deep into the mud, making it difficult to free the vehicle.
- Avoid shifting gears with the engine running at high speeds as this may cause malfunction.



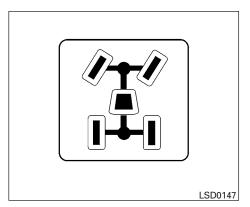
# 4WD shift switch operations

- Shift the 4WD shift switch to either the 2WD, 4H or 4LO position, depending on driving conditions.
- If the 4WD shift switch is operated while making a turn, accelerating or decelerating or if the key switch is turned off while in the 4H or 4LO, you may feel a jolt. This is not abnormal.

 When the vehicle is stopped after making a turn, you may feel a slight jolt after the shift lever is shifted to N or P. This occurs because the transfer clutch is released and not because of a malfunction.

## **A** CAUTION

- When driving straight, shift the 4WD shift switch to the 2WD or 4H position. Do not move the 4WD shift switch when making a turn or reversing.
- Do not shift the 4WD shift switch while driving on steep downhill grades. Use the engine brake and low automatic transmission gears (D1 or D2) for engine braking.
- Do not operate the 4WD shift switch with the rear wheels spinning.
- Before placing the 4WD shift switch in the 4H position from 2WD, ensure the vehicle speed is less than 62 MPH (100 km/h). Failure to do so can damage the 4WD system.
- Never shift the 4WD shift switch between 4LO and 4H while driving.



# 4WD shift indicator light

The 4WD shift indicator light is located in the vehicle information display.

The light should turn off within 1 second after turning the ignition switch to the ON position.

While the engine is running, the 4WD shift indicator light will illuminate the position selected by the 4WD shift switch.

 The 4WD shift indicator light may blink while shifting from one drive mode to the other. When the shifting is completed, the 4WD shift indicator light will come on.  If the 4WD warning light comes on, the 4WD indicator light goes out.

## **CAUTION**

If the 4WD shift indicator light indication changes to 2WD when the 4WD shift switch is shifted to the 4H position at low ambient temperatures, the 2WD mode may be being engaged due to malfunctioning drive system. If the indicator does not return to normal and the 4WD warning light comes on, have the system checked by the nearest NISSAN dealer.

## 4WD warning light

Warning light	Comes on or blinks when:	
——————————————————————————————————————	There is a mal- function in the 4-wheel drive system	
4WD) Blinks slowly	The difference in wheel rotation is large	

The 4WD warning light is located in the meter.

The 4WD warning light comes on when the key switch is turned to ON. It turns off soon after the engine is started.

If any malfunction occurs in the 4WD system when the key switch is ON, the warning light will either remain illuminated or blink.

If the 4WD warning light comes on, the 4WD shift indicator light goes out.

A large difference between the diameters of front and rear wheels will make the warning light blink slowly (about once per 2 seconds). Change the 4WD shift switch into 2WD and do not drive fast.

## **A** CAUTION

- If the warning light comes on or blinks slowly during operation or rapidly after stopping the vehicle for a while, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.
- Shifting between 4H and 4LO is not recommended when the 4WD warning light turns on.

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- When the warning light comes on, the 2WD mode may be engaged even if the 4WD shift switch is in 4H. Be especially careful when driving. If corresponding parts are malfunctioning, the 4WD mode will not be engaged even if the 4WD shift switch is shifted.
- Do not drive the vehicle in the 4H or 4LO position on dry hard surface roads. Driving on dry, hard surfaces in 4H or 4LO may cause unnecessary noise, tire wear and increased fuel consumption.

If the 4WD warning light turns on when you are driving on dry hard surface roads:

- in the 4H position, shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
- in the 4LO position, stop the vehicle, move the automatic transmission shift lever to the N position with the brake pedal depressed, and shift the 4WD shift switch to 2WD.
- If the warning light is still on after the above operation, have your vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer as soon as possible.
- The transfer case may be damaged if vou continue driving with the warning light blinking.

# **ELECTRONIC LOCKING REAR DIFFERENTIAL (E-Lock) SYSTEM (if** so equipped)

The E-Lock system can provide additional traction and should only be used when a vehicle has become or is becoming stuck. This system operates by electronically "locking" the two rear drive wheels together, allowing them to turn at the same speed. The system is used when it is not possible to free a stuck vehicle even when using the 4LO position (4-wheel drive vehicles).

When added traction is required, activate the E-Lock system by pushing the switch ON. For additional information, refer to "Electronic locking rear differential (E-Lock) system switch" in the "Instruments and Controls" section of this manual. Once the system fully engages, the indicator light in the instrument panel will remain ON. When the system is activated, both rear wheels will engage, providing added traction.

The rear wheels may momentarily slip or move to engage the system, and the system will only engage up to approximately 4 MPH (7 km/h). Once the vehicle is free, the system should be turned OFF and driving resumed.

The Anti-Lock Brake (ABS) system is disabled and the ABS light illuminates when the E-Lock system is ON. Also, the Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system is disabled and the VDC light illuminates when the E-Lock system is ON.

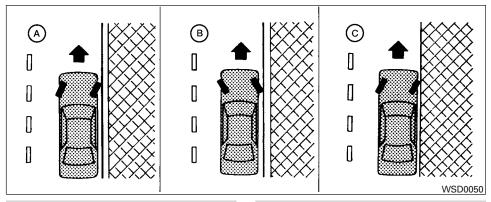
## **AWARNING**

- Never leave the E-Lock system ON when driving on paved or hard-surfaced roads. Turning the vehicle may result in the rear wheels slipping and result in an accident and personal injury. After using the E-Lock system to free the vehicle, turn the system OFF.
- Use the E-Lock system only when freeing a stuck vehicle. Try the 4LO position before using the E-Lock system. Never use the E-Lock system on a slippery road surface such as snow or ice surface. Using the E-Lock system when driving in these road conditions may cause unexpected movement of the vehicle during engine braking, accelerating or turning, which may result in an accident and serious personal injury.

#### PARKING/PARKING ON HILLS

## **A** CAUTION

- After using the E-Lock system, turn the switch OFF to prevent possible damage to driveline components from extended use.
- Do not drive the vehicle at speeds faster than 12 MPH (20 km/h) when the system is engaged. Doing so could damage drivetrain components.
- Do not turn on the E-lock system while the tires are spinning. Doing so could damage drivetrain components.



## **AWARNING**

- Do not stop or park the vehicle over flammable materials such as dry grass, waste paper or rags. They may ignite and cause a fire.
- Safe parking procedures require that both the parking brake be set and the transmission placed into P (Park). Failure to do so could cause the vehicle to move unexpectedly or roll away and result in an accident. Make sure the shift lever has been pushed as far forward as it can go and cannot be moved without depressing the foot brake pedal.

- Never leave the engine running while the vehicle is unattended.
- Do not leave children unattended inside the vehicle. They could unknowingly activate switches or controls. Unattended children could become involved in serious accidents.
- 1. Firmly apply the parking brake.
- 2. Move the shift lever to the P (Park) position.
- 3. To help prevent the vehicle from rolling into traffic when parked on an incline, it is a good practice to turn the wheels as illustrated.

#### **POWER STEERING**

HEADED DOWNHILL WITH CURB: (A)

Turn the wheels into the curb and move the vehicle forward until the curb side wheel gently touches the curb.

HEADED UPHILL WITH CURB: (B)

Turn the wheels away from the curb and move the vehicle back until the curb side wheel gently touches the curb.

• HEADED UPHILL OR DOWNHILL, NO CURB: (C)

Turn the wheels toward the side of the road so the vehicle will move away from the center of the road if it moves.

4. Place the ignition switch in the LOCK position.

The power assisted steering uses a hydraulic pump, driven by the engine, to assist steering.

If the engine stops or the drive belt breaks, you will still have control of the vehicle. However. much greater steering effort is needed, especially in sharp turns and at low speeds.

## **WARNING**

If the engine is not running or is turned off while driving, the power assist for the steering will not work. Steering will be harder to operate.

#### **BRAKE SYSTEM**

The brake system has two separate hydraulic circuits. If one circuit malfunctions, you will still have braking at two wheels.

#### **BRAKE PRECAUTIONS**

#### Vacuum assisted brakes

The brake booster aids braking by using engine vacuum. If the engine stops, you can stop the vehicle by depressing the brake pedal. However, greater foot pressure on the brake pedal will be required to stop the vehicle and stopping distance will be longer.

# Using the brakes

Avoid resting your foot on the brake pedal while driving. This will overheat the brakes, wear out the brake pads faster, and reduce gas mileage.

To help reduce brake wear and to prevent the brakes from overheating, reduce speed and downshift to a lower gear before going down a slope or long grade. Overheated brakes may reduce braking performance and could result in loss of vehicle control.

### **AWARNING**

- While driving on a slippery surface, be careful when braking, accelerating or downshifting. Abrupt braking or accelerating could cause the wheels to skid and result in an accident.
- If the engine is not running or is turned off while driving, the power assist for the brakes will not work. Braking will be harder.

#### Wet brakes

When the vehicle is washed or driven through water, the brakes may get wet. As a result, your braking distance will be longer and the vehicle may pull to one side during braking.

To dry the brakes, drive the vehicle at a safe speed while lightly pressing the brake pedal to heat up the brakes. Do this until the brakes return to normal. Avoid driving the vehicle at high speeds until the brakes function correctly.

### Parking brake break-in

Break-in the parking brake shoes whenever the effect of the parking brake is weakened or whenever the parking brake shoes and/or drum/rotors are replaced, in order to assure the best brake performance.

This procedure is described in the vehicle service manual and can be performed by a NISSAN dealer.

# ANTI-LOCK BRAKING SYSTEM (ABS)

### **WARNING**

- The Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) is a sophisticated device, but it cannot prevent accidents resulting from careless or dangerous driving techniques. It can help maintain vehicle control during braking on slippery surfaces. Remember that stopping distances on slippery surfaces will be longer than on normal surfaces even with ABS. Stopping distances may also be longer on rough, gravel or snow covered roads, or if you are using tire chains. Always maintain a safe distance from the vehicle in front of you. Ultimately, the driver is responsible for safety.
- Tire type and condition may also affect braking effectiveness.
  - When replacing tires, install the specified size of tires on all four wheels.

- When installing a spare tire, make sure that it is the proper size and type as specified on the Tire and Loading Information label. For additional information, refer to "Tire and Loading Information label" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.
- For additional information, refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

The Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) controls the brakes so the wheels do not lock during hard braking or when braking on slippery surfaces. The system detects the rotation speed at each wheel and varies the brake fluid pressure to prevent each wheel from locking and sliding. By preventing each wheel from locking, the system helps the driver maintain steering control and helps to minimize swerving and spinning on slippery surfaces.

# Using the system

Depress the brake pedal and hold it down. Depress the brake pedal with firm steady pressure, but do not pump the brakes. The ABS will operate to prevent the wheels from locking up. Steer the vehicle to avoid obstacles.

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#### **A** WARNING

Do not pump the brake pedal. Doing so may result in increased stopping distances.

#### Self-test feature

The ABS includes electronic sensors, electric pumps, hydraulic solenoids and a computer. The computer has a built-in diagnostic feature that tests the system each time you start the engine and move the vehicle at a low speed in forward or reverse. When the self-test occurs, you may hear a "clunk" noise and/or feel a pulsation in the brake pedal. This is normal and does not indicate a malfunction. If the computer senses a malfunction, it switches the ABS off and illuminates the ABS warning light on the instrument panel. The brake system then operates normally, but without anti-lock assistance.

If the ABS warning light illuminates during the self-test or while driving, have the vehicle checked by a NISSAN dealer.

### Normal operation

The ABS operates at speeds above 3 - 6 MPH (5 - 10 km/h). The speed varies according to road conditions.

When the ABS senses that one or more wheels are close to locking up, the actuator rapidly applies and releases hydraulic pressure. This action is similar to pumping the brakes very guickly. You may feel a pulsation in the brake pedal and hear a noise from under the hood or feel a vibration from the actuator when it is operating. This is normal and indicates that the ABS is operating properly. However, the pulsation may indicate that road conditions are hazardous and extra care is required while driving.

#### BRAKE ASSIST

When the force applied to the brake pedal exceeds a certain level, the brake assist is activated generating greater braking force than a conventional brake booster even with light pedal force.

### **AWARNING**

The brake assist is only an aid to assist braking operation and is not a collision warning or avoidance device. it is the drivers responsibility to stay alert, drive safely and be in control of the vehicle at all times.

#### **ACTIVE BRAKE LIMITED SLIP (ABLS) SYSTEM**

- ABLS system uses automatic braking to transfer power from a slipping drive wheel to the wheel on the same axle with more traction. The ABLS system applies braking to the slipping wheel, which helps redirect power to the other wheel.
- On 4WD models the ABLS system operates in both 4H and 4LO modes. If 4WD mode is engaged, the ABLS system operates for both drive axles. On 2WD vehicles, the ABLS system operates on the drive axle only.
- The ABLS system is always ON. In some conditions, the system may automatically turn the ABLS system off. If the system is automatically turned off, normal brake function will continue. ABLS will function even when the VDC system is turned OFF.
- The ABLS does not operate if both wheels on a drive axle are slipping.

#### VEHICLE DYNAMIC CONTROL (VDC) SYSTEM

# **AWARNING**

- The ABLS system helps provide increased traction, but will not prevent accidents due to abrupt steering operation or by careless driving or dangerous driving practices. Reduce vehicle speed and be especially careful when driving and cornering on slippery surfaces. Always drive carefully.
- Do not modify the vehicle's suspension. If suspension parts such as shock absorbers, struts, springs, stabilizer bars, bushings and wheels are not NISSAN approved for your vehicle or are extremely deteriorated, the ABLS system may not operate properly. This could adversely affect vehicle handling performance, and the slip indicator light may illuminate.
- If brake related parts such as brake pads, rotors and calipers are not NISSAN recommended or are extremely deteriorated, the ABLS system may not operate properly and the slip indicator light may illuminate.
- If wheels or tires other than the NISSAN recommended ones are used, the ABLS system may not operate properly and the slip indicator light may illuminate.

The Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system uses various sensors to monitor driver inputs and vehicle motion. Under certain driving conditions, the VDC System helps to perform the following functions:

- Controls brake pressure to reduce wheel slip on one slipping drive wheel so power is transferred to a non slipping drive wheel on the same axle.
- Controls brake pressure and engine output to reduce drive wheel slip based on vehicle speed (traction control function).
- If the 4WD transfer case is shifted into 4LO the indicator light will come on and the VDC system will be turned off. For additional information, refer to "Using 4-wheel drive (4WD)" in this section.
- Controls brake pressure at individual wheels and engine output to help the driver maintain control of the vehicle in the following conditions:
  - understeer (vehicle tends to not follow the steered path despite increased steering input)
  - oversteer (vehicle tends to spin due to certain road or driving conditions)

The VDC system can help the driver to maintain control of the vehicle, but it cannot prevent loss of vehicle control in all driving situations.

When the VDC system operates, the **n** indicator in the instrument panel flashes so note the following:

- The road may be slippery or the system may determine some action is required to help keep the vehicle on the steered path.
- You may feel a pulsation in the brake pedal and hear a noise or vibration from under the hood. This is normal and indicates that the VDC system is working properly.
- Adjust your speed and driving to the road conditions.

For additional information, refer to "Slip indicator light" and "Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) OFF indicator light" in the "Instruments and controls" section of this manual.

If a malfunction occurs in the system, the  $\Omega$  indicator light will come on in the instrument panel. The VDC system automatically turns off when these indicator lights are off.

The VDC OFF switch is used to turn off the VDC system. The  $\frac{1}{8}$  indicator illuminates to indicate the VDC system is off.

When the VDC switch is used to turn off the system, the VDC system still operates to prevent one drive wheel from slipping by transferring power to a non slipping drive wheel. The indicator flashes if this occurs. All other VDC functions are off and the T indicator will not flash.

The VDC system is automatically reset to ON when the ignition switch is placed in the off position then back to the ON position.

The computer has a built in diagnostic feature that tests the system each time you start the engine and move the vehicle forward or in reverse at a slow speed. When the self-test occurs, you may hear a clunk noise and/or feel a pulsation in the brake pedal. This is normal and is not an indication of a malfunction.

# **A WARNING**

• The VDC system is designed to help the driver maintain stability but does not prevent accidents due to abrupt steering operation at high speeds or by careless or dangerous driving techniques. Reduce vehicle speed and be especially careful when driving and cornering on slippery surfaces and always drive carefully.

- Do not modify the vehicle's suspension. If suspension parts such as shock absorbers, struts, springs, stabilizer bars, bushings and wheels are not NISSAN recommended for your vehicle or are extremely deteriorated, the VDC system may not operate properly. This could adversely affect vehicle handling performance, and the indicator may flash or the  $\Re$ indicator light may illuminate.
- If brake related parts such as brake pads, rotors and calipers are not NISSAN recommended or are extremely deteriorated, the VDC system may not operate properly and the indicator light may illuminate.
- If engine control related parts are not NISSAN recommended or are extremely deteriorated, the indicator light may illuminate.
- When driving on extremely inclined surfaces such as higher banked corners, the VDC system may not operate properly and the 🕺 indicator may flash or the nindicator light may illuminate. Do not drive on these types of roads.

- When driving on an unstable surface such as a turntable, ferry, elevator or ramp, the nindicator may flash or indicator light may illuminate. This is not a malfunction. Restart the engine after driving onto a stable surface.
- If wheels or tires other than the NISSAN recommended ones are used, the VDC system may not operate properly and the !! indicator may flash or indicator light may illuminate.
- The VDC system is not a substitute for winter tires or tire chains on a snow covered road.

#### BRAKE FORCE DISTRIBUTION

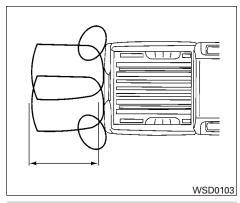
During braking while driving through turns, the system optimizes the distribution of force to each of the four wheels depending on the radius of the turn.

# **AWARNING**

- The VDC system is designed to help the driver maintain controllability but cannot prevent accidents due to abrupt steering operation at high speeds or by careless or dangerous driving techniques. Reduce vehicle speed and be especially careful when driving and cornering on slippery surfaces and always drive carefully.
- The active trace control and brake force distribution systems may not be effective depending on the driving condition. Always drive carefully and attentively.
- Do not modify the vehicle's suspension. If suspension parts such as shock absorbers, struts, springs, stabilizer bars, bushings and wheels are not NISSAN recommended for your vehicle or are extremely deteriorated, the VDC system may not operate properly. This could adversely affect vehicle handling performance, and the VDC warning light may illuminate.

- If brake related parts such as brake pads, rotors and calipers are not **NISSAN** recommended or are extremely deteriorated, the VDC system may not operate properly and the VDC warning light may illuminate.
- If engine control related parts are not NISSAN recommended or are extremely deteriorated, the VDC warning light may illuminate.
- When driving on extremely inclined surfaces such as higher banked corners, the VDC system may not operate properly and the VDC warning light may illuminate. Do not drive on these types of roads.
- When driving on an unstable surface such as a turntable, ferry, elevator or ramp, the VDC warning light may illuminate. This is not a malfunction. Restart the engine after driving onto a stable surface.
- If wheels or tires other than the NISSAN recommended ones are used, the VDC system may not operate properly and the VDC warning light may illuminate.
- The VDC system is not a substitute for winter tires or tire chains on a snow covered road.

# **REAR SONAR SYSTEM (if so** equipped)



# **AWARNING**

- Always turn and look back before backing up. The RSS is not a substitute for proper backing procedures.
- Read and understand the limitations of the rear sonar system as contained in this section. Inclement weather may affect the function of the RSS; this may include reduced performance or a false activation.
- This system is not designed to prevent contact with small or moving objects.

#### COLD WEATHER DRIVING

- The system is designed as an aid to the driver in detecting large stationary objects to help avoid damaging the vehicle. The system will not detect small objects below the bumper, and may not detect objects close to the bumper or on the ground.
- If your vehicle sustains damage to the rear bumper fascia, leaving it misaligned or bent, the sensing zone may be altered causing inaccurate measurement of obstacles or false alarms.

The Rear Sonar System (RSS) sounds a tone to warn the driver of obstacles near the rear bumper when the shift lever is in R (Reverse). The system may not detect objects at speeds above 3 mph (5 km/h) and may not detect certain angular or moving objects.

The RSS detects obstacles up to 5.9 feet (1.8 m) from the rear bumper with a decreased coverage area at the outer corners of the bumper, (refer to the illustration for approximate zone coverage areas). As you move closer to the obstacle, the rate of the tone increases. When the obstacle is less than 10 inches (25.0 cm) away, the tone will sound continuously. If the RSS detects a stationary or receding object further than 10 inches (25.0 cm) from the side of the vehicle, the tone will sound for only 3 seconds. Once the system detects an object approaching, the tone will sound again.

The RSS automatically turns on when the shift lever is placed in R (Reverse) and the ignition is ON. The RSS OFF switch on the instrument panel allows the driver to turn the RSS on and off. To turn the RSS off, the ignition must be ON, and the shift lever in R (Reverse). An indicator light on the switch will illuminate when the system is turned off. If the indicator light illuminates when the RSS is not turned off, it may indicate a malfunction in the RSS.

Keep the RSS sensors (located on the rear bumper fascia) free from snow, ice and large accumulations of dirt (do not clean the sensors with sharp objects). If the sensors are covered, it will affect the accuracy of the RSS.

#### FREEING A FROZEN DOOR LOCK

To prevent a door lock from freezing, apply deicer through the key hole. If the lock becomes frozen, heat the key before inserting it into the key hole or use the remote keyless entry key fob (if so equipped).

#### **ANTIFREEZE**

In the winter when it is anticipated that the temperature will drop below 32°F (0°C), check the antifreeze to assure proper winter protection. For additional information, refer to "Engine cooling system" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

# **BATTERY**

If the battery is not fully charged during extremely cold weather conditions, the battery fluid may freeze and damage the battery. To maintain maximum efficiency, the battery should be checked regularly. For additional information, refer to "Battery" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

#### DRAINING OF COOLANT WATER

If the vehicle is to be left outside without antifreeze, drain the cooling system, including the engine block. Refill before operating the vehicle. For additional information, refer to "Changing engine coolant" in the "Maintenance and do-ityourself" section of this manual.

#### TIRE EQUIPMENT

- SUMMER tires have a tread designed to provide superior performance on dry pavement. However, the performance of these tires will be substantially reduced in snowy and icy conditions. If you operate your vehicle on snowy or icy roads, NISSAN recommends the use of MUD & SNOW or ALL SEASON TIRES on all four wheels. Please consult a NISSAN dealer for the tire type, size, speed rating and availability information.
- For additional traction on icy roads, studded tires may be used. However, some U.S. states and Canadian provinces prohibit their use. Check local, state and provincial laws before installing studded tires.

Skid and traction capabilities of studded snow tires on wet or dry surfaces may be poorer than that of non-studded snow tires. Tire chains may be used. For additional information, refer to "Tire chains" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

#### SPECIAL WINTER EQUIPMENT

It is recommended that the following items be carried in the vehicle during winter:

- A scraper and stiff-bristled brush to remove ice and snow from the windows and wiper blades.
- A sturdy, flat board to be placed under the jack to give it firm support.
- A shovel to dig the vehicle out of snowdrifts.
- Extra washer fluid to refill the windshieldwasher fluid reservoir.

#### DRIVING ON SNOW OR ICE

# **WARNING**

 Wet ice (32°F, 0°C and freezing rain), very cold snow or ice can be slick and very hard to drive on. The vehicle will have much less traction or "grip" under these conditions. Try to avoid driving on wet ice until the road is salted or sanded.

