

# TRANSMISSION AND TRANSFER CASE

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## AX5 MANUAL TRANSMISSION

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

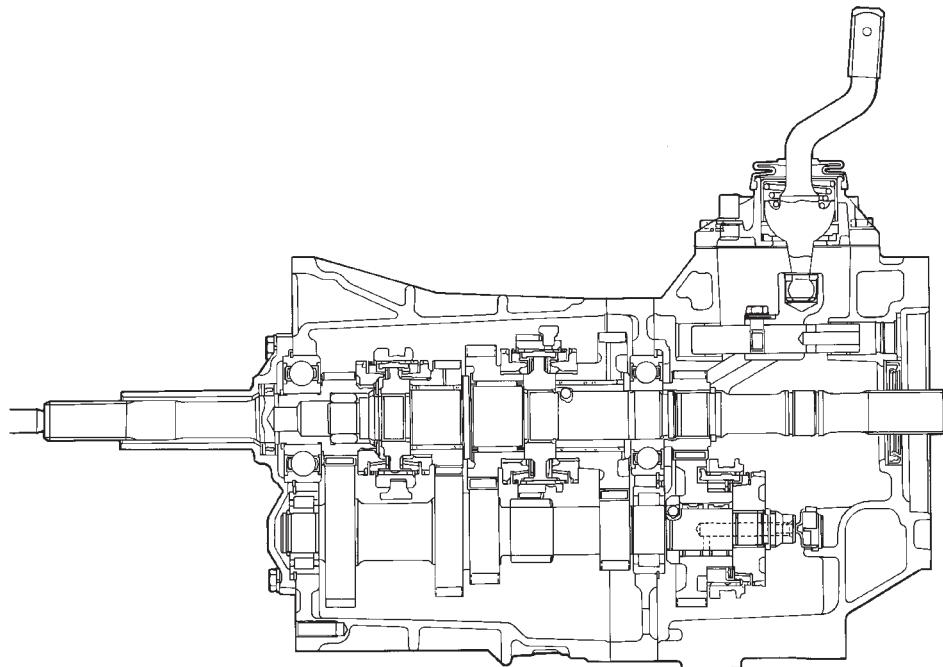
### AX5 MANUAL TRANSMISSION

The AX5 is a five speed manual transmission with fifth gear being the overdrive range. An adapter housing is used to attach the transmission to the transfer case on 4-wheel drive applications. A standard style extension housing is used for the 2-wheel drive applications. The shift mechanism is integral to the transmission assembly and mounted in the shift tower portion of the adapter/extension housing (Fig. 1).

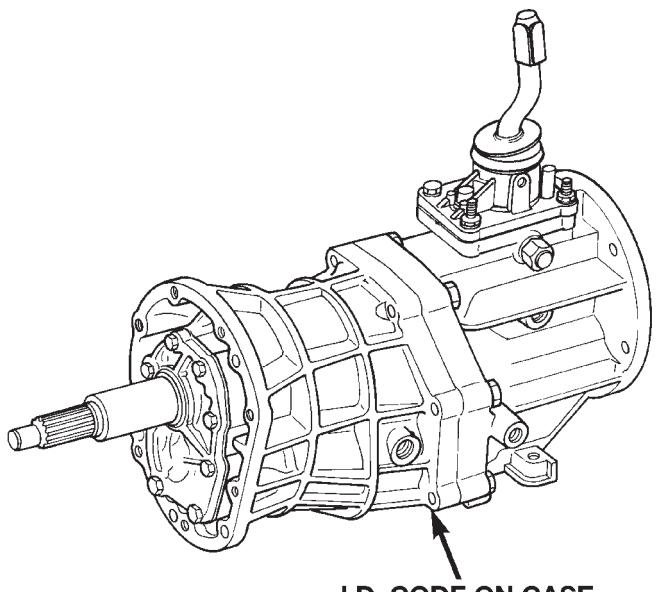
## TRANSMISSION IDENTIFICATION

The AX5 identification code is on the bottom surface of the transmission case near the fill plug (Fig. 2). The first number is year of manufacture. The second and third numbers indicate month of manufacture. The next series of numbers is the transmission serial number.

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*Fig. 1 AX5 Manual Transmission*

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*Fig. 2 Transmission Identification***GEAR RATIOS**

Gear ratios for the AX5 manual transmission are as follows:

- First gear: 3.93:1
- Second gear: 2.33:1
- Third gear: 1.45:1
- Fourth gear: 1.00:1
- Fifth gear: 0.85:1
- Reverse gear: 4.74:1

**RECOMMENDED LUBRICANT**

Recommended lubricant for AX5 transmissions is Mopar® 75W-90, API Grade GL-3 gear lubricant, or equivalent.

Correct lubricant level is from the bottom edge, to no more than 6 mm (1/4 in.) below the bottom edge of the fill plug hole.

The fill plug is on the passenger side of the adapter housing (Fig. 3). The drain plug is on the bottom of the case.

Approximate dry fill lubricant capacity is:

- 3.3 liters (3.49 quarts) for 4-wheel drive applications.
- 3.5 liters (3.70 quarts) for 2-wheel drive applications.

**TRANSMISSION ASSEMBLY INFORMATION**

Lubricate the transmission components with Mopar® 75W-90, GL 3 gear lubricant during assembly. Use petroleum jelly to lubricate seal lips and/or hold parts in place during installation.

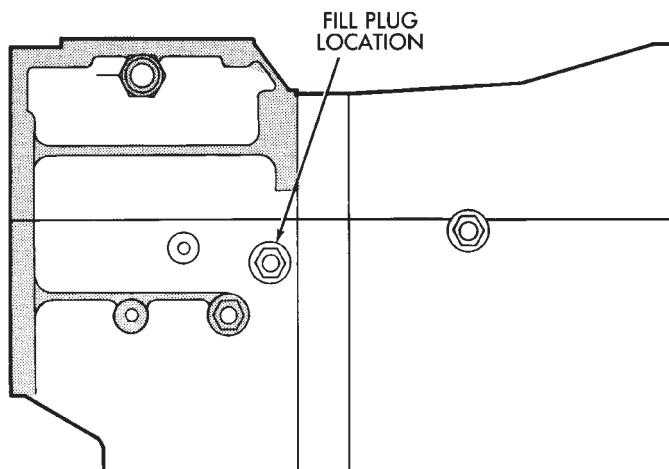
Refer to (Fig. 4) during assembly for AX5 gear assembly identification.

**DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING****LOW LUBRICANT LEVEL**

A low transmission lubricant level is generally the result of a leak, inadequate lubricant fill, or an incorrect lubricant level check.

Leaks can occur at the mating surfaces of the gear case, intermediate plate and adaptor or extension

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**Fig. 3 Fill Plug Location**

housing, or from the front/rear seals. A suspected leak could also be the result of an overfill condition.

Leaks at the rear of the extension or adapter housing will be from the housing oil seals. Leaks at component mating surfaces will probably be the result of inadequate sealer, gaps in the sealer, incorrect bolt tightening, or use of a non-recommended sealer.

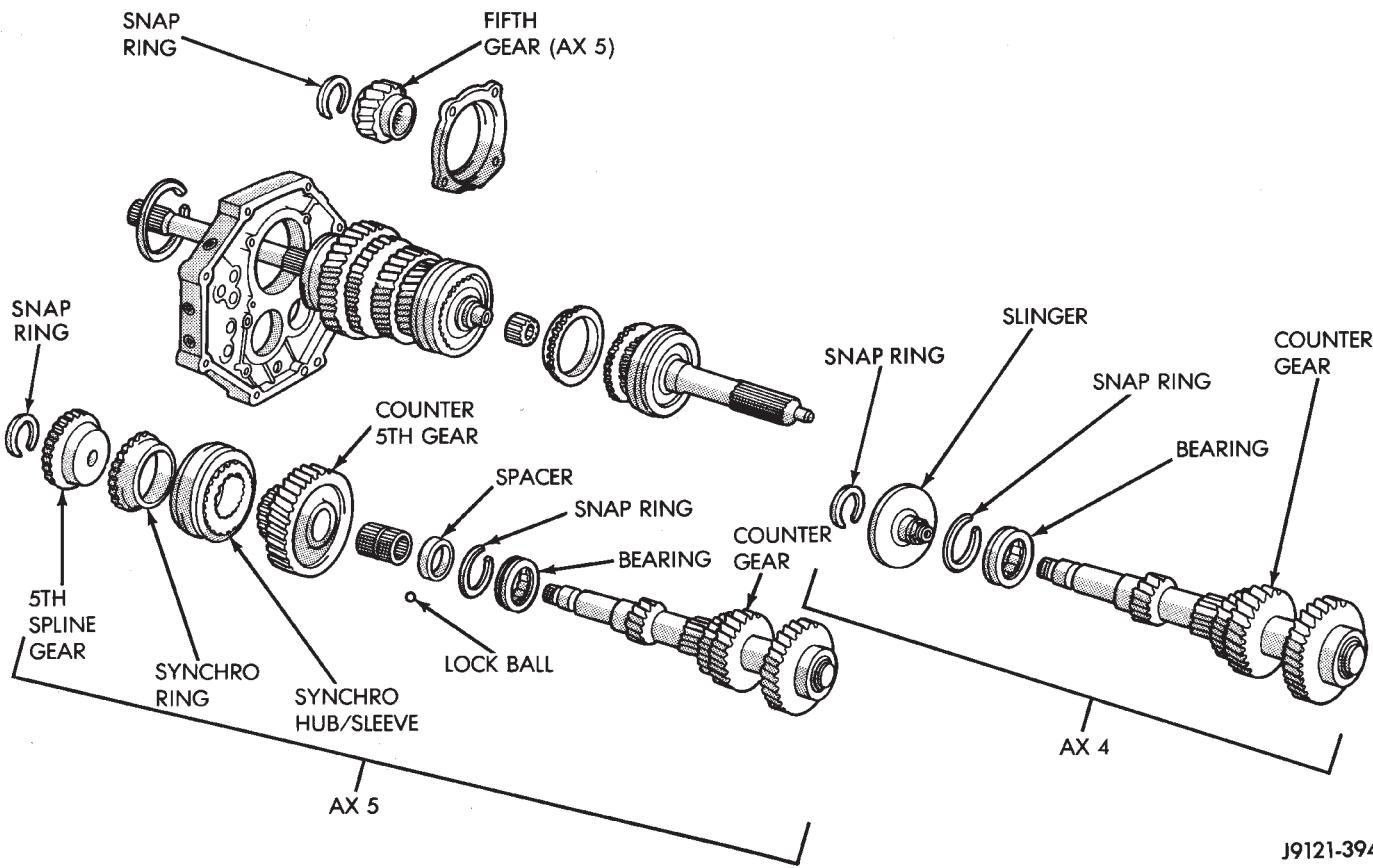
A leak at the front of the transmission will be from either the front bearing retainer or retainer seal. Lubricant may be seen dripping from the clutch housing after extended operation. If the leak is severe, it may also contaminate the clutch disc causing the disc to slip, grab, and/or chatter.

A correct lubricant level check can only be made when the vehicle is level. Also allow the lubricant to settle for a minute or so before checking. These recommendations will ensure an accurate check and avoid an underfill or overfill condition. Always check the lubricant level after any addition of fluid to avoid an incorrect lubricant level condition.

**HARD SHIFTING**

Hard shifting is usually caused by a low lubricant level, improper, or contaminated lubricants. The consequence of using non-recommended lubricants is noise, excessive wear, internal bind, and hard shifting. Substantial lubricant leaks can result in gear, shift rail, synchro, and bearing damage. If a leak goes undetected for an extended period, the first indications of component damage are usually hard shifting and noise.

Component damage, incorrect clutch adjustment, or a damaged clutch pressure plate or disc are additional probable causes of increased shift effort. Incorrect



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**Fig. 4 Geartrain Components**

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adjustment or a worn/damaged pressure plate or disc can cause incorrect release. If the clutch problem is advanced, gear clash during shifts can result. Worn or damaged synchro rings can cause gear clash when shifting into any forward gear. In some new or rebuilt transmissions, new synchro rings may tend to stick slightly causing hard or noisy shifts. In most cases, this condition will decline as the rings wear-in.

## TRANSMISSION NOISE

Most manual transmissions make some noise during normal operation. Rotating gears generate a mild whine that is audible, but generally only at extreme speeds.

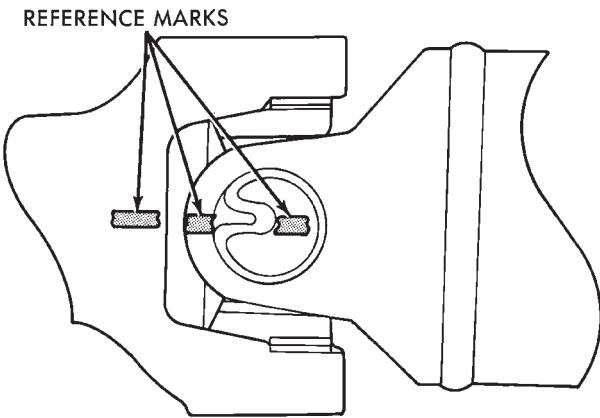
Severe, highly audible transmission noise is generally the initial indicator of a lubricant problem. Insufficient, improper, or contaminated lubricant will promote rapid wear of gears, synchros, shift rails, forks and bearings. The overheating caused by a lubricant problem, can also lead to gear breakage.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

## TRANSMISSION

## REMOVAL

- (1) Shift transmission into first or third gear.
- (2) Raise and support vehicle on suitable safety stands.
- (3) Disconnect necessary exhaust system components.
- (4) Remove skid plate, if equipped.
- (5) Remove slave cylinder from clutch housing.
- (6) Mark rear propeller shaft and rear axle yokes for installation alignment (Fig. 5).



**Fig. 5 Marking Propeller Shaft And Axle Yokes**

- (7) Mark front propeller shaft, axle, and transfer case yokes for installation alignment, if equipped.
- (8) Remove propeller shaft(s).
- (9) Unclip wire harnesses from transmission and transfer case, if equipped.
- (10) Disconnect transfer case vent hose, if equipped.

(11) Disengage any wire connectors attached to transmission or transfer case, if equipped, components.

(12) Support transfer case, if equipped, with transmission jack.

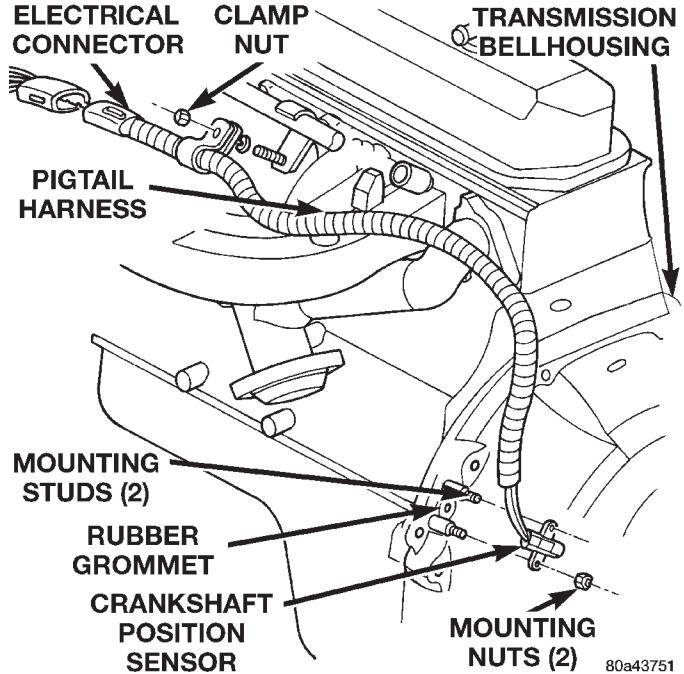
(13) Secure transfer case, if equipped, to jack with safety chains.

(14) Disconnect transfer case shift linkage at transfer case, if equipped.

(15) Remove nuts attaching transfer case to transmission, if equipped.

(16) Remove transfer case, if equipped.

(17) Remove crankshaft position sensor (Fig. 6), (Fig. 7).



**Fig. 6 Crankshaft Position Sensor—2.5L Engine**

**CAUTION:** It is important that the crankshaft position sensor be removed prior to transmission removal. The sensor can easily be damaged if left in place during removal operations.

(18) Support engine with adjustable jack stand. Position wood block between jack and oil pan to avoid damaging pan.

(19) Support transmission with transmission jack.

(20) Secure transmission to jack with safety chains.

(21) Disconnect rear cushion and bracket from transmission.

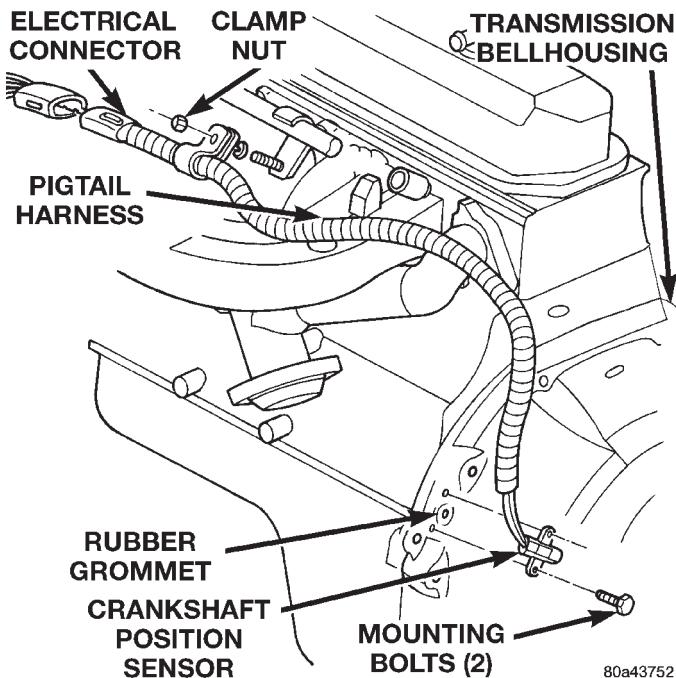
(22) Remove rear crossmember.

(23) Disconnect transmission shift lever as follows:

(a) Lower transmission-transfer case assembly approximately 7-8 cm (3 in.) for access to shift lever.

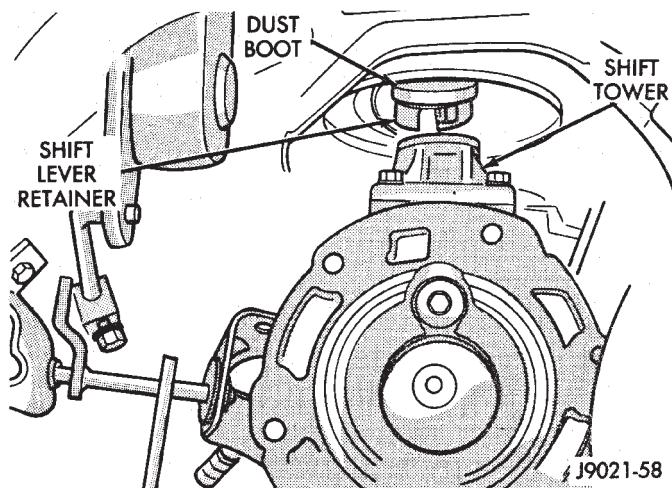
(b) Reach up and around transmission case and unseat shift lever dust boot from transmission shift tower (Fig. 8). Move boot upward on shift lever for access to retainer that secures lever in shift tower.

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**Fig. 7 Crankshaft Position Sensor —4.0L Engine**

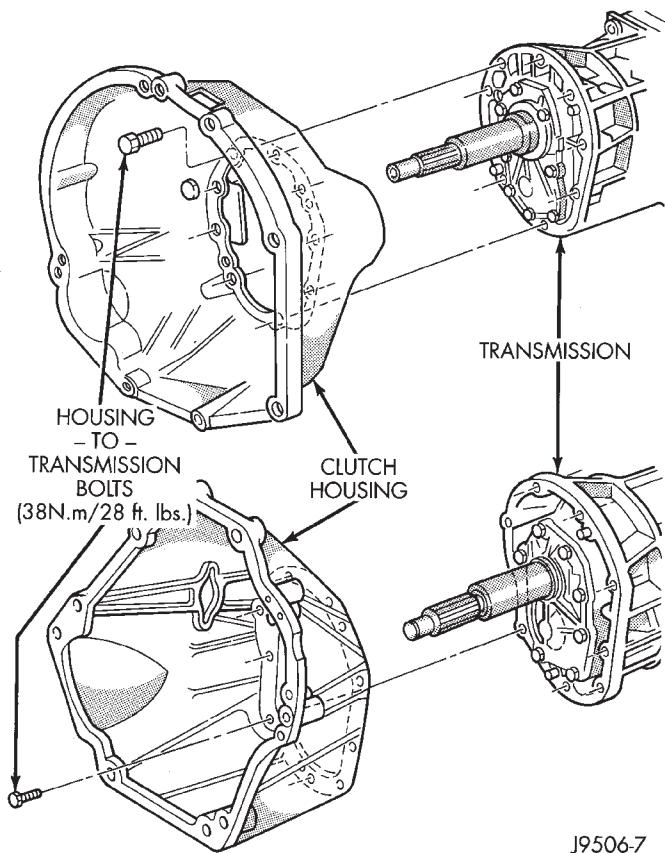
(c) Reach up and around transmission case and press shift lever retainer downward with finger pressure. Turn retainer counterclockwise to release it.

(d) Lift lever and retainer out of shift tower (Fig. 8). Do not remove the shift lever from the floor console shifter boots. Leave the lever in place for transmission installation.

**Fig. 8 Removing/Installing Shift Lever**

- (24) Remove clutch housing brace rod.
- (25) Remove clutch housing-to-engine bolts.
- (26) Pull transmission jack rearward until input shaft clears clutch. Then slide transmission out from under vehicle.
- (27) Remove clutch release bearing, release fork, and retainer clip.

(28) Remove clutch housing from transmission (Fig. 9).

**Fig. 9 Clutch Housing**

## INSTALLATION

(1) Install clutch housing on transmission. Tighten housing bolts to 37 N·m (27 ft. lbs.) torque.

(2) Lubricate contact surfaces of release fork pivot ball stud and release fork with high temp grease.

(3) Install release bearing, fork, and retainer clip.

(4) Position and secure transmission on transmission jack.

(5) Lightly lubricate pilot bearing and transmission input shaft splines with Mopar® high temp grease.

(6) Raise transmission and align transmission input shaft and clutch disc splines. Then slide transmission into place.

(7) Install and tighten clutch housing-to-engine bolts to 38 N·m (28 ft. lbs.) torque (Fig. 9). **Be sure the housing is properly seated on engine block before tightening bolts.**

(8) Install clutch housing brace rod.

(9) Lower transmission approximately 7–8 cm (3 in.) for access to shift tower. Be sure transmission is in first or third gear.

(10) Reach up and around transmission and insert shift lever in shift tower. Press lever retainer down-

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

ward and turn it clockwise to lock it in place. Then install lever dust boot on shift tower.

(11) Install rear crossmember. Tighten crossmember-to-frame bolts to 41 N·m (31 ft. lbs.) torque.

(12) Install fasteners to hold rear cushion and bracket to transmission. Then tighten transmission-to-rear support bolts/nuts to 45 N·m (33 ft. lbs.) torque.

(13) Remove support stands from engine and transmission.

(14) Install and connect crankshaft position sensor.

(15) Position transfer case on transmission jack, if equipped.

(16) Secure transfer case to jack with safety chains, if equipped.

(17) Raise transfer case, if equipped, and align transfer case input shaft to the transmission output shaft.

(18) Slide transfer case forward until case is seated on transmission, if necessary.

(19) Install nuts to attach transfer case to transmission, if equipped. Tighten transfer case-to-transmission nuts to 35 N·m (26 ft. lbs.) torque.

(20) Connect transfer case shift linkage at transfer case, if equipped.

(21) Connect transfer case vent hose, if equipped.

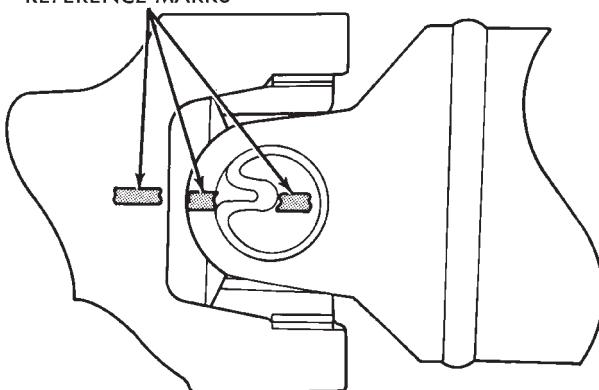
(22) Secure wire harnesses in clips/tie straps on transmission and transfer case, if equipped.

(23) Engage wire connectors attached to all necessary transmission or transfer case, if equipped, components.

(24) Install rear propeller shaft slip yoke to transmission or transfer case, if equipped, output shaft.

(25) Align marks on rear propeller shaft and rear axle yokes (Fig. 10).

REFERENCE MARKS



**Fig. 10 Align Propeller Shaft And Rear Axle Yokes Alignment Marks**

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(26) Install and tighten propeller shaft U-joint clamp bolts to 19 N·m (170 in. lbs.) torque.

(27) Align marks on front propeller shaft, axle, and transfer case yokes, if equipped.

(28) Install and tighten propeller shaft U-joint clamp bolts to 19 N·m (170 in. lbs.) torque.

(29) Install slave cylinder in clutch housing.

(30) Install skid plate, if equipped. Tighten bolts to 42 N·m (31 ft. lbs.) torque. Tighten stud nuts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque.

(31) Fill transmission and transfer case, if equipped, with recommended lubricants. Refer to the Lubricant Recommendation sections of the appropriate component for correct fluid.

(32) Lower vehicle.

## FRONT BEARING RETAINER SEAL

## REMOVAL

(1) Remove release bearing and lever from the transmission.

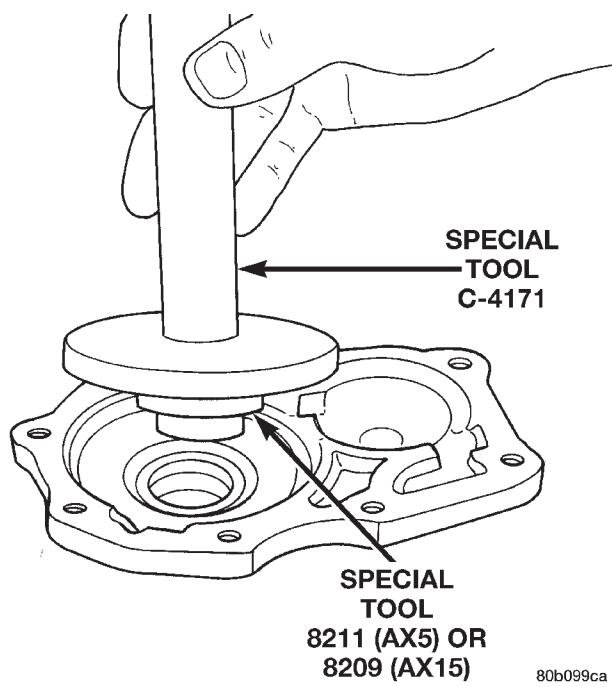
(2) Remove the bolts holding the front bearing retainer to the transmission case.

(3) Remove the front bearing retainer from the transmission case.

(4) Using a suitable pry tool, remove the front bearing retainer seal.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8211, install new seal in to the front bearing retainer (Fig. 11).

**Fig. 11 Install Front Bearing Retainer Seal**

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(2) Remove any residual gasket material from the sealing surfaces of the bearing retainer and the transmission case.

(3) Install new front bearing retainer gasket to the front bearing retainer.

(4) Install the front bearing retainer onto the transmission case.

(5) Install the bolts to hold the bearing retainer onto the transmission case.

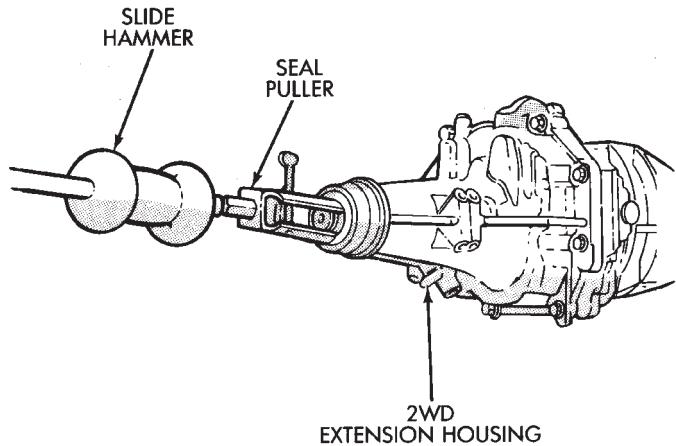
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- (6) Tighten the bolts to 17 N·m (12 ft. lbs.).
- (7) Install release bearing and lever onto the transmission.

## EXTENSION HOUSING SEAL

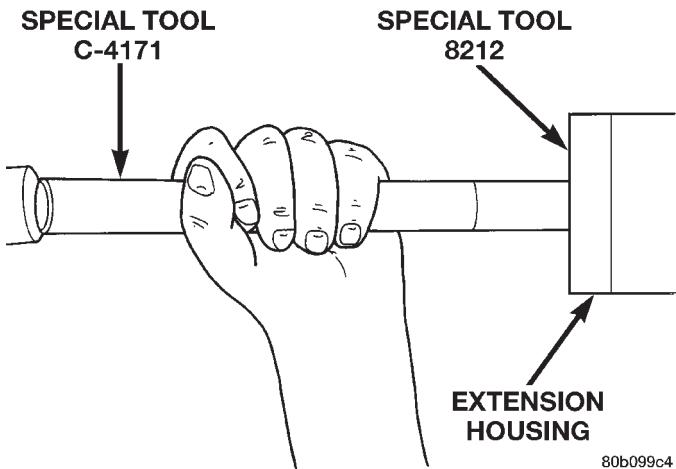
## REMOVAL

- (1) Raise and support vehicle.
- (2) Remove propeller shaft. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedures.
- (3) Using a suitable seal puller or screw with a slide hammer, remove the extension housing seal (Fig. 12).

**Fig. 12 Remove Extension Housing Seal**

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Clean seal bore of extension housing of any residual sealer material from original seal.
- (2) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8212, install new extension housing seal so that the seal is located  $0 \pm 0.5$  mm ( $0 \pm 0.02$  in.) to the face of the extension housing (Fig. 13).

**Fig. 13 Install Extension Housing Seal**

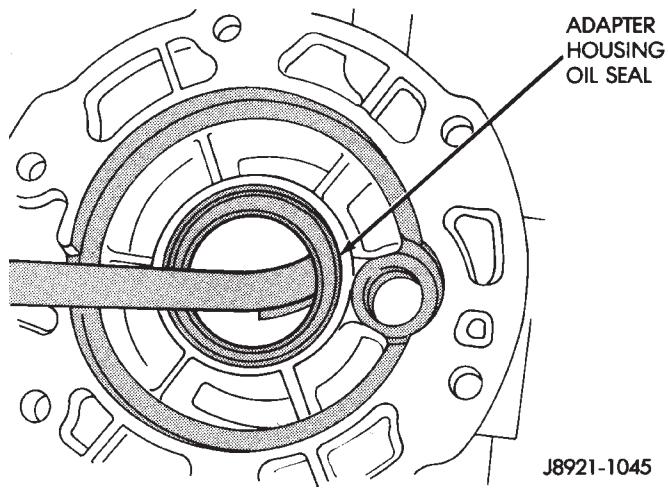
- (3) Install propeller shaft. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedures.
- (4) Check and add fluid to transmission as necessary. Refer to the Recommended Lubricant section for proper fluid requirements.

- (5) Lower vehicle.

## ADAPTER HOUSING SEAL

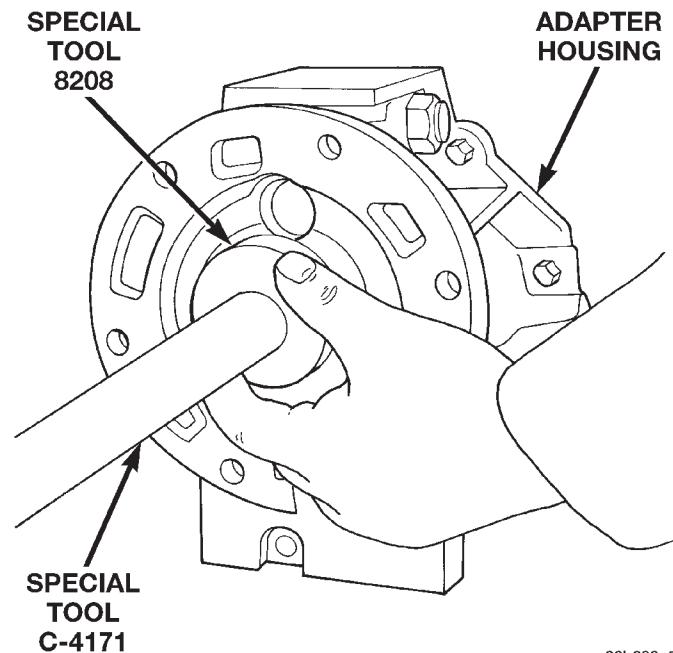
## REMOVAL

- (1) Hoist and support vehicle.
- (2) Remove transfer case.
- (3) Using a suitable pry tool, or a slide hammer mounted screw, remove the adapter housing seal (Fig. 14).

**Fig. 14 Remove Adapter Housing Seal**

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Clean seal bore of adapter housing of any residual sealer material from original seal.
- (2) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8208, install new seal so that the seal is located  $0 \pm 0.2$  mm ( $0 \pm 0.008$  in.) to the seal bore face of adapter housing (Fig. 15).

**Fig. 15 Install Adapter Housing Seal**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

- (3) Install transfer case.
- (4) Check and add fluid to transmission as necessary. Refer to the Recommended Lubricant section for proper fluid requirements.
- (5) Lower vehicle.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

## ADAPTER/EXTENSION HOUSING AND FRONT BEARING RETAINER

## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Drain transmission lubricant, if necessary.
- (2) Remove release bearing and lever.
- (3) Remove clutch housing bolts and remove housing (Fig. 18).
- (4) Remove vehicle speed sensor and speedometer adapter, if necessary.
- (5) Remove bolts holding shift tower to transmission case.
- (6) Remove shift tower from transmission case (Fig. 16).
- (7) Remove shift tower gasket from shift tower or transmission case (Fig. 17).

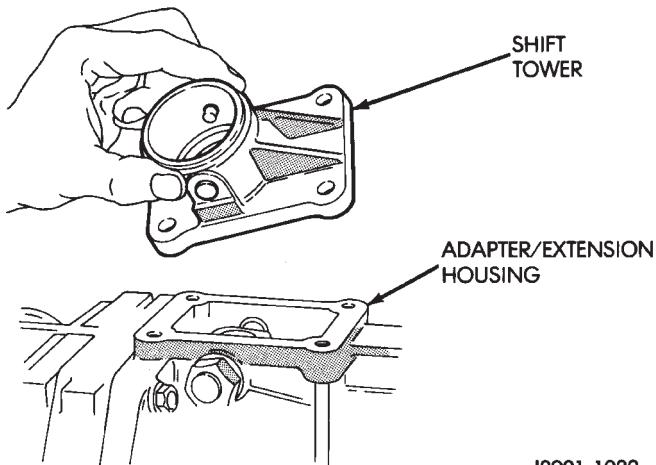


Fig. 16 Remove Shift Tower

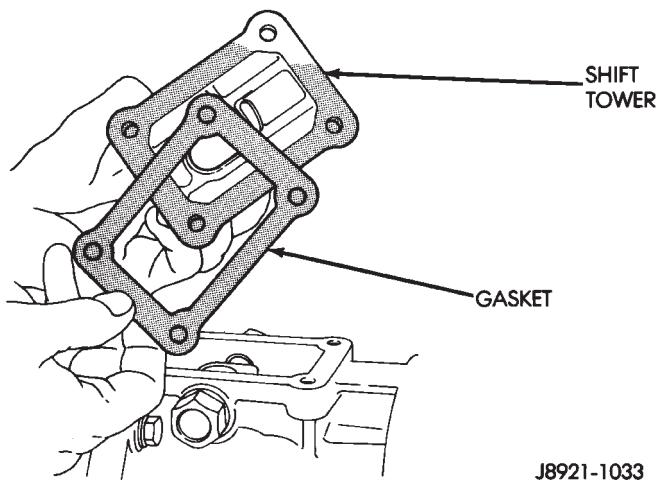


Fig. 17 Remove Shift Tower Gasket

- (8) Remove detent ball plug (Fig. 19).
- (9) Remove detent spring and ball with pencil magnet (Fig. 20), (Fig. 21).

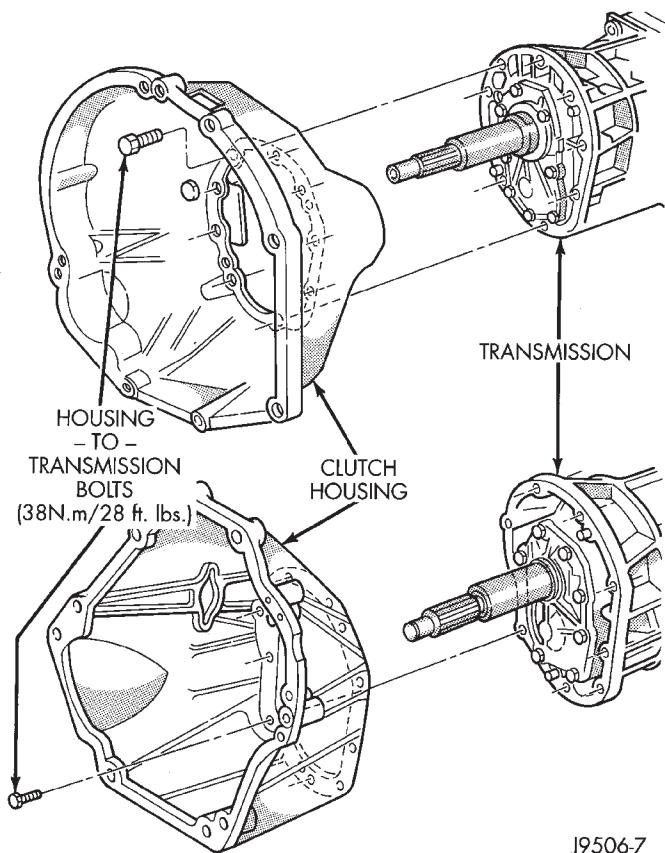


Fig. 18 Clutch Housing

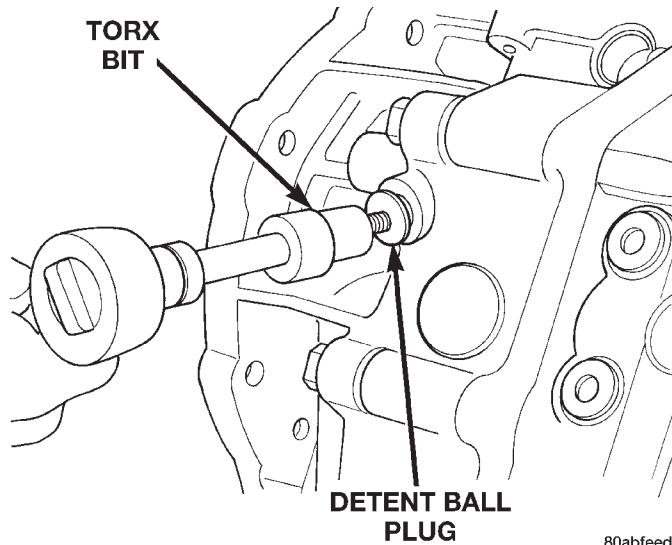


Fig. 19 Remove Detent Ball Plug

- (10) Remove shift arm retainer bolt (Fig. 22).
- (11) Remove shift arm restrictor pins (Fig. 23).
- (12) Remove shift lever shaft plug (Fig. 24).
- (13) Remove shifter shaft with large magnet (Fig. 25).
- (14) Remove the shift arm from the adapter housing.

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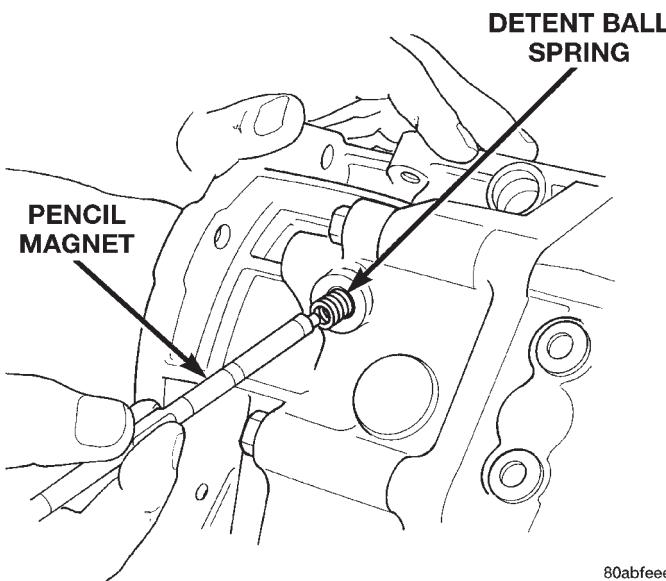


Fig. 20 Remove Detent Spring

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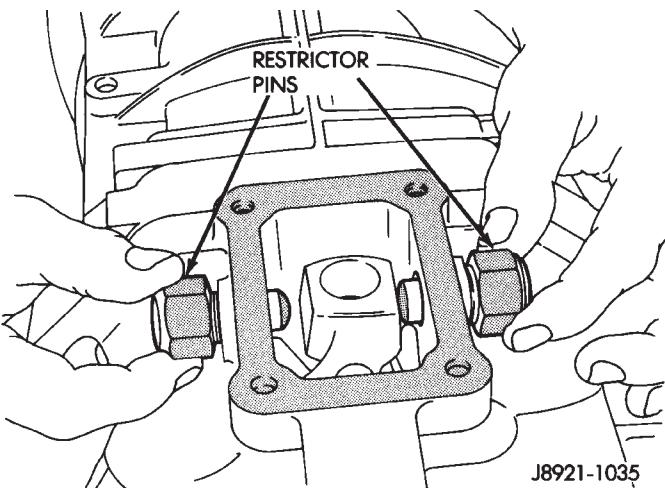


Fig. 23 Shift Arm Restrictor Pins

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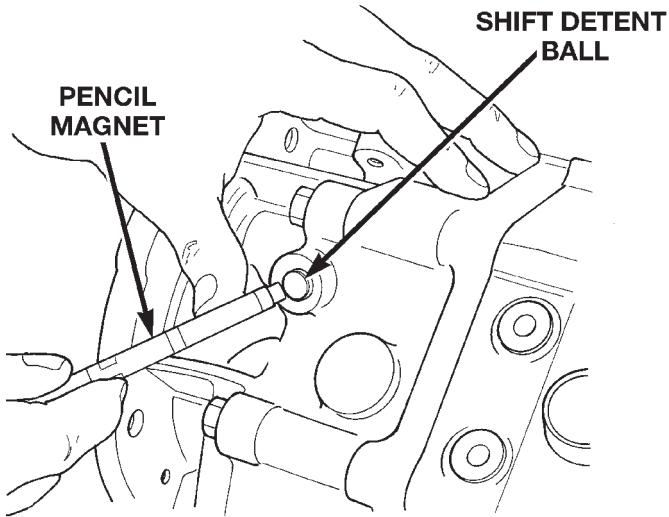


Fig. 21 Remove Detent Ball

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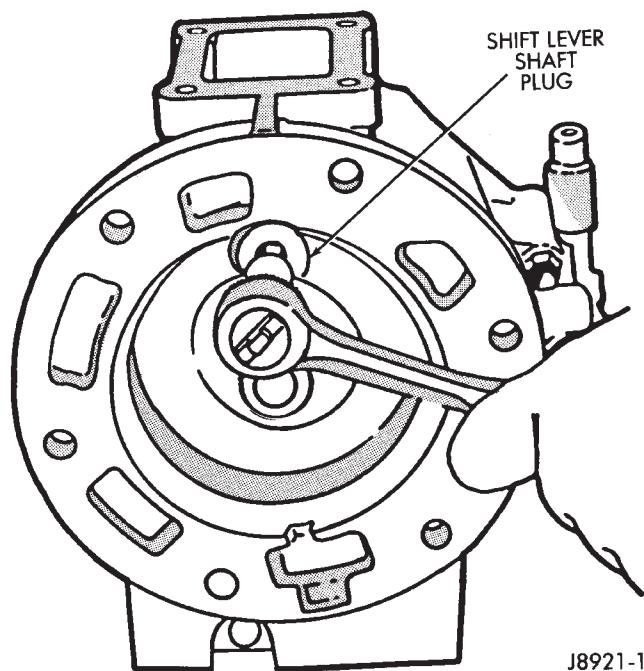


Fig. 24 Removing Shift Lever Shaft Plug

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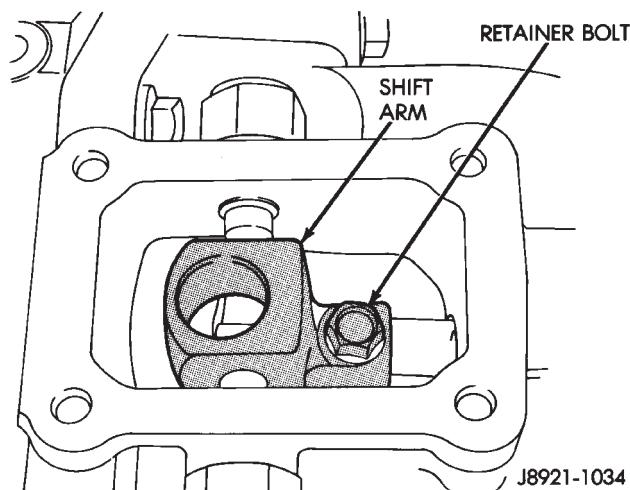


Fig. 22 Shift Arm Retainer Bolt Removal

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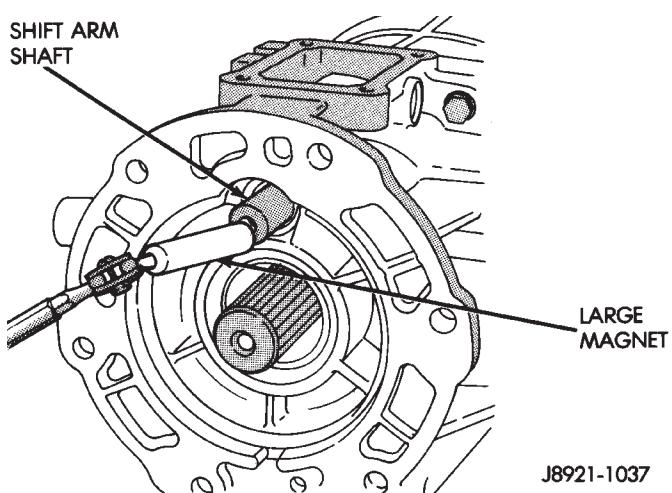
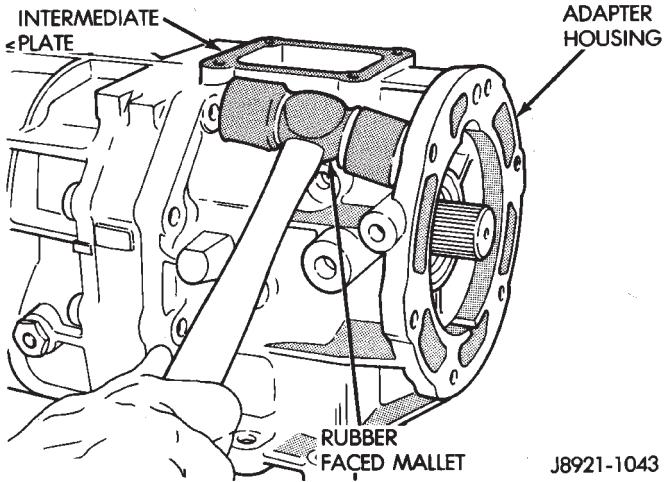
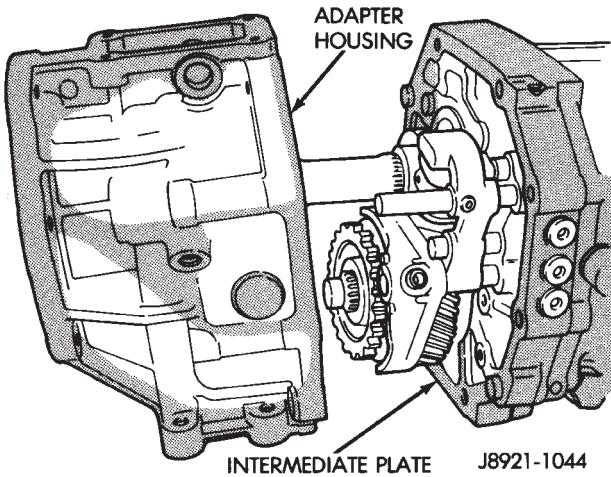


Fig. 25 Remove Shifter Shaft

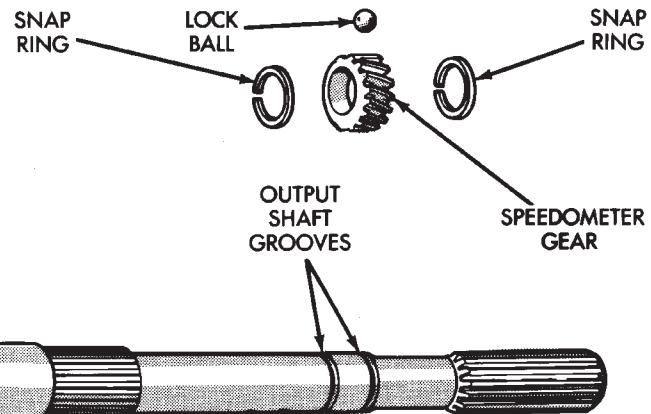
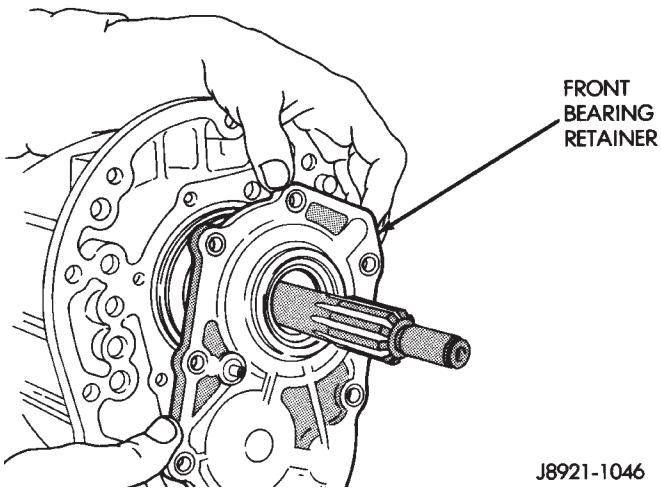
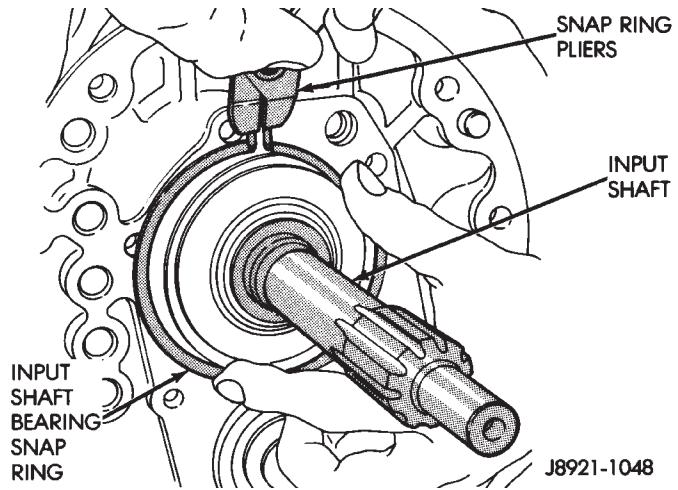
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- (15) Remove adapter/extension housing bolts.
- (16) Loosen adapter/extension housing by tapping it loose with plastic mallet (Fig. 26).
- (17) Remove adapter/extension housing (Fig. 27).

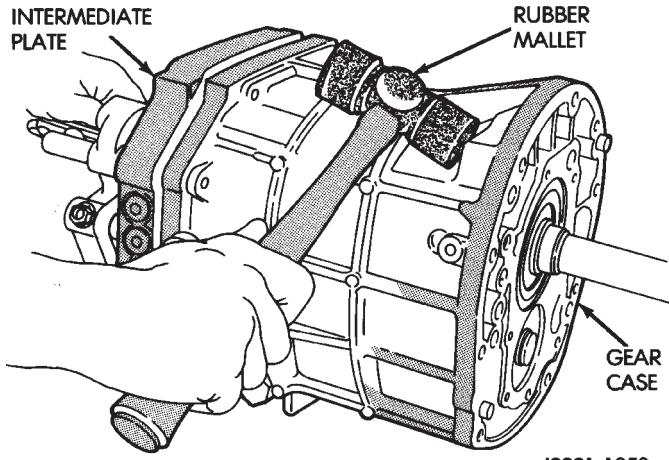
**Fig. 26 Loosen Adapter/Extension Housing****Fig. 27 Remove Adapter/Extension Housing—Typical**

- (18) On 4x2 transmissions;
  - (a) Remove speedometer gear retaining snap-ring from output shaft.
  - (b) Remove speedometer gear from output shaft and remove speedometer gear lock ball from output shaft.
  - (c) Remove speedometer drive gear locating snap-ring (Fig. 28).
- (19) Remove the bolts holding the front bearing retainer to the transmission case.
- (20) Remove the bearing retainer from transmission case (Fig. 29).
- (21) Remove input shaft bearing snap-ring (Fig. 30).
- (22) Remove countershaft front bearing snap-ring.
- (23) Separate intermediate plate and transmission case by tapping them loose with plastic mallet (Fig. 31).
- (24) Separate the intermediate plate from the transmission case (Fig. 32).

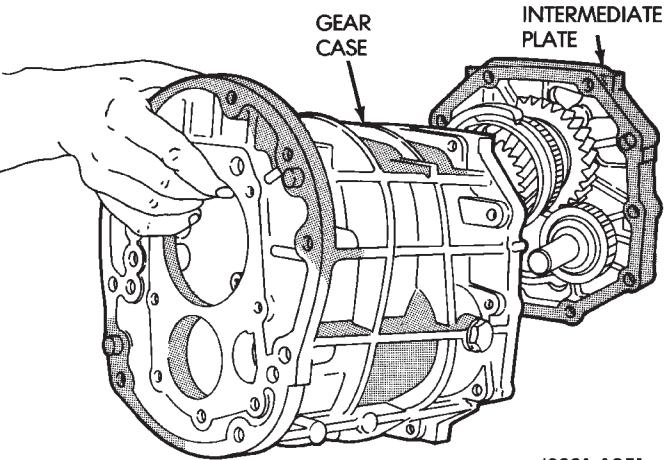
**Fig. 28 Speedometer Drive Gear Assembly****Fig. 29 Remove Front Bearing Retainer****Fig. 30 Remove Input Shaft Bearing Snap-ring****ASSEMBLY**

- (1) Remove any residual sealer from transmission case, intermediate plate, and adapter/extension housing.
- (2) Apply a 1/8 to 3/16 inch wide bead of Threebond® Liquid Gasket TB1281, P/N 83504038, as shown, making sure to keep sealer bead to inside of bolt holes (Fig. 33).

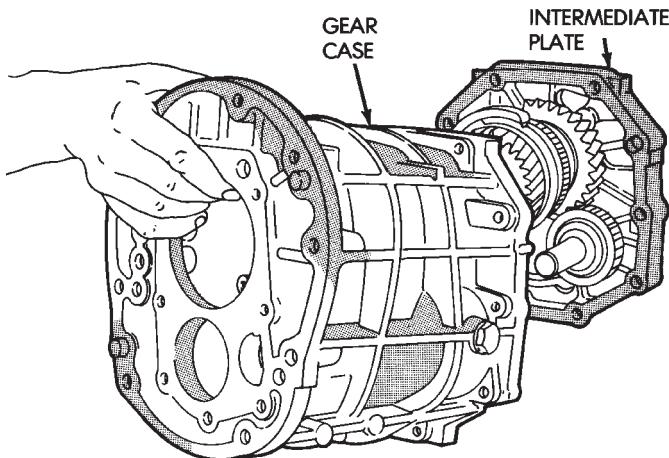
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**Fig. 31 Separate Intermediate Plate and Transmission Case**

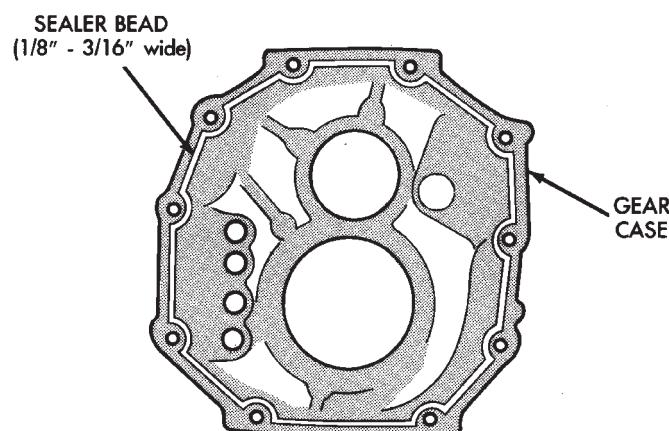


**Fig. 34 Install Transmission Gear Case to the Intermediate Plate**



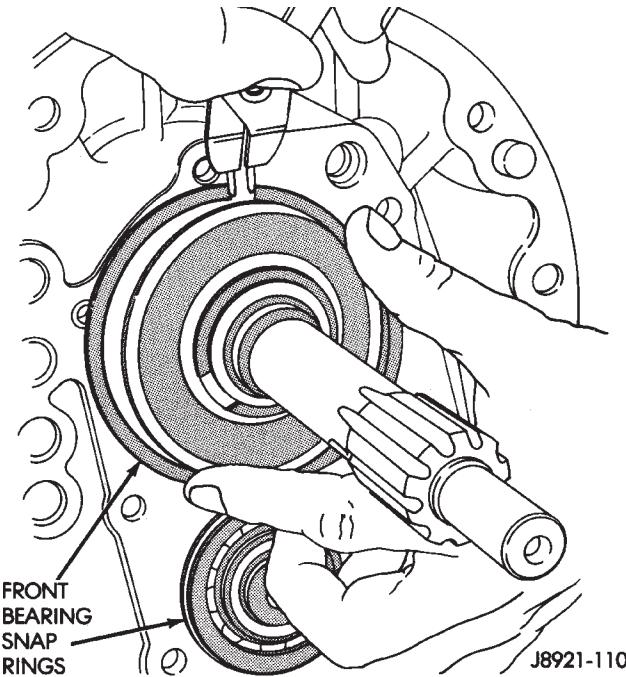
**Fig. 32 Remove Intermediate Plate from Transmission Case**

(3) Align geartrain and shift rails with mating holes in transmission case and install transmission case to the intermediate plate (Fig. 34). Verify that the transmission case is seated on the intermediate plate locating pins.



**Fig. 33 Apply Sealer to Transmission Gear Case**

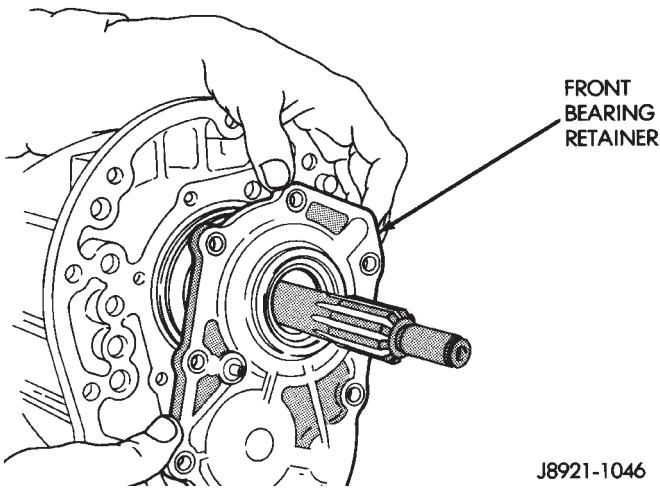
(4) Install new front bearing snap rings (Fig. 35).



**Fig. 35 Install Front Bearing Snap-rings**

(5) Install front bearing retainer gasket to front bearing retainer.

(6) Install the front bearing retainer (Fig. 36) and tighten bolts to 17 N·m (12 ft. lbs.).



**Fig. 36 Install Front Bearing Retainer**

(7) On 4x2 transmissions;

(a) Install speedometer drive gear locating snap-ring (Fig. 37).

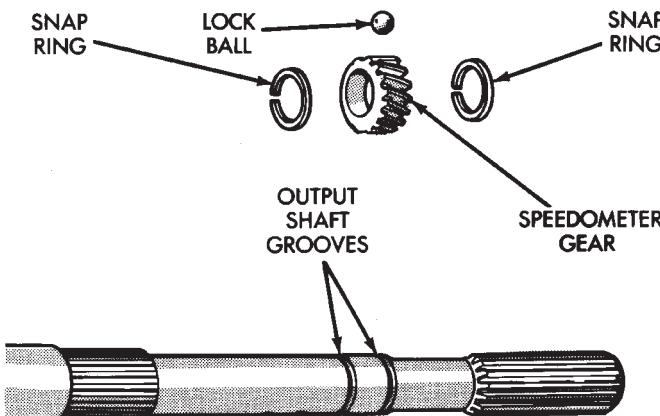
(b) Install speedometer gear lock ball in output shaft and install speedometer gear onto output shaft.

(c) Install speedometer gear retaining snap-ring onto output shaft.

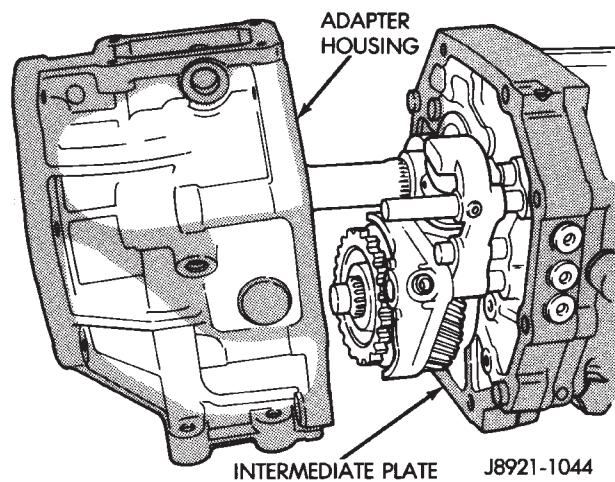
(8) Apply a 1/8 to 3/16 inch wide bead of Threebond® Liquid Gasket TB1281, P/N 83504038, to sealing surface of adapter/extension housing, making sure to keep sealer bead to inside of bolt holes.

(9) Install adapter or extension housing on intermediate plate (Fig. 38). Tighten housing bolts to 34 N·m (25 ft. lbs.) torque.

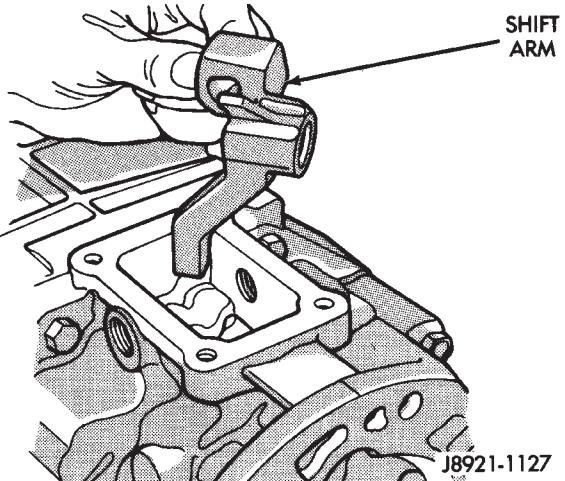
(10) Position shift arm in shifter tower opening of adapter or extension housing (Fig. 39). Be sure that the shifter arm is engaged into the shift rails.



**Fig. 37 Speedometer Drive Gear Assembly**



**Fig. 38 Install Adapter/Extension Housing-Typical**



**Fig. 39 Position Shift Arm in Adapter or Extension Housing**

(11) Start shifter arm shaft in hole in back of adapter or extension housing. Align shift arm and shifter arm shaft and insert shifter arm shaft through the shifter arm and into the forward portion of the adapter or extension housing (Fig. 40).

(12) Rotate the shifter arm shaft until the hole in the shift arm is aligned with the hole in the shaft.

(13) Install the shift arm retainer bolt and tighten to 38 N·m (28 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 41).

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- (14) Install and tighten shifter arm shaft plug to 18 N·m (13 ft. lbs.) torque (Fig. 42).

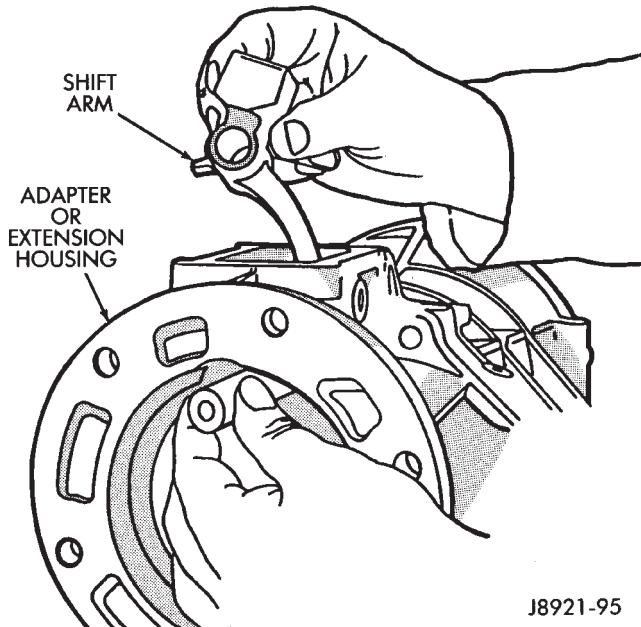


Fig. 40 Install Shifter Arm Shaft

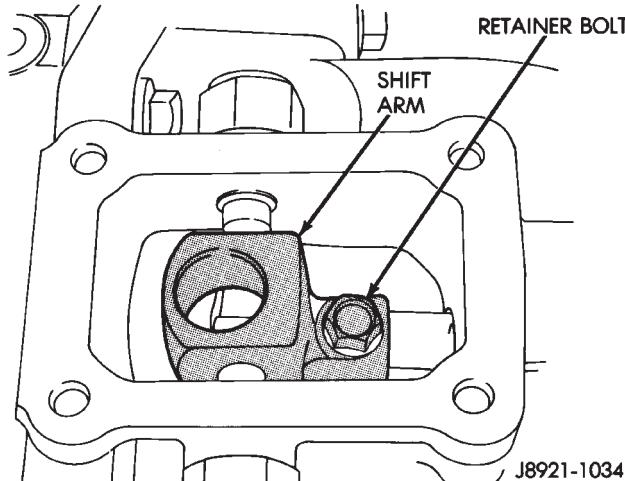


Fig. 41 Install Shift Arm Retainer Bolt

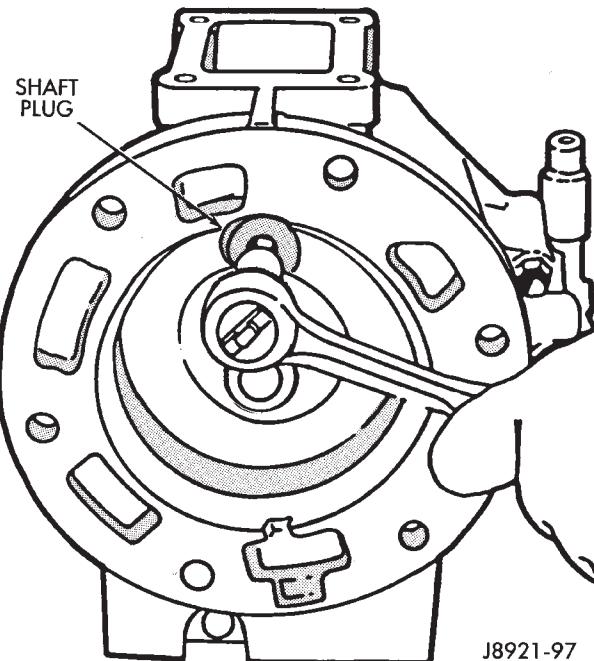


Fig. 42 Shifter Arm Shaft Plug Installation

- (15) Install shift restrictor pins in shift tower and tighten to 27 N·m (20 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 43).

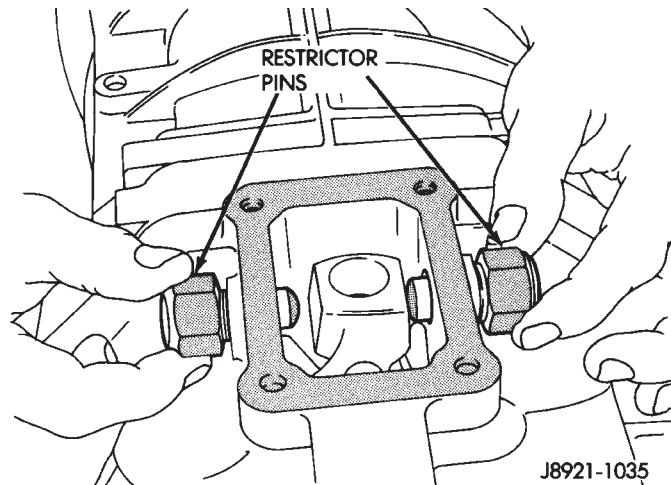
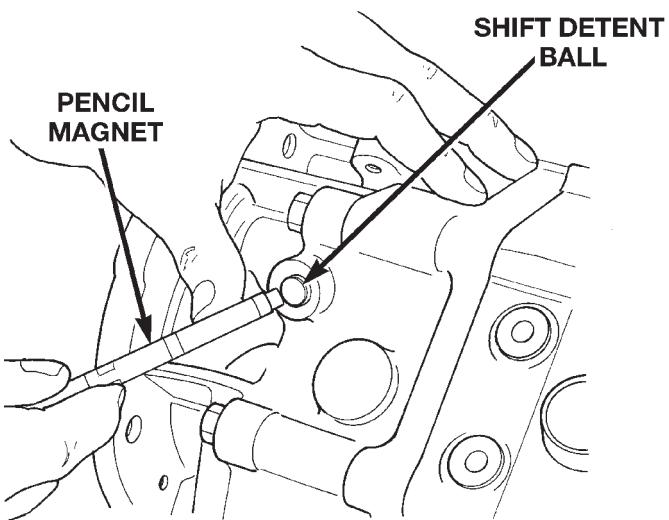


Fig. 43 Install Shifter Restrictor Pins

- (16) Install shift detent ball in detent opening of case (Fig. 44).

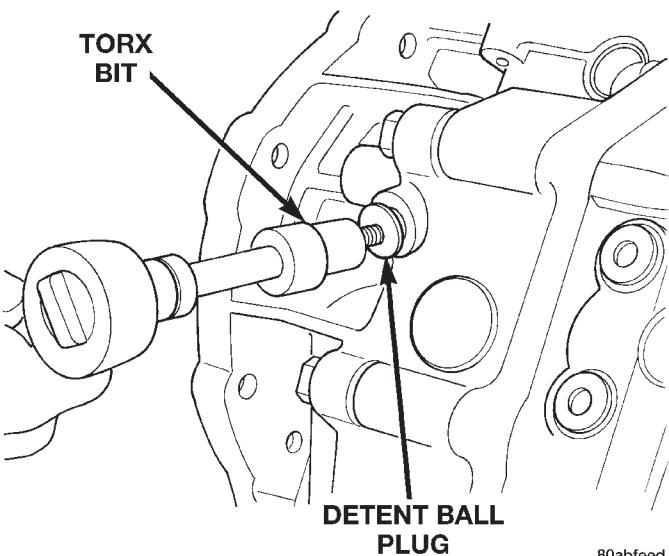
- (17) Install detent spring in case (Fig. 45).

- (18) Install detent plug and tighten to 19 N·m (14 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 46).



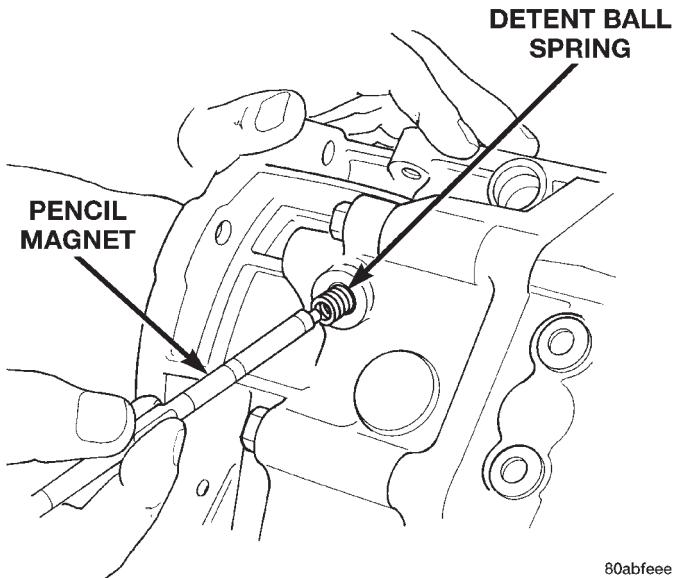
*Fig. 44 Install Detent Ball*

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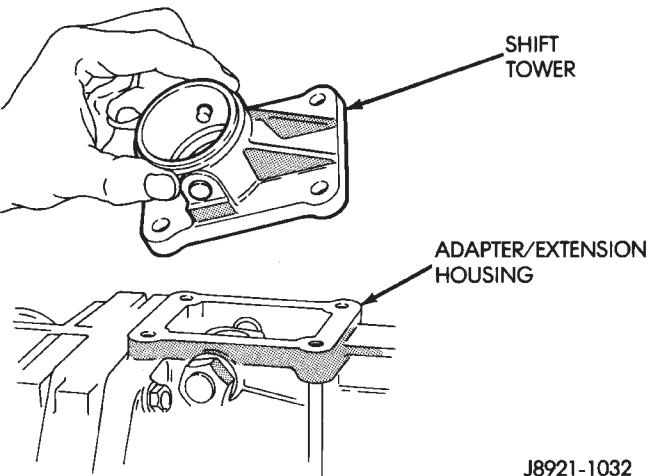
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*Fig. 46 Install Detent Ball Plug*



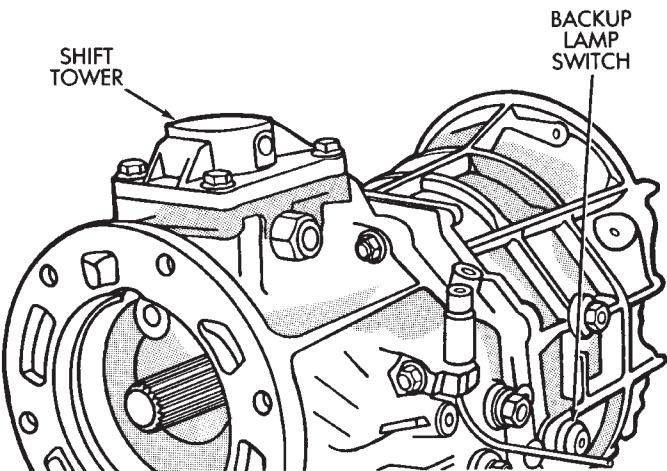
*Fig. 45 Install Detent Spring*

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*Fig. 47 Install Shift Tower*



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*Fig. 48 Install Backup Lamp Switch*

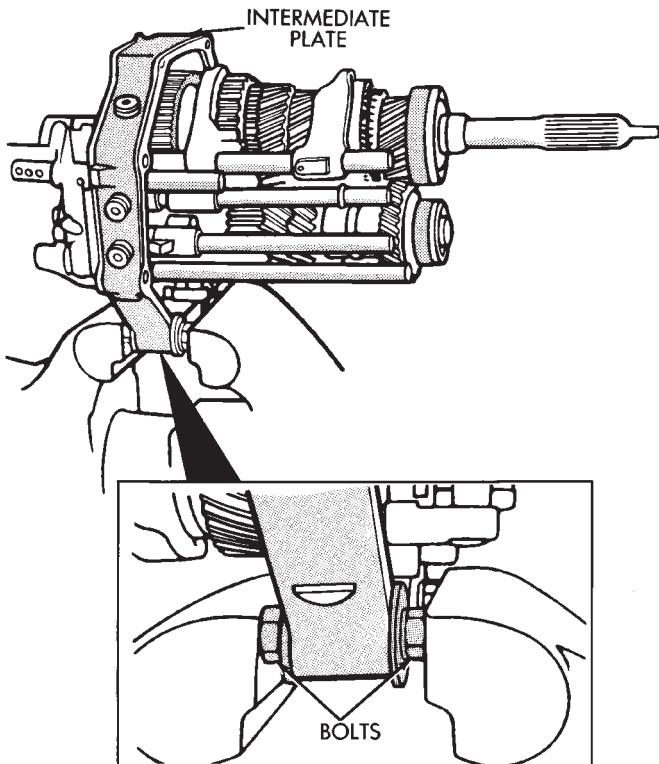
- (19) Install shift tower gasket onto shift tower.  
 (20) Install the shift tower oil deflector and gasket onto the adapter or extension housing.  
 (21) Install shift tower onto transmission case (Fig. 47).  
 (22) Install bolts to hold shift tower to transmission case. Tighten tower bolts to 18 N·m (13 ft. lbs.) torque.  
 (23) Install new metal o-ring onto the backup lamp switch.  
 (24) Install backup lamp switch (Fig. 48). Tighten switch to 44 N·m (32.5 ft. lbs.) torque.  
 (25) Install new seal in adapter/extension housing.  
 (26) Install vehicle speed sensor, if necessary.  
 (27) Install clutch housing, release bearing, release fork and retainer clip.

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## SHIFT MECHANISM AND GEARTRAIN

## DISASSEMBLY

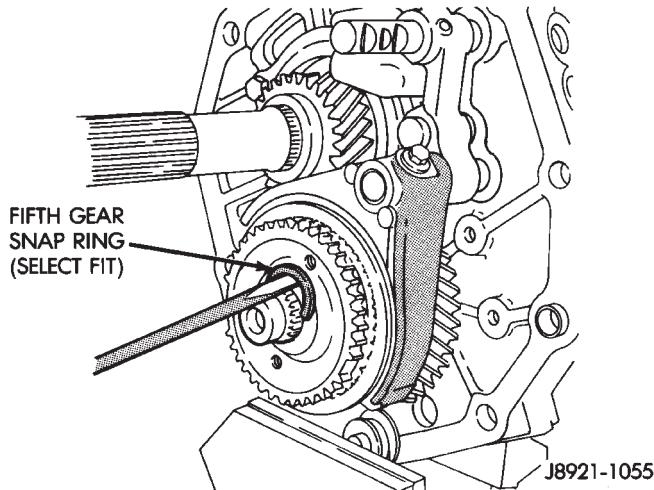
(1) Install suitable bolts and washers in intermediate plate (Fig. 49). Then clamp plate and gear assembly in vise. Use enough washers to prevent bolts from touching. Also be sure vise jaws are clamped on bolt heads.



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**Fig. 49 Positioning Intermediate Plate In Vise**

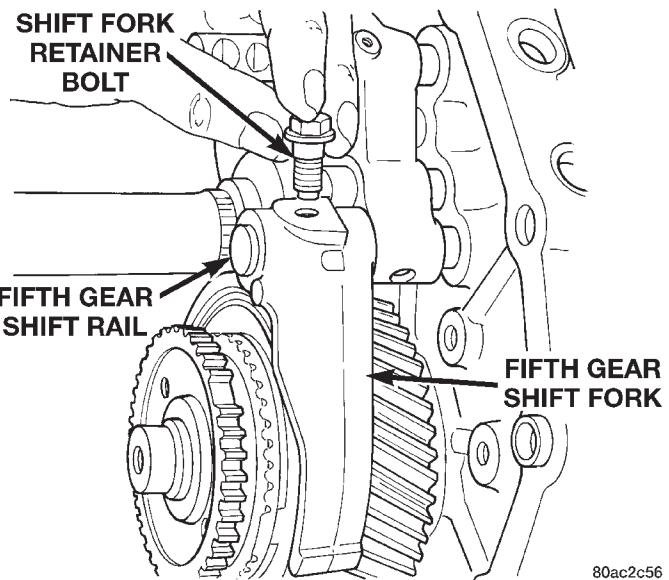
(2) Remove countershaft fifth gear retaining snap-ring (Fig. 50).