- Whatever the condition, drive with caution. Accelerate and slow down with care. If accelerating or downshifting too fast, the drive wheels will lose even more traction.
- Allow more stopping distance under these conditions. Braking should be started sooner than on dry pavement.
- Allow greater following distances on slippery roads.
- Watch for slippery spots (glare ice).
   These may appear on an otherwise clear road in shaded areas. If a patch of ice is seen ahead, brake before reaching it. Try not to brake while on the ice, and avoid any sudden steering maneuvers.
- Do not use the cruise control (if so equipped) on slippery roads.
- Snow can trap dangerous exhaust gases under your vehicle. Keep snow clear of the exhaust pipe and from around your vehicle.

#### 5-40 Starting and driving

# ENGINE BLOCK HEATER (if so equipped)

Engine block heaters are used to assist with cold temperature starting.

The engine block heater should be used when the outside temperature is 20°F (-7°C) or lower.

## **AWARNING**

- Do not use your engine block heater with an ungrounded electrical system or a 2-pronged adapter. You can be seriously injured by an electrical shock if you use an ungrounded connection.
- Disconnect and properly store the engine block heater cord before starting the engine. Damage to the cord could result in an electrical shock and can cause serious injury.
- Use a heavy-duty 3-wire, 3-pronged extension cord rated for at least 10 A. Plug the extension cord into a Ground Fault Interrupt (GFI) protected, grounded 110-VAC outlet. Failure to use the proper extension cord or a grounded outlet can result in a fire or electrical shock and cause serious personal injury.

To use the engine block heater:

- 1. Turn the engine off.
- 2. Open the hood and unwrap the engine block heater cord.
- 3. Plug the engine block heater cord into a grounded 3-wire. 3-pronged extension cord.
- 4. Plug the extension cord into a Ground Fault Interrupt (GFI) protected, grounded 110volt AC (VAC) outlet.
- 5. The engine block heater must be plugged in for at least 2-4 hours, depending on outside temperatures, to properly warm the engine coolant. Use an appropriate timer to turn the engine block heater on.
- 6. Before starting the engine, unplug and properly store the cord to keep it away from moving parts.

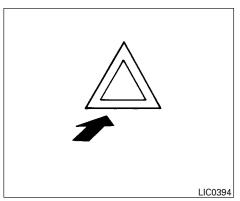
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# HAZARD WARNING FLASHER SWITCH



Push the switch on to warn other drivers when you must stop or park under emergency conditions. All turn signal lights flash.

# **AWARNING**

- If stopping for an emergency, be sure to move the vehicle well off the road.
- Do not use the hazard warning flashers while moving on the highway unless unusual circumstances force you to drive so slowly that your vehicle might become a hazard to other traffic.
- Turn signals do not work when the hazard warning flasher lights are on.

# **FLAT TIRE**

The flashers will operate with the ignition switch placed in any position.

Some jurisdictions may prohibit the use of the hazard warning flasher switch while driving.

# TIRE PRESSURE MONITORING SYSTEM (TPMS)

This vehicle is equipped with TPMS. It monitors tire pressure of all tires except the spare. When the low tire pressure warning light is lit, and the CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning appears in the vehicle information display, one or more of your tires is significantly under-inflated. If equipped, the system also displays pressure of all tires (except the spare tire) on the display screen by sending a signal from a sensor that is installed in each wheel. If the vehicle is being driven with low tire pressure, the TPMS will activate and warn you of it by the low tire pressure warning light. This system will activate only when the vehicle is driven at speeds above 16 mph (25 km/h). For additional information, refer to "Warning/indicator lights and audible reminders" in the "Instruments and controls" section. "Tire pressure information" in the "Display screen, heater, air conditioner, audio and phone systems" section and "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

# **AWARNING**

- Radio waves could adversely affect electric medical equipment. Those who use a pacemaker should contact the electric medical equipment manufacturer for the possible influences before use.
- If the low tire pressure warning light illuminates while driving, avoid sudden steering maneuvers or abrupt braking, reduce vehicle speed, pull off the road to a safe location and stop the vehicle as soon as possible. Driving with underinflated tires may permanently damage the tires and increase the likelihood of tire failure. Serious vehicle damage could occur and may lead to an accident and could result in serious personal iniury. Check the tire pressure for all four tires. Adjust the tire pressure to the recommended COLD tire pressure shown on the Tire and Loading Information label to turn the low tire pressure warning light OFF. If you have a flat tire, replace it with a spare tire as soon as possible.
- When a spare tire is mounted or a wheel is replaced, tire pressure will not be indicated, the TPMS will not function and the low tire pressure warning light will flash for approximately 1 minute. The light will remain on after 1 minute. Contact your NISSAN dealer as soon as possible for tire replacement and/or system resetting.
- Replacing tires with those not originally specified by NISSAN could affect the proper operation of the TPMS.
- Do not inject any tire liquid or aerosol tire sealant into the tires, as this may cause a malfunction of the tire pressure sensors.

#### CHANGING A FLAT TIRE

If you have a flat tire, follow the instructions below:

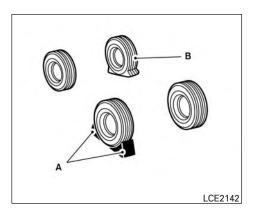
# Stopping the vehicle

- 1. Safely move the vehicle off the road and away from traffic.
- 2. Turn on the hazard warning flashers.
- 3. Park on a level surface and apply the parking brake. Move the shift lever to P (Park).

- 4. Turn off the engine.
- 5. Raise the hood to warn other traffic and to signal professional road assistance personnel that you need assistance.
- 6. Have all passengers get out of the vehicle and stand in a safe place, away from traffic and clear of the vehicle.

### **WARNING**

- Make sure the parking brake is securely applied and the shift lever is shifted into P (Park).
- Never change tires when the vehicle is on a slope, ice or slippery areas. This is hazardous.
- Never change tires if oncoming traffic is close to your vehicle. Wait for professional road assistance.



- A. Blocks
- B. Flat tire

# Blocking wheels

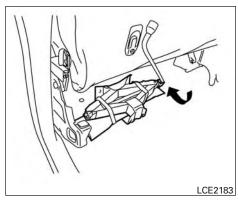
Place suitable blocks at both the front and back of the wheel diagonally opposite the flat tire to prevent the vehicle from moving when it is jacked up.

#### **AWARNING**

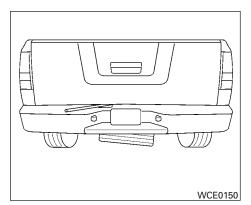
Be sure to block the wheel as the vehicle may move and result in personal injury.

# Getting the spare tire and tools

 Fold up the rear bench seat. For additional information, refer to "Folding the rear bench seat" in the "Safety – Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual.



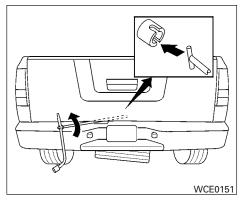
- 2. Remove the tool kit.
- 3. Collapse the jack to remove it from the storage location by inserting the wheel-nut wrench into the jack screw at the top of the jack as shown. Turn the wheel-nut wrench counterclockwise until the jack screw becomes loose. Then loosen the jack with your fingers until the jack is free.
- 4. Remove the jack.



5. Assemble the two pieces of the jack rod. Find the oval-shaped opening above the middle of the license plate. Pass the T-shaped end of the jack rod through the opening and direct it toward the spare tire winch, located directly above the spare tire.

# **A**CAUTION

Do not insert the jack rod straight as it is designed to be inserted at an angle as shown.



- Fit the square end of the jack rod into the square hole of the wheel nut wrench to form a handle.
- 7. Seat the T-shaped end of the jack rod into the T-shaped opening of the tire winch. Apply pressure to keep the jack rod engaged in the spare tire winch and turn the jack rod counterclockwise to lower the spare tire.
- Once the spare tire is completely lowered, reach under the vehicle, remove the retainer chain and carefully slide the tire from under the rear of the vehicle.
- 9. To reinstall the jack and tool kit, reverse steps 1 through 4.

10. Securely store the flat tire in the vehicle.

### **A** CAUTION

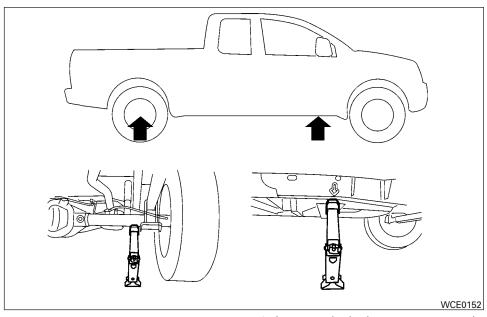
Be sure to center the spare tire suspending plate on the wheel and then lift the spare tire.

Jacking up vehicle and removing the damaged tire

#### **WARNING**

- Never get under the vehicle while it is supported only by the jack. If it is necessary to work under the vehicle, support it with safety stands.
- Use only the jack provided with your vehicle to lift the vehicle. Do not use the jack provided with your vehicle on other vehicles. The jack is designed for lifting only your vehicle during a tire change.
- Use the correct jack-up points. Never use any other part of the vehicle for jack support.
- Never jack up the vehicle more than necessary.
- Never use blocks on or under the jack.

- Do not start or run the engine while vehicle is on the jack. It may cause the vehicle to move. This is especially true for vehicles with limited slip differentials.
- Do not allow passengers to stay in the vehicle while it is on the jack.
- Never run the engine with a wheel(s) off the ground. It may cause the vehicle to move.

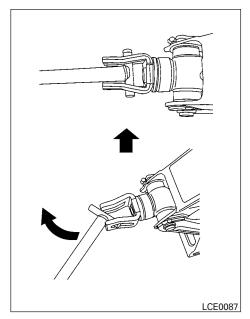


Always refer to the illustration for the correct placement and jack-up points for your specific vehicle model and jack type.

Carefully read the caution label attached to the jack body and the following instructions.

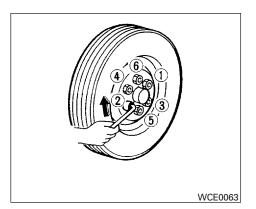
 Loosen each wheel nut one or two turns by turning counterclockwise with the wheel nut wrench. Do not remove the wheel nuts until the tire is off the ground. 2. Place the jack directly under the jack-up point as illustrated so the top of the jack contacts the vehicle at the jack-up point. Align the jack head between the two notches in the front or the rear as shown. Also fit the groove of the jack head between the notches as shown.

The jack should be used on firm and level ground.



- 3. Install the assembled jack rod into the jack as shown.
- 4. To lift the vehicle, securely hold the jack lever and rod. Carefully raise the vehicle until the tire clears the ground.

5. Remove the wheel nuts and then remove the tire.



Installing the spare tire

The spare tire is designed for emergency use. For additional information, refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

- Clean any mud or dirt from the surface between the wheel and hub.
- 2. Carefully put the spare tire on and tighten the wheel nuts finger tight.
- 3. With the wheel nut wrench, tighten wheel nuts alternately and evenly as illustrated until they are tight (1,2,3,4,5,6).

4. Lower the vehicle slowly until the tire touches the ground. Then, with the wheel nut wrench, tighten the wheel nuts securely in the sequence illustrated (1,2,3,4,5,6). Lower the vehicle completely.

#### **AWARNING**

- Incorrect wheel nuts or improperly tightened wheel nuts can cause the wheel to become loose or come off.
   This could cause an accident.
- Do not use oil or grease on the wheel studs or nuts. This could cause the nuts to become loose.
- Retighten the wheel nuts when the vehicle has been driven for 600 miles (1,000 km) (also in cases of a flat tire, etc.).

As soon as possible, tighten the wheel nuts to the specified torque with a torque wrench.

Wheel nut tightening torque:

101 ft-lb (137 N·m)

The wheel nuts must be kept tightened to specification at all times. It is recommended that wheel nuts be tightened to specifications at each lubrication interval.

Adjust tire pressure to the COLD pressure.

COLD pressure: After vehicle has been parked for 3 hours or more or driven less than 1 mi. (1.6 km).

COLD tire pressures are shown on the Tire and Loading Information label affixed to the driver side center pillar.

After adjusting tire pressure to the COLD tire pressure, the display(if so equipped) of the tire pressure information may show higher pressure than the COLD tire pressure after the vehicle has been driven more than 1 mi. (1.6 km). This is because the tire pressure increases as the tire temperature rises. This does not indicate a system malfunction.

 Securely store the flat tire, tools and jacking equipment in the vehicle. For additional information about storing the flat tire, refer to the "Getting the spare tire and tools" section of this manual.

#### JUMP STARTING

### **A** WARNING

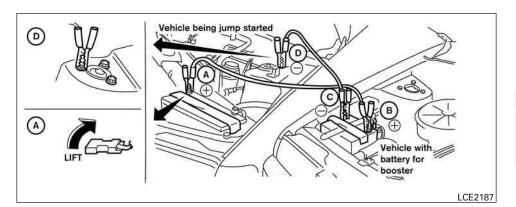
- Always make sure that the spare tire and jacking equipment are properly secured after use. Such items can become dangerous projectiles in an accident or sudden stop.
- The spare tire is designed for emergency use. For additional information. refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Maintenance and do-it-vourself" section of this manual.

To start your engine with a booster battery, the instructions and precautions below must be followed.

# **AWARNING**

- If done incorrectly, jump starting can lead to a battery explosion, resulting in severe injury or death. It could also damage vour vehicle.
- Explosive hydrogen gas is always present in the vicinity of the battery. Keep all sparks and flames away from the battery.
- Do not allow battery fluid to come into contact with eyes, skin, clothing or painted surfaces. Battery fluid is a corrosive sulfuric acid solution which can cause severe burns. If the fluid should come into contact with anything, immediately flush the contacted area with water.
- Keep battery out of the reach of children.
- The booster battery must be rated at 12 volts. Use of an improperly rated battery can damage your vehicle.

- Whenever working on or near a battery, always wear suitable eye protectors (for example, goggles or industrial safety spectacles) and remove rings, metal bands, or any other iewelry. Do not lean over the battery when jump starting.
- Do not attempt to jump start a frozen battery. It could explode and cause serious injury.



### **AWARNING**

Always follow the instructions below. Failure to do so could result in damage to the charging system and cause personal injury.

 If the booster battery is in another vehicle, position the two vehicles to bring their batteries near each other.

#### Do not allow the two vehicles to touch.

 Apply the parking brake. Move the shift lever to P (Park). Switch off all unnecessary electrical systems (lights, heater, air conditioner, etc.).

- 3. Ensure the vent caps are level and tight.
- Remove the Fuse/fusible link box and connect jumper cables in the sequence illustrated (A, B, C, D).

#### **A** CAUTION

- Always connect positive (+) to positive (+) and negative (-) to body ground (for example, strut mounting bolt, engine lift bracket, etc.) — not to the battery.
- Make sure the jumper cables do not touch moving parts in the engine compartment and that the cable clamps do not contact any other metal.

- 5. Start the engine of the booster vehicle and let it run for a few minutes.
- Keep the engine speed of the booster vehicle at about 2,000 rpm, and start the engine of the vehicle being jump started.

### **A** CAUTION

Do not keep the starter motor engaged for more than 10 seconds. If the engine does not start right away, turn the key off and wait 3 to 4 seconds before trying again.

 After starting the engine, carefully disconnect the negative cable and then the positive cable.

#### 6-10 In case of emergency

#### IF YOUR VEHICLE OVERHEATS

#### **AWARNING**

Do not push start this vehicle. The 3-way catalyst may be damaged.

#### **A** CAUTION

Automatic transmission models cannot be push-started or tow-started. Attempting to do so may cause transmission damage.

### **AWARNING**

- Do not continue to drive if your vehicle overheats. Doing so could cause engine damage or a vehicle fire.
- To avoid the danger of being scalded. never remove the radiator or coolant reservoir cap while the engine is still hot. When the radiator or coolant reservoir cap is removed, pressurized hot water will spurt out, possibly causing serious injury.
- Do not open the hood if steam is coming out.

If your vehicle is overheating (indicated by an extremely high temperature gauge reading and the illumination of the engine oil pressure/engine coolant temperature high indicator light), or if you feel a lack of engine power, detect abnormal noise, etc. take the following steps:

1. Move the vehicle safely off the road, apply the parking brake and move the shift lever to P (Park).

#### Do not stop the engine.

2. Turn off the air conditioner. Open all the windows, move the heater or air conditioner temperature control to maximum hot and fan control to high speed.

- 3. Get out of the vehicle. Look and listen for steam or coolant escaping from the radiator before opening the hood. If steam or coolant is escaping, turn off the engine. Do not open the hood further until no steam or coolant can be seen.
- 4. Open the engine hood.

#### **AWARNING**

If steam or water is coming from the engine, stand clear to prevent getting burned.

5. Visually check drive belts for damage or looseness. Also check if the cooling fan is running. The radiator hoses and radiator should not leak water. If coolant is leaking. the water pump belt is missing or loose, or the cooling fan does not run, stop the engine.

# **AWARNING**

Be careful not to allow your hands, hair. jewelry or clothing to come into contact with, or get caught in, engine belts or the engine cooling fan. The engine cooling fan can start at any time.

#### **TOWING YOUR VEHICLE**

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 After the engine cools down, check the coolant level in the engine coolant reservoir tank with the engine running. Add coolant to the engine coolant reservoir tank if necessary. Have your vehicle repaired at a NISSAN dealer. When towing your vehicle, all jurisdictional and local regulations for towing must be followed. Incorrect towing equipment could damage your vehicle. Towing instructions are available from a NISSAN dealer. Local service operators are generally familiar with the applicable laws and procedures for towing. To assure proper towing and to prevent accidental damage to your vehicle, NISSAN recommends having a service operator tow your vehicle. It is advisable to have the service operator carefully read the following precautions:

For additional information about towing your vehicle behind a recreational vehicle (RV), refer to "Flat towing" in the "Technical and Consumer Information" section of this manual.

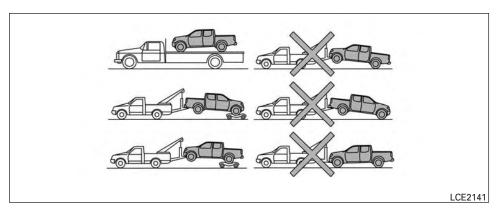
TOWING RECOMMENDED BY NISSAN

# **AWARNING**

- Never ride in a vehicle that is being towed.
- Never get under your vehicle after it has been lifted by a tow truck.

#### **A** CAUTION

- When towing, make sure that the transmission, axles, steering system and powertrain are in working condition. If any of these conditions apply, dollies or a flatbed tow truck must be used.
- Always attach safety chains before towing.



#### Four-Wheel Drive models

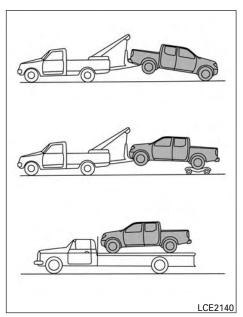
NISSAN recommends that towing dollies be used when towing your vehicle or place the vehicle on a flat bed truck as illustrated.

# **A** CAUTION

Never tow 4WD models with any of the wheels on the ground as this may cause serious and expensive damage to the transfer case and transmission.

#### Two-Wheel Drive models

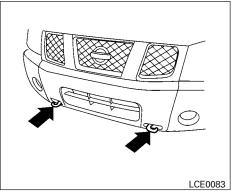
NISSAN recommends that your vehicle be towed with the driving (rear) wheels off the ground or place the vehicle on a flat bed truck as illustrated.



#### **A** CAUTION

- Never tow automatic transmission models with the rear wheels on the ground or four wheels on the ground (forward or backward), as this may cause serious and expensive damage to the transmission. If it is necessary to tow the vehicle with the front wheels raised always use towing dollies under the rear wheels.
- When towing automatic transmission models with the front wheels on the ground or on towing dollies:
  - Place the ignition switch in the OFF position and secure the steering wheel in a straight-ahead position with a rope or similar device. Never secure the steering wheel by placing the ignition switch in the LOCK position. This may cause damage to the lock mechanism (if so equipped).

When towing long distances or speeds in excess of 60 mph, remove the propeller shaft before towing to prevent damage to the transmission. See your NISSAN dealer for more information.



Recovery hooks (if so equipped)
VEHICLE RECOVERY (freeing a stuck vehicle)

Pulling a stuck vehicle

# **WARNING**

To avoid vehicle damage, serious personal injury or death when recovering a stuck vehicle:

 Contact a professional towing service to recover the vehicle if you have any questions regarding the recovery procedure.

- Attach recovery devices only to main structural members of the vehicle or the recovery hooks.
- Only use devices specifically designed for vehicle recovery and follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- Always pull the recovery device straight out from the front of the vehicle. Never pull at an angle.
- Route recovery devices so they do not touch any part of the vehicle except the attachment point.

If your vehicle is stuck in sand, snow, mud, etc., use a tow strap or other device designed specifically for vehicle recovery. Always follow the manufacturer's instructions for the recovery device.

Rocking a stuck vehicle

### **AWARNING**

- Stand clear of a stuck vehicle.
- Do not spin your tires at high speed.
   This could cause them to explode and result in serious injury. Parts of your vehicle could also overheat and be damaged.

If your vehicle is stuck in sand, snow, mud, etc., use the following procedure:

- Turn off the Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) system.
- 2. Activate the Electronic Locking Rear Differential (E-Lock) System (if so equipped).
- Make sure the area in front and behind the vehicle is clear of obstructions.
- Turn the steering wheel right and left to clear an area around the front tires.
- Slowly rock the vehicle forward and backward.
  - Shift back and forth between R (Reverse) and D (Drive).
  - Apply the accelerator as little as possible to maintain the rocking motion.
  - Release the accelerator pedal before shifting between R (Reverse) and D (Drive).
  - Do not spin the tires above 34 mph (55 km/h) or above 12 mph (20 km/h) if the E-Lock System (if so equipped) is engaged.
- If the vehicle cannot be freed after a few tries, contact a professional towing service to remove the vehicle.

# **MEMO**

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#### **CLEANING EXTERIOR**

In order to maintain the appearance of your vehicle, it is important to take proper care of it.

To protect the paint surfaces, please wash your vehicle as soon as you can:

- after a rainfall to prevent possible damage from acid rain
- after driving on coastal roads
- when contaminants such as soot, bird droppings, tree sap, metal particles or bugs get on the paint surface
- when dust or mud builds up on the surface

Whenever possible, store or park your vehicle inside a garage or in a covered area.

When it is necessary to park outside, park in a shady area or protect the vehicle with a body cover.

Be careful not to scratch the paint surface when putting on or removing the body cover.

#### WASHING

Wash dirt off with a wet sponge and plenty of water. Clean the vehicle thoroughly using a mild soap, a special vehicle soap or general purpose dishwashing liquid mixed with clean, lukewarm (never hot) water.

#### **CAUTION**

- Do not use car washes that use acid in the detergent. Some car washes, especially brushless ones, use some acid for cleaning. The acid may react with some plastic vehicle components, causing them to crack. This could affect their appearance, and also could cause them not to function properly. Always check with your car wash to confirm that acid is not used.
- Do not wash the vehicle with strong household soap, strong chemical detergents, gasoline or solvents.
- Do not wash the vehicle in direct sunlight or while the vehicle body is hot, as the surface may become water-spotted.
- Avoid using tight-napped or rough cloths, such as washing mitts. Care must be taken when removing caked-on dirt or other foreign substances so the paint surface is not scratched or damaged.

Rinse the vehicle thoroughly with plenty of clean water.

Inside edges, seams and folds on the doors, hatches and hood are particularly vulnerable to

the effects of road salt. Therefore, these areas must be cleaned regularly. Take care that the drain holes in the lower edge of the door are open. Spray water under the body and in the wheel wells to loosen the dirt and wash away road salt.

A damp chamois can be used to dry the vehicle to avoid water spots.

#### WAXING

Regular waxing protects the paint surface and helps retain new vehicle appearance. Polishing is recommended to remove built-up wax residue and to avoid a weathered appearance before re-applying wax.

A NISSAN dealer can assist you in choosing the proper product.

- Wax your vehicle only after a thorough washing. Follow the instructions supplied with the wax.
- Do not use a wax containing any abrasives, cutting compounds or cleaners that may damage the vehicle finish.

Machine compounding or aggressive polishing on a base coat/clear coat paint finish may dull the finish or leave swirl marks.

#### 7-2 Appearance and care

#### REMOVING SPOTS

Remove tar and oil spots, industrial dust, insects, and tree sap as guickly as possible from the surface of the paint to avoid lasting damage or staining. Special cleaning products are available at a NISSAN dealer or any automotive accessory store.

#### **UNDERBODY**

In areas where road salt is used in winter, it is necessary to clean the underbody regularly in order to prevent dirt and salt from building up and causing the acceleration of corrosion on the underbody and suspension. Before the winter period and again in the spring, the underseal must be checked and, if necessary, re-treated.

#### **GLASS**

Use glass cleaner to remove smoke and dust film from the glass surfaces. It is normal for glass to become coated with a film after the vehicle is parked in the hot sun. Glass cleaner and a soft cloth will easily remove this film.

# **A** CAUTION

When cleaning the inside of the windows. do not use sharp-edged tools, abrasive cleaners or chlorine-based disinfectant cleaners. They could damage the electrical conductors, radio antenna elements or rear window defroster elements.

# ALUMINUM ALLOY WHEELS (if so equipped)

Wash the wheels regularly with a sponge dampened in a mild soap solution, especially during winter months in areas where road salt is used. If not removed, road salt can discolor the wheels.

### **A** CAUTION

Follow the directions below to avoid staining or discoloring the wheels:

- Do not use a cleaner that uses strong acid or alkali contents to clean the wheels.
- Do not apply wheel cleaners to the wheels when they are hot. The wheel temperature should be the same as ambient temperature.
- Rinse the wheel to completely remove the cleaner within 15 minutes after the cleaner is applied.

#### **CHROME PARTS**

Clean all chrome parts regularly with a nonabrasive chrome polish to maintain the finish.

#### TIRE DRESSINGS

NISSAN does not recommend the use of tire dressings. Tire manufacturers apply a coating to the tires to help reduce discoloration of the rubber. If a tire dressing is applied to the tires, it may react with the coating and form a compound. This compound may come off the tire while driving and stain the vehicle paint.

If you choose to use a tire dressing, take the following precautions:

- Use a water-based tire dressing. The coating on the tire dissolves more easily than with an oil-based tire dressing.
- Apply a light coat of tire dressing to help prevent it from entering the tire tread/grooves (where it would be difficult to remove).
- Wipe off excess tire dressing using a dry towel. Make sure the tire dressing is completely removed from the tire tread/grooves.
- Allow the tire dressing to dry as recommended by the tire dressing manufacturer.

#### CLEANING INTERIOR

Occasionally remove loose dust from the interior trim, plastic parts and seats using a vacuum cleaner or soft bristled brush. Wipe the vinyl and leather surfaces with a clean, soft cloth dampened in mild soap solution, then wipe clean with a dry, soft cloth.

Regular care and cleaning is required in order to maintain the appearance of the leather.

Before using any fabric protector, read the manufacturer's recommendations. Some fabric protectors contain chemicals that may stain or bleach the seat material.

Use a cloth dampened only with water to clean the meter and gauge lens.

#### **AWARNING**

Do not use water or acidic cleaners (hot steam cleaners) on the seat. This can damage the seat or occupant classification sensor. This can also affect the operation of the air bag system and result in serious personal injury.

# **A** CAUTION

- Never use benzine, thinner or any similar material.
- Small dirt particles can be abrasive and damaging to leather surfaces and should be removed promptly. Do not use saddle soap, car waxes, polishes, oils, cleaning fluids, solvents, detergents or ammonia-based cleaners as they may damage the leather's natural finish.
- Never use fabric protectors unless recommended by the manufacturer.
- Do not use glass or plastic cleaner on meter or gauge lens covers. It may damage the lens cover.

#### AIR FRESHENERS

Most air fresheners use a solvent that could affect the vehicle interior. If you use an air freshener, take the following precautions:

 Hanging-type air fresheners can cause permanent discoloration when they contact vehicle interior surfaces. Place the air freshener in a location that allows it to hang free and not contact an interior surface.

 Liquid-type air fresheners typically clip on the vents. These products can cause immediate damage and discoloration when spilled on interior surfaces.

Carefully read and follow the manufacturer's instructions before using the air fresheners.

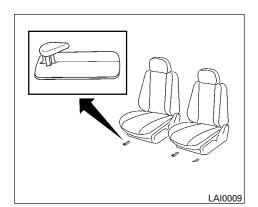
#### FLOOR MATS

#### **AWARNING**

To avoid potential pedal interference that may result in a collision or injury:

- NEVER place a floor mat on top of another floor mat in the driver front position.
- Use only genuine NISSAN floor mats specifically designed for use in your vehicle model. For additional information. refer to your NISSAN dealer.
- Properly position the mats in the floorwell using the floor mat positioning aid. For additional information, refer to "Floor mat positioning aid" in this section.

The use of genuine NISSAN floor mats can extend the life of your vehicle carpet and make it easier to clean the interior. Mats should be maintained with regular cleaning and replaced if they become excessively worn.



## Floor mat positioning aid

This vehicle includes two driver's side front floor mat brackets and one passenger's side front floor mat bracket to help keep your floor mats in place. Genuine NISSAN floor mats have been specially designed for your vehicle model. The driver's side floor mat has two grommet holes incorporated in it and the passenger's side has one grommet hole. Position each mat by placing the floor mat bracket hook through the floor mat grommet holes while centering the mat in the floorwell.

Periodically check to make certain the mats are properly positioned.

#### SEAT BELTS

The seat belts can be cleaned by wiping them with a sponge dampened in a mild soap solution. Allow the belts to dry completely in the shade before using them. For additional information, refer to "Seat belt maintenance" in the "Safety -Seats, seat belts and supplemental restraint system" section of this manual.

#### **AWARNING**

Do not allow wet seat belts to roll up in the retractor. NEVER use bleach, dve or chemical solvents to clean the seat belts. since these materials may severely weaken the seat belt webbing.

### CORROSION PROTECTION

# MOST COMMON FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO VEHICLE CORROSION

Most vehicle corrosion is caused by:

- the accumulation of moisture-retaining dirt and debris in body panel sections, cavities, and other areas
- damage to paint and other protective coatings caused by gravel and stone chips or minor traffic collisions

# **ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS** INFLUENCE THE RATE OF CORROSION

#### Moisture

Accumulation of sand, dirt and water on the vehicle body underside can accelerate corrosion. Wet floor coverings will not dry completely inside the vehicle and should be removed for drying to avoid floor panel corrosion.

# Relative humidity

Corrosion will be accelerated in areas of high relative humidity, especially those areas where the temperatures stay above freezing and where atmospheric pollution exists and road salt is used.

# **Temperature**

High temperatures accelerate the rate of corrosion to those parts which are not well ventilated.

# Air pollution

Industrial pollution, the presence of salt in the air in coastal areas, or heavy road salt use accelerates the corrosion process. Road salt also accelerates the disintegration of paint surfaces.

## PROTECT YOUR VEHICLE FROM CORROSION

- Wash and wax your vehicle often to keep the vehicle clean.
- Always check for minor damage to the paint and repair it as soon as possible.
- Keep drain holes at the bottom of the doors open to avoid water accumulation.
- Check the underbody for accumulation of sand, dirt or salt. If present, wash with water as soon as possible.

### **A** CAUTION

- NEVER remove dirt, sand or other debris from the passenger compartment by washing it out with a hose. Remove dirt with a vacuum cleaner or broom.
- Never allow water or other liquids to come in contact with electronic components inside the vehicle as this may damage them.

Chemicals used for road surface de-icing are extremely corrosive. They accelerate corrosion and deterioration of underbody components such as the exhaust system, fuel and brake lines, brake cables, floor pan and fenders.

#### In winter, the underbody must be cleaned periodically.

For additional protection against rust and corrosion, which may be required in some areas, consult a NISSAN dealer.

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#### **MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Your NISSAN has been designed to have minimum maintenance requirements with long service intervals to save you both time and money; however, some day-to-day and regular maintenance is essential to maintain your NISSAN's good mechanical condition as well as its emissions and engine performance.

It is the owner's responsibility to make sure that the scheduled maintenance, as well as general maintenance, is performed.

As the vehicle owner, you are the only one who can ensure that your vehicle receives proper maintenance. You are a vital link in the maintenance chain.

#### Scheduled maintenance

For your convenience, both required and optional scheduled maintenance items are described and listed in your "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide". You must refer to that guide to ensure that necessary maintenance is performed on your NISSAN at regular intervals.

#### **General maintenance**

General maintenance includes those items which should be checked during normal day-to-day operation. They are essential for proper vehicle operation. It is your responsibility to perform these maintenance procedures regularly as prescribed. Performing general maintenance checks requires minimal mechanical skill and only a few general automotive tools.

These checks or inspections can be done by you, a qualified technician or, if you prefer, a NISSAN dealer.

#### Where to go for service

If maintenance service is required or your vehicle appears to malfunction, have the systems checked and corrected by a NISSAN dealer.

NISSAN technicians are well-trained specialists who are kept up-to-date with the latest service information through technical bulletins, service tips and in-dealership training programs. They are completely qualified to work on NISSAN vehicles **before** they work on your vehicle rather than after they have worked on it.

You can be confident that a NISSAN dealer's service department performs the best job to meet the maintenance requirements on your vehicle — in a reliable and economical way.

#### **GENERAL MAINTENANCE**

During the normal day-to-day operation of the vehicle, general maintenance should be performed regularly as prescribed in this section. If you detect any unusual sounds, vibrations or smells, be sure to check for the cause or have a NISSAN dealer do it promptly. In addition, you should notify a NISSAN dealer if you think that repairs are required.

When performing any checks or maintenance work, closely observe the "Maintenance precautions" in this section.

# EXPLANATION OF GENERAL MAINTENANCE ITEMS

Additional information on the following items with "\*" is found in this section.

#### Outside the vehicle

The maintenance items listed here should be performed from time to time, unless otherwise specified.

**Doors and engine hood** Check that the doors and engine hood operate properly. Also ensure that all latches lock securely. Lubricate hinges, latches, latch pins, rollers and links as necessary. Make sure that the secondary latch keeps the hood from opening when the primary latch is released.

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When driving in areas using road salt or other corrosive materials, check lubrication frequently.

**Lights\*** Clean the headlights on a regular basis. Make sure that the headlights, stop lights, tail lights, turn signal lights, and other lights are all operating properly and installed securely. Also check headlight aim.

Road wheel nuts (lug nuts)\* When checking the tires, make sure no wheel nuts are missing, and check for any loose wheel nuts. Tighten if necessary.

Tire rotation\* Tires should be rotated every 5.000 miles (8.000 km).

Tires\* Check the pressure with a gauge often and always prior to long distance trips. If necessary, adjust the pressure in all tires, including the spare, to the pressure specified. Check carefully for damage, cuts or excessive wear.

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) transmitter components Replace the TPMS transmitter grommet seal, valve core and cap when the tires are replaced due to wear or age.

Wheel alignment and balance If the vehicle should pull to either side while driving on a straight and level road, or if you detect uneven or abnormal tire wear, there may be a need for wheel

alignment. If the steering wheel or seat vibrates at normal highway speeds, wheel balancing may be needed.

 For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.

Windshield Clean the windshield on a regular basis. Check the windshield at least every six months for cracks or other damage. Have a damaged windshield repaired by a qualified repair facility.

Windshield wiper blades\* Check for cracks or wear if they do not wipe properly.

Inside the vehicle

The maintenance items listed here should be checked on a regular basis, such as when performing periodic maintenance, cleaning the vehicle, etc.

Additional information on the following items with an "\*" is found in this section.

Accelerator pedal Check the pedal for smooth operation and make sure the pedal does not bind or require uneven effort. Keep the floor mat away from the pedal.

Automatic transmission P (Park) position mechanism On a fairly steep hill check that your vehicle is held securely with the shift lever in the P (Park) position without applying any brakes.

Brake pedal Check the pedal for smooth operation. If the brake pedal suddenly goes down further than normal, the pedal feels spongy or the vehicle seems to take longer to stop, see a NISSAN dealer immediately. Keep the floor mat away from the pedal.

Brakes Check that the brakes do not pull the vehicle to one side when applied.

**Parking brake** Check the parking brake operation regularly. The vehicle should be securely held on a fairly steep hill with only the parking brake applied. If the parking brake needs adjustment, see a NISSAN dealer.

Seats Check seat position controls such as seat adjusters, seatback recliner, etc. to ensure they operate smoothly and all latches lock securely in every position. Check that the head restraints/headrests move up and down smoothly and the locks (if so equipped) hold securely in all latched positions.

Seat belts Check that all parts of the seat belt system (for example, buckles, anchors, adjusters and retractors) operate properly and smoothly, and are installed securely. Check the belt webbing for cuts, fraying, wear or damage.

**Steering wheel** Check for changes in the steering system, such as excessive freeplay, hard steering or strange noises.

**Warning lights and chimes** Make sure all warning lights and chimes are operating properly.

**Windshield wiper and washer\*** Check that the wipers and washer operate properly and that the wipers do not streak.

**Windshield defroster** Check that the air comes out of the defroster outlets properly and in sufficient quantity when operating the heater or air conditioner.

#### Under the hood and vehicle

The maintenance items listed here should be checked periodically (for example, each time you check the engine oil or refuel).

Battery\* (for seviceable batteries) Check the fluid level in each cell. It should be between the MAX and MIN lines. Vehicles operated in high temperatures or under severe conditions require frequent checks of the battery fluid level.

#### NOTE:

Care should be taken to avoid situations that can lead to potential battery discharge and potential no-start conditions such as:

- Installation or extended use of electronic accessories that consume battery power when the engine is not running (Phone chargers, GPS, DVD players, etc.)
- Vehicle is not driven regularly and/or only driven short distances. In these cases, the battery may need to be charged to maintain battery health.

**Brake fluid level\*** Make sure that the brake fluid level is between the MIN and MAX lines on the reservoir.

**Engine coolant level\*** Check the coolant level when the engine is cold.

**Engine drive belts\*** Make sure the drive belts are not frayed, worn, cracked or oily.

**Engine oil level\*** Check the level after parking the vehicle on a level surface with the engine off. Wait more than 10 minutes for the oil to drain back into the oil pan.

**Exhaust system** Make sure there are no loose supports, cracks or holes. If the sound of the exhaust seems unusual or there is a smell of exhaust fumes, immediately have the exhaust system inspected by a NISSAN dealer. For additional information, refer to the carbon monoxide warning in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual.

**Fluid leaks** Check under the vehicle for fuel, oil, water or other fluid leaks after the vehicle has been parked for a while. Water dripping from the air conditioner after use is normal. If you should notice any leaks or if gasoline fumes are evident, check for the cause and have it corrected immediately.

**Power steering fluid level\* and lines** Check the level when the fluid is cold, with the engine off. Check the lines for proper attachment, leaks, cracks, etc.

**Radiator and hoses** Check the front of the radiator and clean off any dirt, insects, leaves, etc., that may have accumulated. Make sure the hoses have no cracks, deformation, rot or loose connections.

#### MAINTENANCE PRECAUTIONS

Underbody The underbody is frequently exposed to corrosive substances such as those used on icy roads or to control dust. It is very important to remove these substances from the underbody, otherwise rust may form on the floor pan, frame, fuel lines and exhaust system. At the end of winter, the underbody should be thoroughly flushed with plain water, in those areas where mud and dirt may have accumulated. For additional information, refer to the "Appearance and care" section of this manual.

Windshield-washer fluid\* Check that there is adequate fluid in the reservoir.

When performing any inspection or maintenance work on your vehicle, always take care to prevent serious accidental injury to yourself or damage to the vehicle. The following are general precautions which should be closely observed.

#### **WARNING**

- Park the vehicle on a level surface, apply the parking brake securely and block the wheels to prevent the vehicle from moving. Move the shift lever to P (Park)
- Be sure the ignition switch is in the OFF or LOCK position when performing any parts replacement or repairs.
- If you must work with the engine running, keep your hands, clothing, hair and tools away from moving fans, belts and any other moving parts.
- It is advisable to secure or remove any loose clothing and remove any iewelry. such as rings, watches, etc. before working on your vehicle.
- Always wear eye protection whenever you work on your vehicle.

- If you must run the engine in an enclosed space such as a garage, be sure there is proper ventilation for exhaust gases to escape.
- Never get under the vehicle while it is supported only by a jack. If it is necessary to work under the vehicle, support it with safety stands.
- Keep smoking materials, flame and sparks away from the fuel tank and battery.
- On gasoline engine models, the fuel filter or fuel lines should be serviced by a NISSAN dealer because the fuel lines are under high pressure even when the engine is off.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not work under the hood while the engine is hot. Turn the engine off and wait until it cools down.
- Avoid contact with used engine oil and coolant. Improperly disposed engine oil, engine coolant and/or other vehicle fluids can damage the environment. Always conform to local regulations for disposal of vehicle fluid.

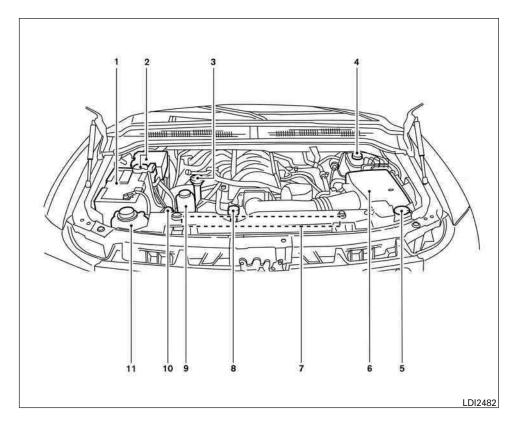
# ENGINE COMPARTMENT CHECK LOCATIONS

- Never leave the engine or automatic transmission related component harnesses disconnected while the ignition switch is in the ON position.
- Never connect or disconnect the battery or any transistorized component while the ignition switch is in the ON position.

This "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section gives instructions regarding only those items which are relatively easy for an owner to perform.

A Genuine NISSAN service manual is also available. Refer to "Owner's Manual/Service Manual order information" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

You should be aware that incomplete or improper servicing may result in operating difficulties or excessive emissions, and could affect warranty coverage. If in doubt about any servicing, have it done by a NISSAN dealer.



#### **ENGINE COOLING SYSTEM**

- Batterv
- Fuse/fusible link box
- Engine oil filler cap
- Brake fluid reservoir
- Windshield-washer fluid reservoir
- 6. Air cleaner
- Drive belt location
- 8. Radiator cap
- 9. Power steering fluid reservoir
- Engine oil dipstick
- Engine coolant reservoir

#### NOTE:

Engine cover removed for clarity.

The engine cooling system is filled at the factory with a pre-diluted mixture of 50% Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) and 50% water to provide year-round antifreeze and coolant protection. The antifreeze solution contains rust and corrosion inhibitors. Additional engine cooling system additives are not necessary.

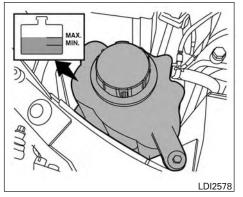
# **AWARNING**

- Never remove the radiator or coolant reservoir cap when the engine is hot. Wait until the engine and radiator cool down. Serious burns could be caused by high pressure fluid escaping from the radiator. For additional information. refer to precautions in "If your vehicle overheats" found in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.
- The radiator is equipped with a pressure type radiator cap. To prevent engine damage, use only a Genuine NISSAN radiator cap.

# **A** CAUTION

- Never use any cooling system additives such as radiator sealer. Additives may clog the cooling system and cause damage to the engine, transmission and/or cooling system.
- When adding or replacing coolant, be sure to use only Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) or equivalent, Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) is pre-diluted to provide antifreeze protection to -34° F (-37° C). If additional freeze protection is needed due to weather where you operate your vehicle, add Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) concentrate following the directions on the container. If an equivalent coolant other than Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) is used, follow the coolant manufacturer's instructions to maintain minimum antifreeze protection to -34° F (-37° C). The use of other types of coolant solutions other than Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) or equivalent may damage the engine cooling system.

• The life expectancy of the factory-fill coolant is 105,000 miles (168,000 km) or 7 years. Mixing any other type of coolant other than Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue), including Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (green), or the use of non-distilled water will reduce the life expectancy of the factory-fill coolant. For additional information, refer to the NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide.



# CHECKING ENGINE COOLANT LEVEL

Check the coolant level in the reservoir when the engine is cold. If the coolant level is below the MIN level, add coolant to the MAX level. If the reservoir is empty, check the coolant level in the radiator when the engine is cold. If there is insufficient coolant in the radiator, fill the radiator with coolant up to the filler opening and also add it to the reservoir up to the MAX level.

This vehicle contains Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue). The life expectancy of the factory-fill coolant is 168,000 km (105,000 miles) or 7 years. Mixing any other type of coolant or the use of non-distilled water will reduce the life expectancy of the factory-fill coolant. For additional information, refer to the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide".

# If the cooling system frequently requires coolant, have it checked by a NISSAN dealer.

For additional information on the location of the engine coolant reservoir, refer to "Engine compartment check locations" in this section.

#### CHANGING ENGINE COOLANT

A NISSAN dealer can change the engine coolant. The service procedure can be found in the NISSAN Service Manual.

Improper servicing can result in reduced heater performance and engine overheating.

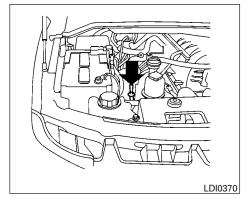
#### **AWARNING**

- To avoid the danger of being scalded, never change the coolant when the engine is hot.
- Never remove the radiator or engine coolant reservoir cap when the engine is hot. Serious burns could be caused by high pressure fluid escaping from the radiator.

#### **ENGINE OIL**

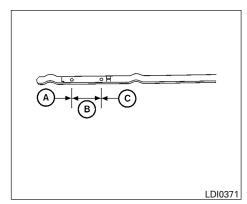
- Avoid direct skin contact with used coolant. If skin contact is made, wash thoroughly with soap or hand cleaner as soon as possible.
- Keep coolant out of the reach of children and pets.

Engine coolant must be disposed of properly. Check your local regulations.



#### CHECKING ENGINE OIL LEVEL

- 1. Park the vehicle on a level surface and apply the parking brake.
- 2. Start the engine and let it idle until it reaches operating temperature.
- 3. Turn off the engine. Wait more than 10 minutes for the oil to drain back into the oil pan.
- 4. Remove the dipstick and wipe it clean. Reinsert it all the way.

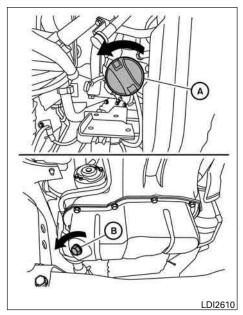


- 5. Remove the dipstick again and check the oil level. It should be between the H (High) and L (Low) marks (B). This is the normal operating oil level range. If the oil level is below the L (Low) mark (A), remove the oil filler cap and pour recommended oil through the opening. Do not overfill ©.
- 6. Recheck oil level with the dipstick.

It is normal to add some oil between oil maintenance intervals or during the break-in period, depending on the severity of operating conditions.

# **A** CAUTION

Oil level should be checked regularly. Operating the engine with an insufficient amount of oil can damage the engine, and such damage is not covered by warranty.



#### CHANGING ENGINE OIL

- 1. Park the vehicle on a level surface and apply the parking brake.
- 2. Start the engine and let it idle until it reaches operating temperature, then turn it off.