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**Fig. 50 Remove Fifth Gear Snap-ring**

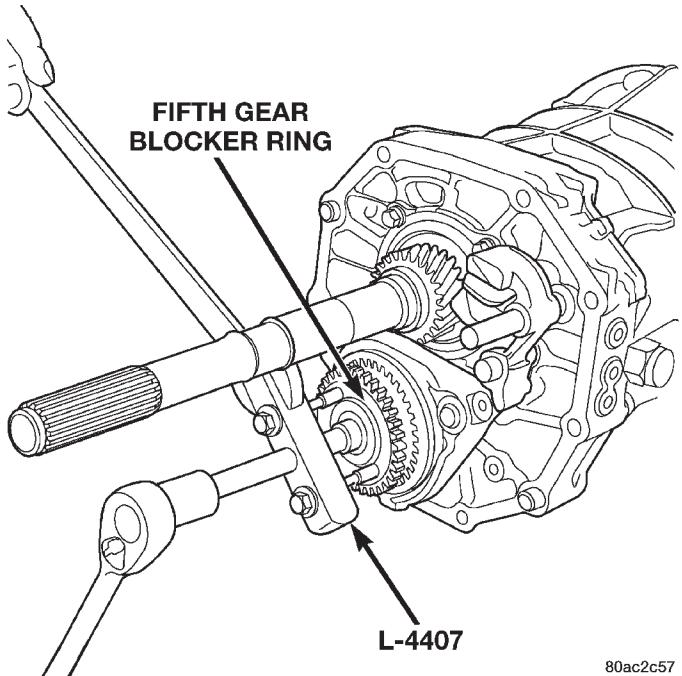
(3) Remove bolt holding fifth gear shift fork to shift rail (Fig. 51).



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**Fig. 51 Remove Shift Fork Retainer Bolt**

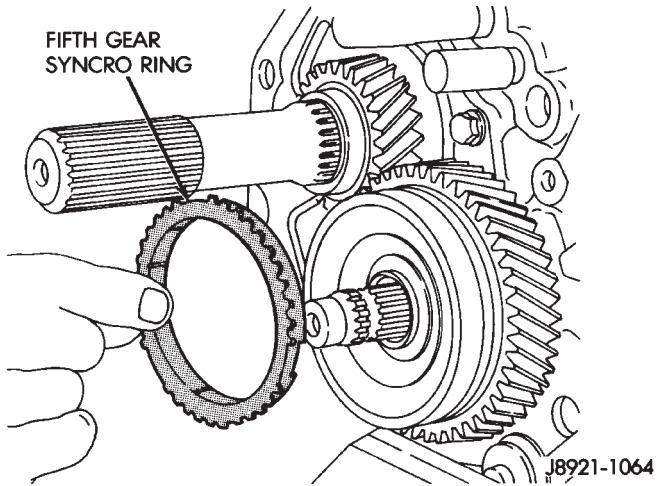
(4) Remove fifth gear blocker ring from counter-shaft assembly with Puller L-4407 (Fig. 52).



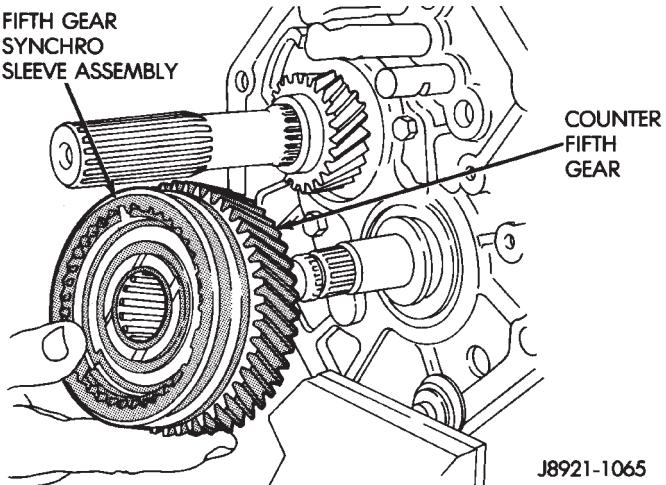
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**Fig. 52 Remove Fifth Gear Blocker Ring**

- (5) Remove fifth gear synchro ring (Fig. 53).
- (6) Remove the countershaft fifth gear assembly from countershaft (Fig. 54).



**Fig. 53 Remove Fifth Gear Synchro Ring**



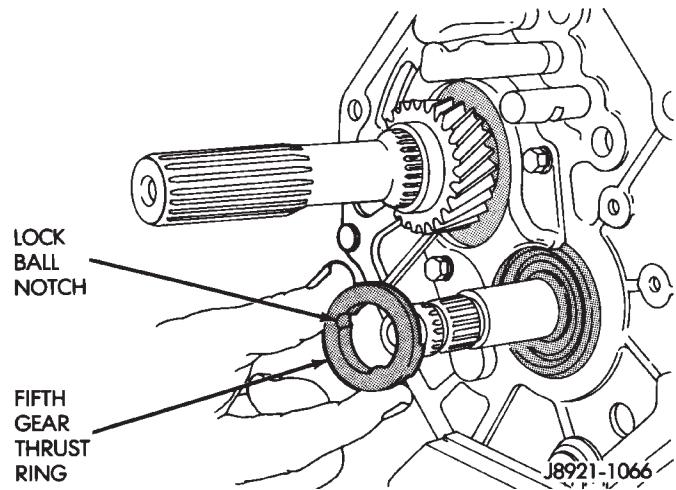
**Fig. 54 Remove Fifth Gear and Synchro Assembly**

- (7) Remove fifth gear thrust ring from countershaft (Fig. 55).
- (8) Remove fifth gear thrust ring lock ball from countershaft (Fig. 56).

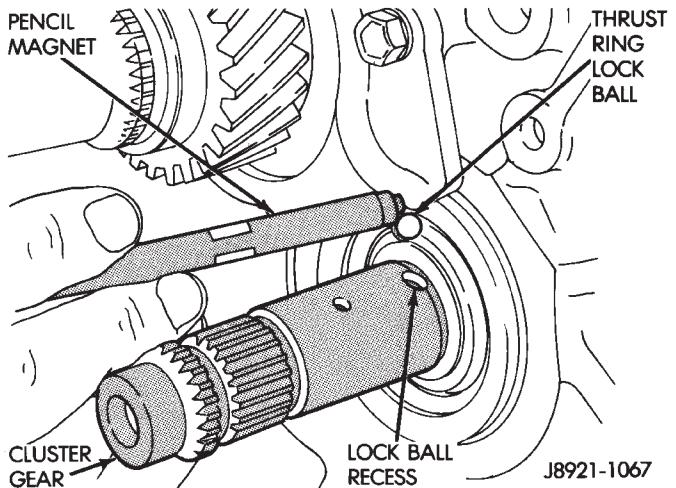
**NOTE:** There are many lock balls, check balls, interlock balls, and interlock pins used in various places in the transmission. Whenever a pin or ball is removed, it should be identified in such a way that it can be reinstalled in the same location from which it was removed.

- (9) Remove bolt holding reverse idler gear shaft lock plate to the intermediate plate.
- (10) Remove reverse idler gear shaft and reverse idler gear assembly (Fig. 57).

**NOTE:** Be sure to retrieve the pin and compression spring from the reverse idler shaft.

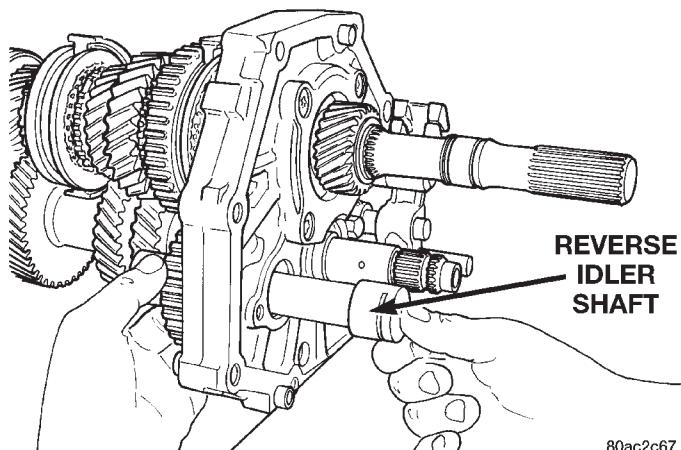


**Fig. 55 Remove Fifth Gear Thrust Ring**



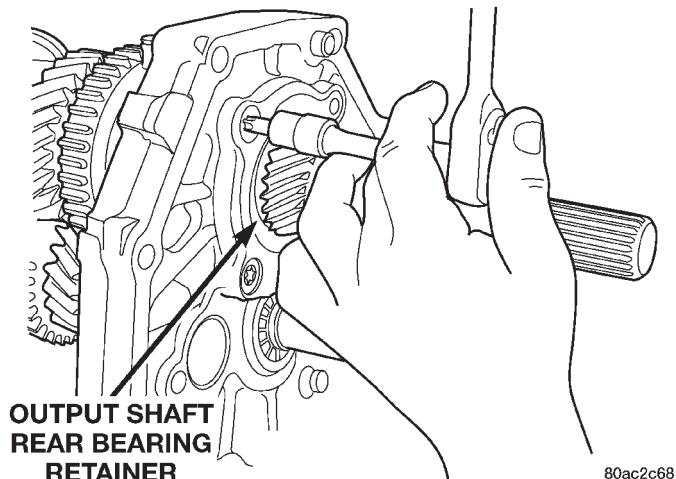
**Fig. 56 Remove Fifth Gear Thrust Ring Lock Ball**

- (11) Remove bolts holding output shaft rear bearing retainer to the intermediate plate and remove retainer (Fig. 58).



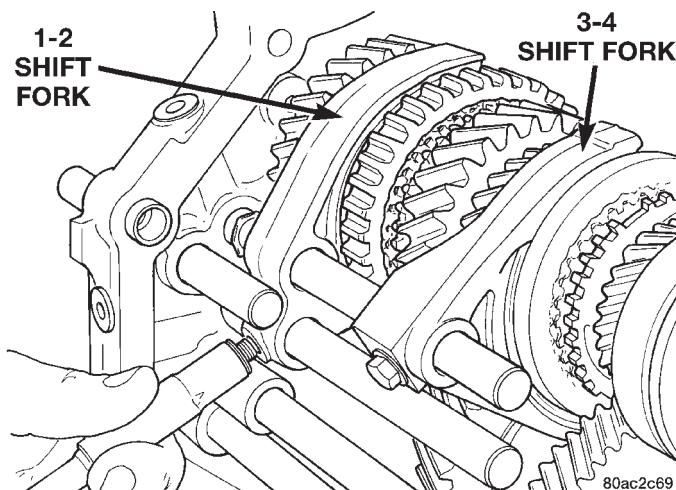
**Fig. 57 Remove Reverse Idler Shaft**

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**Fig. 58 Remove Output Shaft Rear Bearing Retainer**

(12) Remove bolts holding 1-2 and 3-4 shift forks to the shift rails (Fig. 59) and discard bolts.

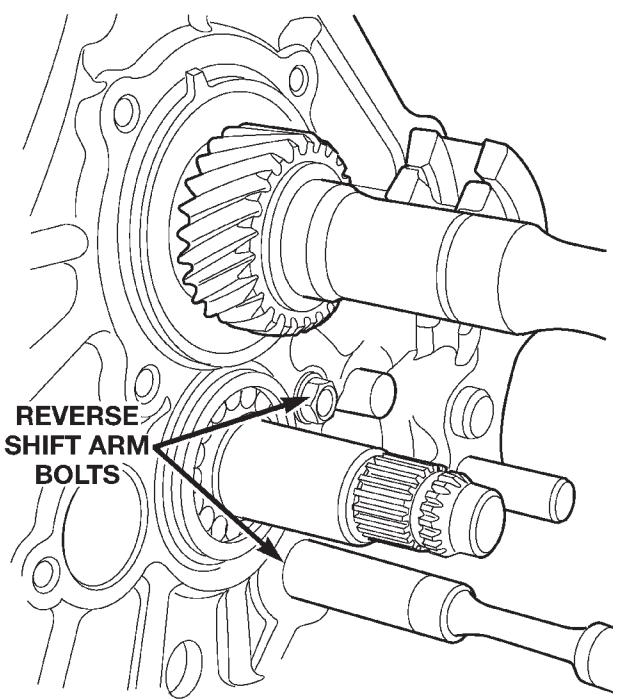
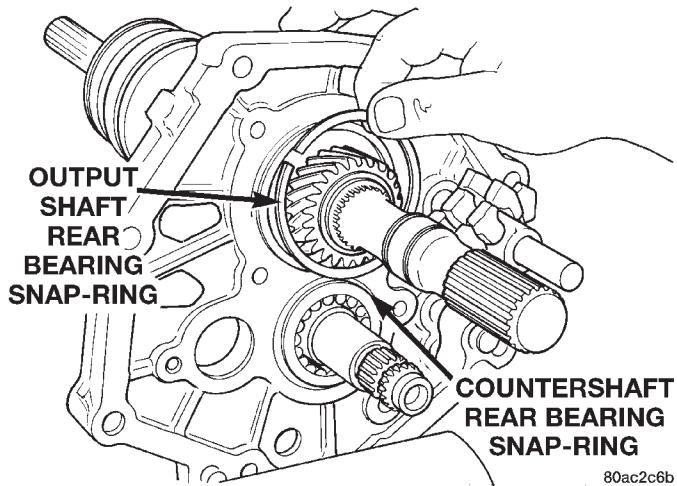
(13) Remove bolts holding reverse shift arm bracket to intermediate plate (Fig. 60).

**Fig. 59 Remove Shift Fork To Shift Rail Bolts**

(14) Remove snap-ring holding output shaft rear bearing into the intermediate plate (Fig. 61).

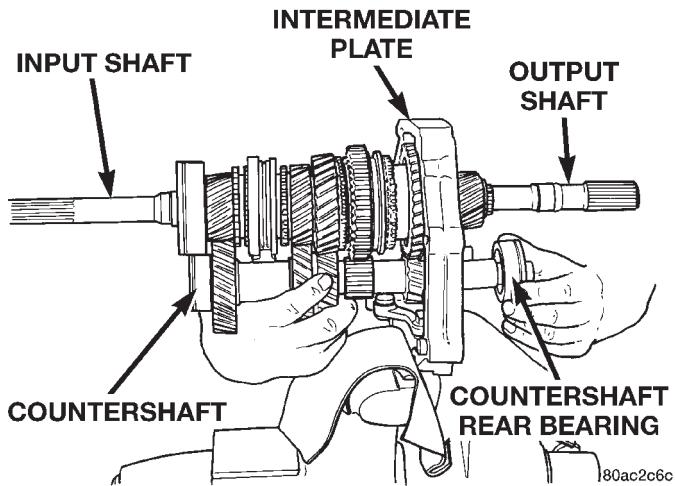
(15) Remove countershaft rear bearing snap-ring.

(16) With aid of an assistant, support the main-shaft and countershaft. Tap on the rear of the main-shaft and countershaft with a suitable plastic mallet. This will release the countershaft from the counter-shaft rear bearing and the mainshaft rear bearing from the intermediate plate. The countershaft will release from the countershaft bearing first and can be removed by moving the countershaft rearward and downward (Fig. 62).

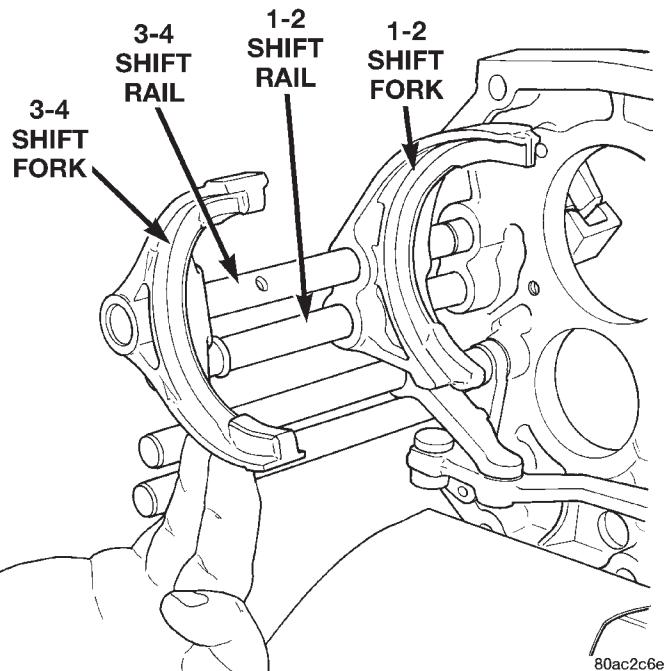
**Fig. 60 Remove Reverse Shift Arm Bracket Bolts****Fig. 61 Remove Output Shaft Rear Bearing Snap-ring**

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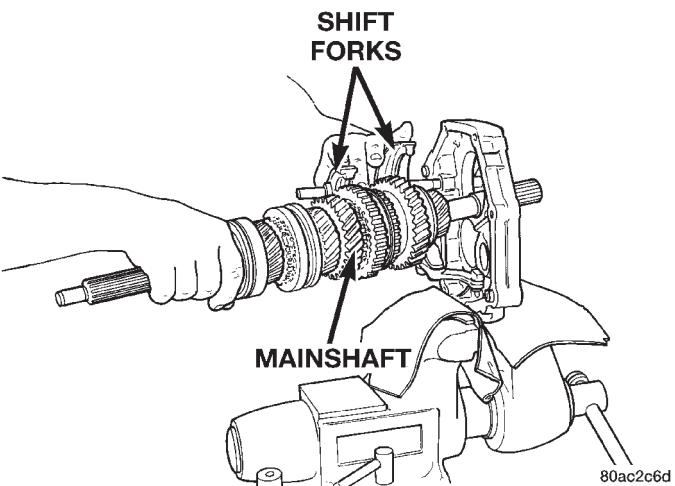
(17) Remove the mainshaft by moving the mainshaft forward until the mainshaft rear bearing is clear of the intermediate plate and then rotating the mainshaft downward out of the shift forks (Fig. 63).



**Fig. 62 Remove Countershaft and Countershaft Rear Bearing**



**Fig. 64 Remove 3-4 Shift Fork**

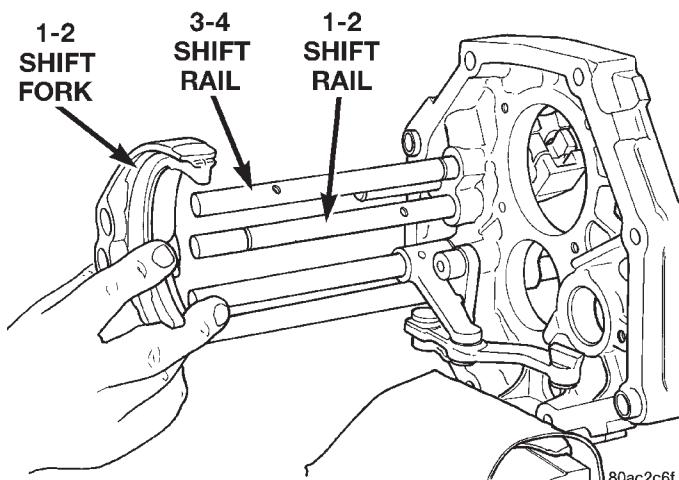


**Fig. 63 Remove Mainshaft**

(18) Remove the 3-4 shift fork from the 3-4 shift rail (Fig. 64).

(19) Remove the snap-ring from near the end of the 1-2 shift rail to allow the removal of the 1-2 shift fork.

(20) Remove the 1-2 shift fork from the 1-2 and the 3-4 shift rails (Fig. 65).

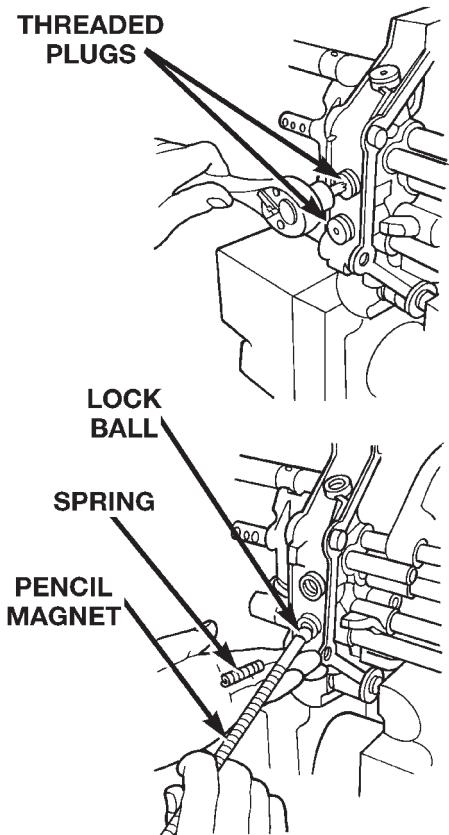


**Fig. 65 Remove 1-2 Shift Fork**

(21) Remove threaded plugs from intermediate plate. Then remove lock ball and spring from plug holes with pencil magnet (Fig. 66). Note that the bottom spring is shorter in length than the other two springs.

(22) Remove the intermediate plate from the vise, rotate the plate 180°, and reinstall the plate in the vise using the same bolt and washer mounting set-up.

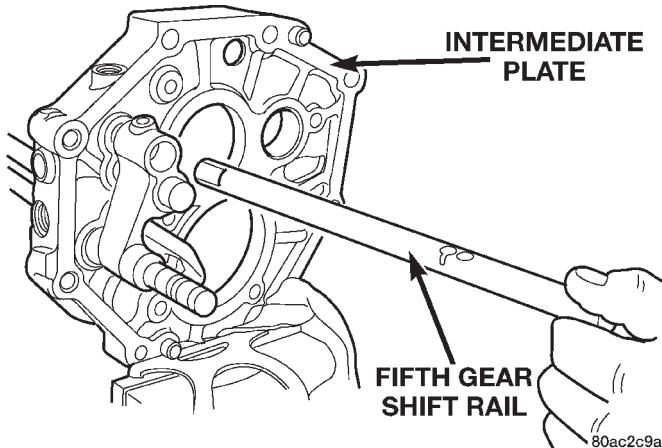
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*Fig. 66 Remove Lock Ball And Spring*

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**CAUTION:** The interlock balls and pins are different sizes and shapes. Be sure to correctly identify which position an item is removed from to ensure that it is reinstalled in the same location.

(23) Remove fifth gear shift rail (Fig. 67).

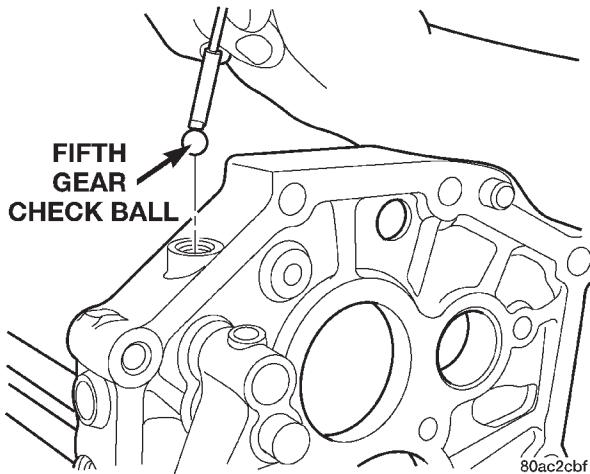
*Fig. 67 Remove Fifth Gear Shift Rail*

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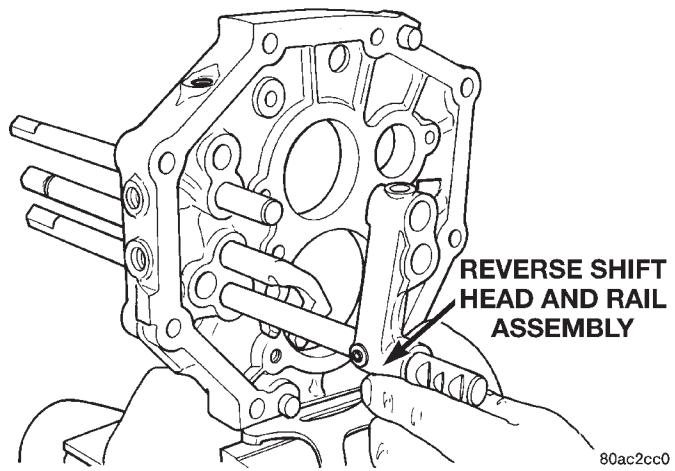
(24) Remove fifth gear check ball (Fig. 68) and interlock pin.

(25) Remove reverse shift head and rail assembly (Fig. 69).

(26) Remove snap-ring holding reverse shift rail into intermediate plate.

*Fig. 68 Remove Fifth Gear Check Ball*

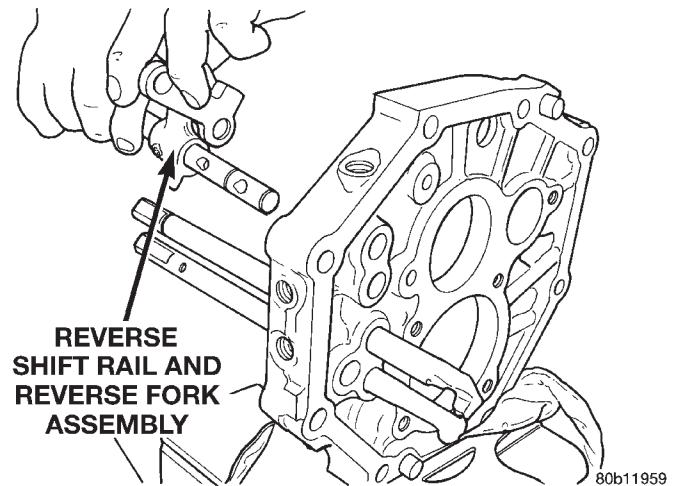
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*Fig. 69 Remove Reverse Shift Head And Rail Assembly*

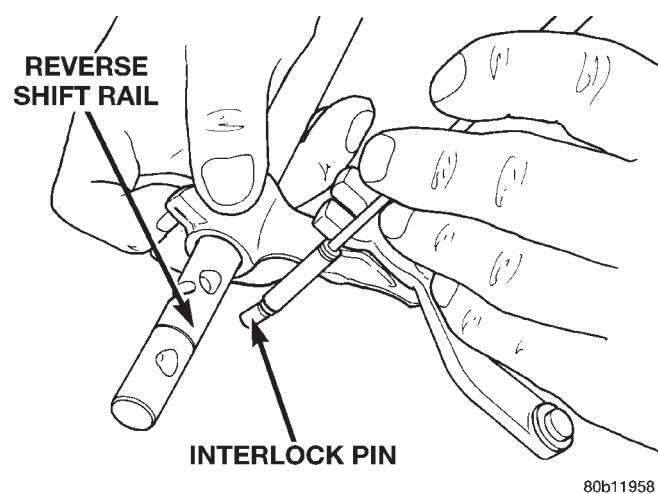
(27) Remove reverse shift rail and reverse shift fork and arm assembly from intermediate plate (Fig. 70).



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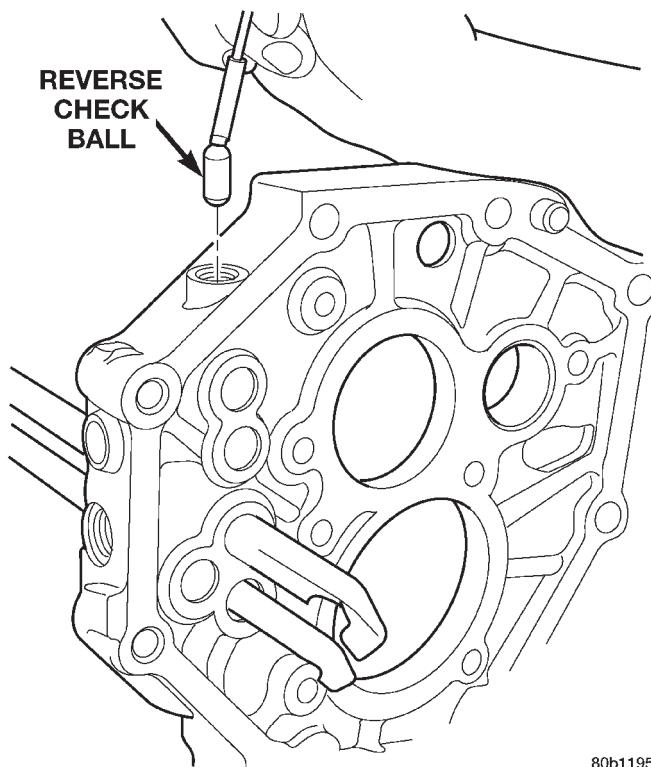
*Fig. 70 Remove Reverse Shift Rail*

(28) Remove interlock pin from reverse shift rail (Fig. 71).



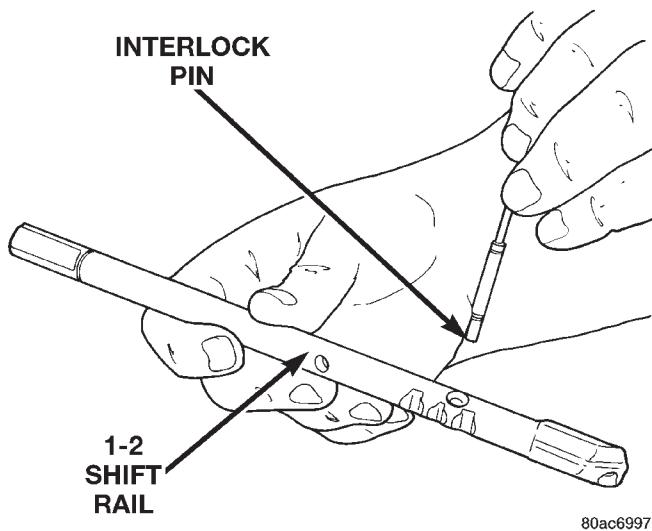
**Fig. 71 Remove Interlock Pin From Reverse Shift Rail**

(29) Remove reverse elongated check ball (Fig. 72).



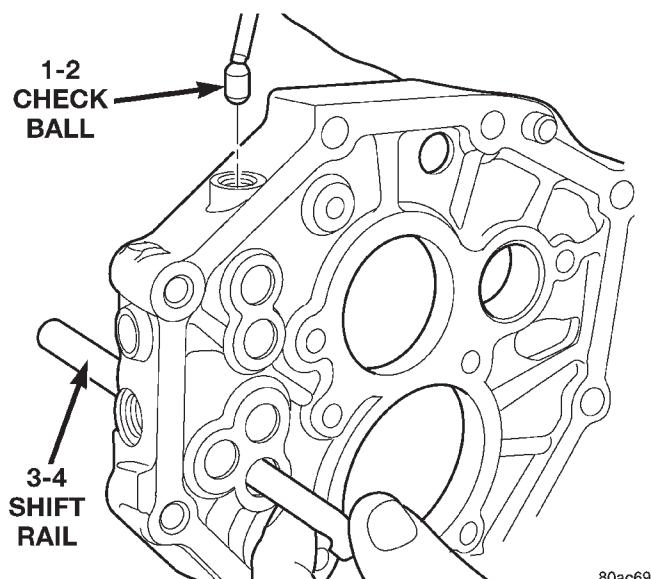
**Fig. 72 Remove Reverse Check Ball**

- (30) Remove snap-ring on 3-4 shift rail.
- (31) Remove 1-2 shift rail from intermediate plate.
- (32) Remove interlock pin from 1-2 shift rail (Fig. 73).



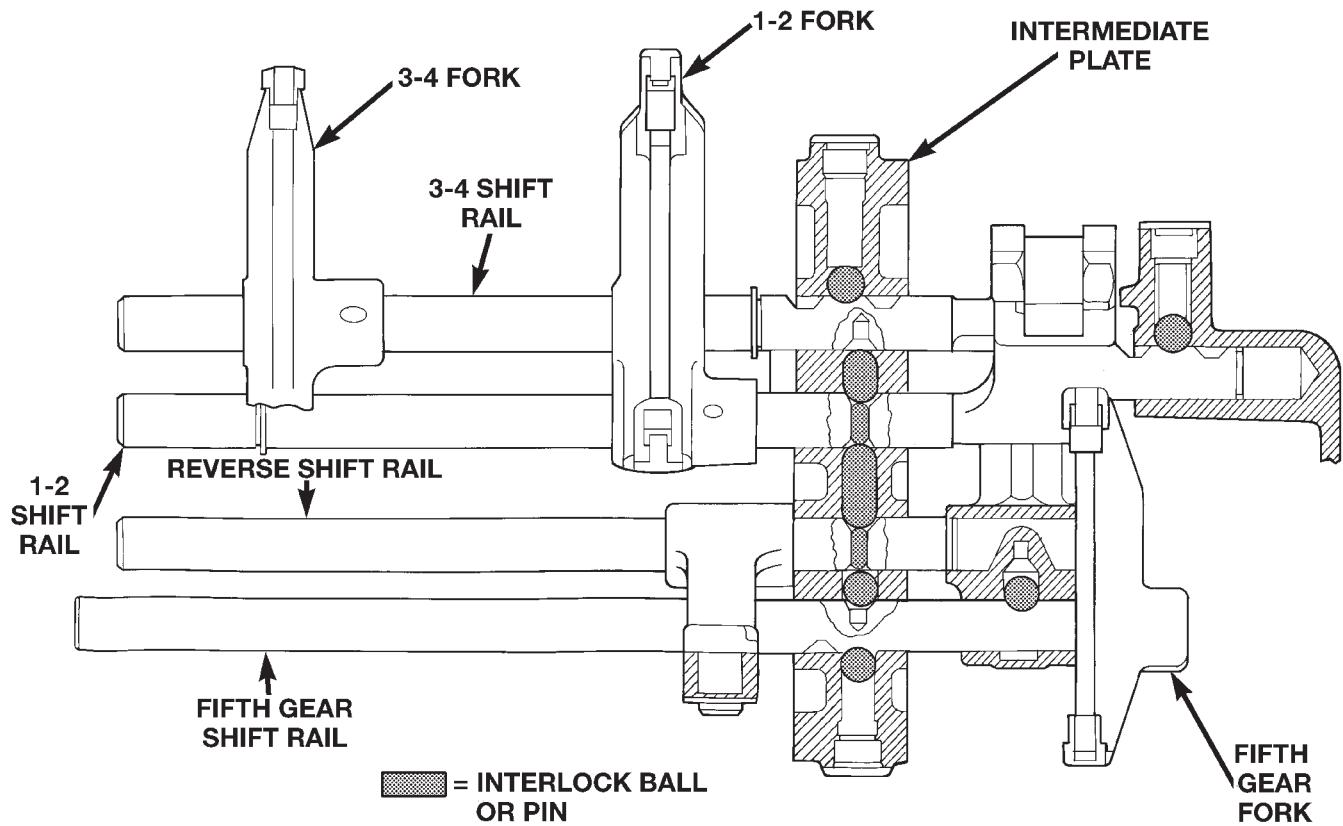
**Fig. 73 Remove 1-2 Shift Rail Interlock Pin**

- (33) Remove 1-2 shift rail elongated check ball from intermediate plate (Fig. 74).
- (34) Remove 3-4 shift rail from intermediate plate.



**Fig. 74 Remove 1-2 Check Ball**

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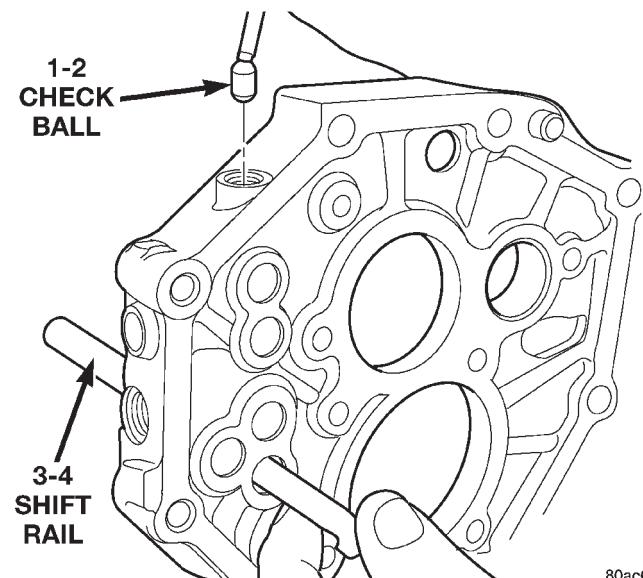


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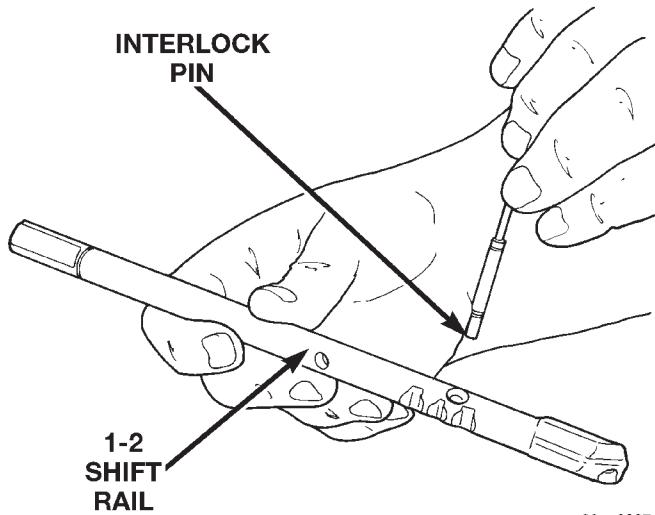
Refer to (Fig. 75) while assembling and installing the shift rail components. Also, verify that all shift rail components are in their neutral position when installing the check balls and interlock pins.

- (1) Install the 3-4 shift rail into the intermediate plate.
- (2) Install the 1-2 elongated check ball into the intermediate plate (Fig. 76).



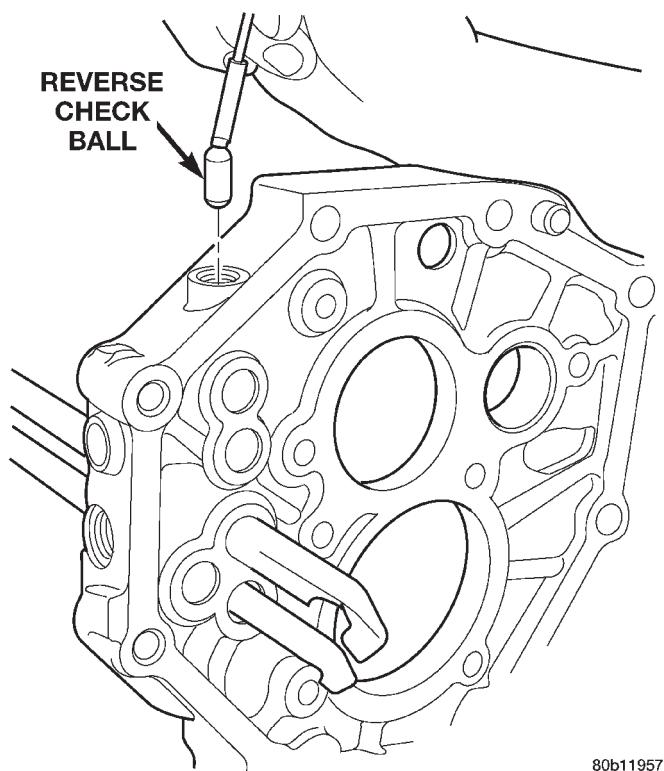
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- (3) Install the interlock pin into the 1-2 shift rail (Fig. 77).
- (4) Install the 1-2 shift rail into the intermediate plate.



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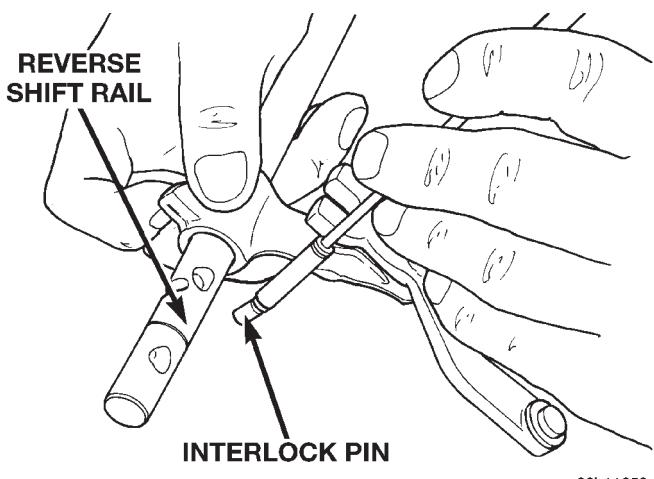
- (5) Install snap-ring onto 3-4 shift rail.
- (6) Install the reverse check ball into the intermediate plate (Fig. 78).



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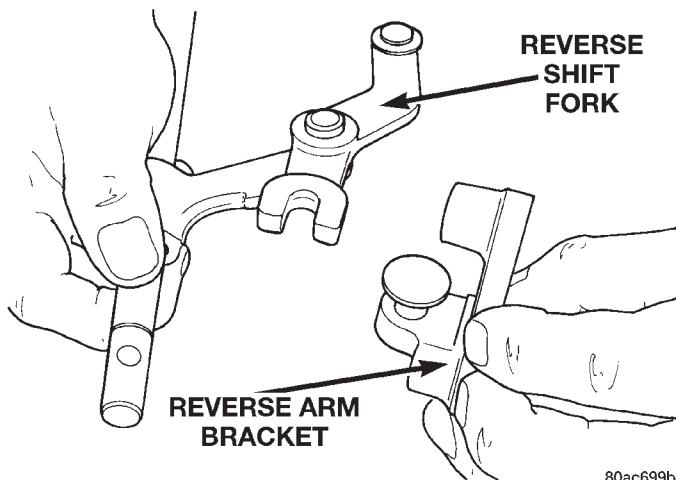
**Fig. 78 Install Reverse Check Ball**

- (7) Install the interlock pin into the reverse shift rail (Fig. 79).
- (8) Assemble the reverse arm bracket to the reverse fork (Fig. 80).



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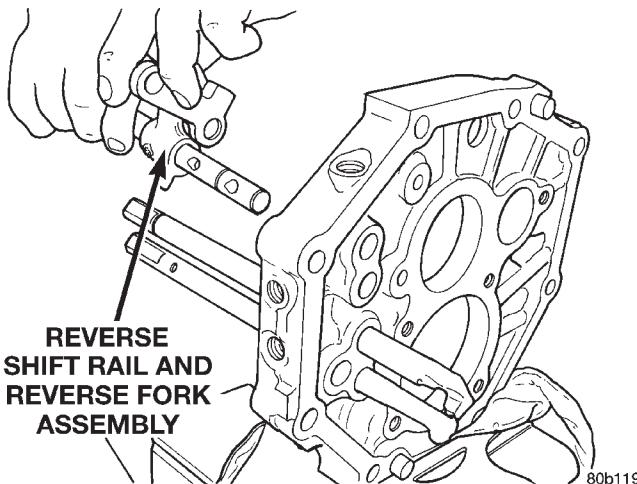
**Fig. 79 Install Reverse Interlock Pin**



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**Fig. 80 Install Reverse Arm Bracket to Fork**

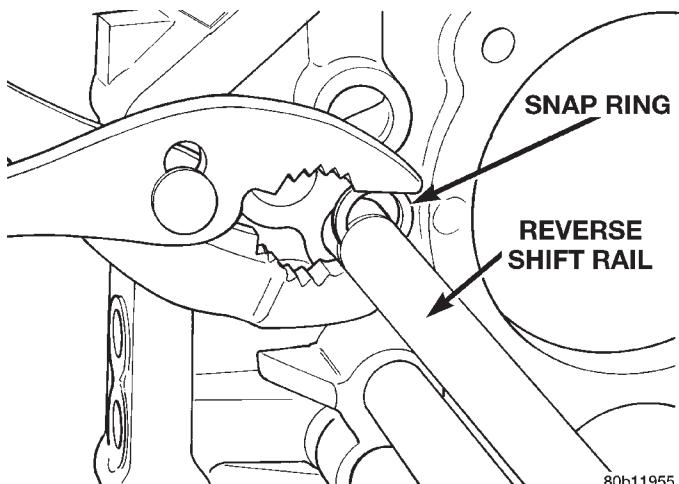
- (9) Install reverse shift rail into intermediate plate and position reverse arm bracket to intermediate plate (Fig. 81).



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**Fig. 81 Install Reverse Shift Rail**

- (10) Install snap-ring onto reverse shift rail (Fig. 82).



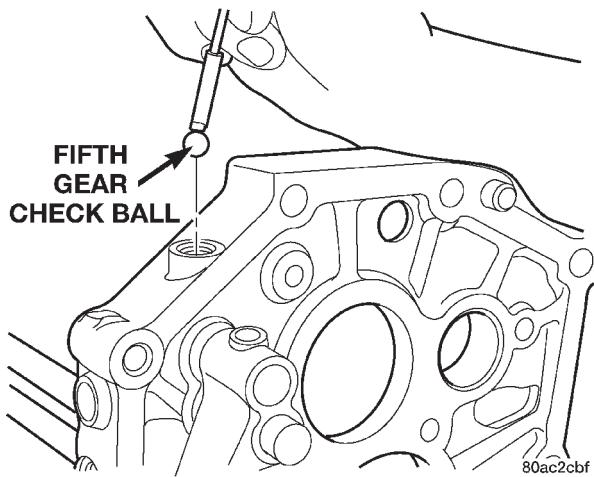
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**Fig. 82 Install Reverse Snap-ring**

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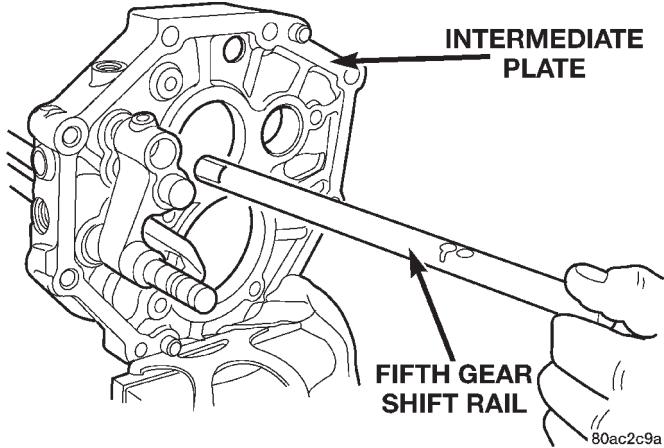
(11) Install reverse shift head and rail assembly into the intermediate plate.

(12) Install the fifth gear interlock ball and check ball (Fig. 83).



**Fig. 83 Install Fifth Gear Check Ball**

(13) Install fifth gear shift rail (Fig. 84).



**Fig. 84 Install Fifth Gear Shift Rail**

(14) Remove the intermediate plate from the vise, rotate the plate 180°, and reinstall the plate in the vise using the same bolt and washer mounting set-up.

(15) Install the shift rail detent balls in the intermediate plate.

(16) Install the shift rail detent springs in the intermediate plate. Note that the bottom detent spring is shorter than the others.

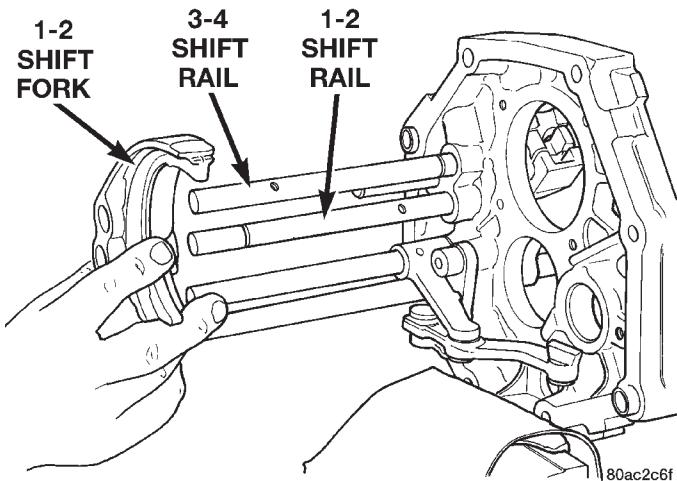
(17) Install the shift rail detent plugs in the intermediate plate.

(18) Install the 1-2 shift fork onto the 1-2 and 3-4 shift rails (Fig. 85).

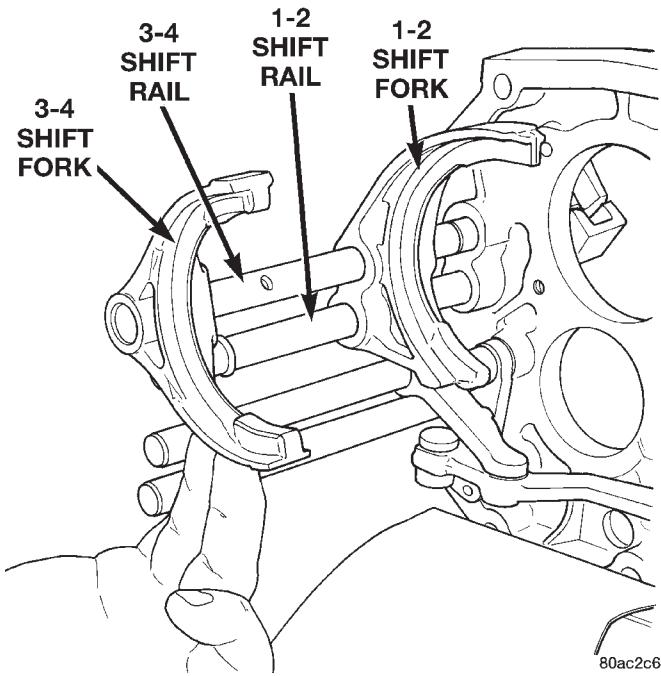
(19) Install the snap-ring onto the 1-2 shift rail.

(20) Install the 3-4 shift fork onto the 3-4 shift rail (Fig. 86).

(21) Install mainshaft into the intermediate plate by guiding the output shaft through opening in intermediate plate until the shift forks are aligned with



**Fig. 85 Install 1-2 Shift Fork**



**Fig. 86 Install 3-4 Shift Fork**

the appropriate synchronizer sleeves. The mainshaft rear bearing will be started in the intermediate plate but not fully driven in at this point.

(22) While an assistant supports the mainshaft, align rear of countershaft with inner race of countershaft rear bearing.

(23) Raise countershaft upward until gears mesh with the mating gears on the mainshaft.

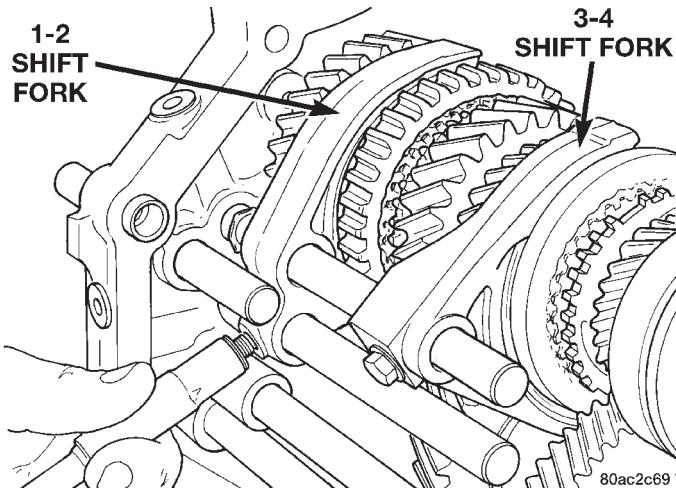
(24) Using a suitable rubber mallet, tap on the input shaft and the front of the countershaft equally to install the mainshaft rear bearing into the intermediate plate and the rear of the countershaft into the rear countershaft bearing. It may be necessary to occasionally hold the countershaft into the intermediate plate and tap the countershaft rear bearing onto the countershaft and into the intermediate plate.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(25) Install snap-rings onto the rear mainshaft and countershaft bearings.

(26) Install the bolts to hold the reverse shift arm bracket to the intermediate plate.

(27) Install new bolts to hold the shift forks to the shift rails (Fig. 87).



**Fig. 87 Install Shift Fork Bolts**

(28) Position the mainshaft rear bearing retainer over the output shaft and onto the intermediate plate.

(29) Install new bolts to hold the bearing retainer to the intermediate plate.

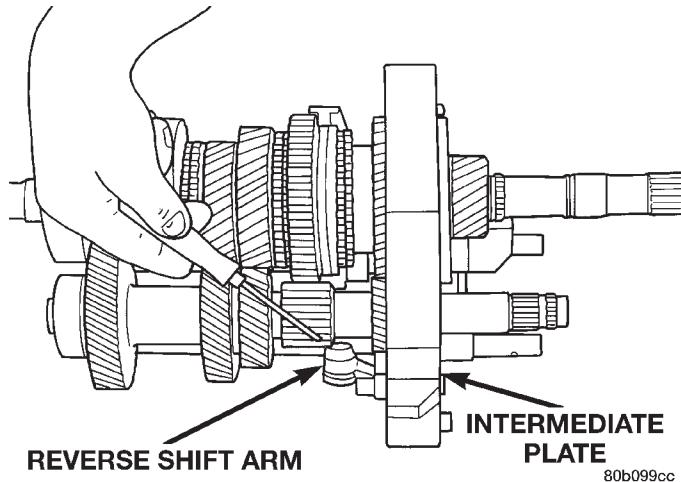
(30) Move the reverse shift arm into the reverse gear position. The reverse gear position is with the arm moved away from the intermediate plate (Fig. 88).

(31) Install the reverse idler gear assembly into position on the mainshaft and reverse shift arm.

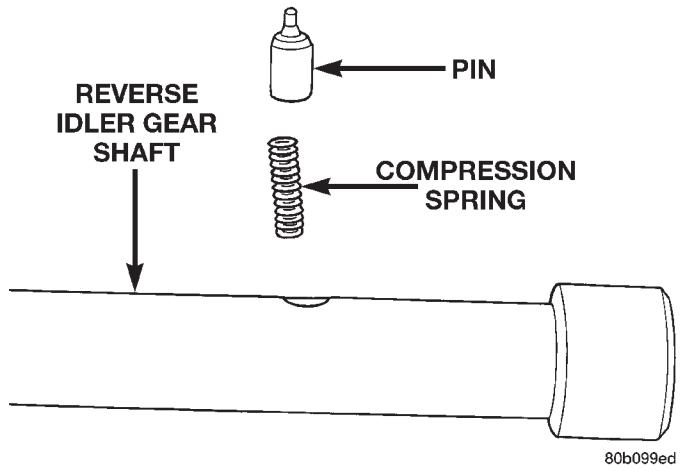
(32) Install the compression spring and pin into the reverse idler gear shaft (Fig. 89).

(33) Install the reverse idler shaft through the intermediate plate and reverse idler gear assembly (Fig. 90) until the idler shaft pin contacts the gear assembly. Make sure that the notched cut-out in the idler shaft is to the rear of the transmission.

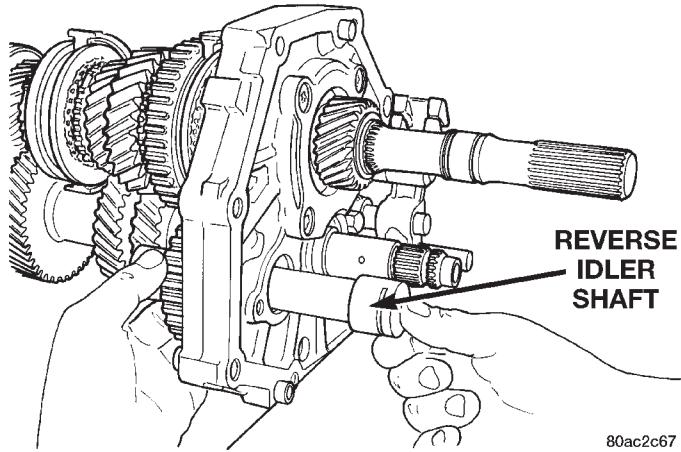
(34) Align the pin with the alignment notch in the reverse idler gear assembly (Fig. 91). The alignment notch in the reverse idler gear race/hub is a small relief cut above one of the main longitudinal slots. Be sure that the pin is aligned with the proper slot, the opposite slot has an oil drain hole which the pin will drop into. The assembly will then be locked onto the shaft and will need to be disassembled in order to be removed.



**Fig. 88 Reverse Shift Arm Position**



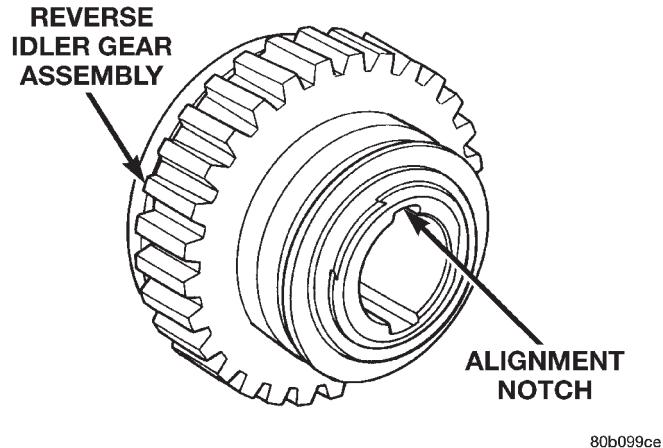
**Fig. 89 Install Compression Spring And Pin**



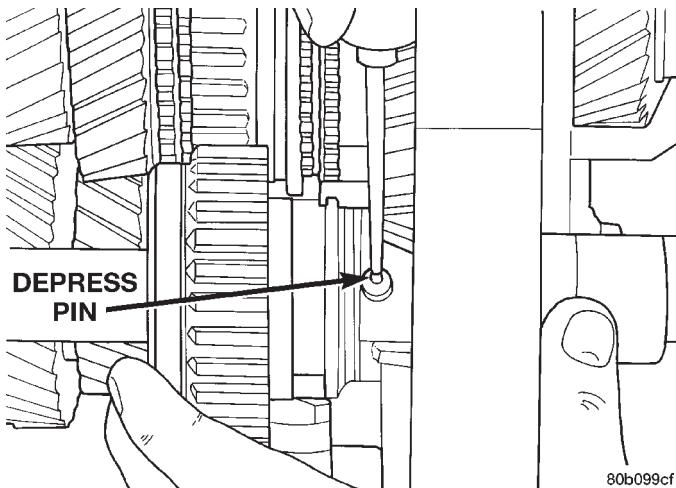
**Fig. 90 Install Reverse Idler Shaft**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(35) Depress compression spring and pin in reverse idler gear shaft (Fig. 92).



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*Fig. 91 Align Idler Shaft Pin*

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*Fig. 92 Depress Pin In Reverse Idler Gear Shaft*

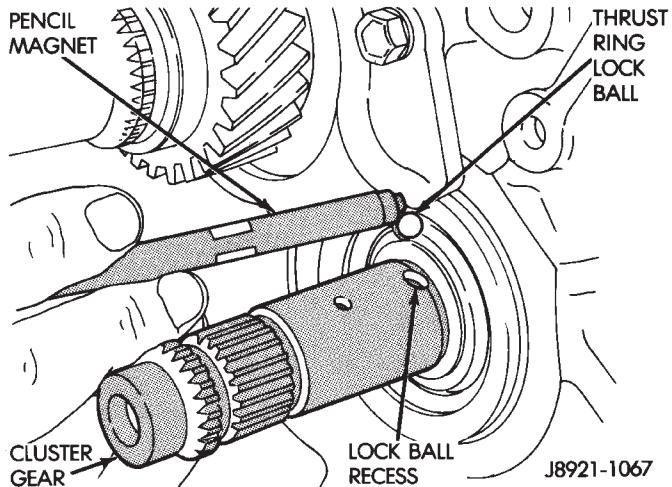
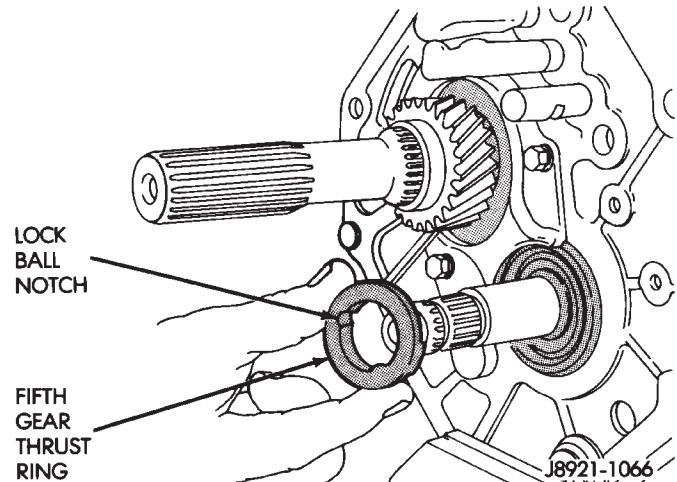
(36) Install the reverse idler gear shaft the remainder of the way through the reverse idler gear assembly.

(37) Position the reverse idler gear shaft lock plate onto the intermediate plate.

(38) Install a new bolt to hold the idler gear shaft lock plate to the intermediate plate.

(39) Install the fifth gear thrust ring lock ball to the countershaft (Fig. 93).

(40) Install the fifth gear thrust ring onto the countershaft and over the lock ball (Fig. 94).

*Fig. 93 Install Fifth Gear Thrust Ring Lock Ball**Fig. 94 Install Fifth Gear Thrust Ring*

(41) Install fifth gear shift fork to the countershaft fifth gear assembly.

(42) Install the countershaft fifth gear bearings into the countershaft fifth gear assembly.

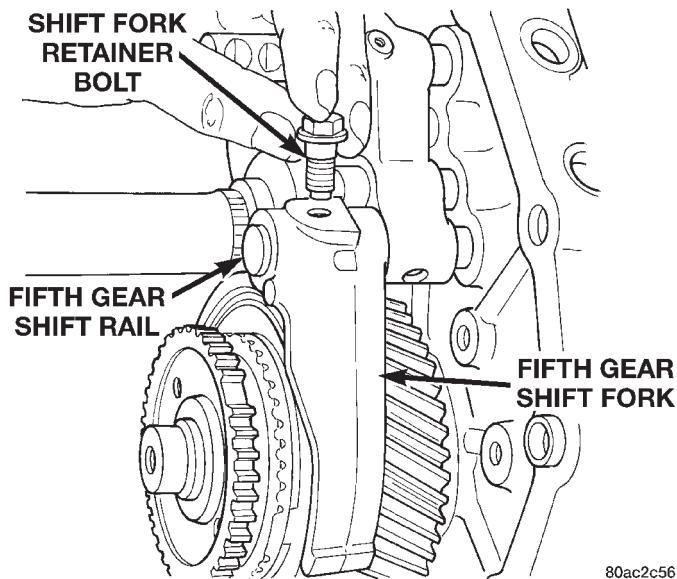
(43) Position the countershaft fifth gear assembly on the countershaft. Ensure that the fifth gear fork is installed onto the fifth gear shift rail.

(44) Install the fifth gear synchro ring.

(45) Position the fifth gear blocker ring onto the countershaft.

(46) Using a suitable mallet and spacer, tap the fifth gear blocker ring onto the countershaft.

(47) Install new bolt to hold fifth gear shift fork to the fifth gear shift rail (Fig. 95).



**Fig. 95 Install Fifth Gear Retainer Bolt**

(48) Measure countershaft fifth gear thrust clearance.

(49) Select a snap-ring so that the thrust clearance is 0.10–0.30 mm (0.004–0.010 in.).

(50) Install snap-ring to hold fifth gear blocker ring onto countershaft.

(51) Remove intermediate plate from vise and remove bolts and washers from intermediate.

## COUNTERSHAFT

### DISASSEMBLY

(1) Remove select fit snap-ring holding the countershaft front bearing onto the countershaft (Fig. 96).

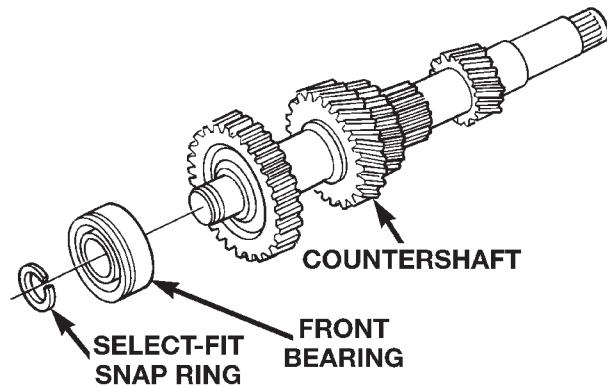
(2) Using Bearing Splitter P-334, a suitable spacer on center of countershaft, and a shop press, remove the countershaft front bearing from the countershaft.

### ASSEMBLY

(1) Remove any nicks or burrs on countershaft hub with fine emery or crocus cloth.

(2) Position countershaft front bearing on end of countershaft.

(3) Using Special Tool 8109 and a shop press, press bearing onto countershaft.



I.D. MARK	SNAP RING THICKNESS MM (IN.)
1	2.05 - 2.10 (0.0807 - 0.0827)
2	2.10 - 2.15 (0.0827 - 0.0846)
3	2.15 - 2.20 (0.0846 - 0.0866)
4	2.20 - 2.25 (0.0866 - 0.0886)
5	2.25 - 2.30 (0.0886 - 0.0906)
6	2.30 - 2.35 (0.0906 - 0.0925)

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**Fig. 96 Countershaft Front Bearing Snap-ring**

(4) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the countershaft (Fig. 96).

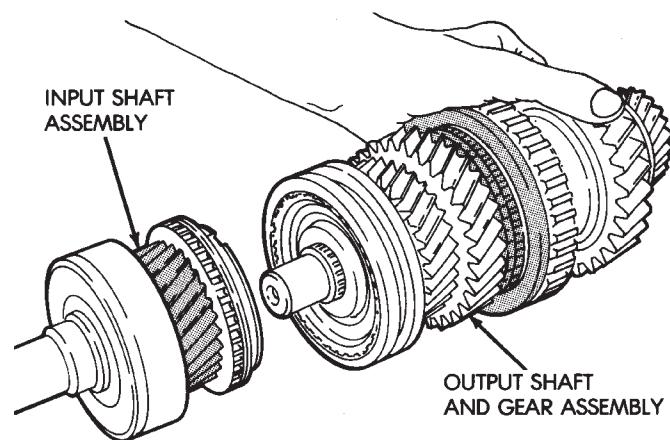
(5) Install snap-ring to hold countershaft front bearing onto countershaft.

## INPUT SHAFT

### DISASSEMBLY

(1) Verify that the 3–4 synchronizer is in the neutral position.

(2) Separate input shaft from output shaft (Fig. 97). Note that the output shaft pilot bearing is an uncaged roller type bearing.



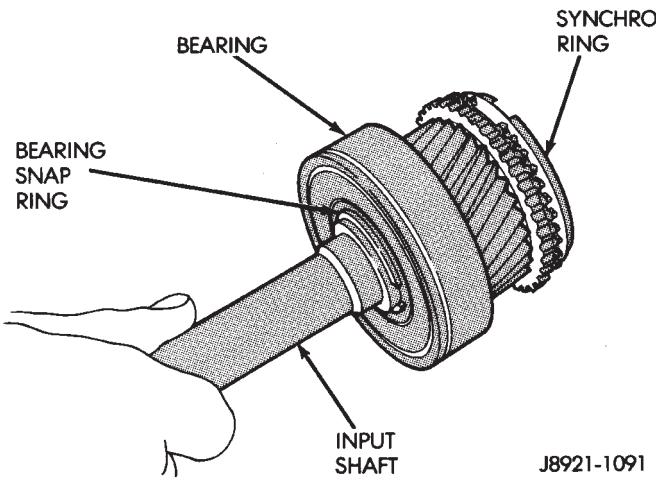
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**Fig. 97 Separate Input and Output Shafts**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(3) Remove the output shaft pilot bearing rollers from the input shaft and the output shaft.

(4) Remove the fourth gear synchronizer ring from the input shaft (Fig. 98).



**Fig. 98 Input Shaft Components**

(5) Remove the select fit snap-ring holding the input shaft bearing onto the input shaft.

(6) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 and a shop press, remove the bearing from the input shaft.

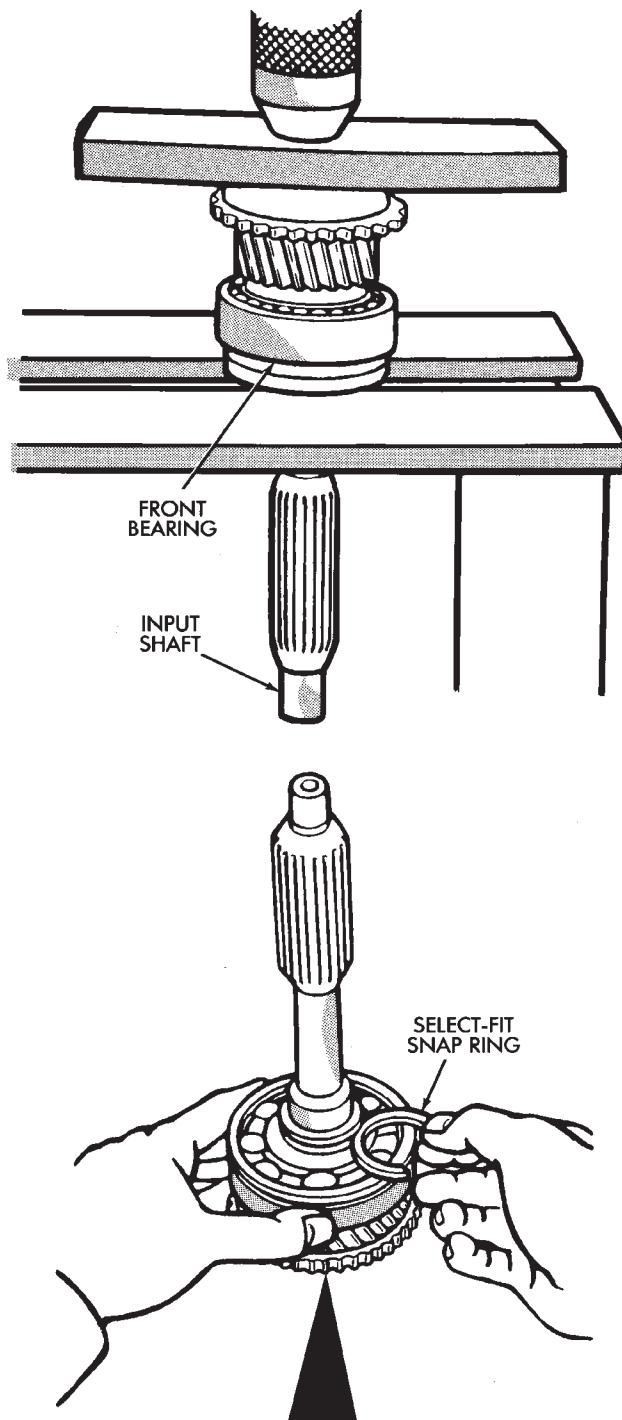
## ASSEMBLY

(1) Position input shaft bearing onto input shaft.

(2) Using Driver L-4507, drive bearing onto input shaft.

(3) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the input shaft (Fig. 99).

(4) Lubricate output shaft pilot bearing bore of input shaft with petroleum jelly.



I.D. Mark	Snap Ring Thickness mm (in.)
0	2.05-2.10 (0.0807-0.0827)
1	2.10-2.15 (0.0827-0.0846)
2	2.15-2.20 (0.0846-0.0866)
3	2.20-2.25 (0.0866-0.0886)
4	2.25-2.30 (0.0886-0.0906)
5	2.30-2.35 (0.0906-0.0925)

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**Fig. 99 Select Input Shaft Bearing Snap-ring**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(5) Install output shaft pilot bearing rollers in input shaft bore (Fig. 100). Ensure to use sufficient petroleum jelly to hold rollers in position.

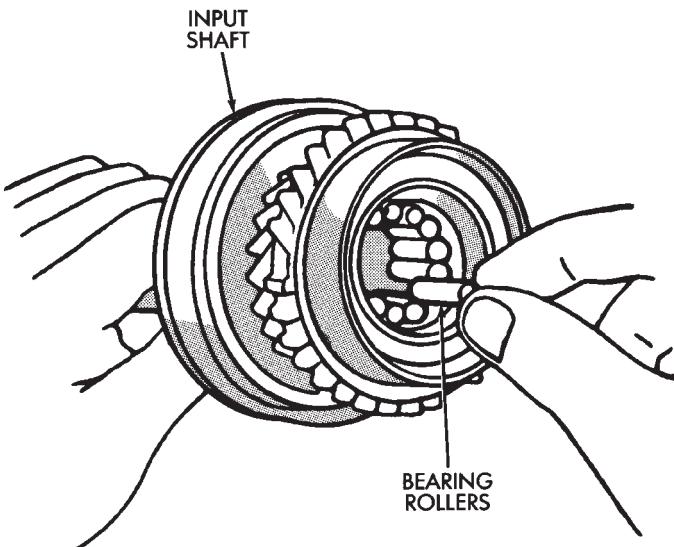


Fig. 100 Install Output Shaft Pilot Bearing Rollers  
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(6) Install the fourth gear synchronizer ring onto the input shaft.

(7) Install input shaft to output shaft. Use care when mating the two shafts not to displace any output shaft pilot bearing rollers.

## OUTPUT SHAFT

## DISASSEMBLY

(1) Remove input shaft and output shaft pilot bearing rollers from output shaft.

(2) Measure and note thrust clearance of output shaft gears (Fig. 101). Clearance should be 0.10 – 0.25 mm (0.004 – 0.010 in.).

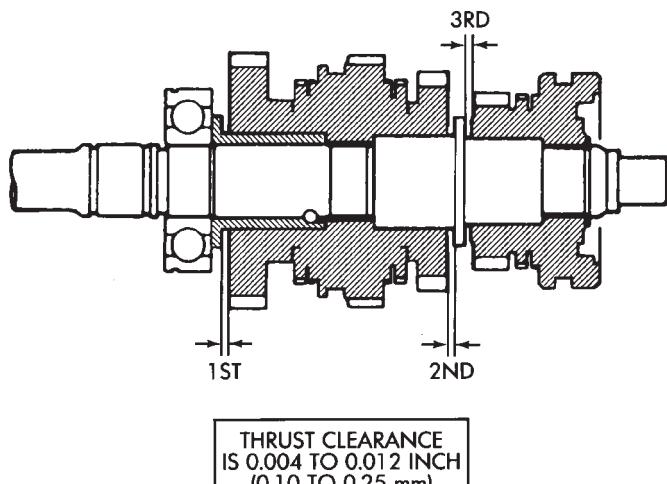
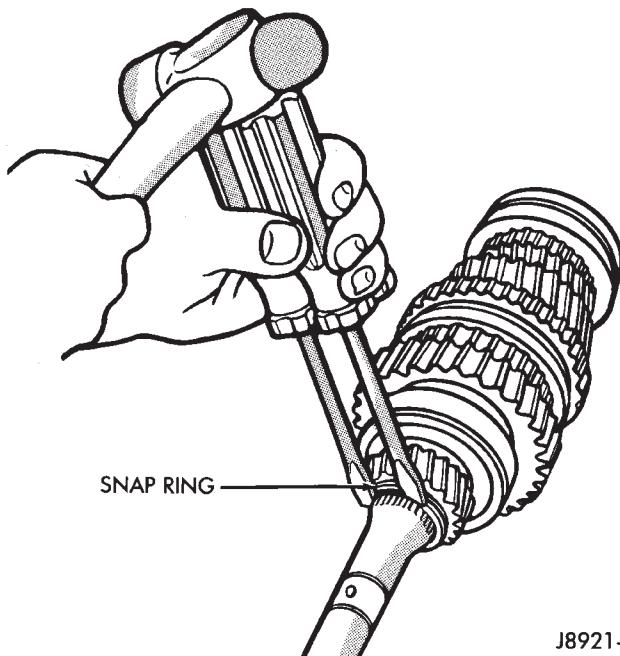


Fig. 101 Check Output Shaft Gear Thrust Clearance  
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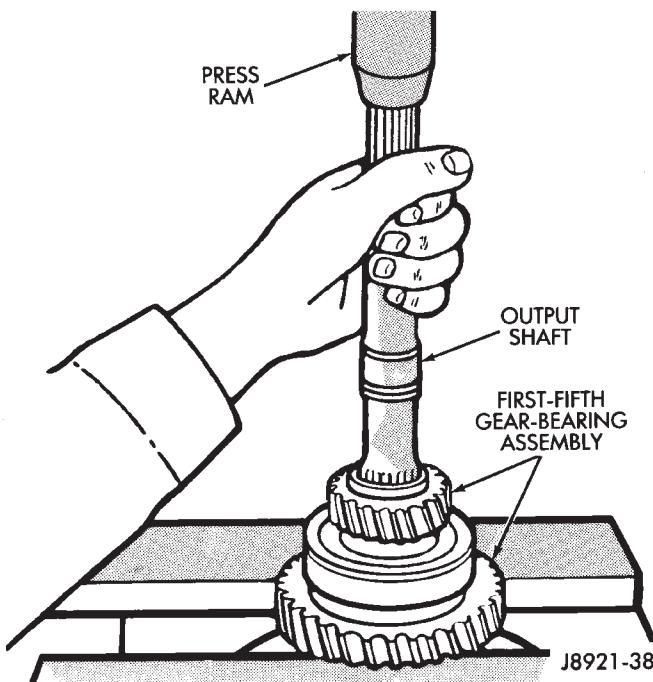
(3) Remove output shaft fifth gear snap ring with two screwdrivers (Fig. 102).



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Fig. 102 Remove Fifth Gear Snap-ring

(4) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under first gear, press fifth gear, rear bearing, first gear, and first gear bearing inner race off output shaft (Fig. 103).



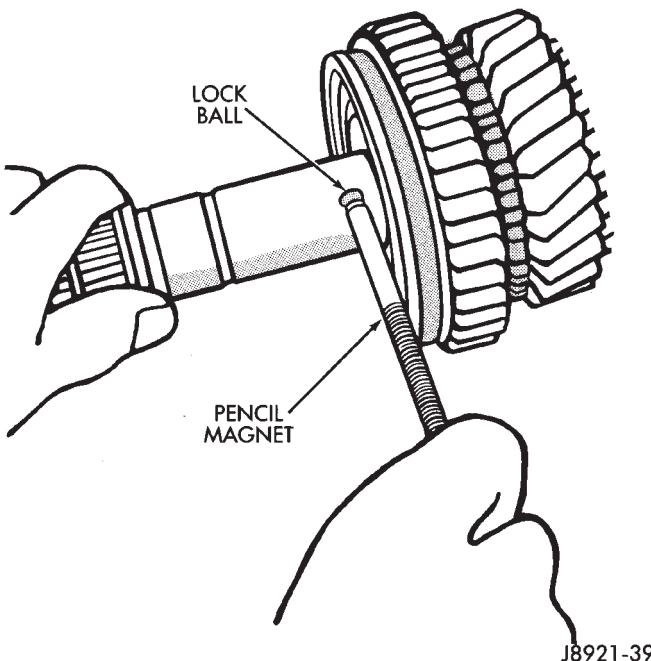
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Fig. 103 Remove Fifth Gear, First Gear Bearing, And Race

(5) Remove first gear needle roller bearing from output shaft.

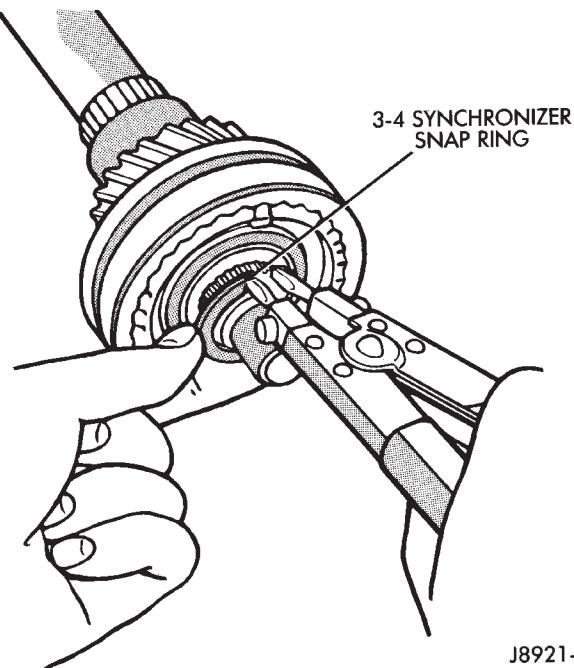
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(6) Remove first gear bearing inner race lock ball with pencil magnet (Fig. 104).



**Fig. 104 Remove First Gear Bearing Inner Race Lock Ball**

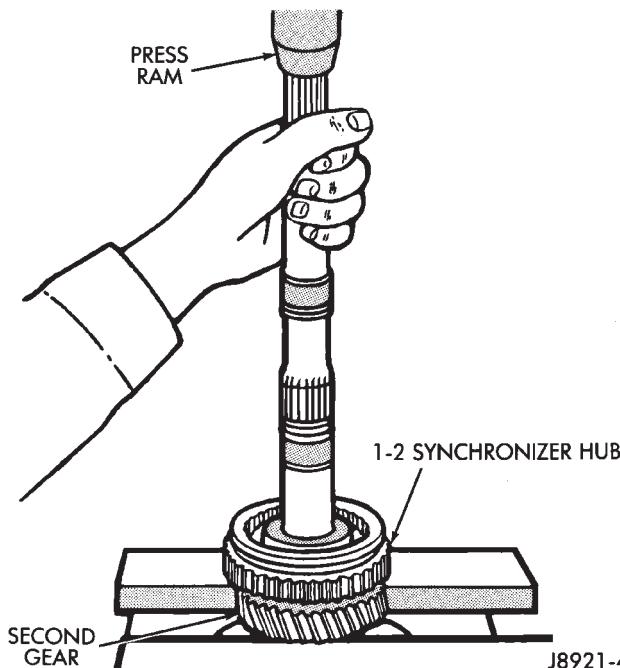
(10) Remove select fit snap-ring holding the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft (Fig. 106).



**Fig. 106 Remove 3-4 Synchronizer Snap Ring**

(7) Remove first gear synchronizer ring.

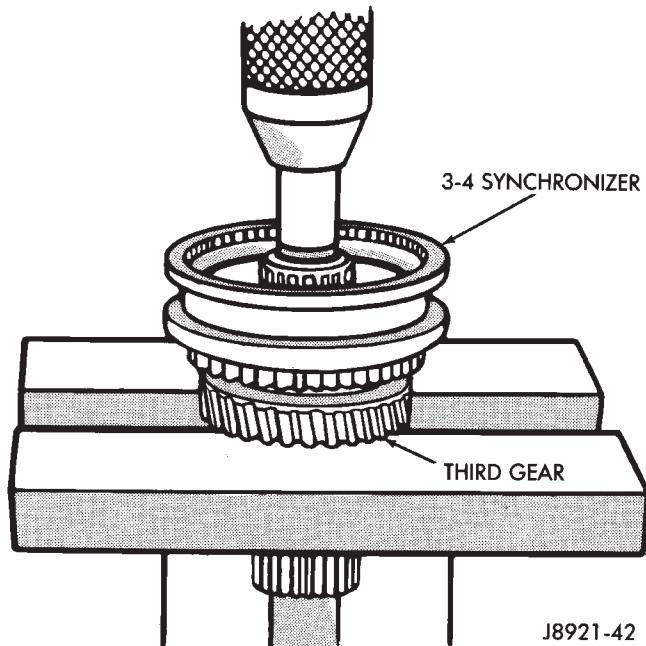
(8) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under second gear, press 1-2 synchronizer, reverse gear, and second gear from output shaft (Fig. 105).



**Fig. 105 Remove Second Gear, Reverse Gear, And 1-2 Synchronizer**

(9) Remove second gear needle roller bearing from the output shaft or second gear.

(11) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under third gear, press the 3-4 synchronizer and third gear from output shaft (Fig. 107).



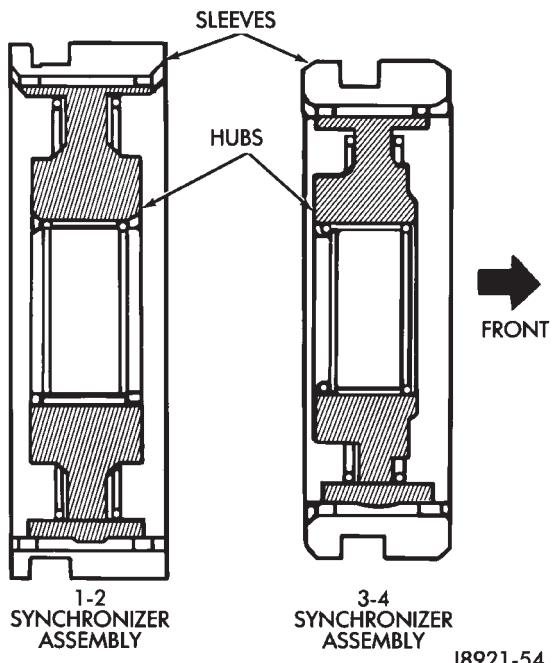
**Fig. 107 Remove 3-4 Synchronizer And Third Gear**

(12) Remove third gear needle roller bearing from output shaft or gear.

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Lubricate transmission components with specified gear lubricant.

(2) If necessary, assemble 1-2 and 3-4 synchronizer hubs, sleeves, springs and key inserts (Fig. 108).



**Fig. 108 Synchronizer Identification**

(3) Install third gear needle bearing onto the output shaft.

(4) Install third gear over bearing and onto output shaft flange.

(5) Install third gear synchronizer ring to third gear.

(6) Position the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft.

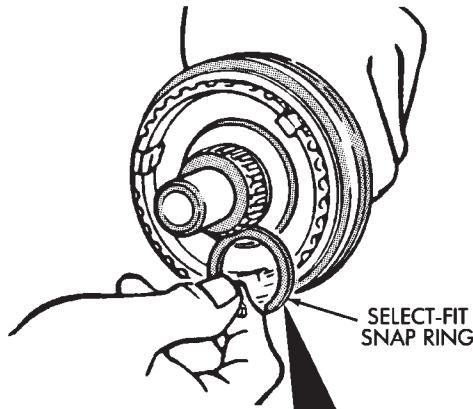
(7) Using Adapter 6747-1A and a shop press, press the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft.

(8) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the output shaft (Fig. 109).

(9) Install snap-ring to hold 3-4 synchronizer onto output shaft.

(10) Verify third gear thrust clearance with feeler gauge (Fig. 110). Clearance should be 0.10 – 0.25 mm (0.004 – 0.010 in.). If clearance is out of specification, refer to Cleaning and Inspection section within this group.

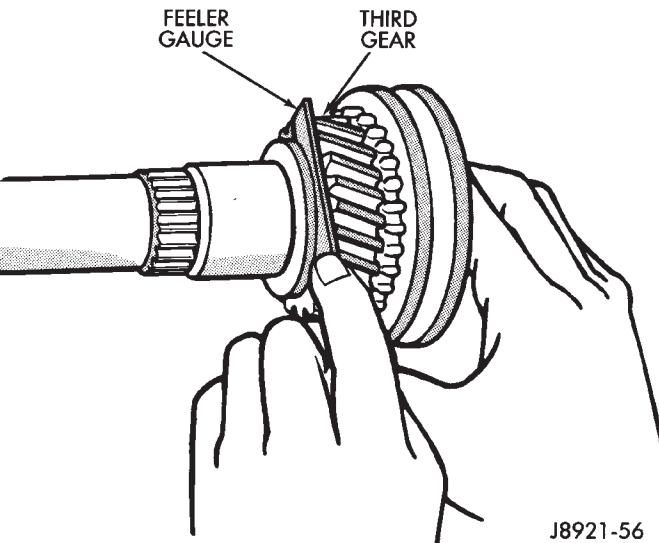
(11) Install second gear needle bearing onto output shaft.



I.D. Mark	Snap Ring Thickness mm (in.)
C-1	1.75-1.80 (0.0689-0.0709)
D	1.80-1.85 (0.0709-0.0728)
D-1	1.85-1.90 (0.0728-0.0748)
E	1.90-1.95 (0.0748-0.0768)
E-1	1.95-2.00 (0.0768-0.0787)
F	2.00-2.05 (0.0788-0.0807)
F-1	2.05-2.10 (0.0807-0.0827)

**Fig. 109 Select 3-4 Synchronizer Snap-ring**

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**Fig. 110 Check Third Gear Clearance**

(12) Install second gear over bearing and onto output shaft flange.

(13) Install second gear synchronizer ring onto second gear.

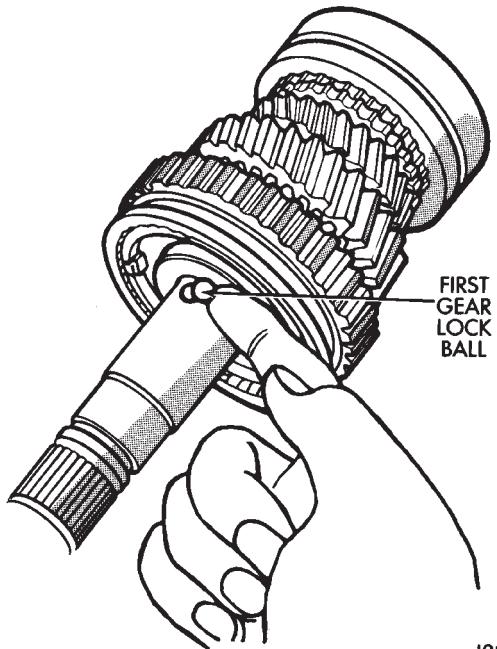
(14) Position 1-2 synchronizer assembly onto splines of output shaft.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(15) Using Driver MD-998805, Adapter 6747-1A, and a shop press, press the 1-2 synchronizer onto the output shaft.

(16) Install first gear synchronizer ring into 1-2 synchronizer.

(17) Install first gear bearing inner race lock ball in output shaft (Fig. 111).



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**Fig. 111 Install First Gear Bearing Inner Race Lock Ball**

(18) Install first gear needle bearing onto output shaft (Fig. 112).

(19) Install first gear onto output shaft and over bearing.

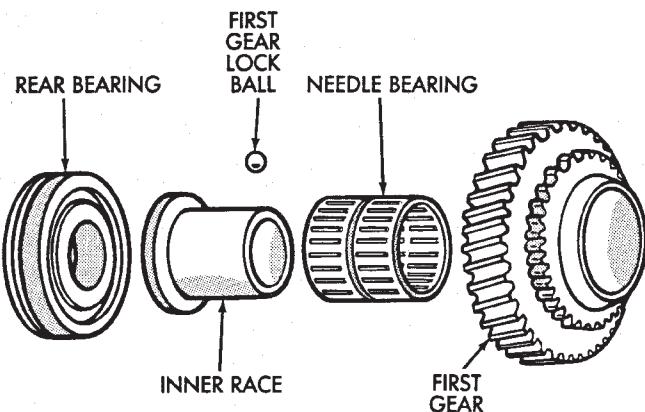
(20) Install first gear bearing inner race onto output shaft and inside first gear bearing. Rotate bearing race until race installs over lock ball.

(21) Position output shaft rear bearing onto output shaft. Ensure that the snap ring groove in bearing outer race is toward rear of output shaft.

(22) Using Driver L-4507 and suitable mallet, drive bearing onto output shaft.

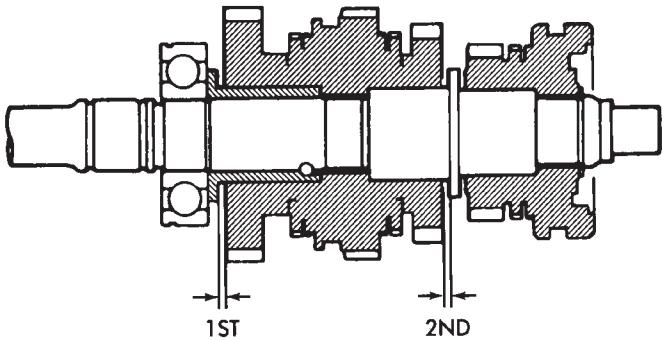
(23) Install snap-ring onto output shaft rear bearing outer race.

(24) Check first-second gear thrust clearance (Fig. 113). Standard clearance is 0.10 – 0.25 mm (0.004 – 0.010 in.). If clearance is out of specification, refer to Cleaning and Inspection section within this group.



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**Fig. 112 First Gear Components**



STANDARD CLEARANCE  
0.004-0.010 INCH  
(0.10-0.25 mm)

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**Fig. 113 Check First-Second Gear Thrust Clearance**

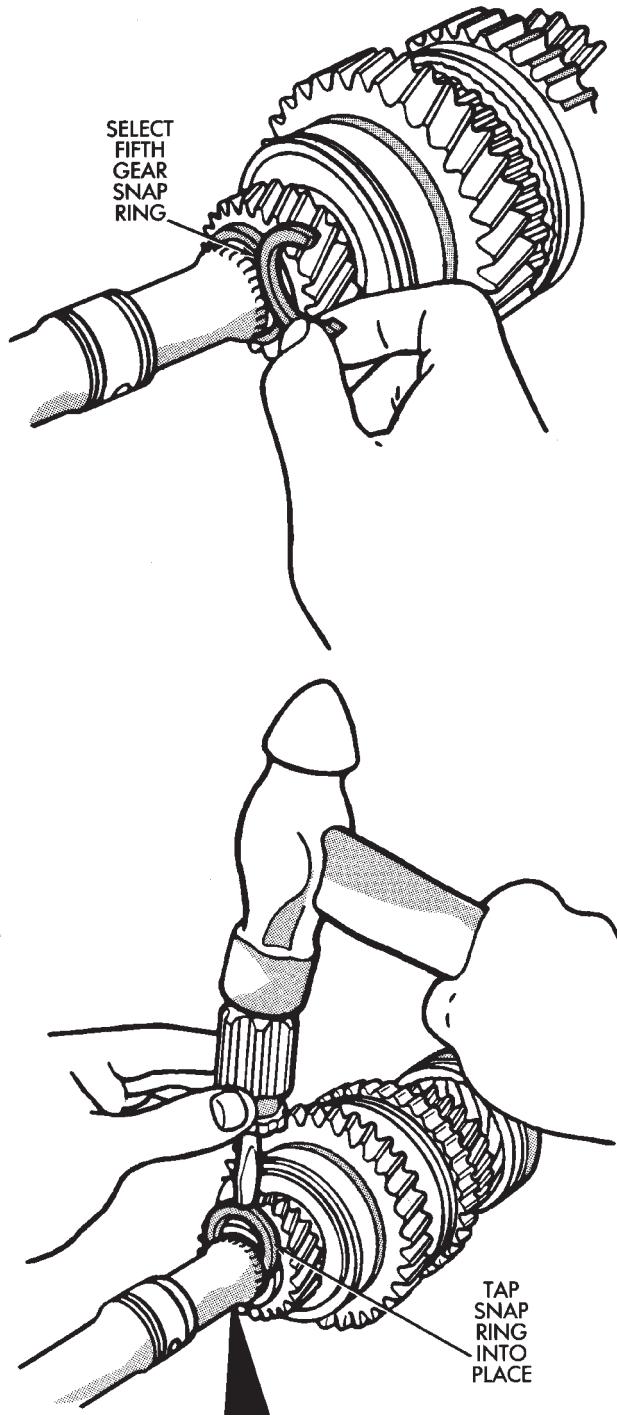
(25) Position fifth gear onto output shaft with the gear's short shoulder toward the rear of shaft. Ensure that the gear and output shaft splines are aligned.

(26) Using Adapter 6747-1A, Driver L-4507, and a shop press, press fifth gear onto output shaft.

(27) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the output shaft (Fig. 114).

(28) Install snap-ring to hold fifth gear onto output shaft.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)



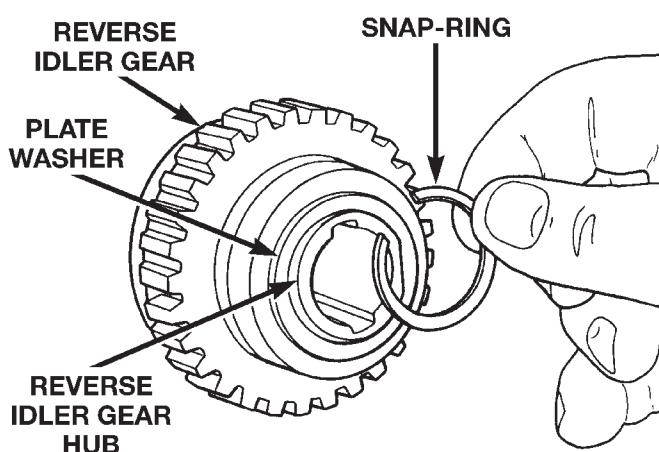
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Fig. 114 Select/Install Fifth Gear Snap Ring

I.D. Mark	Snap Ring Thickness mm (in.)
A	2.67-2.72 (0.1051-0.1071)
B	2.73-2.78 (0.1075-0.1094)
C	2.79-2.84 (0.1098-0.1118)
D	2.85-2.90 (0.1122-0.1142)
E	2.91-2.96 (0.1146-0.1165)
F	2.97-3.02 (0.1169-0.1189)
G	3.03-3.08 (0.1193-0.1213)
H	3.09-3.14 (0.1217-0.1236)
J	3.15-3.20 (0.1240-0.1260)
K	3.21-3.26 (0.1264-0.1283)
L	3.27-3.32 (0.1287-0.1307)

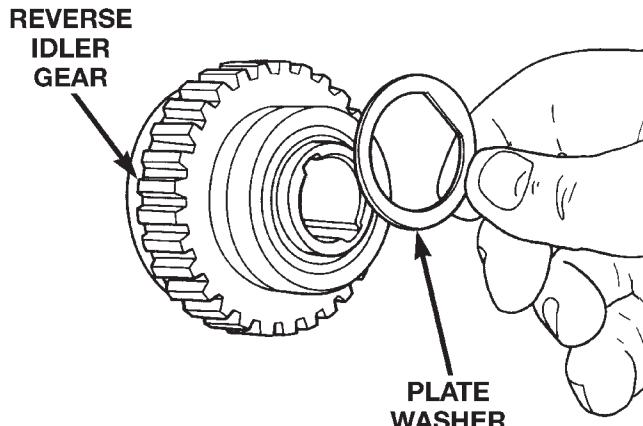
## SEMI-SYNCHRONIZED REVERSE IDLER GEAR DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove snap-ring holding the reverse idler gear onto the reverse idler gear hub/race (Fig. 115).
- (2) Remove the plate washer from the reverse idler gear hub/race (Fig. 116).



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Fig. 115 Remove Reverse Idler Gear Snap-ring



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Fig. 116 Remove Reverse Idler Gear Plate Washer

- (3) Remove the reverse idler gear from the reverse idler gear hub/race (Fig. 117).

- (4) Remove the reverse idler gear synchronizer ring from the reverse idler gear hub/race (Fig. 118).

## ASSEMBLY

- (1) Install the reverse idler gear synchronizer ring onto the reverse idler gear hub/race. Apply a film of 75W-90 GL-3 transmission oil to the contact surface of the synchronizer ring prior to assembly.

- (2) Install the reverse idler gear onto the reverse idler gear hub/race. Apply a film of 75W-90 GL-3 transmission oil to the reverse idler gear bushing prior to assembly. Verify that the teeth on the synchronizer ring are properly engaged into the recesses of the reverse idler gear.

- (3) Install the plate washer over the reverse idler gear hub/race and onto the reverse idler gear.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

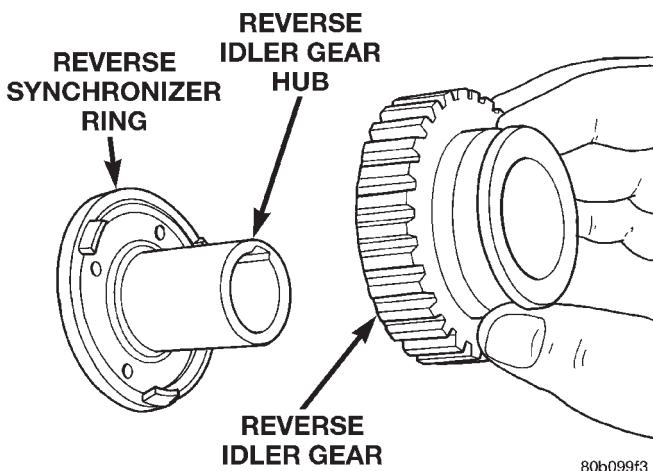


Fig. 117 Remove Reverse Idler Gear

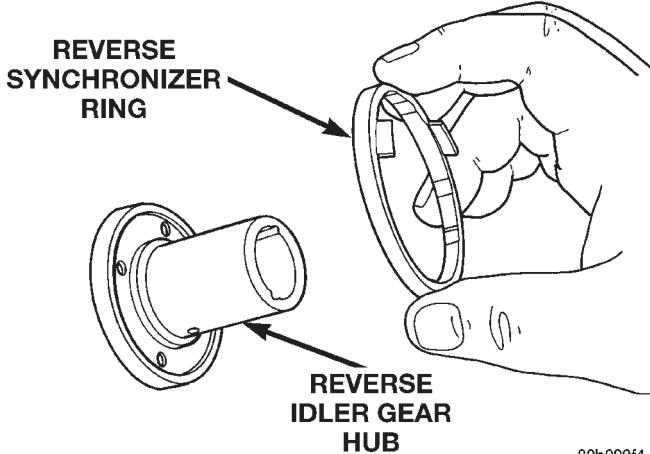


Fig. 118 Remove Reverse Idler Gear Synchronizer Ring

(4) Install the snap-ring to hold the reerse idler gear onto the reverse idler hub/race.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION

## AX5 MANUAL TRANSMISSION COMPONENTS

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Clean the transmission components in solvent. Dry the cases, gears, shift mechanism and shafts with compressed air. Dry the bearings with clean, dry shop towels only. Never use compressed air on the bearings. This could cause severe damage to the bearing roller and race surfaces.

If output shaft or inner race flange thickness is within specification but any gear thrust clearance is out of specification, replace the necessary gear and gear needle bearing as an assembly.

## GEAR CASE, ADAPTER/EXTENSION HOUSING, INTERMEDIATE PLATE

Clean the case, housing, and intermediate plate with solvent and dry with compressed air. Replace the case if cracked, porous, or if any of the bearing and gear bores are damaged.

Inspect the threads in the case, housing, and plate. Minor thread damage can be repaired with steel thread inserts, if necessary. Do not attempt to repair any threads which show evidence of cracks around the threaded hole.

## OUTPUT SHAFT

Check thickness of the output shaft and inner bearing race flanges with a micrometer or vernier calipers (Fig. 119).

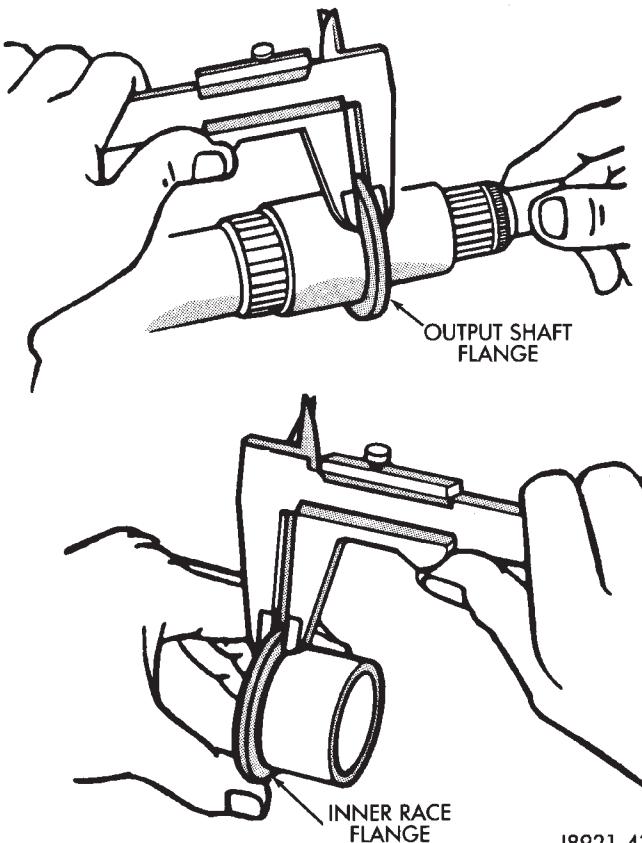


Fig. 119 Check Shaft And Bearing Race Flange Thickness

- Minimum thickness for shaft flange is 4.80 mm (0.189 in.)

- Minimum thickness for first gear bearing inner race flange is 3.99 mm (0.157 in.)

Measure diameter of the output shaft journal surfaces with a micrometer. Replace the shaft if either of these surfaces are worn beyond specified limits.

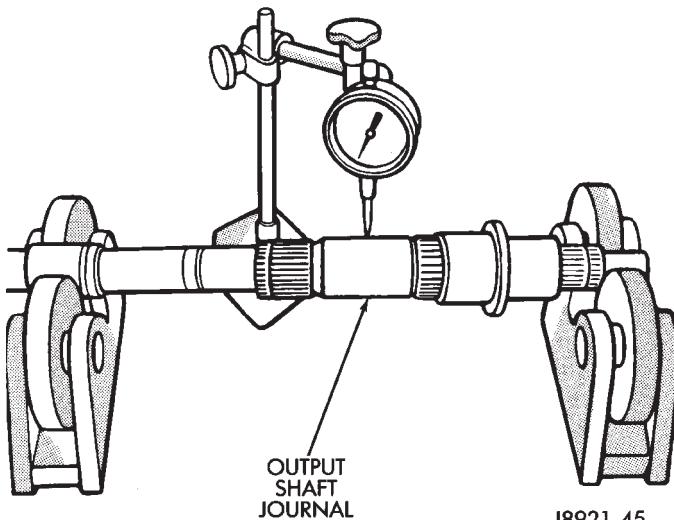
- Second gear surface minimum diameter is 37.964 mm (1.495 in.)

- Third gear surface minimum diameter is 34.984 mm (1.377 in.)

Measure diameter of the first gear bearing inner race. Minimum diameter is 38.985 mm (1.535 in.).

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

Measure output shaft runout with a dial indicator (Fig. 120). Runout should not exceed 0.05 mm (0.002 in.).



**Fig. 120 Check Output Shaft Runout**

Replace output shaft or first gear inner bearing race if measurement of any surface is out of specification. Do not attempt to repair out of specification components.

## COUNTERSHAFT

Inspect the countershaft gear teeth. Replace the countershaft if any teeth are worn or damaged. Inspect the bearing surfaces and replace shaft if any surface shows damage or wear.

Check condition of the countershaft front bearing. Replace the bearing if worn, noisy, or damaged.

## GEAR AND SYNCHRONIZER

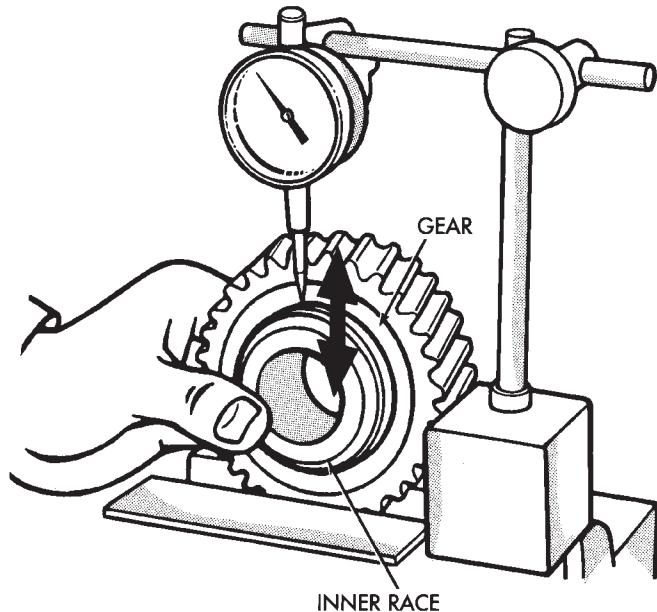
Install the needle bearing and inner race in the first gear. Then check oil clearance between the gear and inner race (Fig. 121). Clearance should be 0.009 – 0.032 mm (0.0004 – 0.0013 in.).

Install the needle bearings and the second, third and counter fifth gears on the output shaft. Then check oil clearance between the gears and shaft with a dial indicator (Fig. 122). Oil clearance for all three gears is 0.009 – 0.0013 mm (0.0004 – 0.0013 in.).

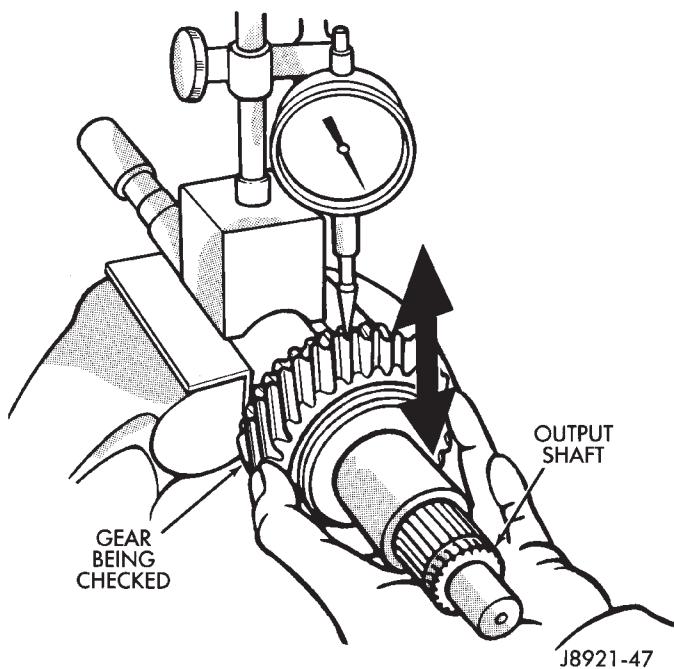
Check synchronizer ring wear (Fig. 123). Insert each ring in matching gear. Measure clearance between each ring and gear with feeler gauge. Replace ring if clearance exceeds 2.0 mm (0.078 in.).

Check shift fork-to-synchronizer hub clearance with a feeler gauge (Fig. 124). Replace the fork if clearance exceeds 1.0 mm (0.039 in.).

(1) Inspect all mainshaft gear teeth. Replace any gear which shows any worn or damaged teeth.

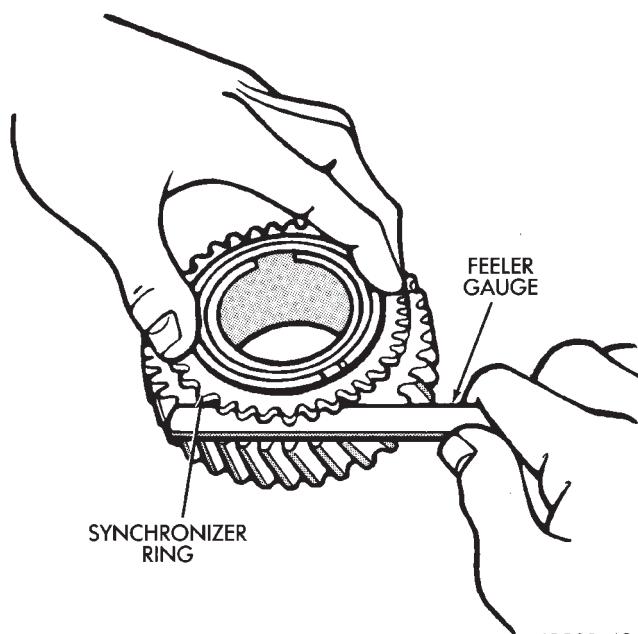
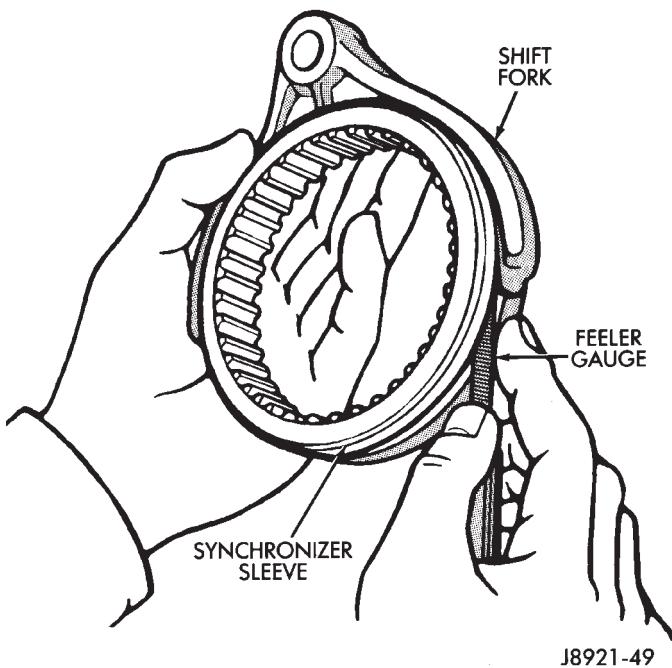


**Fig. 121 Check Gear-To-Race Clearance**



**Fig. 122 Check Gear-To-Shaft Oil Clearance**

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

**Fig. 123 Check Synchronizer Ring Wear****Fig. 124 Check Fork-To-Hub Clearance**

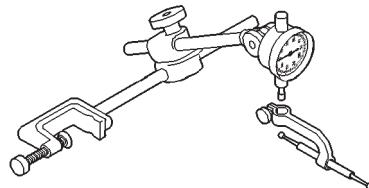
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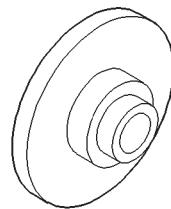
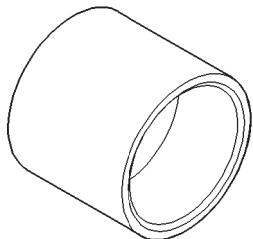
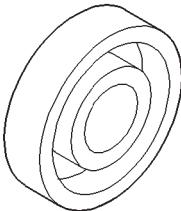
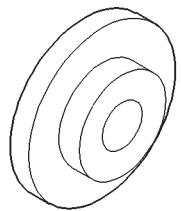
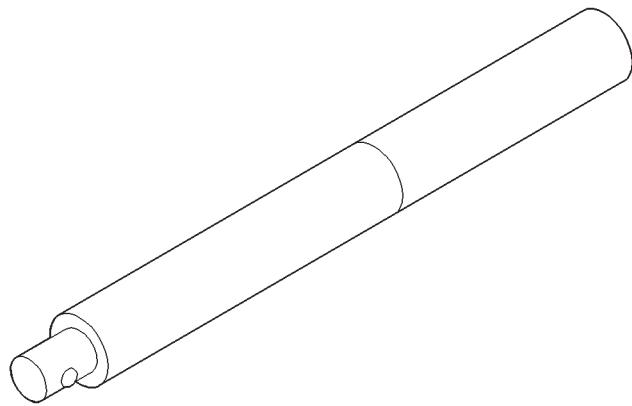
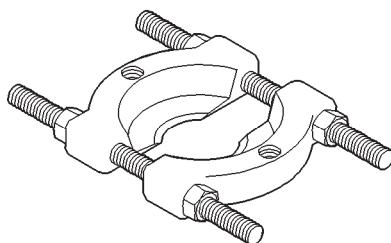
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Bolts, Adapter Housing . . . . .	34 N·m (25 ft.lbs.)
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Plugs, Drain and Fill . . . . .	44 N·m (32.5 ft.lbs.)
Bolts, Front Bearing Retainer . . . . .	17 N·m (12 ft.lbs.)
Plugs, Interlock and Detent . . . . .	19 N·m (14 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Propeller Shaft Clamp . . . . .	16-23 N·m (140-200 in.lbs.)
Bolts, Rear Mount to Transmission . . . . .	33-60 N·m (24-44 ft.lbs.)
Nut, Rear Mount Clevis . . . . .	54-75 N·m (40-55 ft.lbs.)
Nuts, Rear Mount to Crossmember . . . . .	33-49 N·m (24-36 ft.lbs.)
Pins, Restrictor . . . . .	27.4 N·m (20 ft.lbs.)
Bolts, Reverse Shift Arm Bracket . . . . .	18 N·m (13 ft.lbs.)
Screw, Shift Arm Set . . . . .	38 N·m (28 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Shift Fork Set . . . . .	20 N·m (15 ft.lbs.)
Nut, Shift Knob . . . . .	20-34 N·m (15-25 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Shifter Floor Cover . . . . .	2-3 N·m (17-30 in.lbs.)
Bolts, Shift Tower . . . . .	18 N·m (13 ft.lbs.)
Nuts, Transfer Case Mounting . . . . .	30-41 N·m (22-30 ft.lbs.)

## SPECIAL TOOLS

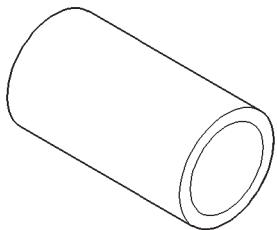
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**C-3339 Dial Indicator Set****8211 Installer, Seal****C-3995-A Installer, Extension Housing Seal****8212 Installer, Seal****8208 Installer, Seal****C-4171 Handle, Universal Tool****P-334 Splitter, Bearing**

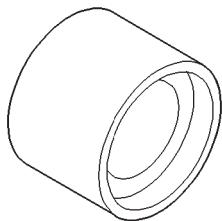
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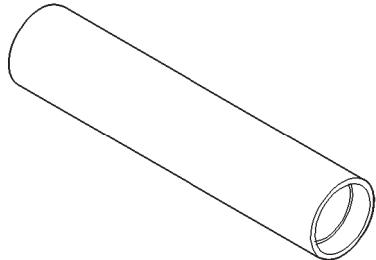
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**L-4507 Tube, Driver**



**6747-1A Adapter, Fixture**



**MD-998805 Installer, Seal**

## AX15 MANUAL TRANSMISSION

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### AX15 MANUAL TRANSMISSION

The AX15 is a 5-speed, synchromesh, manual transmission. Fifth gear is an overdrive range with a ratio of 0.79:1. An adapter housing is used to attach the transmission to the transfer case on 4-wheel drive models. A standard extension housing is used on 2-wheel drive models. The shift mechanism is integral and mounted in the shift tower portion of the adapter housing (Fig. 1).

#### TRANSMISSION IDENTIFICATION

The AX15 identification code numbers are on the bottom surface of the intermediate plate (Fig. 2).

The first number is year of manufacture. The second and third numbers indicate month of manufacture. The next series of numbers is the transmission serial number.

#### TRANSMISSION GEAR RATIOS

Gear ratios for the AX15 manual transmission are as follows:

- First gear: 3.83:1
- Second gear: 2.33:1
- Third gear: 1.44:1
- Fourth gear: 1.00:1
- Fifth gear: 0.79:1
- Reverse: 4.22:1

#### RECOMMENDED LUBRICANT

Recommended lubricant for AX15 transmissions is Mopar® 75W-90, API Grade GL-3 gear lubricant, or equivalent.

Correct lubricant level is from the bottom edge, to no more than 6 mm (1/4 in.) below the bottom edge of the fill plug hole.

The fill plug is located on the driver's side of the transmission case (Fig. 3). The drain plug is located on the passenger side of the transmission case near the bottom (Fig. 4).

Approximate dry fill lubricant capacity is:

- 3.10 liters (3.27 qts.) for 4-wheel drive applications.
- 3.15 liters (3.32 qts.) for 2-wheel drive applications.

#### TRANSMISSION ASSEMBLY INFORMATION

Lubricate the transmission components with Mopar® 75W-90, GL 3 gear lubricant during assembly. Use petroleum jelly to lubricate seal lips and/or hold parts in place during installation.

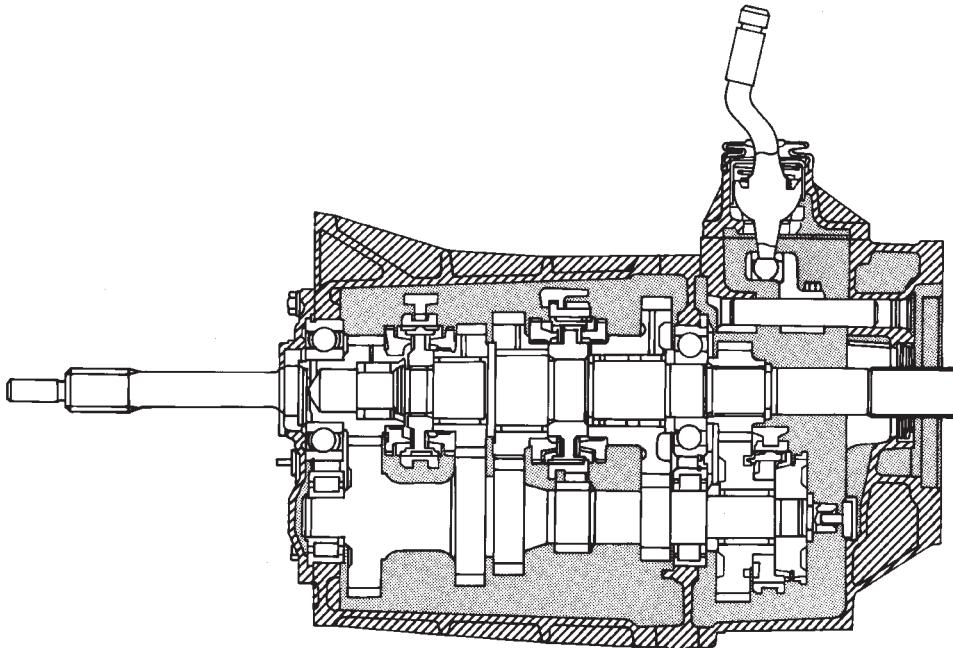
Refer to (Fig. 5) during assembly for AX15 gear assembly identification.

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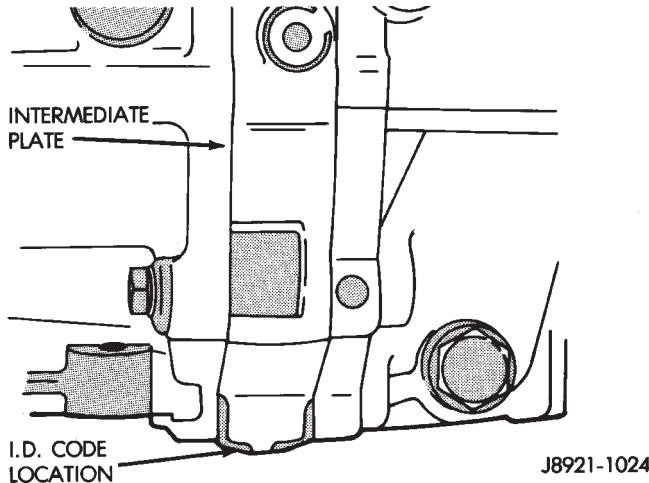
##### LOW LUBRICANT LEVEL

A low transmission lubricant level is generally the result of a leak, inadequate lubricant fill, or an incorrect lubricant level check.

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*Fig. 1 AX15 Manual Transmission*

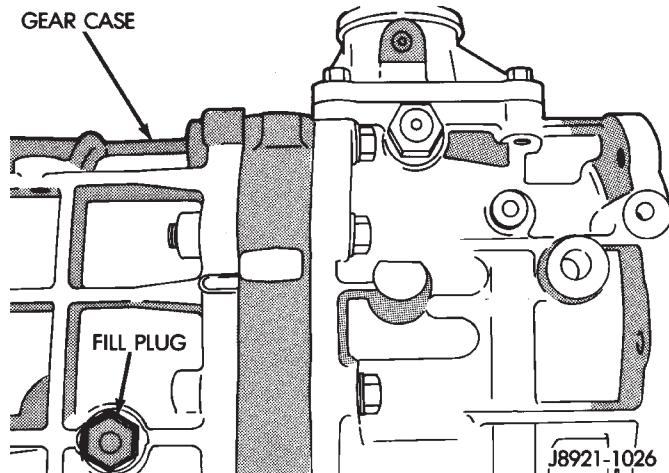
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*Fig. 2 Identification Code Number Location*

Leaks can occur at the mating surfaces of the gear case, intermediate plate and adaptor or extension housing, or from the front/rear seals. A suspected leak could also be the result of an overfill condition.

Leaks at the rear of the extension or adapter housing will be from the housing oil seals. Leaks at component mating surfaces will probably be the result of inadequate sealer, gaps in the sealer, incorrect bolt tightening, or use of a non-recommended sealer.

A leak at the front of the transmission will be from either the front bearing retainer or retainer seal. Lubricant may be seen dripping from the clutch housing after extended operation. If the leak is severe, it may also contaminate the clutch disc causing the disc to slip, grab, and/or chatter.



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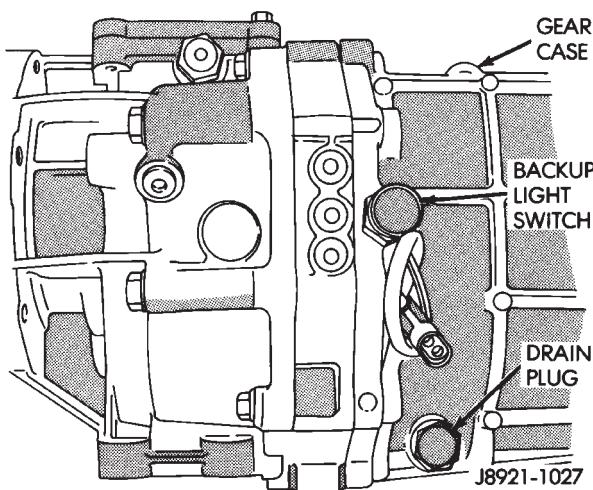
*Fig. 3 Fill Plug Location*

A correct lubricant level check can only be made when the vehicle is level. Also allow the lubricant to settle for a minute or so before checking. These recommendations will ensure an accurate check and avoid an underfill or overfill condition. Always check the lubricant level after any addition of fluid to avoid an incorrect lubricant level condition.

**HARD SHIFTING**

Hard shifting is usually caused by a low lubricant level, improper, or contaminated lubricants. The consequence of using non-recommended lubricants is noise, excessive wear, internal bind, and hard shifting. Substantial lubricant leaks can result in gear, shift rail, synchro, and bearing damage. If a leak goes undetected for an extended period, the first indi-

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

**Fig. 4 Drain Plug Location**

cations of component damage are usually hard shifting and noise.

Component damage, incorrect clutch adjustment, or a damaged clutch pressure plate or disc are additional probable causes of increased shift effort. Incorrect adjustment or a worn/damaged pressure plate or disc can cause incorrect release. If the clutch problem is advanced, gear clash during shifts can result. Worn or damaged synchro rings can cause gear clash when shifting into any forward gear. In some new or

rebuilt transmissions, new synchro rings may tend to stick slightly causing hard or noisy shifts. In most cases, this condition will decline as the rings wear-in.

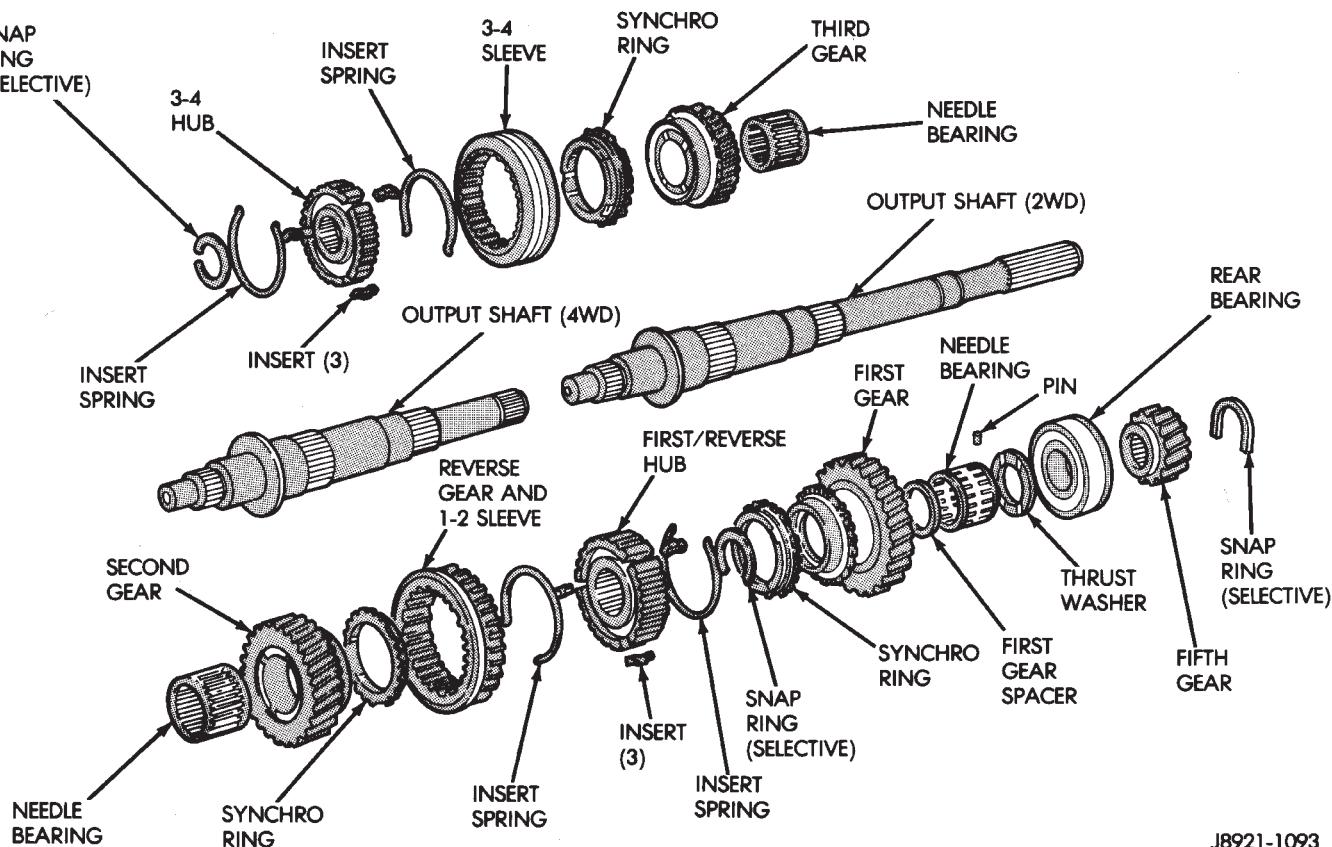
**TRANSMISSION NOISE**

Most manual transmissions make some noise during normal operation. Rotating gears generate a mild whine that is audible, but generally only at extreme speeds.

Severe, highly audible transmission noise is generally the initial indicator of a lubricant problem. Insufficient, improper, or contaminated lubricant will promote rapid wear of gears, synchros, shift rails, forks and bearings. The overheating caused by a lubricant problem, can also lead to gear breakage.

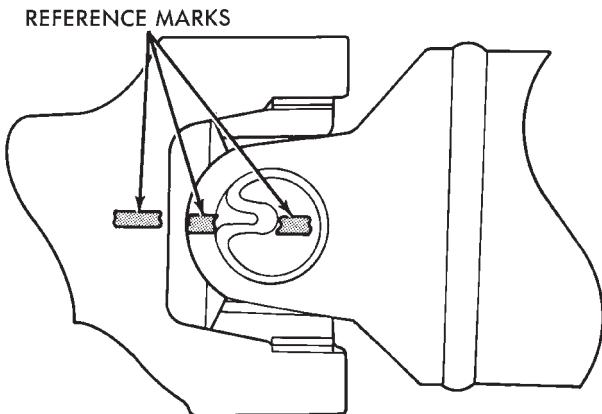
**REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION****TRANSMISSION****REMOVAL**

- (1) Shift transmission into first or third gear.
- (2) Raise and support vehicle on suitable safety stands.
- (3) Disconnect necessary exhaust system components.

**Fig. 5 Output Shaft and Gears**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

- (4) Remove skid plate, if equipped.
- (5) Remove slave cylinder from clutch housing.
- (6) Mark rear propeller shaft and rear axle yokes for installation alignment (Fig. 6).



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**Fig. 6 Marking Propeller Shaft And Axle Yokes**

- (7) Mark front propeller shaft, axle, and transfer case yokes for installation alignment, if equipped.

(8) Remove propeller shaft(s).

(9) Unclip wire harnesses from transmission and transfer case, if equipped.

(10) Disconnect transfer case vent hose, if equipped.

(11) Disengage any wire connectors attached to transmission or transfer case, if equipped, components.

(12) Support transfer case, if equipped, with transmission jack.

(13) Secure transfer case, if equipped, to jack with safety chains.

(14) Disconnect transfer case shift linkage at transfer case, if equipped.

(15) Remove nuts attaching transfer case to transmission, if equipped.

(16) Remove transfer case, if equipped.

(17) Remove crankshaft position sensor (Fig. 7), (Fig. 8).

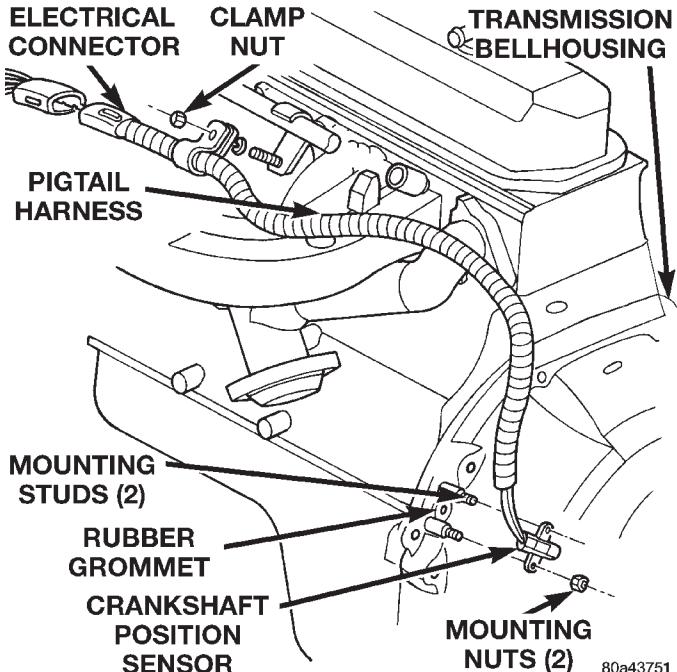
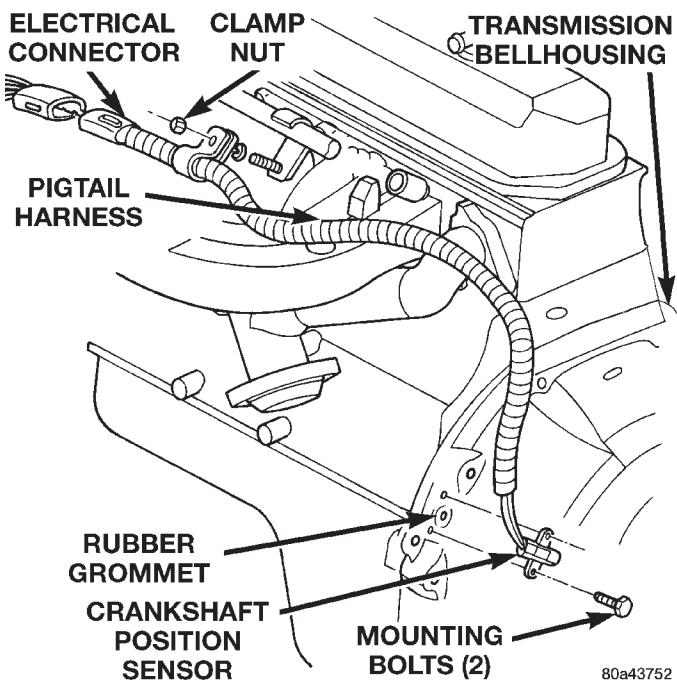
**CAUTION:** It is important that the crankshaft position sensor be removed prior to transmission removal. The sensor can easily be damaged if left in place during removal operations.

(18) Support engine with adjustable jack stand. Position wood block between jack and oil pan to avoid damaging pan.

(19) Support transmission with transmission jack.

(20) Secure transmission to jack with safety chains.

(21) Disconnect rear cushion and bracket from transmission.

**Fig. 7 Crankshaft Position Sensor—2.5L Engine****Fig. 8 Crankshaft Position Sensor —4.0L Engine**

(22) Remove rear crossmember.

(23) Disconnect transmission shift lever as follows:

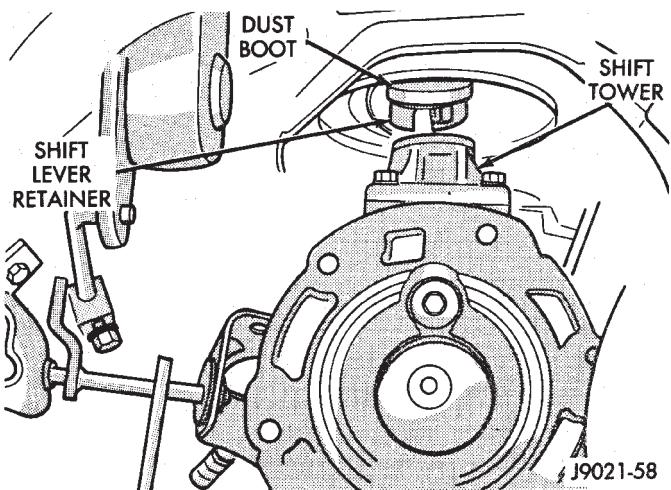
(a) Lower transmission-transfer case assembly approximately 7–8 cm (3 in.) for access to shift lever.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

(b) Reach up and around transmission case and unseat shift lever dust boot from transmission shift tower (Fig. 9). Move boot upward on shift lever for access to retainer that secures lever in shift tower.

(c) Reach up and around transmission case and press shift lever retainer downward with finger pressure. Turn retainer counterclockwise to release it.

(d) Lift lever and retainer out of shift tower (Fig. 9). Do not remove the shift lever from the floor console shifter boots. Leave the lever in place for transmission installation.



*Fig. 9 Removing/Installing Shift Lever*

- (24) Remove clutch housing brace rod.
- (25) Remove clutch housing-to-engine bolts.
- (26) Pull transmission jack rearward until input shaft clears clutch. Then slide transmission out from under vehicle.
- (27) Remove clutch release bearing, release fork, and retainer clip.
- (28) Remove clutch housing from transmission (Fig. 10).

## INSTALLATION

(1) Install clutch housing on transmission. Tighten housing bolts to 37 N·m (27 ft. lbs.) torque.

(2) Lubricate contact surfaces of release fork pivot ball stud and release fork with high temp grease.

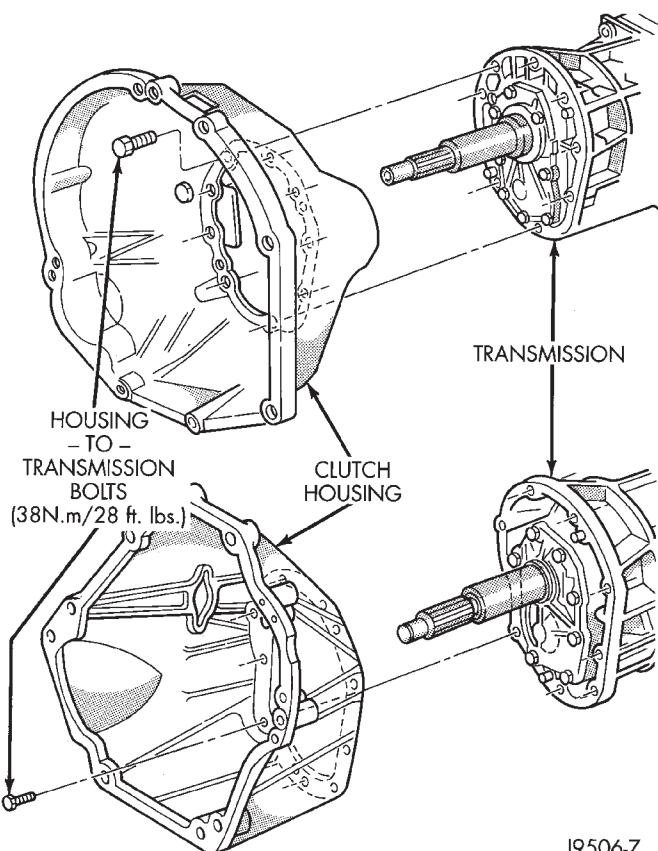
(3) Install release bearing, fork, and retainer clip.

(4) Position and secure transmission on transmission jack.

(5) Lightly lubricate pilot bearing and transmission input shaft splines with Mopar® high temp grease.

(6) Raise transmission and align transmission input shaft and clutch disc splines. Then slide transmission into place.

(7) Install and tighten clutch housing-to-engine bolts to 38 N·m (28 ft. lbs.) torque (Fig. 10). **Be sure**



*Fig. 10 Clutch Housing*

**the housing is properly seated on engine block before tightening bolts.**

- (8) Install clutch housing brace rod.
- (9) Lower transmission approximately 7–8 cm (3 in.) for access to shift tower. Be sure transmission is in first or third gear.
- (10) Reach up and around transmission and insert shift lever in shift tower. Press lever retainer downward and turn it clockwise to lock it in place. Then install lever dust boot on shift tower.
- (11) Install rear crossmember. Tighten crossmember-to-frame bolts to 41 N·m (31 ft. lbs.) torque.
- (12) Install fasteners to hold rear cushion and bracket to transmission. Then tighten transmission-to-rear support bolts/nuts to 45 N·m (33 ft. lbs.) torque.
- (13) Remove support stands from engine and transmission.
- (14) Install and connect crankshaft position sensor.
- (15) Position transfer case on transmission jack, if equipped.
- (16) Secure transfer case to jack with safety chains, if equipped.
- (17) Raise transfer case, if equipped, and align transfer case input shaft to the transmission output shaft.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

(18) Slide transfer case forward until case is seated on transmission, if necessary.

(19) Install nuts to attach transfer case to transmission, if equipped. Tighten transfer case-to-transmission nuts to 35 N·m (26 ft. lbs.) torque.

(20) Connect transfer case shift linkage at transfer case, if equipped.

(21) Connect transfer case vent hose, if equipped.

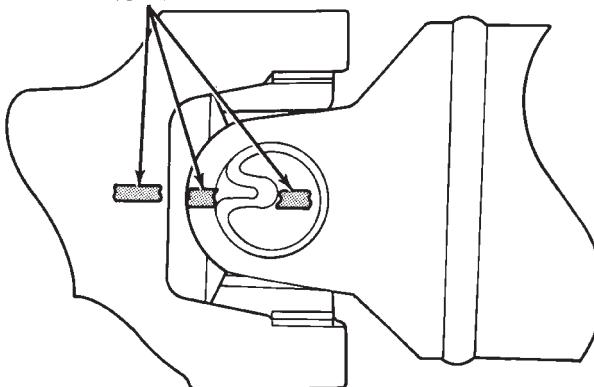
(22) Secure wire harnesses in clips/tie straps on transmission and transfer case, if equipped.

(23) Engage wire connectors attached to all necessary transmission or transfer case, if equipped, components.

(24) Install rear propeller shaft slip yoke to transmission or transfer case, if equipped, output shaft.

(25) Align marks on rear propeller shaft and rear axle yokes (Fig. 11).

REFERENCE MARKS



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**Fig. 11 Align Propeller Shaft And Rear Axle Yokes Alignment Marks**

(26) Install and tighten propeller shaft U-joint clamp bolts to 19 N·m (170 in. lbs.) torque.

(27) Align marks on front propeller shaft, axle, and transfer case yokes, if equipped.

(28) Install and tighten propeller shaft U-joint clamp bolts to 19 N·m (170 in. lbs.) torque.

(29) Install slave cylinder in clutch housing.

(30) Install skid plate, if equipped. Tighten bolts to 42 N·m (31 ft. lbs.) torque. Tighten stud nuts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque.

(31) Fill transmission and transfer case, if equipped, with recommended lubricants. Refer to the Lubricant Recommendation sections of the appropriate component for correct fluid.

(32) Lower vehicle.

## FRONT BEARING RETAINER SEAL

## REMOVAL

(1) Remove release bearing and lever from the transmission.

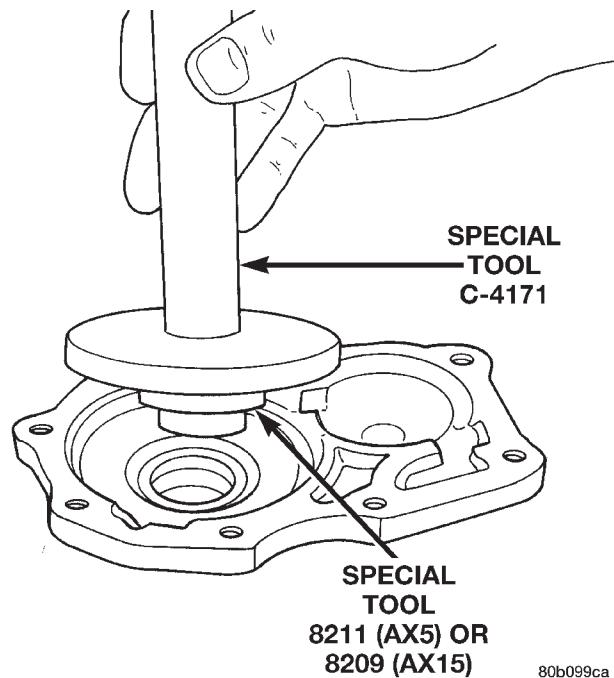
(2) Remove the bolts holding the front bearing retainer to the transmission case.

(3) Remove the front bearing retainer from the transmission case.

(4) Using a suitable pry tool, remove the front bearing retainer seal.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8209, install new seal in to the front bearing retainer (Fig. 12).



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**Fig. 12 Install Front Bearing Retainer Seal**

(2) Remove any residual gasket material from the sealing surfaces of the bearing retainer and the transmission case.

(3) Install new front bearing retainer gasket to the front bearing retainer.

(4) Install the front bearing retainer onto the transmission case.

(5) Install the bolts to hold the bearing retainer onto the transmission case.

(6) Tighten the bolts to 17 N·m (12 ft. lbs.).

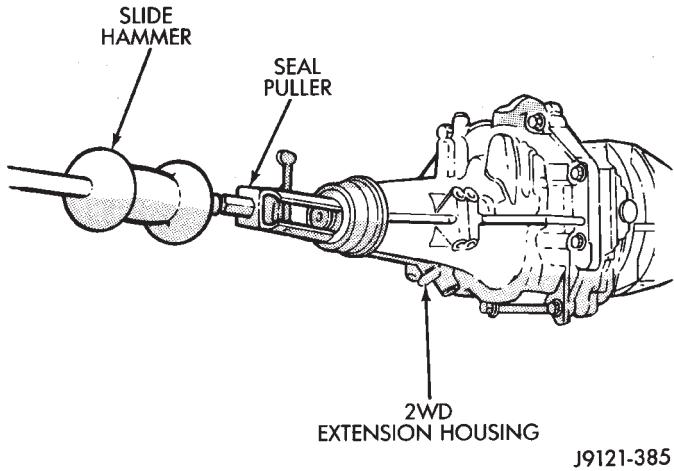
(7) Install release bearing and lever onto the transmission.

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## EXTENSION HOUSING SEAL

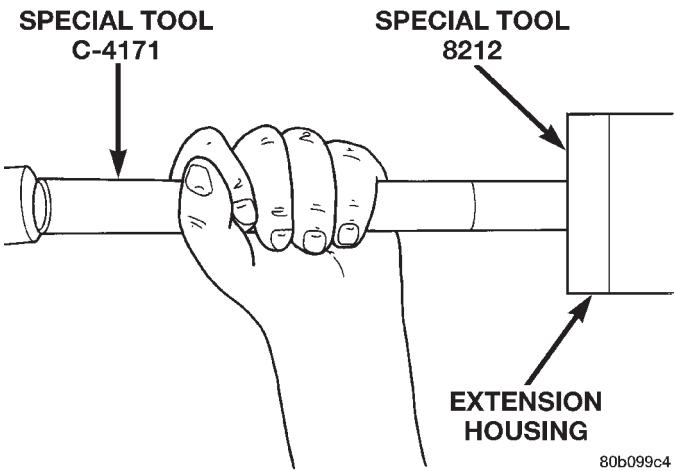
## REMOVAL

- (1) Raise and support vehicle.
- (2) Remove propeller shaft. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedures.
- (3) Using a suitable seal puller or screw with a slide hammer, remove the extension housing seal (Fig. 13).

**Fig. 13 Remove Extension Housing Seal**

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Clean seal bore of extension housing of any residual sealer material from original seal.
- (2) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8212, install new extension housing seal so that the seal is located  $0 \pm 0.5$  mm ( $0 \pm 0.02$  in.) to the face of the extension housing (Fig. 14).

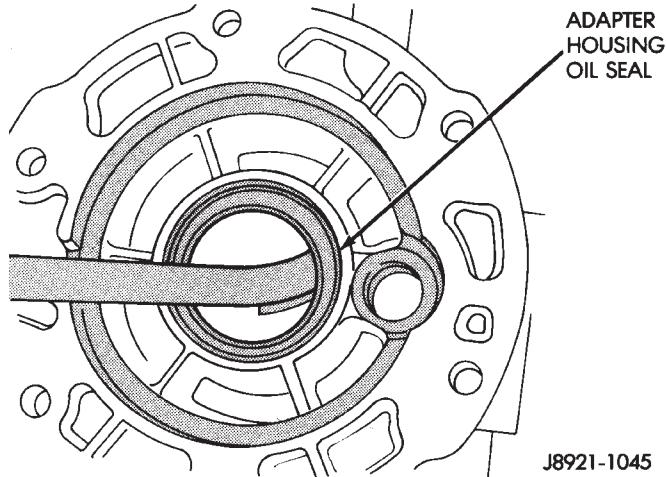
**Fig. 14 Install Extension Housing Seal**

- (3) Install propeller shaft. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedures.
- (4) Check and add fluid to transmission as necessary. Refer to the Recommended Lubricant section for proper fluid requirements.
- (5) Lower vehicle.

## ADAPTER HOUSING SEAL

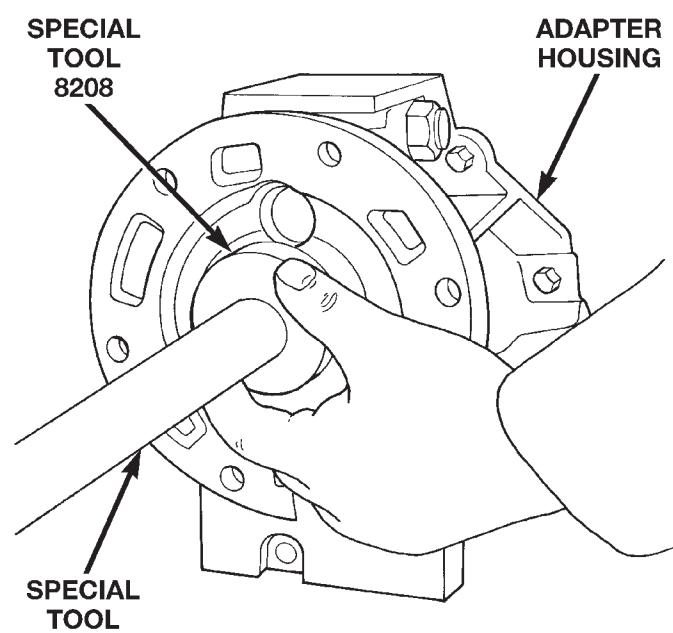
## REMOVAL

- (1) Hoist and support vehicle.
- (2) Remove transfer case.
- (3) Using a suitable pry tool, or a slide hammer mounted screw, remove the adapter housing seal (Fig. 15).

**Fig. 15 Remove Adapter Housing Seal**

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Clean seal bore of adapter housing of any residual sealer material from original seal.
- (2) Using Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer 8208, install new seal so that the seal is located  $0 \pm 0.2$  mm ( $0 \pm 0.008$  in.) to the seal bore face of adapter housing (Fig. 16).

**Fig. 16 Install Adapter Housing Seal**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

- (3) Install transfer case.
- (4) Check and add fluid to transmission as necessary. Refer to the Recommended Lubricant section for proper fluid requirements.
- (5) Lower vehicle.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

## ADAPTER/EXTENSION HOUSING AND FRONT BEARING RETAINER

## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Drain transmission lubricant, if necessary.
- (2) Remove release bearing and lever.
- (3) Remove clutch housing bolts and remove housing (Fig. 19).
- (4) Remove vehicle speed sensor and speedometer adapter, if necessary.
- (5) Remove bolts holding shift tower to transmission case.
- (6) Remove shift tower from transmission case (Fig. 17).
- (7) Remove shift tower gasket from shift tower or transmission case (Fig. 18).

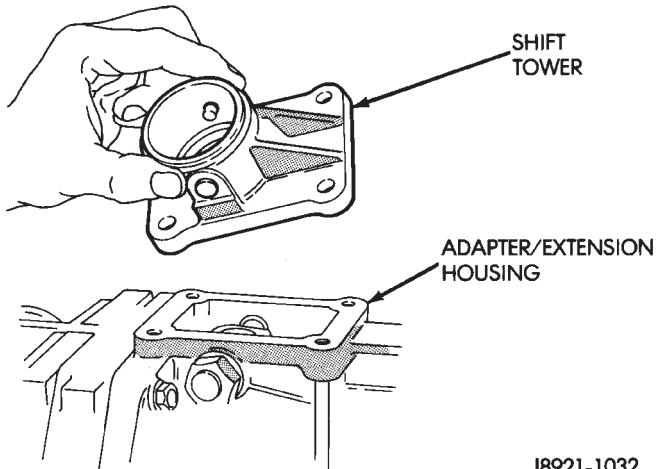


Fig. 17 Remove Shift Tower

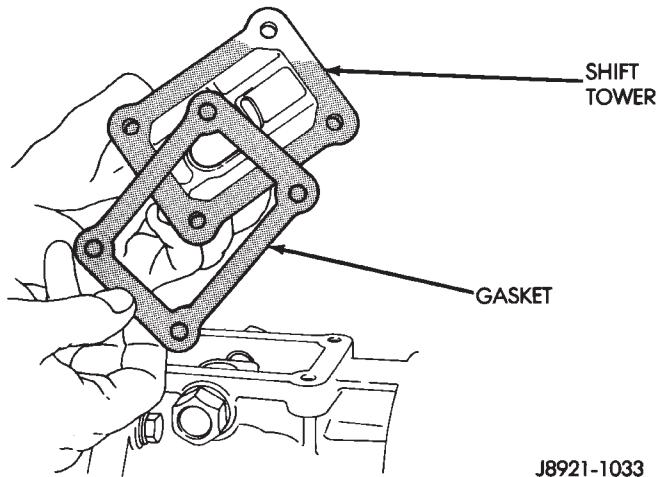


Fig. 18 Remove Shift Tower Gasket

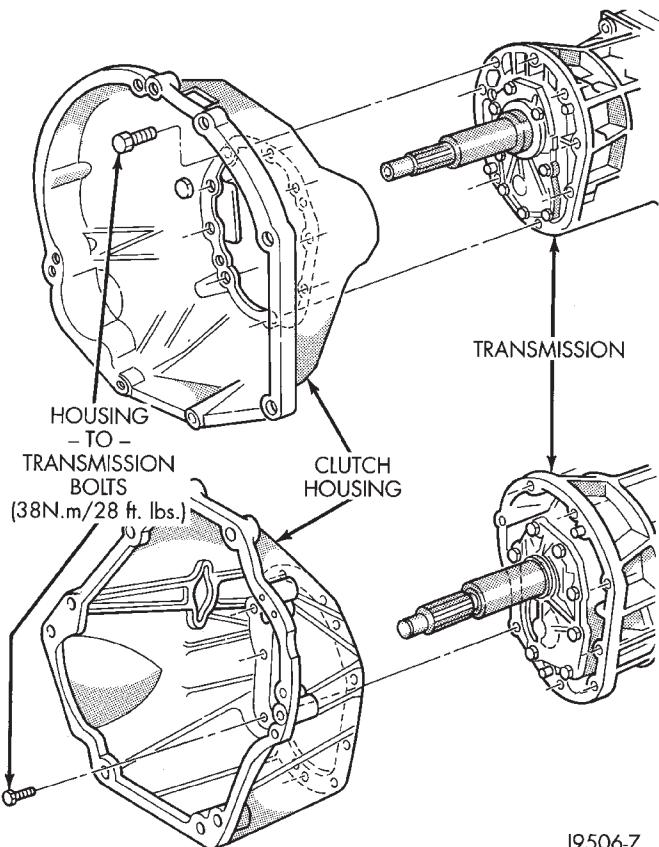
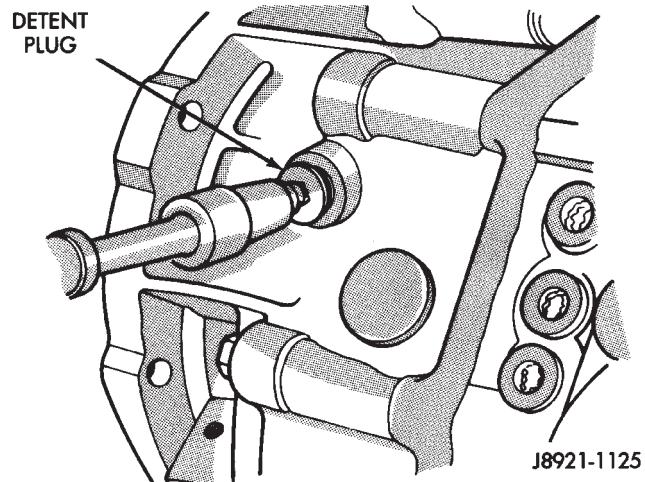


Fig. 19 Clutch Housing

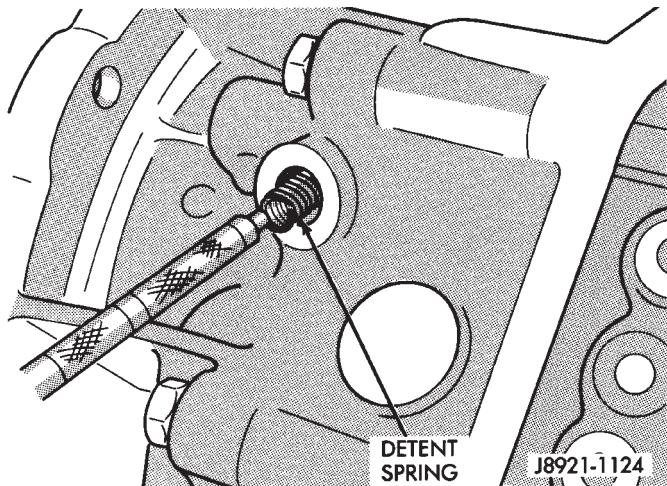
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(8) Remove reverse shift head detent ball plug (Fig. 20).

(9) Remove detent ball spring and ball with pencil magnet (Fig. 21), (Fig. 22).



*Fig. 20 Remove Detent Ball Plug*



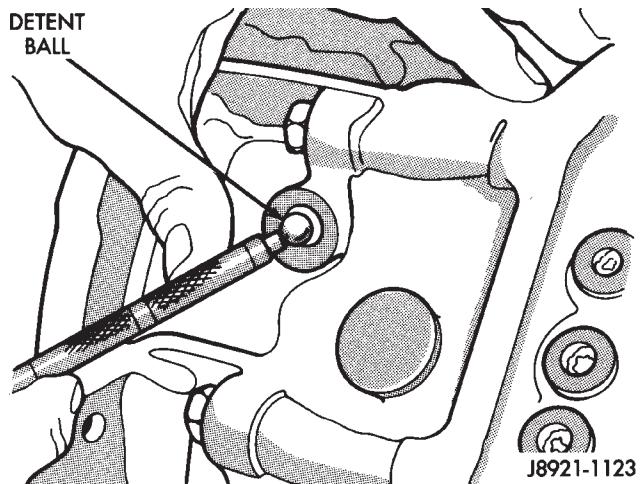
*Fig. 21 Remove Detent Spring*

(10) Remove shift arm retainer bolt (Fig. 23).

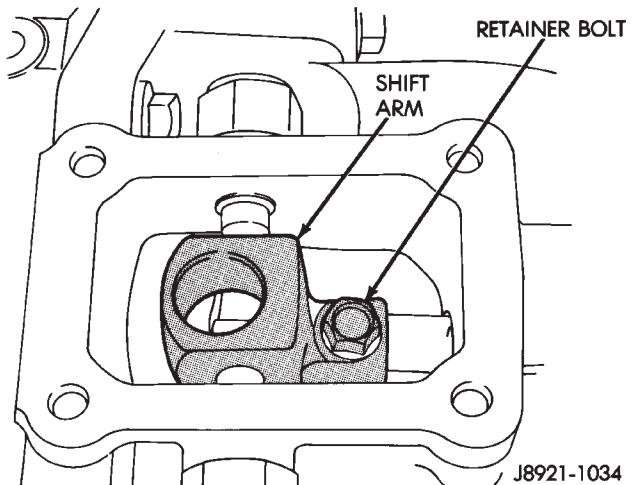
(11) Remove shift arm restrictor pins (Fig. 24).

(12) Remove shift lever shaft plug (Fig. 25).

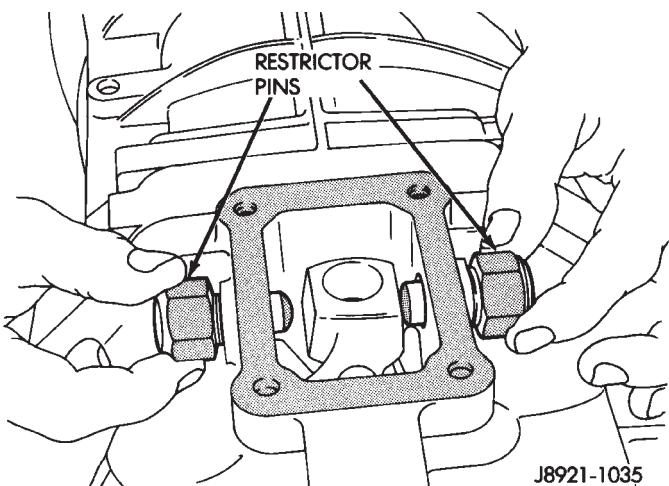
(13) Remove shifter shaft with large magnet (Fig. 26).