- 3. Remove the oil filler cap (A) by turning it counterclockwise.
- 4. Place a large drain pan under the drain plug **(B)**.
- 5. Remove the drain plug (B) with a wrench by turning it counterclockwise and completely drain the oil.

If the oil filter is to be changed, remove and replace it at this time. For additional information, refer to "Changing engine oil filter" in this section.

- Waste oil must be disposed of properly.
- Check your local regulations.

# **WARNING**

- Prolonged and repeated contact with used engine oil may cause skin cancer.
- Try to avoid direct skin contact with used oil. If skin contact is made, wash thoroughly with soap or hand cleaner as soon as possible.
- Keep used engine oil out of reach of children.

# **CAUTION**

#### Be careful not to burn yourself. The engine oil may be hot.

6. Clean and reinstall the drain plug and a new washer. Securely tighten the drain plug with a wrench. Do not use excessive force.

#### Drain plug tightening torque: 34 N·m (26 ft-lb)

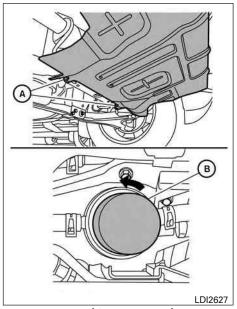
7. Refill engine with recommended oil through the oil filler opening, then install the oil filler cap securely.

For additional information on drain and refill capacity, refer "Recommended fluids/lubricants and capacities" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

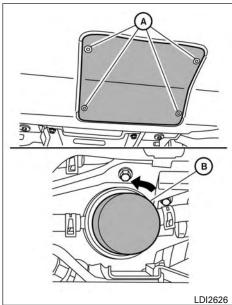
The drain and refill capacity depends on the oil temperature and drain time. Use these specifications for reference only. Always use the dipstick to determine when the proper amount of oil is in the engine.

8. Start the engine. Check for leakage around the drain plug and oil filter. Correct as required.

9. Turn the engine off and wait more than 10 minutes. Check the oil level with the dipstick. Add engine oil if necessary.



2WD (if so equipped)



4WD (if so equipped)
CHANGING ENGINE OIL FILTER

- 1. Park the vehicle on a level surface and apply the parking brake.
- 2. Turn the engine off.

- 3. Remove bolts (A) and cover.
- 4. Place a large drain pan under the oil filter **B**.
- Loosen the oil filter with an oil filter wrench by turning it counterclockwise. Then remove the oil filter by turning it by hand.

# **A**CAUTION

Be careful not to burn yourself. The engine oil may be hot.

6. Wipe the engine oil filter sealing surface with a clean rag.

# **A**CAUTION

Be sure to remove any old gasket material remaining on the sealing surface of the engine. Failure to do so could lead to an oil leak and engine damage.

- 7. Coat the gasket on the new filter with clean engine oil.
- 8. Screw on the oil filter until a slight resistance is felt, then tighten an additional 2/3 turn.
- Start the engine and check for leakage around the oil filter. Correct as required.
- 10. Install cover in reverse order of removal.

 Turn the engine off and wait more than 10 minutes. Check the oil level. Add engine oil if necessary.

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#### **5-SPEED AUTOMATIC** TRANSMISSION FLUID

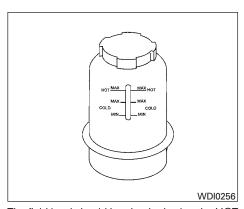
When checking or replacement is required, we recommend your NISSAN dealer for servicing.

#### **A** CAUTION

- Use Genuine NISSAN Matic S ATF. If Genuine NISSAN Matic S ATF is not available, Genuine NISSAN Matic J ATF may also be used.
- Using automatic transmission fluid other than Genuine NISSAN Matic S ATF or Matic J ATF will cause deterioration in driveability and automatic transmission durability, and may damage the automatic transmission, which is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.

The specified automatic transmission fluid is also described on caution labels located in the engine compartment.

#### **POWER STEERING FLUID**



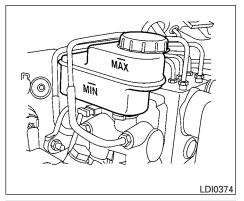
The fluid level should be checked using the HOT MAX range on the power steering fluid reservoir at fluid temperatures of 122° - 176°F (50° -80°C) or using the COLD MAX range on the power steering fluid reservoir at fluid temperatures of 32° - 86°F (0° - 30°C).

If the fluid is at or below the MIN line, add Genuine NISSAN PSF to HOT MAX or COLD MAX depending on system fluid temperature. Remove the cap and fill through the opening.

# **A** CAUTION

- DO NOT OVERFILL.
- Recommended fluid Genuine **NISSAN PSF or equivalent.**

#### WINDSHIELD-WASHER FLUID



# **AWARNING**

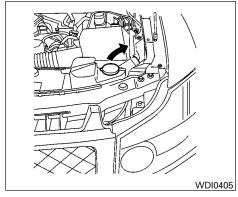
- Use only new fluid from a sealed container. Old, inferior or contaminated fluid may damage the brake system. The use of improper fluids can damage the brake system and affect the vehicle's stopping ability.
- Clean the filler cap before removing.
- Brake fluid is poisonous and should be stored carefully in marked containers out of reach of children.

# **A** CAUTION

Do not spill the fluid on any painted surfaces. This will damage the paint. If fluid is spilled, immediately wash the surface with water.

Check the fluid level in the reservoir. If the brake fluid is below the MIN line, the brake warning light will illuminate. Add brake fluid up to the MAX line. For addition information, refer to "Recommended fluids/lubricants and capacities" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual for the recommended type of brake fluid.

If the brake fluid must be added frequently, the brake system should be thoroughly checked by a NISSAN dealer.



# WINDSHIELD-WASHER FLUID RESERVOIR

Fill the windshield-washer fluid reservoir periodically. Add windshield-washer fluid when the low windshield-washer fluid warning light comes on.

To fill the windshield-washer fluid reservoir, lift the cap off the reservoir and pour the windshieldwasher fluid into the reservoir opening.

Add a washer solvent to the washer for better cleaning. In the winter season, add a windshieldwasher antifreeze. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for the mixture ratio.

#### **BATTERY**

Refill the reservoir more frequently when driving conditions require an increased amount of windshield-washer fluid.

Recommended fluid is Genuine NISSAN Windshield Washer Concentrate Cleaner & Antifreeze or equivalent.

#### **A** CAUTION

- Do not substitute engine antifreeze coolant for windshield-washer fluid. This may result in damage to the paint.
- Do not fill the windshield-washer fluid reservoir with washer fluid concentrates at full strength. Some methyl alcohol based washer fluid concentrates may permanently stain the grille if spilled while filling the windshieldwasher fluid reservoir.
- Pre-mix washer fluid concentrates with water to the manufacturer's recommended levels before pouring the fluid into the windshield-washer fluid reservoir. Do not use the windshield-washer fluid reservoir to mix the washer fluid concentrate and water.

- Keep the battery surface clean and dry. Clean the battery with a solution of baking soda and water.
- Make certain the terminal connections are clean and securely tightened.
- If the vehicle is not to be used for 30 days or longer, disconnect the negative (-) battery terminal cable to prevent discharge.

#### NOTE:

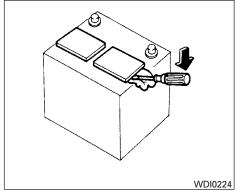
Care should be taken to avoid situations that can lead to potential battery discharge and potential no-start conditions such as:

- 1. Installation or extended use of electronic accessories that consume battery power when the engine is not running (Phone chargers. GPS. DVD players, etc.)
- 2. Vehicle is not driven regularly and/or only driven short distances. In these cases, the battery may need to be charged to maintain battery health.

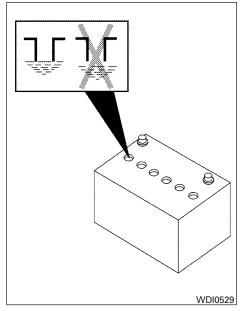
# **AWARNING**

- Do not expose the battery to flames, an electrical spark or a cigarette. Hydrogen gas generated by the battery is explosive. Explosive gases can cause blindness or injury. Do not allow battery fluid to contact your skin, eyes, fabrics or painted surfaces. Sulfuric acid can cause blindness or injury. After touching a battery or battery cap, do not touch or rub your eyes. Thoroughly wash your hands. If the acid contacts your eyes, skin or clothing, immediately flush with water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention.
- Do not operate the vehicle if the fluid in the battery is low. Low battery fluid can cause a higher load on the battery which can generate heat, reduce battery life, and in some cases lead to an explosion.
- When working on or near a battery, always wear suitable eye protection and remove all iewelry.
- Battery posts, terminals and related accessories contain lead and lead compounds. Wash hands after handling.

- Keep battery out of the reach of children.
- Do not tip the battery. Keep the vent caps tight and the battery level.



1. Remove the vent caps with a screwdriver as shown. Use a cloth to protect the battery case.



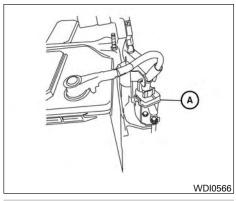
2. Check the fluid level in each cell. If it is necessary to add fluid, add only distilled water to bring the level up to the bottom of the filler opening. Do not overfill. Reinstall the vent caps.

# VARIABLE VOLTAGE CONTROL SYSTEM

Vehicles operated in high temperatures or under severe conditions require frequent checks of the battery fluid level.

#### JUMP STARTING

If jump starting is necessary, refer to "Jump starting" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual for additional information. If the engine does not start by jump starting, the battery may have to be replaced. Contact a NISSAN dealer.

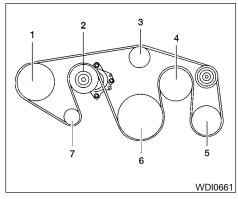


The current sensor (A) is located near the battery along the negative battery cable. If you add electrical accessories to your vehicle, be sure to ground them to a suitable body ground such as the frame or engine block area.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not ground accessories directly to the battery terminal. Doing so will bypass the variable voltage control system and the vehicle battery may not charge completely.
- Use electrical accessories with the engine running to avoid discharging the vehicle battery.

Your vehicle is equipped with a variable voltage control system. This system measures the amount of electrical discharge from the battery and controls voltage generated by the generator. **DRIVE BELT** 



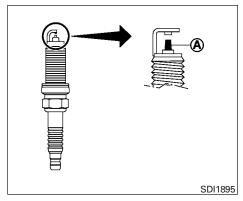
- Power steering fluid pump pulley
- Automatic belt tensioner pulley
- Water pump pulley
- Cooling fan pulley
- Air conditioner compressor pulley
- Crankshaft pulley
- Generator pulley

# **AWARNING**

Be sure the ignition switch is in the OFF or LOCK position before servicing drive belt. The engine could rotate unexpectedly.

- 1. Visually inspect the belt for signs of unusual wear, cuts, fraying or looseness. If the belt is in poor condition or is loose, have it replaced or adjusted by a NISSAN dealer.
- 2. Have the belt checked regularly for condition and tension in accordance with the maintenance schedule found in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide".

#### SPARK PLUGS



#### REPLACING SPARK PLUGS

# Iridium-tipped spark plugs

It is not necessary to replace iridium-tipped (A) spark plugs as frequently as conventional type spark plugs because they last much longer. Follow the maintenance log shown in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide". Do not service iridium-tipped spark plugs by cleaning or regapping.

 Always replace spark plugs with recommended or equivalent ones.

#### **AIR CLEANER**

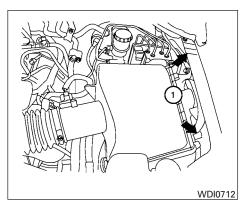
# **AWARNING**

Be sure the engine and ignition switch are off and that the parking brake is engaged securely.

# **A** CAUTION

Be sure to use the correct socket to remove the spark plugs. An incorrect socket can damage the spark plugs.

If replacement is required, see your NISSAN dealer for assistance.



The air cleaner filter should not be cleaned and reused. Replace it according to the maintenance log shown in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide."

To remove the air cleaner filter:

- (1) Unlatch the clips and move the air cleaner cover upward.
- 2. Remove the air cleaner filter.
- 3. Wipe the inside of the air cleaner filter housing and the cover with a damp cloth.

#### NOTE:

After installing a new air cleaner filter. make sure the air cleaner cover is seated in the housing and latch the clips.

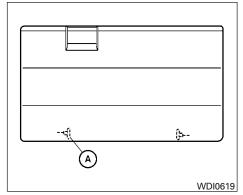
#### **AWARNING**

- Operating the engine with the air cleaner removed can cause you or others to be burned. The air cleaner not only cleans the air, it stops the flame if the engine backfires. If it isn't there, and the engine backfires, you could be burned. Do not drive with the air cleaner removed, and be careful when working on the engine with the air cleaner removed.
- Never pour fuel into the throttle body or attempt to start the engine with the air cleaner removed. Doing so could result in serious injury.

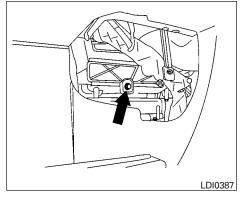
# IN-CABIN MICROFILTER (if so equipped)

The in-cabin microfilter restricts the entry of airborne dust and pollen particles and reduces some objectionable outside odors. The filter is located behind the glove box. Refer to the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide" for change intervals.

To replace the filter, perform the following procedure:

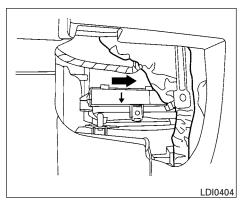


1. Remove the two lower glove box hinge pins (A). Remove the glove box from the opening and let it hang by the cord.



- 2. Remove the filter cover bolt and remove the filter cover.
- 3. Remove the old in-cabin microfilters.

#### WINDSHIELD WIPER BLADES



#### NOTE:

The filters are marked with air flow arrows. The end of the filter with the arrow should face the rear of the vehicle. The arrows should face downward.

- Insert the first filter into the housing and slide it over to the right. Insert the second filter into the housing.
- 5. Install the filter cover.
- 6. Install the glove box door.
- Fill out the date information on the small replacement label and attach it to the glove box lid.

#### **CLEANING**

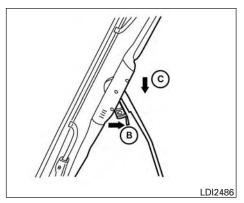
If your windshield is not clear after using the windshield-washer or if a wiper blade chatters when running, wax or other material may be on the blade or windshield.

Clean the outside of the windshield with a washer solution or a mild detergent. Your windshield is clean if beads do not form when rinsing with clear water.

Clean each blade by wiping it with a cloth soaked in a washer solution or a mild detergent. Then rinse the blades with clear water. If your windshield is still not clear after cleaning the blades and using the wiper, replace the blades.

#### **A** CAUTION

Worn windshield wiper blades can damage the windshield and impair driver vision.



#### **REPLACING**

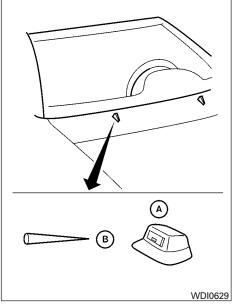
Replace the wiper blades if they are worn.

- 1. Lift the wiper arm away from the windshield.
- 2. Push the release tab (B) then move the wiper blade down the wiper arm to remove.
- 3. Remove the wiper blade from wiper arm ©.
- 4. Insert the new wiper blade onto the wiper arm until it clicks into place.
- Rotate the wiper blade so the dimple is in the groove.

6. Return the wiper to its original position and release it until it has made contact with the windshield.

# **A** CAUTION

- After wiper blade replacement, return the wiper arm to its original position; otherwise it may be damaged when the hood is opened.
- Make sure the wiper blades contact the glass; otherwise the arms may be damaged from wind pressure.



If you wax the surface of the hood, be careful not to let wax get into the windshield-washer nozzle (A). This may cause clogging or improper windshield-washer operation. If wax gets into the nozzle, remove it with a needle or small pin (B).

#### **BRAKES**

If the brakes do not operate properly, have the brakes checked by a NISSAN dealer.

# Self-adjusting brakes

Your vehicle is equipped with self-adjusting brakes.

The front and rear disc-type brakes self-adjust every time the brake pedal is applied.

#### **AWARNING**

See a NISSAN dealer for a brake system check if the brake pedal height does not return to normal.

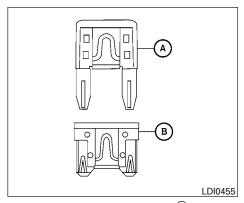
# Brake pad wear indicators

The disc brake pads on your vehicle have audible wear indicators. When a brake pad requires replacement, a high pitched scraping or screeching sound will be heard when the vehicle is in motion. The noise will be heard whether or not the brake pedal is depressed. Have the brakes checked as soon as possible if the wear indicator sound is heard.

Under some driving or climate conditions, occasional brake squeak, squeal or other noise may be heard. Occasional brake noise during light to moderate stops is normal and does not affect the function or performance of the brake system.

#### **FUSES**

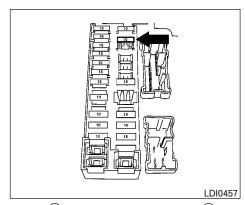
Proper brake inspection intervals should be followed. For additional information regarding brake inspections, refer to the appropriate maintenance schedule information in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide".



Two types of fuses are used. Type (A) is used in the fuse boxes in the engine compartment. Type (B) is used in the passenger compartment fuse box.

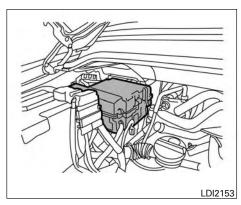
Type (A) fuses are provided as spare fuses. They are stored in the passenger compartment fuse box.

Type (A) fuses can be installed in the engine compartment and passenger compartment fuse boxes.



If a type (A) fuse is used to replace a type (B) fuse, the type (A) fuse will not be level with the fuse pocket as shown in the illustration. This will not affect the performance of the fuse. Make sure the fuse is installed in the fuse box securely.

Type (B) fuses cannot be installed in the underhood fuse boxes. Only use type (A) fuses in the underhood fuse boxes.



#### **ENGINE COMPARTMENT**

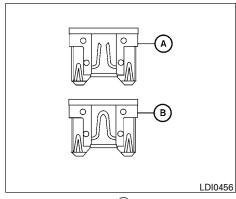
# **A** CAUTION

Never use a fuse of a higher or lower amperage rating than specified on the fuse box cover. This could damage the electrical system or cause a fire.

If any electrical equipment does not come on, check for an open fuse.

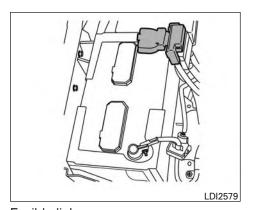
- Be sure the ignition switch and the headlight switch are OFF.
- 2. Open the engine hood.

- 3. Remove the fuse box cover by pushing the tab and lifting the cover up.
- 4. Remove the fuse with the fuse puller. The fuse puller is located in the center of the fuse block in the passenger compartment.



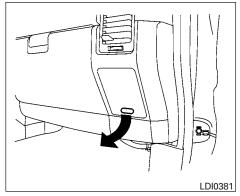
- If the fuse is open (A), replace it with a new fuse (B).
- If a new fuse also opens, have the electrical system checked and repaired by a NISSAN dealer.

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# Fusible links

If the electrical equipment does not operate and fuses are in good condition, check the fusible links. If any of these fusible links are melted, replace with only Genuine NISSAN parts.



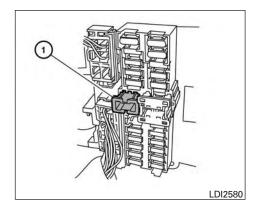
PASSENGER COMPARTMENT

#### **A** CAUTION

Never use a fuse of a higher or lower amperage rating than specified on the fuse box cover. This could damage the electrical system or cause a fire.

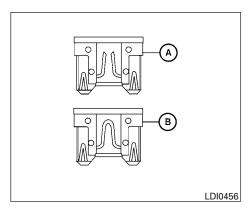
If any electrical equipment does not operate, check for an open fuse.

- 1. Be sure the ignition switch and the headlight switch are OFF.
- 2. Pull the fuse box cover to remove.



- 3. Remove the fuse with the fuse puller (1).
- 4. If the fuse is open (A), replace it with an equivalent good fuse (B).
- Push the fuse box cover to install.
- 6. If a new fuse also opens, have the electrical system checked and repaired by a NISSAN dealer.

#### BATTERY REPLACEMENT



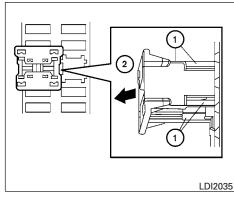
# Extended storage switch

If any electrical equipment does not operate, remove the extended storage switch and check for an open fuse.

#### NOTE:

The extended storage switch is used for long term vehicle storage. Even if the extended storage switch is broken it is not necessary to replace it. Replace only the open fuse in the switch with a new fuse.

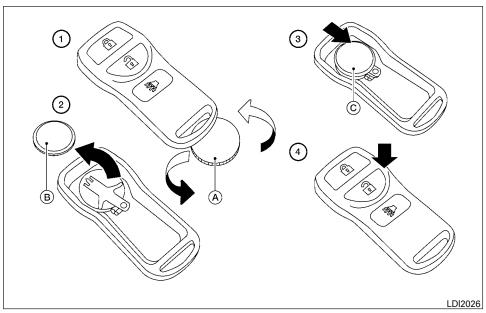
How to remove the extended storage switch:



- To remove the extended storage switch, be sure the ignition switch is in the OFF or LOCK position.
- 2. Be sure the headlight switch is in the OFF position.
- 3. Remove the fuse box cover.
- 4. Pinch the locking tabs ① found on each side of the storage switch.
- 5. Pull the storage switch straight out from the fuse box ②.

#### **A** CAUTION

Be careful not to allow children to swallow the battery or removed parts.



# KEY FOB (if so equipped)

Replace the battery in the key fob as follows:

- Open the lid using a coin (A).
- Remove the battery **B**.

- Install a new battery (C) with the "+" facing down.
  - Hold the battery by the edges. Holding the battery across the contact points will seriously deplete the storage capacity.

- Do not touch the internal circuit and electric terminals as it could cause a malfunction.
- When changing the battery, do not let dust or oil get on the key fob.
- There is danger of explosion if a lithium battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type.

Recommended battery: CR2025 or equivalent.

- Close the lid securely.
- button, then the 5. Press the button two or three times to check the key fob operation.

If the battery is removed for any reason other than replacement, perform step 5.

- An improperly disposed battery can hurt the environment. Always confirm local regulations for battery disposal.
- The key fob is water-resistant; however, if it does get wet, immediately wipe completely dry.
- The operational range of the key fob extends to approximately 33 ft (10 m) from the vehicle. This range may vary with conditions.

#### LIGHTS

#### **FCC Notice:**

#### For USA:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Note: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### For Canada:

This devise complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

# HEADLIGHTS

Replacing the halogen headlight bulb

The headlight is a semi-sealed beam type which uses a replaceable headlight (halogen) bulb. Because the headlight assembly must be removed from the vehicle for bulb replacement, see your NISSAN dealer.

# **A** CAUTION

- High pressure halogen gas is sealed inside the halogen bulb. The bulb may break if the glass envelope is scratched or the bulb is dropped.
- When handling the bulb, do not touch the glass envelope.
- DO NOT TOUCH THE BULB WITH BARE HANDS.
- Do not leave the bulb out of the headlight reflector for a long period of time as dust, moisture and smoke may enter the headlight body and affect the performance of the headlight.
- Aiming is not necessary after replacing the bulb. When aiming adjustment is necessary, contact a NISSAN dealer.

#### NOTE:

Use the same number and wattage as shown in the chart located in the "Exterior and interior lights" section of this manual.