*Fig. 22 Remove Detent Ball*

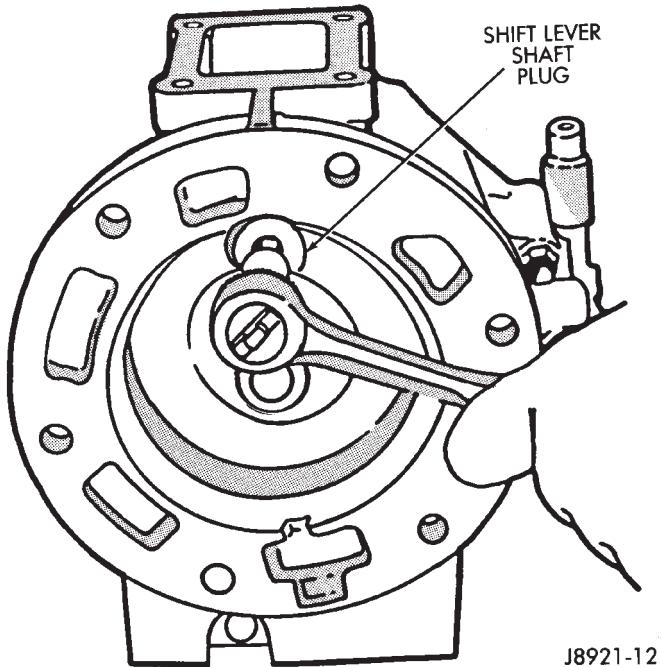


*Fig. 23 Shift Arm Retainer Bolt Removal*

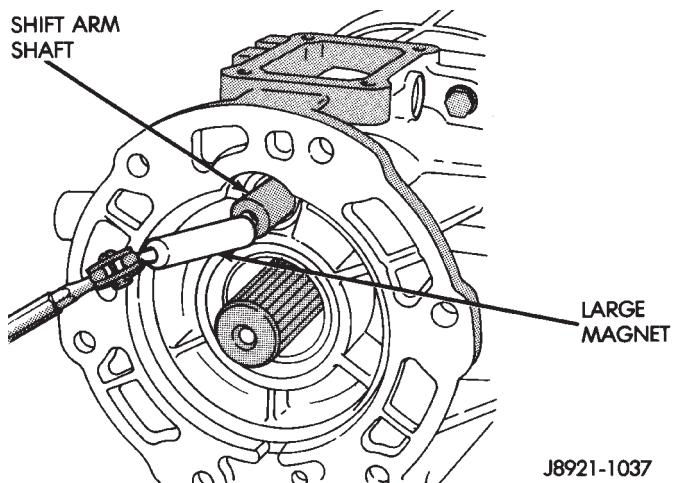
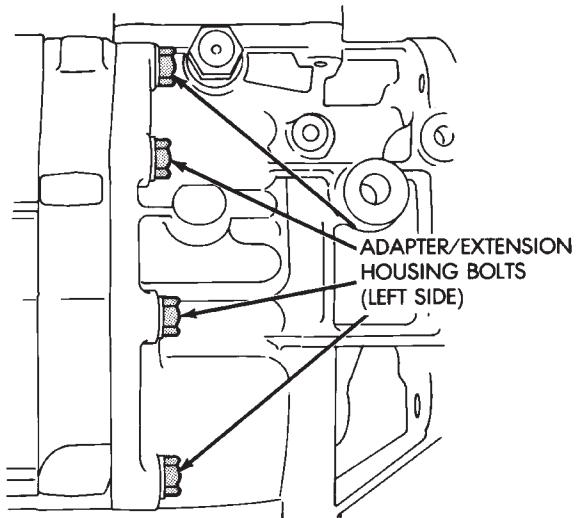


*Fig. 24 Shift Arm Restrictor Pins*

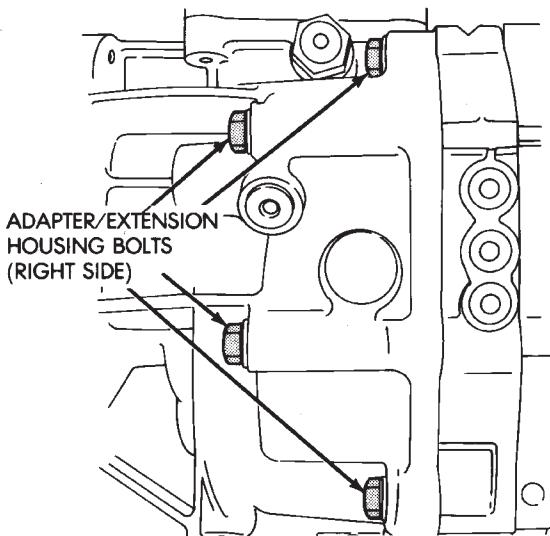
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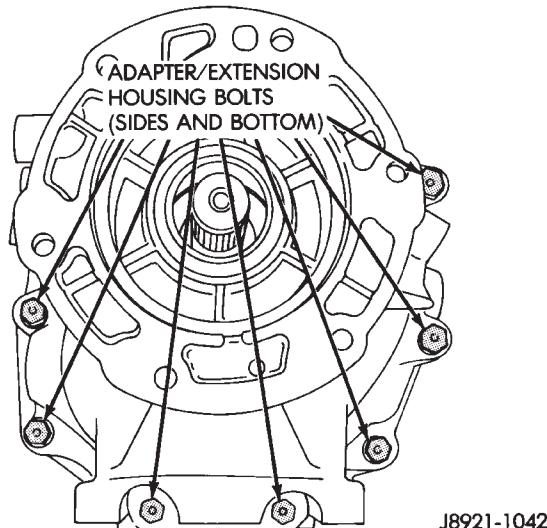
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*Fig. 25 Removing Shift Lever Shaft Plug*

*Fig. 26 Remove Shifter Shaft*

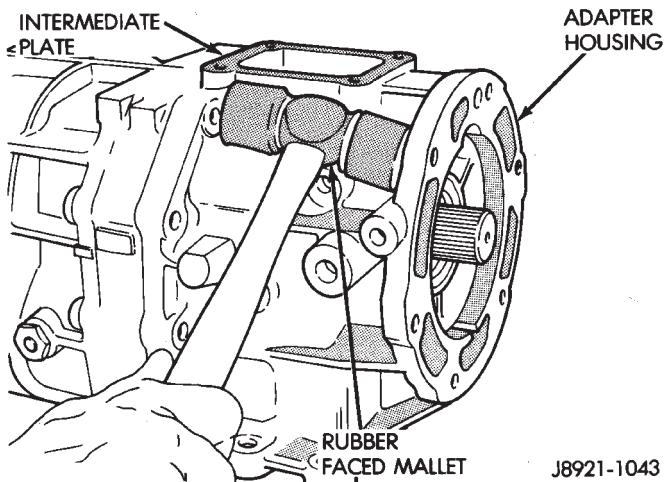
- (14) Remove the shift arm from the adapter housing.
- (15) Remove adapter/extension housing bolts (Fig. 27).



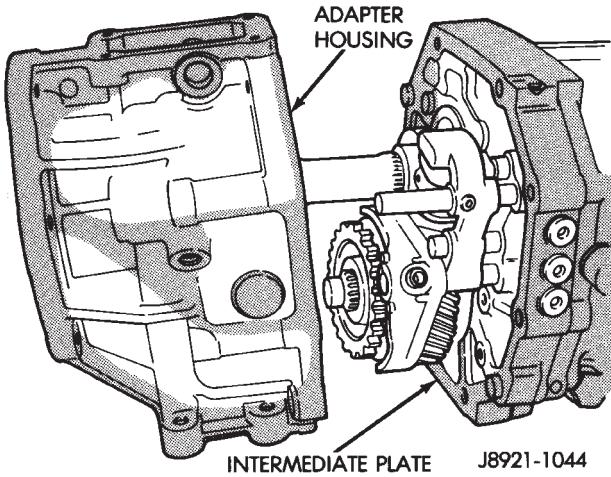
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*Fig. 27 Adapter/Extension Housing Bolts*

- (16) Loosen adapter/extension housing by tapping it loose with plastic mallet (Fig. 28).
- (17) Remove adapter/extension housing (Fig. 29).

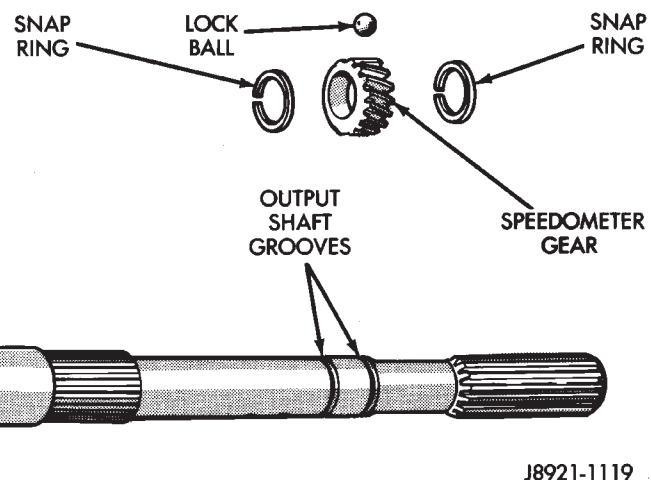


*Fig. 28 Loosen Adapter/Extension Housing*

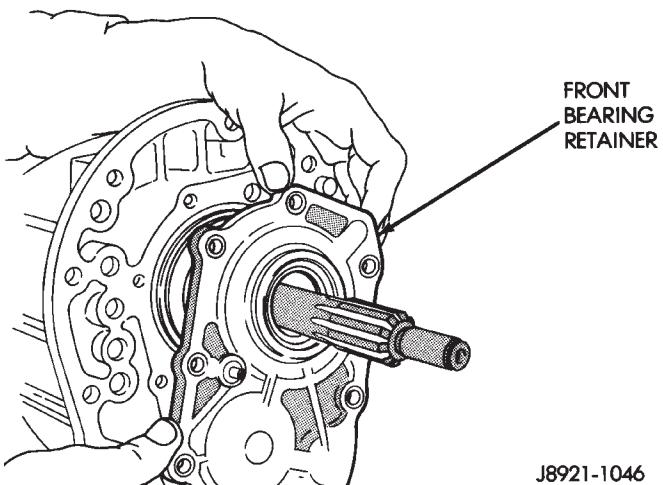


*Fig. 29 Remove Adapter/Extension Housing*

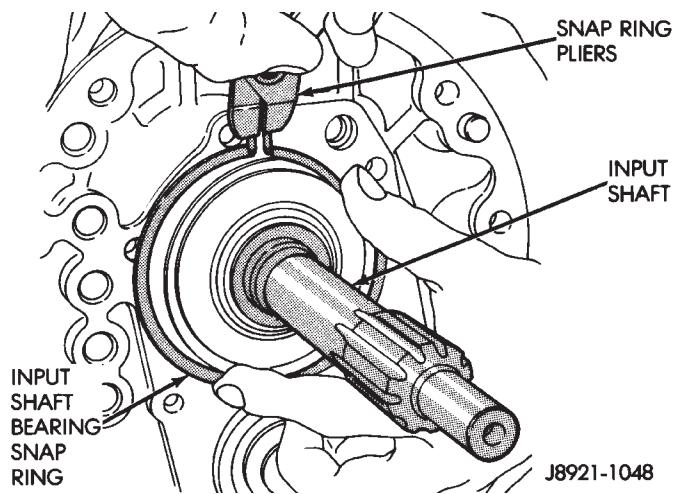
- (18) On 4x2 transmissions;
  - (a) Remove speedometer gear retaining snap-ring from output shaft.
  - (b) Remove speedometer gear from output shaft and remove speedometer gear lock ball from output shaft.
  - (c) Remove speedometer drive gear locating snap-ring (Fig. 30).
- (19) Remove the bolts holding the front bearing retainer to the transmission case.
- (20) Remove the bearing retainer from transmission case (Fig. 31).
- (21) Remove input shaft bearing snap-ring (Fig. 32).



*Fig. 30 Speedometer Drive Gear Assembly*



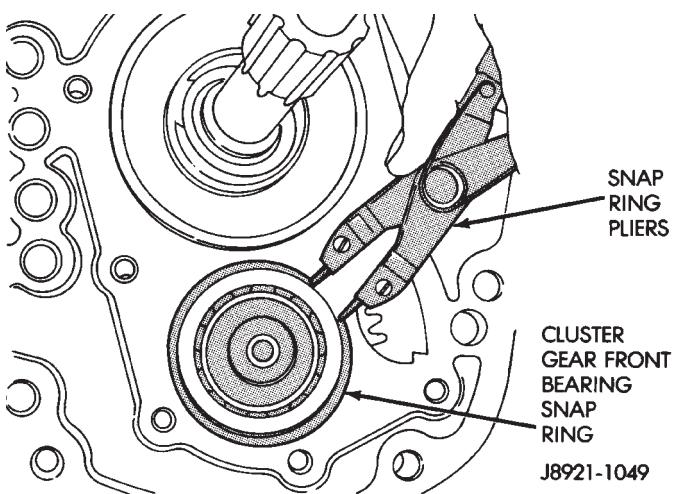
*Fig. 31 Remove Front Bearing Retainer*



*Fig. 32 Remove Input Shaft Bearing Snap-ring*

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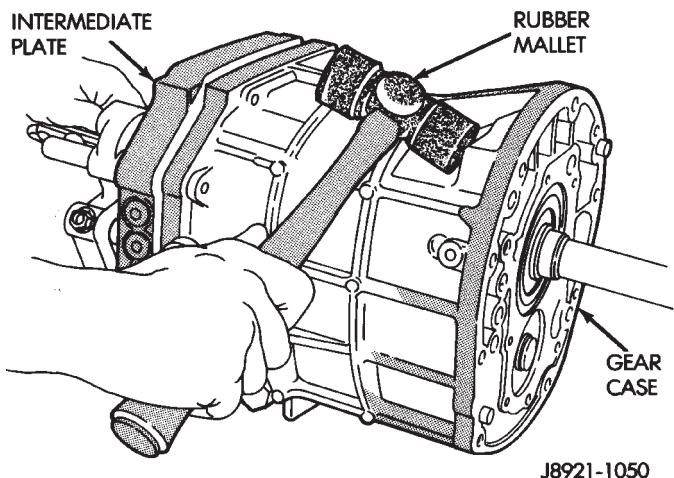
- (22) Remove cluster gear bearing snap-ring (Fig. 33).



**Fig. 33 Remove Cluster Gear Snap-ring**

- (23) Separate intermediate plate and transfer case by tapping them loose with plastic mallet (Fig. 34).

- (24) Separate the intermediate plate from the transmission case (Fig. 35).



**Fig. 34 Separate Intermediate Plate and Transmission Case**

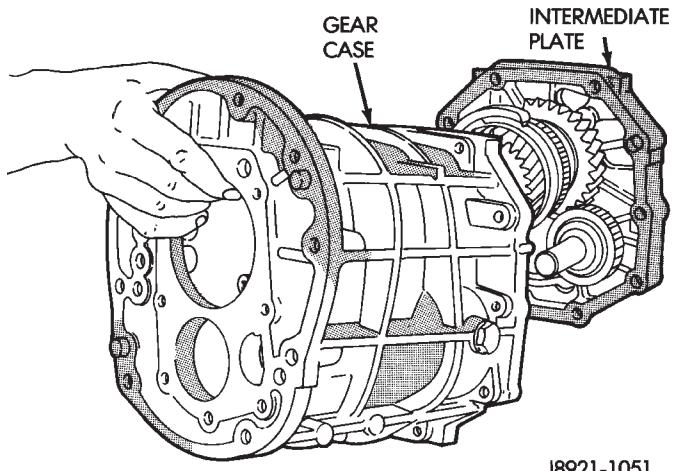
## ASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove any residual sealer from transmission case, intermediate plate, adapter/extension housing, and front bearing retainer.

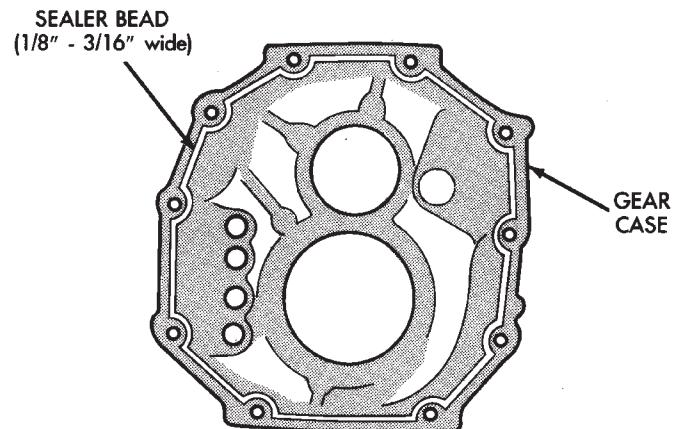
- (2) Apply a 1/8 to 3/16 inch wide bead of Threebond® Liquid Gasket TB1281, P/N 83504038, as shown, making sure to keep sealer bead to inside of bolt holes (Fig. 36).

- (3) Align geartrain and shift rails with mating holes in transmission case and install transmission case to the intermediate plate (Fig. 37). Verify that the transmission case is seated on the intermediate plate.

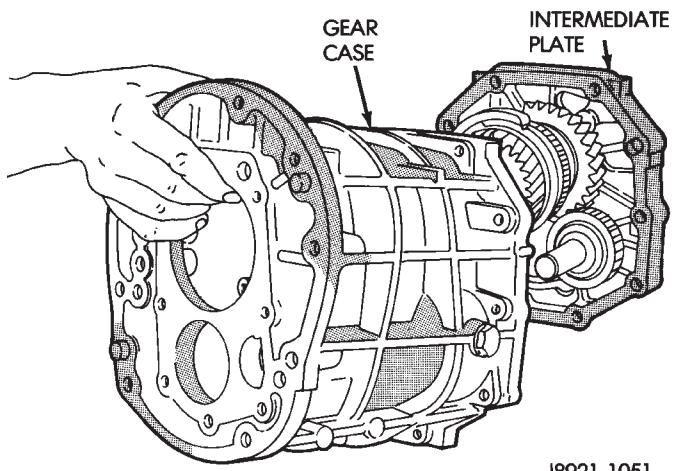
- (4) Install new front bearing snap rings (Fig. 38).



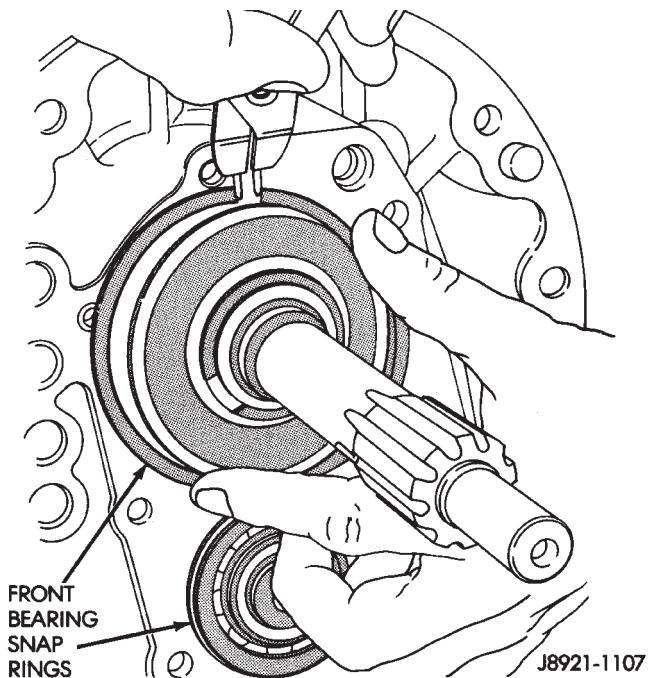
**Fig. 35 Remove Intermediate Plate from Transmission Case**



**Fig. 36 Apply Sealer to Transmission Gear Case**



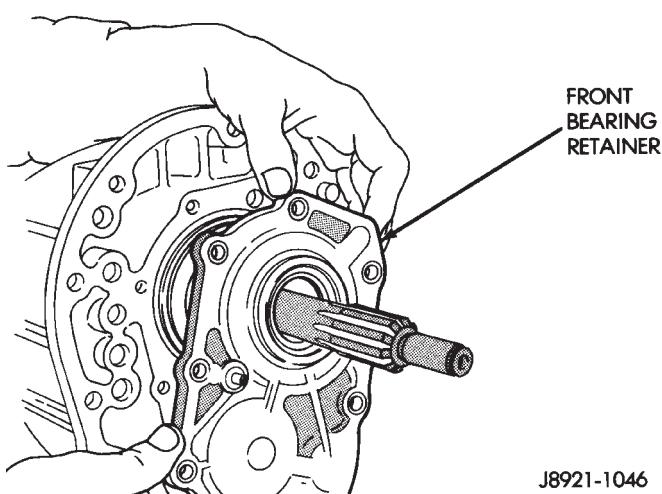
**Fig. 37 Install Transmission Gear Case to the Intermediate Plate**



**Fig. 38 Install Front Bearing Snap-rings**

(5) Apply 1/8 inch wide bead of Threebond® Liquid Gasket TB1281, P/N 83504038, to the front bearing retainer sealing surface.

(6) Install the front bearing retainer (Fig. 39) and tighten bolts to 17 N·m (12 ft. lbs.).



**Fig. 39 Install Front Bearing Retainer**

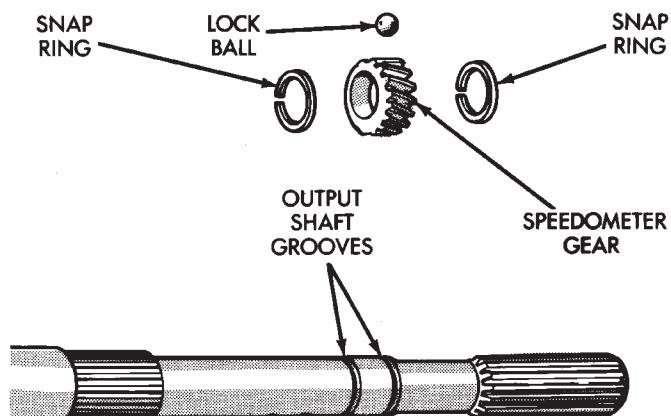
- (7) On 4x2 transmissions;
- Install speedometer drive gear locating snap-ring (Fig. 40).
  - Install speedometer gear lock ball in output shaft and install speedometer gear onto output shaft.

(c) Install speedometer gear retaining snap-ring onto output shaft.

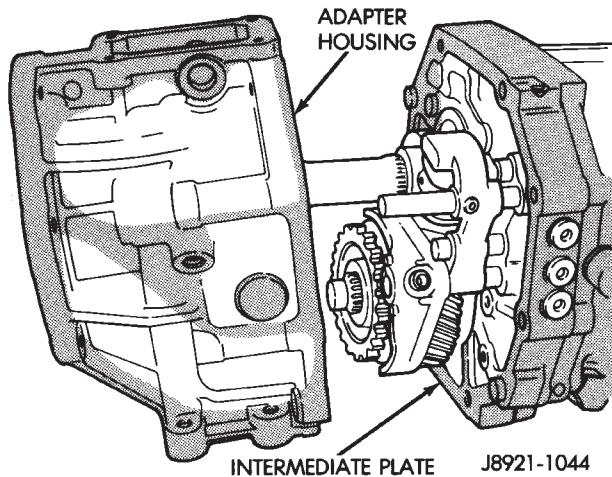
(8) Apply a 1/8 to 3/16 inch wide bead of Threebond® Liquid Gasket TB1281, P/N 83504038, to sealing surface of adapter/extension housing, making sure to keep sealer bead to inside of bolt holes.

(9) Install adapter or extension housing on intermediate plate (Fig. 41). Tighten housing bolts to 37 N·m (27 ft. lbs.) torque.

(10) Position shift arm in shifter tower opening of adapter\extension housing (Fig. 42). Be sure that the shifter arm is engaged into the shift rails.

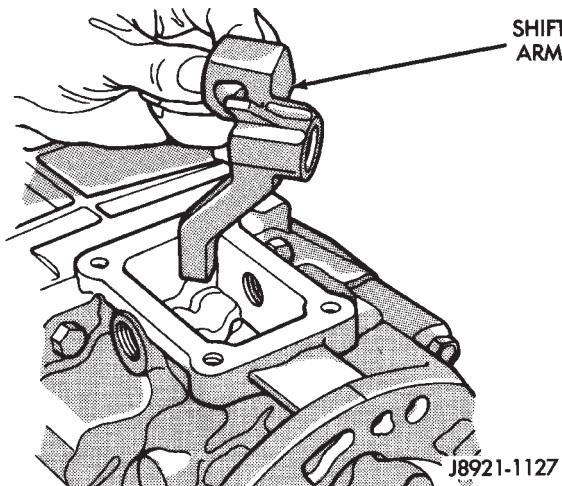


**Fig. 40 Speedometer Drive Gear Assembly**



**Fig. 41 Install Adapter/Extension Housing**

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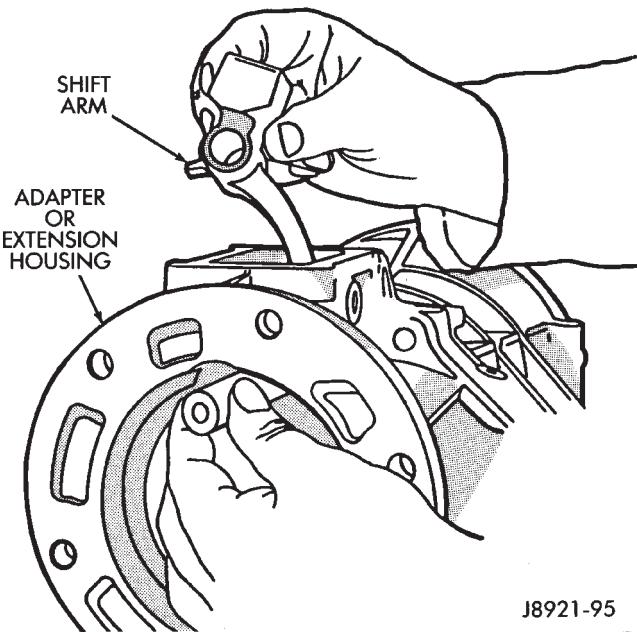
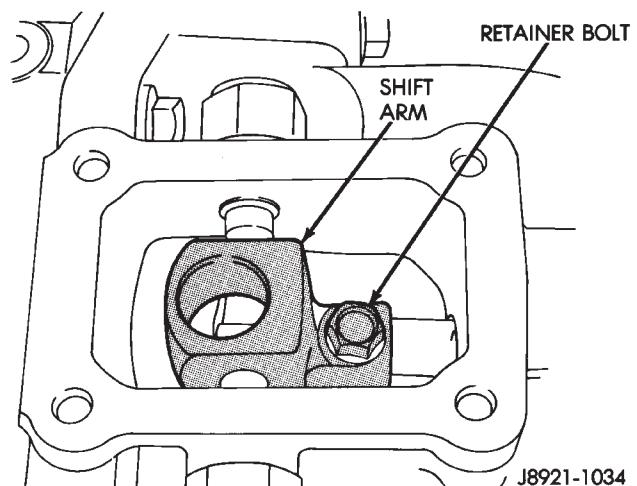
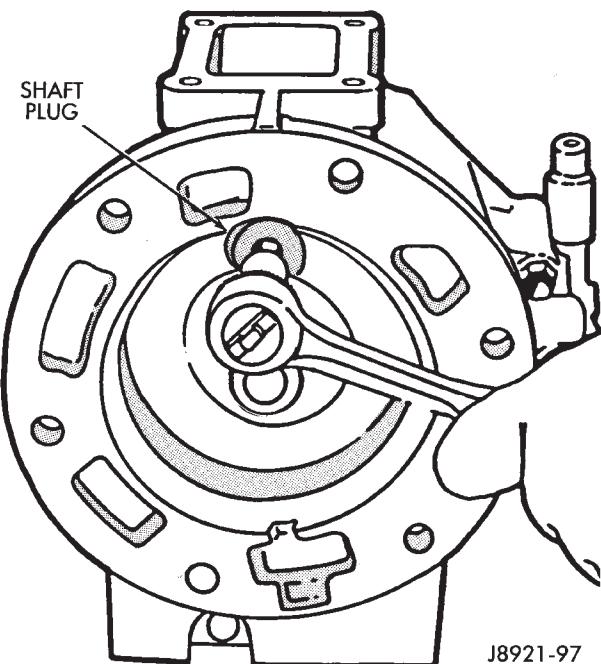
**Fig. 42 Position Shift Arm in Transmission Case**

(11) Start shifter arm shaft in hole in back of adapter\extension housing. Align shift arm and shifter arm shaft and insert shifter arm shaft through the shifter arm and into the forward portion of the adapter\extension housing (Fig. 43).

(12) Rotate the shifter arm shaft until the hole in the shift arm is aligned with the hole in the shaft.

(13) Install the shift arm retainer bolt and tighten to 38 N·m (28 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 44).

(14) Install and tighten shifter arm shaft plug to 18 N·m (13 ft. lbs.) torque (Fig. 45).

**Fig. 43 Install Shifter Arm Shaft****Fig. 44 Install Shift Arm Retainer Bolt****Fig. 45 Shifter Arm Shaft Plug Installation**

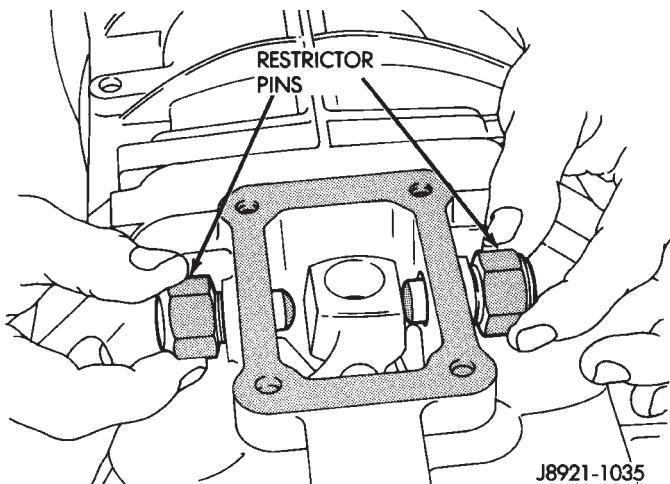
(15) Install shifter restrictor pins in shift tower and tighten to 27 N·m (20 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 46).

(16) Install shift detent ball in detent opening (Fig. 47).

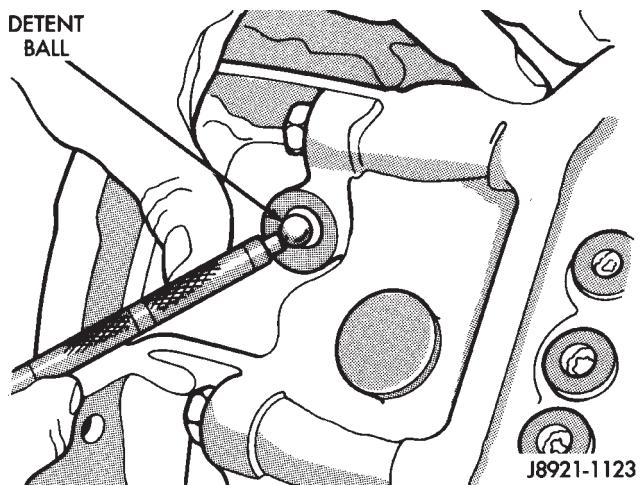
(17) Install detent spring (Fig. 48).

(18) Install detent plug and tighten to 19 N·m (14 ft. lbs.) (Fig. 49).

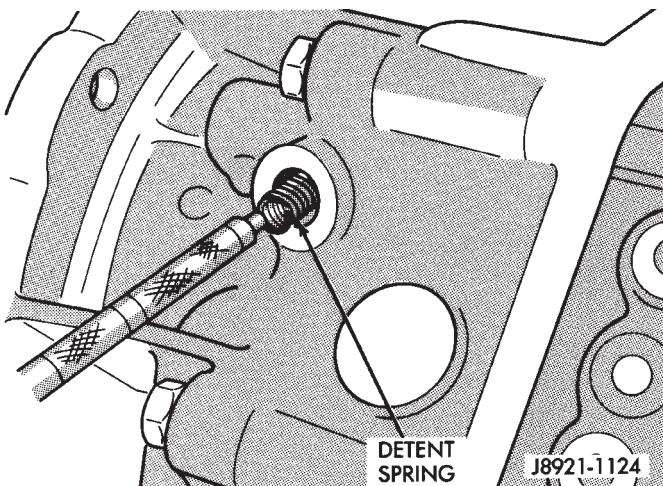
(19) Install shift tower and new gasket on housing (Fig. 50). Tighten tower bolts to 18 N·m (13 ft. lbs.) torque.



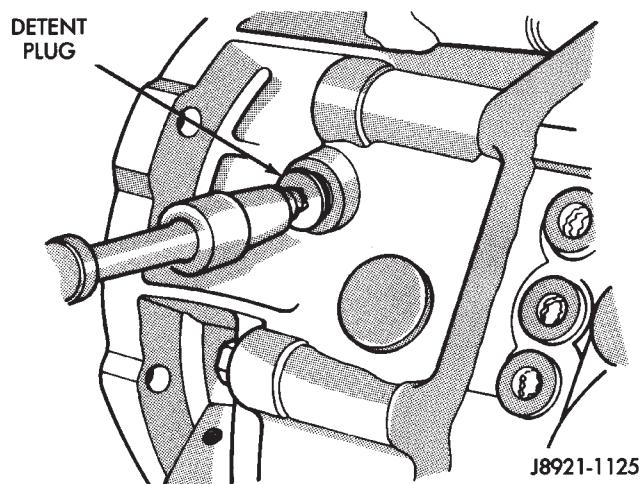
*Fig. 46 Install Shifter Restrictor Pins*



*Fig. 47 Install Detent Ball*



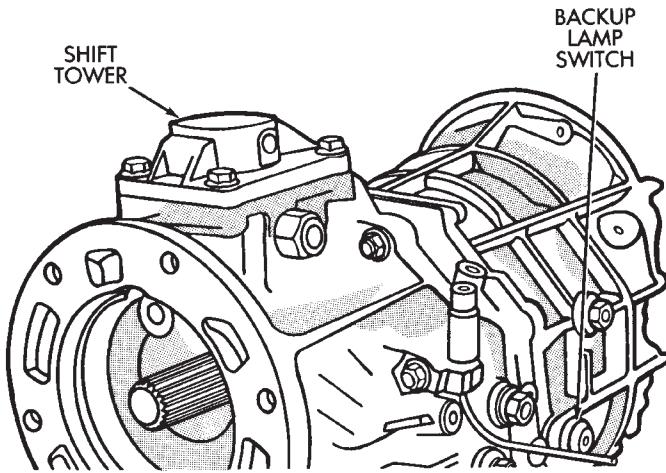
*Fig. 48 Install Detent Spring*



*Fig. 49 Install Detent Ball Plug*

(20) Install new metal o-ring to the backup lamp switch.

(21) Install backup lamp switch (Fig. 50). Tighten switch to 37 N·m (27 ft. lbs.) torque.

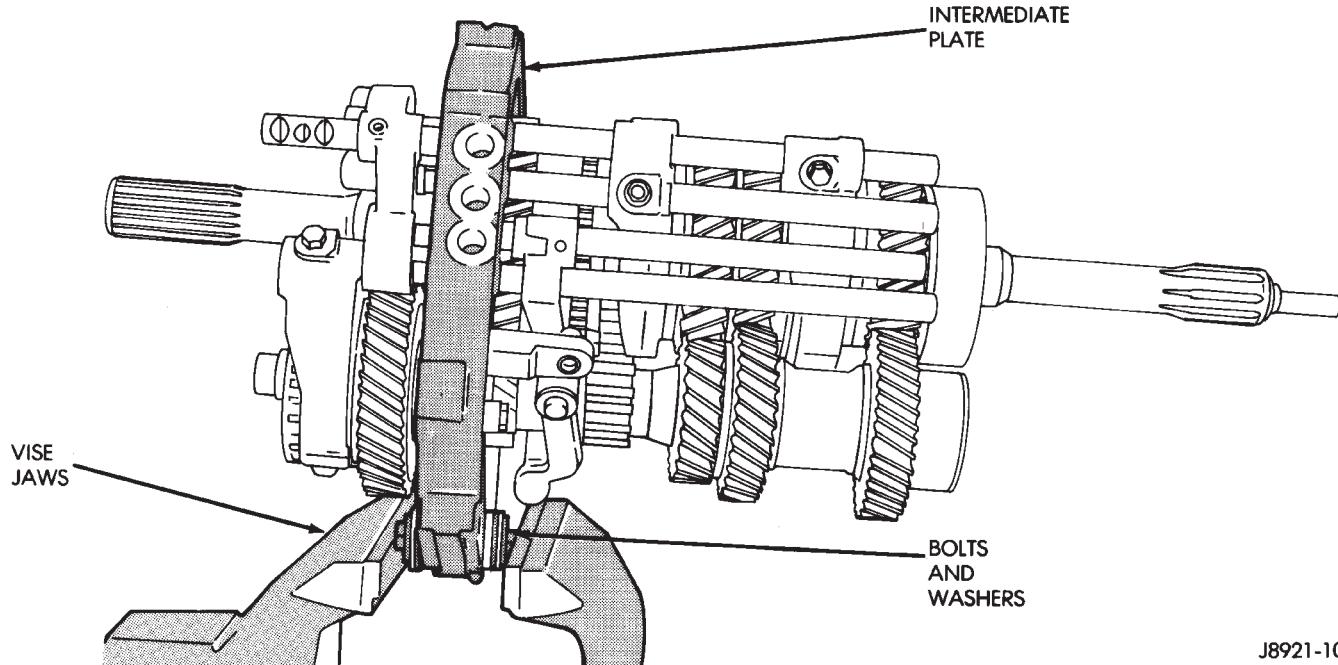


*Fig. 50 Installing Shift Tower And Backup Lamp Switch*

(22) Install new seal in adapter/extension housing.  
(23) Install vehicle speed sensor, if necessary.

(24) Install clutch housing, release bearing, release fork and retainer clip.

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*Fig. 51 Positioning Intermediate Plate In Vise*

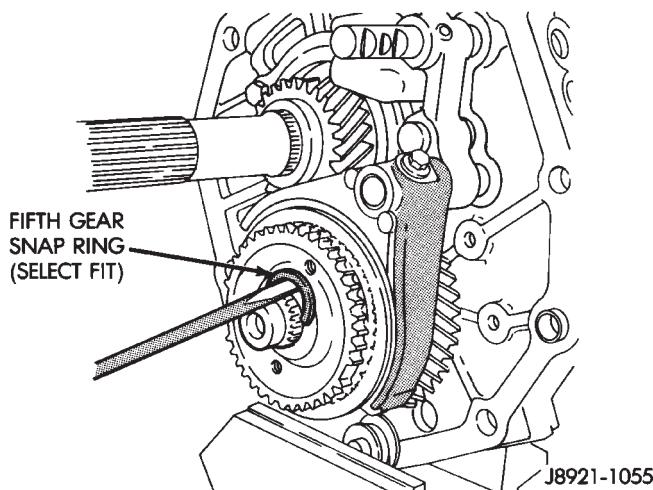
## SHIFT MECHANISM AND GEARTRAIN

## DISASSEMBLY

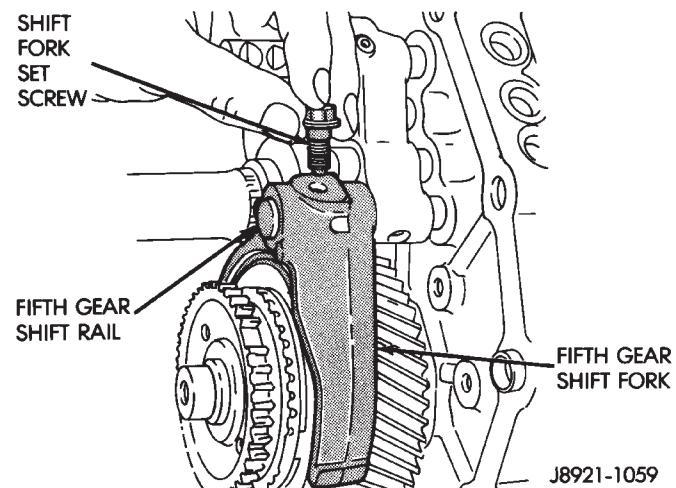
(1) Install suitable bolts and washers in intermediate plate (Fig. 51). Then clamp plate and gear assembly in vise. Use enough washers to prevent bolts from touching. Also be sure vise jaws are clamped on bolt heads.

(2) Measure thrust clearance between countershaft fifth gear and thrust ring with feeler gauge. Clearance should be 0.10 to 0.40 mm (0.003 to 0.019 in.). If clearance exceeds limits, gear and/or ring will have to be replaced.

(3) Remove countershaft fifth gear retaining snap-ring (Fig. 52).

*Fig. 52 Remove Fifth Gear Snap-ring*

(4) Remove bolt holding fifth gear shift fork to shift rail (Fig. 53).



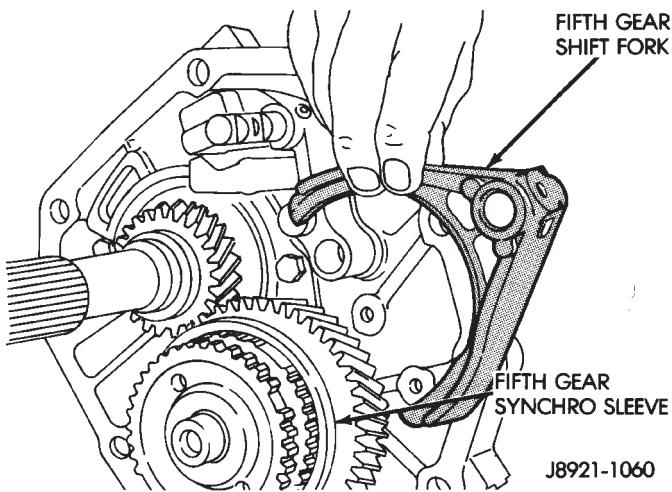
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*Fig. 53 Remove Fifth Gear Shift Fork Retainer Bolt*

(5) Move fifth gear shift rail forward until the rail is clear of the shift fork.

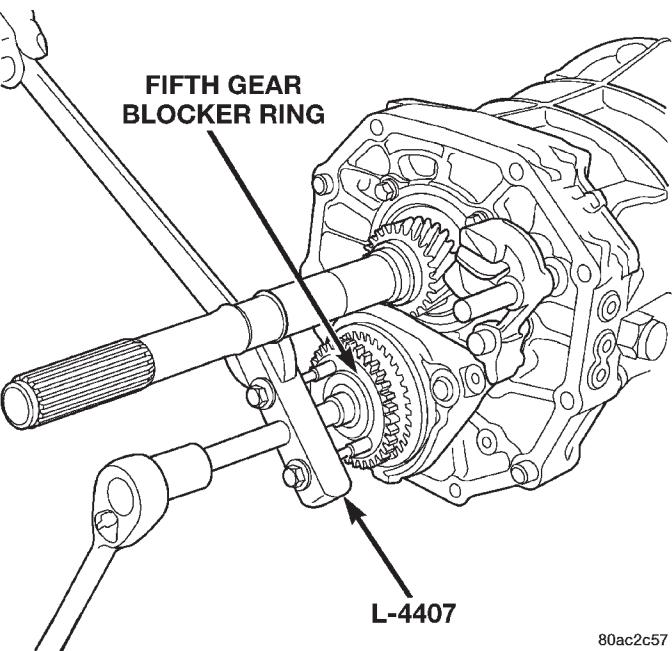
(6) Remove the fifth gear shift fork from the synchronizer sleeve (Fig. 54).

(7) Remove the reverse shift head and rail assembly from the intermediate plate (Fig. 55).

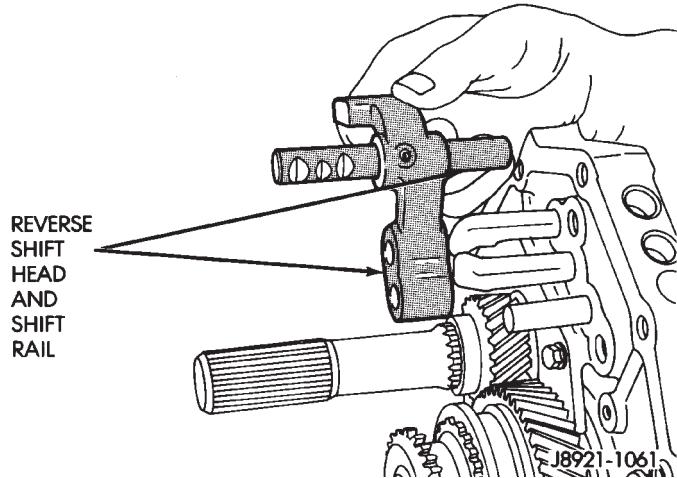


**Fig. 54 Remove Fifth Gear Shift Fork**

- (8) Remove fifth gear blocker ring from counter-shaft assembly with Puller L-4407 (Fig. 56).

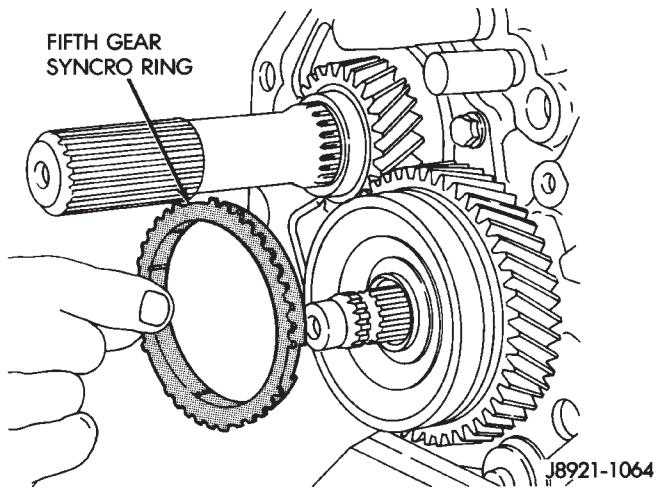


**Fig. 56 Remove Fifth Gear Blocker Ring**

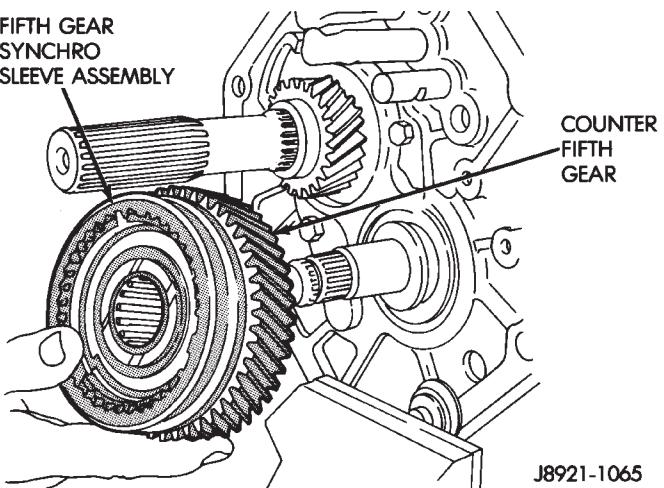


**Fig. 55 Remove Reverse Shift Head Assembly**

- (9) Remove fifth gear synchro ring (Fig. 57).  
(10) Remove the countershaft fifth gear assembly from countershaft (Fig. 58).



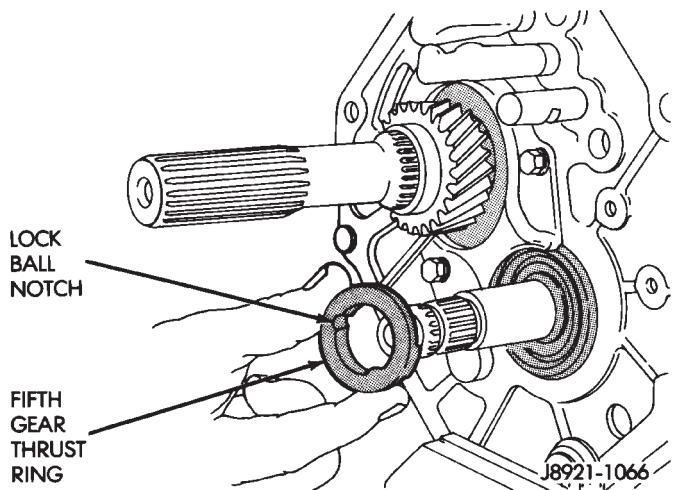
**Fig. 57 Remove Fifth Gear Synchro Ring**



**Fig. 58 Remove Fifth Gear And Synchro Assembly**

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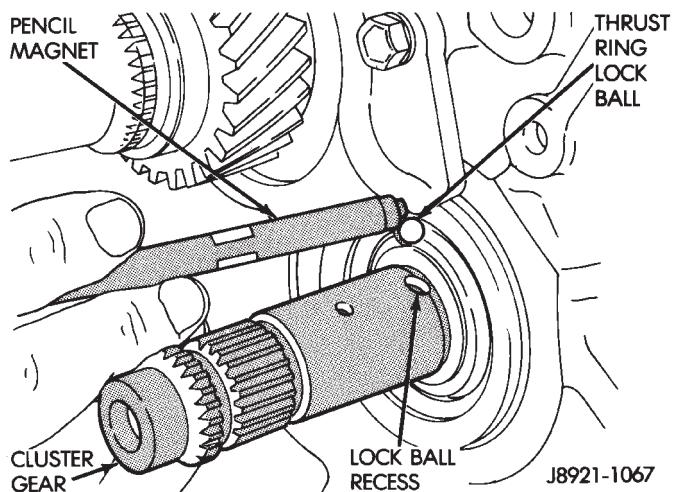
- (11) Remove fifth gear thrust ring from countershaft (Fig. 59).



**Fig. 59 Remove Fifth Gear Thrust Ring**

- (12) Remove fifth gear thrust ring lock ball from countershaft (Fig. 60).

**NOTE:** There are many lock balls, check balls, interlock balls, and interlock pins used in various places in the transmission. Whenever a pin or ball is removed, it should be identified in such a way that it can be reinstalled in the same location from which it was removed.



**Fig. 60 Remove Fifth Gear Thrust Ring Lock Ball**

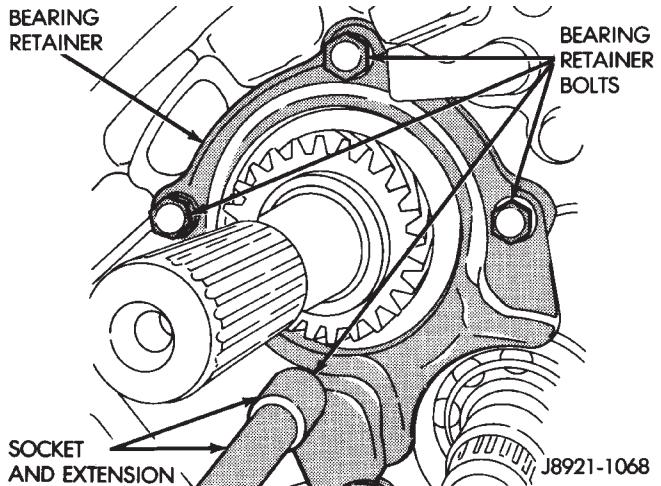
- (13) Remove bolts holding output shaft rear bearing retainer to intermediate plate (Fig. 61).

(14) Remove rear bearing retainer (Fig. 62).

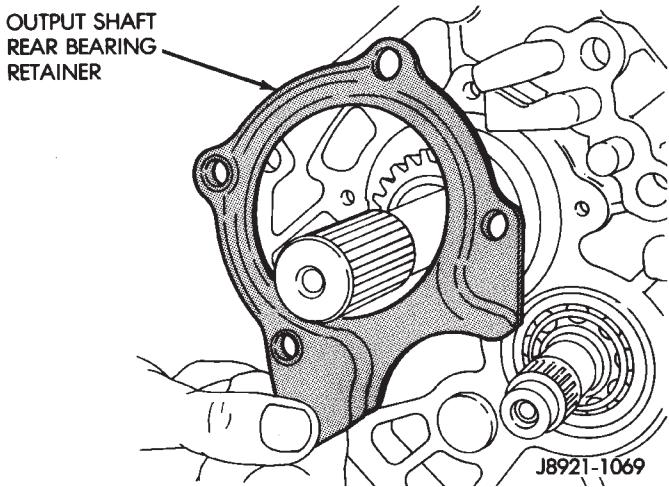
- (15) Remove reverse idler gear shaft and gear (Fig. 63).

(16) Remove bolts holding reverse shift arm bracket to intermediate plate (Fig. 64).

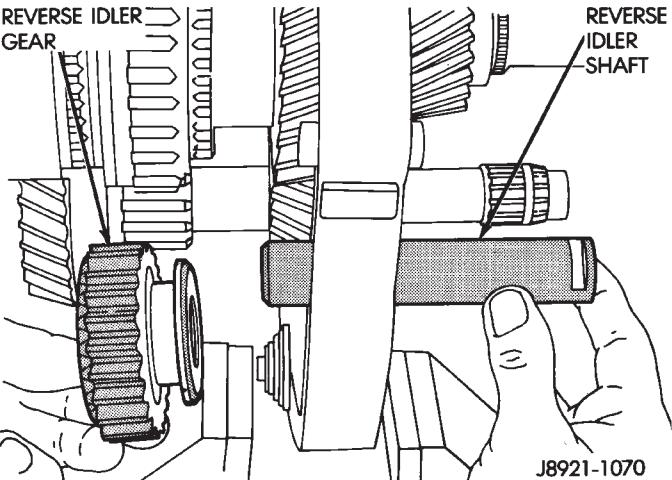
- (17) Remove threaded lock ball plugs from intermediate plate (Fig. 65).



**Fig. 61 Remove Output Shaft Rear Bearing Retainer Bolts**



**Fig. 62 Remove Output Shaft Rear Bearing Retainer**



**Fig. 63 Remove Reverse Idler Shaft And Gear**

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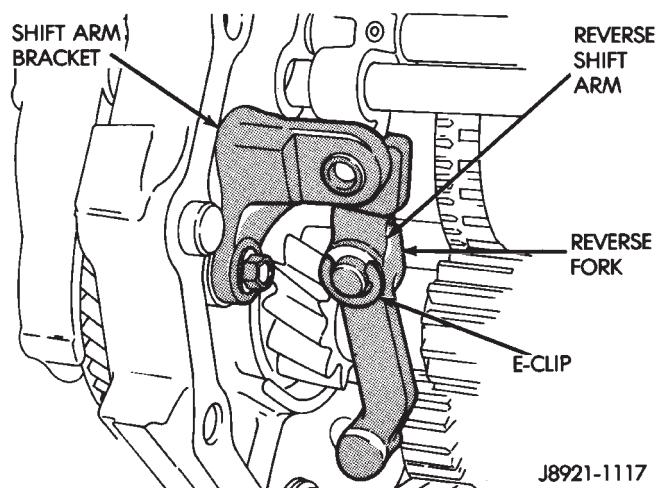


Fig. 64 Reverse Shift Arm Components

- (18) Then remove lock ball and spring from plug holes with pencil magnet (Fig. 66).
- (19) Remove the fifth gear shift rail (Fig. 67).

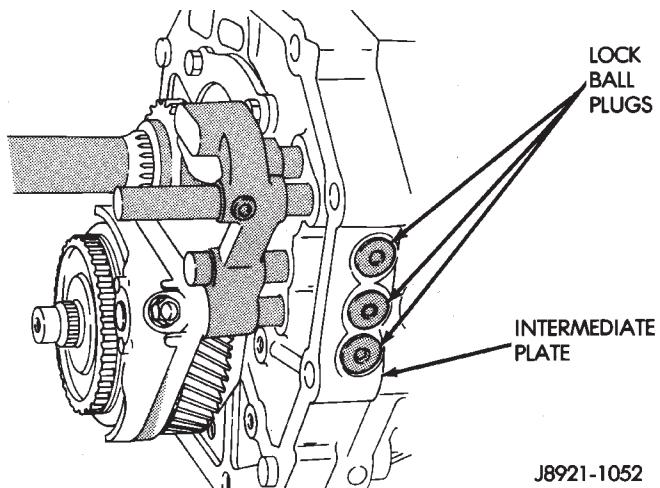
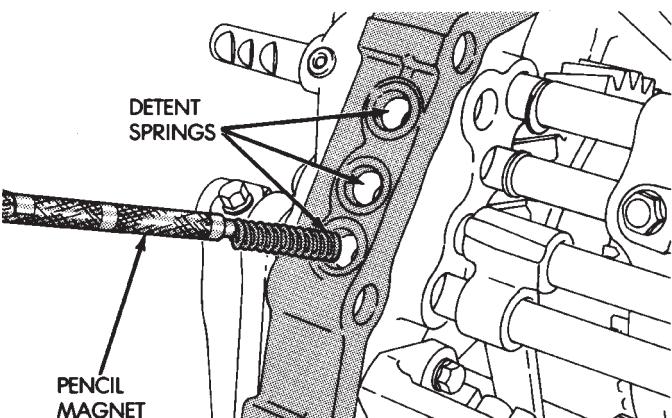


Fig. 65 Lock Ball Plug Locations

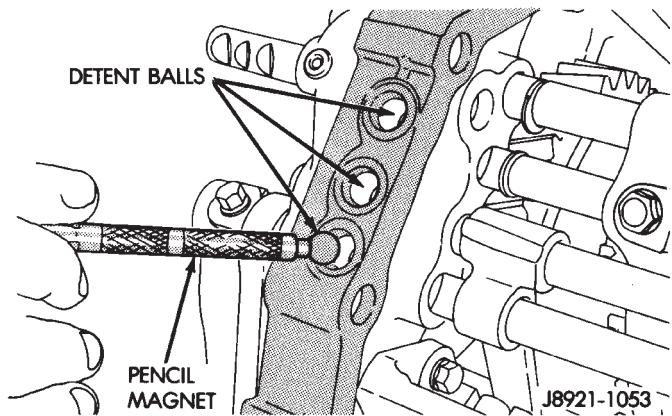


Fig. 66 Remove Lock Ball And Spring

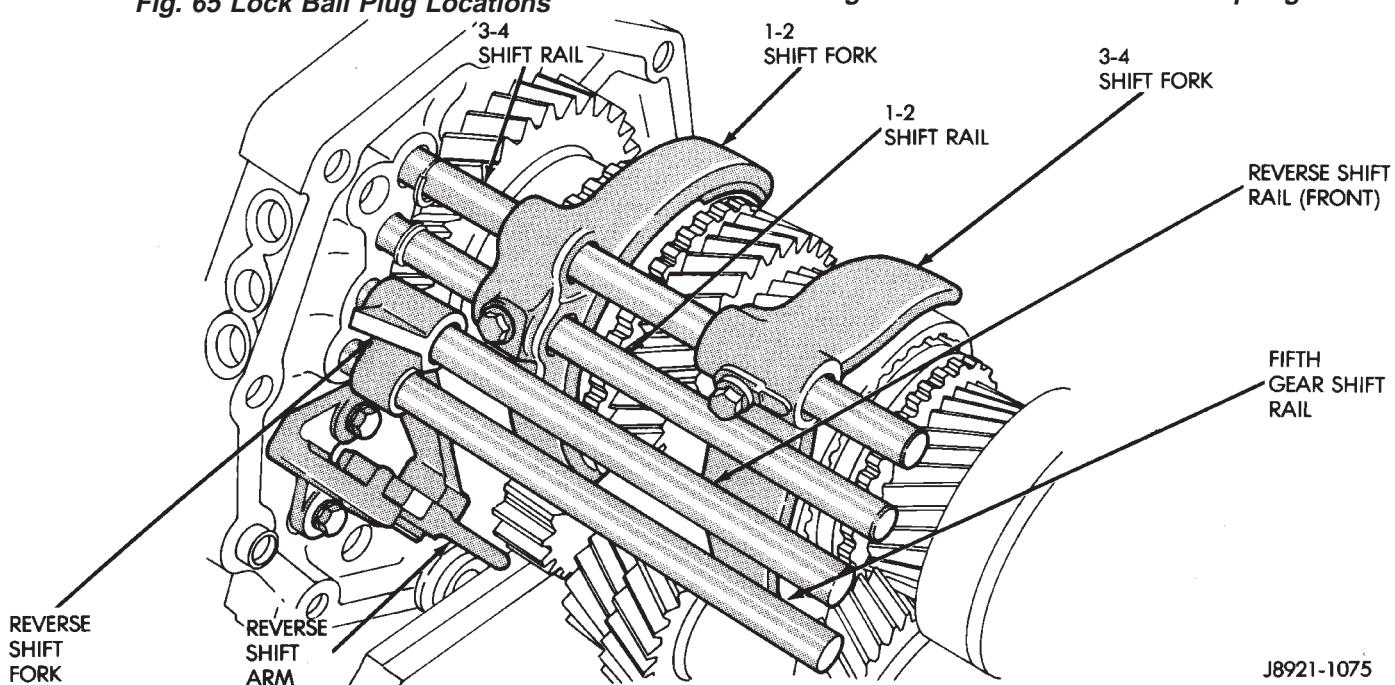
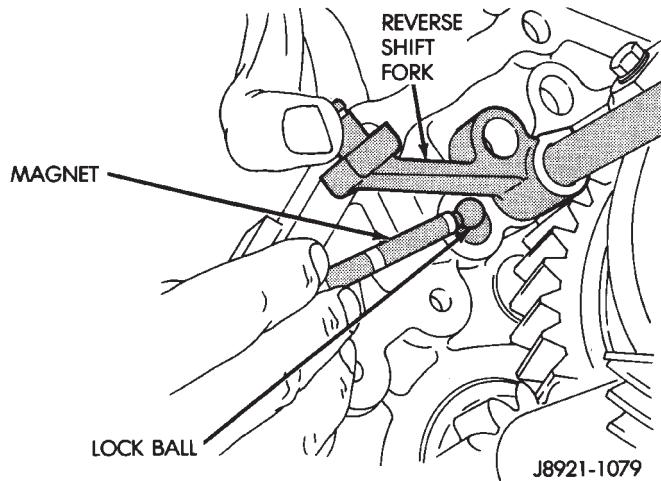


Fig. 67 Shift Rail Identification

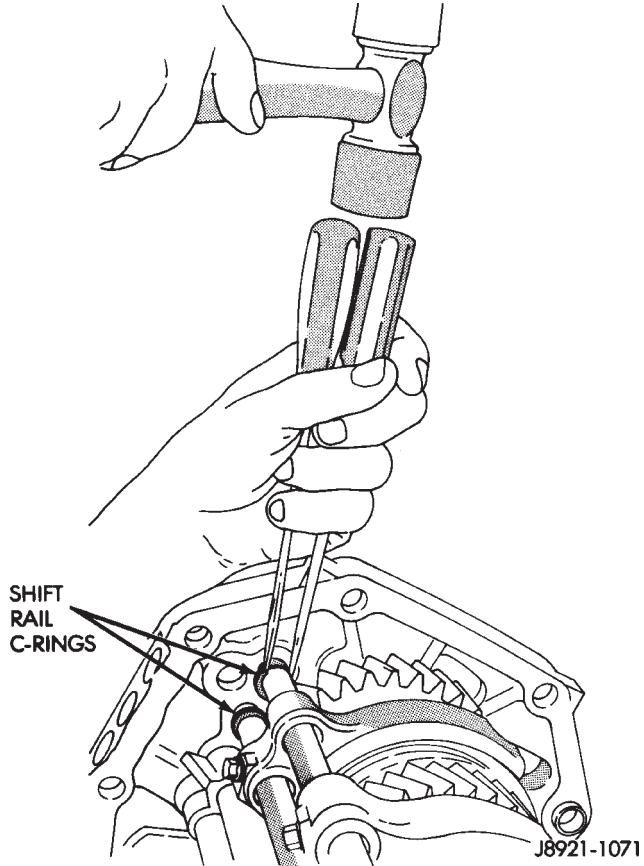
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- (20) Retrieve the fifth gear shift rail lock ball from the intermediate plate using a magnet (Fig. 68).



**Fig. 68 Remove Fifth Gear Shift Rail Lock Ball**

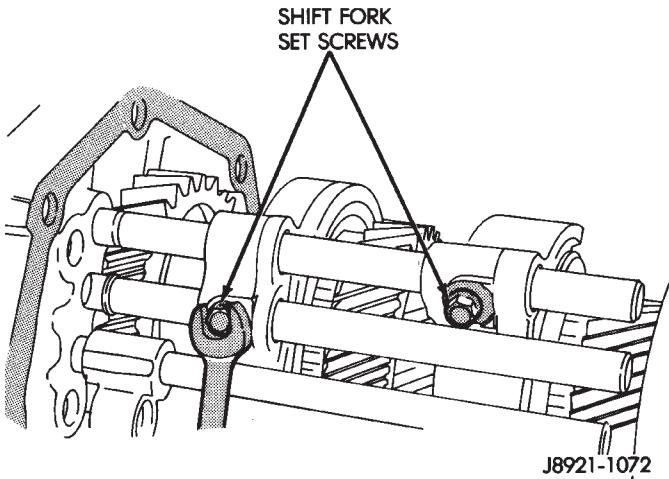
- (21) Remove the 1-2 and 3-4 shift rail c-rings using two equally sized screwdrivers (Fig. 69).



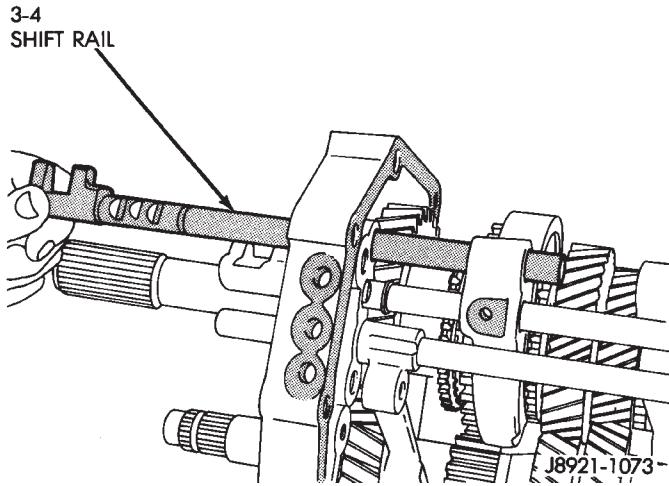
**Fig. 69 Remove Shift Rail C-rings**

- (22) Remove bolts holding 1-2 and 3-4 shift forks to the shift rails (Fig. 70) and discard bolts.

- (23) Remove the 3-4 shift rail from the 1-2 and 3-4 shift forks and the intermediate plate (Fig. 71).



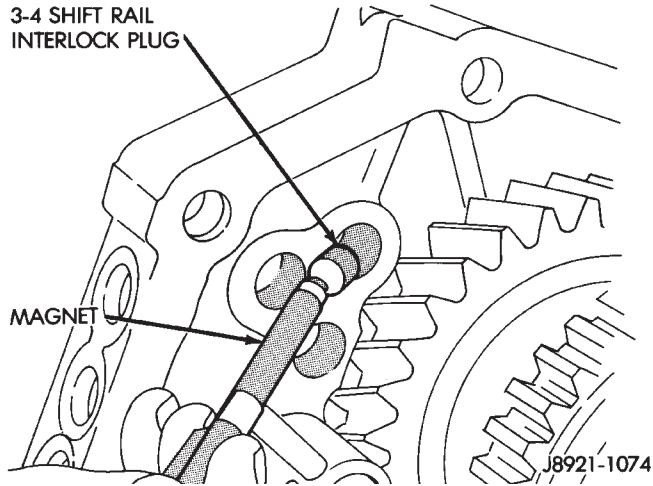
**Fig. 70 Remove Shift Fork To Shift Rail Bolts**



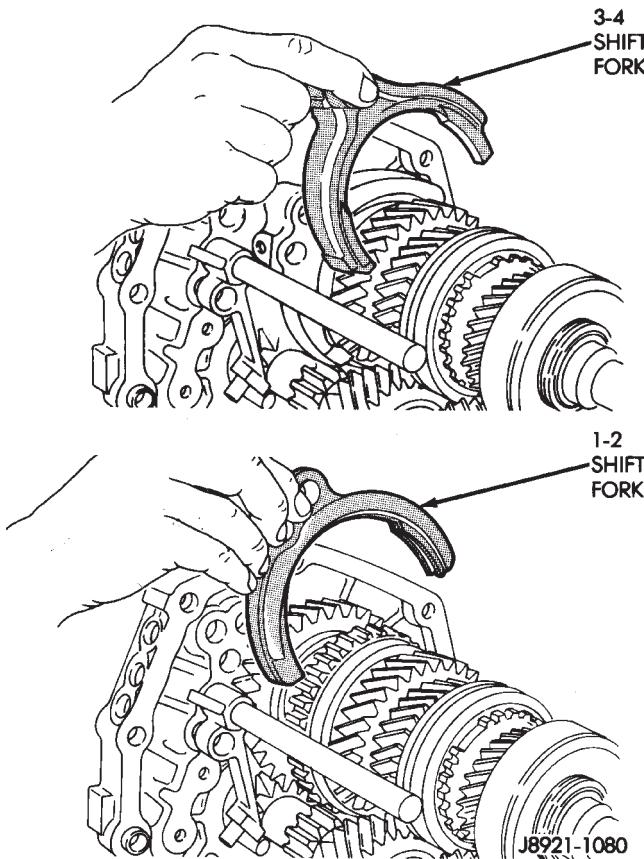
**Fig. 71 Remove 3-4 Shift Rail**

- (24) Remove the 3-4 shift rail interlock plug from the intermediate plate with a small magnet (Fig. 72).

- (25) Remove the 3-4 shift fork (Fig. 73).

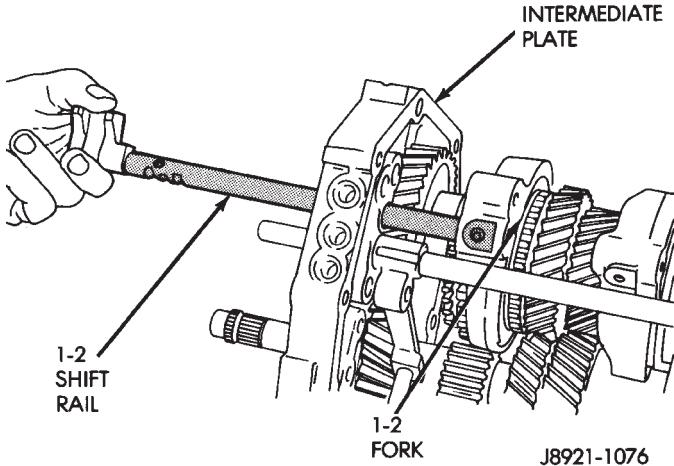


**Fig. 72 Remove 3-4 Shift Rail Interlock Plug**

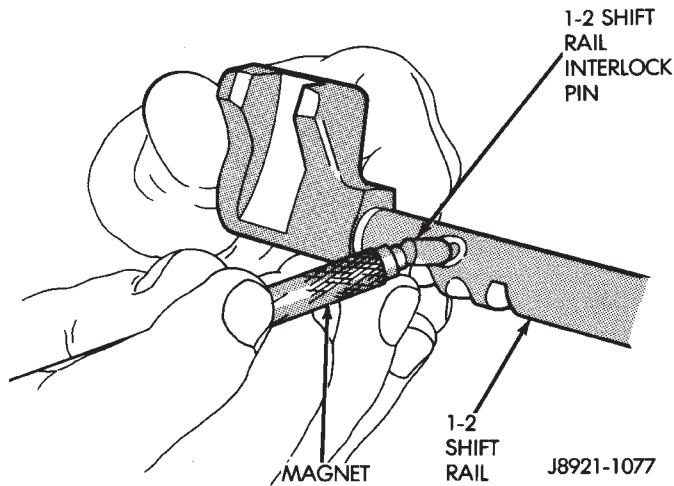


**Fig. 73 Remove Shift Forks**

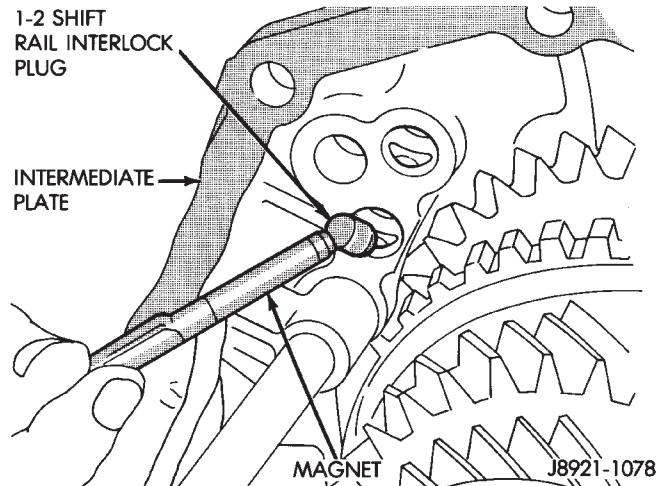
- (26) Remove the 1-2 shift rail from the 1-2 shift fork and the intermediate plate (Fig. 74).
- (27) Remove the 1-2 shift rail interlock pin from the 1-2 shift rail (Fig. 75).
- (28) Remove the 1-2 shift rail interlock plug from the intermediate plate (Fig. 76).
- (29) Remove the 1-2 shift fork (Fig. 73).



**Fig. 74 Remove 1-2 Shift Rail**



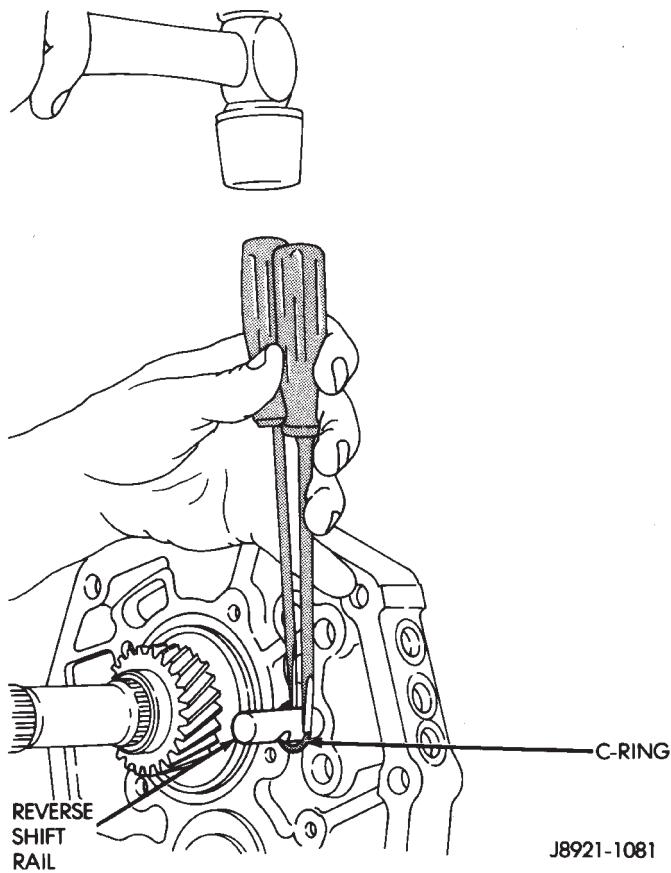
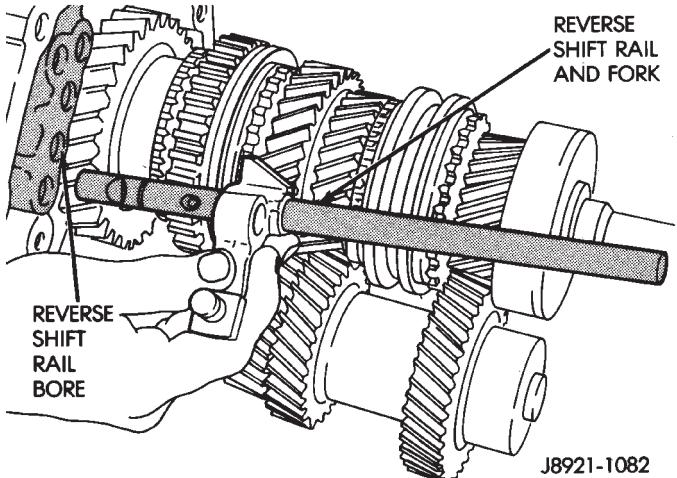
**Fig. 75 Remove 1-2 Shift Rail Interlock Pin**



**Fig. 76 Remove 1-2 Shift Rail Interlock Plug**

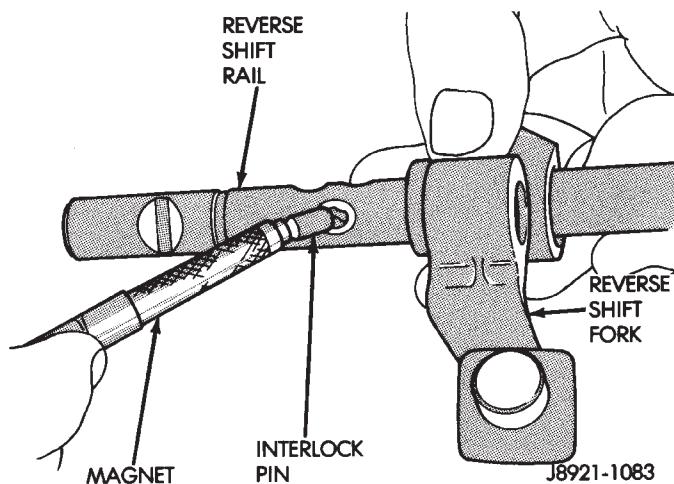
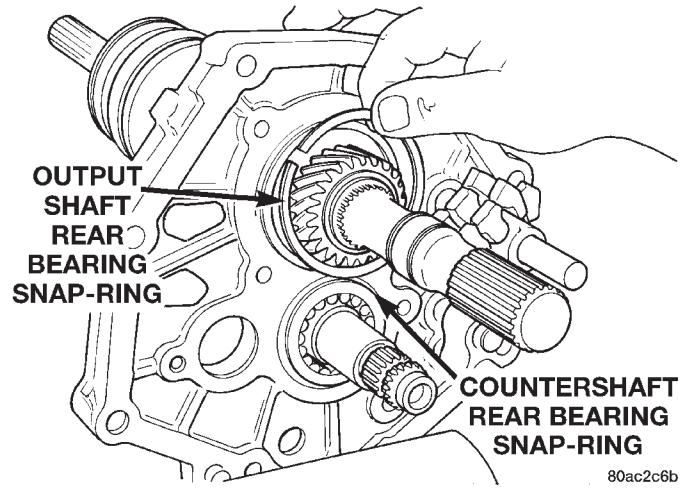
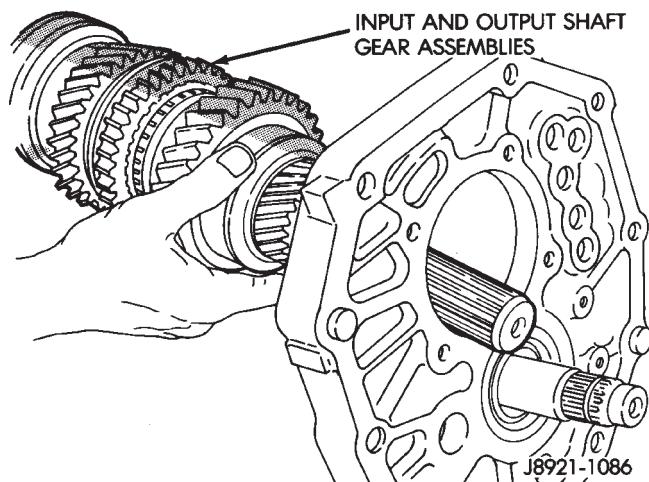
- (30) Remove the c-ring holding the reverse shift rail into the intermediate plate using two equally sized screwdrivers (Fig. 77).
- (31) Remove the reverse shift rail and fork from the intermediate plate (Fig. 78).
- (32) Remove the interlock pin from the reverse shift rail (Fig. 79).
- (33) Remove snap-ring holding output shaft rear bearing into the intermediate plate (Fig. 80).
- (34) Remove countershaft rear bearing snap-ring.
- (35) With aid of an assistant, support the main-shaft and countershaft. Tap on the rear of the main-shaft and countershaft with a suitable rubber mallet. This will release the countershaft from the counter-shaft rear bearing and the mainshaft rear bearing from the intermediate plate. The mainshaft will release from the intermediate plate first and can be removed by moving the mainshaft rearward and upward (Fig. 81).

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**Fig. 77 Remove Reverse Shift Rail C-ring****Fig. 78 Remove Reverse Shift Rail**

(36) Remove the countershaft by moving the countershaft rearward until the countershaft is clear of the intermediate plate.

(37) Remove the countershaft rear bearing from the intermediate plate.

**Fig. 79 Remove Reverse Shift Rail Interlock Pin****Fig. 80 Remove Output Shaft Rear Bearing Snap-ring****Fig. 81 Remove Mainshaft**

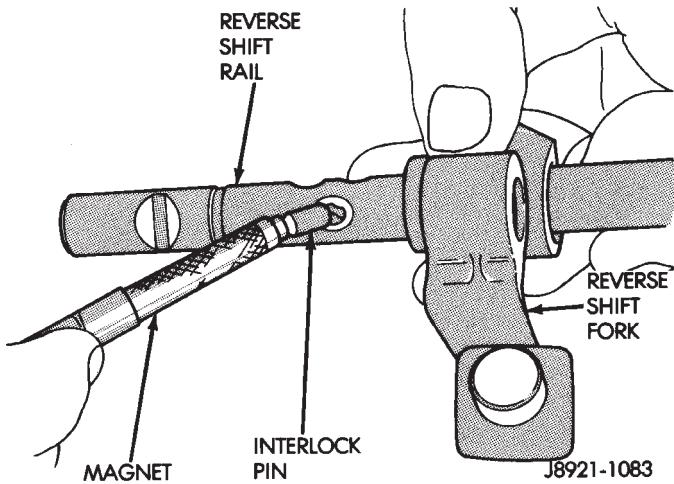
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## ASSEMBLY

- (1) Lubricate countershaft journal and rear bearing with petroleum jelly or gear lubricant.
- (2) Position the mainshaft into the intermediate plate.
- (3) Tap the mainshaft assembly rear bearing into the intermediate plate with a suitable rubber mallet.
- (4) Install the countershaft thru the countershaft rear bearing journal of the intermediate plate.
- (5) Align and mesh the mainshaft and countershaft gears as much as possible.
- (6) Install the countershaft bearing over the countershaft bearing boss and into the intermediate plate. Be sure to leave the snap-ring groove in the bearing facing the rear of the unit. It may be necessary to tap on the bearing with a plastic mallet to fully seat the bearing into intermediate plate.
- (7) Verify that the mainshaft and countershaft gears are correctly meshed and rotate properly.
- (8) Install snap-ring to hold output shaft rear bearing into the intermediate plate (Fig. 66).
- (9) Install countershaft rear bearing snap-ring.

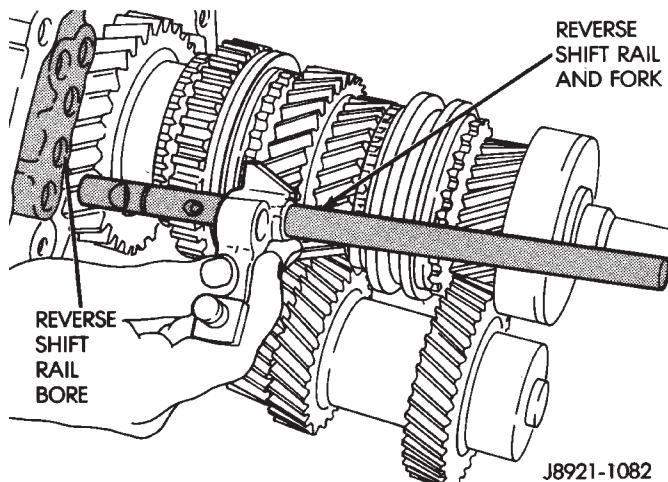
**NOTE:** Coat all shift components with petroleum jelly during assembly. Petroleum jelly will hold components in position during installation.

- (10) Install interlock pin in reverse shift rail (Fig. 82).
- (11) Install the reverse shift rail in the intermediate plate (Fig. 83).

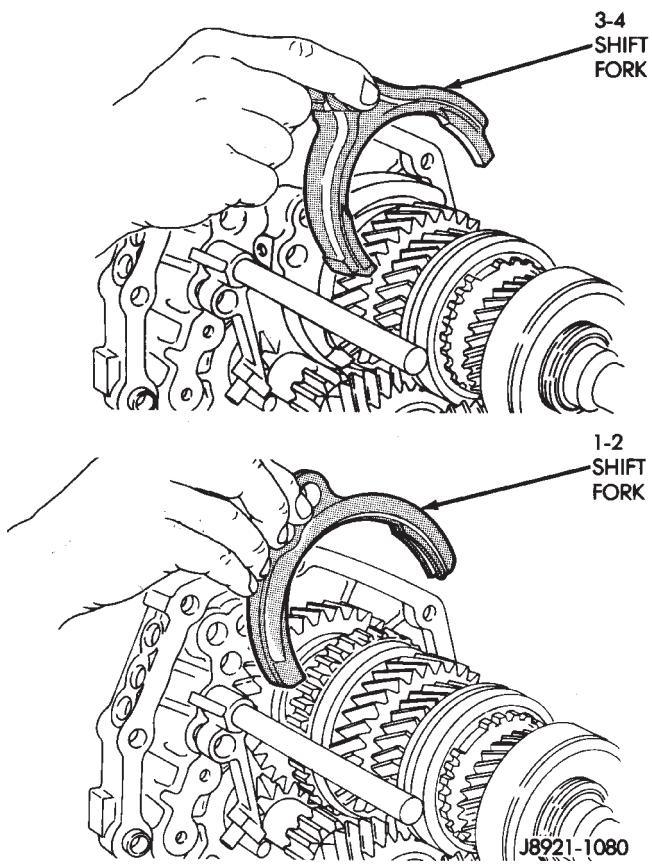


**Fig. 82 Install Reverse Shift Rail Interlock Pin**

- (12) Install c-ring to hold the reverse shift rail into the intermediate plate.
- (13) Install the 1-2 and 3-4 shift forks into the synchronizer sleeves (Fig. 84).
- (14) Install 1-2 shift rail interlock plug in the intermediate plate (Fig. 85).
- (15) Install interlock pin in 1-2 shift rail (Fig. 86).

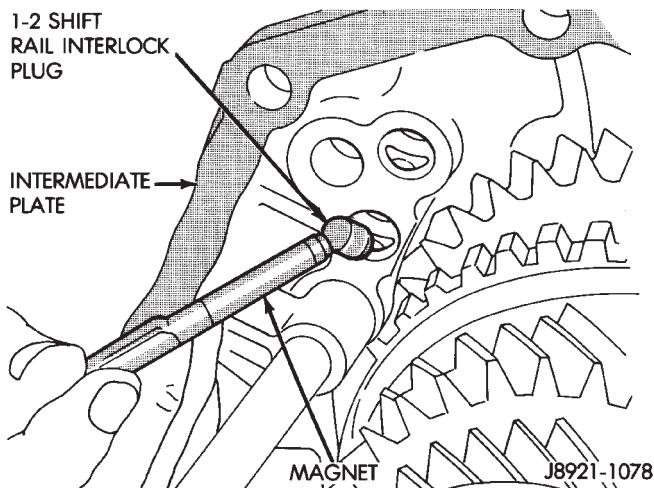
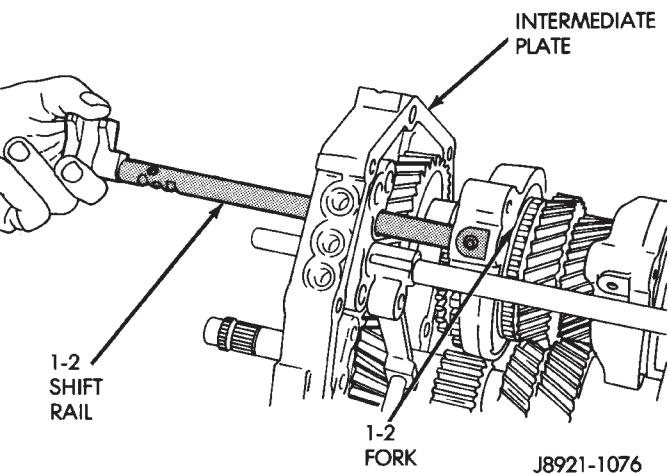
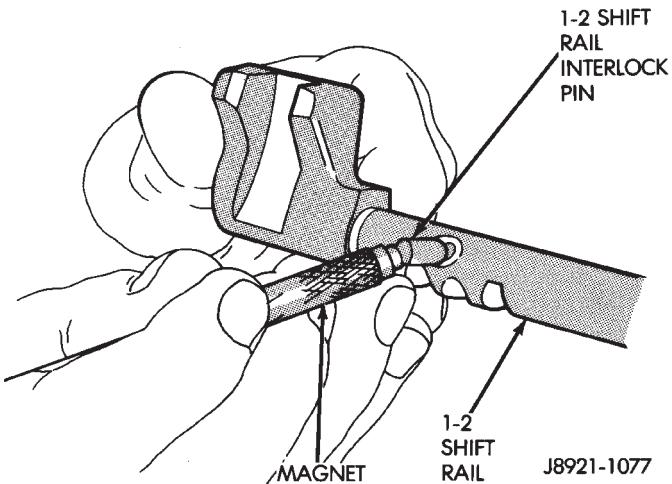


**Fig. 83 Install Reverse Shift Rail**



**Fig. 84 Install Shift Forks**

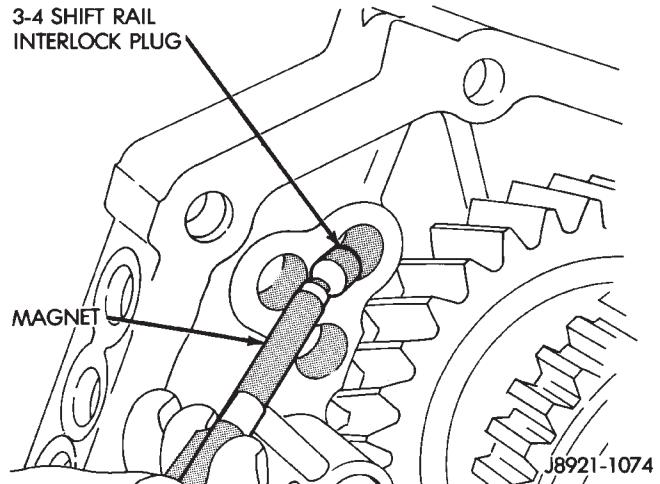
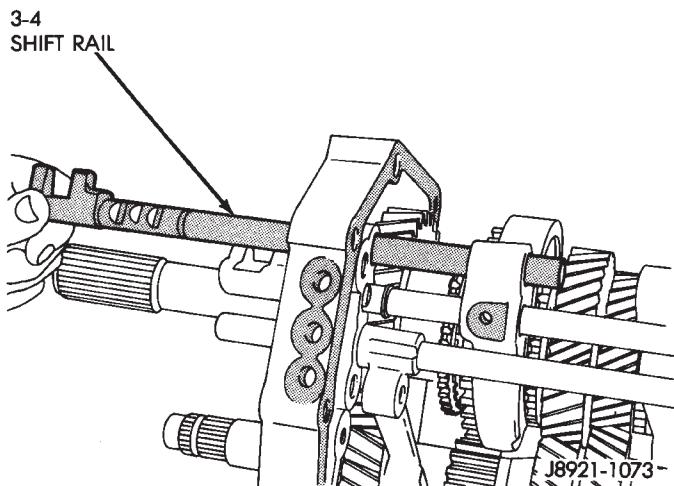
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 85 Install 1-2 Shift Rail Interlock Plug****Fig. 87 Install 1-2 Shift Rail****Fig. 86 Install 1-2 Shift Rail Interlock Pin**

(16) Install 1-2 shift rail through intermediate plate and 1-2 shift fork (Fig. 87).

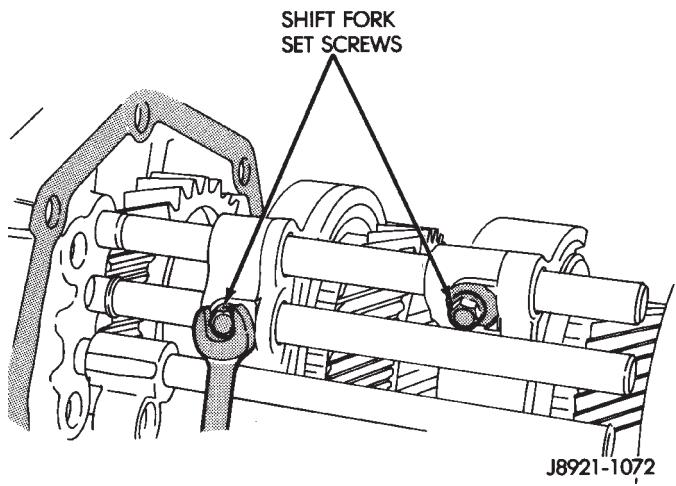
(17) Install 3-4 shift rail interlock plug into the intermediate plate (Fig. 88).

(18) Install the 3-4 shift rail through the intermediate plate, 1-2 and 3-4 shift forks (Fig. 89).

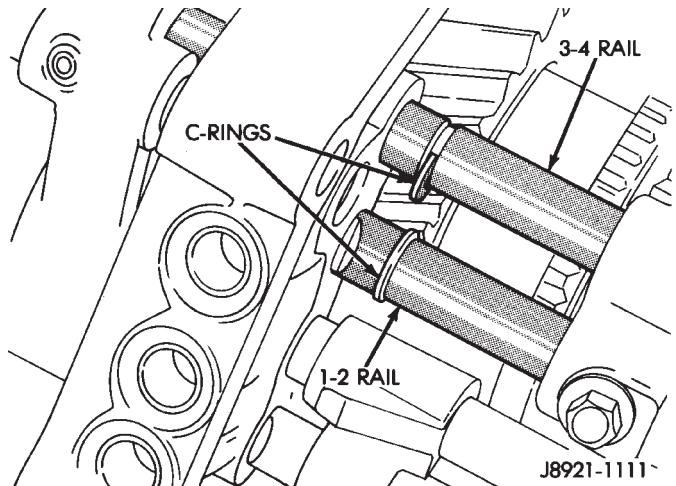
**Fig. 88 Install 3-4 Shift Rail Interlock Plug****Fig. 89 Install 3-4 Shift Rail**

(19) Install new bolts to hold the shift forks to the shift rails (Fig. 90).

(20) Install c-rings to 1-2 and 3-4 shift rails (Fig. 91).



**Fig. 90 Install Shift Fork To Shift Rail Bolts**



**Fig. 91 Install Shift Rail C-rings**

(21) Install the fifth gear shift rail lock ball in the intermediate plate (Fig. 94).

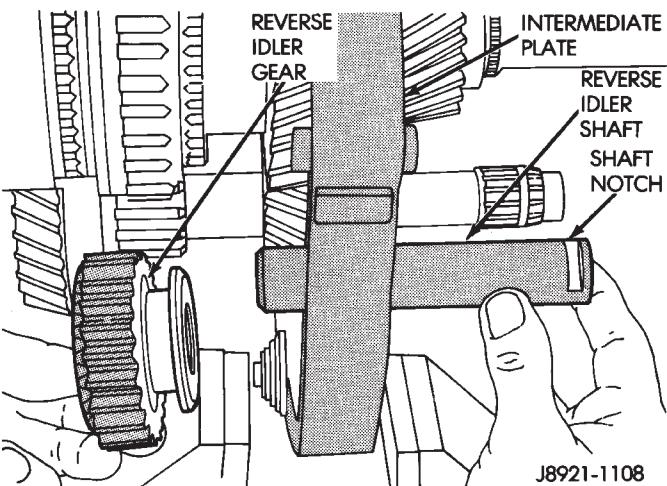
(22) Install the fifth gear shift rail into the intermediate plate.

(23) Install reverse idler gear and idler gear shaft (Fig. 92). Verify that the notch in the idler shaft is to the rear of the transmission.

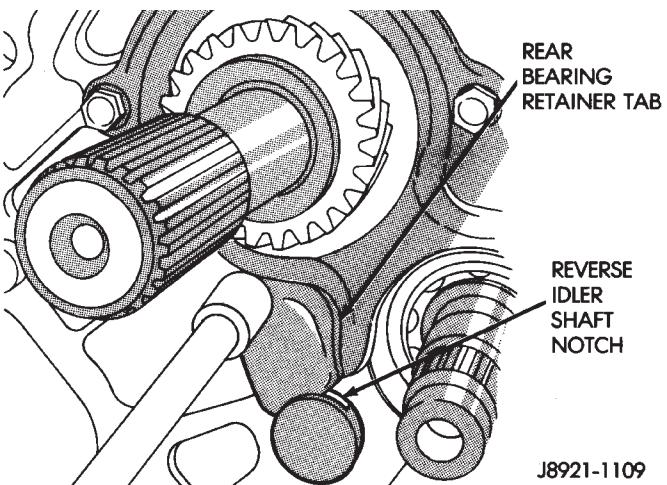
(24) Position output shaft rear bearing retainer on intermediate plate and into reverse idler shaft notch.

(25) Install new bolts to hold retainer to intermediate plate (Fig. 93).

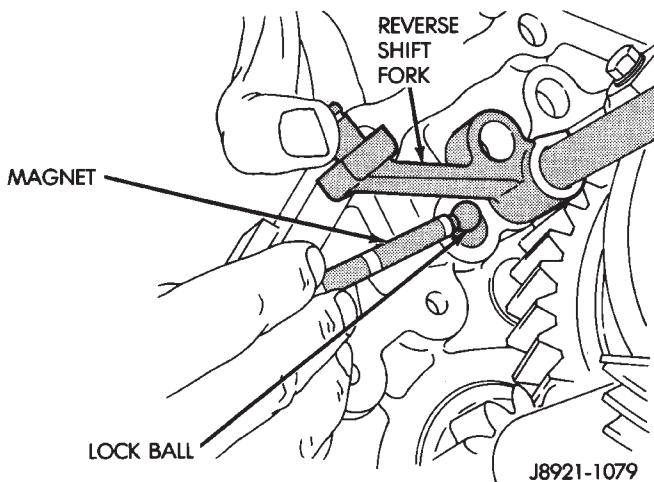
(26) Install the fifth gear thrust ring lock ball into the countershaft (Fig. 95).



**Fig. 92 Install Reverse Idler Gear And Shaft**

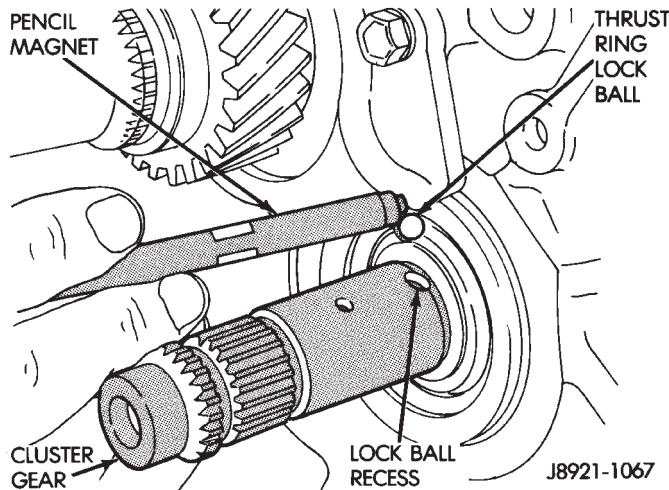


**Fig. 93 Install Output Shaft Rear Bearing Retainer**



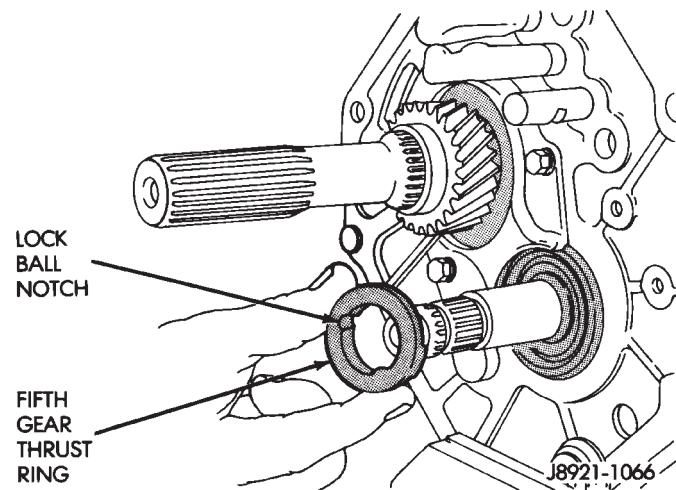
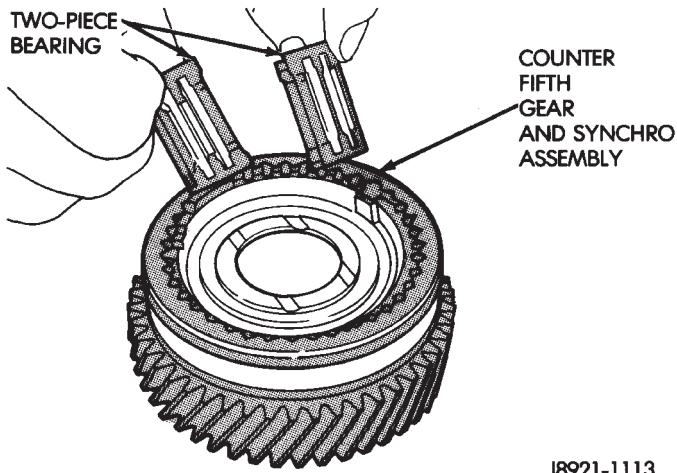
**Fig. 94 Install Fifth Gear Shift Rail Lock Ball**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 95 Install Fifth Gear Thrust Ring Lock Ball**

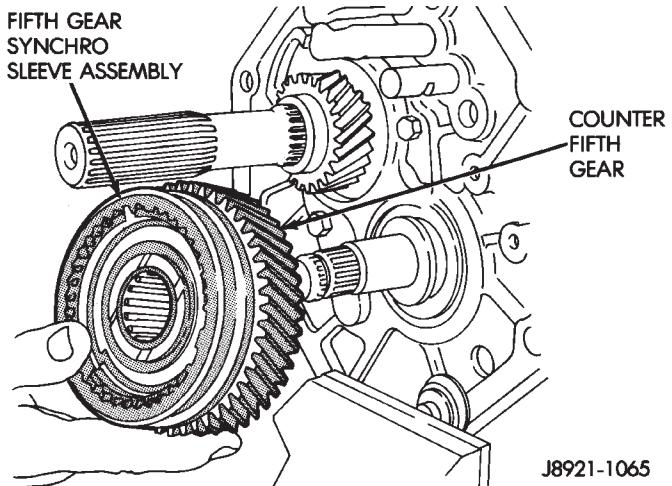
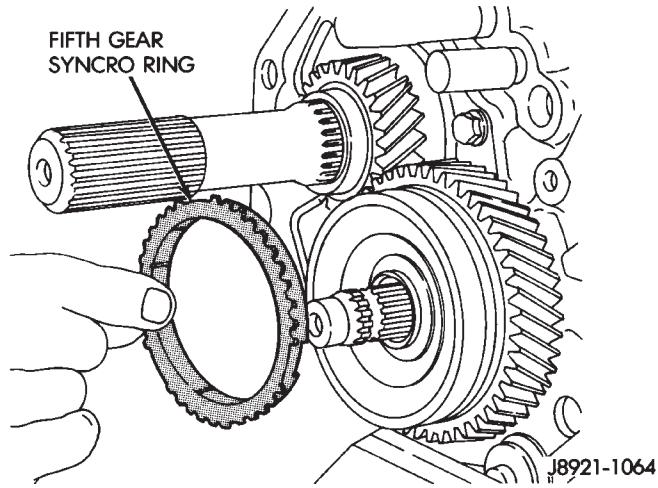
(27) Install fifth gear thrust ring onto countershaft and over lock ball (Fig. 96).

(28) Install countershaft fifth gear bearing halves into countershaft fifth gear assembly (Fig. 97).

**Fig. 96 Install Fifth Gear Thrust Ring****Fig. 97 Install Countershaft Fifth Gear Bearings**

(29) Install countershaft fifth gear assembly onto countershaft (Fig. 98).

(30) Install fifth gear synchronizer ring (Fig. 99).

**Fig. 98 Install Countershaft Fifth Gear Assembly****Fig. 99 Install Fifth Gear Synchronizer Ring**

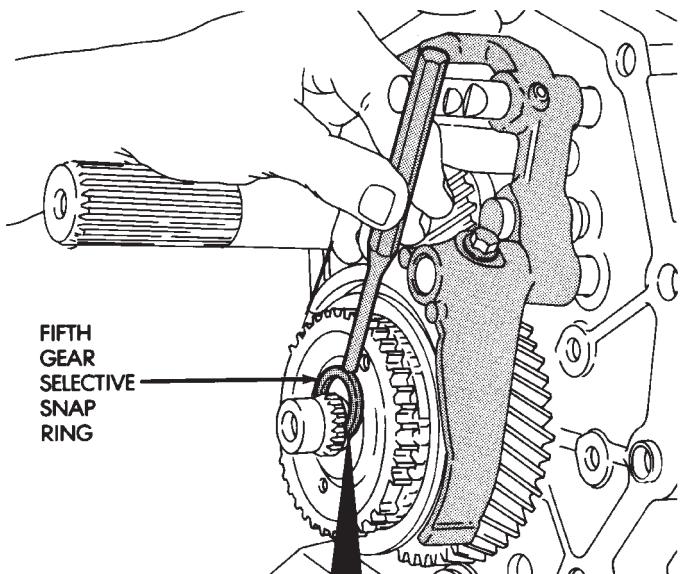
(31) Position fifth gear blocker ring onto countershaft. Verify that blocker ring and countershaft splines are aligned.

(32) Using a suitable driver and mallet, seat the blocker ring onto the countershaft.

(33) Select the thickest snap-ring the will fit into the snap-ring groove of the countershaft.

(34) Install snap-ring to hold the countershaft fifth gear assembly onto the countershaft (Fig. 100).

(35) Install the reverse shift head and rail assembly (Fig. 101).



I.D. MARK	SNAP RING THICKNESS	MM (IN.)
A	2.85 - 2.90	(0.1122 - 0.1142)
B	2.90 - 2.95	(0.1142 - 0.1161)
C	2.95 - 3.00	(0.1161 - 0.1181)
D	3.00 - 3.05	(0.1181 - 0.1201)
E	3.05 - 3.10	(0.1201 - 0.1220)
F	3.10 - 3.15	(0.1220 - 0.1240)
G	3.15 - 3.20	(0.1240 - 0.1260)
H	3.20 - 3.25	(0.1260 - 0.1280)

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*Fig. 100 Install Fifth Gear Snap-ring*

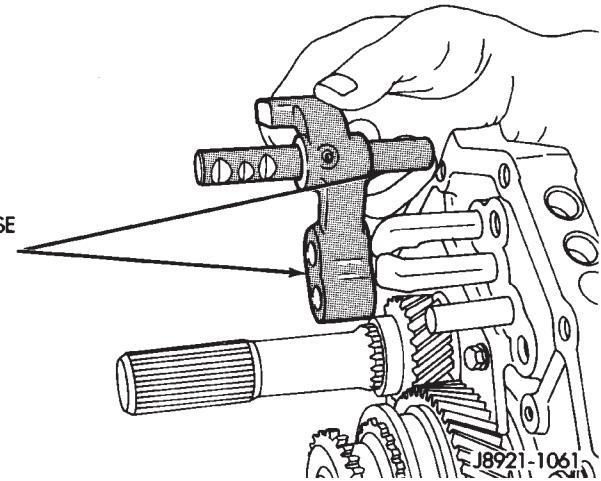
(36) Move reverse shift rail forward as far as possible and install fifth gear shift fork onto synchronizer sleeve (Fig. 102).

(37) Install new bolt to hold fifth gear shift fork to shift rail (Fig. 103).

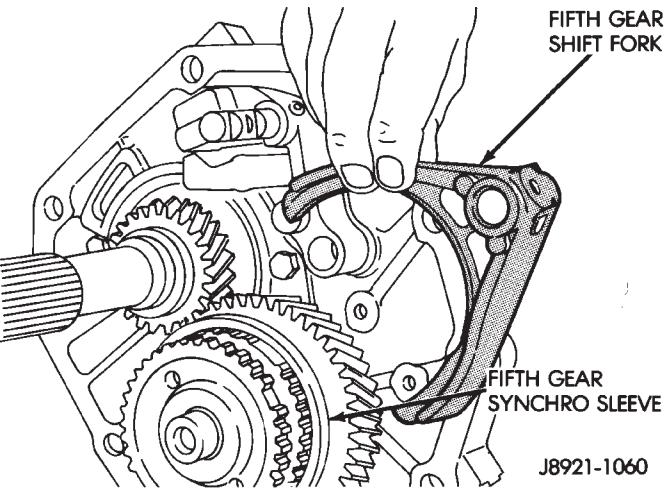
(38) Install detent balls and springs into openings in the intermediate plate (Fig. 104).

(39) Install new lock ball plugs into the intermediate plate. Tighten plugs to 19 N·m (14 ft. lbs.).

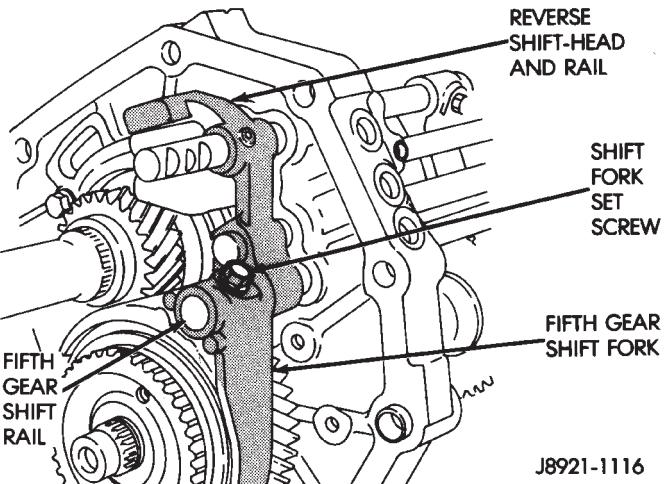
(40) Install bolts to hold reverse shift arm to the intermediate plate. Tighten bolts to 18 N·m (13 ft. lbs.).



*Fig. 101 Install Reverse Shift Head And Rail Assembly*

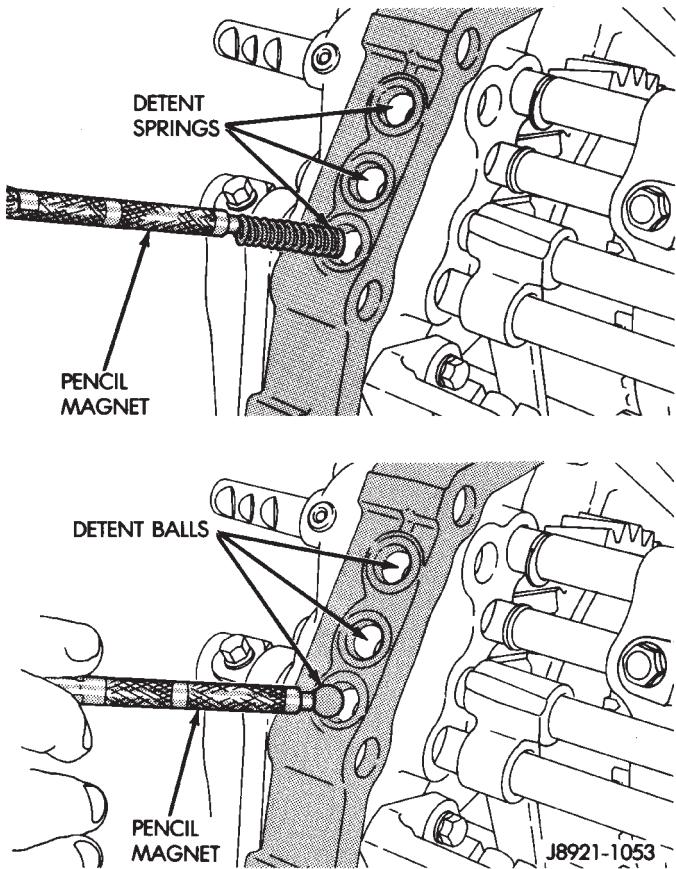


*Fig. 102 Install Fifth Gear Shift Fork*



*Fig. 103 Install Fifth Gear Shift Fork Retainer Bolt*

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 104 Install Detent Balls And Springs****COUNTERSHAFT****DISASSEMBLY**

(1) Remove select fit snap-ring holding the countershaft front bearing onto the countershaft (Fig. 105).

(2) Using Bearing Splitter P-334, a suitable spacer on center of countershaft, and a shop press, remove the countershaft front bearing from the countershaft.

**ASSEMBLY**

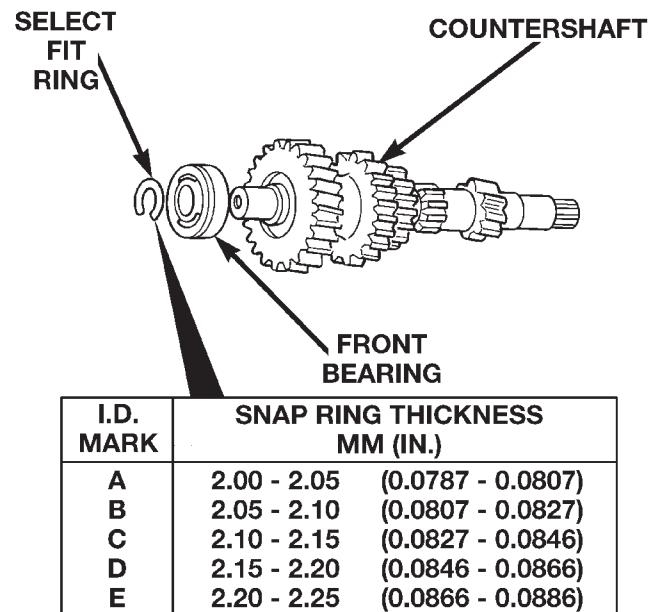
(1) Remove any nicks or burrs on countershaft hub with fine emery or crocus cloth.

(2) Position countershaft front bearing on end of countershaft. Be sure the snap-ring groove in bearing is facing forward.

(3) Using Special Tool 8109 and a shop press, press bearing onto countershaft.

(4) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the countershaft (Fig. 105).

(5) Install snap-ring to hold countershaft front bearing onto countershaft.

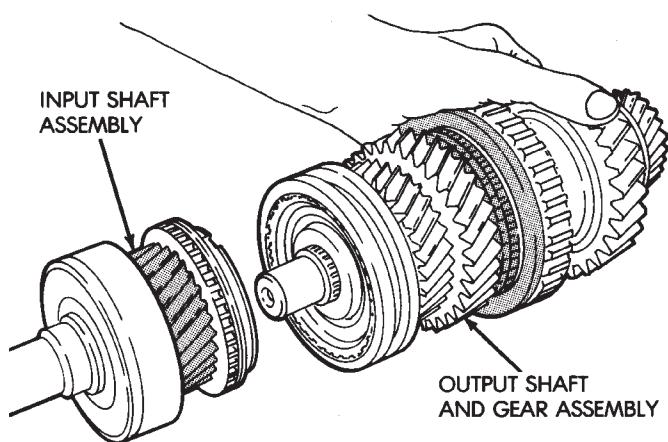


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**Fig. 105 Countershaft Front Bearing Snap-ring****INPUT SHAFT****DISASSEMBLY**

(1) Verify that the 3-4 synchronizer is in the neutral position.

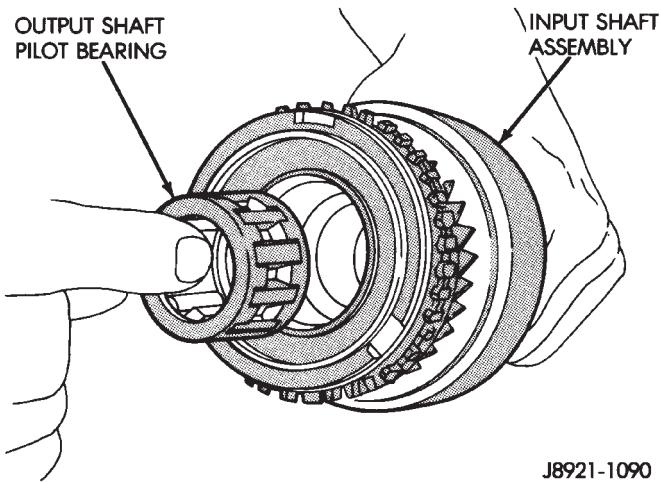
(2) Separate input shaft from output shaft (Fig. 106).

**Fig. 106 Separate Input and Output Shafts**

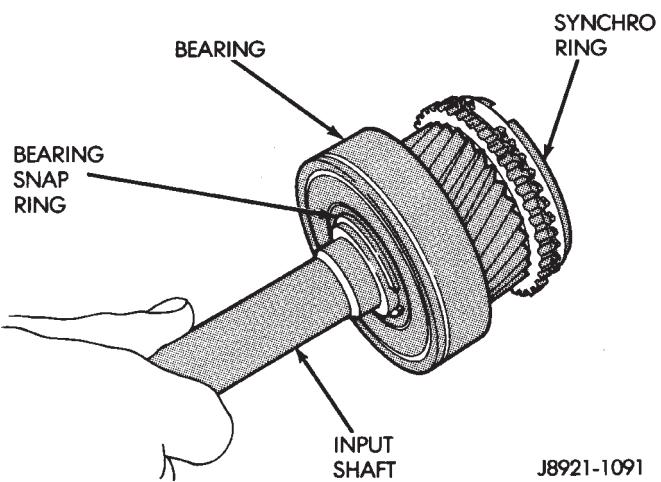
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(3) Remove the output shaft pilot bearing from the input shaft or output shaft (Fig. 107).

(4) Remove the fourth gear synchronizer ring from the input shaft (Fig. 108).



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**Fig. 107 Remove Output Shaft Pilot Bearing**

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**Fig. 108 Input Shaft Components**

(5) Remove the select fit snap-ring holding the input shaft bearing onto the input shaft.

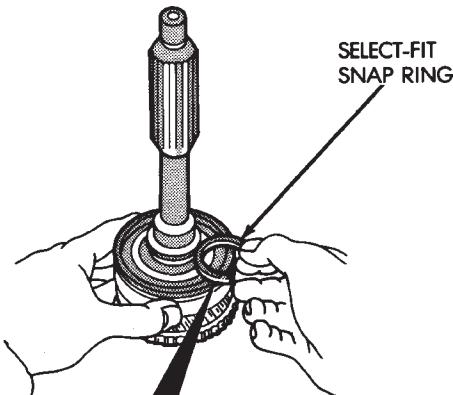
(6) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 and a shop press, remove the bearing from the input shaft.

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Position input shaft bearing onto input shaft. Be sure that the snap-ring groove in the bearing is facing forward.

(2) Using Driver 6052, drive bearing onto input shaft.

(3) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the input shaft (Fig. 109).



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**Fig. 109 Select Input Shaft Bearing Snap-ring**

(4) Lubricate output shaft pilot bearing bore of input shaft with petroleum jelly.

(5) Install output shaft pilot bearing in input shaft bore (Fig. 107).

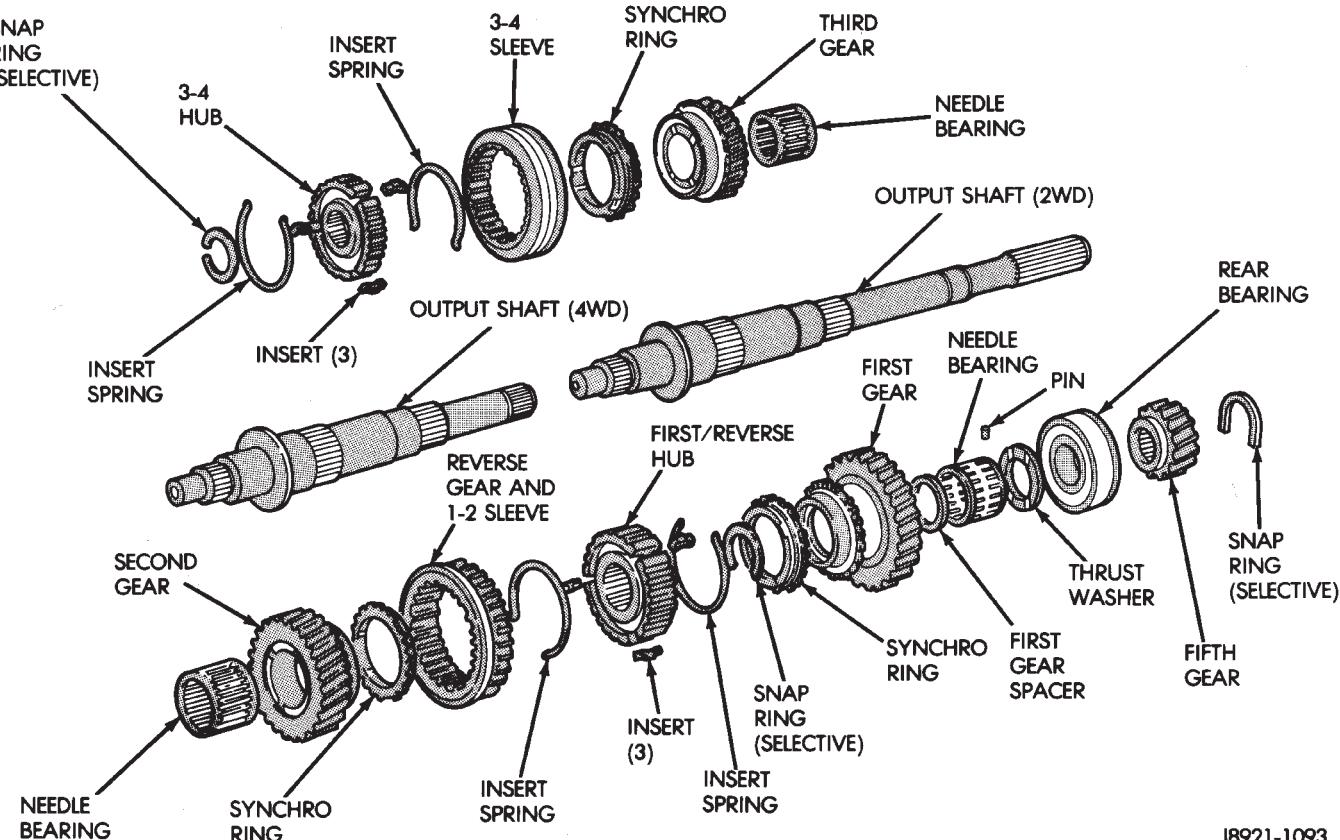
(6) Install the fourth gear synchronizer ring onto the input shaft.

(7) Install input shaft to output shaft.

## OUTPUT SHAFT

Refer to (Fig. 110) for parts identification during disassembly and assembly of the output shaft.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)



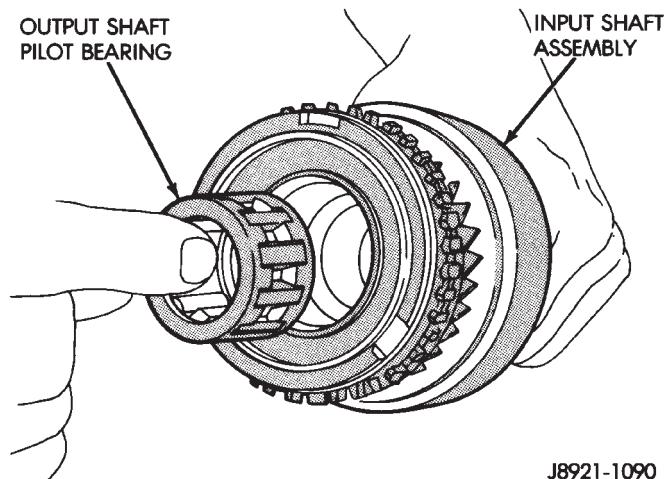
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Fig. 110 Output Shaft And Gears

## DISASSEMBLY

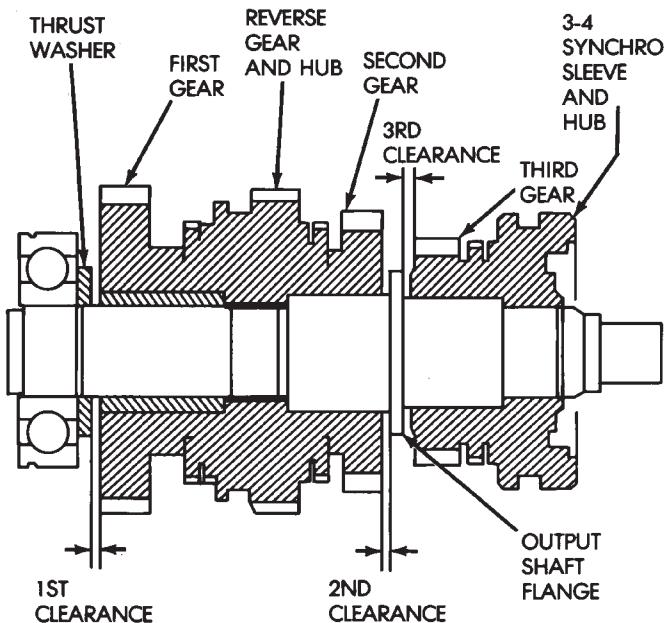
(1) Remove input shaft and output shaft pilot bearing from output shaft (Fig. 111), if necessary.

(2) Measure and note thrust clearance of output shaft gears (Fig. 112). First gear clearance should be 0.10 – 0.40 mm (0.004 – 0.0197 in.). Second and third gear clearance should be 0.10 – 0.30 mm (0.003 – 0.0118 in.).



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Fig. 111 Remove Output Shaft Pilot Bearing

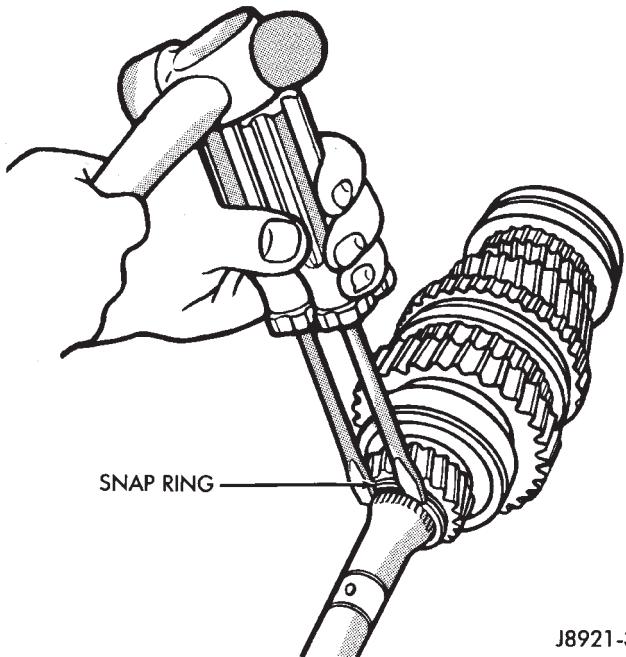


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Fig. 112 Check Output Shaft Gear Thrust Clearance

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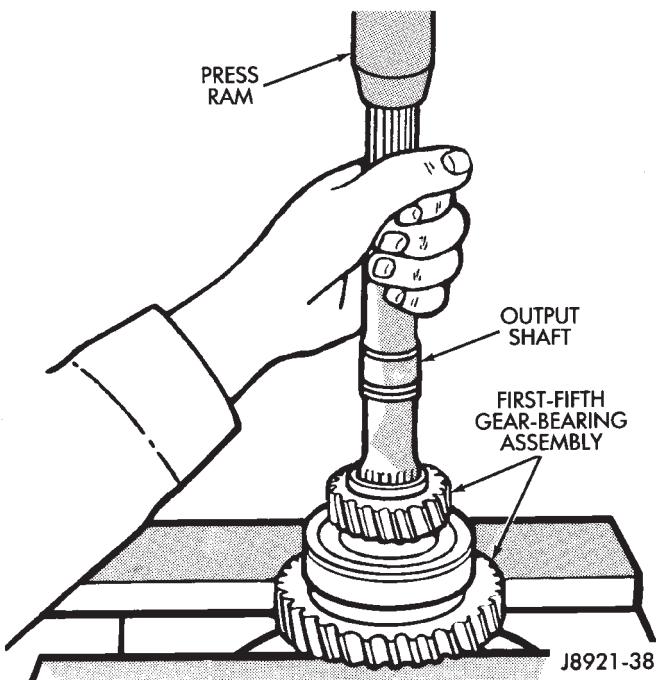
- (3) Remove output shaft fifth gear snap ring with two screwdrivers (Fig. 113).



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**Fig. 113 Remove Fifth Gear Snap-ring**

- (4) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under first gear, press fifth gear, rear bearing, first gear, and first gear thrust washer off output shaft (Fig. 114).



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**Fig. 114 Remove Fifth Gear, First Gear Bearing, And Thrust Washer**

- (5) Remove first gear thrust washer locating pin from output shaft.

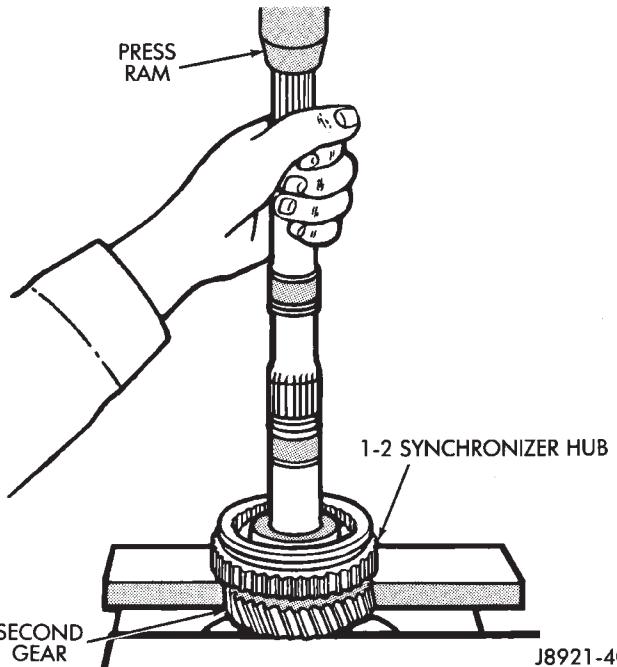
- (6) Remove first gear needle roller bearing from output shaft.

(7) Remove first gear spacer from output shaft.

(8) Remove first gear synchronizer ring.

- (9) Remove select fit snap-ring holding the 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear onto the output shaft.

- (10) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under second gear, press 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear and second gear from output shaft (Fig. 115).



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**Fig. 115 Remove Second Gear And 1-2 Synchronizer/Reverse Gear**

- (11) Remove second gear needle roller bearing from the output shaft or second gear.

- (12) Remove select fit snap-ring holding the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft (Fig. 116).

- (13) Using Bearing Splitter P-334 or suitable press plates positioned under third gear, press the 3-4 synchronizer and third gear from output shaft (Fig. 117).

- (14) Remove third gear needle roller bearing from output shaft or gear.

**ASSEMBLY**

- (1) Lubricate transmission components with specified gear lubricant during assembly.

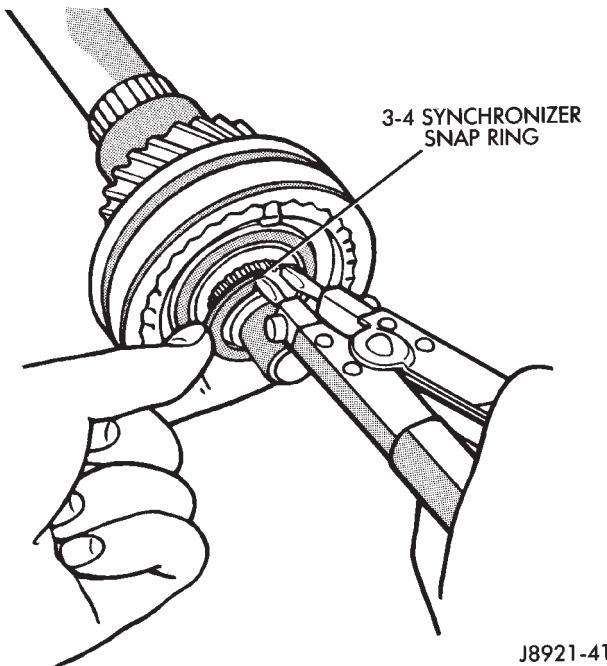
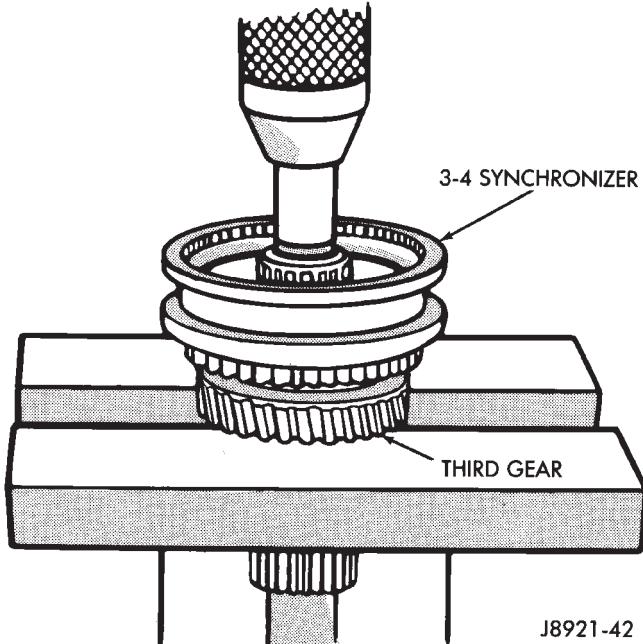
- (2) If necessary, assemble 1-2 and 3-4 synchronizer hubs, sleeves, springs and key inserts (Fig. 118).

- (3) Install third gear needle bearing onto the output shaft.

- (4) Install third gear over bearing and onto output shaft flange.

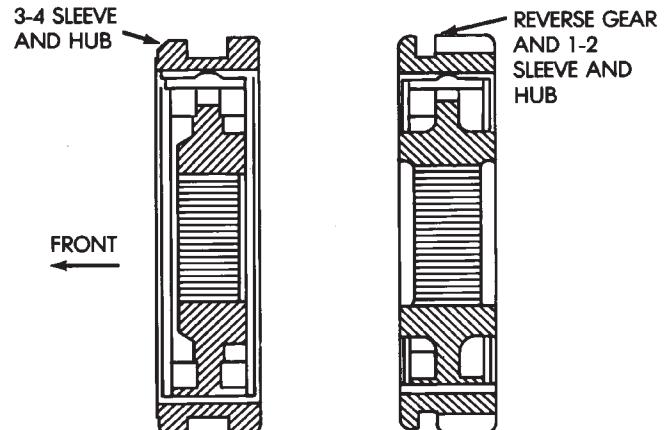
- (5) Install third gear synchronizer ring to third gear.

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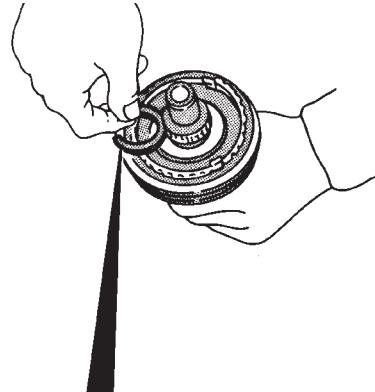
**Fig. 116 Remove 3-4 Synchronizer Snap Ring****Fig. 117 Remove 3-4 Synchronizer And Third Gear**

(6) Position the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft.

(7) Using Adapter 6761 and a shop press, press the 3-4 synchronizer onto the output shaft.

**Fig. 118 Synchronizer Identification**

(8) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the output shaft (Fig. 119).



I.D. MARK	SNAP RING THICKNESS	MM (IN.)
A	1.80 - 1.85	(0.0709 - 0.0728)
B	1.85 - 1.90	(0.0728 - 0.0748)
C	1.90 - 1.95	(0.0748 - 0.0768)
D	1.95 - 2.00	(0.0768 - 0.0787)
E	2.00 - 2.05	(0.0787 - 0.0807)
F	2.05 - 2.10	(0.0807 - 0.0827)
G	2.10 - 2.15	(0.0827 - 0.0846)

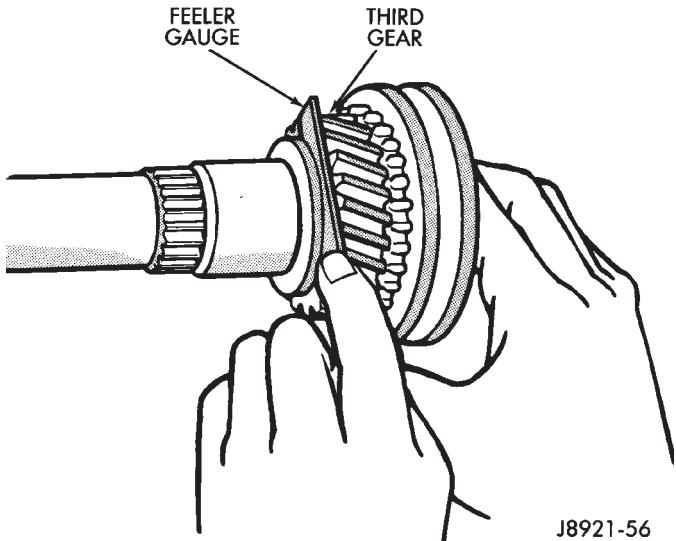
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**Fig. 119 Select 3-4 Synchronizer Snap-ring**

(9) Install snap-ring to hold 3-4 synchronizer onto output shaft.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(10) Verify third gear thrust clearance with feeler gauge (Fig. 120). Clearance should be 0.10 – 0.30 mm (0.003 – 0.0118 in.). If clearance is out of specification, refer to Cleaning and Inspection section within this group.



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**Fig. 120 Check Third Gear Clearance**

(11) Install second gear needle bearing onto output shaft.

(12) Install second gear over bearing and onto output shaft flange.

(13) Install second gear synchronizer ring onto second gear.

(14) Position 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear assembly onto splines of output shaft.

(15) Using Driver MD-998805, Adapter 6761, and a shop press, press the 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear onto the output shaft.

(16) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the output shaft (Fig. 121).

(17) Install snap-ring to hold 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear onto output shaft.

(18) Install first gear synchronizer ring into 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear.

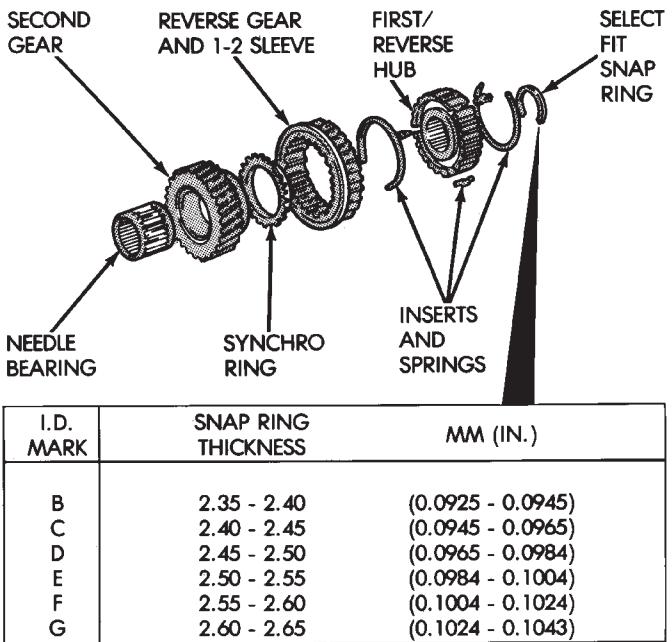
(19) Install the first gear spacer onto the input shaft and against the 1-2 synchronizer/reverse gear snap-ring.

(20) Install first gear needle bearing onto output shaft (Fig. 122).

(21) Install first gear onto output shaft and over bearing.

(22) Install the first gear thrust washer locating pin into the output shaft.

(23) Install the first gear thrust washer onto the output shaft. Rotate the thrust washer until the washer locating pin aligns with the notch in the washer.



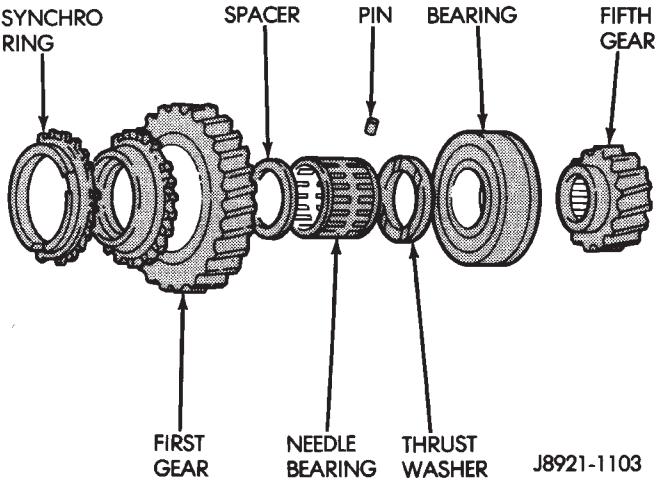
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**Fig. 121 Second Gear And Synchronizer Assembly**

(24) Position output shaft rear bearing onto output shaft. Ensure that the snap ring groove in bearing outer race is toward rear of output shaft.

(25) Using Driver L-4507 and suitable mallet, drive bearing onto output shaft.

(26) Install snap-ring onto output shaft rear bearing outer race.

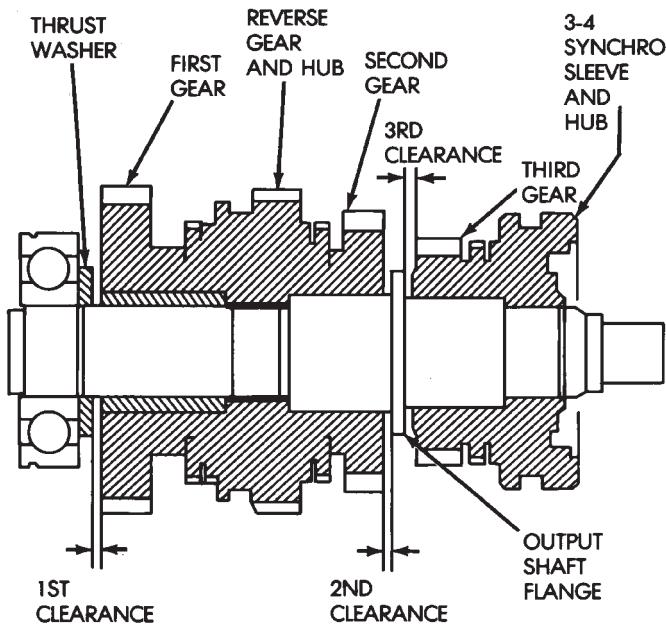


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**Fig. 122 First And Fifth Gear Components**

(27) Check first and second gear thrust clearance (Fig. 123). First gear clearance should be 0.10 – 0.40 mm (0.003 – 0.0197 in.). Second gear clearance should be 0.10 – 0.30 mm (0.003 – 0.0118 in.). If clearance is out of specification, refer to Cleaning and Inspection section within this group.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 123 Check First–Second Gear Thrust Clearance**

(28) Position fifth gear onto output shaft with the gear's long shoulder toward the rear of shaft. Ensure that the gear and output shaft splines are aligned.

(29) Using Adapter 6761, Driver L-4507, and a shop press, press fifth gear onto output shaft.

(30) Select the thickest snap-ring that will fit into the snap-ring groove of the output shaft (Fig. 124).

(31) Install snap-ring to hold fifth gear onto output shaft.

(32) Install output shaft pilot bearing into the input shaft.

(33) Install the input shaft to the output shafts.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION

## AX15 MANUAL TRANSMISSION COMPONENTS

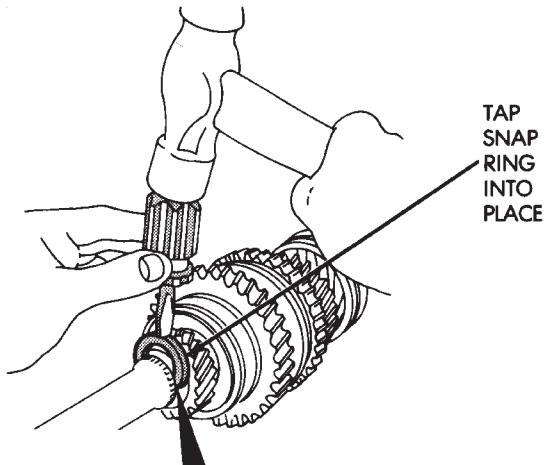
## GENERAL INFORMATION

Clean the transmission components in solvent. Dry the cases, gears, shift mechanism and shafts with compressed air. Dry the bearings with clean, dry shop towels only. Never use compressed air on the bearings. This could cause severe damage to the bearing roller and race surfaces.

If output shaft flange thickness is within specification but any gear thrust clearance is out of specification, replace the necessary gear and gear needle bearing as an assembly.

## GEAR CASE, ADAPTER/EXTENSION HOUSING, INTERMEDIATE PLATE

Clean the case, housing, and intermediate plate with solvent and dry with compressed air. Replace



I.D. MARK	SNAP RING THICKNESS	MM (IN.)
A	2.75 - 2.80	(0.1083 - 0.1102)
B	2.80 - 2.85	(0.1092 - 0.1122)
C	2.85 - 2.90	(0.1122 - 0.1142)
D	2.90 - 2.95	(0.1142 - 0.1161)
E	2.95 - 3.00	(0.1161 - 0.1181)
F	3.00 - 3.05	(0.1181 - 0.1201)
G	3.05 - 3.10	(0.1201 - 0.1220)
H	3.10 - 3.15	(0.1220 - 0.1240)
J	3.15 - 3.20	(0.1240 - 0.1260)
K	3.20 - 3.25	(0.1260 - 0.1280)
L	3.25 - 3.30	(0.1280 - 0.1299)
M	3.30 - 3.35	(0.1299 - 0.1319)

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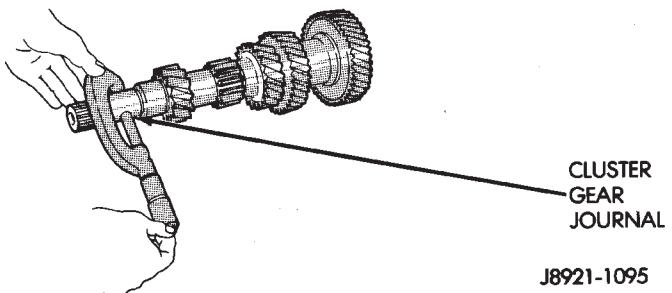
**Fig. 124 Select/Install Fifth Gear Snap Ring**

the case if cracked, porous, or if any of the bearing and gear bores are damaged.

Inspect the threads in the case, housing, and plate. Minor thread damage can be repaired with steel thread inserts, if necessary. Do not attempt to repair any threads which show evidence of cracks around the threaded hole.

## OUTPUT SHAFT

Check thickness of the output shaft flange with a micrometer or vernier calipers (Fig. 125). Minimum allowable flange thickness is 4.70 mm (0.185 in.).



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**Fig. 125 Check Output Shaft Tolerances**

Check diameter of the first, second, and third gear bearing surfaces on the output shaft. Minimum diameters are as follows:

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

- First gear bearing surface is 38.86 mm (1.529 in.).
- Second gear bearing surface is 46.86 mm (1.844 in.).
- Third gear bearing surface is 37.86 mm (1.490 in.).

Measure output shaft runout with a dial indicator and V-blocks (Fig. 125). Runout should not exceed 0.06 mm (0.0024 in.).

Replace output shaft if measurement of any surface is out of specification. Do not attempt to repair out of specification components.

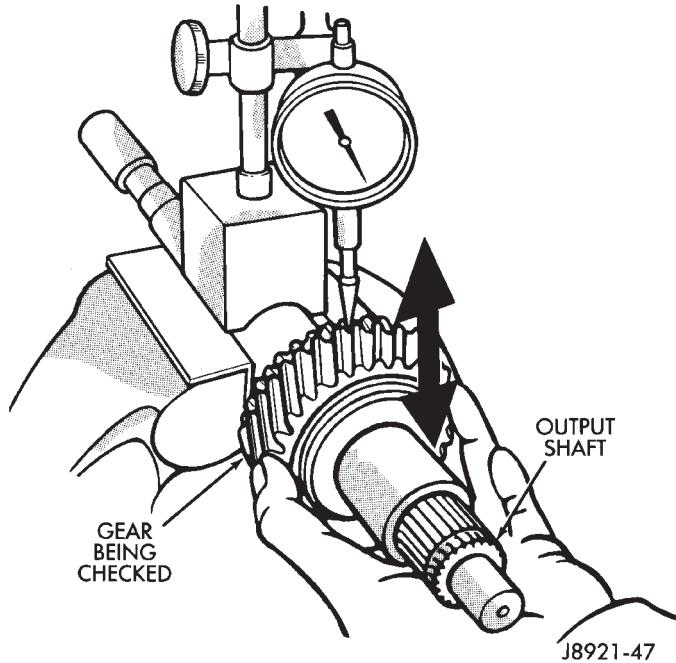
## COUNTERSHAFT

Inspect the countershaft gear teeth. Replace the countershaft if any teeth are worn or damaged. Inspect the bearing surfaces and replace shaft if any surface shows damage or wear.

Check condition of the countershaft front bearing. Replace the bearing if worn, noisy, or damaged.

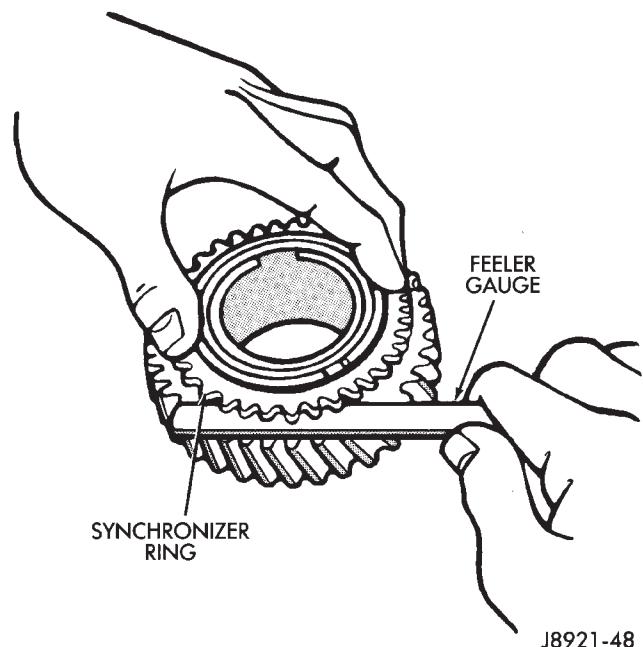
## GEAR AND SYNCHRONIZER

Install the needle bearings in the first, second, third and counter fifth gears. Install the gears on the output shaft. Then check oil clearance between the gears and shaft with a dial indicator (Fig. 126). Oil clearance for all three gears is 0.16 mm (0.0063 in.) maximum.



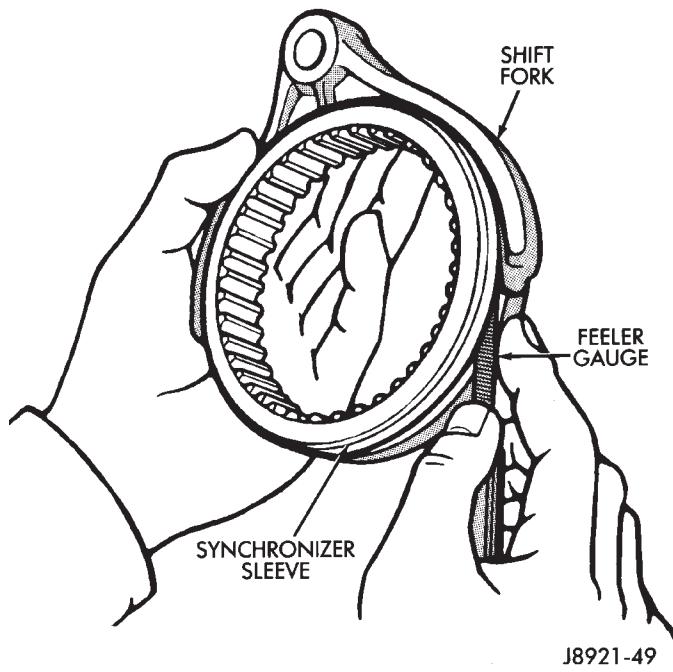
**Fig. 126 Check Gear-To-Shaft Oil Clearance**

Check synchronizer ring wear (Fig. 127). Insert each ring in matching gear. Measure clearance between each ring and gear with feeler gauge. Clearance should be 0.06 – 1.6 mm (0.024 – 0.063 in.).



**Fig. 127 Check Synchronizer Ring Wear**

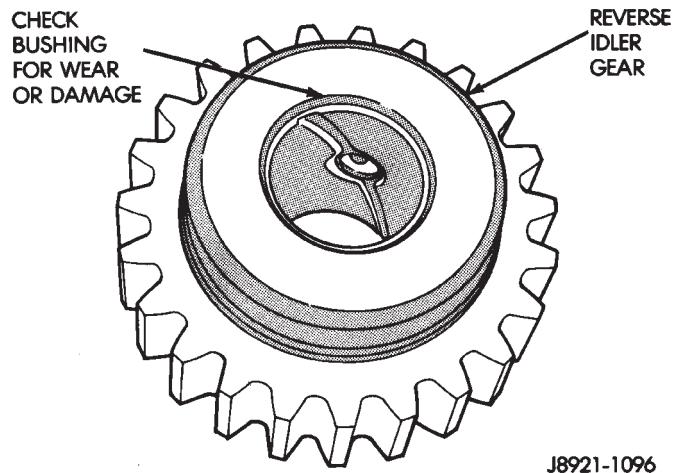
Check shift fork-to-synchronizer hub clearance with a feeler gauge (Fig. 128). Replace the fork if clearance exceeds 1.0 mm (0.039 in.).



**Fig. 128 Check Fork-To-Hub Clearance**

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

Check the condition of the reverse idler gear bushing (Fig. 129). Replace the gear if the bushing is damaged or worn.



**Fig. 129 Reverse Idler Gear Bushing**

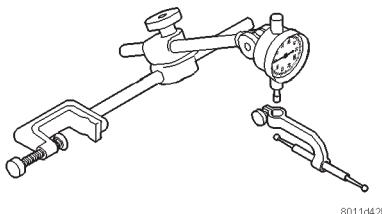
## SPECIFICATIONS

## TORQUE

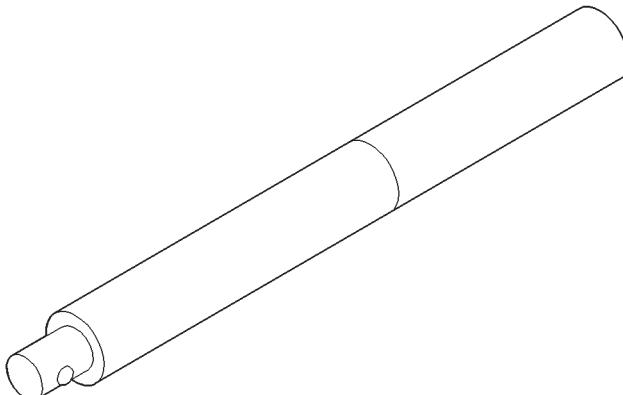
DESCRIPTION	TORQUE
Plugs, Access	19 N·m (14 ft.lbs.)
Bolts, Adapter Housing	34 N·m (25 ft.lbs.)
Switch, Back-up Light	44 N·m (32.5 ft.lbs.)
Plugs, Drain and Fill	44 N·m (32.5 ft.lbs.)
Bolts, Front Bearing Retainer	17 N·m (12 ft.lbs.)
Plugs, Interlock and Detent	19 N·m (14 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Propeller	
Shaft Clamp	16–23 N·m (140–200 in.lbs.)
Bolts, Rear Mount to	
Transmission	33–60 N·m (24–44 ft.lbs.)
Nut, Rear Mount Clevis	54–75 N·m (40–55 ft.lbs.)
Nuts, Rear Mount to	
Crossmember	33–49 N·m (24–36 ft.lbs.)
Pins, Restrictor	27.4 N·m (20 ft.lbs.)
Bolts, Reverse Shift Arm	
Bracket	18 N·m (13 ft.lbs.)
Screw, Shift Arm Set	38 N·m (28 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Shift Fork Set	20 N·m (15 ft.lbs.)
Nut, Shift Knob	20–34 N·m (15–25 ft.lbs.)
Screws, Shifter Floor	
Cover	2–3 N·m (17–30 in.lbs.)
Bolts, Shift Tower	18 N·m (13 ft.lbs.)
Nuts, Transfer Case Mounting	30–41 N·m (22–30 ft.lbs.)

## SPECIAL TOOLS

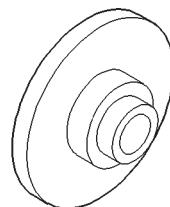
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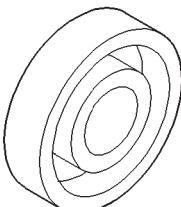
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**C-4171 Handle, Universal Tool**

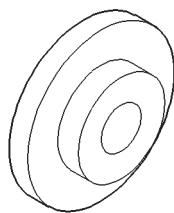


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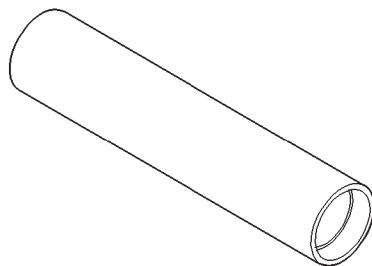


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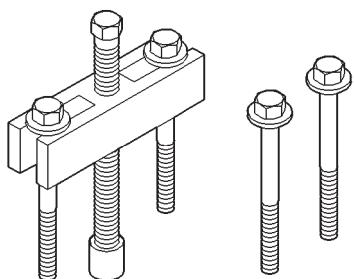
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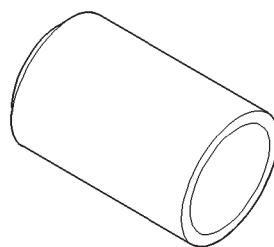
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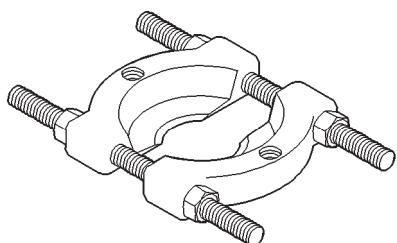
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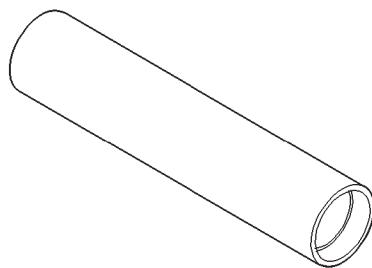
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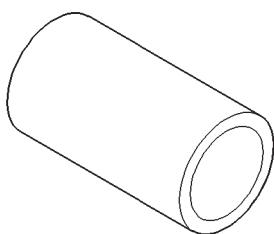
**6761 Adapter, Installer**



**P-334 Splitter, Bearing**



**MD-998805 Tube, Driver**



**8109 Cup, Installer**



**L-4507 Tube, Driver**

## AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION—30/32RH

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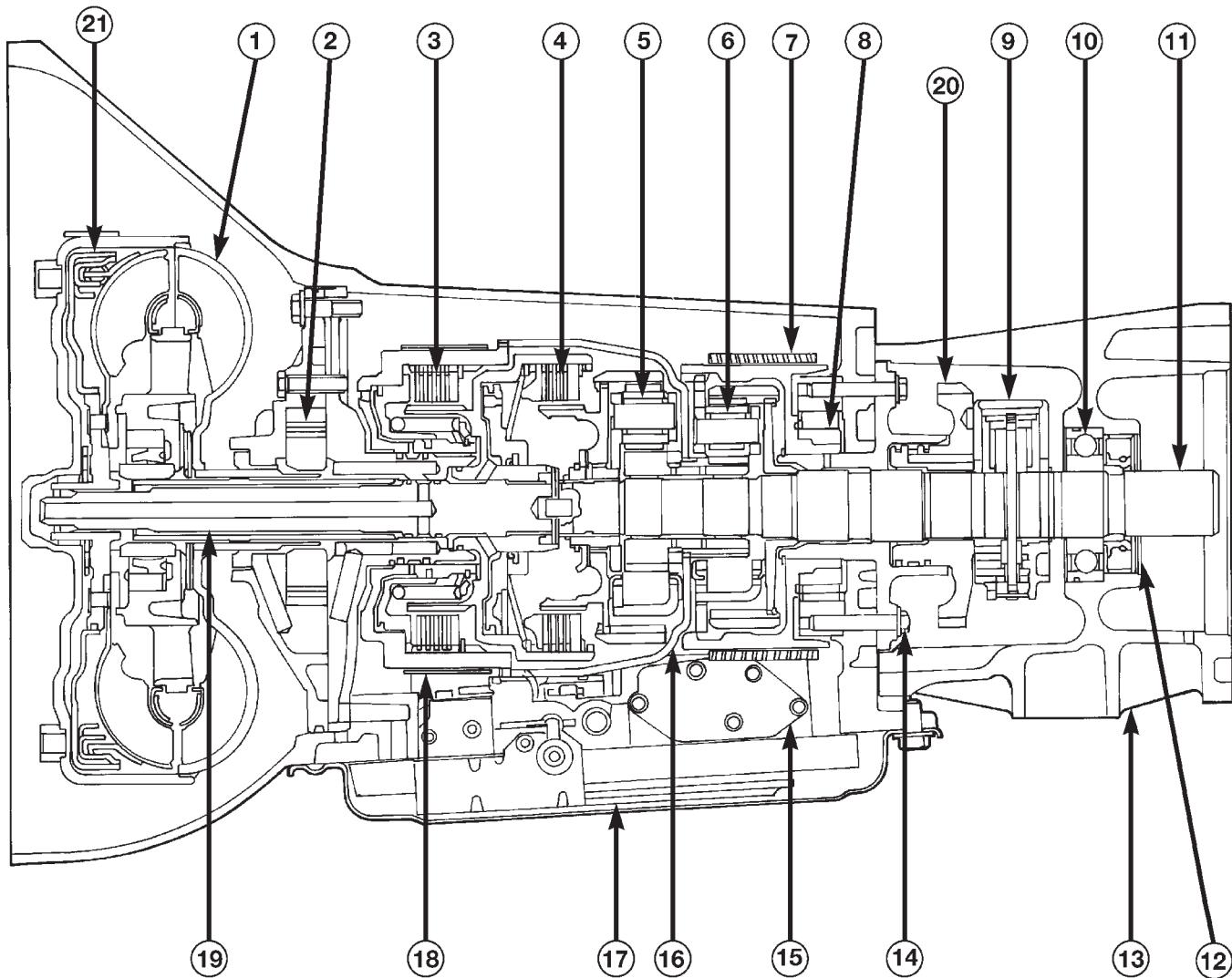
## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 30/32RH AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

The 30RH automatic transmission is used with the 2.5L engine. The 32RH automatic transmission (Fig. 1) is used with the 4.0L engine. The 30/32RH are three speed transmissions with a lock-up clutch in the torque converter. The torque converter clutch is controlled by the Powertrain Control Module (PCM). The torque converter clutch is hydraulically applied and is released when fluid is vented from the

hydraulic circuit by the torque converter control (TCC) solenoid on the valve body. The torque converter clutch engages in third gear when the vehicle is cruising on a level plane after the vehicle has warmed up. The torque converter clutch will disengage when the vehicle begins to go uphill or the accelerator is applied. The torque converter clutch feature increases fuel economy and reduces the transmission fluid temperature. The 30/32RH transmission is cooled by an integral fluid cooler inside the radiator.