Fog may temporarily form inside the lens of the exterior lights in the rain or in a car wash. A temperature difference between the inside and the outside of the lens causes the fog. This is not a malfunction. If large drops of water collect inside the lens, contact a NISSAN dealer.

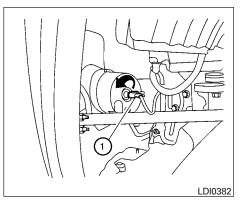
FOG LIGHTS (if so equipped)

Replacing the fog light bulb

#### **A** CAUTION

- High pressure halogen gas is sealed inside the halogen bulb. The bulb may break if the glass envelope is scratched or the bulb is dropped.
- When handling the bulb, do not touch the glass envelope.
- Use the same number and wattage as originally installed as shown in the chart.

Do not leave the bulb out of the fog light for a long period of time as dust, moisture and smoke may enter the fog light body and affect the performance of the fog light.



- 1. Disconnect the negative (-) battery cable.
- 2. The fog light is accessible in front of the front tire and behind the bumper.
- 3. Disconnect the bulb connector (1).
- 4. Rotate the bulb counterclockwise and remove.
- 5. Remove by pulling it straight out of the fog light assembly. Do not shake or rotate the bulb when removing it. Do not touch the glass envelope.
- 6. Install in the reverse order of removal.

#### NOTE:

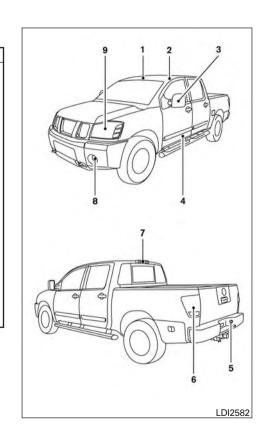
To adjust the fog light vertical aim: Access the aiming screw from underneath the front bumper. The aiming screw is located on the bottom of the fog light housing. Turn the screw clockwise to raise the pattern. Turn the screw counterclockwise to lower the pattern.

# **EXTERIOR AND INTERIOR LIGHTS**

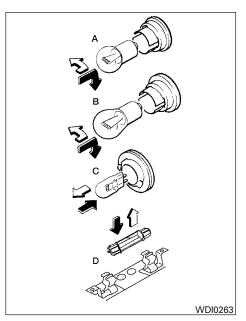
Item	Wattage (W)	Bulb No.
Headlight assembly*		
High	65	9005 (HB3)
Low	55	9006 (HB4)
Park/Turn	28/8	3457K
Sidemarker	3.8	194
Daytime running lights (Canada only)*	55	9006
Front fog light (if so equipped)	27.5	880
Puddle light (if so equipped)	9	906LF
Map/room lights (front/rear) (if so equipped)	8	-
Personal lights (if so equipped)	8	AL67
Vanity mirror light (if so equipped)	1.8	_
Step light (if so equipped)	3.8	194
High-mounted stop light/cargo lights*	12.8	912LF
Rear combination light		
Tail/Stop	27/8	3157K
Backup (reversing)	18	921LF
Turn	27	3156K
Tailgate light (if so equipped)*	18	921
License plate light	5	W5W

<sup>\*</sup> See a NISSAN dealer for replacement.

Always check with the Parts Department at a NISSAN dealer for the latest parts information.



- Room/map light (if so equipped)
- Personal lights (if so equipped)
- Puddle light (if so equipped)
- Step light (if so equipped)
- License plate light 5.
- Rear combination/tailgate light (if so equipped)
- High-mount stoplight/cargo lights
- 8. Fog light (if so equipped)
- Headlight assembly/daytime running light (Canada only)



# Replacement procedures

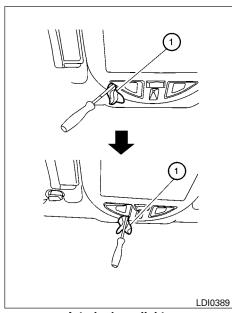
All other lights are either type A, B, C or D. When replacing a bulb, first remove the lens, lamp and/or cover.



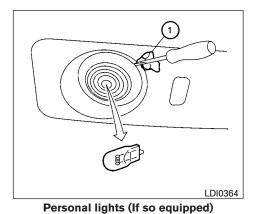
Indicates bulb removal



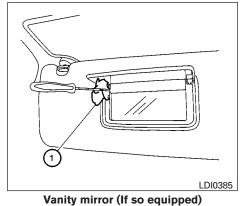
Indicates bulb installation



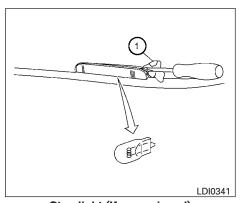
Interior/map lights Use a cloth 1 to protect the housing.



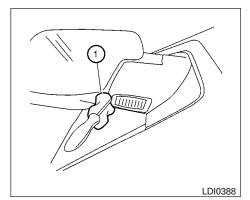
Use a cloth 1 to protect the housing.



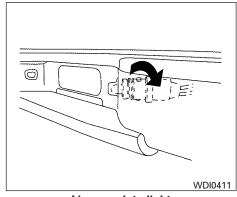
Use a cloth 1 to protect the housing.



Step light (If so equipped) Use a cloth 1 to protect the housing.

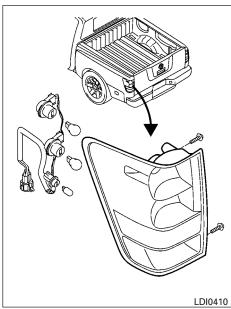


Puddle light (If so equipped) Use a cloth 1 to protect the housing.



License plate light

#### WHEELS AND TIRES



Rear combination light

If you have a flat tire, refer to "Flat tire" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual for additional information.

#### TIRE PRESSURE

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)

This vehicle is equipped with the Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS). It monitors tire pressure of all four tires except the spare. When the low tire pressure warning light is lit and the CHECK TIRE PRESSURE warning appears in the vehicle information display, one or more of your tires is significantly under-inflated. If equipped, the system also displays pressure of all tires (except the spare tire) on the display screen by sending a signal from a sensor that is installed in each wheel.

The TPMS will activate only when the vehicle is driven at speeds above 16 MPH (25 km/h). Also, this system may not detect a sudden drop in tire pressure (for example a flat tire while driving).

For additional information, refer to "Warning/Indicator Lights and Audible Reminders" in the "Instruments and controls" section, "Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)" in the "Starting and driving" section, and "Flat tire" in the "In case of emergency" section.

# Tire inflation pressure

Check the tire pressures (including the spare) often and always prior to long distance trips. The recommended tire pressure specifications are shown on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label or the Tire and Loading Information label under the "Cold Tire Pressure" heading. The Tire and Loading Information label is affixed to the driver side center pillar. Tire pressures should be checked regularly because:

- Most tires naturally lose air over time.
- Tires can lose air suddenly when driven over potholes or other objects or if the vehicle strikes a curb while parking.

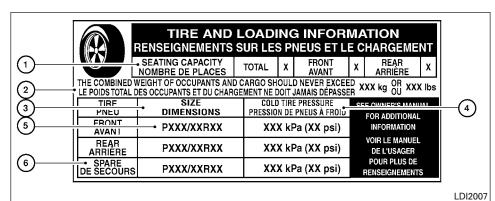
The tire pressures should be checked when the tires are cold. The tires are considered COLD after the vehicle has been parked for 3 or more hours, or driven less than 1 mile (1.6 km) at moderate speeds.

Incorrect tire pressure, including under inflation, may adversely affect tire life and vehicle handling.

# **AWARNING**

- Improperly inflated tires can fail suddenly and cause an accident.
- The Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) is located on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label. The vehicle weight capacity is indicated on the Tire and Loading Information label. Do not load your vehicle beyond this capacity. Overloading your vehicle may result in reduced tire life, unsafe operating conditions due to premature tire failure, or unfavorable handling characteristics and could also lead to a serious accident. Loading beyond the specified capacity may also result in failure of other vehicle components.
- Before taking a long trip, or whenever you heavily load your vehicle, use a tire pressure gauge to ensure that the tire pressures are at the specified level.

 For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.



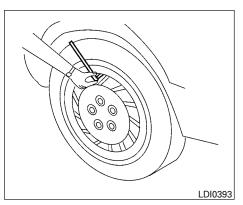
Spare tire size.

Tire and loading information label

- Seating capacity: The maximum number of occupants that can be seated in the vehicle.
- Vehicle load limit: For additional information, refer to "Vehicle loading information" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.
- Original tire size: The size of the tires the factory.

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- Cold tire pressure: Inflate the tires to this pressure when the tires are cold. Tires are considered COLD after the vehicle has been parked for 3 or more hours, or driven less than 1 mile (1.6 km) at moderate speeds. The recommended cold tire inflation is set by the manufacturer to provide the best balance of tire wear, vehicle handling, driveability, tire noise, etc., up to the vehicle's GVWR.
- Tire size refer to "Tire labeling" in this section.
- originally installed on the vehicle at

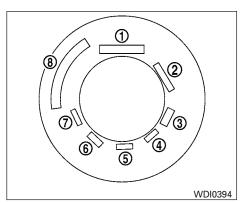


# Checking tire pressure

- 1. Remove the valve stem cap from the tire.
- 2. Press the pressure gauge squarely onto the valve stem. Do not press too hard or force the valve stem sideways, or air will escape. If the hissing sound of air escaping from the tire is heard while checking the pressure, reposition the gauge to eliminate this leakage.

- 3. Remove the gauge.
- 4. Read the tire pressure on the gauge stem and compare to the specification shown on the Tire and Loading Information label.
- 5. Add air to the tire as needed. If too much air is added, press the core of the valve stem briefly with the tip of the gauge stem to release pressure. Recheck the pressure and add or release air as needed.
- 6. Install the valve stem cap.
- 7. Check the pressure of all other tires, including the spare.

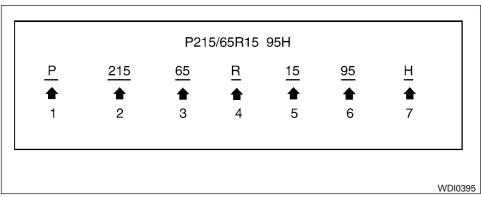
Size	Cold Tire Inflation Pressure
Front Original Tire: P265/70R18 P275/70R18 P275/60R20	250 kPa, 36 PSI
Rear Original Tire: P265/70R18 P275/70R18 P275/60R20	250 kPa, 36 PSI
Spare Tire: P265/70R18 P275/70R18 P275/60R20	250 kPa, 36 PSI



Example

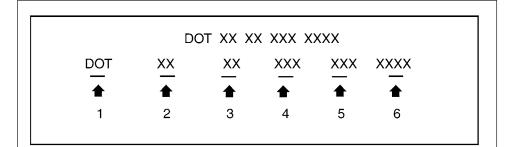
#### TIRE LABELING

Federal law requires tire manufacturers to place standardized information on the sidewall of all tires. This information identifies and describes the fundamental characteristics of the tire and also provides the tire identification number (TIN) for safety standard certification. The TIN can be used to identify the tire in case of a recall.



- 1 Tire size (example: P215/65R15 95H)
- 1. P: The "P" indicates the tire is designed for passenger vehicles (not all tires have this information).
- Three-digit number (215): This number gives the width in millimeters of the tire from sidewall edge to sidewall edge.
- 3. Two-digit number (65): This number, known as the aspect ratio, gives the tire's ratio of height to width.

- **Example** 
  - 4. R: The "R" stands for radial.
  - 5. Two-digit number (15): This number is the wheel or rim diameter in inches.
  - 6. Two- or three-digit number (95): This number is the tire's load index. It is a measurement of how much weight each tire can support. You may not find this information on all tires because it is not required by law.
  - 7. H: Tire speed rating. You should not drive the vehicle faster than the tire speed rating.



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#### **Example**

- ② TIN (Tire Identification Number) for a new tire (example: DOT XX XX XXX XXXX)
  - DOT: Abbreviation for the "Department Of Transportation". The symbol can be placed above, below or to the left or right of the Tire Identification Number.
  - 2. Two-digit code: Manufacturer's identification mark.
  - 3. Two-digit code: Tire size.

- 4. Three-digit code: Tire type code (Optional).
- 5. Three-digit code: Date of Manufacture.
- Four numbers represent the week and year the tire was built. For example, the numbers 3103 means the 31st week of 2003. If these numbers are missing then look on the other sidewall of the tire.

3 Tire ply composition and material

The number of layers or plies of rubbercoated fabric in the tire. Tire manufacturers also must indicate the materials in the tire, which include steel, nylon, polyester and others.

4 Maximum permissible inflation pressure

This number is the greatest amount of air pressure that should be put in the tire. Do not exceed the maximum permissible inflation pressure.

Maximum load rating

This number indicates the maximum load in kilograms and pounds that can be carried by the tire. When replacing the tires on the vehicle, always use a tire that has the same load rating as the factory installed tire.

**6** Term of "tubeless" or "tube type"

Indicates whether the tire requires an inner tube ("tube type") or not ("tubeless").

(7) The word "radial"

The word "radial" is shown if the tire has radial structure.

(8) Manufacturer or brand name

Manufacturer or brand name is shown.

#### Other Tire-related Terminology

In addition to the many terms that are defined throughout this section, Intended Outboard Sidewall is (1) the sidewall that contains a whitewall, bears white lettering or bears manufacturer, brand, and/or model name molding that is higher or deeper than the same molding on the other sidewall of the tire, or (2) the outward facing sidewall of an asymmetrical tire that has a particular side that must always face outward when mounted on a vehicle

#### TYPES OF TIRES

#### **AWARNING**

- When changing or replacing tires, be sure all four tires are of the same type (i.e., Summer, All Season or Snow) and construction. A NISSAN dealer may be able to help you with information about tire type, size, speed rating and availability.
- Replacement tires may have a lower speed rating than the factory equipped tires, and may not match the potential maximum vehicle speed. Never exceed the maximum speed rating of the tire.
- Replacing tires with those not originally specified by NISSAN could affect the proper operation of the low tire pressure warning system.
- For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.

#### All season tires

NISSAN specifies All Season tires on some models to provide good performance all year, including snowy and icy road conditions. All Season tires are identified by ALL SEASON and/or M&S on the tire sidewall. Snow tires have better snow traction than All Season tires and may be more appropriate in some areas.

#### Summer tires

NISSAN specifies summer tires on some models to provide superior performance on dry roads. Summer tire performance is substantially reduced in snow and ice. Summer tires do not have the tire traction rating "M&S" on the tire sidewall.

If you plan to operate your vehicle in snowy or icy conditions, NISSAN recommends the use of SNOW tires or ALL SEASON tires on all four wheels.

# Snow tires

If snow tires are needed, it is necessary to select tires equivalent in size and load rating to the original equipment tires. If you do not, it can adversely affect the safety and handling of your vehicle.

Generally, snow tires have lower speed ratings than factory equipped tires and may not match the potential maximum vehicle speed. Never exceed the maximum speed rating of the tire.

If you install snow tires, they must be the same size, brand, construction and tread pattern on all four wheels.

For additional traction on icy roads, studded tires may be used. However, some U.S. states and Canadian provinces prohibit their use. Check local, state and provincial laws before installing studded tires. Skid and traction capabilities of studded snow tires on wet or dry surfaces may be poorer than that of non-studded snow tires.

#### TIRE CHAINS

## **A** CAUTION

Tire chains/cables should not be installed on P275/60R20 size tires. Installation of the tire chains/cables on P275/60R20 size tires will cause damage to the vehicle. If you plan to use tire chains/cables, you should install P265/70R18 size tires on vour vehicle.

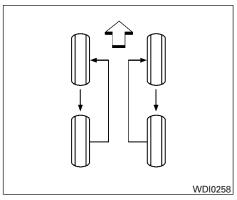
Use of tire chains may be prohibited according to location. Check the local laws before installing tire chains. When installing tire chains, make sure they are the proper size for the tires on your vehicle and are installed according to the chain manufacturer's suggestions. Use only SAE class "S" chains. Class "S" chains are used on vehicles with restricted tire to vehicle clearance. Vehicles that can use Class "S" chains are de-

signed to meet the minimum clearances between the tire and the closest vehicle suspension or body component required to accommodate the use of a winter traction device (tire chains or cables). The minimum clearances are determined using the factory equipped tire size. Other types may damage your vehicle. Use chain tensioners when recommended by the tire chain manufacturer to ensure a tight fit. Loose end links of the tire chain must be secured or removed to prevent the possibility of whipping action damage to the fenders or underbody. If possible, avoid fully loading your vehicle when using tire chains. In addition, drive at a reduced speed. Otherwise, your vehicle may be damaged and/or vehicle handling and performance may be adversely affected.

### Tire chains must be installed only on the rear wheels and not on the front wheels.

Do not use tire chains on dry roads. Driving with chains in such conditions can cause damage to the various mechanisms of the vehicle due to some overstress.

Use only the 2WD range when driving on clear paved roads.



# CHANGING WHEELS AND TIRES

Tire rotation

NISSAN recommends rotating the tires every 5,000 miles (8,000 km).

Refer to "Flat tire" in the "In case of emergency" section in this manual for tire replacing procedures.

As soon as possible, tighten the wheel nuts to the specified torque with a torque wrench.

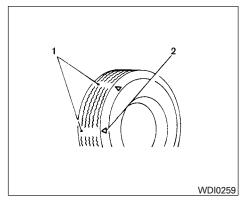
## Wheel nut tightening torque:

98 ft-lb (133 N·m)

The wheel nuts must be kept tightened to specifications at all times. It is recommended that wheel nuts be tightened to specification at each tire rotation interval.

# **AWARNING**

- After rotating the tires, check and adjust the tire pressure.
- Retighten the wheel nuts when the vehicle has been driven for 600 miles (1,000 km) (also in cases of a flat tire, etc.).
- Do not include the spare tire in the tire rotation.
- For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.



Tire wear and damage

- 1. Wear indicator
- 2. Location mark

# **AWARNING**

Tires should be periodically inspected for wear, cracking, bulging or objects caught in the tread. If excessive wear, cracks, bulging or deep cuts are found, the tire(s) should be replaced.

- The original tires have built-in tread wear indicators. When the wear indicators are visible, the tire(s) should be replaced.
- Tires degrade with age and use. Have tires, including the spare, over 6 years old checked by a qualified technician because some tire damage may not be obvious. Replace the tires as necessary to prevent tire failure and possible personal injury.
- Improper service of the spare tire may result in serious personal iniury. If it is necessary to repair the spare tire, contact a NISSAN dealer.
- For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or Information" "Tire Safety (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.

# Replacing wheels and tires

When replacing a tire, use the same size, tread design, speed rating and load carrying capacity as originally equipped. Recommended types and sizes are shown in "Wheels and tires" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

# **AWARNING**

- The use of tires other than those recommended or the mixed use of tires of different brands, construction (bias, bias-belted or radial), or tread patterns can adversely affect the ride, braking, handling, VDC system, ground clearance, body-to-tire clearance, tire chain clearance, speedometer calibration, headlight aim and bumper height. Some of these effects may lead to accidents and could result in serious personal injury.
- If your vehicle was originally equipped with 4 tires that were the same size and you are only replacing 2 of the 4 tires, install the new tires on the rear axle. Placing new tires on the front axle may cause loss of vehicle control in some driving conditions and cause an accident and personal injury.

- If the wheels are changed for any reason, always replace with wheels which have the same off-set dimension. Wheels of a different off-set could cause premature tire wear, degrade vehicle handling characteristics, affect the VDC system and/or interference with the brake discs. Such interference can lead to decreased braking efficiency and/or early brake pad wear. Refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual for wheel off-set dimensions.
- When a spare tire is mounted or a wheel is replaced, tire pressure will not be indicated, the TPMS will not function and the low tire pressure warning light will flash for approximately 1 minute. The light will remain on after 1 minute. Contact your NISSAN dealer as soon as possible for tire replacement and/or system resetting.
- Replacing tires with those not originally specified by NISSAN could affect the proper operation of the TPMS.

- Do not install a damaged or deformed wheel or tire even if it has been repaired. Such wheels or tires could have structural damage and could fail without warning.
- The use of retread tires is recommended.
- For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.

Four-wheel drive models

## **A** CAUTION

Always use tires of the same type, size, brand, construction (bias, bias-belted or radial), and tread pattern on all four wheels. Failure to do so may result in a circumference difference between tires on the front and rear axles which will cause excessive tire wear and may damage the transmission, transfer case and differential gears.

If excessive tire wear is found, it is recommended that all four tires be replaced with tires of the same size, brand, construction and tread pattern. The tire pressure and wheel alignment should also be checked and corrected as necessary. Contact a NISSAN dealer.

### Wheel balance

Unbalanced wheels may affect vehicle handling and tire life. Even with regular use, wheels can get out of balance. Therefore, they should be balanced as required.

Wheel balance service should be performed with the wheels off the vehicle. Spin balancing the wheels on the vehicle could lead to mechanical damage.

 For additional information regarding tires, refer to "Important Tire Safety Information" (US) or "Tire Safety Information" (Canada) in the Warranty Information Booklet.

## Care of wheels

- Wash the wheels when washing the vehicle to maintain their appearance.
- Clean the inner side of the wheels when the wheel is changed or the underside of the vehicle is washed.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners when washing the wheels.
- Inspect wheel rims regularly for dents or corrosion. Such damage may cause loss of pressure or poor seal at the tire bead.
- NISSAN recommends waxing the road wheels to protect against road salt in areas where it is used during winter.

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## RECOMMENDED FLUIDS/ LUBRICANTS AND CAPACITIES

The following are approximate capacities. The actual refill capacities may be slightly different. When refilling, follow the procedure described in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section to determine the proper refill capacity.

		Capacity (Approximate)			Recommended Fluids and Lubricants
		US measure	Imp measure	Liter	
Fuel		28 gal	28 gal 23-1/4 gal 105.8		For additional information, refer to "Fuel Recommendation (without Flexible Fuel Vehicle Option)" or "Flexible Fuel Vehicle (FFV) Fuel Recommendation" in this section.
Engine oil		Drain and refill			
VK56DE	With oil filter 6-7/8 qt 5-3/4 qt		6.5 L	Engine oil with API Certification Mark     Viscosity SAE 5W-30	
VKSODE	Without oil filter change	6-1/2 qt	5-1/2 qt	6.2 L	For additional information, refer to "Engine oil and oil filter recommendations" in this section.
Cooling system	With reservoir	3-1/4	2-5/8 gal	12.2 L	Pre-diluted Genuine NISSAN Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant (blue) or equivalent
Transfer oil		2-1/8 qt	2-1/8 qt 1-3/4 qt 2.0 L		Genuine NISSAN Matic D ATF recommended     Using fluid other than Genuine NISSAN Matic D ATF will cause deterioration in driveability and transfer durability, and may damage the transfer case, which is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.
Automatic transmission fluid		Refill to the proper level according to the instructions in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section.		'	
Power steering fluid (PSF)					Genuine NISSAN PSF or equivalent     DEXRON™ VI type ATF may also be used.
Brake fluid					Genuine NISSAN Super Heavy Duty Brake Fluid or equivalent DOT 3     Available in mainland USA through a NISSAN dealer.

	Capacity (Approximate)			Recommended Fluids and Lubricants
	US measure	Imp measure	Liter	
Front final drive oil	3-3/8 pt	2-7/8 pt	1.6 L	Genuine NISSAN Differential Oil Hypoid Super GL-5 80W-90 or API GL-5, Viscosity SAE 80W-90 For hot climates, Viscosity SAE 90 is suitable for ambient temperatures above 0° C (32° F).
Rear final drive oil	4-1/4 pt	3-1/2 pt	2.0 L	Genuine NISSAN Differential Oil Synthetic 75W-140 or API GL-5 synthetic gear oil, Viscosity SAE 75W-140  Genuine NISSAN dealer for service for synthetic oil.
Multi-purpose grease	_	_	_	NLGI No. 2 (lithium soap base)
Air conditioning system refrigerant	_	_	_	HFC-134a (R-134a)     For additional information, refer to "Air conditioner specification label" in this section.
Air conditioning system oil	-	-	_	Genuine NISSAN A/C System Oil Type S or equivalent For additional information, refer to "Air conditioner specification label" in this section.
Windshield-washer fluid	1-1/4 gal	1 gal	4.5 L	Genuine NISSAN Windshield Washer Concentrate Cleaner & Antifreeze or equivalent

# FUEL RECOMMENDATION (without Flexible Fuel Vehicle option)

Use unleaded regular gasoline with an octane rating of at least 87 AKI (Anti-Knock Index) number (Research octane number 91).