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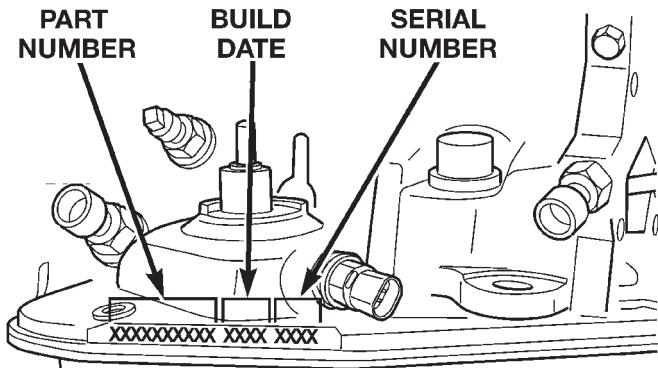
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| (1) CONVERTER                   | (11) OUTPUT SHAFT           |
| (2) OIL PUMP                    | (12) SEAL                   |
| (3) FRONT CLUTCH                | (13) ADAPTER HOUSING        |
| (4) REAR CLUTCH                 | (14) PARK LOCK ROD          |
| (5) FRONT PLANETARY GEAR SET    | (15) VALVE BODY             |
| (6) REAR PLANETARY GEAR SET     | (16) SUN GEAR DRIVING SHELL |
| (7) LOW AND REVERSE (REAR) BAND | (17) OIL FILTER             |
| (8) OVERRUNNING CLUTCH          | (18) KICK DOWN (FRONT) BAND |
| (9) GOVERNOR                    | (19) INPUT SHAFT            |
| (10) BEARING                    | (20) PARK GEAR              |
|                                 | (21) CONVERTER CLUTCH       |

Fig. 1 30/32 RH Automatic Transmission

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## TRANSMISSION IDENTIFICATION

Transmission identification numbers are stamped on the left side of the case just above the oil pan gasket surface (Fig. 2). Refer to this information when ordering replacement parts.



*Fig. 2 Transmission Part And Serial Number Location*

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## RECOMMENDED FLUID

Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176 automatic transmission fluid is the recommended fluid for Chrysler automatic transmissions.

**Dexron II fluid IS NOT recommended. Clutch chatter can result from the use of improper fluid.**

## EFFECTS OF INCORRECT FLUID LEVEL

A low fluid level allows the pump to take in air along with the fluid. Air in the fluid will cause fluid pressures to be low and develop slower than normal. If the transmission is overfilled, the gears churn the fluid into foam. This aerates the fluid and causing the same conditions occurring with a low level. In either case, air bubbles cause fluid overheating, oxidation and varnish buildup which interferes with valve, clutch and servo operation. Foaming also causes fluid expansion which can result in fluid overflow from the transmission vent or fill tube. Fluid overflow can easily be mistaken for a leak if inspection is not careful.

## CAUSES OF BURNT FLUID

Burnt, discolored fluid is a result of overheating which has two primary causes.

(1) A result of restricted fluid flow through the main and/or auxiliary cooler. This condition is usually the result of a faulty or improperly installed drainback valve, a damaged main cooler, or severe restrictions in the coolers and lines caused by debris or kinked lines.

(2) Heavy duty operation with a vehicle not properly equipped for this type of operation. Trailer towing or similar high load operation will overheat the

transmission fluid if the vehicle is improperly equipped. Such vehicles should have an auxiliary transmission fluid cooler, a heavy duty cooling system, and the engine/axle ratio combination needed to handle heavy loads.

## FLUID CONTAMINATION

Transmission fluid contamination is generally a result of:

- adding incorrect fluid
- failure to clean dipstick and fill tube when checking level
- engine coolant entering the fluid
- internal failure that generates debris
- overheat that generates sludge (fluid breakdown)
- failure to reverse flush cooler and lines after repair
- failure to replace contaminated converter after repair

The use of non recommended fluids can result in transmission failure. The usual results are erratic shifts, slippage, abnormal wear and eventual failure due to fluid breakdown and sludge formation. Avoid this condition by using recommended fluids only.

The dipstick cap and fill tube should be wiped clean before checking fluid level. Dirt, grease and other foreign material on the cap and tube could fall into the tube if not removed beforehand. Take the time to wipe the cap and tube clean before withdrawing the dipstick.

Engine coolant in the transmission fluid is generally caused by a cooler malfunction. The only remedy is to replace the radiator as the cooler in the radiator is not a serviceable part. If coolant has circulated through the transmission for some time, an overhaul may also be necessary; especially if shift problems had developed.

The transmission cooler and lines should be reverse flushed whenever a malfunction generates sludge and/or debris. The torque converter should also be replaced at the same time.

Failure to flush the cooler and lines will result in recontamination. Flushing applies to auxiliary coolers as well. The torque converter should also be replaced whenever a failure generates sludge and debris. This is necessary because normal converter flushing procedures will not remove all contaminants.

## TORQUE CONVERTER—ELECTRONIC CLUTCH

The torque converter is a hydraulic device that couples the engine crankshaft to the transmission. The torque converter consists of an outer shell with an internal turbine, a stator, an overrunning clutch, an impeller and an electronically applied converter

## GENERAL INFORMATION (Continued)

clutch. Torque multiplication is created when the stator directs the hydraulic flow from the turbine to rotate the impeller in the direction the engine crankshaft is turning. The turbine transfers power to the planetary gear sets in the transmission. The transfer of power into the impeller assists torque multiplication. At low vehicle speed, the overrunning clutch holds the stator (during torque multiplication) and allows the stator to free wheel at high vehicle speed. The converter clutch provides reduced engine speed and greater fuel economy when engaged. Clutch engagement also provides reduced transmission fluid temperatures. The converter clutch engages in third gear. The torque converter hub drives the transmission oil (fluid) pump.

The torque converter is a sealed, welded unit that is not repairable and is serviced as an assembly.

**CAUTION:** The torque converter must be replaced if a transmission failure resulted in large amounts of metal or fiber contamination in the fluid. If the fluid is contaminated, flush the fluid cooler and lines.

## TRANSMISSION GEAR RATIOS

Forward gear ratios are:

- 2.74:1 (first gear)
- 1.54:1 (second gear)
- 1.00:1 (third gear)

## GEARSHIFT MECHANISM

The shift mechanism is cable operated and provides six shift positions. The shift indicator is located on the console next to the gear shift. The shift positions are:

- Park (P)
- Reverse (R)
- Neutral (N)
- Drive (D)
- Manual Second (2)
- Manual Low (1)

Manual low (1) range provides first gear only. Overrun braking is also provided in this range. Manual second (2) range provides first and second gear only. Drive range provides first, second, and third gear ranges.

## DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

### HYDRAULIC CONTROL SYSTEM

The transmission hydraulic control system performs four basic functions.

- pressure supply
- pressure regulation
- flow control and lubrication
- clutch/band application

### PRESSURE SUPPLY

The oil pump develops fluid pressure for clutch/band application and for lubrication. The pump is driven by the torque converter. The converter is driven by a driveplate attached to the engine crankshaft.

### Pressure Regulation

The pressure regulator valve maintains line (operating) pressure. The amount of pressure developed is controlled by throttle pressure which is dependent on the degree of throttle opening. The regulator valve is located in the valve body.

The throttle valve determines throttle pressure and shift speed. Governor pressure increases in proportion to vehicle speed. The throttle valve controls upshift and downshift speeds by regulating pressure according to throttle position.

### Flow Control And Lubrication

The manual valve is operated by the gearshift linkage and provides the operating range selected by the driver.

The switch valve controls line pressure to the converter clutch. The valve also directs oil to the cooling and lubrication circuits. The switch valve regulates oil pressure to the torque converter by limiting maximum oil pressure to 130 psi.

The 1-2 shift valve provide 1-2 and 2-1 shifts and the 2-3 shift valve provide 2-3 and 3-2 shifts.

The 1-2 shift control valve transmits 1-2 shift pressure to the accumulator piston. This controls kickdown band capacity on 1-2 upshifts and 3-2 downshifts.

The 2-3 valve throttle pressure plug provides 3-2 downshifts at varying throttle openings depending on vehicle speed.

The kickdown valve provides forced downshifts depending on vehicle speed. Downshifts occur when the throttle is opened beyond downshift detent position. Detent is reached just before wide open throttle position.

The limit valve determines maximum speed at which a 3-2 part throttle kickdown can be made. Some transmissions do not have the limit valve and maximum speed for a 3-2 kickdown is at the detent position.

The shuttle valve has two functions. First is fast front band release and smooth engagement during "lift foot" 2-3 upshifts. Second is to regulate front clutch release and band application during 3-2 downshifts.

The fail safe valve restricts feed to the converter clutch if front clutch pressure drops. It permits clutch engagement only in direct (third) gear and provides fast clutch release during kickdown.

## DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION (Continued)

### Clutch/Band Application

The front/rear clutch pistons and servo pistons are actuated by line pressure. When line pressure is removed, the pistons are released by spring tension.

On 2-3 upshifts, the front servo piston is released by spring tension and hydraulic pressure. The accumulator controls hydraulic pressure on the apply side of the front servo during 1-2 upshifts and at all throttle openings.

### CONVERTER CLUTCH ENGAGEMENT

Converter clutch engagement in third gear is controlled by sensor inputs to the powertrain control module. Inputs that determine clutch engagement are: coolant temperature, vehicle speed and throttle position. The torque converter clutch is engaged by the clutch solenoid on the valve body. The clutch will engage at approximately 56 km/h (35 mph) with light throttle, after the shift to third gear.

### CONVERTER DRAINBACK VALVE

The drainback valve is located in the transmission cooler outlet (pressure) line. The valve prevents fluid from draining from the converter into the cooler and lines when the vehicle is shut down for lengthy periods. Production valves have a hose nipple at one end, while the opposite end is threaded for a flare fitting. All valves have an arrow (or similar mark) to indicate direction of flow through the valve.

### BRAKE TRANSMISSION SHIFT INTERLOCK

#### MECHANISM

The Brake Transmission Shifter/Ignition Interlock (BTSD), is a cable and solenoid operated system. It interconnects the automatic transmission floor mounted shifter to the steering column ignition switch (Fig. 3). The system locks the shifter into the PARK position. The Interlock system is engaged whenever the ignition switch is in the LOCK or ACCESSORY position. An additional electrically activated feature will prevent shifting out of the PARK position unless the brake pedal is depressed at least one-half an inch. A magnetic holding device in line with the park/brake interlock cable is energized when the ignition is in the RUN position. When the key is in the RUN position and the brake pedal is depressed, the shifter is unlocked and will move into any position. The interlock system also prevents the ignition switch from being turned to the LOCK or ACCESSORY position (Fig. 4) unless the shifter is fully locked into the PARK position.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING

### AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION DIAGNOSIS

Automatic transmission problems can be a result of poor engine performance, incorrect fluid level, incorrect linkage or cable adjustment, band or hydraulic control pressure adjustments, hydraulic system malfunctions or electrical/mechanical component malfunctions. Begin diagnosis by checking the easily accessible items such as: fluid level and condition, linkage adjustments and electrical connections. A road test will determine if further diagnosis is necessary.

### PRELIMINARY DIAGNOSIS

Two basic procedures are required. One procedure for vehicles that are drivable and an alternate procedure for disabled vehicles (will not back up or move forward).

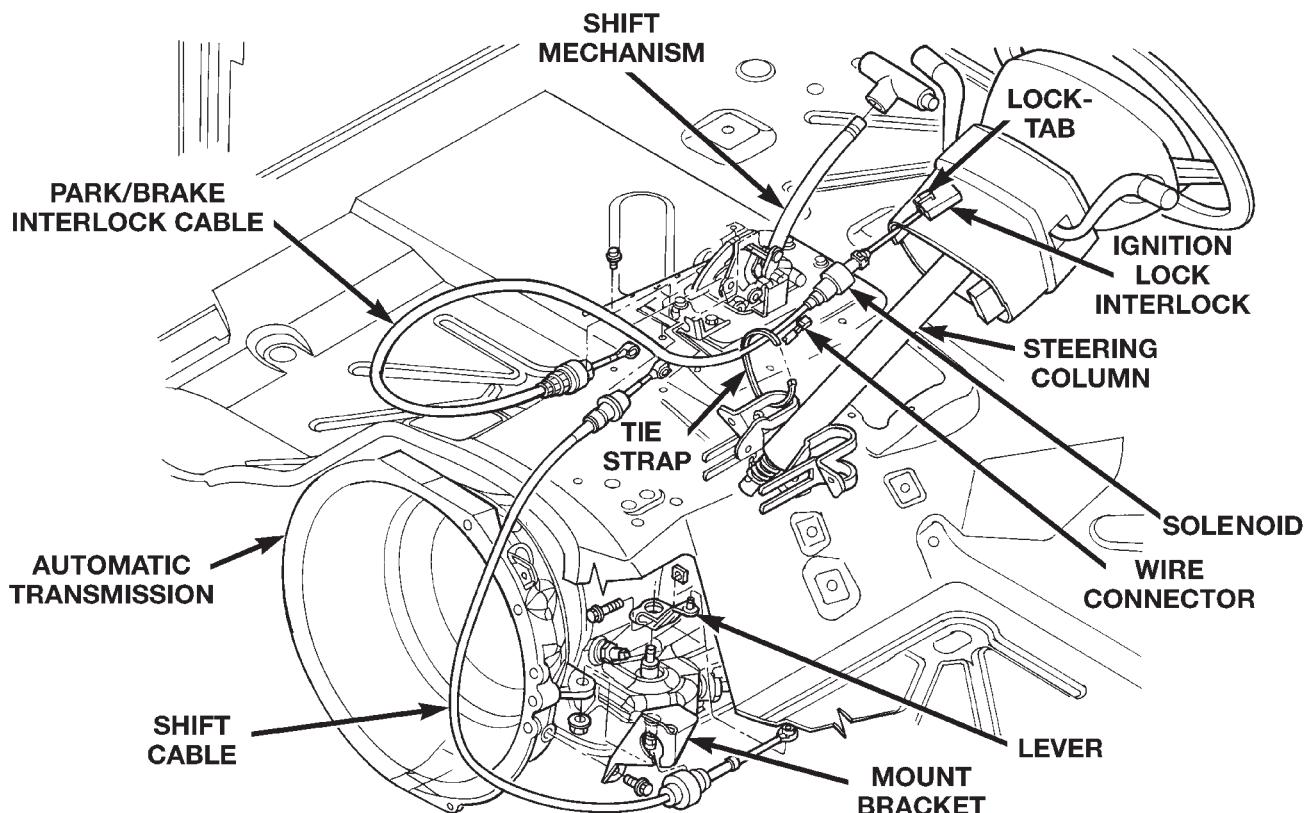
#### VEHICLE IS DRIVEABLE

- (1) Check for transmission fault codes using DRB scan tool.
- (2) Check fluid level and condition.
- (3) Adjust throttle and gearshift linkage if complaint was based on delayed, erratic, or harsh shifts.
- (4) Road test and note how transmission upshifts, downshifts, and engages.
- (5) Perform stall test if complaint is based on sluggish acceleration. Or, if abnormal throttle opening is needed to maintain normal speeds with a properly tuned engine.
- (6) Perform hydraulic pressure test if shift problems were noted during road test.
- (7) Perform air-pressure test to check clutch-band operation.

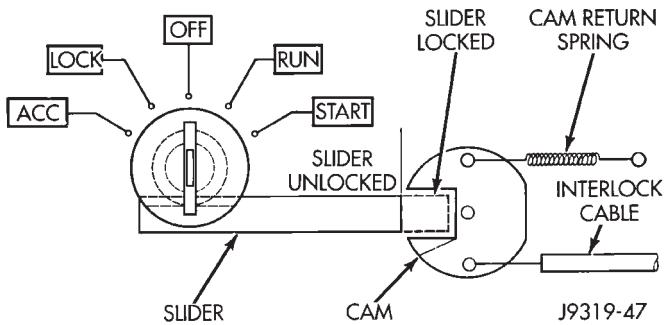
#### VEHICLE IS DISABLED

- (1) Check fluid level and condition.
- (2) Check for broken or disconnected gearshift or throttle linkage.
- (3) Check for cracked, leaking cooler lines, or loose or missing pressure-port plugs.
- (4) Raise and support vehicle on safety stands, start engine, shift transmission into gear, and note following:
  - (a) If propeller shaft turns but wheels do not, problem is with differential or axle shafts.
  - (b) If propeller shaft does not turn and transmission is noisy, stop engine. Remove oil pan, and check for debris. If pan is clear, remove transmission and check for damaged drive plate, converter, oil pump, or input shaft.
  - (c) If propeller shaft does not turn and transmission is not noisy, perform hydraulic-pressure test to determine if problem is hydraulic or mechanical.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)



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**Fig. 3 Ignition Interlock Cable Routing****Fig. 4 Ignition Key Cylinder Actuation****PARK/NEUTRAL POSITION SWITCH**

The center terminal of the park/neutral position switch is the starter-circuit terminal. It provides the ground for the starter solenoid circuit through the selector lever in PARK and NEUTRAL positions only. The outer terminals on the switch are for the backup lamp circuit.

**SWITCH TEST**

To test the switch, remove the wiring connector. Test for continuity between the center terminal and the transmission case. Continuity should exist only when the transmission is in PARK or NEUTRAL.

Shift the transmission into REVERSE and test continuity at the switch outer terminals. Continuity should exist only when the transmission is in REVERSE. Continuity should not exist between the outer terminals and the case.

Check gearshift linkage adjustment before replacing a switch that tests faulty.

**GEARSHIFT CABLE**

(1) The floor shifter lever and gate positions should be in alignment with all transmission PARK, NEUTRAL, and gear detent positions.

(2) Engine starts must be possible with floor shift lever in PARK or NEUTRAL gate positions only. Engine starts must not be possible in any other gear position.

(3) With floor shift lever handle push-button not depressed and lever in:

(a) PARK position—Apply forward force on center of handle and remove pressure. Engine starts must be possible.

(b) PARK position—Apply rearward force on center of handle and remove pressure. Engine starts must be possible.

(c) NEUTRAL position—Normal position. Engine starts must be possible.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

(d) NEUTRAL position—Engine running and brakes applied, apply forward force on center of shift handle. Transmission shall not be able to shift from neutral to reverse.

## THROTTLE VALVE CABLE

Transmission throttle valve cable adjustment is extremely important to proper operation. This adjustment positions the throttle valve, which controls shift speed, quality, and part-throttle downshift sensitivity.

If cable setting is too loose, early shifts and slippage between shifts may occur. If the setting is too tight, shifts may be delayed and part throttle downshifts may be very sensitive. Refer to the Adjustments section for adjustment procedure.

## ROAD TESTING

Before road testing, be sure the fluid level and control cable adjustments have been checked and adjusted if necessary. Verify that diagnostic trouble codes have been resolved.

Observe engine performance during the road test. A poorly tuned engine will not allow accurate analysis of transmission operation.

Operate the transmission in all gear ranges. Check for shift variations and engine flare which indicates slippage. Note if shifts are harsh, spongy, delayed, early, or if part throttle downshifts are sensitive.

Slippage indicated by engine flare, usually means clutch, band or overrunning clutch problems. If the condition is advanced, an overhaul will be necessary to restore normal operation.

A slipping clutch or band can often be determined by comparing which internal units are applied in the various gear ranges. The Clutch and Band Application chart provides a basis for analyzing road test results.

## ANALYZING ROAD TEST

Refer to the Clutch and Band Application chart and note which elements are in use in the various gear ranges.

Verify that the rear clutch is applied in all forward ranges (D, 2, 1). The transmission overrunning clutch is applied in first gear (D, 2 and 1 ranges) only. The rear band is applied in 1 and R range only.

Verify that the overdrive clutch is applied only in fourth gear and the overdrive direct clutch and overrunning clutch are applied in all ranges except fourth gear. For example: If slippage occurs in first gear in D and 2 range but not in 1 range, the transmission overrunning clutch is faulty. Similarly, if slippage occurs in any two forward gears, the rear clutch is slipping.

Applying the same method of analysis, verify that the front and rear clutches are applied simulta-

DRIVE ELEMENTS	Gearshift Lever Position							
	P	R	N	D		2		1
				1	2	3	1	
FRONT CLUTCH		•				•		
FRONT BAND (KICKDOWN)					•			•
REAR CLUTCH				•	•	•	•	•
REAR BAND (LOW-REV.)	•							•
OVER-RUNNING CLUTCH				•			•	•

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**Fig. 5 Clutch And Band Application**

neously only in D range third gear. If the transmission slips in third gear, either the front clutch or the rear clutch is slipping.

If slippage occurs during the third gear and the direct clutch were to fail, the transmission would lose both reverse gear and overrun braking in 2 position (manual second gear). If the transmission slips in any other forward gears, the transmission rear clutch is probably slipping.

This process of elimination can be used to identify a slipping unit and check operation. Proper use of the Clutch and Band Application Chart is the key.

Although road test analysis will help determine the slipping unit, the actual cause of a malfunction usually cannot be determined until hydraulic and air pressure tests are performed. Practically any condition can be caused by leaking hydraulic circuits or sticking valves.

Unless a malfunction is obvious, such as no drive in D range first gear, do not disassemble the transmission. Perform the hydraulic and air pressure tests to help determine the probable cause.

## HYDRAULIC PRESSURE TEST

Hydraulic test pressures range from a low of one psi (6.895 kPa) governor pressure, to 300 psi (2068 kPa) at the rear servo pressure port in reverse.

An accurate tachometer and two test gauges are required for the pressure test. Test Gauge C-3292 has a 100 psi range and is used at the accumulator, governor, and front servo pressure ports. Test Gauge C-3293-SP has a 300 psi range and is used at the rear servo port and overdrive test ports where pressures are higher. In cases where two test gauges are

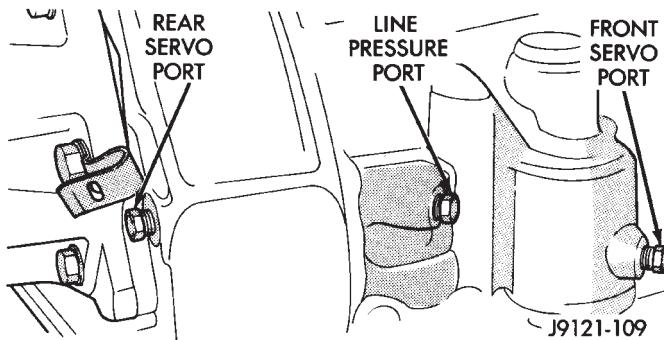
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required, the 300 psi gauge can be used at any of the other test ports.

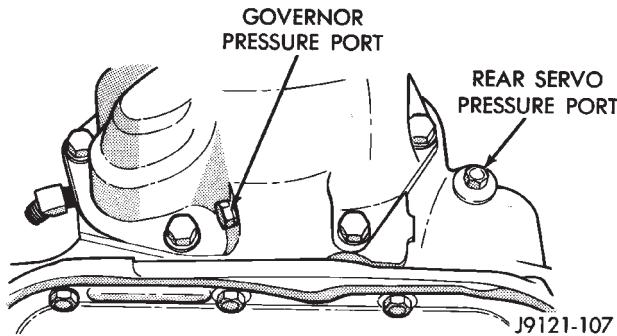
### Pressure Test Port Locations

Pressure test ports locations are provided at the accumulator, front servo, and rear servo, governor passage, and overdrive clutch pressure passage (Fig. 6), (Fig. 7) and (Fig. 8).

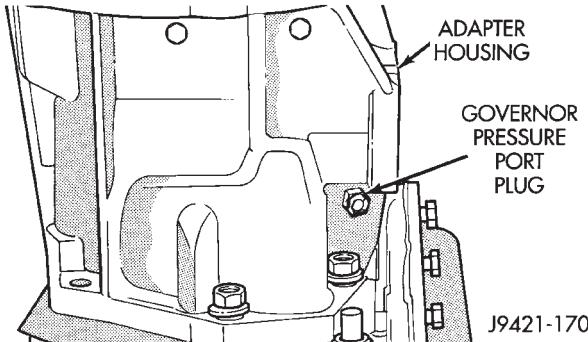
Line pressure is checked at the accumulator port on the right side of the case. The front servo pressure port is at the right side of the case just behind the filler tube opening.



**Fig. 6 Pressure Test Ports At Side Of Case**



**Fig. 7 Pressure Test Ports At Rear Of Case—2WD**



**Fig. 8 Pressure Test Ports At Rear Of Case—4WD**

Connect a tachometer to the engine. Position the tachometer so it can be observed from under the vehicle. Raise the vehicle on a hoist that will allow the wheels to rotate freely.

### PRESSURE TEST PROCEDURE

#### Test One - Transmission In 1 Range

This test checks pump output, pressure regulation, and condition of the rear clutch and servo circuit. Test Gauges C-3292 and C-3293-SP are required for this test. Gauge C-3292 has a 100 psi range. Gauge C-3293-SP has a 300 psi range.

(1) Connect 100 psi Gauge C-3292 to accumulator port.

(2) Connect 300 psi Gauge C-3293-SP to rear servo port (Fig. 6) and (Fig. 7).

(3) Disconnect throttle and gearshift rods from manual and throttle levers.

(4) Start and run engine at 1000 rpm.

(5) Move shift lever (on manual lever shaft) all the way forward into 1 range.

(6) Move transmission throttle lever from full forward to full rearward position and note pressures on both gauges.

(7) Line pressure at accumulator port should be 54-60 psi (372-414 kPa) with throttle lever forward and gradually increase to 90-96 psi (621-662 kPa) as lever is moved rearward.

(8) Rear servo pressure should be same as line pressure within 3 psi (20.68 kPa).

#### Test Two - Transmission In 2 Range

This test checks pump output and pressure regulation. Use 100 psi Test Gauge C-3292 for this test.

(1) Connect test gauge to accumulator pressure port (Fig. 6) and (Fig. 7).

(2) Start and run engine at 1000 rpm.

(3) Move shift lever on valve body manual lever shaft, one detent rearward from full forward position. This is 2 range.

(4) Move transmission throttle lever from full forward to full rearward position and read pressure at both gauges.

(5) Line pressure should be 54-60 psi (372-414 kPa) with throttle lever forward and gradually increase to 90-96 psi (621-662 kPa) as lever is moved rearward.

#### Test Three - Transmission In D Range

This test checks pressure regulation and condition of the clutch circuits. Use both pressure Test Gauges C-3292 and C-3293-SP for this test.

(1) Connect test gauges to accumulator and front servo ports (Fig. 6) and (Fig. 7). Use either test gauge at the two ports.

(2) Start and run engine at 1600 rpm for this test.

(3) Move selector lever to D range. This is two detents rearward from full forward position.

(4) Read pressures on both gauges as transmission throttle lever is moved from full forward to full rearward position.

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(5) Line pressure should be 54-60 psi (372-414 kPa) with throttle lever forward and gradually increase as lever is moved rearward.

(6) Front servo is pressurized only in D range and should be same as line pressure within 3 psi (21 kPa) up to downshift point.

## Test Four - Transmission In Reverse

This test checks pump output, pressure regulation and the front clutch and rear servo circuits. Use 300 psi Test Gauge C-3293-SP for this test.

(1) Connect 300 psi gauge to rear servo port (Fig. 6) and (Fig. 7).

(2) Start and run engine at 1600 rpm for test.

(3) Move valve body selector lever four detents rearward from the full forward position. This is Reverse range.

(4) Move throttle lever all way forward then all way rearward and note gauge readings.

(5) Pressure should be 145 - 175 psi (1000-1207 kPa) with lever forward and increase to 230 - 280 psi (1586-1931 kPa) as lever is moved rearward.

## Test Five - Governor Pressure

This test checks governor operation by measuring governor pressure response to changes in engine speed. It is usually not necessary to check governor operation unless shift speeds are incorrect or if the transmission will not downshift.

(1) Connect 100 psi Test Gauge C-3292 to governor pressure port (Fig. 6) and (Fig. 7).

(2) Move shift lever to D range.

(3) Start and run engine at curb idle speed and note pressure. At idle and with vehicle stopped, pressure should be zero to 1.5 psi maximum. If pressure exceeds this figure, governor valve or weights are sticking open.

(4) Slowly increase engine speed and observe speedometer and pressure test gauge. Governor pressure should increase in proportion to vehicle speed.

(5) Pressure rise should be smooth and drop back to 0 to 1.5 psi when wheels stop rotating.

(6) Compare results of pressure tests with analysis charts (Fig. 9).

## CONVERTER STALL TEST

Stall testing involves determining maximum engine speed obtainable at full throttle with the rear wheels locked and the transmission in D range. This test checks the holding ability of the converter overrunning and transmission clutches.

**WARNING: NEVER ALLOW ANYONE TO STAND DIRECTLY IN LINE WITH THE VEHICLE FRONT OR REAR DURING A STALL TEST. ALWAYS BLOCK THE WHEELS AND FULLY APPLY THE SERVICE AND PARKING BRAKES DURING THE TEST.**

TEST CONDITION	INDICATION
Line pressure OK during any one test	Pump and regulator valve OK
Line pressure OK in R but low in D, 2, 1	Leakage in rear clutch area (servo, clutch seals, governor support seal rings on park gear)
Pressure OK in 1, 2 but low in D3 and R	Leakage in front clutch area (servo, clutch seals, retainer bore, pump seal rings)
Pressure OK in 2 but low in R and 1	Leakage in rear servo
Front servo pressure in 2	Leakage in servo (broken servo ring or cracked servo piston)
Pressure low in all positions	Clogged filter, stuck pressure regulator valve, worn or defective pump
Governor pressure too high at idle speed	Governor valve sticking open
Governor pressure low at all mph figures	Governor valve sticking closed
Lubrication pressure low at all throttle positions	Clogged drainback valve, oil cooler or lines, seal rings leaking, output shaft plugged with debris, worn bushings in pump or clutch retainer

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**Fig. 9 Pressure Test Analysis**

## STALL TEST PROCEDURE

(1) Connect tachometer to engine. Position tachometer so it can be viewed from driver's seat.

(2) Drive vehicle to bring transmission fluid up to normal operating temperature. Vehicle can be driven on road or on chassis dynamometer, if available.

(3) Check transmission fluid level. Add fluid if necessary.

(4) Block front wheels.

(5) Fully apply service and parking brakes.

(6) Open throttle completely and record maximum engine speed registered on tachometer. It takes 4-10 seconds to reach max rpm. **Once max rpm has been achieved, do not hold wide open throttle for more than 4-5 seconds.**

**CAUTION:** Stalling the converter causes a rapid increase in fluid temperature. To avoid fluid overheating, hold the engine at maximum rpm for no more than 5 seconds. If engine exceeds 2500 rpm during the test, release the accelerator pedal immediately; transmission clutch slippage is occurring.

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(7) If a second stall test is required, cool down fluid before proceeding. Shift into NEUTRAL and run engine at 1000 rpm for 20-30 seconds to cool fluid.

### STALL TEST ANALYSIS

#### *Stall Speed Too High*

If the stall speed exceeds 2500 rpm, transmission clutch slippage is indicated.

#### *Stall Speed Low*

Low stall speed with a properly tuned engine indicate a torque converter overrunning clutch problem. The condition should be confirmed by road testing. A stall speed 250-350 rpm below normal indicates the converter overrunning clutch is slipping. The vehicle also exhibits poor acceleration but operates normally once highway cruise speeds are reached. Torque converter replacement will be necessary.

#### *Stall Speed Normal But Acceleration Poor*

If stall speeds are normal (1800-2300 rpm) but abnormal throttle opening is required for acceleration, or to maintain cruise speed, the converter overrunning clutch is seized. The torque converter will have to be replaced.

#### *Converter Noise During Test*

A whining noise caused by fluid flow is normal during a stall test. However, loud metallic noises indicate a damaged converter. To confirm that the noise is originating from the converter, operate the vehicle at light throttle in DRIVE and NEUTRAL on a hoist and listen for noise coming from the converter housing.

### AIR TESTING TRANSMISSION CLUTCH AND BAND OPERATION

Air-pressure testing can be used to check transmission front/rear clutch and band operation. The test can be conducted with the transmission either in the vehicle or on the work bench, as a final check, after overhaul.

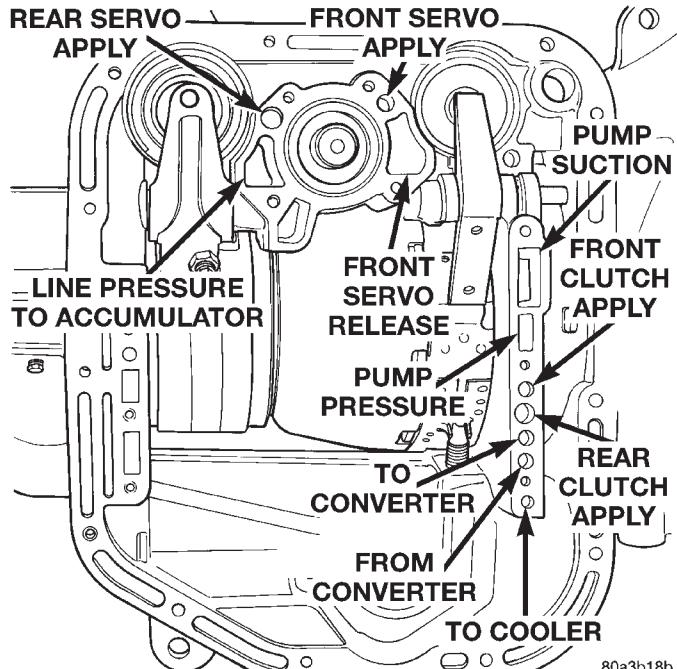
Air-pressure testing requires that the oil pan and valve body be removed from the transmission. The servo and clutch apply passages are shown (Fig. 10).

#### *Front Clutch Air Test*

Place one or two fingers on the clutch housing and apply air pressure through front clutch apply passage. Piston movement can be felt and a soft thump heard as the clutch applies.

#### *Rear Clutch Air Test*

Place one or two fingers on the clutch housing and apply air pressure through rear clutch apply passage.



**Fig. 10 Air Pressure Test Passages**

Piston movement can be felt and a soft thump heard as the clutch applies.

#### *Front Servo Apply Air Test*

Apply air pressure to the front servo apply passage. The servo rod should extend and cause the band to tighten around the drum. Spring pressure should release the servo when air pressure is removed.

#### *Rear Servo Air Test*

Apply air pressure to the rear servo apply passage. The servo rod should extend and cause the band to tighten around the drum. Spring pressure should release the servo when air pressure is removed.

### CONVERTER HOUSING FLUID LEAK DIAGNOSIS

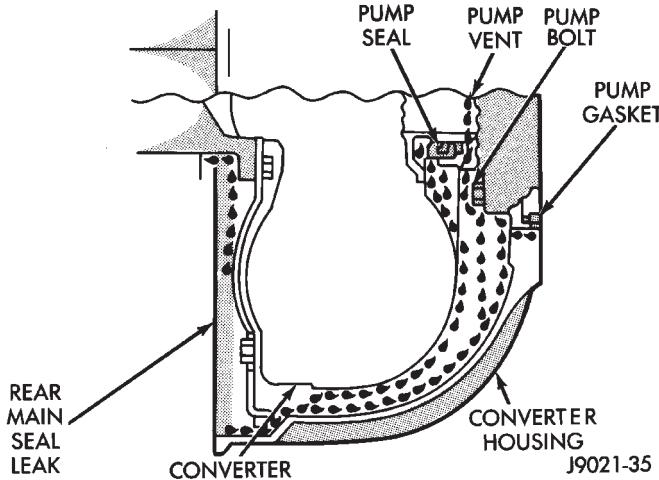
When diagnosing converter housing fluid leaks, two items must be established before repair.

- (1) Verify that a leak condition actually exists.
- (2) Determined the true source of the leak.

Some suspected converter housing fluid leaks may not be leaks at all. They may only be the result of residual fluid in the converter housing, or excess fluid spilled during factory fill or fill after repair. Converter housing leaks have several potential sources. Through careful observation, a leak source can be identified before removing the transmission for repair. Pump seal leaks tend to move along the drive hub and onto the rear of the converter. Pump O-ring or pump body leaks follow the same path as a seal leak (Fig. 11). Pump vent or pump attaching bolt leaks are generally deposited on the inside of the

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converter housing and not on the converter itself (Fig. 11). Pump seal or gasket leaks usually travel down the inside of the converter housing. Front band lever pin plug leaks are generally deposited on the housing and not on the converter.

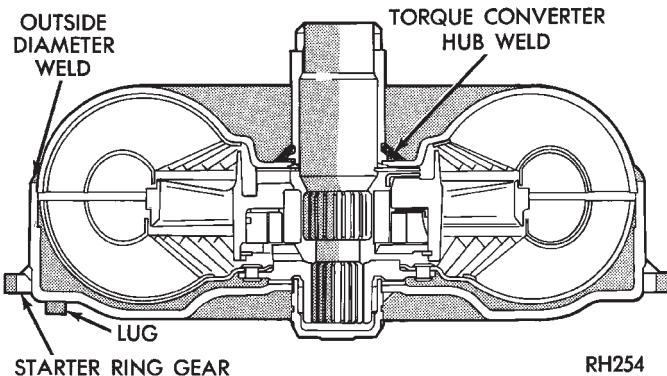


**Fig. 11 Converter Housing Leak Paths**

## TORQUE CONVERTER LEAK POINTS

Possible sources of converter leaks are:

- (1) Leaks at the weld joint around the outside diameter weld (Fig. 12).
- (2) Leaks at the converter hub weld (Fig. 12).



**Fig. 12 Converter Leak Points—Typical**

## CONVERTER HOUSING AREA LEAK CORRECTION

- (1) Remove converter.
- (2) Tighten front band adjusting screw until band is tight around front clutch retainer. This prevents front/rear clutches from coming out when oil pump is removed.
- (3) Remove oil pump and remove pump seal. Inspect pump housing drainback and vent holes for obstructions. Clear holes with solvent and wire.
- (4) Inspect pump bushing and converter hub. If bushing is scored, replace it. If converter hub is scored, either polish it with crocus cloth or replace converter.
- (5) Install new pump seal, O-ring, and gasket. Replace oil pump if cracked, porous or damaged in any way. Be sure to loosen the front band before installing the oil pump, damage to the oil pump seal may occur if the band is still tightened to the front clutch retainer.
- (6) Loosen kickdown lever pin access plug three turns. Apply Loctite 592, or Permatex No. 2 to plug threads and tighten plug to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque.

- (7) Adjust front band.
- (8) Lubricate pump seal and converter hub with transmission fluid or petroleum jelly and install converter.
- (9) Install transmission and converter housing dust shield.
- (10) Lower vehicle.

## DIAGNOSIS CHARTS

The diagnosis charts provide additional reference when diagnosing a transmission fault. The charts provide general information on a variety of transmission, overdrive unit and converter clutch fault conditions.

The hydraulic flow charts, in the Schematics and Diagrams section of this group, outline fluid flow and hydraulic circuitry. Circuit operation is provided for neutral, third, fourth and reverse gear ranges. Normal working pressures are also supplied for each of the gear ranges.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
HARSH ENGAGEMENT FROM NEUTRAL TO DRIVE OR REVERSE	1. Fluid Level Low	1. Add Fluid
	2. Throttle Linkage Misadjusted	2. Adjust linkage - setting may be too long.
	3. Mount and Driveline Bolts Loose	3. Check engine mount, transmission mount, propeller shaft, rear spring to body bolts, rear control arms, crossmember and axle bolt torque. Tighten loose bolts and replace missing bolts.
	4. U-Joint Worn/Broken	4. Remove propeller shaft and replace U-Joint.
	5. Axle Backlash Incorrect	5. Check per Service Manual. Correct as needed.
	6. Hydraulic Pressure Incorrect	6. Check pressure. Remove, overhaul or adjust valve body as needed.
	7. Band Misadjusted.	7. Adjust rear band.
	8. Valve Body Check Balls Missing.	8. Inspect valve body for proper check ball installation.
	9. Axle Pinion Flange Loose.	9. Replace nut and check pinion threads before installing new nut. Replace pinion gear if threads are damaged.
	10. Clutch, band or planetary component Damaged.	10. Remove, disassemble and repair transmission as necessary.
	11. Converter Clutch (if equipped) Faulty.	11. Replace converter and flush cooler and line before installing new converter.
DELAYED ENGAGEMENT FROM NEUTRAL TO DRIVE OR REVERSE	1. Fluid Level Low.	1. Correct level and check for leaks.
	2. Filter Clogged.	2. Change filter.
	3. Gearshift Linkage Misadjusted.	3. Adjust linkage and repair linkage if worn or damaged.
	4. Rear Band Misadjusted.	4. Adjust band.
	5. Valve Body Filter Plugged.	5. Replace fluid and filter. If oil pan and old fluid were full of clutch disc material and/or metal particles, overhaul will be necessary.
	6. Oil Pump Gears Worn/Damaged.	6. Remove transmission and replace oil pump.
	7. Hydraulic Pressure Incorrect.	7. Perform pressure test, remove transmission and repair as needed.
	8. Reaction Shaft Seal Rings Worn/Broken.	8. Remove transmission, remove oil pump and replace seal rings.
	9. Rear Clutch/Input Shaft, Rear Clutch Seal Rings Damaged.	9. Remove and disassemble transmission and repair as necessary.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	10. Governor Valve Stuck. 11. Regulator Valve Stuck. 12. Cooler Plugged.	10. Remove and inspect governor components. Replace worn or damaged parts. 11. Clean. 12. Flush transmission cooler and inspect convertor drainback valve.
NO DRIVE RANGE (REVERSE OK)	1. Fluid Level Low. 2. Gearshift Linkage/Cable Loose/ Misadjusted. 3. Rear Clutch Burnt. 4. Valve Body Malfunction. 5. Transmission Overrunning Clutch Broken. 6. Input Shaft Seal Rings Worn/ Damaged. 7. Front Planetary Failed Broken.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks if drive is restored. 2. Repair or replace linkage components. 3. Remove and disassemble transmission and rear clutch and seals. Repair/replace worn or damaged parts as needed. 4. Remove and disassemble valve body. Replace assembly if any valves or bores are damaged. 5. Remove and disassemble transmission. Replace overrunning clutch. 6. Remove and disassemble transmission. Replace seal rings and any other worn or damaged parts. 7. Remove and repair.
NO DRIVE OR REVERSE (VEHICLE WILL NOT MOVE)	1. Fluid Level Low. 2. Gearshift Linkage/Cable Loose/ Misadjusted. 3. U-Joint/Axle/Transfer Case Broken. 4. Filter Plugged. 5. Oil Pump Damaged.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks if drive is restored. 2. Inspect, adjust and reassemble linkage as needed. Replace worn/damaged parts. 3. Perform preliminary inspection procedure for vehicle that will not move. Refer to procedure in diagnosis section. 4. Remove and disassemble transmission. Repair or replace failed components as needed. Replace filter. If filter and fluid contained clutch material or metal particles, an overhaul may be necessary. Perform lube flow test. Flush oil. Replace cooler as necessary. 5. Perform pressure test to confirm low pressure. Replace pump body assembly if necessary.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	6. Valve Body Malfunctioned.  7. Transmission Internal Component Damaged.  8. Park Sprag not Releasing  9. Torque Converter Damage.	6. Check press and inspect valve body. Replace valve body (as assembly) if any valve or bore is damaged. Clean and reassemble correctly if all parts are in good condition.  7. Remove and disassemble transmission. Repair or replace failed components as needed. Remove and disassemble transmission. Repair or replace failed components as needed.  8. Remove, disassemble, repair.  9. Check Stall Speed, Worn/Damaged/Stuck. Inspect and replace as required.
SHIFTS DELAYED OR ERRATIC (SHIFTS ALSO HARSH AT TIMES)	1. Fluid Level Low/High.  2. Throttle Linkage Misadjusted.  3. Throttle Linkage Binding.  4. Gearshift Linkage/Cable Misadjusted.  5. Fluid Filter Clogged.  6. Governor Valve Sticking.  7. Governor Seal Rings Worn/Damaged.  8. Clutch or Servo Failure.  9. Front Band Misadjusted.  10. Pump Suction Passage Leak.	1. Correct fluid level and check for leaks if low.  2. Adjust linkage as described in service section.  3. Check cable for binding. Check for return to closed throttle at transmission.  4. Adjust linkage/cable as described in service section.  5. Replace filter. If filter and fluid contained clutch material or metal particles, an overhaul may be necessary. Perform lube flow test.  6. Inspect, clean or repair.  7. Inspect/replace.  8. Remove valve body and air test clutch, and band servo operation. Disassemble and repair transmission as needed.  9. Adjust band.  10. Check for excessive foam on dipstick after normal driving. Check for loose pump bolts, defective gasket. Replace pump assembly if needed.
NO REVERSE (D RANGES OK)	1. Gearshift Linkage/Cable Misadjusted/Damaged.  2. Park Sprag Sticking.  3. Rear Band Misadjusted/Worn.  4. Valve Body Malfunction.	1. Repair or replace linkage parts as needed.  2. Inspect and replace as necessary.  3. Adjust band; replace.  4. Remove and service valve body. Replace valve body if any valves or valve bores are worn or damaged.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	5. Rear Servo Malfunction.	5. Remove and disassemble transmission. Replace worn/damaged servo parts as necessary.
	6. Front Clutch Burnt.	6. Remove and disassemble transmission. Replace worn, damaged clutch parts as required.
HAS FIRST/REVERSE ONLY (NO 1-2 OR 2-3 UPSHIFT)	1. Governor Valve, Shaft, Weights or Body Damaged/Stuck.	1. Remove governor assembly and clean or repair as necessary.
	2. Valve Body Malfunction.	2. Stuck 1-2 shift valve or governor plug.
	3. Front Servo/Kickdown Band Damaged/Burned.	3. Repair/replace.
MOVES IN 2ND OR 3RD GEAR, ABRUPTLY DOWNSHIFTS TO LOW	1. Valve Body Malfunction.	1. Remove, clean and inspect. Look for stuck 1-2 valve or governor plug.
	2. Governor Valve Sticking.	2. Remove, clean and inspect. Replace faulty parts.
NO LOW GEAR (MOVES IN 2ND OR 3RD GEAR ONLY)	1. Governor Valve Sticking.	1. Remove governor, clean, inspect and repair as required.
	2. Valve Body Malfunction.	2. Remove, clean and inspect. Look for sticking 1-2 shift valve, 2-3 shift valve, governor plug or broken springs.
	3. Front Servo Piston Cocked in Bore.	3. Inspect servo and repair as required.
	4. Front Band Linkage Malfunction	4. Inspect linkage and look for bind in linkage.
NO KICKDOWN OR NORMAL DOWNSHIFT	1. Throttle Linkage Misadjusted.	1. Adjust linkage.
	2. Accelerator Pedal Travel Restricted.	2. Floor mat under pedal, accelerator cable worn or brackets bent.
	3. Governor/Valve Body Hydraulic Pressures Too High or Too Low Due to Sticking Governor, Valve Body Malfunction or Incorrect Hydraulic Control Pressure Adjustments.	3. Perform hydraulic pressure tests to determine cause and repair as required. Correct valve body pressure adjustments as required.
	4. Valve Body Malfunction.	4. Perform hydraulic pressure tests to determine cause and repair as required. Correct valve body pressure adjustments as required.
	5. Valve Body Malfunction.	5. Sticking 1-2, 2-3 shift valves, or governor plugs.
STUCK IN LOW GEAR (WILL NOT UPSHIFT)	1. Throttle Linkage Misadjusted/Stuck.	1. Adjust linkage and repair linkage if worn or damaged. Check for binding cable or missing return spring.
	2. Gearshift Linkage Misadjusted.	2. Adjust linkage and repair linkage if worn or damaged.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	3. Governor/Valve Body, Governor Valve Stuck Closed; Loose Output Shaft Support or Governor Housing Bolts, Leaking Seal Rings or Valve Body Problem (i.e., Stuck 1- 2 Shift Valve/Gov. Plug). 4. Front Band Out of Adjustment. 5. Clutch or Servo Malfunction.	3. Check line and governor pressures to determine cause. Correct as required. 4. Adjust Band. 5. Air pressure check operation of clutches and bands. Repair faulty component.
CREEPS IN NEUTRAL	1. Gearshift Linkage Misadjusted. 2. Rear Clutch Dragging/Warped Welded. 3. Valve Body Malfunction.	1. Adjust linkage. 2. Disassemble and repair. 3. Perform hydraulic pressure test to determine cause and repair as required.
BUZZING NOISE	1. Fluid Level Low 2. Shift Cable Misassembled. 3. Valve Body Misassembled. 4. Pump Passages Leaking 5. Cooling System Cooler Plugged. 6. Overrunning Clutch Damaged.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks. 2. Route cable away from engine and bell housing. 3. Remove, disassemble, inspect valve body. Reassemble correctly if necessary. Replace assembly if valves or springs are damaged. Check for loose bolts or screws. 4. Check pump for porous casting, scores on mating surfaces and excess rotor clearance. Repair as required. Loose pump bolts. 5. Flow check cooler circuit. Repair as needed. 6. Replace clutch.
SLIPS IN REVERSE ONLY	1. Fluid Level Low. 2. Gearshift Linkage Misadjusted. 3. Rear Band Misadjusted. 4. Rear Band Worn. 5. Hydraulic Pressure Too Low. 6. Rear Servo Leaking. 7. Band Linkage Binding.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks. 2. Adjust linkage. 3. Adjust band. 4. Replace as required. 5. Perform hydraulic pressure tests to determine cause. 6. Air pressure check clutch-servo operation and repair as required. 7. Inspect and repair as required.
SLIPS IN FORWARD DRIVE RANGES	1. Fluid Level Low. 2. Fluid Foaming. 3. Throttle Linkage Misadjusted. 4. Gearshift Linkage Misadjusted. 5. Rear Clutch Worn.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks. 2. Check for high oil level, bad pump gasket or seals, dirt between pump halves and loose pump bolts. Replace pump if necessary. 3. Adjust linkage. 4. Adjust linkage. 5. Inspect and replace as needed.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	6. Low Hydraulic Pressure Due to Worn Pump, Incorrect Control Pressure Adjustments, Valve Body Warpage or Malfunction, Sticking Governor, Leaking Seal Rings, Clutch Seals Leaking, Servo Leaks, Clogged Filter or Cooler Lines	6. Perform hydraulic and air pressure tests to determine cause.
	7. Rear Clutch Malfunction, Leaking Seals or Worn Plates.	7. Air pressure check clutch-servo operation and repair as required.
	8. Overrunning Clutch Worn, Not Holding (Slips in 1 Only).	8. Replace Clutch.
SLIPS IN LOW GEAR "D" ONLY, BUT NOT IN 1 POSITION	Overrunning Clutch Faulty.	Replace overrunning clutch.
GROWLING, GRATING OR SCRAPING NOISES	1. Drive Plate Broken.	1. Replace.
	2. Torque Converter Bolts Hitting Dust Shield.	2. Dust shield bent. Replace or repair.
	3. Planetary Gear Set Broken/Seized.	3. Check for debris in oil pan and repair as required.
	4. Overrunning Clutch Worn/Broken.	4. Inspect and check for debris in oil pan. Repair as required.
	5. Oil Pump Components Scored/ Binding.	5. Remove, inspect and repair as required.
	6. Output Shaft Bearing or Bushing Damaged.	6. Remove, inspect and repair as required.
	7. Clutch Operation Faulty.	7. Perform air pressure check and repair as required.
	8. Front and Rear Bands Misadjusted.	8. Adjust bands.
DRAGS OR LOCKS UP	1. Fluid Level Low.	1. Check and adjust level.
	2. Clutch Dragging/Failed	2. Air pressure check clutch operation and repair as required.
	3. Front or Rear Band Misadjusted.	3. Adjust bands.
	4. Case Leaks Internally.	4. Check for leakage between passages in case.
	5. Servo Band or Linkage Malfunction.	5. Air pressure check servo operation and repair as required.
	6. Overrunning Clutch Worn.	6. Remove and inspect clutch. Repair as required.
	7. Planetary Gears Broken.	7. Remove, inspect and repair as required (look for debris in oil pan).
	8. Converter Clutch Dragging.	8. Check for plugged cooler. Perform flow check. Inspect pump for excessive side clearance. Replace pump as required.
WHINE/NOISE RELATED TO ENGINE SPEED	1. Fluid Level Low.	1. Add fluid and check for leaks.
	2. Shift Cable Incorrect Routing.	2. Check shift cable for correct routing. Should not touch engine or bell housing.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
TORQUE CONVERTER LOCKS UP IN SECOND AND/OR THIRD GEAR	Lockup Solenoid, Relay or Wiring Shorted/Open.	Test solenoid, relay and wiring for continuity, shorts or grounds. Replace solenoid and relay if faulty. Repair wiring and connectors as necessary.
HARSH 1-2 OR 2-3 SHIFTS	Lockup Solenoid Malfunction.	Remove valve body and replace solenoid assembly.
NO START IN PARK OR NEUTRAL	1. Gearshift Linkage/Cable Misadjusted.	1. Adjust linkage/cable.
	2. Neutral Switch Wire Open/Cut.	2. Check continuity with test lamp. Repair as required.
	3. Neutral Switch Faulty.	3. Refer to service section for test and replacement procedure.
	4. Neutral Switch Connect Faulty.	4. Connectors spread open. Repair.
	5. Valve Body Manual Lever Assembly Bent/Worn/Broken.	5. Inspect lever assembly and replace if damaged.
NO REVERSE (OR SLIPS IN REVERSE)	1. Direct Clutch Pack (front clutch) Worn.	1. Disassemble unit and rebuild clutch pack.
	2. Rear Band Misadjusted.	2. Adjust band.
	3. Front Clutch Malfunctioned/Burnt.	3. Air pressure test clutch operation. Remove and rebuild if necessary.
OIL LEAKS (ITEMS LISTED REPRESENT POSSIBLE LEAK POINTS AND SHOULD ALL BE CHECKED.)	1. Speedometer Adapter Leaks.	1. Replace both adapter seals.
	2. Fluid Lines and Fittings Loose/Leaks/Damaged.	2. Tighten fittings. If leaks persist, replace fittings and lines if necessary.
	3. Filler Tube (where tube enters case) Leaks/Damaged.	3. Replace O-ring seal. Inspect tube for cracks in tube.
	4. Pressure Port Plug Loose Loose/Damaged.	4. Tighten to correct torque. Replace plug or reseal if leak persists.
	5. Pan Gasket Leaks.	5. Tighten pan screws to 150 inch pounds. If leaks persist, replace gasket. Do no over tighten screws.
	6. Valve Body Manual Lever Shaft Seal Leaks/Worn.	6. Replace shaft seal.
	7. Rear Bearing Access Plate Leaks.	7. Replace gasket. Tighten screws.
	8. Gasket Damaged or Bolts are Loose.	8. Replace bolts or gasket or tighten both.
	9. Adapter/Extension Gasket Damaged Leaks/Damaged.	9. Replace gasket.
	10. Neutral Switch Leaks/Damaged.	10. Replace switch and gasket.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING (Continued)

## DIAGNOSIS CHART (CONTINUED)

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	CORRECTION
	11. Converter Housing Area Leaks.	11. Check for leaks at seal caused by worn seal or burr on converter hub (cutting seal), worn bushing, missing oil return, oil in front pump housing or hole plugged. Check for leaks past O-ring seal on pump or past pump-to-case bolts; pump housing porous, oil coming out vent due to overfill or leak past front band shaft access plug.
	12. Pump Seal Leaks/Worn/Damaged.	12. Replace seal.
	13. Torque Converter Weld Leak/ Cracked Hub.	13. Replace converter.
	14. Case Porosity Leaks.	14. Replace case.

## SERVICE PROCEDURES

## FLUID LEVEL CHECK

Transmission fluid level should be checked monthly under normal operation. If the vehicle is used for trailer towing or similar heavy load hauling, check fluid level and condition weekly. Fluid level is checked with the engine running at curb idle speed, the transmission in NEUTRAL and the transmission fluid at normal operating temperature.

## FLUID LEVEL CHECK PROCEDURE

(1) Transmission fluid must be at normal operating temperature for accurate fluid level check. Drive vehicle if necessary to bring fluid temperature up to normal hot operating temperature of 82°C (180°F).

(2) Position vehicle on level surface.

(3) Start and run engine at curb idle speed.

(4) Apply parking brakes.

(5) Shift transmission momentarily into all gear ranges. Then shift transmission back to Neutral.

(6) Clean top of filler tube and dipstick to keep dirt from entering tube.

(7) Remove dipstick (Fig. 13) and check fluid level as follows:

(a) Correct acceptable level is in crosshatch area.

(b) Correct maximum level is to MAX arrow mark.

(c) Incorrect level is at or below MIN line.

(d) If fluid is low, add only enough Mopar® ATF Plus 3 to restore correct level. Do not overfill.

**CAUTION: Do not overfill the transmission. Overfilling may cause leakage out the pump vent which can be mistaken for a pump seal leak. Overfilling will also cause fluid aeration and foaming as the excess fluid is picked up and churned by the gear train. This will significantly reduce fluid life.**

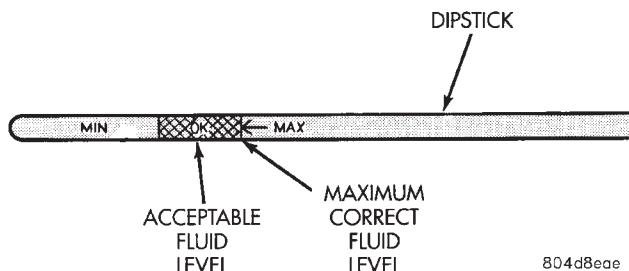


Fig. 13 Dipstick Fluid Level Marks—Typical

## FLUID AND FILTER REPLACEMENT

Refer to the Maintenance Schedules in Group 0, Lubrication and Maintenance, for proper service intervals. The service fluid fill after a filter change is approximately 3.8 liters (4.0 quarts).

## REMOVAL

(1) Hoist and support vehicle on safety stands.

(2) Place a large diameter shallow drain pan beneath the transmission pan.

(3) Remove bolts holding front and sides of pan to transmission (Fig. 14).

(4) Loosen bolts holding rear of pan to transmission.

(5) Slowly separate front of pan away from transmission allowing the fluid to drain into drain pan.

(6) Hold up pan and remove remaining bolts holding pan to transmission.

(7) While holding pan level, lower pan away from transmission.

(8) Pour remaining fluid in pan into drain pan.

(9) Remove screws holding filter to valve body (Fig. 15).

(10) Separate filter from valve body and pour fluid in filter into drain pan.

(11) Dispose used trans fluid and filter properly.

## SERVICE PROCEDURES (Continued)

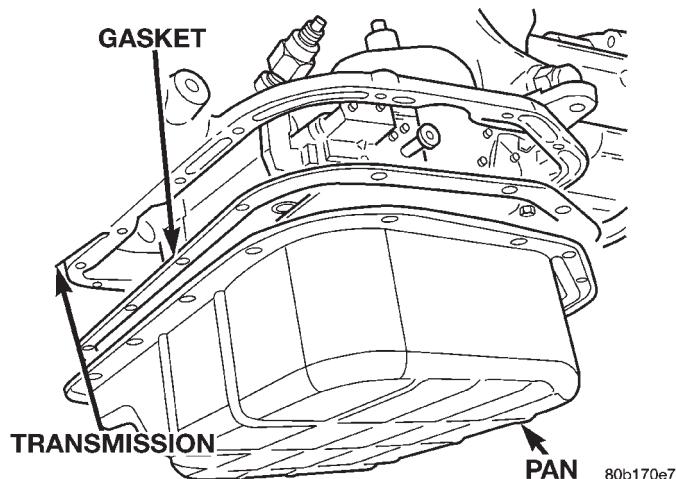


Fig. 14 Transmission Pan

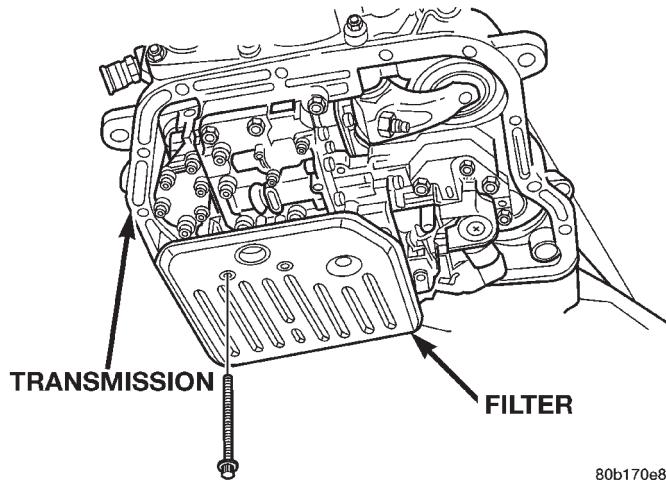


Fig. 15 Transmission Filter

## INSPECTION

Inspect bottom of pan and magnet for excessive amounts of metal or fiber contamination. A light coating of clutch or band material on the bottom of the pan does not indicate a problem unless accompanied by slipping condition or shift lag. If fluid and pan are contaminated with excessive amounts or debris, refer to the diagnosis section of this group.

Check the adjustment of the front and rear bands, adjust if necessary. Refer to Adjustment section of this group for proper procedure.

## CLEANING

- (1) Using a suitable solvent, clean pan and magnet.
- (2) Using a suitable gasket scraper, clean gasket material from gasket surface of transmission case and the gasket flange around the pan.

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Place replacement filter in position on valve body.

(2) Install screws to hold filter to valve body (Fig. 15). Tighten screws to 4 N·m (35 in. lbs.) torque.

(3) Place new gasket in position on pan, and install pan on transmission.

(4) Place pan in position on transmission.

(5) Install screws to hold pan to transmission (Fig. 14). Tighten bolts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque.

(6) Lower vehicle and fill transmission with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, type 7176 fluid.

## TRANSMISSION FILL PROCEDURE

To avoid overfilling transmission after a fluid change or overhaul, perform the following procedure:

(1) Remove dipstick and insert clean funnel in transmission fill tube.

(2) Add following initial quantity of Mopar® ATF Plus 3 to transmission:

(a) If only fluid and filter were changed, add **3 pints (1-1/2 quarts)** of ATF Plus 3 to transmission.

(b) If transmission was completely overhauled, torque converter was replaced or drained, and cooler was flushed, add **12 pints (6 quarts)** of ATF Plus 3 to transmission.

(3) Apply parking brakes.

(4) Start and run engine at normal curb idle speed.

(5) Apply service brakes, shift transmission through all gear ranges then back to NEUTRAL, set parking brake, and leave engine running at curb idle speed.

(6) Remove funnel, insert dipstick and check fluid level. If level is low, **add fluid to bring level to MIN mark on dipstick**. Check to see if the oil level is equal on both sides of the dipstick. If one side is noticeably higher than the other, the dipstick has picked up some oil from the dipstick tube. Allow the oil to drain down the dipstick tube and re-check.

(7) Drive vehicle until transmission fluid is at normal operating temperature.

(8) With the engine running at curb idle speed, the gear selector in NEUTRAL, and the parking brake applied, check the transmission fluid level.

**CAUTION: Do not overfill transmission, fluid foaming and shifting problems can result.**

(9) Add fluid to bring level up to MAX arrow mark.

When fluid level is correct, shut engine off, release park brake, remove funnel, and install dipstick in fill tube.

## CONVERTER DRAINBACK CHECK VALVE SERVICE

The converter drainback check valve is located in the cooler outlet (pressure) line near the radiator lower tank. The valve prevents fluid drainback when

## SERVICE PROCEDURES (Continued)

the vehicle is parked for lengthy periods. The valve check ball is spring loaded and has an opening pressure of approximately 2 psi.

The valve is serviced as an assembly; it is not repairable. Do not clean the valve if restricted, or contaminated by sludge, or debris. If the valve fails, or if a transmission malfunction occurs that generates sludge and/or clutch particles and metal shavings, the valve must be replaced.

The valve must be removed whenever the cooler and lines are reverse flushed. The valve can be flow tested when necessary. The procedure is exactly the same as for flow testing a cooler.

If the valve is restricted, installed backwards, or in the wrong line, it will cause an overheating condition and possible transmission failure.

**CAUTION:** The drainback valve is a one-way flow device. It must be properly oriented in terms of flow direction for the cooler to function properly. The valve must be installed in the pressure line. Otherwise flow will be blocked and would cause an overheating condition and eventual transmission failure.

### OIL COOLER FLOW CHECK

After the new or repaired transmission has been installed and filled, the oil cooler flow should be checked using the following procedure:

(1) Disconnect the **From cooler** line at the transmission and place a collecting container under the disconnected line.

(2) Run the engine at curb idle speed, with the shift selector in neutral.

(3) If the fluid flow is intermittent or takes more than 20 seconds to collect one quart, the cooler should be replaced.

**CAUTION:** With the fluid set at the proper level, fluid collection should not exceed (1) quart or internal damage to the transmission may occur.

(4) If flow is found to be within acceptable limits, reconnect the cooler line. Then fill transmission to the proper level, using the approved type of automatic transmission fluid.

### FLUSHING COOLERS AND TUBES

When a transmission failure has contaminated the fluid, the oil cooler(s) must be flushed. The cooler bypass valve in the transmission must be replaced also. The torque converter must also be replaced. This will insure that metal particles or sludged oil are not later transferred back into the reconditioned (or replaced) transmission.

The only recommended procedure for flushing coolers and lines is to use Tool 6906 Cooler Flusher.

**WARNING: WEAR PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR THAT MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF OSHA AND ANSI Z87.1-1968. WEAR STANDARD INDUSTRIAL RUBBER GLOVES.**

**KEEP LIGHTED CIGARETTES, SPARKS, FLAMES, AND OTHER IGNITION SOURCES AWAY FROM THE AREA TO PREVENT THE IGNITION OF COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS AND GASES. KEEP A CLASS (B) FIRE EXTINGUISHER IN THE AREA WHERE THE FLUSHER WILL BE USED.**

**KEEP THE AREA WELL VENTILATED.**

**DO NOT LET FLUSHING SOLVENT COME IN CONTACT WITH YOUR EYES OR SKIN: IF EYE CONTAMINATION OCCURS, FLUSH EYES WITH WATER FOR 15 TO 20 SECONDS. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH AFFECTED SKIN WITH SOAP AND WATER. SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION.**

### COOLER FLUSH USING TOOL 6906

(1) Remove cover plate filler plug on Tool 6906. Fill reservoir 1/2 to 3/4 full of fresh flushing solution. Flushing solvents are petroleum based solutions generally used to clean automatic transmission components. **DO NOT** use solvents containing acids, water, gasoline, or any other corrosive liquids.

(2) Reinstall filler plug on Tool 6906.

(3) Verify pump power switch is turned OFF. Connect red alligator clip to positive (+) battery post. Connect black (-) alligator clip to a good ground.

(4) Disconnect the cooler lines at the transmission.

**NOTE: When flushing transmission cooler and lines, ALWAYS reverse flush.**

(5) Connect the BLUE pressure line to the OUTLET (From) cooler line.

(6) Connect the CLEAR return line to the INLET (To) cooler line

(7) Turn pump ON for two to three minutes to flush cooler(s) and lines. Monitor pressure readings and clear return lines. Pressure readings should stabilize below 20 psi. for vehicles equipped with a single cooler and 30 psi. for vehicles equipped with dual coolers. If flow is intermittent or exceeds these pressures, replace cooler.

(8) Turn pump OFF.

(9) Disconnect CLEAR suction line from reservoir at cover plate. Disconnect CLEAR return line at cover plate, and place it in a drain pan.

(10) Turn pump ON for 30 seconds to purge flushing solution from cooler and lines. Turn pump OFF.

## SERVICE PROCEDURES (Continued)

(11) Place CLEAR suction line into a one quart container of Mopar® ATF Plus 3, type 7176 automatic transmission fluid.

(12) Turn pump ON until all transmission fluid is removed from the one quart container and lines. This purges any residual cleaning solvent from the transmission cooler and lines. Turn pump OFF.

(13) Disconnect alligator clips from battery. Reconnect flusher lines to cover plate, and remove flushing adapters from cooler lines.

### ALUMINUM THREAD REPAIR

Damaged or worn threads in the aluminum transaxle case and valve body can be repaired by the use of Heli-Coils, or equivalent. This repair consists of drilling out the worn-out damaged threads. Then tap the hole with a special Heli-Coil tap, or equivalent, and installing a Heli-Coil insert, or equivalent, into the hole. This brings the hole back to its original thread size.

Heli-Coil, or equivalent, tools and inserts are readily available from most automotive parts suppliers.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

### TRANSMISSION

**CAUTION:** The transmission and torque converter must be removed as an assembly to avoid component damage. The converter drive plate, pump bushing, or oil seal can be damaged if the converter is left attached to the driveplate during removal.

### REMOVAL

- (1) Disconnect battery negative cable.
- (2) Disconnect and lower or remove necessary exhaust components.
- (3) Remove engine-to-transmission bending braces.
- (4) Disconnect fluid cooler lines at transmission.
- (5) Remove starter motor.
- (6) Disconnect and remove crankshaft position sensor. Retain sensor attaching bolts.

**CAUTION:** The crankshaft position sensor can be damaged during transmission removal (or installation) if the sensor is still bolted to the engine block. To avoid damage, remove the sensor before removing the transmission.

- (7) Remove torque converter access cover.
- (8) If transmission is being removed for overhaul, remove transmission oil pan, drain fluid and reinstall pan.
- (9) Remove skid plate for access, if necessary.

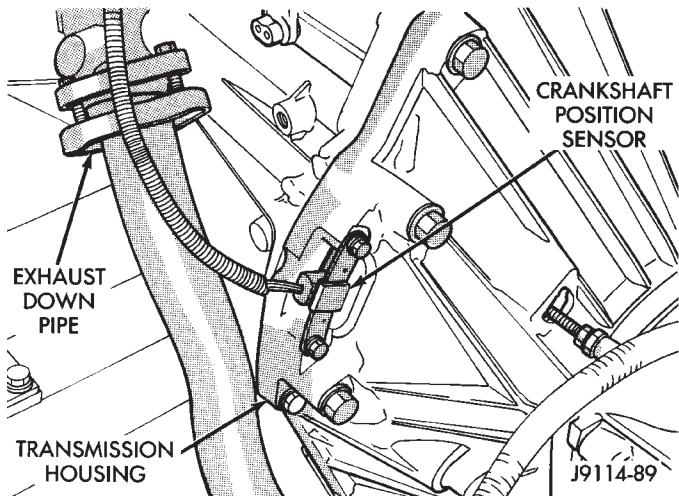


Fig. 16 Crankshaft Position Sensor—2.5L Engine

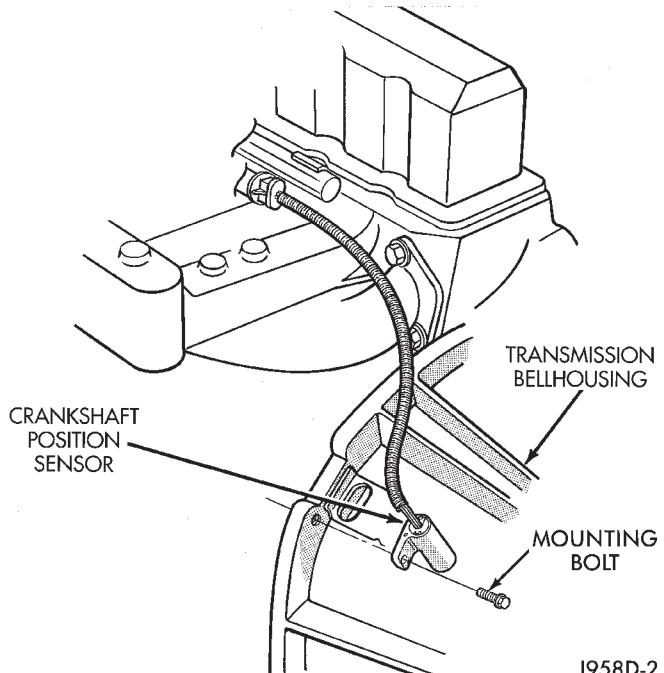


Fig. 17 Crankshaft Position Sensor—4.0L Engine

(10) Remove fill tube bracket bolts and pull tube out of transmission. Retain fill tube seal. On 4 x 4 models, it will also be necessary to remove bolt attaching transfer case vent tube to converter housing.

(11) Mark torque converter and drive plate for assembly alignment. Note that bolt holes in crankshaft flange, drive plate and torque converter all have one offset hole.

(12) Rotate crankshaft in clockwise direction until converter bolts are accessible. Then remove bolts one at a time. Rotate crankshaft with socket wrench on dampener bolt.

(13) Mark propeller shaft and axle yokes for assembly alignment. Then disconnect and remove

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

propeller shaft. On 4 x 4 models, remove both propeller shafts.

(14) Disconnect wires from park/neutral position switch and vehicle speed sensor.

(15) Disconnect gearshift cable from transmission manual valve lever.

(16) Disconnect throttle valve cable from transmission bracket and throttle valve lever.

(17) On 4 x 4 models, disconnect shift rod from transfer case shift lever or remove shift lever from transfer case.

(18) Support rear of engine with safety stand or jack.

(19) Raise transmission slightly with service jack to relieve load on crossmember and supports.

(20) Remove bolts securing rear support and cushion to transmission and crossmember. Raise transmission slightly, slide exhaust hanger arm from bracket and remove rear support.

(21) Remove bolts attaching crossmember to frame and remove crossmember.

(22) Disconnect transfer case vent hose. Then disconnect vacuum switch harness.

(23) On 4 x 4 models, remove transfer case.

(24) Remove all converter housing bolts.

(25) Carefully work transmission and torque converter assembly rearward off engine block dowels.

(26) Hold torque converter in place during transmission removal.

(27) Lower transmission and remove assembly from under the vehicle.

(28) To remove torque converter, carefully slide torque converter out of the transmission.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Check torque converter hub and hub drive notches for sharp edges burrs, scratches, or nicks. Polish the hub and notches with 320/400 grit paper and crocus cloth if necessary. The hub must be smooth to avoid damaging pump seal at installation.

(2) Lubricate converter drive hub and oil pump seal lip with transmission fluid.

(3) Lubricate converter pilot hub with transmission fluid.

(4) Align converter and oil pump.

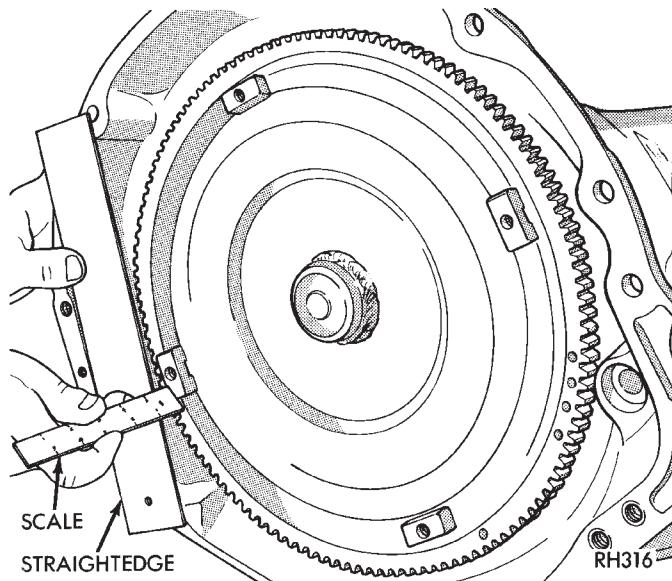
(5) Carefully insert converter in oil pump. Then rotate converter back and forth until fully seated in pump gears.

(6) Check converter seating with steel scale and straightedge (Fig. 18). Surface of converter lugs should be 1/2 in. to rear of straightedge when converter is fully seated.

(7) Temporarily secure converter with C-clamp.

(8) Position transmission on jack and secure it with safety chains.

(9) Check condition of converter driveplate. Replace the plate if cracked, distorted or damaged.



**Fig. 18 Typical Method Of Checking Converter Seating**

**Also be sure transmission dowel pins are seated in engine block and protrude far enough to hold transmission in alignment.**

(10) Raise transmission and align converter with drive plate and converter housing with engine block.

(11) Move transmission forward. Then raise, lower or tilt transmission to align converter housing with engine block dowels.

(12) Rotate converter so alignment marks scribed on converter are aligned with mark on driveplate.

(13) Carefully work transmission forward and over engine block dowels until converter hub is seated in crankshaft.

(14) Install and tighten bolts that attach transmission converter housing to engine block (Fig. 19).

**CAUTION: Be sure the converter housing is fully seated on the engine block dowels before tightening any bolts.**

(15) Install torque converter attaching bolts. Tighten bolts to following torque.

- 54 N·m (40 ft. lbs.) with 9.5 in. 3-lug converter
- 74 N·m (55 ft. lbs.) with 9.5 in. 4-lug converter
- 74 N·m (55 ft. lbs.) with 10.0 in. 4-lug converter
- 31 N·m (270 in. lbs.) with 10.75 in. 4-lug converter

(16) Install crankshaft position sensor.

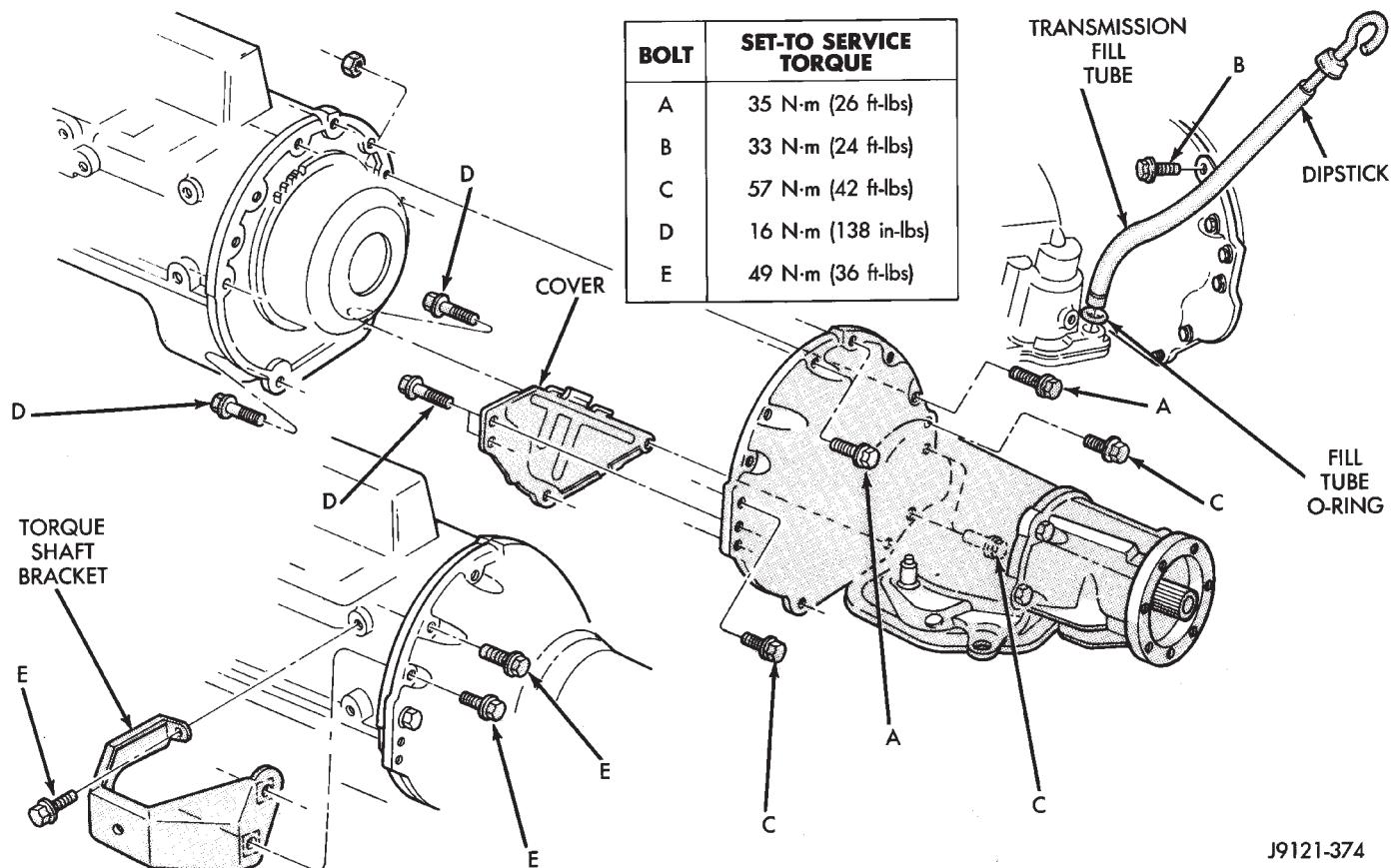
(17) Install transmission fill tube and seal. Install new fill tube seal in transmission before installation.

(18) Connect transmission cooler lines to transmission.

(19) Install transfer case onto transmission.