## **A** CAUTION

- Only vehicles with the E-85 filler door label can operate on E-85. Fuel system or other damage can occur if E-85 is used in vehicles that are not designed to run on E-85.
- Using a fuel other than that specified could adversely affect the emission control system, and may also affect the warranty coverage.
- Under no circumstances should a leaded gasoline be used, because this will damage the three-way catalyst.

- Do not use E-15 or E-85 fuel in your vehicle. Your vehicle is not designed to run on E-15 or E-85 fuel. Using E-15 or E-85 fuel in a vehicle not specifically designed for E-15 or E-85 fuel can adversely affect the emission control devices and systems of the vehicle. Damage caused by such fuel is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.
- U.S. government regulations require ethanol dispensing pumps to be identified by a small, square, orange and black label with the common abbreviation or the appropriate percentage for that region.

## Gasoline specifications

NISSAN recommends using gasoline that meets the World-Wide Fuel Charter (WWFC) specifications where it is available. Many of the automobile manufacturers developed this specification to improve emission control system and vehicle performance. Ask your service station manager if the gasoline meets the WWFC specifications.

# Reformulated gasoline

Some fuel suppliers are now producing reformulated gasolines. These gasolines are specially designed to reduce vehicle emissions. NISSAN supports efforts towards cleaner air and suggests that you use reformulated gasoline when available.

# Gasoline containing oxygenates

Some fuel suppliers sell gasoline containing oxygenates such as ethanol, MTBE and methanol with or without advertising their presence. NISSAN does not recommend the use of fuels of which the oxygenate content and the fuel compatibility for your NISSAN cannot be readily determined. If in doubt, ask your service station manager.

If you use oxygenate-blend gasoline, please take the following precautions as the usage of such fuels may cause vehicle performance problems and/or fuel system damage.

- The fuel should be unleaded and have an octane rating no lower than that recommended for unleaded gasoline.
- If an oxygenate-blend other than methanol blend is used, it should contain no more than 10% oxygenate. (MTBE may, however, be added up to 15%.)

- E-15 fuel contains more than 10% oxygenate, E-15 fuel will adversely affect the emission control devices and systems of the vehicle and should not be used. Damage caused by such fuel is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.
- If a methanol blend is used, it should contain no more than 5% methanol (methyl alcohol, wood alcohol). It should also contain a suitable amount of appropriate cosolvents and corrosion inhibitors. If not properly formulated with appropriate cosolvents and corrosion inhibitors, such methanol blends may cause fuel system damage and/or vehicle performance problems. At this time, sufficient data is not available to ensure that all methanol blends are suitable for use in NISSAN vehicles.

If any driveability problems such as engine stalling and difficult hot-starting are experienced after using oxygenate-blend fuels, immediately change to a non-oxygenate fuel or a fuel with a low blend of MTRF

Take care not to spill gasoline during refueling. Gasoline containing oxygenates can cause paint damage.

#### F-15 fuel

E-15 fuel is a mixture of approximately 15% fuel ethanol and 85% unleaded gasoline. E-15 can only be used in vehicles designed to run on E-15 fuel. Do not use E-15 in your vehicle. U.S. government regulations require fuel ethanol dispensing pumps to be identified with small, square, orange and black label with the common abbreviation or the appropriate percentage for that region.

#### E-85 fuel

E-85 fuel is a mixture of approximately 85% fuel ethanol and 15% unleaded gasoline. E-85 can only be used in a Flexible Fuel Vehicle (FFV). Do not use E-85 in your vehicle, U.S. government regulations require fuel ethanol dispensing pumps to be identified by a small, square, orange and black label with the common abbreviation or the appropriate percentage for that region.

## Aftermarket fuel additives

NISSAN does not recommend the use of any aftermarket fuel additives (for example, fuel injector cleaner, octane booster, intake valve deposit removers, etc.) which are sold commercially. Many of these additives intended for gum, varnish or deposit removal may contain active solvents or similar ingredients that can be harmful to the fuel system and engine.

# Octane rating tips

Using unleaded gasoline with an octane rating lower than recommended can cause persistent, heavy "spark knock." ("Spark knock" is a metallic rapping noise.) If severe, this can lead to engine damage. If you detect a persistent heavy spark knock even when using gasoline of the stated octane rating, or if you hear steady spark knock while holding a steady speed on level roads, have a NISSAN dealer correct the condition. Failure to correct the condition is misuse of the vehicle, for which NISSAN is not responsible.

Incorrect ignition timing may result in spark knock, after-run and/or overheating, which may cause excessive fuel consumption or engine damage. If any of the above symptoms are encountered, have your vehicle checked at a NISSAN dealer.

However, now and then you may notice light spark knock for a short time while accelerating or driving up hills. This is not a cause for concern, because you get the greatest fuel benefit when there is light spark knock for a short time under heavy engine load.

# FLEXIBLE FUEL VEHICLE (FFV) FUEL RECOMMENDATION (if so equipped)

Your vehicle is designed to use (E-85) Fuel Ethanol, "Regular" unleaded regular gasoline or any percentage of the two fuels combined.

U.S. government regulations require Fuel Ethanol dispensing pumps to have a small, square, orange and black label with the common abbreviation or the appropriate percentage for that region.

# **A** CAUTION

Use of other fuels such as Fuel Methanol may cause powertrain damage or a loss of vehicle performance.

Under no circumstances should a leaded gasoline be used, because this will cause damage to the three-way catalyst.

#### General information

This information is for Flexible Fuel vehicles (FFV) only. FFV vehicles can be identified by the fuel filler door label that states Ethanol (E-85) or Unleaded Gasoline Only. This section only covers those subjects that are unique to Flexible Fuel vehicles.

## **ACAUTION**

Only vehicles with the E-85 filler door label can operate on E-85. Fuel system or other damage can occur if E-85 is used in vehicles that are not designed to run on E-85.

## Ethanol Fuel (E-85)

E-85 is a mixture of approximately 85% fuel ethanol and 15% unleaded gasoline.

## **AWARNING**

- Ethanol vapors are extremely flammable and could cause serious personal injury.
- Never have any smoking materials lit in or near the vehicle when removing the fuel filler cap or filling the tank.
- Do not use E-85 as a cleaning agent and never use it near an open flame.

### Fuel requirements

Your vehicle will operate on both unleaded regular gasoline with an octane rating of at least 87 AKI (Anti-Knock Index) number (Research octane number 91), or E-85 fuel, or any mixture of these two.

For the best starting and vehicle driveability results, do not continually switch between E-85 and unleaded regular gasoline. If you must switch fuels, NISSAN recommends the following:

- do not switch when the fuel gauge indicates less than 1/4 full
- add more than 5 gallons of fuel
- operate the vehicle immediately after refueling for a period of at least 5 minutes

#### NOTE:

When the ambient temperature is above 90°F (32°C), you may experience hard starting and rough idle following start up even if the above recommendations are followed.

#### **Starting**

The characteristics of E-85 fuel make it unsuitable for use when ambient temperatures fall below 0°F (-18°C). In the range of 0°F (-18°C) to 32°F (0°C), you may experience an increase in the time it takes for you engine to start, and a deterioration in drivability (sags and/or hesitations) until the engine is fully warmed up.

#### **Fuel consumption**

Because E-85 fuel contains less energy per gallon than gasoline, you will experience an increase in fuel consumption. You can expect your fuel mileage to decrease by about 30% compared to gasoline operation.

#### Replacement parts

Many components in your Flexible Fuel Vehicle (FFV) are designed to be compatible with ethanol. Always be sure that your vehicle is serviced with correct ethanol compatible parts.

## **A** CAUTION

Replacing fuel system components with non-ethanol compatible components can damage your vehicle and may also affect the warranty coverage.

#### Maintenance

If you operate your vehicle using E-85 fuel, follow the correct maintenance log shown in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide".

## **A** CAUTION

Do not use ethanol mixture greater than 85% in your vehicle. It will cause difficulty in cold starting and may affect drivability. API certification mark



API service symbol



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## ENGINE OIL AND OIL FILTER RECOMMENDATIONS

# Selecting the correct oil

It is essential to choose the correct grade, quality and viscosity engine oil to ensure satisfactory engine life and performance. For additional information, refer to "Recommended fluids/lubricants and capacities" in this section. NISSAN recommends the use of an energy conserving oil in order to improve fuel economy.

Select only engine oils that meet the American Petroleum Institute (API) certification or International Lubricant Standardization and Approval Committee (ILSAC) certification and SAE viscosity standard. These oils have the API certification mark on the front of the container. Oils which do not have the specified quality label should not be used as they could cause engine damage.

#### Oil additives

NISSAN does not recommend the use of oil additives. The use of an oil additive is not necessary when the proper oil type is used and maintenance intervals are followed.

Oil which may contain foreign matter or has been previously used should not be used.

# Oil viscosity

The engine oil viscosity or thickness changes with temperature. Because of this, it is important to select the engine oil viscosity based on the temperatures at which the vehicle will be operated before the next oil change. Choosing an oil viscosity other than that recommended could cause serious engine damage.

# Selecting the correct oil filter

Your new NISSAN vehicle is equipped with a high-quality Genuine NISSAN oil filter. When replacing, use a Genuine NISSAN oil filter or its equivalent for the reason described in "Change intervals."

# Change intervals

The oil and oil filter change intervals for your engine are based on the use of the specified quality oils and filters. Using engine oil and filters that are not of the specified quality, or exceeding recommended oil and filter change intervals could reduce engine life. Damage to the engine caused by improper maintenance or use of incorrect oil and filter quality and/or viscosity is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.

Your engine was filled with a high-quality engine oil when it was built. You do not have to change the oil before the first recommended change interval. Oil and filter change intervals depend upon how you use your vehicle.

Operation under the following conditions may require more frequent oil and filter changes:

- repeated short distance driving at cold outside temperatures
- driving in dusty conditions
- extensive idling
- towing a trailer
- stop and go commuting

For additional information, refer to the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide" for the maintenance schedule.

# AIR CONDITIONER SYSTEM REFRIGERANT AND OIL RECOMMENDATIONS

The air conditioner system in your NISSAN vehicle must be charged with the refrigerant HFC-134a (R-134a) and NISSAN A/C system oil Type S or the exact equivalents.

## **A** CAUTION

The use of any other refrigerant or oil will cause severe damage to the air conditioning system and will require the replacement of all air conditioner system components.

The refrigerant HFC-134a (R-134a) in your NISSAN vehicle does not harm the earth's ozone layer. Although this refrigerant does not affect the earth's atmosphere, certain government regulations require the recovery and recycling of any refrigerant during automotive air conditioner system service. A NISSAN dealer has the trained technicians and equipment needed to recover and recycle your air conditioner system refrigerant.

Contact a NISSAN dealer when servicing your air conditioner system.

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

# **ENGINE**

Model	VK56	BDE		
Туре	Gasoline, 4-c	ycle, DOHC		
Cylinder arrangement	8-cylinder, V-bloc	k, Slanted at 90°		
Bore x Stroke	in (mm) 3.858 x	3.622 (98 x 92)		
Displacement	cu in (cm <sup>3</sup> ) 33	8.78 (5,552)		
Firing order	1-8-7-3-	1-8-7-3-6-5-4-2		
Idle speed		ļ		
A/T (in "N" position)				
Ignition timing (degree B.T.D.C. at idle	No adjustment	No adjustment is necessary.		
speed)				
CO % at idle				
	Standard Model	FFV Model		
Spark plug	DILFR5A-11 DILFR5A-11D			
Spark plug gap (Nominal)	in (mm) 0.0	in (mm) 0.043 (1.1)		
Camshaft operation	Timing chain			

This spark ignition system complies with the Canadian standard ICES-002.

# WHEELS AND TIRES

18 x 8.0JJ	
20 x 8.0JJ	
P265/70R18	
P275/70R18	
P275/60R20	
Full size	
	20 x 8.0JJ P265/70R18 P275/70R18 P275/60R20

# **DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHTS**

Overall length			
Short wheel base (SWB)		in (mm)	224.6 (5,704)
Long wheel base (LWB)		in (mm)	244.2 (6,204)
Overall width		in (mm)	79.5 (2,019)
Overall height			
King Cab - SWB	4x2 (S, SV)	in (mm)	74.6 (1,896)
	4x4 (S, SV)	in (mm)	76.1 (1,934)
	4x4 (Pro-4X)	in (mm)	76.6 (1,946)
King Cab - LWB	4x2 (S, SV)	in (mm)	74.4 (1,891)
	4x4 (S, SV)	in (mm)	76.0 (1,931)
Crew Cab - SWB	4x2 (S, SV)	in (mm)	74.7 (1,898)
	4x2 (SL)	in (mm)	75.1 (1,908)
	4x4 (S, SV)	in (mm)	76.3 (1,939)
	4x4 (Pro-4X)	in (mm)	76.9 (1,954)
	4x4 (SL)	in (mm)	76.7 (1,949)
Crew Cab - LWB	4x2 (S, SV)	in (mm)	74.7 (1,898)
	4x2 (SL)	in (mm)	74.9 (1,903)
	4x4 (S, SV)	in (mm)	76.3 (1,939)
	4x4 (Pro-4X)	in (mm)	76.6 (1,946)
	4x4 (SL)	in (mm)	76.4 (1,941)
Front Track			
18 inch tire		in (mm)	67.9 (1,725)
20 inch tire		in (mm)	68.1 (1,729)
Rear Track			
18 inch tire		in (mm)	67.9 (1,725)
20 inch tire		in (mm)	68.1 (1,729)
Wheelbase			
Short wheel base		in (mm)	139.8 (3,550)
Long wheel base		in (mm)	159.5 (4,050)

Gross vehicle weight rating Gross axle weight rating Front Rear	lb (kg) lb (kg) lb (kg)	Refer to the "F.M. V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label" on the center pillar between the div- er's side front and rear doors.
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## WHEN TRAVELING OR REGISTERING YOUR VEHICLE IN ANOTHER COUNTRY

When planning to drive your NISSAN vehicle in another country, you should first find out if the fuel available is suitable for your vehicle's engine.

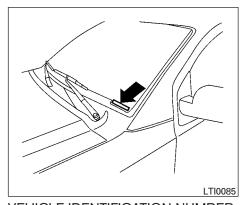
Using fuel with an octane rating that is too low may cause engine damage. All gasoline vehicles must be operated with unleaded gasoline. Therefore, avoid taking your vehicle to areas where appropriate fuel is not available.

When transferring the registration of your vehicle to another country, state, province or district, it may be necessary to modify the vehicle to meet local laws and regulations.

The laws and regulations for motor vehicle emission control and safety standards vary according to the country, state, province or district; therefore, vehicle specifications may differ.

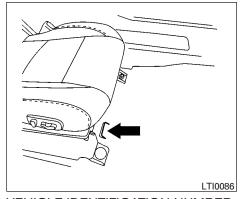
When any vehicle is to be taken into another country, state, province or district and registered, its modifications, transportation and registration are the responsibility of the user. NISSAN is not responsible for any inconvenience that may result.

#### VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION



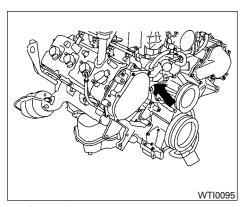
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (VIN) PLATE

The vehicle identification number (VIN) plate is attached as shown. This number is the identification for your vehicle and is used in the vehicle registration.



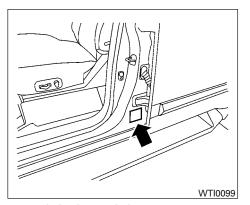
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (chassis number)

The vehicle identification number is located as shown.



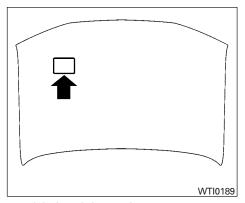
**ENGINE SERIAL NUMBER** 

The number is stamped on the engine as shown.



F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. **CERTIFICATION LABEL** 

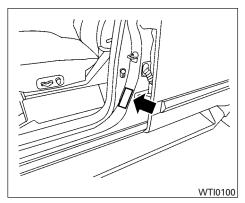
The Federal/Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S.) certification label is affixed as shown. This label contains valuable vehicle information, such as: (GVWR), (GAWR), month and year of manufacture, (VIN), etc. Review it carefully.



**EMISSION CONTROL** INFORMATION LABEL

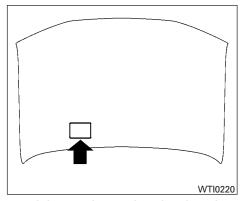
The emission control information label is attached to the underside of the hood as shown.

#### INSTALLING FRONT LICENSE PLATE



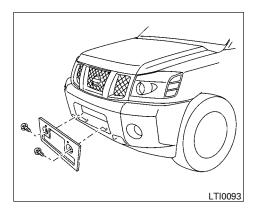
TIRE AND LOADING INFORMATION **LABEL** 

The cold tire pressure is shown on the Tire and Loading Information label. The label is located as shown.



AIR CONDITIONER SPECIFICATION LABEL

The air conditioner specification label is affixed to the underside of the hood as shown.



Use the following steps to mount the front license plate:

- 1. Make holes on the plastic finisher at the location mark (small dimple) using a 0.20 in (5 mm) drill. Apply light pressure to the drill. Install the license plate holder using the two screws provided with the holder.
- 2. Mount the license plate using two M6-14 mm bolts.

License plate bolt tightening torque: 3.8 - 4.7 ft-lb (5.10 - 6.37 N·m)

#### VEHICLE LOADING INFORMATION

## **AWARNING**

- It is extremely dangerous to ride in a cargo area inside a vehicle. In a collision, people riding in these areas are more likely to be seriously injured or killed.
- Do not allow people to ride in any area of your vehicle that is not equipped with seats and seat belts.
- Be sure everyone in your vehicle is in a seat and using a seat belt properly.

#### **TERMS**

It is important to familiarize yourself with the following terms before loading your vehicle:

 Curb Weight (actual weight of your vehicle) - vehicle weight including: standard and optional equipment, fluids, emergency tools, and spare tire assembly. This weight does not include passengers and cargo.

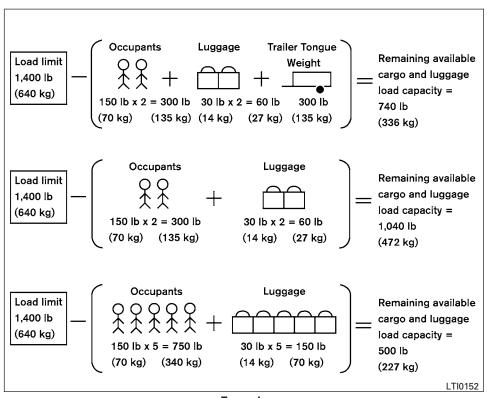
- GVW (Gross Vehicle Weight) curb weight plus the combined weight of passengers and cargo.
- GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating) - maximum total combined weight of the unloaded vehicle, passengers, luggage, hitch, trailer tongue load and any other optional equipment. This information is located on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label.
- GAWR (Gross Axle Weight Rating) maximum weight (load) limit specified for the front or rear axle. This information is located on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label.
- GCWR (Gross Combined Weight rating) - The maximum total weight rating of the vehicle, passengers, cargo, and trailer.

- Vehicle Capacity Weight, Load limit, Total load capacity - maximum total weight limit specified of the load (passengers and cargo) for the vehicle. This is the maximum combined weight of occupants and cargo that can be loaded into the vehicle. If the vehicle is used to tow a trailer, the trailer tongue weight must be included as part of the cargo load. This information is located on the Tire and Loading Information label.
- Cargo capacity permissible weight of cargo, the subtracted weight of occupants from the load limit.

#### VEHICLE LOAD CAPACITY

Before driving a loaded vehicle, confirm that you do not exceed the Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or the Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR) for your vehicle. Both the GVWR and GAWR are located on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label. For additional information, refer to "Measurement of weights" in this section. Do not exceed the load limit of your vehicle shown as "The combined weight of occupants and cargo" on the Tire and Loading Information label. Do not exceed the number of occupants shown as "Seating Capacity" on the Tire and Loading Information label.

To get "the combined weight of occupants and cargo", add the weight of all occupants, then add the total luggage weight. Examples are shown in the following illustration.



Example

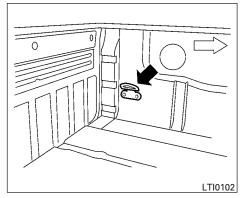
Steps for determining correct load limit

- 1. Locate the statement "The combined weight of occupants and cargo should never exceed XXX lbs or XXX kg" on your vehicle's placard.
- 2. Determine the combined weight of the driver and passengers that will be riding in your vehicle.
- 3. Subtract the combined weight of the driver and passengers from XXX lbs or XXX kg.
- 4. The resulting figure equals the available amount of cargo and luggage load capacity. For example, if the XXX amount equals 1,400 lbs. and there will be five 150 lb. passengers in your vehicle, the amount of available cargo and luggage load capacity is 650 lbs. (1,400-750 (5 X 150) = 650 lbs) or (640-340 (5 X 70) = 300 kg.)

- 5. Determine the combined weight of luggage and cargo being loaded on the vehicle. That weight may not safely exceed the available cargo and luggage load capacity calculated in Step 4.
- 6. If your vehicle will be towing a trailer, load from your trailer will be transferred to your vehicle. Consult this manual to determine how this reduces the available cargo and luggage load capacity of your vehicle.

Before driving a loaded vehicle, confirm that you do not exceed the Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or the Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR) for your vehicle. For additional information, refer to "Measurement of weights" in this section.

Also check tires for proper inflation pressures. For additional information, refer to the "Tire and Loading Information label" in this section.



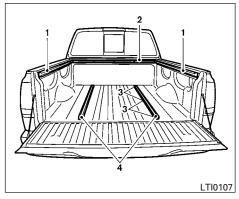
## SECURING THE LOAD

For your convenience, tie down hooks are placed at each corner of the truck box. These may be used to help secure cargo loaded into the truck box.

# **WARNING**

Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. Do not place cargo higher than the seatbacks. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.

Do not load your vehicle any heavier than the GVWR or the maximum front and rear GAWRs. If you do, parts of your vehicle can break, tire damage could occur, or it can change the way your vehicle handles. This could result in loss of control and cause personal injury.



UTILI-TRACK™ CHANNEL SYSTEM (if so equipped)

- 1. Side channels
- 2. Header channel
- 3. Channel sections
- 4 Floor channels

## **AWARNING**

- Properly install and tighten the tiedown cleats into the Utili-track™ channel system. Also, do not attach any rope or straps directly to the channel, Failure to properly install the tie-down cleats or attaching ropes or straps directly to the channel can cause the cargo to become unsecured. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.
- Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.

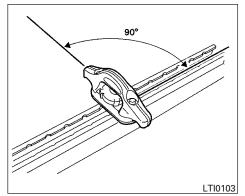
The Utili-track™ channel system allows you to move tie-down clamps in the bed to the best location to secure a load.

The tie-down cleats must be installed so the clamp is properly seated in the notches in the rail. If the tie-down cleat is not seated in the notches. it will not be flush with the rail and cannot be properly tightened. The bolt in the center of the cleat must be tightened hand tight (20 - 40 inlbs)

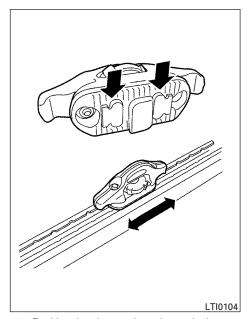
Check the tightness of the tie-down cleat periodically during a trip to make sure the center bolt has not become loose.

Install the tie-down cleat as follows:

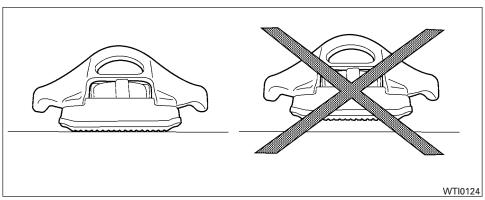
- 1. Remove the channel protectors by sliding them out the back of the truck bed. Properly store the channel protectors.
- 2. Loosen the center bolt completely.



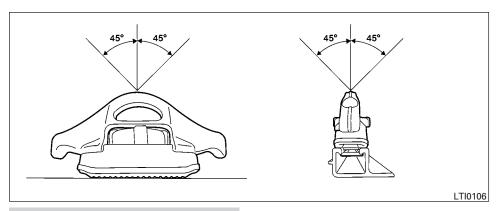
3. Insert the cleat into the channel perpendicular to the channel as shown. Then rotate the cleat clockwise 90° and slide it to the desired location.



4. Position the cleat so the nubs on the bottom fully seat into the channel detents.

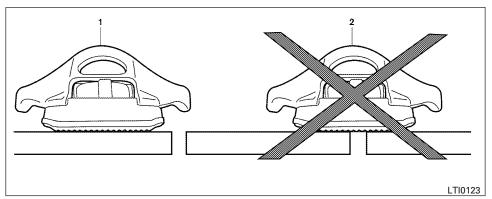


5. There should be no gap between the bottom of the cleat and the top of the channel. Tighten the center bolt hand tight (20-40 inlbs).



# **A** CAUTION

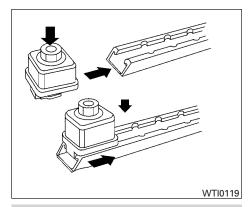
- Install only one cleat per section of channel.
- Applying loads at angles to the cleats greater then 45° or loads greater than 150 lbs. (header and floor channels) or 200 lbs. (side channels) may cause damage to the channel or bed.



1 correct installation, 2 incorrect installation

## **AWARNING**

Do not install accessories over the gap between the front and rear side channels. Doing this could affect the rear structure in certain rear impacts, which could result in serious injury.



# **A** CAUTION

Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to prevent it from sliding or shifting. Use the channel end stoppers to help secure items in the channels from sliding off the end of the truck bed.

# Channel end stoppers

The channel end stoppers should be used to help prevent accessories installed in the channels from sliding or shifting off the end of the truck bed.

They must be installed so they are properly seated in the detents in the channel.

Install the channels end stoppers as follows:

- 1. Remove the channel protectors by sliding them out the back of the truck bed. Properly store the channel protectors.
- 2. Loosen the bolt on the center of the end stopper with the provided wrench and insert it into the channel.
- 3. Position the end stopper to the desired location on the channel so the nubs on the bottom of the end stopper fully seat into the channel detents.
- 4. Tighten the bolt on the center of the end stopper with the provided wrench.

#### LOADING TIPS

- The GVW must not exceed GVWR or GAWR as specified on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label.
- Do not load the front and rear axle to the GAWR. Doing so will exceed the GVWR

## **AWARNING**

- Properly secure all cargo with ropes or straps to help prevent it from sliding or shifting. Do not place cargo higher than the seatbacks. In a sudden stop or collision, unsecured cargo could cause personal injury.
- Do not load your vehicle any heavier than the GVWR or the maximum front and rear GAWRs. If you do, parts of your vehicle can break, tire damage could occur, or it can change the way your vehicle handles. This could result in loss of control and cause personal injury.
- Overloading not only can shorten the life of your vehicle and the tire, but can also cause unsafe vehicle handling and longer braking distances. This may cause a premature tire failure which could result in a serious accident and personal injury. Failures caused by overloading are not covered by the vehicle's warranty.

## TRUCK-CAMPER LOADING INFORMATION

#### CREW CAB MODELS

Crew Cab short wheel base models should not be used to carry a slide-in camper.

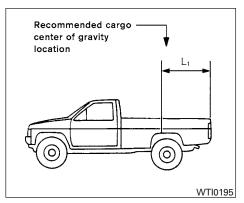
#### KING CAR MODELS

This information is provided for you to properly install a slide-in camper and is based on the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration regulations. It is recommended that, before installing the camper, you carefully read the following information and ensure that the camper meets the specifications.

This information may not apply to some Canada model vehicles.

#### SPECIAL BODY VEHICLES

Some vehicles are equipped with commercial or camper bodies. However, this Owner's Manual does not cover these options. For additional information, refer to the body manufacturer's instruction manual.



# LOCATION FOR CENTER OF GRAVITY

The illustration indicates the recommended cargo center of gravity location.

King Cab short wheel base:

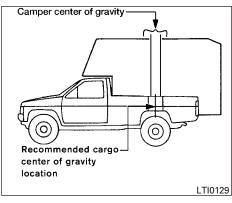
L1 = 43.9 in (1,115.7 mm)

Crew Cab long wheel base:

L1 = 47.9 in (1,215.7 mm)

## **AWARNING**

Improper loading may be dangerous. If a load is too far back, it can affect handling characteristics. If a load is too far forward, the front axle may be overloaded.



When the truck is used to carry a slide-in camper, the total cargo load of the truck consists of the camper manufacturer's weight figure, plus:

- the weight of installed additional camper equipment not included in the camper manufacturer's weight figure,
- the weight of camper cargo,
- and the weight of occupants in the camper.

The total cargo load should not exceed the truck's pay load weight rating and the camper's center of gravity should fall within the truck's recommended center of gravity location when installed.

## **TOWING A TRAILER**

## **AWARNING**

Overloading or improper loading can adversely affect vehicle handling, braking and performance and may lead to accidents.

#### VEHICLE LOAD WEIGHT CAPACITY

The vehicle payload weight capacity shown on the Tire and Loading Information label, refer to "Tire and Loading Information label" in this section, indicates the maximum total weight of passengers, optional equipment (air conditioning, trailer hitch, etc) and cargo that your vehicle is designed to carry.

Before driving a loaded vehicle, confirm that you do not exceed the GVWR or the GAWR for your vehicle. Refer to "Vehicle Loading Information" in this section for details.

Also check tires for proper inflation pressures. Refer to the Tire and Loading Information label.

#### MEASUREMENT OF WEIGHTS

Secure loose items to prevent weight shifts that could affect the balance of your vehicle. When the vehicle is loaded, drive to a scale and weigh the front and the rear wheels separately to determine axle

loads. Individual axle loads should not exceed either of the gross axle weight ratings (GAWR). The total of the axle loads should not exceed the gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR). These ratings are given on the vehicle certification label. If weight ratings are exceeded, move or remove items to bring all weights below the ratings.

## **AWARNING**

Overloading or improper loading of a trailer and its cargo can adversely affect vehicle handling, braking and performance and may lead to accidents.

# **A** CAUTION

- Do not tow a trailer or haul a heavy load for the first 500 miles (805 km). Your engine, axle or other parts could be damaged.
- For the first 500 miles (805 km) that you tow a trailer, do not drive over 50 mph (80 km/h) and do not make starts at full throttle. This helps the engine and other parts of your vehicle wear in at the heavier load.

Your new vehicle was designed to be used primarily to carry passengers and cargo. Remember that towing a trailer places additional loads on your vehicle's engine, drive train, steering, braking and other systems.

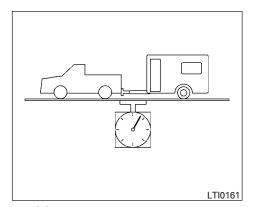
A NISSAN Towing Guide (U.S. only) is available on the website at www.nissanusa.com. This guide includes information on trailer towing capability and the special equipment required for proper towing.

## MAXIMUM LOAD LIMITS Maximum trailer loads

Never allow the total trailer load to exceed the value specified "Towing Load/Specification" chart found in this section. The total trailer load equals trailer weight plus its cargo weight.

 When towing a trailer load of 3,500 lbs. (1,587 kg) or more, trailers with a brake system MUST be used.

The maximum GCWR should not exceed the value specified in the following "Towing Load/Specification" chart.



The GCWR equals the combined weight of the towing vehicle (including passengers and cargo) plus the total trailer load. Towing loads greater than these or using improper towing equipment could adversely affect vehicle handling, braking and performance.

The ability of your vehicle to tow a trailer is not only related to the maximum trailer loads, but also the places you plan to tow. Tow weights appropriate for level highway driving may have to be reduced for low traction situations (for example, on slippery boat ramps).

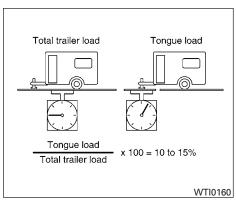
Temperature conditions can also affect towing. For example, towing a heavy trailer in high outside temperatures on graded roads can affect engine performance and cause overheating. The engine protection mode, which helps reduce the chance of engine damage, could activate and automatically decrease engine power. Vehicle speed may decrease under high load. Plan your trip carefully to account for trailer and vehicle load, weather and road conditions.

## **AWARNING**

Overheating can result in reduced engine power and vehicle speed. The reduced speed may be lower than other traffic, which could increase the chance of a collision. Be especially careful when driving. If the vehicle cannot maintain a safe driving speed, pull to the side of the road in a safe area. Allow the engine to cool and return to normal operation. For additional information, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

## **A** CAUTION

Vehicle damage resulting from improper towing procedures is not covered by NISSAN warranties.

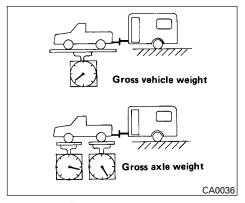


# Tongue load

When using a weight carrying or a weight distributing hitch, keep the tongue load between 10 -15% of the total trailer load or use the trailer tongue load specified by the trailer manufacturer. The tongue load must be within the maximum tongue load limits shown in the following "Towing Load/Specification" chart. If the tongue load becomes excessive, rearrange cargo to allow for proper tongue load.

# King pin load

When using a 5th wheel hitch, keep the tongue load between 15 - 25% of the total trailer load within the maximum king pin load limits shown in the following "Towing Load/Specification" chart. If the king pin load becomes excessive, rearrange cargo to allow for proper king pin load.



Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)/maximum Gross Axle Weight (GAW)

The GVW of the towing vehicle must not exceed the Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) shown on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label. The GVW equals the combined weight of the unloaded vehicle, passengers, luggage, hitch, trailer tongue load and any other optional equipment. In addition, front or rear GAW must not exceed the Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR) shown on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label.

Towing capacities are calculated assuming a base vehicle with driver and any options required to achieve the rating. Additional passengers, cargo and/or optional equipment, such as the trailer hitch, will add weight to the vehicle and reduce your vehicle's maximum towing capacity and trailer tongue load.

The vehicle and trailer need to be weighed to confirm the vehicle is within the GVWR, Front GAWR, Rear GAWR, Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR) and Towing capacity.

All vehicle and trailer weights can be measured using platform type scales commonly found at truck stops, highway weigh stations, building supply centers or salvage yards.

To determine the available payload capacity for tongue/king pin load, use the following procedure.

- Locate the GVWR on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label.
- Weigh your vehicle on the scale with all of the passengers and cargo that are normally in the vehicle when towing a trailer.
- Subtract the actual vehicle weight from the GVWR. The remaining amount is the available maximum tongue/king pin load.

To determine the available towing capacity, use the following procedure.

- Find the GCWR for your vehicle on the "Towing Load/Specification" chart found in this section.
- Subtract the actual vehicle weight from the GCWR. The remaining amount is the available maximum towing capacity.

To determine the Gross Trailer Weight, weigh your trailer on a scale with all equipment and cargo, that are normally in the trailer when it is towed. Make sure the Gross trailer weight is not more than the Gross Trailer Weight Rating shown on the trailer and is not more than the calculated available maximum towing capacity.

Also weigh the front and rear axles on the scale to make sure the Front Gross Axle Weight and Rear Gross Axle Weight are not more than Front Gross Axle Weight and Rear Gross Axle Weight on the F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label. The cargo in the trailer and vehicle may need to be moved or removed to meet the specified ratings.

#### Example:

 Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) as weighed on a scale - including passengers, cargo and hitch - 6,200 lb. (2,812 kg).

- Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) from F.M.V.S.S./C.M.V.S.S. certification label -7,100 lb. (3,220 kg).
- Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR) from "Towing Load/Specification" chart -15,100 lb. (6,848 kg).
- Maximum Trailer towing capacity from "Towing Load/Specification" chart - 9,200 lb. (4,173 kg).

7,100 lb. (3,220 kg)	GVWR
- 6,200 lb. (2,812 kg)	GVW
= 900 lb. (408 kg)	Available for tongue/ king pin weight
15,100 lb. (6,848 kg)	GCWR
- 6,200 lb. (2,812 kg)	GVW
= 8,900 lb. (4,036 kg)	Capacity available for towing

900 lb. (408 kg)	Available tongue weight
/ 8,900 lb. (4,036 kg)	Available capacity
=	10 % tongue weight

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The available towing capacity may be less than the maximum towing capacity due to the passenger and cargo load in the vehicle.

Remember to keep trailer tongue weight between 10 - 15% of the trailer weight or within the trailer tongue load specification recommended

by the trailer manufacturer. If the tongue load becomes excessive, rearrange the cargo to obtain the proper tongue load. Do not exceed the maximum tongue weight specification shown in the "Towing load/specification" chart even if the calculated available tongue weight is greater than 15%. If the calculated tongue weight is less than 10%, reduce the total trailer weight to match the available tongue weight.

Always verify that available capacities are within the required ratings.

#### TOWING LOAD/SPECIFICATION

#### Towing load specification chart with tow package - short wheel base

	2WD		4WD					
	KC		CC	KC	CC		CC	
	SV	SV	SL	SV	Pro-4X	SV	Pro-4X	SL
Maximum Towing Capacity *1, *2, *3	9,500 lb. (4,309 kg)	9,400 lb. (4,263 kg)	9,200 lb. (4,173 kg)	9,400 lb. (4,263 kg)	9,300 lb. (4,218 kg)	9,300 lb. (4,218 kg)	9,300 lb. (4,218 kg)	9,100 lb. (4,127 kg)
Maximum Tongue load *2, *3	950 lb. (431 kg)	940 lb. (426 kg)	920 lb. (417 kg)	940 lb. (426 kg)	930 lb. (422 kg)	930 lb. (422 kg)	930 lb. (422 kg)	910 lb. (413 kg)
Maximum King pin load	1,425 lb. (646 kg)	1,410 lb. (639 kg)	1,380 lb. (626 kg)	1,410 lb. (639 kg)	1,395 lb. (633 kg)	1,395 lb. (633 kg)	1,395 lb. (633 kg)	1,365 lb. (619 kg)
Maximum Gross Combined Weight Rating	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,849 kg)

# Towing load specification chart with tow package — long wheel base

	2WD	4WD
	CC	CC
	SV	SV
Maximum Towing	9,300 lb. (4,218 kg)	9,100 lb. (4,127 kg)
Capacity *1, *2, *3		
Maximum Tongue load *2, *3	930 lb. (422 kg)	910 lb. (413 kg)
Maximum King pin load	1,395 lb. (633 kg)	1,365 lb. (619 kg)
Maximum Gross Combined Weight Rating	15,100 lb. (6,848 kg)	15,100 lb. (6,848 kg)

# Towing load specification chart without tow package — short wheel base

	2WD					4WD				
	KC		CC			KC		CC		
	S	SV	S	SV	SL	S	SV	S	SV	SL
Maximum Towing capacity*1, *2, *3	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,100 lb. (3,220 kg)	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,400 lb. (3,356 kg)	7,300 lb. (3,111 kg)	7,300 lb. (3,111 kg)	7,000 lb. (3,175 kg)
Maximum Tongue load *2, *3	740 lb. (336 kg)	740 lb. (336 kg)	740 lb. (336 kg)	740 lb. (336 kg)	710 lb. (322 kg)	740 lb. (336 kg)	740 lb. (336 kg)	730 lb. (311 kg)	730 lb. (311 kg)	700 lb. (318 kg)
Maximum King pin load	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,065 lb. (483 kg)	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,110 lb. (504 kg)	1,095 lb. (496 kg)	1,095 lb. (496 kg)	1,050 lb. (476 kg)
Maximum Gross Combined Weight Rating	12,800 lb. (5,806 kg)	12,800 lb. (5,806 kg)		12,800 lb. (5,806 kg)	,	13,000 lb. (5,897 kg)				

## Towing load specification chart without tow package — long wheel base

	2WD	4WD			
	CC	CC			
	SV	SV			
Maximum Towing capacity*1, *2, *3	7,100 lb. (3,220 kg)	7,000 lb. (3,175 kg)			
Maximum Tongue load *2, *3	710 lb. (322 kg)	700 lb. (318 kg)			
Maximum King pin load	1,065 lb. (483 kg)	1,050 lb. (476 kg)			
Maximum Gross Combined Weight Rating	12,800 lb. (5,806 kg)	13,000 lb. (5,897 kg)			

<sup>\*1:</sup> The towing capacity values are calculated assuming a base vehicle with driver and any options required to achieve the rating. Additional passengers, cargo and/or optional equipment will add weight to the vehicle and reduce your vehicle's maximum towing capacity.

<sup>\*2:</sup> Use of a weight-distributing hitch system is recommended when towing over 5,000 lbs. (2,268 kg).

<sup>\*3:</sup> The maximum towing capacity when using the genuine NISSAN step bumper as a ball mount is 5,000 lb. (2,268 kg) and 500 lb. (227 kg) tongue load.

# TOWING SAFFTY Trailer hitch

Your vehicle may be equipped with an optional trailer tow package. The trailer tow package includes a receiver-type frame mounted hitch. This hitch is rated for the maximum towing capacity of this vehicle when the proper towing equipment is used. Choose a proper ball mount and hitch ball that is rated for the trailer to be towed. Genuine NISSAN ball mounts and hitch balls are available from your NISSAN dealer.

If your vehicle is not equipped with the optional trailer tow package, check the towing capacity of your bumper hitch or receiver-type frame mounted hitch. Choose a proper hitch for your vehicle and trailer. A genuine NISSAN trailer hitch is available from your NISSAN dealer. Make sure the trailer hitch is securely attached to the vehicle to help avoid personal injury or property damage due to sway caused by crosswinds, rough road surfaces or passing trucks.

A hitch used for towing 5th wheel and gooseneck trailers can also be installed on your vehicle. Contact a professional supplier of towing equipment to purchase and have a 5th wheel or gooseneck hitch installed

## **AWARNING**

Trailer hitch components have specific weight ratings. Your vehicle may be capable of towing a trailer heavier than the weight rating of the hitch components. Never exceed the weight rating of the hitch components. Doing so can cause serious personal injury or property damage.

#### Hitch ball

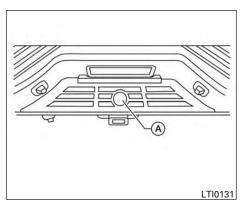
Choose a hitch ball of the proper size and weight rating for your trailer:

- The required hitch ball size is stamped on most trailer couplers. Most hitch balls also have the size printed on the top of the ball.
- Choose the proper class hitch ball based on the trailer weight.
- The diameter of the threaded shank of the hitch ball must be matched to the ball mount hole diameter. The hitch ball shank should be no more than 1/16" smaller than the hole in the ball mount.

The threaded shank of the hitch ball must be long enough to be properly secured to the ball mount. There should be at least 2 threads showing beyond the lock washer and nut.

### Ball mount

The hitch ball is attached to the ball mount and the ball mount is inserted into the hitch receiver. Choose a proper class ball mount based on the trailer weight. Additionally, the ball mount should be chosen to keep the trailer tongue level with the ground.



# Bumper towing

The genuine NISSAN step bumper has provisions to install a trailer hitch ball and is designed to tow trailers of a maximum weight of 5,000 lb (2,268 kg).

To install a trailer hitch ball cut out the circle in the center of the step bumper (A), then remove it to install the trailer hitch ball.

# Weight carrying hitches

A weight carrying or "dead weight" ball mount is one that is designed to carry the whole amount of tongue weight and gross weight directly on the ball mount and on the receiver.

# Weight distribution hitch

This type of hitch is also called a "load-leveling" or "equalizing" hitch. A set of bars attach to the ball mount and to the trailer to distribute the tongue weight (hitch weight) of your trailer. Many vehicles can't carry the full tongue weight of a given trailer, and need some of the tongue weight transferred through the frame and pushing down on the front wheels. This gives stability to the tow vehicle.

A weight-distributing hitch system (Class IV) is recommended if you plan to tow trailers with a maximum weight over 5,000 lbs (2,268 kg). Check with the trailer and towing equipment manufacturers to determine if they recommend the use of a weight-distributing hitch system.

# NOTE:

A weight-distributing hitch system may affect the operation of trailer surge brakes. If you are considering use of a weightdistributing hitch system with a surge brake-equipped trailer, check with the surge brake, hitch or trailer manufacturer to determine if and how this can be done.

Follow the instructions provided by the manufacturer for installing and using the weightdistributing hitch system.

General set-up instructions are as follows:

- 1. Park unloaded vehicle on a level surface. With the ignition on and the doors closed, allow the vehicle to stand for several minutes. so that it can level.
- 2. Measure the height of a reference point on the front and rear bumpers at the center of the vehicle.
- 3. Attach the trailer to the vehicle and adjust the hitch equalizers so that the front bumper height is within 0 - .5 inches (0 - 13 mm) of the reference height measured in step 2. The rear bumper should be no higher than the reference height measured in step 2.

## **WARNING**

Properly adjust the weight distributing hitch so the rear of the bumper is no higher than the measured reference height when the trailer is attached. If the rear bumper is higher than the measured reference height when loaded, the vehicle may handle unpredictably which could cause a loss of vehicle control and cause serious personal injury or property damage.

# Sway control device

Sudden maneuvers, wind gusts, and buffeting caused by other vehicles can affect trailer handling. Sway control devices may be used to help control these affects. If you choose to use one, contact a reputable trailer hitch supplier to make sure the sway control device will work with the vehicle, hitch, trailer and the trailer's brake system. Follow the instructions provided by the manufacturer for installing and using the sway control device.

#### Class I hitch

Class I trailer hitch equipment (receiver, ball mount and hitch ball) can be used to tow trailers of a maximum weight of 2,000 lb (907 kg).

# Class II hitch

Class II trailer hitch equipment (receiver, ball mount and hitch ball) can be used to tow trailers of a maximum weight of 3,500 lb (1,587 kg).

#### Class III hitch

Class III trailer hitch equipment (receiver, ball mount and hitch ball) can be used to tow trailers of a maximum weight of 5,000 lb (2,268 kg).

#### Class IV hitch

Class IV trailer hitch equipment (receiver, ball mount and hitch ball) can be used to tow trailers of a maximum weight of 10,000 lb (4,535 kg), A weight distributing hitch should be used to tow trailers that weigh over 5,000 lb (2,268 kg).

Your vehicle may be equipped with Class IV trailer hitch equipment that has a 10,000 lb (4,535 kg) maximum weight rating, but your vehicle is only capable of towing the maximum trailer weights shown in the "Towing Load/Specification" chart in this section.

# 5th wheel/gooseneck

A 5th wheel or gooseneck trailer can be towed by installing a 5th wheel or gooseneck trailer hitch. These types of hitches are mounted in the bed of the pick-up. A professional trailer equipment supplier should install these hitches as it is very important to mount the hitch correctly to distribute the king pin weight for the proper load carrying and sway control performance.