(20) Install rear crossmember and attach transmission rear support to crossmember.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)



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Fig. 19 Transmission Attachment

- (21) Remove engine support fixture.
- (22) Remove transmission jack.
- (23) Connect vehicle speed sensor wires.
- (24) Connect wires to park/neutral position switch.
- (25) Install crankshaft position sensor.
- (26) Install converter housing access cover.
- (27) Install exhaust pipes and support brackets, if removed.
- (28) Install starter motor and cooler line bracket.
- (29) Install new plastic retainer grommet on any shift linkage rod or lever that was disconnected. Grommets should not be reused. Use pry tool to remove rod from grommet and cut away old grommet. Use pliers to snap new grommet into lever and to snap rod into grommet at assembly.
- (30) Connect gearshift and linkage and throttle cable.
- (31) Connect transfer case shift linkage.
- (32) Adjust gearshift linkage and throttle valve cable if necessary.
- (33) Align and connect propeller shaft(s).
- (34) Install skid plate, rear cushion and bracket, if removed.
- (35) Fill transfer case to bottom edge of fill plug hole.
- (36) Lower vehicle and fill transmission to correct level with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, type 7176 fluid.

## TORQUE CONVERTER

## REMOVAL

- (1) Remove transmission and torque converter from vehicle.
- (2) Place a suitable drain pan under the converter housing end of the transmission.

**CAUTION:** Verify that transmission is secure on the lifting device or work surface, the center of gravity of the transmission will shift when the torque converter is removed creating an unstable condition.

The torque converter is a heavy unit. Use caution when separating the torque converter from the transmission.

- (3) Pull the torque converter forward until the center hub clears the oil pump seal.
- (4) Separate the torque converter from the transmission.

## INSTALLATION

Check converter hub and drive notches for sharp edges, burrs, scratches, or nicks. Polish the hub and notches with 320/400 grit paper or crocus cloth if necessary. The hub must be smooth to avoid damaging the pump seal at installation.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

(1) Lubricate converter hub and oil pump seal lip with transmission fluid.

(2) Place torque converter in position on transmission.

**CAUTION: Do not damage oil pump seal or bushing while inserting torque converter into the front of the transmission.**

(3) Align torque converter to oil pump seal opening.

(4) Insert torque converter hub into oil pump.

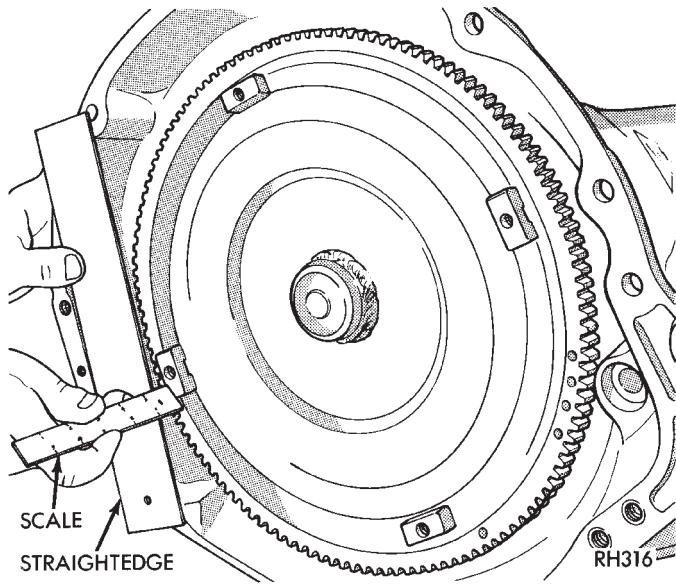
(5) While pushing torque converter inward, rotate converter until converter is fully seated in the oil pump gears.

(6) Check converter seating with a scale and straightedge (Fig. 20). Surface of converter lugs should be 1/2 in. to rear of straightedge when converter is fully seated.

(7) If necessary, temporarily secure converter with C-clamp attached to the converter housing.

(8) Install the transmission in the vehicle.

(9) Fill the transmission with the recommended fluid.



**Fig. 20 Checking Torque Converter Seating**

## EXTENSION HOUSING

## REMOVAL

(1) Hoist and support vehicle on safety stands.

(2) Support transmission with a suitable lifting device.

(3) Remove transmission skid plate. Refer to Group 13, Frame and Bumpers, for proper procedure.

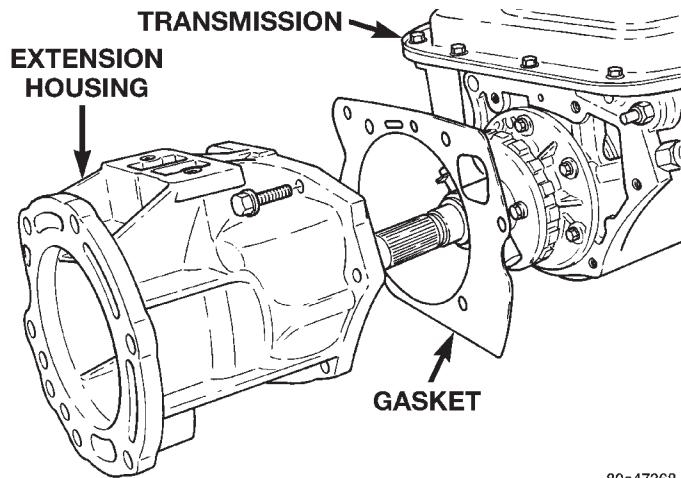
(4) Remove propeller shafts. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedure.

(5) Remove transfer case.

(6) Remove bolts holding extension housing to transmission case (Fig. 21).

(7) Separate extension housing from transmission.

(8) Slide extension housing rearward and off output shaft (Fig. 21).



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**Fig. 21 Extension Housing**

## INSTALLATION

Clear gasket material from sealing surfaces on extension housing and rear of transmission. Replace output shaft bearing, if necessary.

(1) Install new rear seal in extension housing. Use Tool Handle C-4171 and Seal Installer C-3860-A to install seal.

(2) Place extension housing gasket in position on rear of transmission.

(3) Slide extension housing forward and over output shaft (Fig. 21).

(4) Guide park shaft into park sprag and push extension housing forward until rod passes through opening behind sprag. It may be necessary to use a wire to hold sprag to the side for rod to pass through.

(5) Install bolts to hold extension housing to rear of transmission.

(6) Install transfer case.

(7) Install propeller shafts.

(8) Install rear transmission mount and skid plate.

(9) Lower vehicle and verify transmission fluid level. Add fluid as necessary.

## SPEEDOMETER ADAPTER

Rear axle gear ratio and tire size determine speedometer pinion requirements.

## REMOVAL

(1) Raise vehicle.

(2) Disconnect wires from vehicle speed sensor.

(3) Remove adapter clamp and screw (Fig. 22).

(4) Remove speed sensor and speedometer adapter as assembly.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

(5) Remove speed sensor retaining screw and remove sensor from adapter.

(6) Remove speedometer pinion from adapter.

(7) Inspect sensor and adapter O-rings (Fig. 22). Remove and discard O-rings if worn or damaged.

(8) Inspect terminal pins in speed sensor. Clean pins with Mopar® electrical spray cleaner if dirty or oxidized. Replace sensor if faulty, or pins are loose, severely corroded, or damaged.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Thoroughly clean adapter flange and adapter mounting surface in housing. Surfaces must be clean for proper adapter alignment and speedometer operation.

(2) Install new O-rings on speed sensor and speedometer adapter if necessary (Fig. 22).

(3) Lubricate sensor and adapter O-rings with transmission fluid.

(4) Install vehicle speed sensor in speedometer adapter. Tighten sensor attaching screw to 2-3 N·m (15-27 in. lbs.) torque.

(5) Install speedometer pinion in adapter.

(6) Count number of teeth on speedometer pinion. Do this before installing assembly in housing. Then lubricate pinion teeth with transmission fluid.

(7) Note index numbers on adapter body (Fig. 23). These numbers will correspond to number of teeth on pinion.

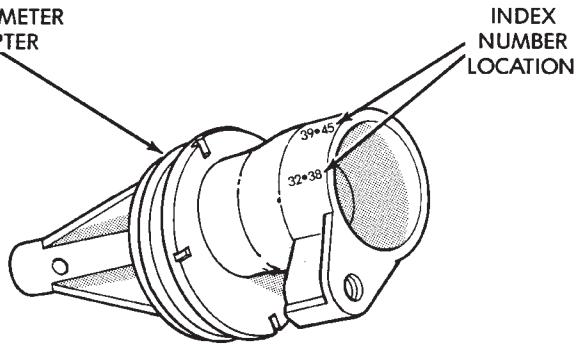
(8) Install speedometer assembly in housing.

(9) Rotate adapter until required range numbers are at 6 o'clock position. Be sure range index numbers correspond to number of teeth on pinion gear.

(10) Install speedometer adapter clamp and retaining screw. Tighten clamp screw to 10-12 N·m (90-110 in. lbs.) torque.

(11) Connect wires to vehicle speed sensor.

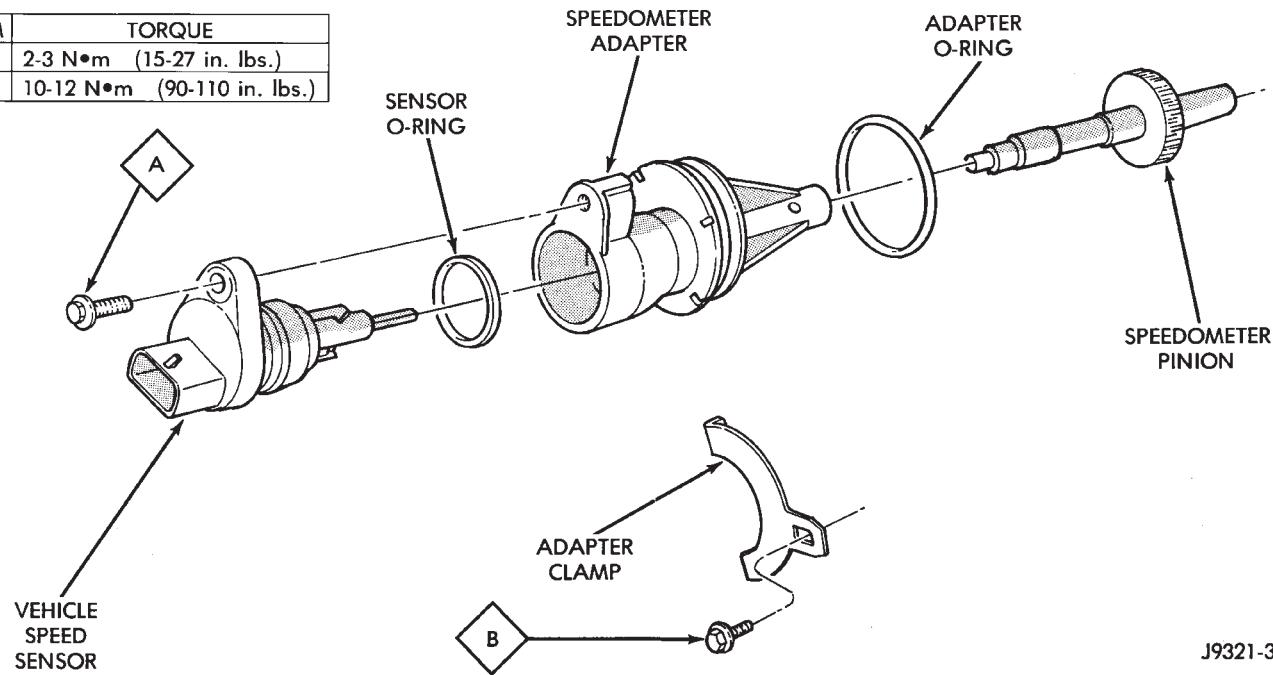
(12) Lower vehicle and top off transmission fluid level, if necessary.



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**Fig. 23 Index Numbers On Speedometer Pinion Adapter**

ITEM	TORQUE
A	2-3 N·m (15-27 in. lbs.)
B	10-12 N·m (90-110 in. lbs.)



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**Fig. 22 Speedometer Pinion Adapter Components**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

## PARK/NEUTRAL POSITION SWITCH

## REMOVAL

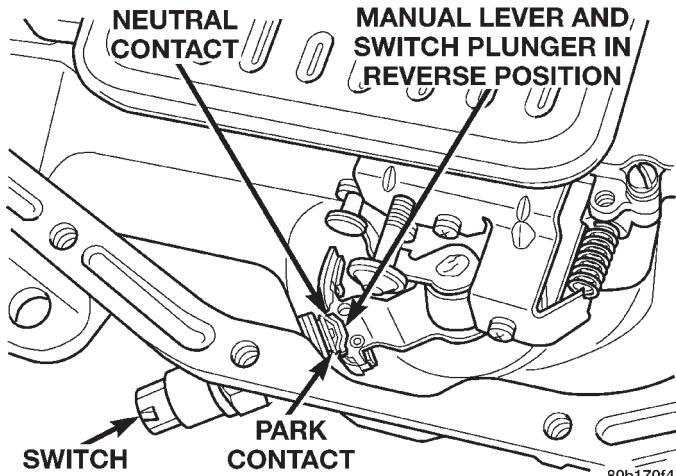
(1) Raise vehicle and position drain pan under switch.

(2) Disconnect switch wires.

(3) Remove switch from case.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Move shift lever to Park and Neutral positions. Verify that switch operating lever fingers are centered in switch opening in case (Fig. 24).



*Fig. 24 Park/Neutral Position Switch*

(2) Install new seal on switch and install switch in case. Tighten switch to 34 N·m (25 ft. lbs.) torque.

(3) Test continuity of new switch with 12V test lamp.

(4) Connect switch wires and lower vehicle.

(5) Top off transmission fluid level.

## GEARSHIFT CABLE

## REMOVAL

(1) Shift transmission into Park.

(2) Remove shift lever bezel and necessary console parts for access to shift lever assembly.

(3) Disconnect cable at shift lever and feed cable through dash panel opening to underside of vehicle.

(4) Raise vehicle.

(5) Disengage cable eyelet at transmission shift lever and pull cable adjuster out of mounting bracket. Then remove old cable from vehicle.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Route cable through hole in dash panel. Fully seat cable grommet into dash panel.

(2) Place the auto transmission manual shift control lever in "Park" detent (rearmost) position and rotate prop shaft to ensure transmission is in park.

(3) Connect shift cable to shifter mechanism by snapping cable retaining ears into shifter bracket and press cable end fitting onto lever ball stud.

(4) Place the floor shifter lever in park position. Ensure that the pawl is seated within the confines of the adjustment gauge clip.

(5) Snap the cable into the transmission bracket so the retaining ears are engaged and connect cable end fitting onto the manual control lever ball stud.

(6) Lock shift cable into position by pushing upward on the adjusting lock button.

(7) Remove and discard the shift cable adjustment gauge clip from the park gate of the shifter.

## BRAKE TRANSMISSION SHIFT INTERLOCK

## REMOVAL

(1) Remove lower steering column cover. Refer to Group 8E, Instrument Panel and Gauges, for proper procedure.

(2) Remove lower steering column shroud. Refer to Group 19, Steering, for proper procedure.

(3) Remove tie strap near the solenoid retaining the brake transmission interlock cable to the steering column.

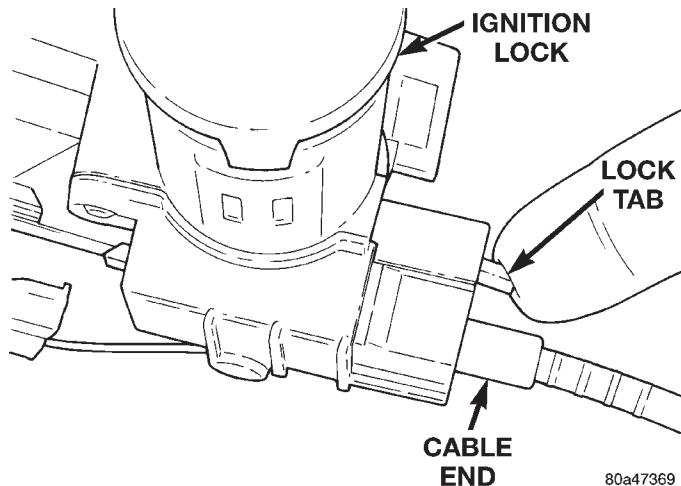
(4) Disengage wire connector from solenoid.

(5) With the ignition removed or in the unlocked position, disengage lock tab holding cable end to steering column (Fig. 25).

(6) Pull cable end from steering column.

(7) Remove the floor console and related trim. Refer to Group 23, Body, for proper procedure.

(8) Disconnect the cable eyelet from the bellcrank (Fig. 26).



*Fig. 25 Brake/Park Interlock Cable*

(9) Disconnect and remove the cable from the shift bracket.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Route replacement cable behind instrument panel and under floor console area to shift mechanism (Fig. 26).

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

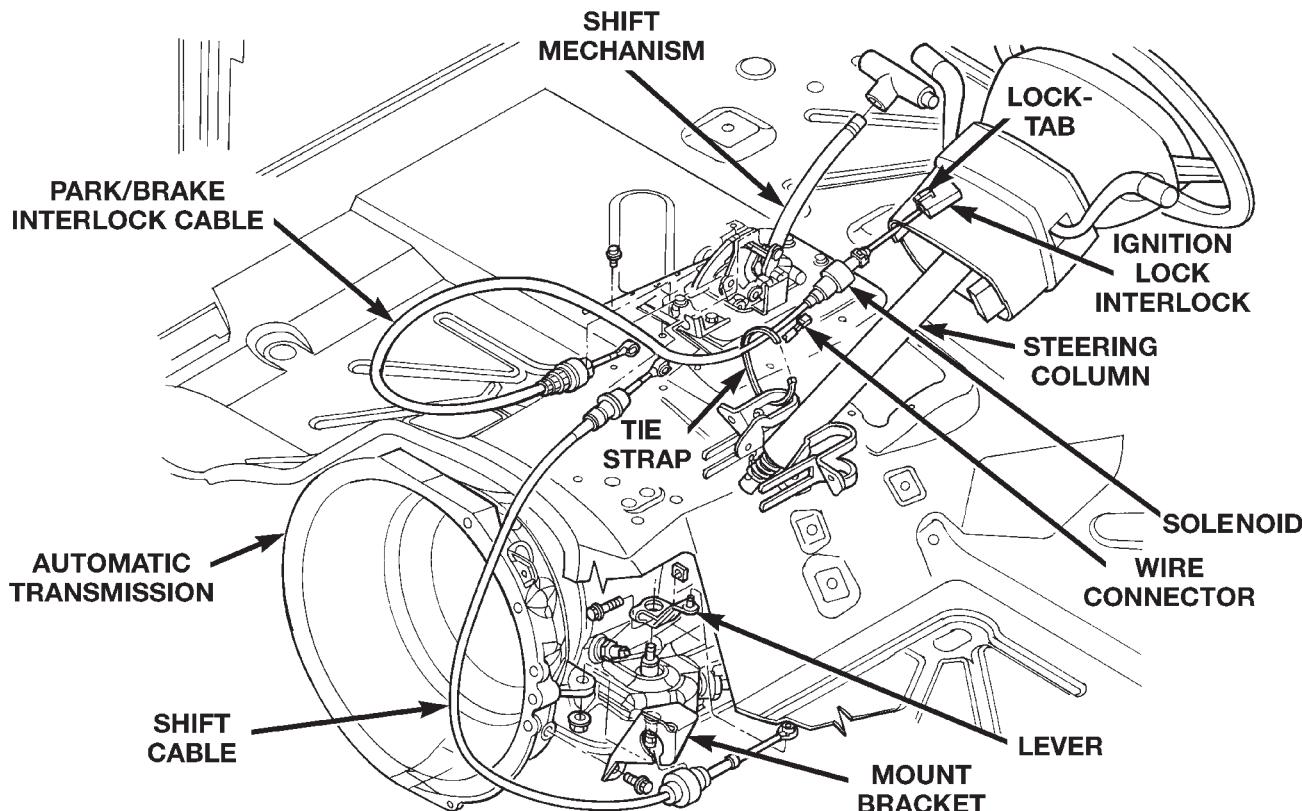


Fig. 26 Cable and Shifter

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(2) Insert cable end into opening in steering column hub under ignition lock. Push cable inward until lock tab engages.

(3) Connect the cable end eyelet onto shifter bellcrank pin.

(4) Place gear selector in PARK.

(5) Push the spring-loaded cable adjuster forward and snap cable into bracket.

(6) Adjust the brake transmission shifter interlock cable. Refer to the Adjustment portion of this section for proper procedures.

(7) Verify that the cable adjuster lock clamp is pushed downward to the locked position.

(8) Test the park-lock cable operation.

(9) Install the floor console and related trim.

(10) Install tie strap to hold cable to base of steering column.

(11) Install lower steering column shroud and ignition lock.

(12) Install lower steering column cover.

## VALVE BODY

## REMOVAL

(1) Raise vehicle.

(2) Remove oil pan and drain fluid.

(3) Loosen clamp bolts and remove throttle and manual valve levers from manual lever shaft.

(4) Remove park/neutral position switch.

(5) Remove filter from valve body.

(6) Depress retaining clip and pull solenoid wire from case connector (Fig. 27).

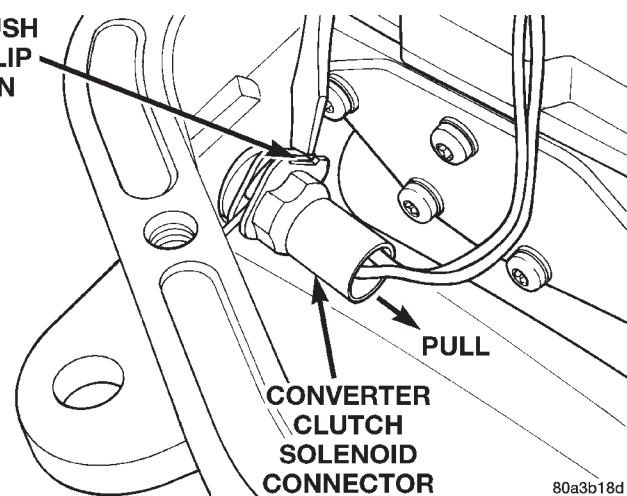
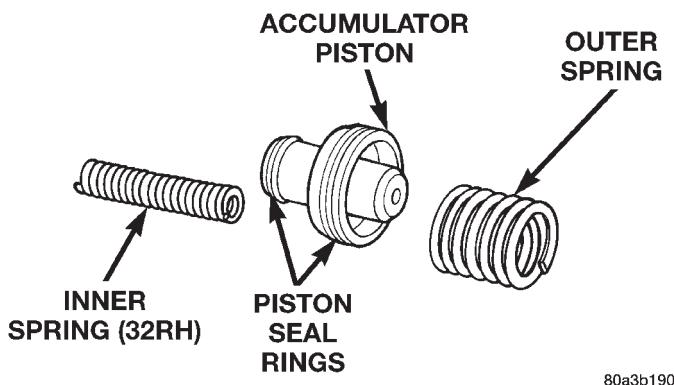
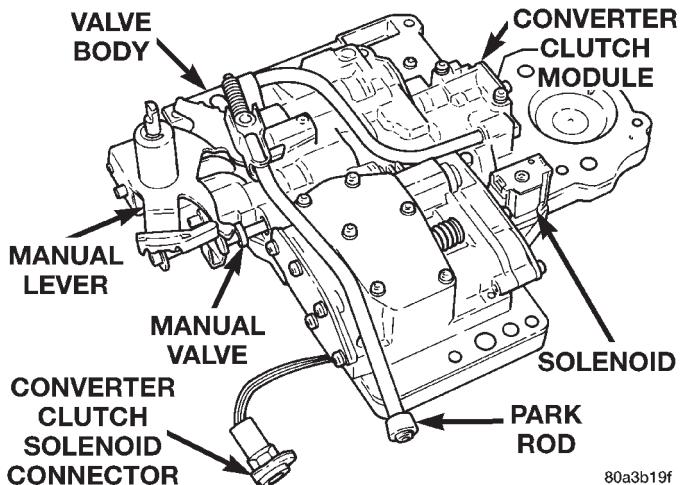


Fig. 27 Solenoid Wire Connector

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## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

- (7) Remove valve body attaching screws.
- (8) Lower valve body enough to remove accumulator piston and piston spring (Fig. 28).
- (9) Pull valve body forward to disengage park rod.
- (10) Push manual lever shaft and solenoid case connector out of transmission case.
- (11) Lower valve body, rotate it away from case, pull park lock rod out of sprag, and remove valve body (Fig. 29).

**Fig. 28 Accumulator Piston And Springs****Fig. 29 Valve Body**

## INSTALLATION

(1) Verify that park/neutral position switch is **NOT** installed. Valve body cannot be installed with switch in place. Remove switch if necessary.

(2) Install new seals on accumulator piston if necessary, and install piston in case. Use small amount of petroleum jelly to hold piston in place.

(3) Place valve body manual lever in low (1 position) to ease inserting park rod into sprag.

(4) Use screwdriver to push park sprag into engagement with park gear. This makes clearance for knob on lock rod to move past sprag when valve body is installed. Rotate output shaft to verify sprag engagement.

(5) Position accumulator spring between accumulator piston and valve body.

(6) Position valve body on transmission and work knob on park lock rod past sprag. Be sure accumulator piston and spring remain in position.

(7) Hold valve body in position and install valve body screws finger tight.

(8) Install park/neutral position switch.

(9) Tighten valve body screws alternately and evenly to 11 N·m (100 in. lbs.) torque.

(10) Install new fluid filter on valve body. Install and tighten filter screws to 4 N·m (35 in. lbs.) torque.

(11) Connect solenoid wire to case connector.

(12) Install manual and throttle levers on throttle lever shaft. Tighten lever clamp screws and check for free operation. Shaft and levers must operate freely without any bind.

(13) Install oil pan and new gasket. Tighten pan bolts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque. Install gasket dry; do not use sealer.

(14) Connect park/neutral position switch and converter clutch solenoid wires.

(15) Install speedometer pinion gear, adapter and speed sensor.

(16) Lower vehicle.

(17) Fill transmission with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176 fluid.

(18) Adjust gearshift and throttle cable if necessary.

## OUTPUT SHAFT REAR BEARING

## REMOVAL

(1) Remove extension housing.

(2) Remove snap ring that retains rear bearing on output shaft (Fig. 30).

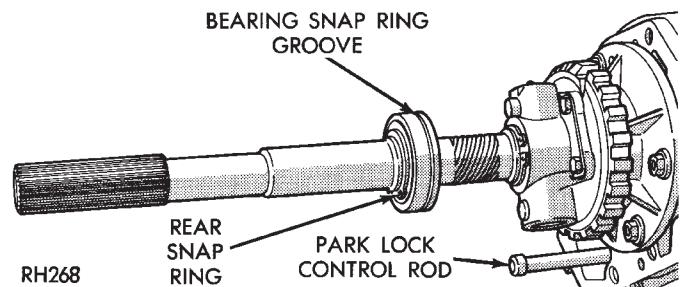
(3) Remove bearing from output shaft.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Install bearing on output shaft. Be sure retaining ring groove in outer circumference of bearing is toward the governor.

(2) Install rear bearing retaining snap ring (Fig. 30).

(3) Install extension housing.

**Fig. 30 Output Shaft Rear Bearing—Typical**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

## GOVERNOR AND PARK GEAR

## REMOVAL

- (1) Hoist and support vehicle on safety stands.
- (2) Mark propeller shaft and axle yoke for assembly reference. Then disconnect and remove shaft.
- (3) Disconnect parking brake cable at equalizer and disconnect exhaust components as necessary.
- (4) Support transmission on a suitable lifting device.
- (5) Remove skid plate and rear transmission mount.
- (6) Remove extension housing.
- (7) Loosen but do not remove bolts that hold governor body to park gear.
- (8) Rotate transmission output shaft until governor weight assembly is accessible.
- (9) Remove E-clip at end of governor valve shaft (Fig. 31).

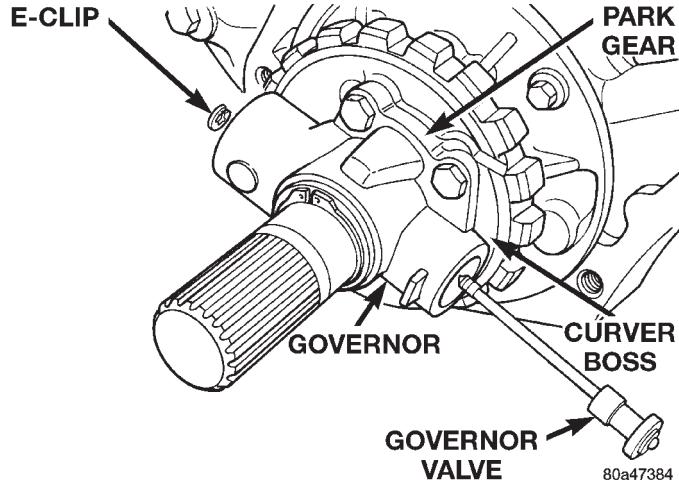


Fig. 31 Governor Valve

- (10) Remove governor valve and shaft from governor body (Fig. 31).
- (11) Remove snap rings and spacer that retain governor body and park gear assembly on output shaft (Fig. 32).
- (12) Remove bolts holding governor body to park gear (Fig. 33).
- (13) Separate governor from park gear.
- (14) Pull park gear from rear support.

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Install park gear into rear support so crown on curved boss is in line with hole through output shaft.
- (2) Install governor filter in park gear.
- (3) Slip governor body over output shaft and align port to filter.
- (4) Install bolts to hold governor body to park gear. Tighten bolts to 11 N·m (95 in. lbs.) torque (Fig. 33).
- (5) Install governor body-park gear snap rings and washer on output shaft as follows:

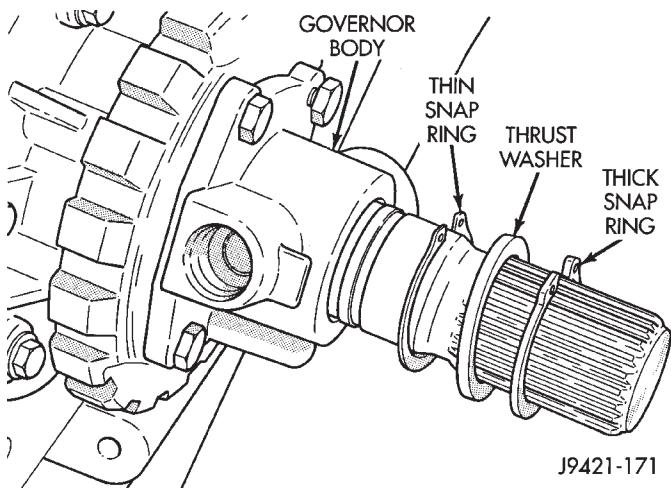


Fig. 32 Snap Rings And Spacer

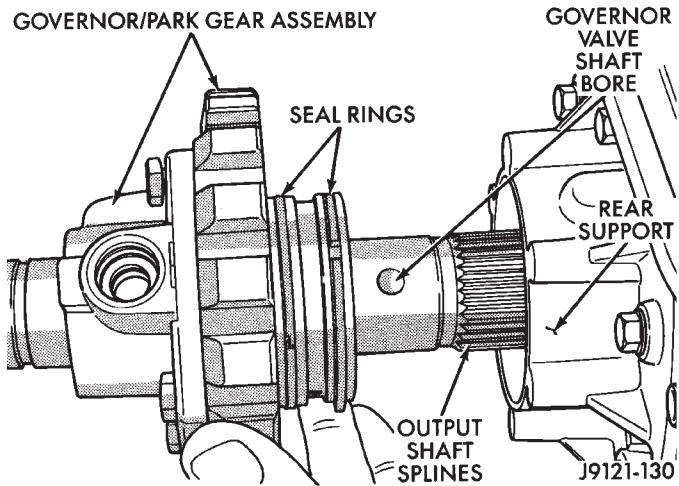


Fig. 33 Governor Body

- (a) Install thin snap ring first. Then install thrust washer second, and thick snap ring last (Fig. 32).
- (b) Verify correct position of snap rings. **Be sure flat side of each snap ring is toward governor body.**
- (6) Insert governor valve and shaft through governor and install E-clip (Fig. 31).
- (7) Install extension housing and gasket on transmission. Tighten housing bolts to 32 N·m (24 ft. lbs.).
- (8) Install rear transmission mount and skid plate.
- (9) Install speed sensor and speedometer components and connect speed sensor wires.
- (10) Connect exhaust components and brake cable, if removed.
- (11) Install propeller shaft.
- (12) Remove supports and lower vehicle.
- (13) Check transmission fluid level. Add fluid if necessary.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

## PARK LOCK

## REMOVAL

- (1) Raise vehicle and remove propeller shaft.
- (2) Remove extension housing.
- (3) Slide sprag shaft out of extension housing and remove sprag and spring (Fig. 34).
- (4) Remove snap ring and slide reaction plug and pin assembly out of housing.
- (5) If park rod requires service, it will be necessary to remove valve body.

## INSTALLATION

(1) Inspect sprag shaft for scores and free movement in housing and sprag. Inspect sprag and control rod springs for distortion and loss of tension. replace worn, damaged parts as necessary.

(2) Inspect square lug on sprag for broken edges. Check lugs on park gear for damage. Inspect knob on end of control rod for wear grooves, or being seized on rod. Replace rod if bent, if knob is worn/grooved, or it has seized on rod. Replace park gear if lugs are damaged. Replace the park lock rod if it is suspected that the rod is not the correct length.

(3) Install reaction plug and pin assembly in housing and secure with new snap ring (Fig. 34).

(4) Position sprag and spring in housing and insert sprag shaft. Be sure square lug on sprag is toward park gear. Also be sure spring is positioned so it moves sprag away from gear.

- (5) Install extension housing.
- (6) Install propeller shaft and lower vehicle.
- (7) Check transmission fluid level. Add fluid if necessary.

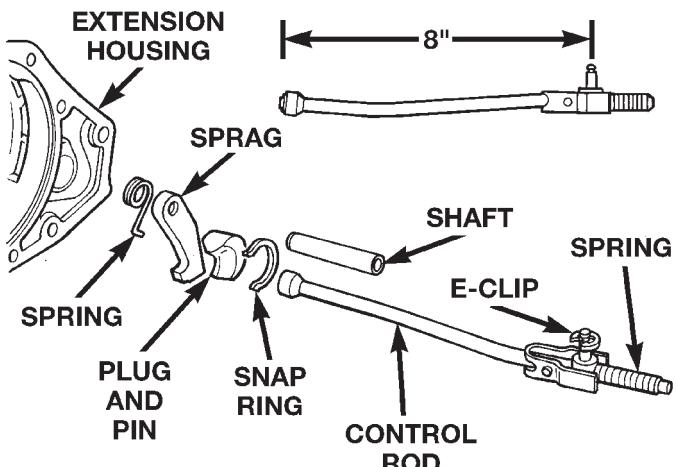


Fig. 34 Park Lock

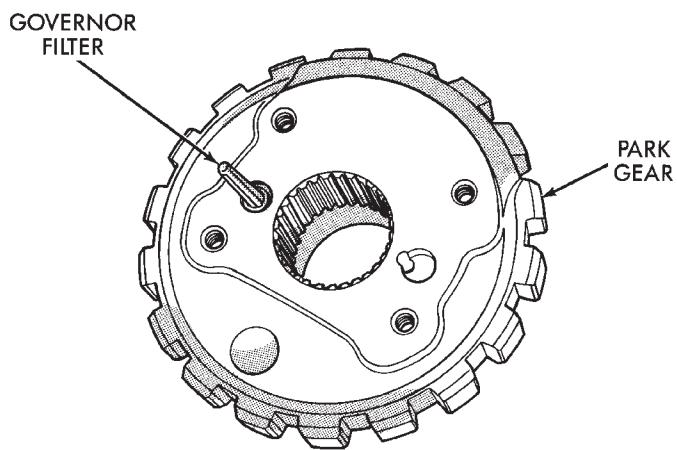
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## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

## GOVERNOR AND PARK GEAR

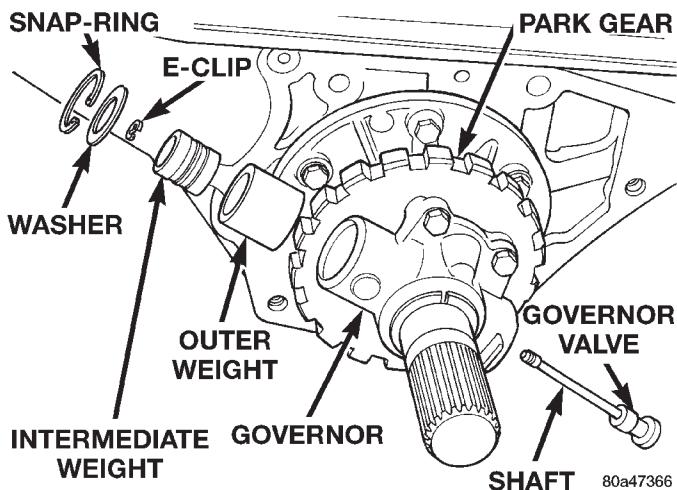
## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove governor body from transmission.
- (2) Clean and inspect governor filter (Fig. 35).
- (3) Remove snap ring and washer that secure governor weight assembly in body (Fig. 36).
- (4) Remove governor weight assembly from governor body bore.
- (5) Slide intermediate and inner weight from outer weight.
- (6) Position intermediate weight on suitable size socket (Fig. 37).
- (7) Push inner weight downward with nut driver. Then remove inner weight snap ring with Miller Plier Tool 6823 (Fig. 37).
- (8) Remove inner weight and spring from intermediate weight.



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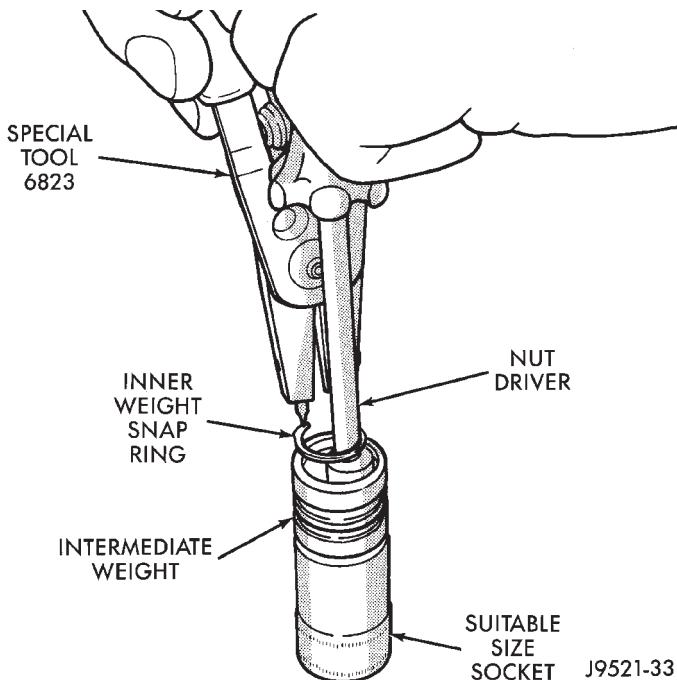
Fig. 35 Governor Filter



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Fig. 36 Snap Ring, Washer, and Outer Weight

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 37 Inner Weight Snap Ring**

## ASSEMBLY

**CAUTION:** Exercise care when installing the rings. They are easily broken if overspread or twisted during installation.

If it was necessary to remove the park gear, inspect the seal rings and bore in rear support. Install new seal rings on park gear hub only if original rings are damaged, or worn. Install ring with interlock ends first and ring with plain ends last. Slip each ring on hub and seat them in grooves. Verify that rear ring ends are securely interlocked before proceeding. If the bore in rear support is damaged, replace the rear support.

(1) Lubricate governor components with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176 transmission fluid before assembly.

(2) Clean and inspect governor weights and bores for scoring or wear. Replace the governor body and weights if damaged. Refer to Cleaning and Inspection section of this group for proper procedure.

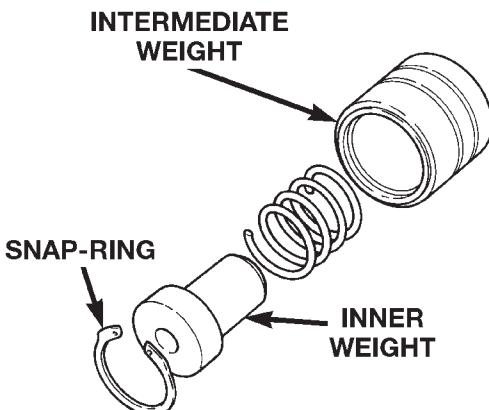
(3) Insert spring into intermediate weight.

(4) Insert inner weight into intermediate weight and install snap-ring (Fig. 38). Verify snap-ring is fully seated in groove in intermediate weight (Fig. 37).

(5) Assemble governor weights into governor body (Fig. 36).

(6) Install washer and snap ring to hold weights in governor body.

(7) Install governor body in transmission



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**Fig. 38 Intermediate and Inner Governor Weights**

## VALVE BODY

## DISASSEMBLY

Position the valve body on a clean work surface to avoid contamination.

**CAUTION:** Do not clamp any part of the valve body assembly (Fig. 39) in a vise. This practice will distort the valve body and transfer plate resulting in valve bind. Slide valves and plugs out carefully. Do not use force at any time. The valves and valve body will be damaged if force is used. Also tag or mark the valve body springs for reference as they are removed. Do not allow them to become intermixed.

(1) Remove screws attaching adjusting screw bracket to valve body and transfer plate. Hold bracket firmly against spring force while removing last screw.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(2) Remove adjusting screw bracket, line pressure adjusting screw (Fig. 40).

(3) Remove switch valve and spring, pressure regulator valve and spring, kickdown valve and spring, and throttle valve from valve body (Fig. 40).

(4) Secure detent ball and spring in housing with Retainer Tool 6583 (Fig. 41).

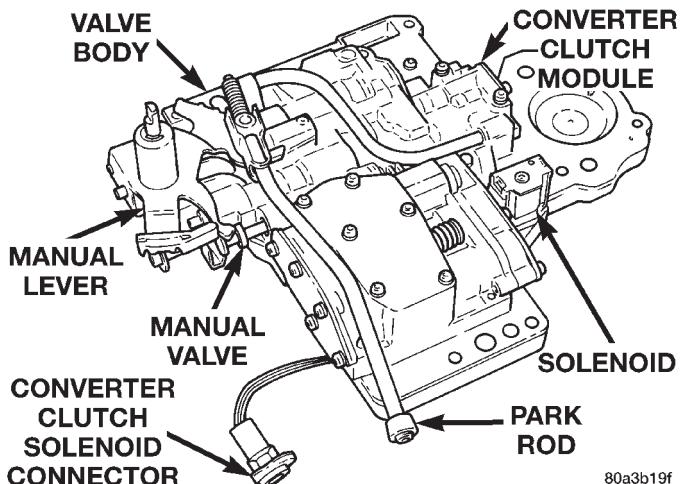
(5) Remove manual shaft E-clip, washer, and seal (Fig. 42).

(6) Pull manual shaft and park rod assembly upward out of valve body and off throttle lever (Fig. 42).

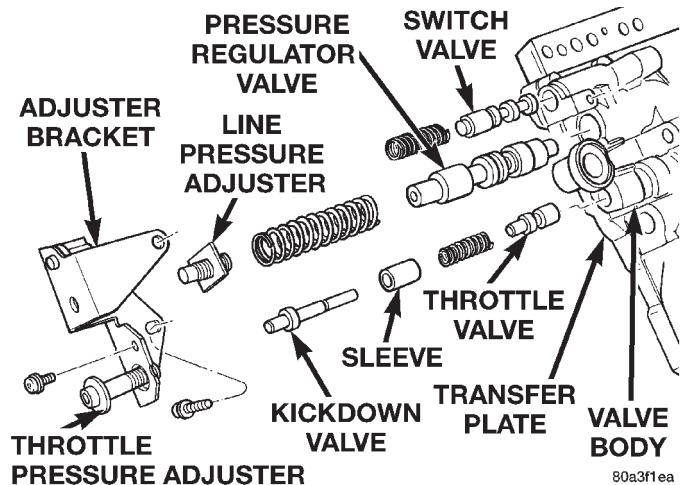
(7) Remove manual valve from valve body (Fig. 43).

(8) Remove Retainer Tool 6583. Then remove and retain detent ball and spring (Fig. 42).

(9) Remove throttle lever (Fig. 42).

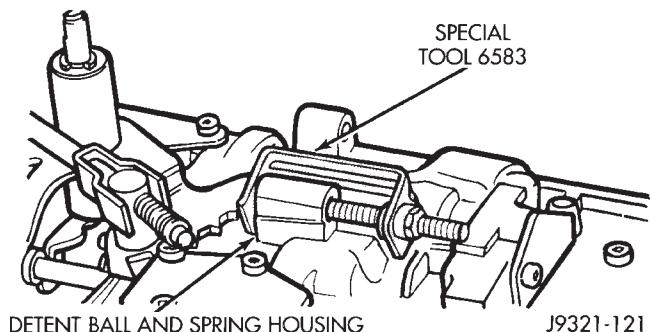


*Fig. 39 Valve Body Assembly*

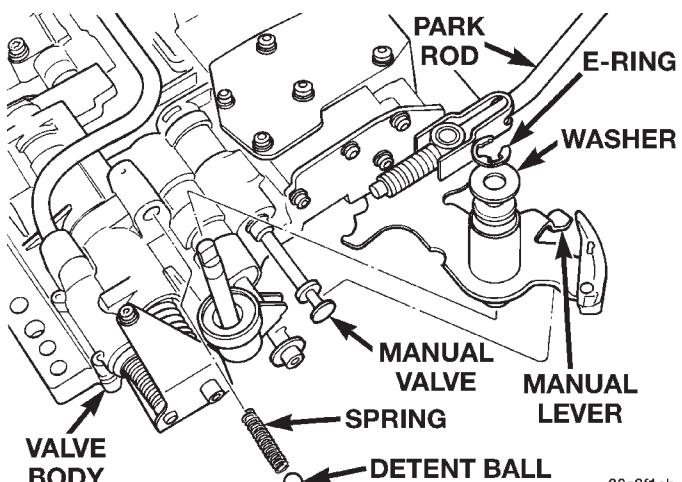


*Fig. 40 Adjusting Screw Bracket, Springs, Valve Removal*

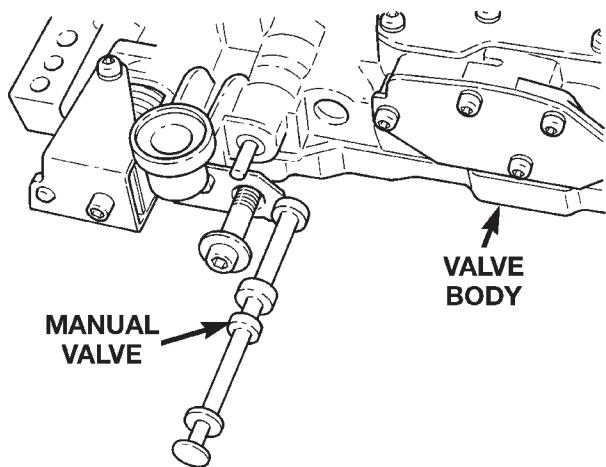
(10) Remove park rod E-clip and separate rod from manual lever (Fig. 44).



*Fig. 41 Securing Detent Ball And Spring With Retainer Tool*



*Fig. 42 Manual And Throttle Levers*



*Fig. 43 Manual Valve*

(11) Remove converter clutch solenoid from separator plate (Fig. 45). A T25 torx bit is required to remove solenoid attaching screw.

(12) Remove screws attaching converter clutch module to valve body and remove module and connecting tube (Fig. 46).

(13) Remove screws attaching end cover plate to torque converter module (Fig. 47).

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(14) Remove converter clutch valve, fail safe valve, and springs (Fig. 47)

(15) Turn valve body over so transfer plate is facing upward (Fig. 48). With valve body in this position, valve body check balls will remain in place and not fall out when transfer plate is removed.

(16) Remove screws attaching transfer plate to valve body (Fig. 48).

(17) Remove transfer plate and separator plate from valve body (Fig. 48). Note position of filter and clutch solenoid for reference. Remove valve body check balls.

(18) Position transfer plate on bench so separator plate, and filter are facing up. This will avoid having rear clutch and rear servo check balls fall out when plates are separated.

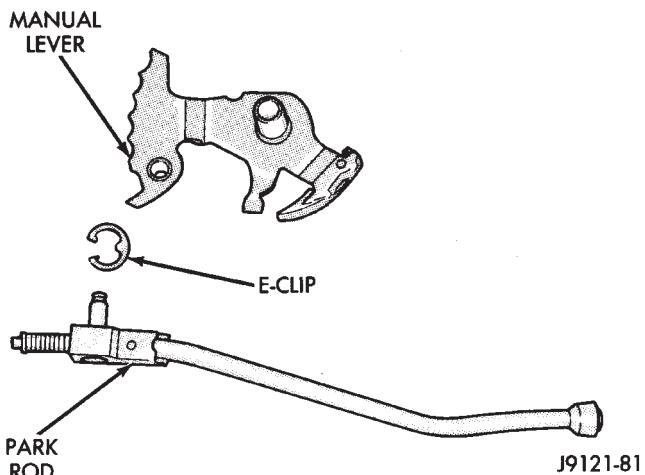


Fig. 44 Park Rod

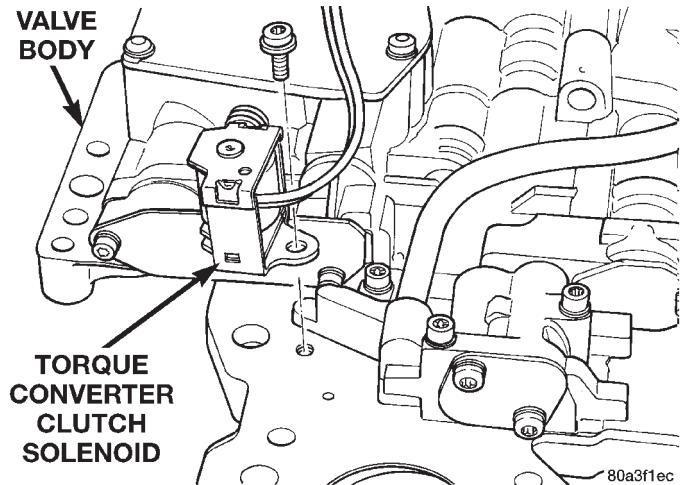
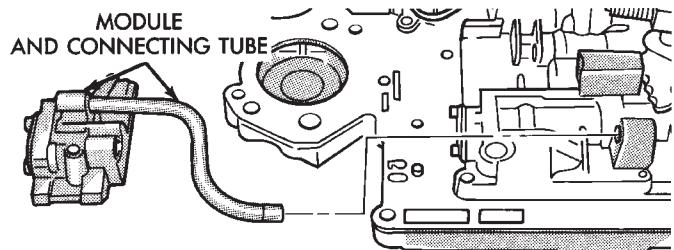


Fig. 45 Converter Clutch Solenoid



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Fig. 46 Clutch Module And Connecting Tube

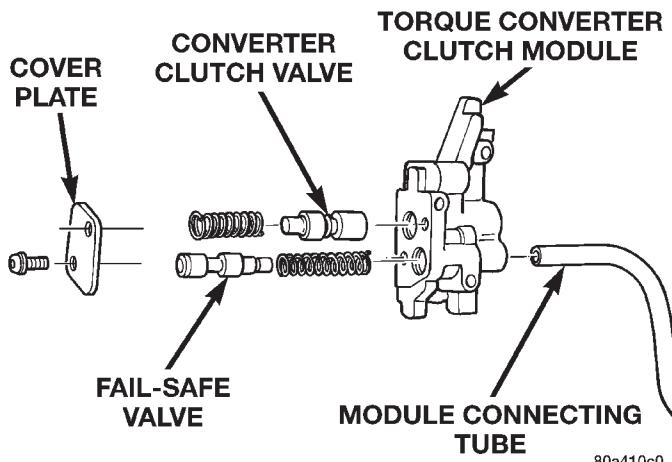


Fig. 47 Converter Clutch and Fail Safe Valves

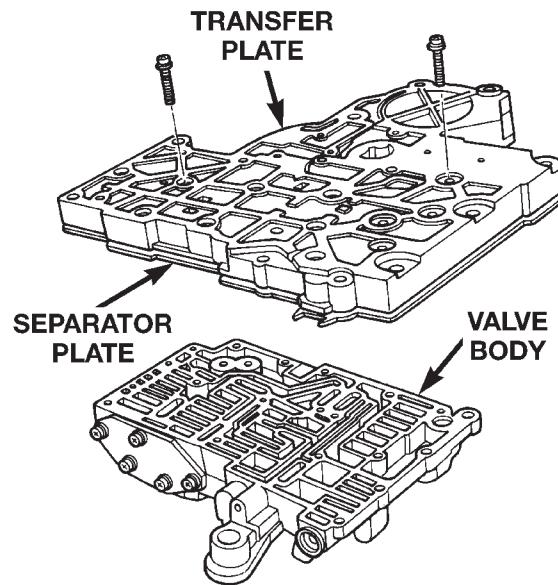


Fig. 48 Valve Body Transfer Plate Screws

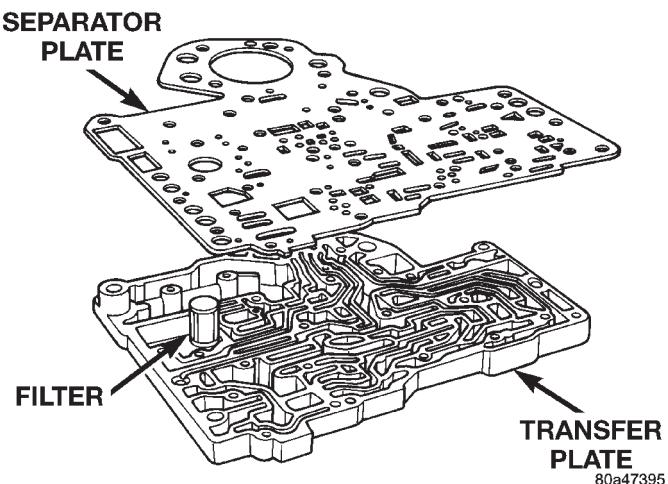
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(19) Remove screws attaching separator plate to transfer plate (Fig. 49).

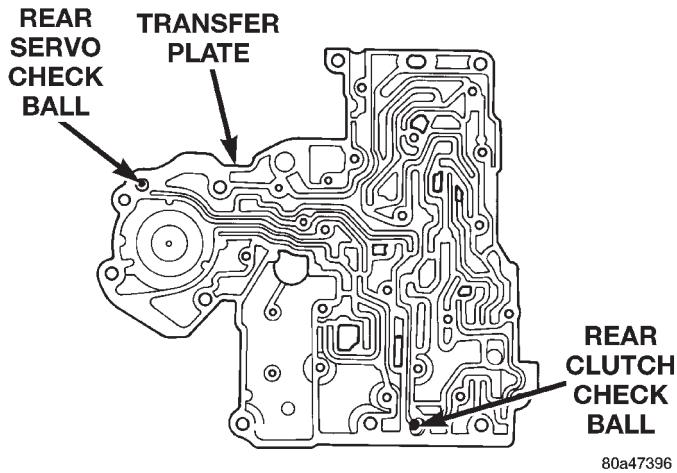
(20) Note position of filter, rear clutch servo and rear servo check balls for assembly reference (Fig. 49) and (Fig. 50).

(21) Remove shuttle valve end plate (Fig. 51).

(22) Remove shuttle valve E-clip and remove secondary spring and spring guides from end of valve (Fig. 52).



*Fig. 49 Transfer And Separator Plates*



*Fig. 50 Rear Servo and Rear Clutch Check Balls*

(23) Remove governor plug end plate (Fig. 53).

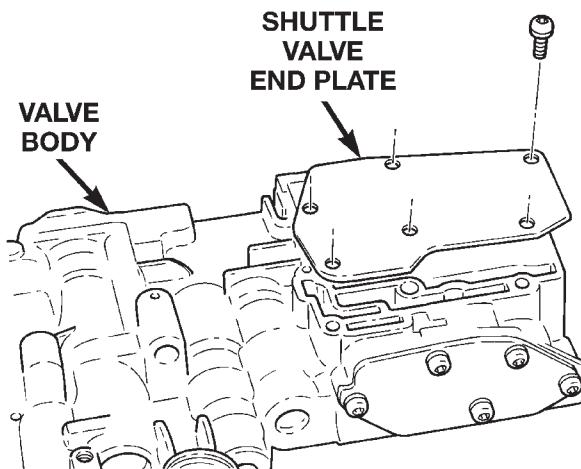
(24) Remove 1-2 and 2-3 shift valve governor plugs from valve body (Fig. 53).

(25) Remove shuttle valve throttle plug, primary spring and shuttle valve from valve body (Fig. 53).

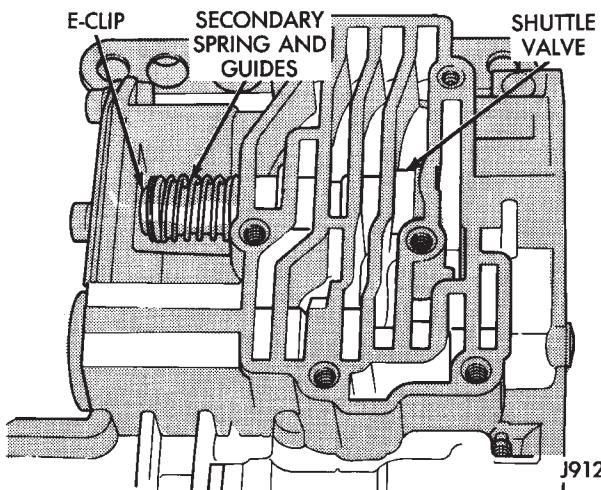
(26) Remove screws attaching kickdown limit valve body to valve body (Fig. 53).

(27) Remove 1-2 shift control valve and spring from valve body (Fig. 53).

(28) Remove 2-3 shift valve and spring from valve body (Fig. 53).



*Fig. 51 Shuttle Valve End Plate*



*Fig. 52 Shuttle Valve E-Clip And Secondary Spring*

(29) Remove 1-2 shift valve and spring from valve body (Fig. 53).

(30) Remove throttle pressure plug from kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53).

(31) Remove retainer from end of kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53).

(32) Remove kickdown limit valve and spring from kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53).

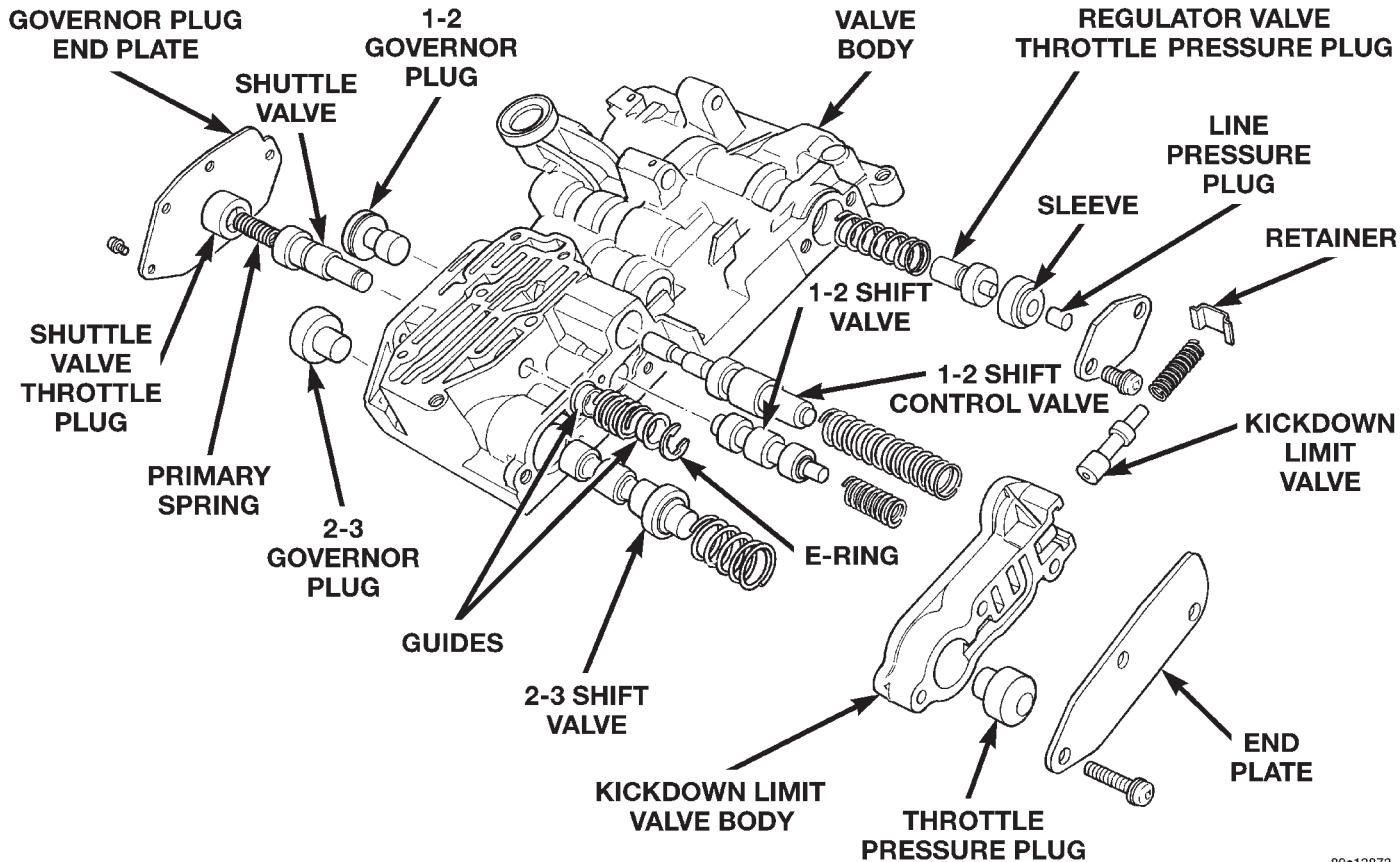
(33) Remove regulator valve end plate from valve body (Fig. 53).

(34) Remove regulator valve line pressure plug, pressure plug sleeve, regulator valve throttle pressure plug and spring (Fig. 53).

#### ASSEMBLY

Clean and inspect all valve body components for damage or wear. Refer to the Cleaning and Inspection section of this group for proper procedure.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)



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**Fig. 53 Control Valves, Shift Valves, And Governor Plugs**

**CAUTION:** Do not force valves or plugs into place during reassembly. If the valve body bores, valves, and plugs are free of distortion or burrs, the valve body components should all slide into place easily. In addition, do not overtighten the transfer plate and valve body screws during reassembly. Overtightening can distort the valve body resulting in valve sticking, cross leakage and unsatisfactory operation. Tighten valve body screws to recommended torque only.

(1) Lubricate valve body bores, valves and plugs with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176, transmission fluid.

(2) Install regulator valve line pressure plug, pressure plug sleeve, regulator valve throttle pressure plug, and spring into valve body (Fig. 53). Verify valve components slide freely.

(3) Install regulator valve end plate on valve body (Fig. 53).

(4) Install kickdown limit valve and spring in kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53). Verify valve components slide freely.

(5) Compress spring into kickdown limit valve body.

(6) Install retainer in grooves at end of kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53).

(7) Install throttle pressure plug in kickdown limit valve body (Fig. 53).

(8) Install 1-2 shift valve and spring into valve body (Fig. 53).

(9) Install 2-3 shift valve and spring into valve body (Fig. 53).

(10) Install 1-2 shift control valve and spring into valve body (Fig. 53).

(11) Verify valve components slide freely.

(12) Place kickdown limit valve body and end plate in position on valve body and compress springs (Fig. 53).

(13) Install screws to attach kickdown limit valve body to valve body (Fig. 53).

(14) Install shuttle valve throttle plug, primary spring and shuttle valve into valve body (Fig. 53). Verify valve components slide freely.

(15) Install 1-2 and 2-3 shift valve governor plugs into valve body (Fig. 53). Verify valve components slide freely.

(16) Place governor plug end plate in position on valve body and compress spring.

(17) Install screws to attach governor plug end plate to valve body (Fig. 53).

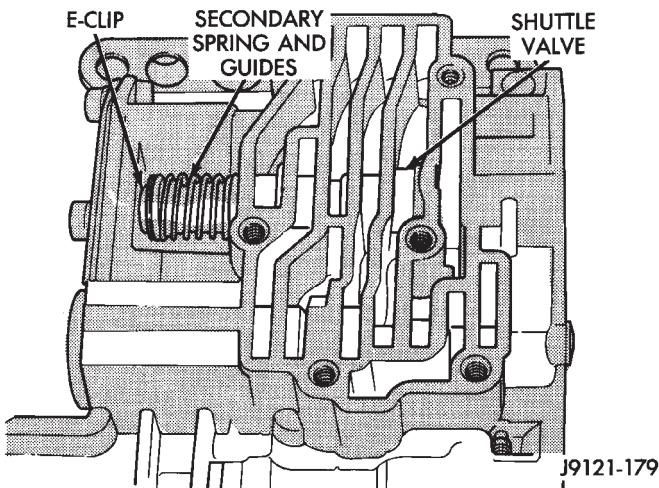
(18) Assemble shuttle valve spring and guides (Fig. 53). Place spring and guides in position on shuttle valve stem.

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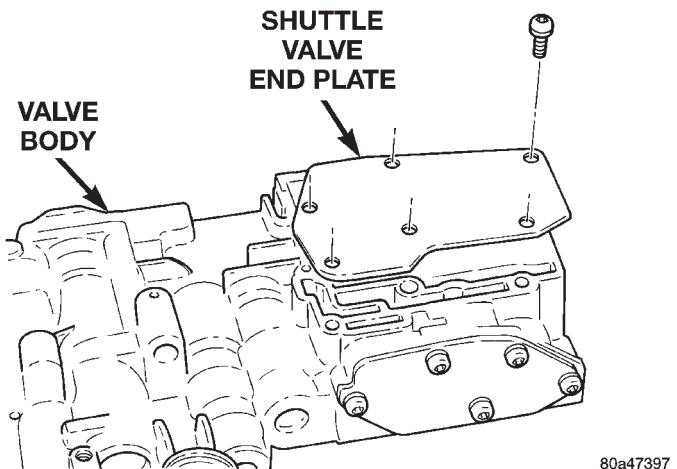
(19) Compress spring and install E-clip in groove on shuttle valve stem (Fig. 54).

(20) Place shuttle valve end plate in position on valve body (Fig. 55).

(21) Install screws to attach shuttle valve end plate to valve body (Fig. 55).



**Fig. 54 Shuttle Valve E-Clip And Secondary Spring**



**Fig. 55 Shuttle Valve End Plate**

(22) Install rear clutch servo and rear servo check balls in proper cavities in transfer plate (Fig. 56).

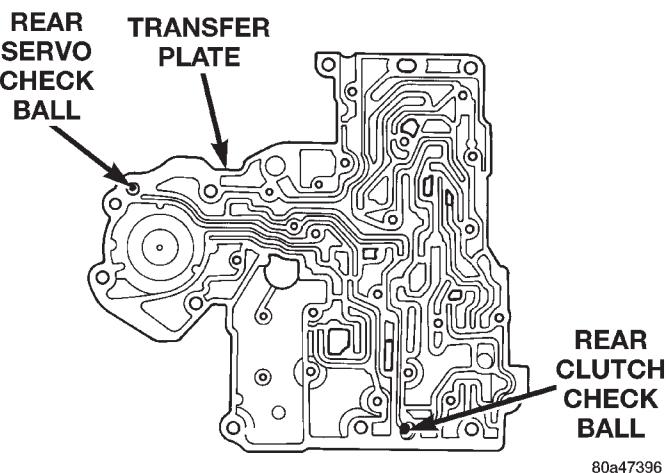
(23) Insert filter into opening in separator plate (Fig. 57).

(24) Place separator plate in position on transfer plate and install screws to attach separator plate to transfer plate (Fig. 57).

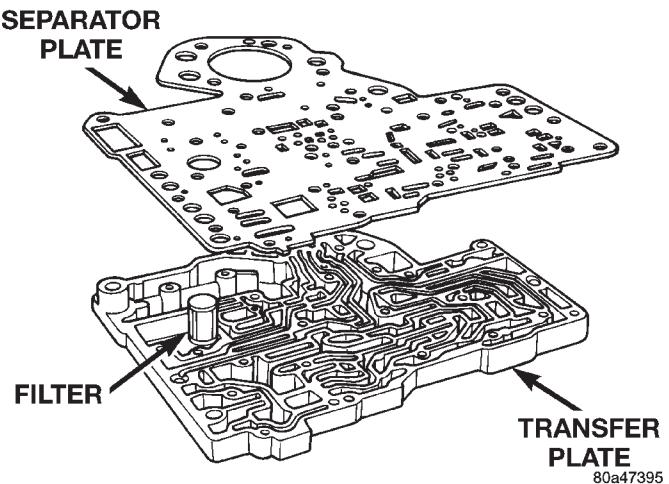
(25) Place one 11/32 in. check ball and six 1/4 in. check balls in the proper cavities in the valve body (Fig. 58).

(26) Place transfer plate in position on valve body (Fig. 59).

(27) Install screws to attach transfer plate to valve body (Fig. 59).



**Fig. 56 Rear Servo and Rear Clutch Check Balls**



**Fig. 57 Transfer And Separator Plates**

(28) Turn valve body over to expose the separator plate.

(29) Insert converter clutch valve and spring into converter clutch valve module (Fig. 60). Verify valve components slide freely.

(30) Insert spring and fail-safe valve into converter clutch valve module (Fig. 60). Verify valve components slide freely.

(31) Place cover plate in position on converter clutch valve module (Fig. 60).

(32) Install screws to attach cover to converter clutch valve module (Fig. 60).

(33) Insert connecting tube into converter clutch valve module (Fig. 60).

(34) Insert connecting tube into valve body opening (Fig. 61).

(35) Place converter clutch valve module in position on separator plate. Install screws to attach converter clutch module to valve body (Fig. 61).

(36) If necessary, install a new O-ring on converter clutch solenoid (Fig. 62).

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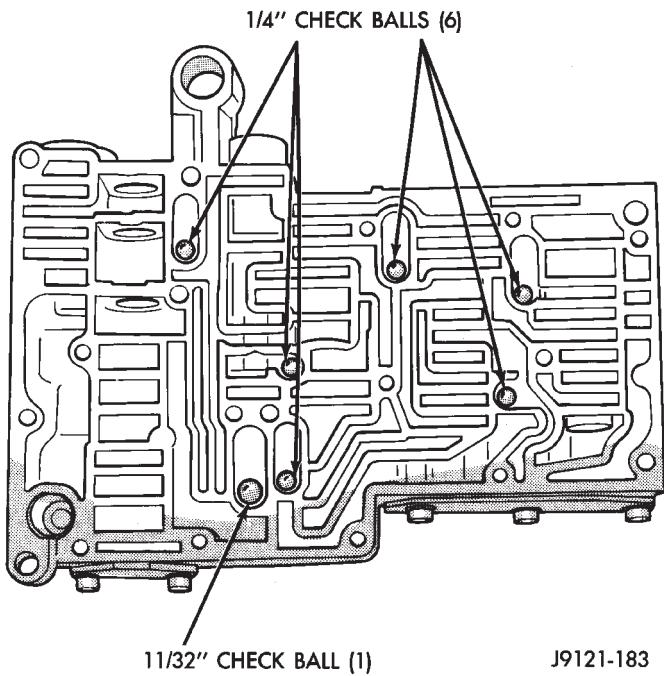
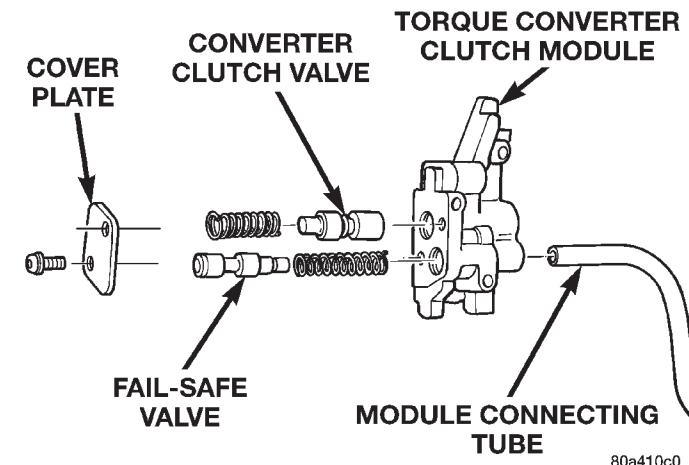
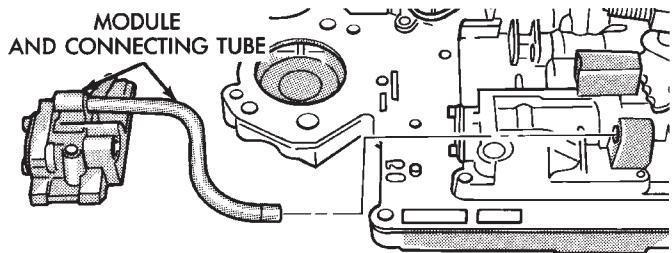


Fig. 58 Correct Position Of Valve Body Check Balls



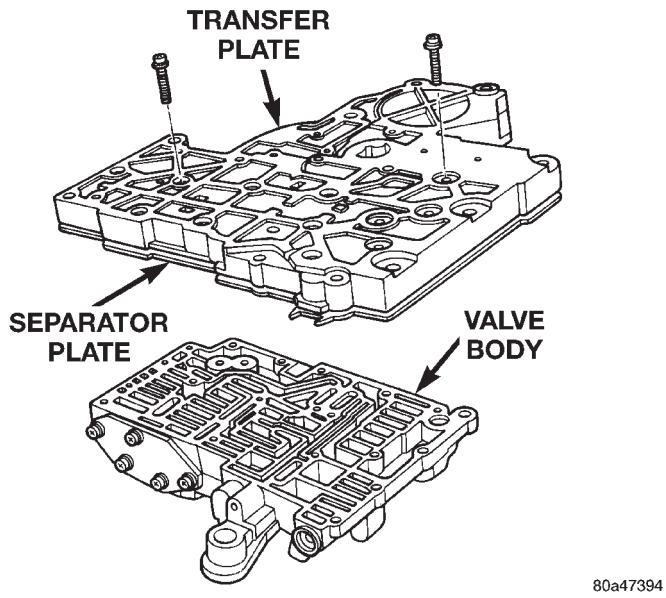
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Fig. 60 Converter Clutch Valve Module



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Fig. 61 Clutch Module And Connecting Tube

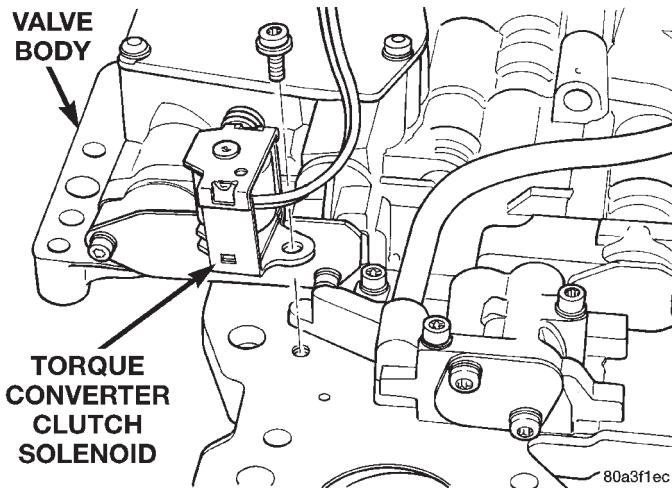


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Fig. 59 Valve Body Transfer Plate Screws

(37) Insert converter clutch solenoid into transfer plate (Fig. 62).

(38) Install screw to attach solenoid to transfer plate (Fig. 62).

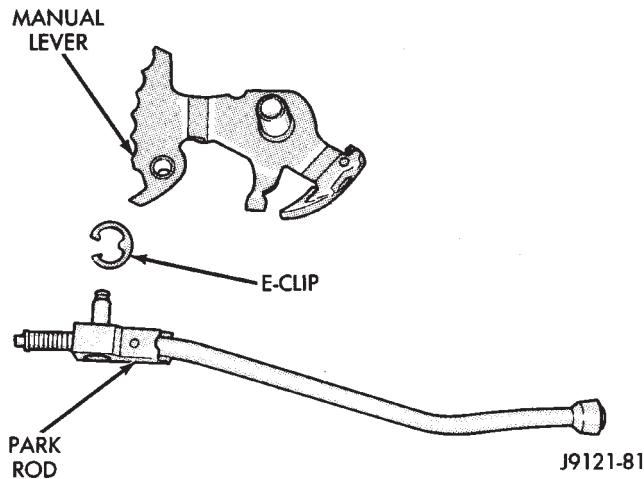


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Fig. 62 Converter Clutch Solenoid

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(39) If necessary, insert park rod end into manual lever and install E-clip (Fig. 63).

**Fig. 63 Park Rod**

(40) Insert detent spring and ball into opening in valve body and install Retainer Tool 6583 (Fig. 64).

(41) Install manual valve into valve body (Fig. 65).

(42) Insert throttle lever through transfer plate side of valve body and upward (Fig. 66).

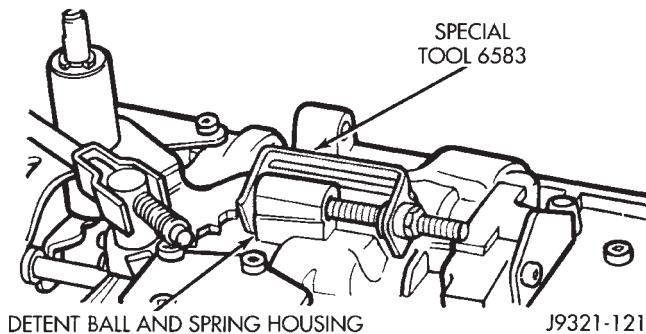
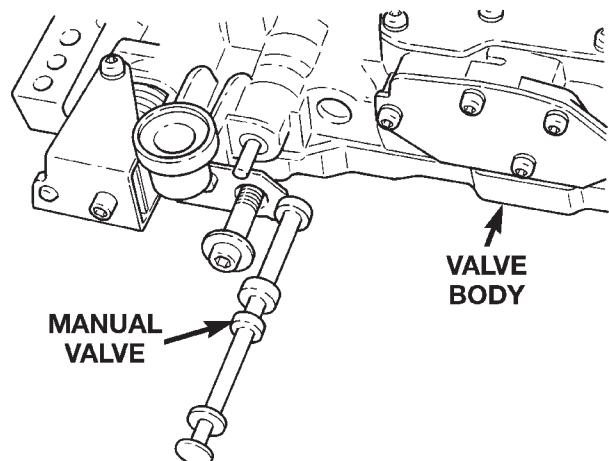
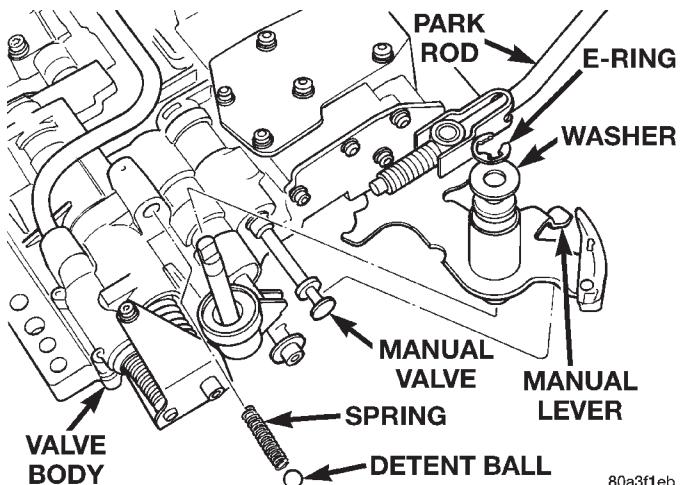
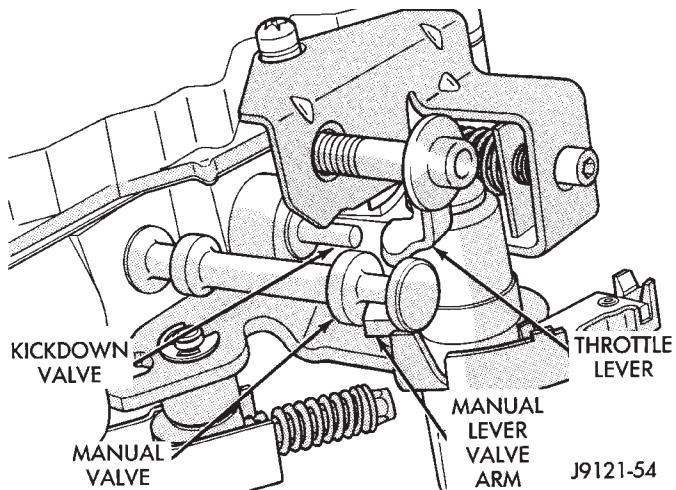
(43) Insert throttle lever into groove in manual valve (Fig. 67).

(44) Install seal, washer, and E-clip to retain manual shaft to valve body (Fig. 66).