The king pin weight should be 15 to 25 % of the fully loaded trailer. Make sure the king pin weight does not cause the gross vehicle weight to exceed the Gross Maximum Weight Rating or the rear axle weight to exceed the Rear Gross Axle Weight rating. For additional information, refer to "Maximum load limits" in this section.

The weight of the trailer should not exceed the maximum towing capacity for the vehicle. For additional information, refer to "Towing Load/Specification" chart in this section.

Make sure the trailer design allows for the correct vehicle to trailer clearances before purchasing a 5th wheel trailer.

# **A** CAUTION

- Special hitches which include frame reinforcements are required for towing above 2,000 lb (907 kg). Suitable genuine NISSAN hitches, ball mounts and hitch balls for pickup trucks and sport utility vehicles are available at a NISSAN dealer.
- The hitch should not be attached to or affect the operation of the impactabsorbing bumper.
- Do not use axle-mounted hitches.
- Do not modify the vehicle exhaust system, brake system, etc. to install a trailer hitch.
- To reduce the possibility of additional damage if your vehicle is struck from the rear, where practical, remove the receiver when not in use.

- Regularly check that all trailer hitch mounting bolts are securely mounted.
- When towing with the hitch ball mounted to the rear bumper, do not make sharp turns. The trailer may contact the bumper and cause damage to the bumper or trailer.
- When towing a 5th wheel trailer, do not make sharp turns while driving or backing. The trailer may contact the vehicle and cause damage to both the trailer and vehicle.

# Tire pressures

- When towing a trailer, inflate the vehicle tires to the recommended cold tire pressure indicated on the Tire and Loading Information label.
- Trailer tire condition, size, load rating and proper inflation pressure should be in accordance with the trailer and tire manufacturer's specifications.

# Safety chains

Always use suitable safety chains between your vehicle and the trailer. The safety chains should be crossed and should be attached to the hitch.

not to the vehicle bumper or axle. The safety chains can be attached to the bumper if the hitch ball is mounted to the bumper. Be sure to leave enough slack in the chains to permit turning corners.

# Trailer lights

# **A** CAUTION

When splicing into the vehicle electrical system, a commercially available powertype module/converter must be used to provide power for all trailer lighting. This unit uses the vehicle battery as a direct power source for all trailer lights while using the vehicle tail light, stoplight and turn signal circuits as a signal source. The module/converter must draw no more that 15 milliamps from the stop and tail lamp circuits. Using a module/converter that exceeds these power requirements may damage the vehicle's electrical system. See a reputable trailer dealer to obtain the proper equipment and to have it installed.

Trailer lights should comply with federal and/or local regulations. For assistance in hooking up trailer lights, contact a NISSAN dealer or reputable trailer dealer. Vehicles equipped with the optional trailer tow package are equipped with a 7-pin trailer harness connector. If your trailer is equipped with a flat 4-pin connector, an adapter will be needed to connect the trailer lights to the vehicle. Adapters are available at NISSAN dealers, auto parts stores and hitch retailers.

#### Trailer brakes

When towing a trailer load of 3,500 lbs. (1,587 kg) or more, trailers with a brake system MUST be used. However, most states require a separate braking system on trailers with a loaded weight above a specific amount. Make sure the trailer meets the local regulations and the regulations where you plan to tow.

Several types of braking systems are available.

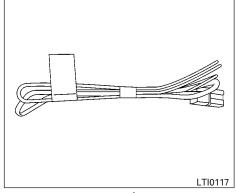
Surge Brakes - The surge brake actuator is mounted on the trailer tongue with a hydraulic line running to each trailer wheel. Surge brakes are activated by the trailer pushing against the hitch ball when the tow vehicle is braking. Hydraulic surge brakes are common on rental trailers and some boat trailers. In this type of system, there is no hydraulic or electric connection for brake operation between the tow vehicle and the trailer.

Electric Trailer Brakes - Electric braking systems are activated by an electronic signal sent from a trailer brake controller (special brakesensing module). For additional information, refer to "Electric trailer brake controller" in this section.

Have a professional supplier of towing equipment make sure the trailer brakes are properly installed and demonstrate proper brake function testing.

# **AWARNING**

Never connect a trailer brake system directly to the vehicle brake system.



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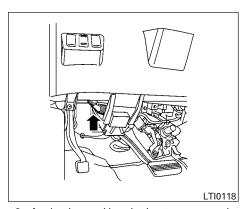
Electric trailer brake controller

Trailers equipped with electric brakes may require the installation of an aftermarket trailer brake controller.

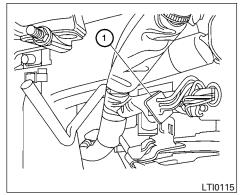
Your vehicle is equipped with a connector and jumper harness that is specifically designed to be used when installing an aftermarket brake controller.

To install the electric trailer brake controller jumper harness, perform the following procedure:

1. Open the driver door. Move the seat to the rearmost position.



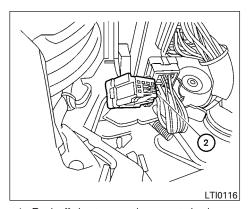
2. Apply the parking brake to access the jumper harness connector.



- 3. Locate the jumper harness connector under the lower portion of the instrument panel. The connector is taped to the wiring harness (1) as indicated.
- The connector is marked with a white tag with "elec brake conn".

Wire color designation for electric trailer brake controller jumper harness.

WIRE COLOR	NOTE
RED/GREEN	Vehicle stop lamp switch to trailer brake controller.
BLACK	Brake controller ground (-).
BROWN/WHITE	Trailer brake controller switched output.
RED/BLUE	Trailer brake controller illumination.
RED	Fused trailer brake controller battery feed (B+).



- 4. Peel off the tape and connect the jumper harness to the connector (2).
- 5. Release the parking brake.
- 6. Install the aftermarket electric trailer brake controller according to the manufacturer's instructions.

# Pre-towing tips

- Be certain your vehicle maintains a level position when a loaded and/or unloaded trailer is hitched. Do not drive the vehicle if it has an abnormal nose-up or nose-down condition; check for improper tongue load, overload, worn suspension or other possible causes of either condition.
- Always secure items in the trailer to prevent load shift while driving.
- Keep the cargo load as low as possible in the trailer to keep the trailer center of gravity low.
- Load the trailer so approximately 60% of the trailer load is in the front half and 40% is in the back half. Also make sure the load is balanced side to side.
- Check your hitch, trailer tire pressure, vehicle tire pressure, trailer light operation, and trailer wheel lug nuts every time you attach a trailer to the vehicle.
- Be certain your rearview mirrors conform to all federal, state or local regulations. If not, install any mirrors required for towing before driving the vehicle.

Determine the overall height of the vehicle and trailer so the required clearance is known.

# Trailer towing tips

In order to gain skill and an understanding of the vehicle's behavior, you should practice turning, stopping and backing up in an area which is free from traffic. Steering stability and braking performance will be somewhat different than under normal driving conditions.

- Always secure items in the trailer to prevent load shift while driving.
- Lock the trailer hitch coupler with a pin or lock to prevent the coupler from inadvertently becoming unlatched.
- Avoid abrupt starts, acceleration or stops.
- Avoid sharp turns or lane changes.
- Always drive your vehicle at a moderate speed.
- When backing up, hold the bottom of the steering wheel with one hand. Move your hand in the direction in which you want the trailer to go. Make small corrections and back up slowly. If possible, have someone guide you when you are backing up.

Always block the wheels on both vehicle and trailer when parking. Parking on a slope is not recommended: however, if you must do so:

## **A** CAUTION

If you move the shift selector to the P (Park) position before blocking the wheels and applying the parking brake, transmission damage could occur.

- 1. Apply and hold the brake pedal.
- 2. Have someone place blocks on the downhill side of the vehicle and trailer wheels.
- 3. After the wheel blocks are in place, slowly release the brake pedal until the blocks absorb the vehicle load.
- 4. Apply the parking brake.
- 5. Shift the transmission into P (Park).
- 6. Make sure the indicator light (if so equipped) indicates the transfer case is in 4H, 4L, or 2H and that the ATP light is off. If indicator light is flashing, or the ATP light is ON, make sure the transmission is in P (Park) (A/T) and turn the 4WD switch to 2WD or 4H. For additional information. refer to "Automatic transmission park warning light" in the "Instruments and controls"

- section and "Using 4-wheel drive (4WD)" in the "Starting and driving" section.
- 7. Turn off the engine.

#### To drive away:

- 1. Start the vehicle.
- 2. Apply and hold the brake pedal.
- 3. Shift the transmission into gear.
- 4. Release the parking brake.
- 5. Drive slowly until the vehicle and trailer are clear from the blocks.
- 6. Apply and hold the brake pedal.
- 7. Have someone retrieve and store the blocks.
- While going downhill, the weight of the trailer pushing on the tow vehicle may decrease overall stability. Therefore, to maintain adequate control, reduce your speed and shift to a lower gear. Avoid long or repeated use of the brakes when descending a hill, as this reduces their effectiveness and could cause overheating. Shifting to a lower gear instead provides "engine braking" and reduces the need to brake as freauently.

- If the engine coolant temperature rises to a high temperature, refer to "If your vehicle overheats" in the "In case of emergency" section of this owner's manual.
- Trailer towing requires more fuel than normal circumstances.
- Avoid towing a trailer for your vehicle's first 500 miles (805 km).
- For the first 500 miles (805 km) that you do tow, do not drive over 50 MPH (80 km/h).
- Have your vehicle serviced more often than at intervals specified in the recommended Maintenance Schedule in the "NISSAN Service and Maintenance Guide".
- When making a turn, your trailer wheels will be closer to the inside of the turn than your vehicle wheels. To compensate for this, make a larger than normal turning radius during the turn.
- Crosswinds and rough roads will adversely affect vehicle/trailer handling, possibly causing vehicle sway. When being passed by larger vehicles, be prepared for possible changes in crosswinds that could affect vehicle handling.

Do the following if the trailer begins to sway:

- Take your foot off the accelerator pedal to allow the vehicle to coast and steer as straight ahead as the road conditions allow. This combination will help stabilize the vehicle
  - Do not correct trailer sway by steering or applying the brakes.
- When the trailer sway stops, gently apply the brakes and pull to the side of the road in a safe area.
- 3. Try to rearrange the trailer load so it is balanced as described earlier in this section.
- Be careful when passing other vehicles. Passing while towing a trailer requires considerably more distance than normal passing. Remember, the length of the trailer must also pass the other vehicle before you can safely change lanes.
- Use the Tow Mode or downshift the transmission to a lower gear for engine braking when driving down steep or long hills. This will help slow the vehicle without applying the brakes.
- Avoid holding the brake pedal down too long or too frequently. This could cause the brakes to overheat, resulting in reduced braking efficiency.

- Increase your following distance to allow for greater stopping distances while towing a trailer. Anticipate stops and brake gradually.
- NISSAN recommends that the cruise control (if so equipped) not be used while towing a trailer.
- Some states or provinces have specific regulations and speed limits for vehicles that are towing trailers. Obey the local speed limits.
- Check your hitch, trailer wiring harness connections, and trailer wheel lug nuts after 50 miles (80 km) of travel and at every break.
- When launching a boat, don't allow the water level to go over the exhaust tail pipe or rear bumper.
- Make sure you disconnect the trailer lights before backing the trailer into the water or the trailer lights may burn out.

When towing a trailer, final drive gear oil should be replaced and transmission oil/fluid should be changed more frequently. For additional information, refer to the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section in this manual.

#### Tow mode

Using tow mode is recommended when pulling a heavy trailer or hauling a heavy load. Press the TOW MODE switch to activate tow mode. The indicator light on the TOW MODE switch illuminates when tow mode is selected. Press the TOW MODE switch again to turn tow mode off. Tow mode is automatically cancelled when the ignition switch is turned OFF.

Tow mode includes the following features:

- Grade logic Adjusts transmission shifts when pulling a trailer or hauling a load up a grade.
- Downhill Speed Control (DSC) automatically downshifts when driving down a grade with a trailer or heavy load to help control vehicle speed.

Driving the vehicle in the tow mode with no trailer/load or light trailer/light load will not cause any damage. However, fuel economy may be reduced and the transmission/engine driving characteristics may feel unusual.

When towing a trailer, final drive gear oil should be replaced and transmission oil/fluid should be changed more frequently. For additional information, refer to the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section in this manual.

# **SNOW PLOW**

# **UNIFORM TIRE QUALITY GRADING**

#### **FLAT TOWING**

Towing your vehicle with all four wheels on the ground is sometimes called flat towing. This method is sometimes used when towing a vehicle behind a recreational vehicle, such as a motor home.

# **A** CAUTION

- Failure to follow these guidelines can result in severe transmission damage.
- Whenever flat towing your vehicle, always tow forward, never backward.
- DO NOT tow any automatic transmission vehicle with all four wheels on the ground (flat towing). Doing so WILL DAMAGE internal transmission parts due to lack of transmission lubrication.
- For emergency towing procedures refer to "Towing recommended by NISSAN" in the "In case of emergency" section of this manual.

#### **Automatic Transmission**

To tow a vehicle equipped with an automatic transmission, an appropriate vehicle dolly **MUST** be placed under the towed vehicle's drive wheels. **Always** follow the dolly manufacturer's recommendations when using their product.

# **AWARNING**

Do not use this vehicle for snowplowing. Installing a snowplow may affect vehicle handling. This may cause the driver to lose control of the vehicle and could result in serious vehicle damage or personal injury.

DOT (Department of Transportation) Quality Grades: All passenger car tires must conform to federal safety requirements in addition to these grades.

Quality grades can be found where applicable on the tire sidewall between tread shoulder and maximum section width. For example:

#### **Treadwear 200 Traction AA Temperature A**

#### Treadwear

The treadwear grade is a comparative rating based on the wear rate of the tire when tested under controlled conditions on a specified government test course. For example, a tire graded 150 would wear one and one-half (1 1/2) times as well on the government course as a tire graded 100. The relative performance of tires depends upon the actual conditions of their use, however, and may depart significantly from the norm due to variations in driving habits, service practices and differences in road characteristics and climate.

#### Traction AA, A, B and C

The traction grades, from highest to lowest, are AA, A, B, and C. Those grades represent the tire's ability to stop on wet pavement as measured under controlled conditions on specified government test surfaces of asphalt and concrete. A tire marked C may have poor traction performance.

# **AWARNING**

The traction grade assigned to this tire is based on straight-ahead braking traction tests, and does not include acceleration, cornering, hydroplaning, or peak traction characteristics.

# Temperature A, B and C

The temperature grades are A (the highest), B, and C, representing the tire's resistance to the generation of heat, and its ability to dissipate heat when tested under controlled conditions on a specified indoor laboratory test wheel. Sustained high temperature can cause the material of the tire to degenerate and reduce tire life, and excessive temperature can lead to sudden tire failure. The grade C corresponds to a level of performance which all passenger car tires must meet under the Federal Motor Safety Standard No. 109. Grades B and A represent higher levels of performance on the laboratory test wheel than the minimum required by law.

# **AWARNING**

The temperature grade for this tire is established for a tire that is properly inflated and not overloaded. Excessive speed. under-inflation, or excessive loading, either separately or in combination, can cause heat build-up and possible tire failure.

## **EMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM** WARRANTY

Your NISSAN vehicle is covered by the following emission warranties:

#### For USA

- 1. Emission Defects Warranty
- 2. Emissions Performance Warranty

Details of this warranty may be found with other vehicle warranties in your Warranty Information Booklet which comes with your NISSAN vehicle. If you did not receive a Warranty Information Booklet, or it is lost, you may obtain a replacement by writing to:

 Nissan North America, Inc. Consumer Affairs Department P.O. Box 685003 Franklin, TN 37068-5003

#### For Canada

**Emission Control System Warranty** 

Details of this warranty may be found with other vehicle warranties in your Warranty Information Booklet which comes with your NISSAN vehicle. If you did not receive a Warranty Information Booklet, or it is lost, you may obtain a replacement by writing to:

 Nissan Canada Inc. 5290 Orbitor Drive Mississauga, Ontario, L4W 4Z5

#### REPORTING SAFETY DEFECTS

## For USA

If you believe that your vehicle has a defect which could cause a crash or could cause injury or death, you should immediately inform the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) in addition to notifying NISSAN.

If NHTSA receives similar complaints, it may open an investigation, and if it finds that a safety defect exists in a group of vehicles, it may order a recall and remedy campaign. However, NHTSA cannot become involved in individual problems between you, your dealer, or NISSAN.

To contact NHTSA, you may call the Vehicle Safety Hotline toll-free at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); go to http://www.safercar.gov; or write to: Administrator, NHTSA, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, D.C. 20590. You can also obtain other information about motor vehicle safety from http://www.safercar.gov.

You may notify NISSAN by contacting our Consumer Affairs Department, toll-free, at 1-800-NISSAN-1.

#### For Canada

If you believe that your vehicle has a defect which could cause a crash or could cause injury or death, you should immediately inform Transport Canada in addition to notifying NISSAN.

If Transport Canada receives complaints, it may open an investigation, and if it finds that a safety defect exists in a group of vehicles, it may request that NISSAN conduct a recall campaign. However, Transport Canada cannot become involved in individual problems between you, your dealer, or NISSAN.

You may contact Transport Canada's Defect Investigations and Recalls Division toll free at 1-800-333-0510. You may also report safety defects online at: https://wwwapps.tc.gc.ca/Saf-Sec-Sur/ 7/PCDB-BDPP/fc-cp.aspx?lang=eng (English speakers) or

https://wwwapps.tc.gc.ca/Saf-Sec-Sur/ 7/PCDB-BDPP/fc-cp.aspx?lang=fra (French speakers)

Additional information concerning motor vehicle safety may be obtained from Transport Canada's Road Safety Information Centre at 1-800-333-0371 or online at www.tc.gc.ca/roadsafety (English speakers) or www.tc.gc.ca/securiteroutiere (French speakers).

To notify NISSAN of any safety concerns please contact our Consumer Information Centre toll free at 1-800-387-0122.

# **READINESS FOR INSPECTION/ MAINTENANCE (I/M) TEST**

Due to legal requirements in some states and Canadian Provinces, your vehicle may be required to be in what is called the "ready condition" for an Inspection/Maintenance (I/M) test of the emission control system.

The vehicle is set to the "ready condition" when it is driven through certain driving patterns. Usually, the ready condition can be obtained by ordinary usage of the vehicle.

If a powertrain system component is repaired or the battery is disconnected, the vehicle may be reset to a "not ready" condition. Before taking the I/M check the vehicle's test. inspection/maintenance test readiness condition. Place the ignition switch in the ON position without starting the engine. If the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) comes on steady for 20 seconds and then blinks for 10 seconds, the I/M test condition is "not ready". If the MIL does not blink after 20 seconds, the I/M test condition is "ready". Contact a NISSAN dealer to set the "ready condition" or to prepare the vehicle for testina.

# **EVENT DATA RECORDERS (EDR)**

This vehicle is equipped with an Event Data Recorder (EDR). The main purpose of an EDR is to record, in certain crash or near crash-like situations, such as an air bag deployment or hitting a road obstacle, data that will assist in understanding how a vehicle's systems performed. The EDR is designed to record data related to vehicle dynamics and safety systems for a short period of time, typically 30 seconds or less. The EDR in this vehicle is designed to record such data as:

- How various systems in your vehicle were operating;
- Whether or not the driver and passenger safety belts were buckled/fastened;
- How far (if at all) the driver was depressing the accelerator and/or brake pedal; and.
- How fast the vehicle was traveling.
- Sounds are not recorded.

These data can help provide a better understanding of the circumstances in which crashes and injuries occur. NOTE: EDR data are recorded by your vehicle only if a nontrivial crash situation occurs; no data are recorded by the EDR under normal driving conditions and no personal data (e.g. name, gender, age and crash location) are recorded. However, other parties, such as law enforcement, could combine the EDR data with the type of personally identifying data routinely acquired during a crash investigation.

To read data recorded by an EDR, special equipment is required and access to the vehicle or the EDR is needed. In addition to the vehicle manufacturer and NISSAN dealer, other parties, such as law enforcement, that have the special equipment, can read the information if they have access to the vehicle or the EDR. EDR data will only be accessed with the consent of the vehicle owner or lessee or as otherwise required or permitted by law.

# OWNER'S MANUAL/SERVICE MANUAL ORDER INFORMATION

Genuine NISSAN Service Manuals for this model vear and prior can be purchased. A genuine NISSAN Service Manual is the best source of service and repair information for your vehicle. This manual is the same one used by the factorytrained technicians working at NISSAN dealerships. Genuine NISSAN Owner's Manuals can also be purchased.

#### For USA

For current pricing and availability of genuine **NISSAN Service Manuals.** contact:

www.nissan-techinfo.com

For current pricing and availability of genuine NISSAN Owner's Manuals, contact:

1-800-247-5321

#### For Canada

To purchase a copy of a genuine NISSAN Service Manual or Owner's Manual, for this model year and prior, please contact your nearest NISSAN dealer. For the phone number and location of a NISSAN dealer in your area, call the NISSAN Information Center at 1-800-387-0122 and a bilingual NISSAN representative will assist you.

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#### **GAS STATION INFORMATION**

# RECOMMENDED FUEL (without Flexible Fuel Vehicle [FFV] option):

Use unleaded regular gasoline with an octane rating of at least 87 AKI (Anti-Knock Index) number (Research octane number 91).

# **A** CAUTION

- Only vehicles with the E-85 filler door label can operate on E-85. Fuel system or other damage can occur if E-85 is used in vehicles that are not designed to run on E-85.
- Using a fuel other than that specified could adversely affect the emission control system, and may also affect the warranty coverage.
- Under no circumstances should a leaded gasoline be used, because this will damage the three-way catalyst.

- Do not use E-15 or E-85 fuel in your vehicle. Your vehicle is not designed to run on E-15 or E-85 fuel. Using E-15 or E-85 fuel in a vehicle not specifically designed for E-15 or E-85 fuel can adversely affect the emission control devices and systems of the vehicle. Damage caused by such fuel is not covered by the NISSAN new vehicle limited warranty.
- U.S. government regulations require ethanol dispensing pumps to be identified by a small, square, orange and black label with the common abbreviation or the appropriate percentage for that region.

For additional information, refer to "Recommended fluids/lubricants and capacities" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

# FLEXIBLE FUEL VEHICLE (FFV) FUEL RECOMMENDATION (if so equipped):

If your vehicle is equipped as a Flexible Fuel vehicle (FFV) your vehicle is designed to use (E-85) Fuel Ethanol, "Regular" unleaded regular gasoline or any percentage of the two fuels combined.

# **A**CAUTION

- Using a fuel other than that specified could adversely affect the emission control system, and may also affect the warranty coverage.
- Under no circumstances should a leaded gasoline be used, because this will damage the three-way catalyst.

For additional information, refer to "Recommended fluids/lubricants and capacities" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

#### **ENGINE OIL RECOMMENDATION:**

- Genuine NISSAN engine oil or equivalent.
- Engine oil with API Certification Mark.
- Viscosity SAE 5W-30

For additional information, refer to "Engine oil and oil filter recommendations" in the "Technical and consumer information" section of this manual.

#### **COLD TIRE PRESSURE:**

Refer to Tire and Loading Information label.

The label is typically located on the driver side center pillar or on the driver's door. For additional information, refer to "Wheels and tires" in the "Maintenance and do-it-yourself" section of this manual.

# RECOMMENDED NEW VEHICLE BREAK-IN PROCEDURE:

During the first 1,200 mi (2,000 km) of vehicle use, follow the recommendations outlined in the "Break-in schedule" information found in the "Starting and driving" section of this manual. Follow these recommendations for the future reliability and economy of your new vehicle. Failure to follow these recommendations may result in vehicle damage or shortened engine life.



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