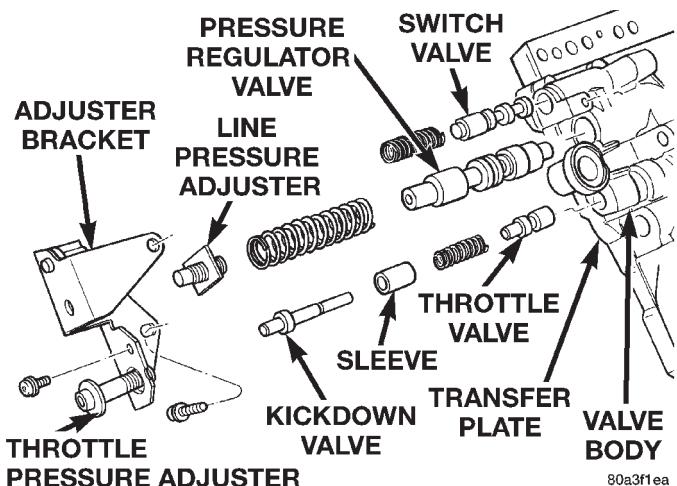
(45) Install switch valve and spring, pressure regulator valve and spring, kickdown valve and spring, and throttle valve into valve body (Fig. 68).

(46) Place adjusting screw bracket and line pressure adjusting screw in position on valve body and compress springs (Fig. 40).

(47) Install screws to attach adjuster bracket to valve body.

**Fig. 64 Securing Detent Ball And Spring With Retainer Tool****Fig. 65 Manual Valve****Fig. 66 Manual And Throttle Levers****Fig. 67 Manual Valve And Throttle Lever Alignment**

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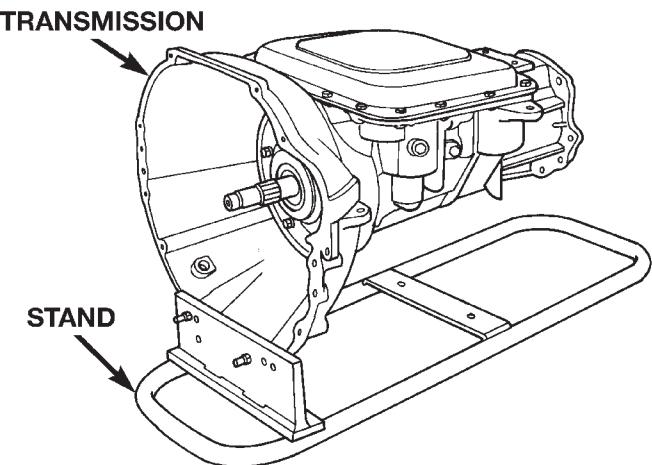
*Fig. 68 Adjusting Screw Bracket, Springs, and Valves*

## TRANSMISSION

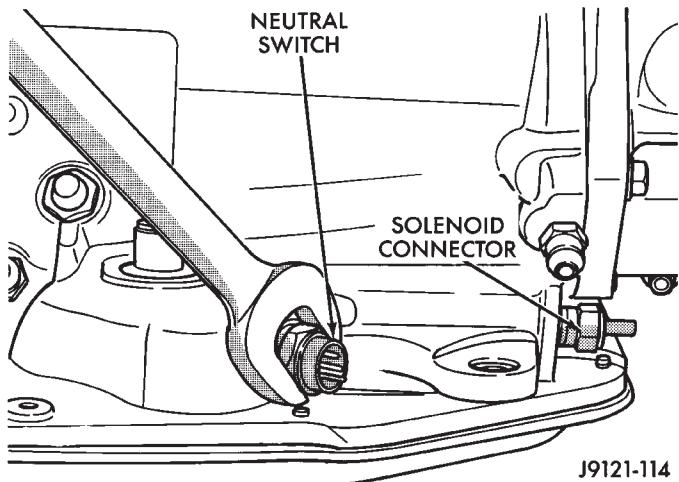
## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove transmission from vehicle.
- (2) Install a suitable tail shaft housing plug to avoid contaminating internal components with cleaning solvents.
- (3) Clean exterior of transmission with suitable solvent or pressure washer.
- (4) Remove torque converter from transmission.
- (5) Remove throttle and shift levers from valve body manual shaft and throttle lever shaft.
- (6) Mount transmission in repair stand C-3750-B or similar type stand (Fig. 69).
- (7) Remove extension housing.
- (8) Remove fluid pan.
- (9) Remove park/neutral position switch and seal (Fig. 70).
- (10) Remove valve body.
- (11) Remove accumulator spring and piston (Fig. 71).

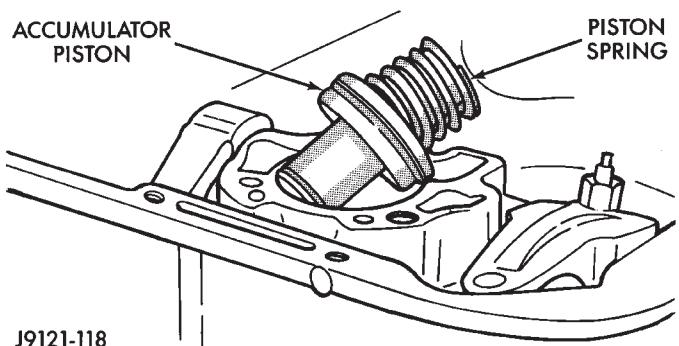
NOTE: The 32RH is equipped with an additional spring under the accumulator piston.



*Fig. 69 Repair Stand*



*Fig. 70 Park/Neutral Position Switch*



*Fig. 71 Accumulator Piston And Spring*

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(12) Loosen front band adjusting screw lock nut (Fig. 72) 4-5 turns. Then tighten band adjusting screw until band is tight around front clutch. This prevents front/rear clutches from coming out with pump and possibly damaging clutch or pump components.

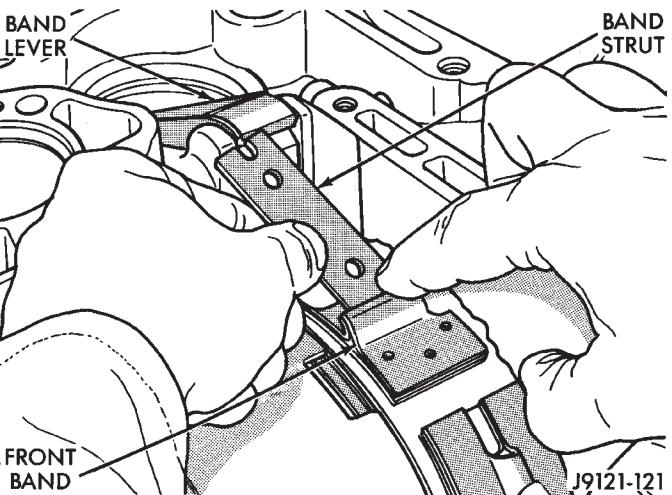
(13) Remove oil pump bolts.

(14) Thread bolts of Slide Hammer Tools C-3752 into threaded holes in pump body flange (Fig. 73).

(15) Bump slide hammer weights outward to remove pump and reaction shaft support assembly from case (Fig. 73).

(16) Loosen front band adjusting screw until band is completely loose (Fig. 72).

(17) Squeeze front band together and remove band strut (Fig. 74).



**Fig. 74 Front Band Strut**

(18) Remove front and rear clutch units as an assembly. Grasp input shaft, hold clutch units together and remove them from case (Fig. 75).

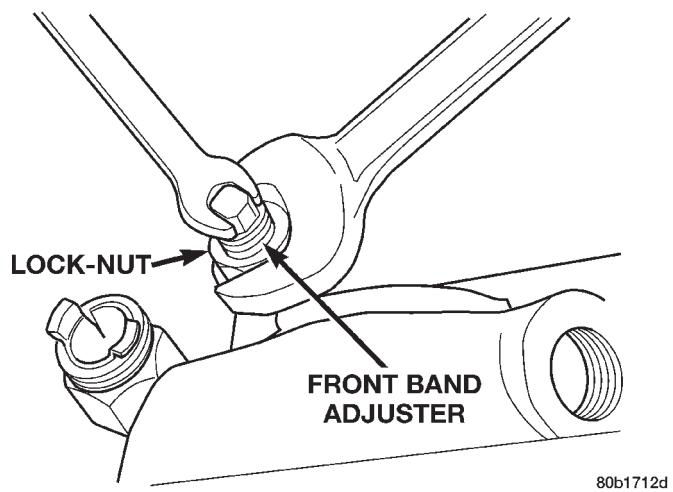
(19) Lift front clutch off rear clutch (Fig. 76). Set clutch units aside for overhaul.

(20) Remove output shaft thrust washer from output shaft (or from rear clutch hub) (Fig. 77).

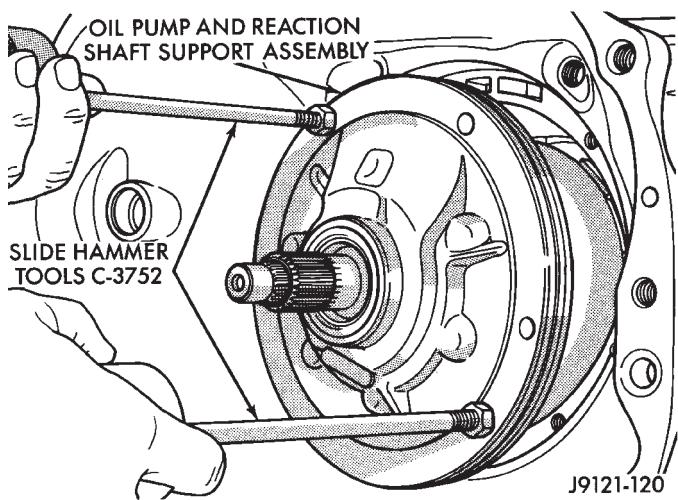
(21) Remove output shaft thrust plate and washer from output shaft hub (Fig. 77).

(22) Remove front band from case (Fig. 78).

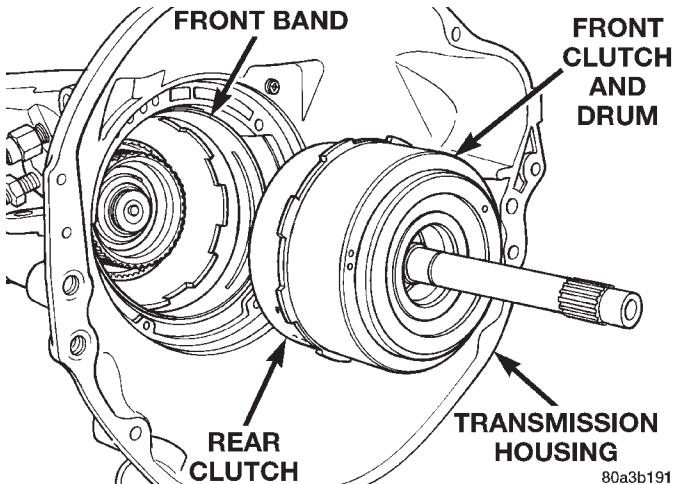
(23) Remove extension housing from transmission case.



**Fig. 72 Front Band Adjusting Screw Lock Nut**



**Fig. 73 Oil Pump/Reaction Shaft Support**



**Fig. 75 Front/Rear Clutch Assemblies**

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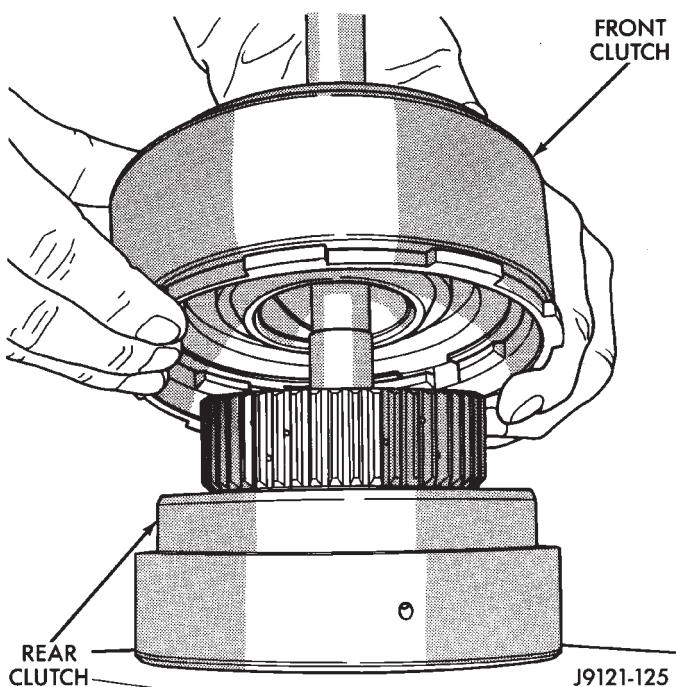


Fig. 76 Separating Front Clutch From Rear Clutch

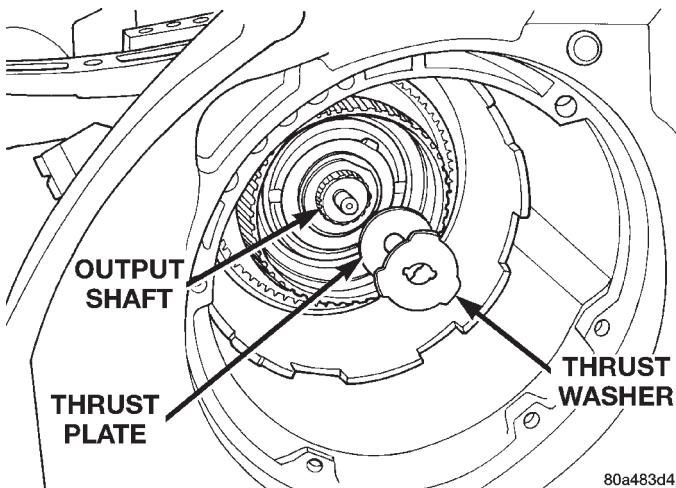


Fig. 77 Output Shaft Thrust Plate and Washer

(24) Remove governor body and park gear from output shaft.

(25) Remove output shaft and planetary geartrain as assembly (Fig. 79). Support geartrain with both hands during removal. Do not allow machined surfaces on output shaft to become nicked or scratched.

(26) Loosen rear band adjusting screw 4-5 turns (Fig. 80).

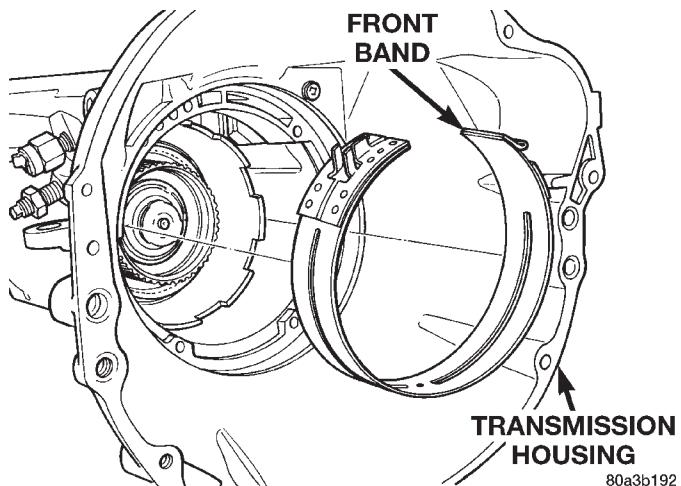


Fig. 78 Front Band

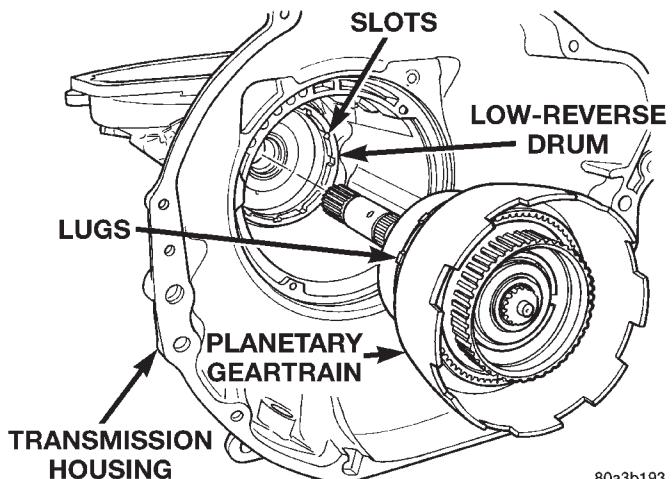


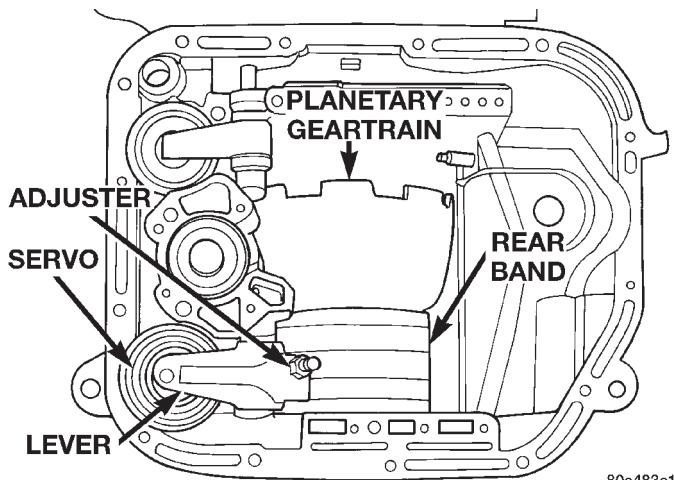
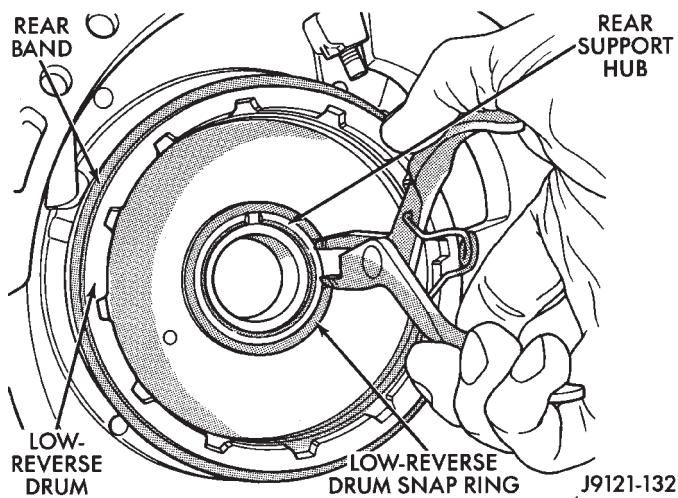
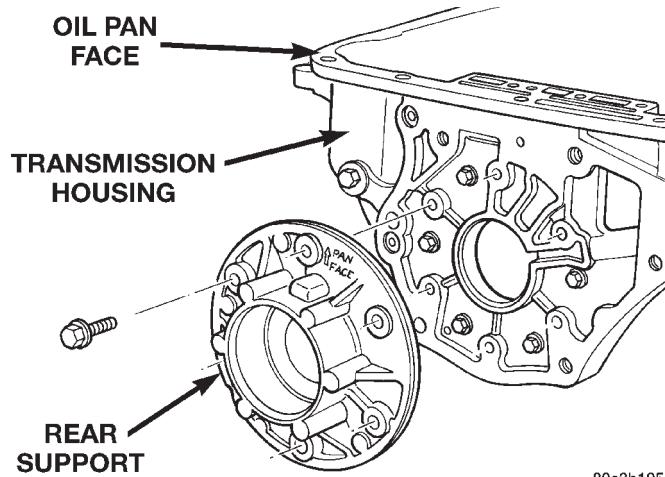
Fig. 79 Planetary Geartrain

(27) Remove snap ring that secures low-reverse drum to rear support hub, however do not remove drum (Fig. 81).

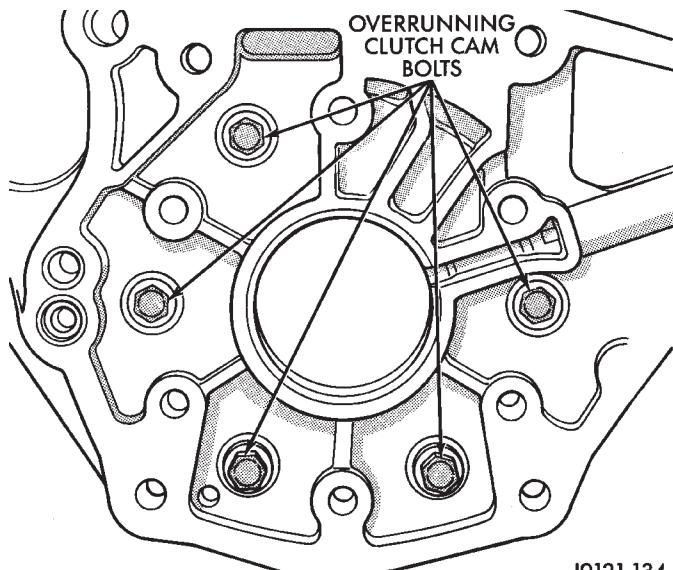
(28) Remove bolts attaching rear support to transmission case and pull support from low-reverse drum (Fig. 82).

(29) Remove bolts attaching overrunning clutch cam and low-reverse drum to transmission case (Fig. 83).

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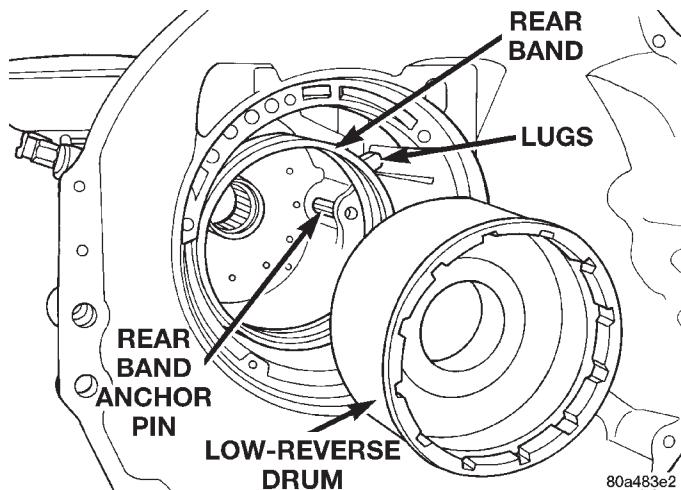
*Fig. 80 Rear Band Adjuster Location**Fig. 81 Low-Reverse Drum Snap Ring**Fig. 82 Rear Support***REAR BAND—32RH.**

(30) Remove rear band. The 32RH transmission is equipped with a double-wrap band that does not require a link bar.

*Fig. 83 Overrunning Clutch Cam Bolt Locations*

(a) Remove low-reverse drum and overrunning clutch as assembly. Slide drum and clutch through rear band and out of case (Fig. 84). Set drum and clutch assembly aside for cleaning and inspection.

(b) Remove rear band from case (Fig. 84).

*Fig. 84 Low- Reverse Band and Drum—32RH*

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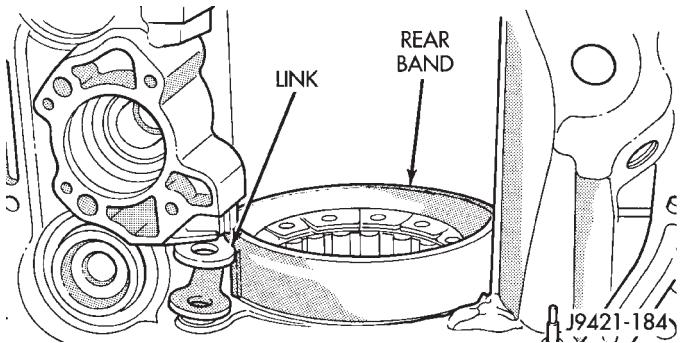
**REAR BAND—30RH**

(31) Remove rear band. The 30RH transmission is equipped with a single-wrap band with a link bar.

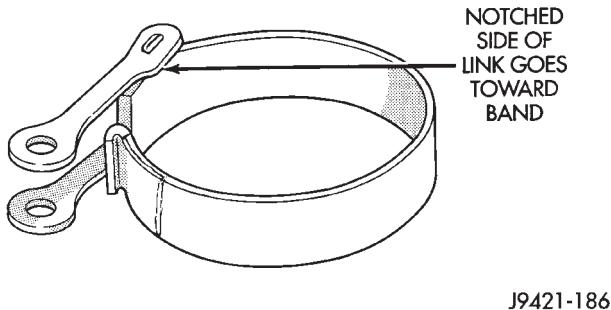
(a) Using snap-ring plier, pull rear band anchor pin (located on the servo side of the rear support) from transmission case.

(b) Remove rear band and link from transmission (Fig. 85).

(c) Separate rear band from link (Fig. 86).



**Fig. 85 Rear Band and Link—30RH**



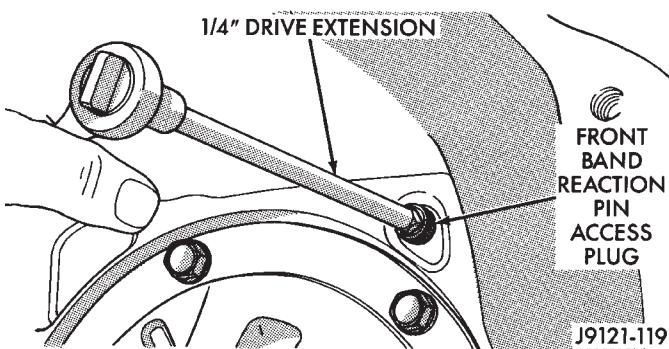
**Fig. 86 Rear Band and Link—30RH**

(32) If necessary remove front and rear band servo levers. All transmission components can be serviced without removing the levers.

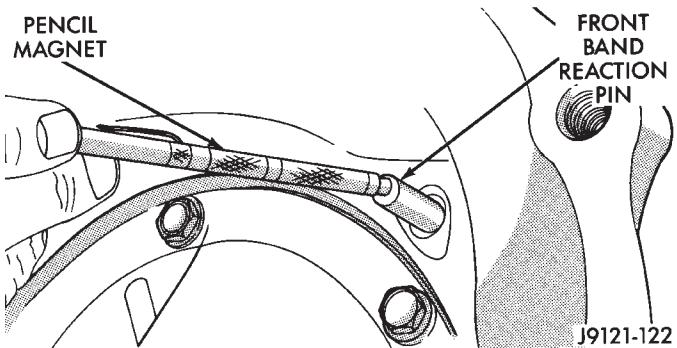
(a) Using a 1/4 inch drive extension remove front band reaction pin access plug (Fig. 87).

(b) Remove front band reaction pin with pencil magnet. Pin is accessible from converter housing side of case (Fig. 88).

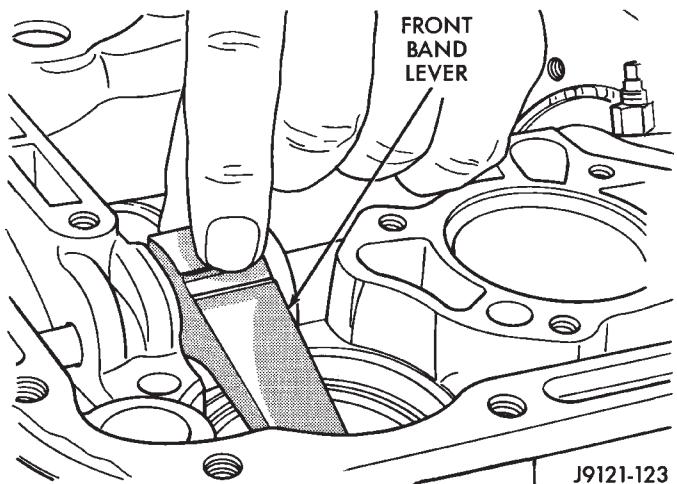
(c) Remove front band lever (Fig. 89).



**Fig. 87 Front Band Reaction Pin Access Plug**



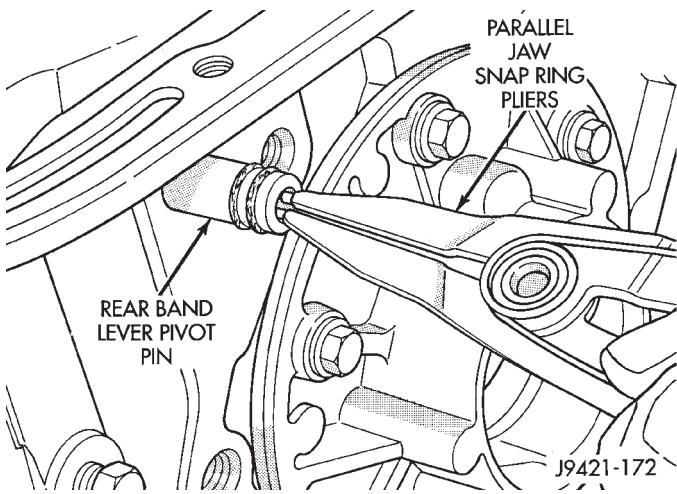
**Fig. 88 Front Band Reaction Pin**



**Fig. 89 Front Band Lever**

(d) Using snap-ring plier, pull rear band lever pivot from transmission case (Fig. 90).

(e) Separate rear band servo lever from transmission.



**Fig. 90 Rear Band Servo Lever Pin**

(33) Compress front servo rod guide about 1/8 in. with large C-clamp and Tool C-4470, or Spring Compressor Tool C-3422-B (Fig. 91).

(34) Remove front servo rod guide snap ring (Fig. 91). **Exercise caution when removing snap ring. Servo bore can be scratched or nicked if care is not exercised.**

(35) Remove compressor tools and remove front servo rod guide, spring and servo piston.

(36) Compress rear servo spring retainer about 1/16 in. with C-clamp and Tool C-4470 or SP-5560 (Fig. 92). Valve Spring Compressor C-3422-B can also be used to compress spring retainer.

(37) Remove rear servo spring retainer snap ring. Then remove compressor tools and remove rear servo spring and piston.

#### ASSEMBLY

(1) Install rear servo piston, spring and spring retainer. Compress rear servo spring and retainer with Compressor Tool C-3422-B (Fig. 92) or a large C-clamp.

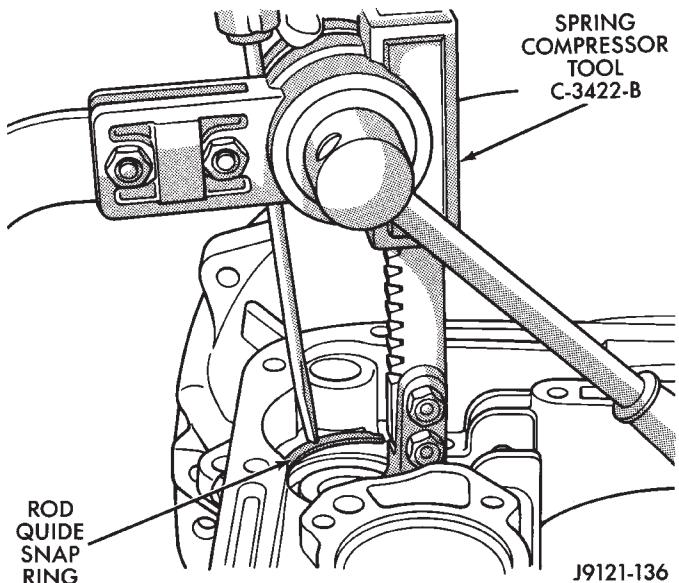
(2) Install front servo piston, spring, and rod guide. Compress front servo rod guide with Valve Spring Compressor C-3422-B and install servo snap ring (Fig. 91).

#### REAR BAND—30RH

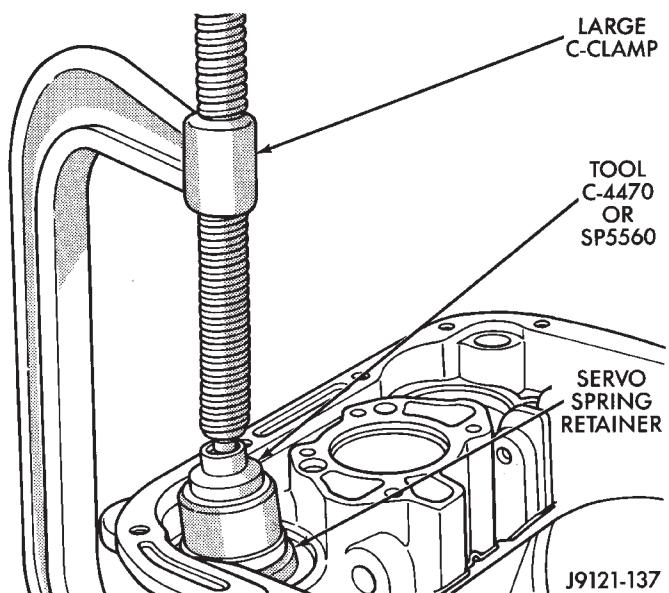
(3) Install rear band

(a) Insert rear band through pan opening in transmission case. Single lug toward pan face.

(b) Place single lug under adjuster screw and two lugs over anchor pin in transmission case (Fig. 84).



**Fig. 91 Compressing Front Servo**



**Fig. 92 Compressing Rear Servo Spring**

#### REAR BAND—30RH

(4) Install rear band.

(a) Assemble link bar to band. Notched side of link toward band (Fig. 90).

(b) Insert rear band through pan opening in transmission case.

(c) Insert hook on band onto adjuster lever.

(d) Align holes in link bar with hole in transmission case outboard of rear support opening (Fig. 89).

(e) Insert anchor pin into case through link bar.

(5) Examine bolt holes in overrunning clutch cam. Note that one hole is **not threaded** (Fig. 93). This hole must align with blank area in clutch cam bolt circle.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**NOTE:** The bolt holes in cam are slightly countersunk on one side. This side of cam faces rearward (toward rear support).

(6) Lubricate overrunning clutch rollers, springs and cam with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, type 7176, transmission fluid.

(7) Position overrunning clutch on a clean, flat work surface with countersunk holes downward.

(8) Place rear of low-reverse drum over overrunning clutch and align clutch rollers to hub of drum.

(9) While slightly pivoting low-reverse drum, push hub of drum into overrunning clutch. Verify that countersunk holes are facing outward. **Cam should be able to rotate in the drum clockwise only.**

(10) Insert a suitable awl through the rear support mounting hole closest to the pan sealing face. The awl should be next to the wide space area at the back of transmission case.

(11) Insert low-reverse drum and overrunning clutch into front of transmission case and into rear band.

(12) Insert awl tip into the threaded hole next to the non-threaded hole in the overrunning clutch cam. Verify that non-threaded hole is aligned with wide space area on transmission case.

(13) Push low-reverse drum rearward to close gap between cam and case.

(14) Install overrunning clutch cam bolts. **Clutch cam bolts are shorter than rear support bolts.** Tighten cam bolts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs. or 13 ft. lbs.) torque.

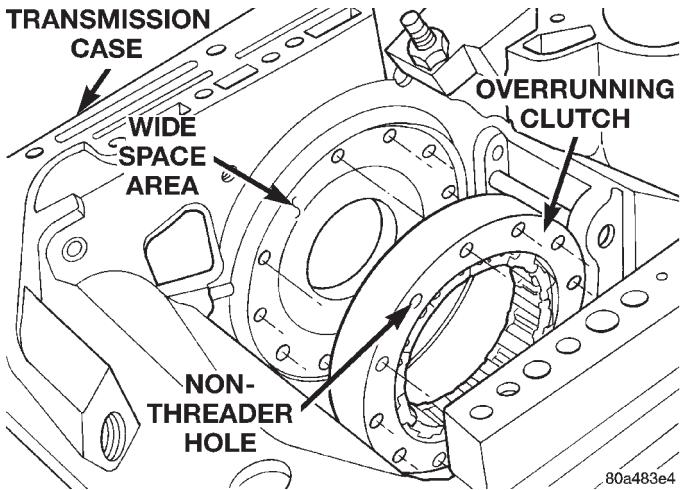
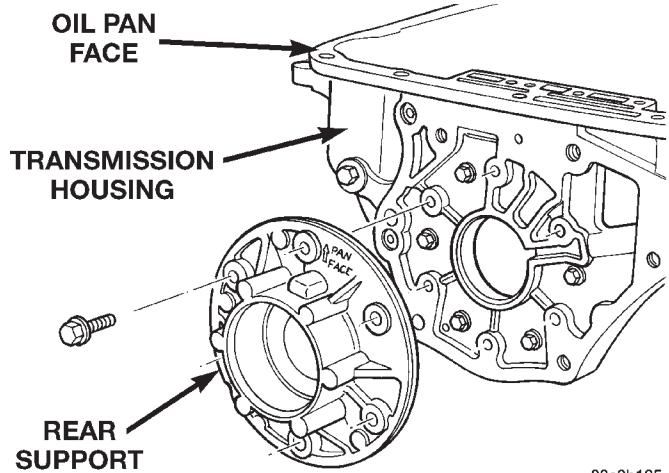


Fig. 93 Clutch Cam Alignment

(15) Hold low-reverse drum in position so rear support will not push it out of overrunning clutch.

(16) Insert rear support into opening at rear of transmission case (Fig. 94).



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Fig. 94 Rear Support

(17) Align support with the embossed arrow in the direction of the pan face.

(18) Install and tighten rear support bolts to 17 N·m (150 in. lbs.) torque.

(19) Install snap ring to retain low-reverse drum to hub of rear support (Fig. 95).

(20) Lubricate output shaft, rear support bore and low-reverse drum hub with transmission fluid.

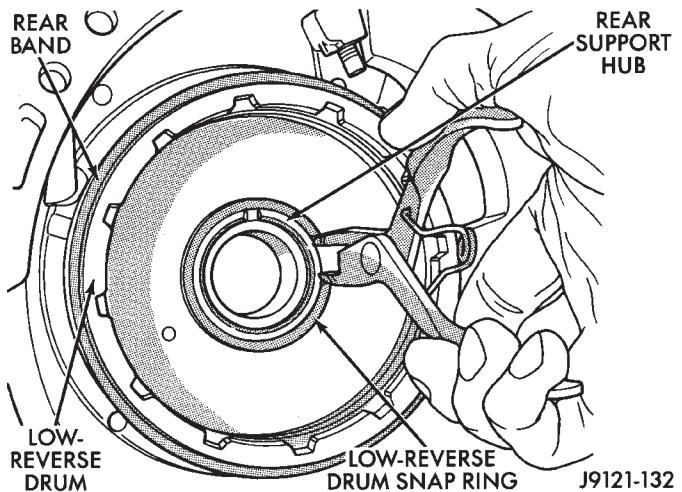


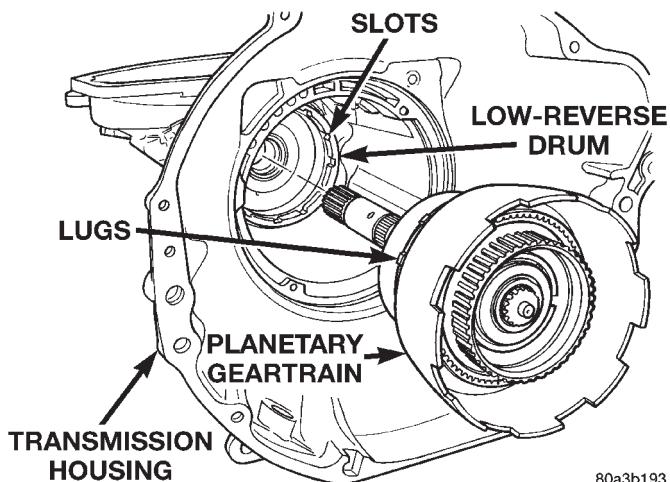
Fig. 95 Low-Reverse Drum Snap Ring

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(21) Install assembled output shaft and planetary geartrain in case (Fig. 96).

(22) Align drive lugs on rear planetary gear with slots in low-reverse drum (Fig. 96). Then seat planetary assembly in drum.

(23) Install governor on output shaft.



**Fig. 96 Output Shaft And Planetary Geartrain**

(24) Turn and secure transmission so that front opening is upward.

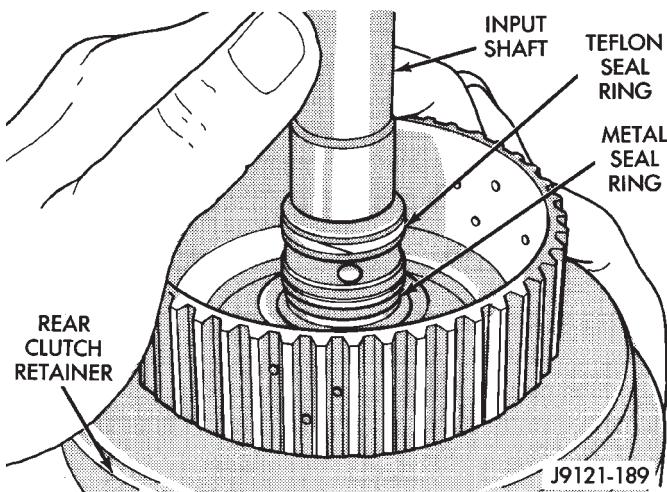
(25) Assemble front and rear clutches together.

(a) Check input shaft seal rings (Fig. 97). Verify that diagonal-cut ends of Teflon™ seal ring are properly joined and ends of metal ring are correctly hooked together. Also be sure rings are installed in sequence shown.

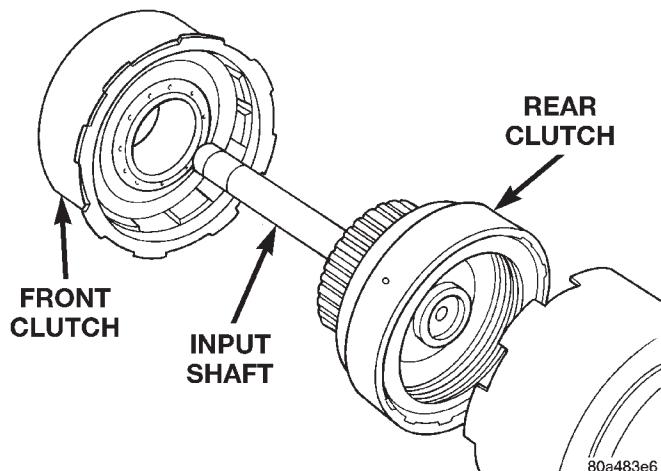
(b) Align teeth on clutch discs in line.

(c) Insert input shaft on rear clutch into center of front clutch (Fig. 98).

(d) Engage teeth on rear clutch hub into teeth on clutch (Fig. 100). Rotate front clutch retainer back and forth until completely seated on rear clutch.



**Fig. 97 Input Shaft Seal Ring Location**



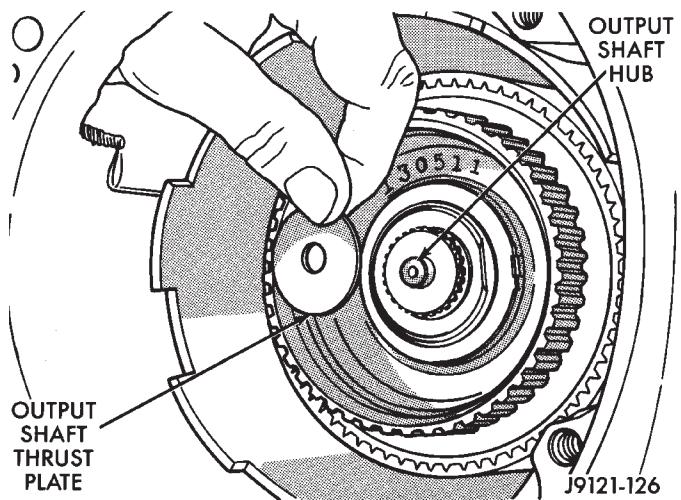
**Fig. 98 Front and Rear Clutches**

(26) Install output shaft thrust plate on shaft hub in planetary geartrain driving shell (Fig. 99). Use petroleum jelly to hold thrust plate in place.

(27) Check rear clutch thrust washer. Use additional petroleum jelly to hold washer in place if necessary.

(28) Coat output shaft thrust washer with petroleum jelly. Install washer in rear clutch hub (Fig. 101). Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer in place. **Be sure grooved side of washer faces rearward (toward output shaft) as shown. Also note that washer only fits one way in clutch hub.**

(29) Align drive teeth on rear clutch discs with small screwdriver (Fig. 102). This will make installation into front of planetary geartrain easier.



**Fig. 99 Output Shaft Thrust Plate**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

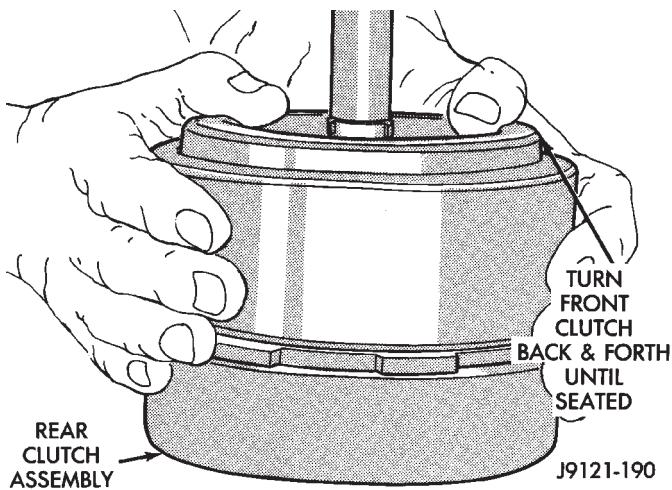


Fig. 100 Assembling Front And Rear Clutch Units

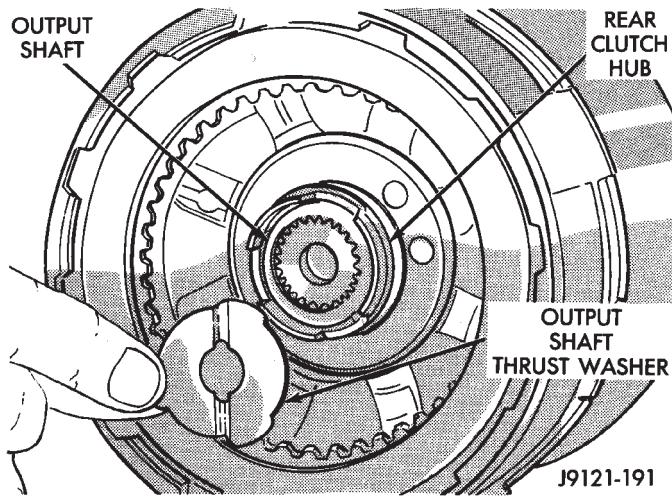


Fig. 101 Output Shaft Thrust Washer

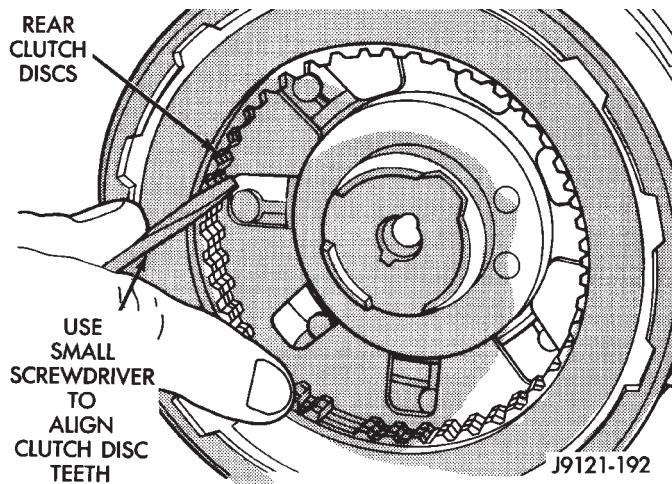


Fig. 102 Aligning Rear Clutch Disc Lugs

(30) Insert front band into opening at front of transmission case (Fig. 103).

(31) Install front and rear clutch units as assembly (Fig. 104). Align rear clutch with front annulus gear and install assembly in driving shell. **Be sure output shaft thrust washer and thrust plate are not displaced during installation.**

(32) Carefully work assembled clutches back and forth to engage and seat rear clutch discs on front annulus gear. Verify that front clutch drive lugs are fully engaged in slots of driving shell after installation.

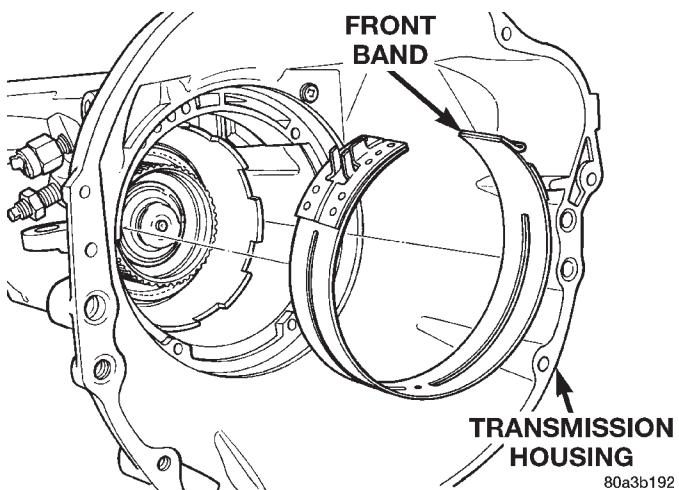


Fig. 103 Front Band

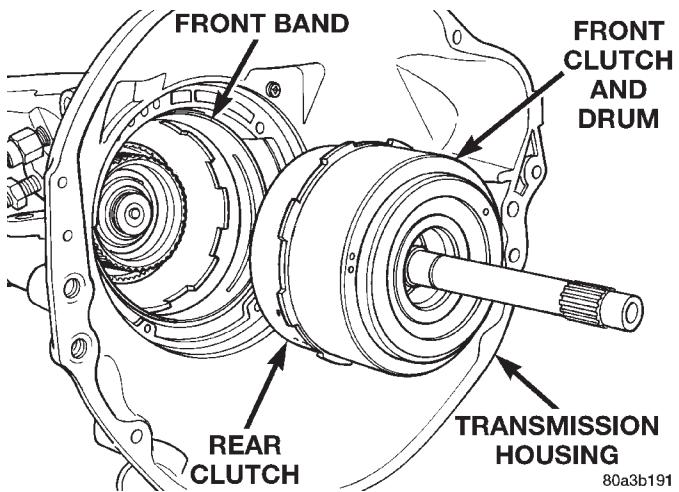


Fig. 104 Installing Front/Rear Clutch

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(33) Engage front band on adjusting screw and hold band in place.

(34) Install strut between band lever and front band (Fig. 105).

(35) Tighten front band adjusting screw until band just grips clutch retainer. Verify that front/rear clutches are still seated before continuing.

(36) Verify that reaction shaft support hub seal rings are hooked together (Fig. 106).

(37) Coat front clutch thrust washer with petroleum jelly to hold it in place. Then install washer over reaction shaft hub and seat it on pump (Fig. 107).

**CAUTION:** The thrust washer bore (I.D.), is chamfered on one side. Make sure the chamfered side is installed so it faces the pump.

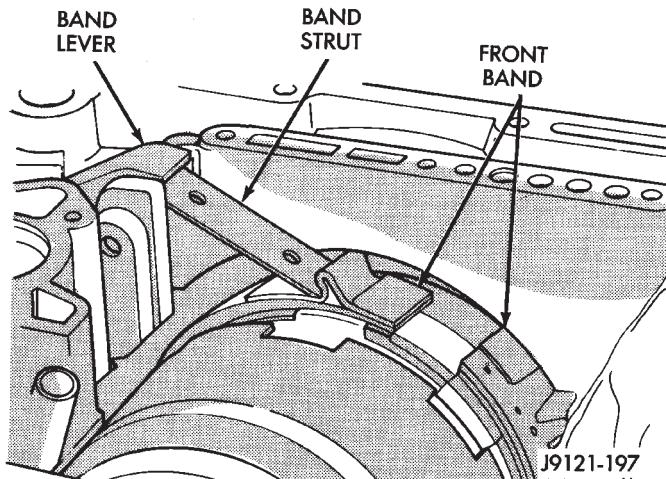


Fig. 105 Front Band Linkage Installation

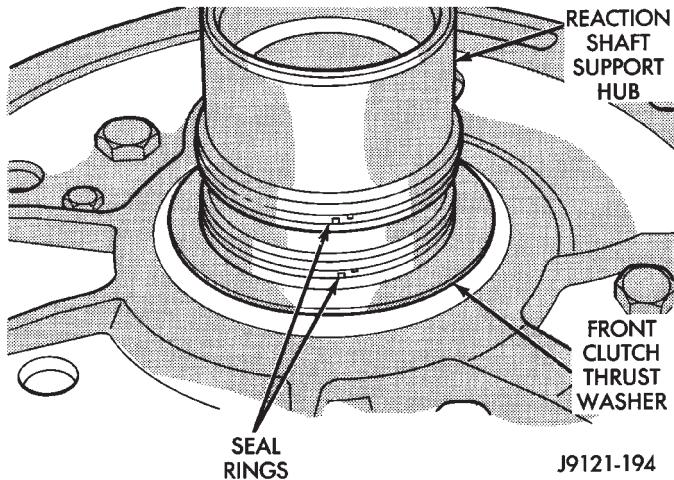


Fig. 106 Reaction Shaft Support Seal Rings

(38) Thread two Pilot Stud Tools C-3288-B into bolt holes in oil pump flange (Fig. 108).

(39) Align and install oil pump gasket (Fig. 108).

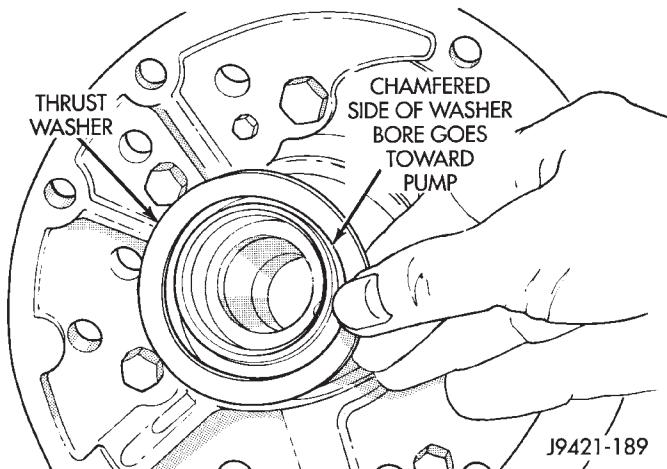


Fig. 107 Front Clutch Thrust Washer Installation

(40) Lubricate oil pump seals with Mopar® Door-Ease, or Ru-Glyde, Door Eze, or ATF Plus 3.

(41) Install oil pump (Fig. 109). Align and position pump on pilot studs. Slide pump down studs and work it into front clutch hub and case by hand. Then install two or three pump bolts to hold pump in place.

(42) Remove pilot stud tools and install remaining oil pump bolts. Tighten bolts alternately in diagonal pattern to 20 N·m (15 ft. lbs.).

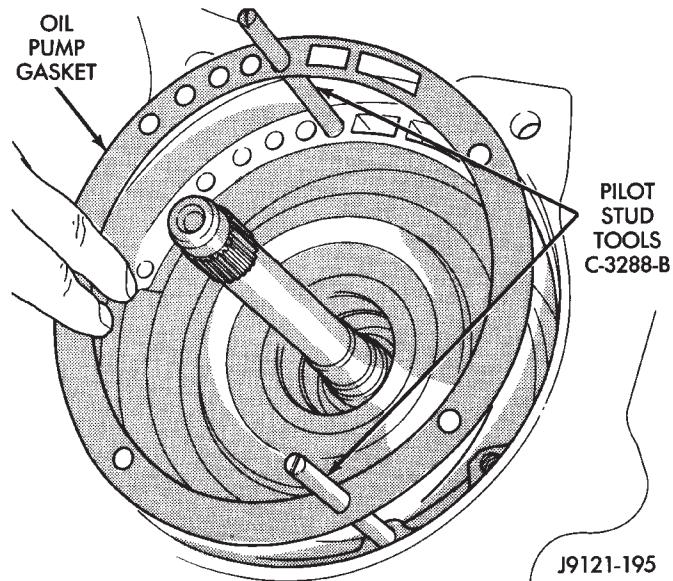
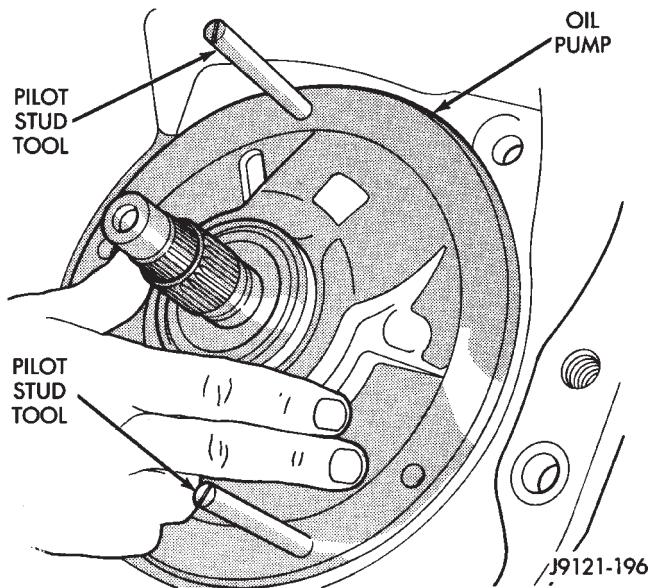


Fig. 108 Installing Pilot Studs And Oil Pump Gasket

(43) Measure input shaft end play (Fig. 110).

**NOTE:** If end play is incorrect, transmission is incorrectly assembled, or output shaft thrust washer and/or thrust plate are worn and need to be changed.

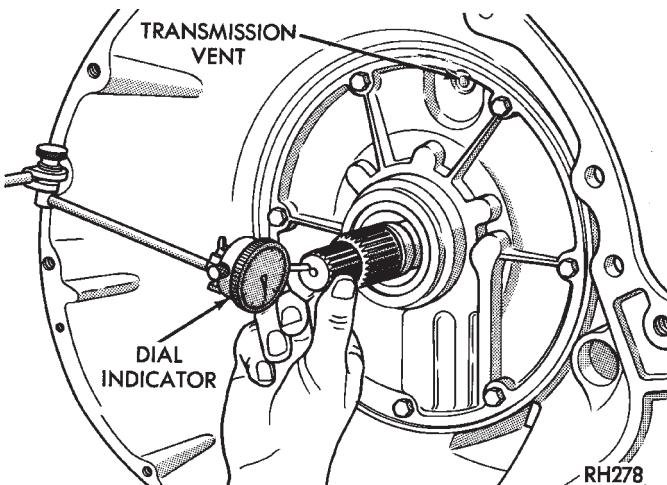
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)



**Fig. 109 Installing Oil Pump And Reaction Shaft Support**

(a) Attach dial indicator (C-3339) to converter housing. Position indicator plunger against input shaft and zero indicator.

(b) Move input shaft in and out and record reading. End play should be 0.56 - 2.31 mm (0.022 - 0.091 in.).



**Fig. 110 Checking Input Shaft End Play**

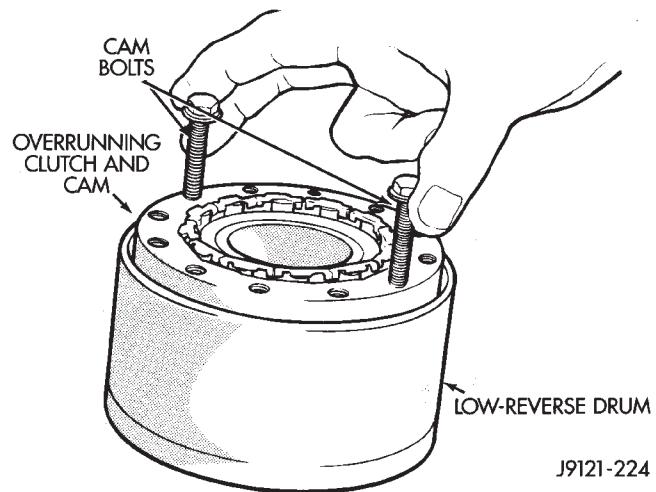
- (44) Position transmission on work surface with pan face upward.
- (45) Install valve body.
- (46) Adjust front and rear bands.
- (47) Install fluid filter and pan.
- (48) Install rear extension housing.
- (49) Install torque converter.

## OVERRUNNING CLUTCH/LOW-REVERSE DRUM

## DISASSEMBLY

(1) If the clutch assembly came out with the low-reverse drum, thread two clutch cam bolts into the cam. Then lift the cam out of the drum with the bolts (Fig. 111). Rotate the cam back and forth to ease removal if necessary.

(2) Remove the clutch roller and spring assembly from the overrunning clutch race.



**Fig. 111 Removing Overrunning Clutch From Low-Reverse Drum**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Assemble clutch rollers and springs in retainer if necessary (Fig. 112).

(2) Install overrunning clutch roller, spring and retainer assembly in clutch cam (Fig. 113).

(3) Temporarily assemble and check overrunning clutch operation as follows:

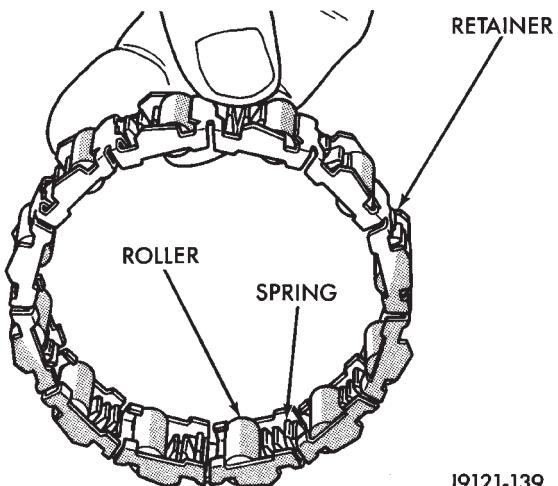
(a) Assemble cam and clutch.

(b) Install clutch assembly on low-reverse drum with twisting motion (Fig. 114).

(c) Install drum-clutch assembly in case and install clutch cam bolts.

(d) Install rear support and support attaching bolts.

(e) Check low-reverse drum rotation. **Drum should rotate freely in clockwise direction and lock when turned in counterclockwise direction (as viewed from front of case).**



**Fig. 112 Overrunning Clutch Rollers, Springs, Retainer**

## FRONT SERVO PISTON

## DISASSEMBLY

(1) Remove seal ring from rod guide (Fig. 116).

(2) Remove small snap ring from servo piston rod. Then remove piston rod, spring and washer from piston.

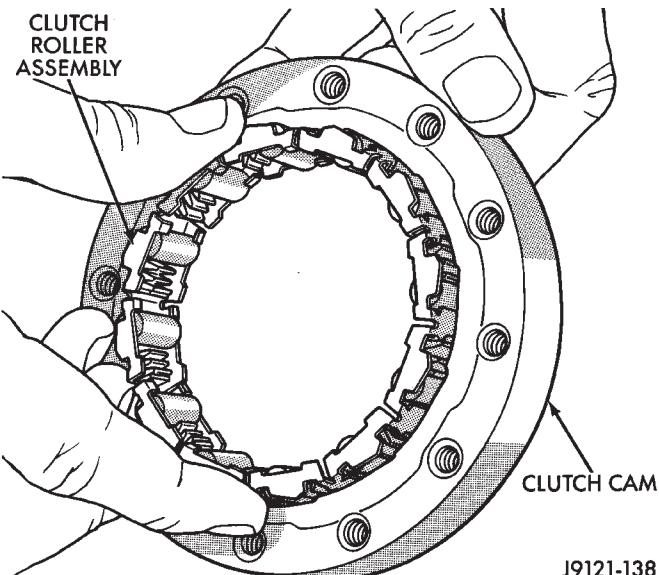
(3) Remove and discard servo component O-ring and seal rings.

## ASSEMBLY

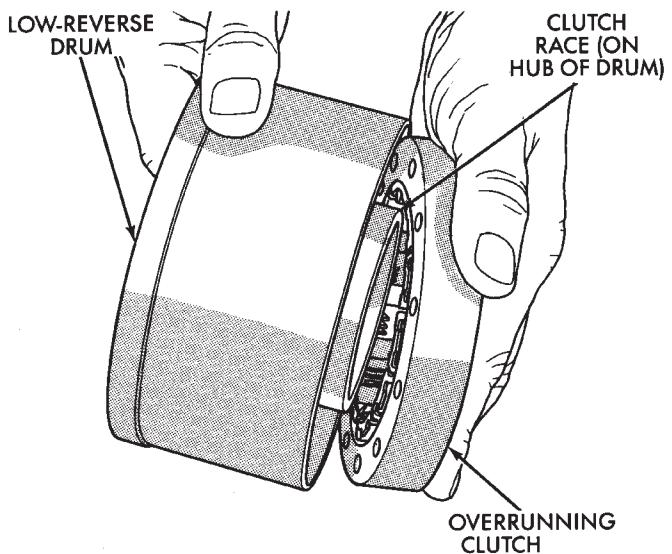
(1) Lubricate new O-ring and seal rings with petroleum jelly and install them on piston, guide and rod.

(2) Install rod in piston. Install spring and washer on rod. Compress spring and install snap ring (Fig. 116).

(3) Set servo components aside for installation during transmission reassembly.



**Fig. 113 Assembling Overrunning Clutch And Cam**



**Fig. 114 Temporary Assembly Of Clutch And Drum To Check Operation**

## REAR SERVO PISTON

## DISASSEMBLY

(1) Remove small snap ring and remove plug and spring from servo piston (Fig. 117).

(2) Remove and discard servo piston seal ring.

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Lubricate piston and guide seals with petroleum jelly. Lubricate other servo parts with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176, transmission fluid.

(2) Install new seal ring on servo piston.

(3) Assemble piston, plug, spring and new snap ring.

(4) Lubricate piston seal lip with petroleum jelly.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

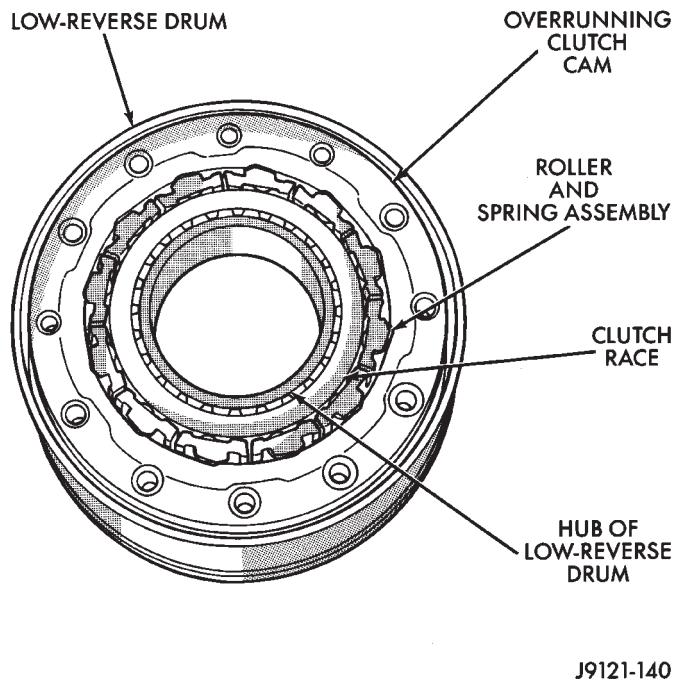


Fig. 115 Assembled Overrunning Clutch

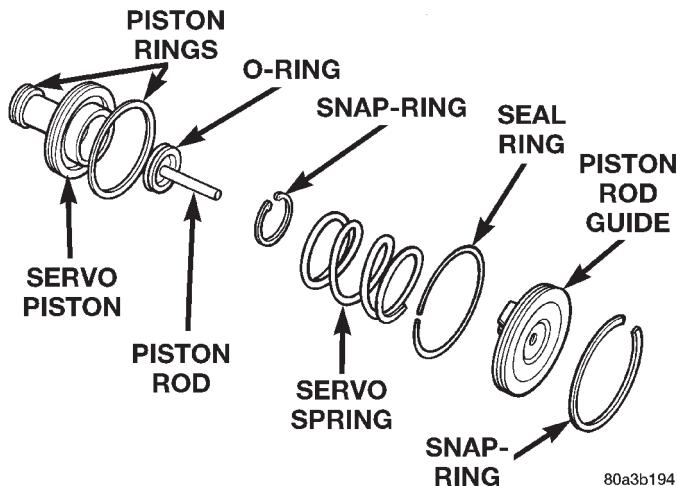


Fig. 116 Front Servo

(5) Set servo components aside for assembly installation.

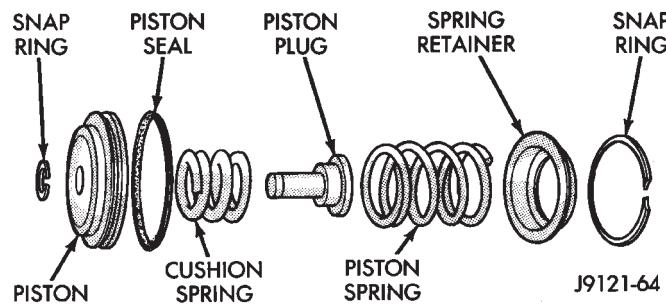


Fig. 117 Rear Servo Components

## OIL PUMP AND REACTION SHAFT SUPPORT

## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove seal ring from housing and reaction shaft support (Fig. 118).
- (2) Mark pump housing and support assembly for alignment reference.
- (3) Remove bolts attaching pump body to support (Fig. 119).

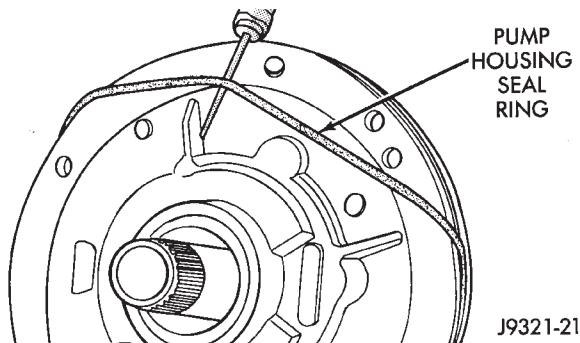


Fig. 118 Removing Pump Seal Ring

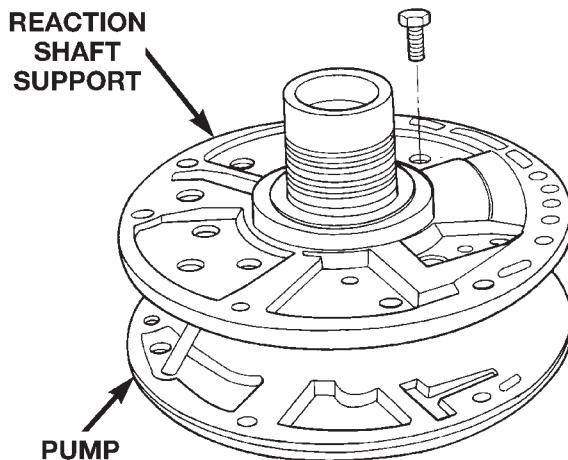


Fig. 119 Pump Support Bolts

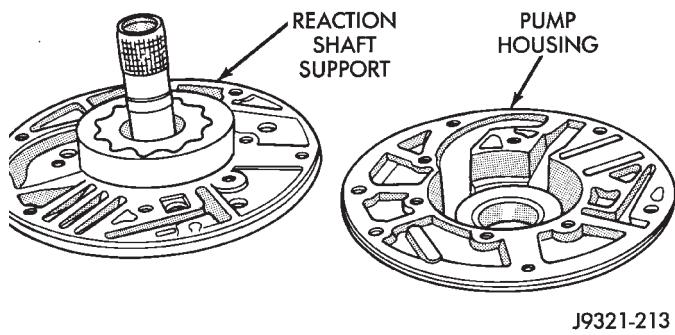
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(4) Separate support from pump housing (Fig. 120).

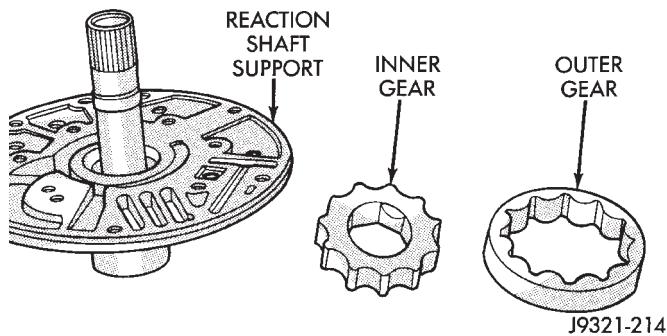
(5) Remove inner and outer gears from reaction shaft support (Fig. 121).

(6) If pump seal was not removed during transmission disassembly, remove seal with punch and hammer.

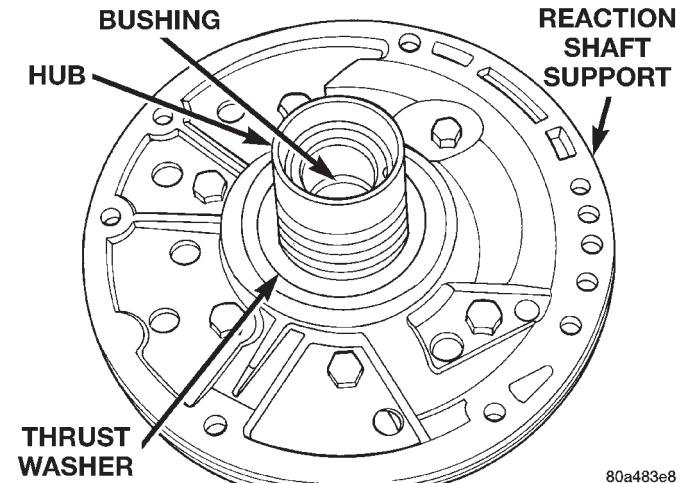
(7) Remove front clutch thrust washer from support hub (Fig. 122).



**Fig. 120 Separating Pump Housing From Reaction Shaft Support**



**Fig. 121 Pump Gear Removal**



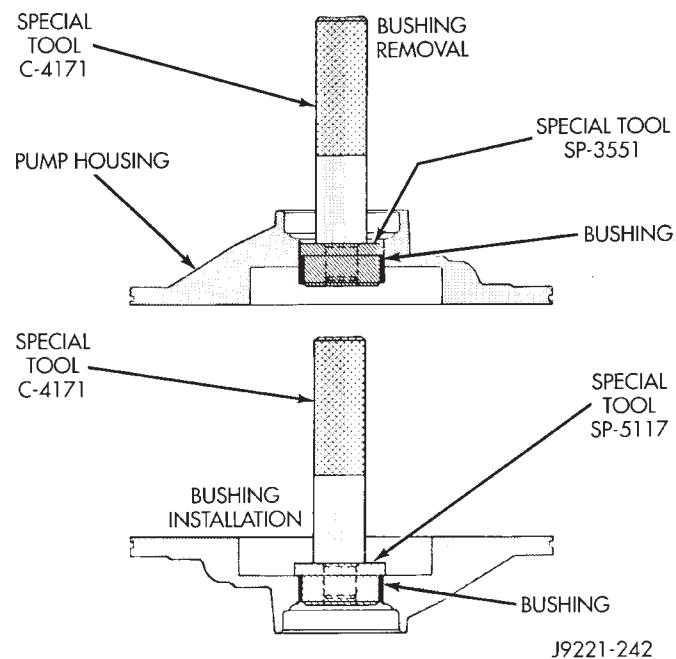
**Fig. 122 Support Hub Thrust Washer**

## OIL PUMP BUSHING REPLACEMENT

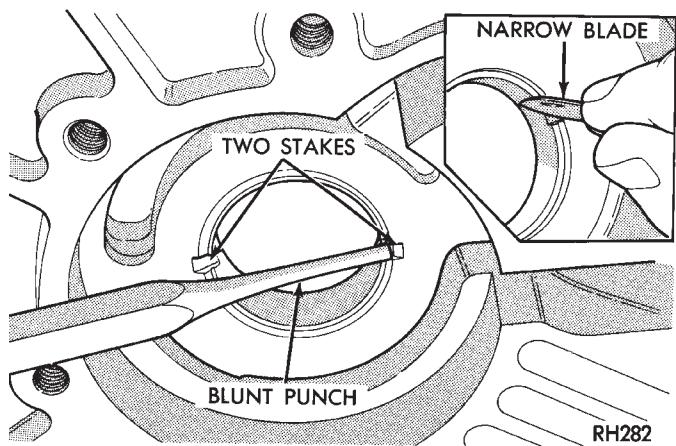
(1) Remove pump bushing with Tool Handle C-4171 and Bushing Remover SP-3551 from Tool Set C-3887-J (Fig. 123).

(2) Install new pump bushing with Tool Handle C-4171 and Bushing Installer SP-5117 (Fig. 123). Bushing should be flush with pump housing bore.

(3) Stake new pump bushing in two places with blunt punch (Fig. 124). Remove burrs from stake points with knife blade afterward.



**Fig. 123 Removing Oil Pump Bushing**



**Fig. 124 Staking Oil Pump Bushing**

## REACTION SHAFT SUPPORT BUSHING REMOVAL

(1) Assemble Bushing Remover Tools SP-1191, 3633 and 5324 (Fig. 125). **Do not clamp any part of reaction shaft or support in vise.**

(2) Hold Cup Tool SP-3633 firmly against reaction shaft and thread remover SP-5324 into bushing as

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

far as possible by hand. Then thread remover tool 3-4 additional turns into bushing with a wrench.

(3) Turn remover tool hex nut down against remover cup to pull bushing from shaft. Clean all chips from shaft after bushing removal.

(4) Lightly grip old bushing in vise or with pliers and back remover tool out of bushing.

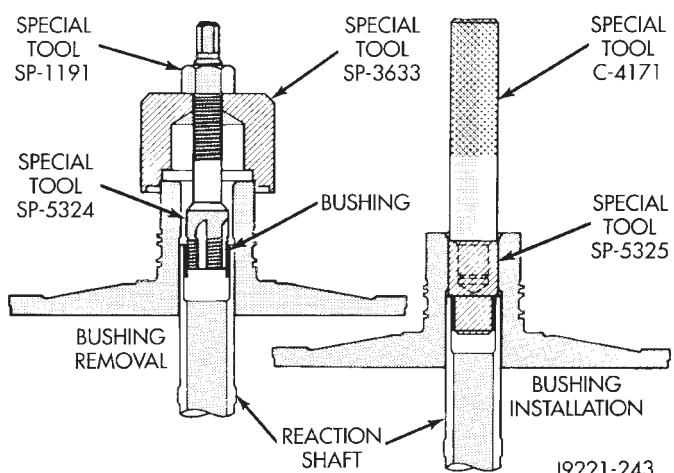
(5) Assemble Bushing Installer Tools C-4171 and SP-5325 (Fig. 125).

(6) Slide new bushing onto Installer Tool SP-5325.

(7) Position reaction shaft support upright on a clean smooth surface.

(8) Align bushing in bore. Then tap bushing into place until Bushing Installer SP-5325 bottoms.

(9) Clean reaction shaft support thoroughly after installing bushing.



**Fig. 125 Replacing Reaction Shaft Support Bushing**

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Lubricate gear bore in pump housing with transmission fluid.

(2) Lubricate pump gears with transmission fluid.

(3) Support pump housing on wood blocks (Fig. 126).

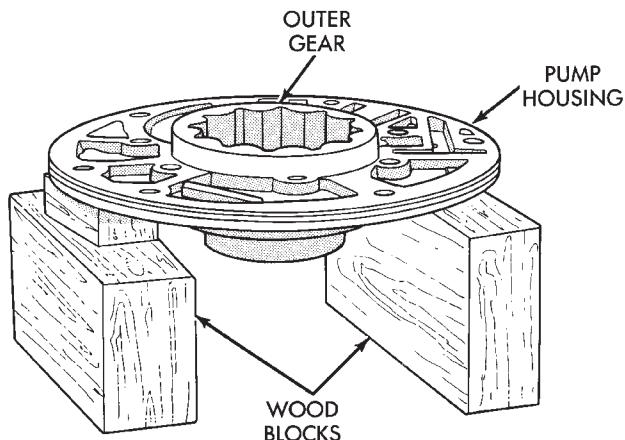
(4) Install outer gear in pump housing (Fig. 126). Gear can be installed either way (it is not a one-way fit).

(5) Install pump inner gear (Fig. 127).

**CAUTION:** The pump inner gear is a one way fit. The bore on one side of the gear inside diameter (I.D.) is chamfered. Be sure the chamfered side faces forward (to front of pump).

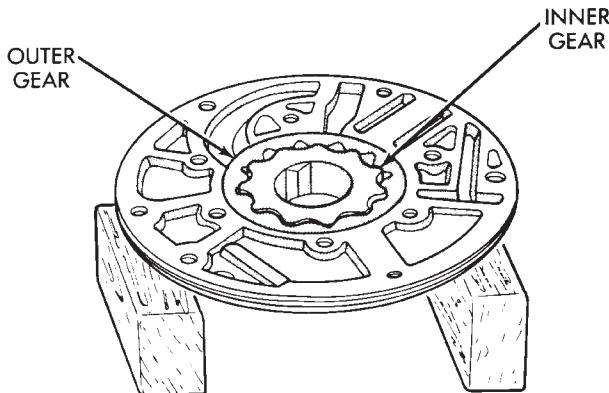
(6) Install new thrust washer on hub of reaction shaft support. Lubricate washer with transmission fluid or petroleum jelly.

(7) If reaction shaft seal rings are being replaced, install new seal rings on support hub (Fig. 128). Lubricate seal rings with transmission fluid or petro-



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**Fig. 126 Supporting Pump And Installing Outer Gear**

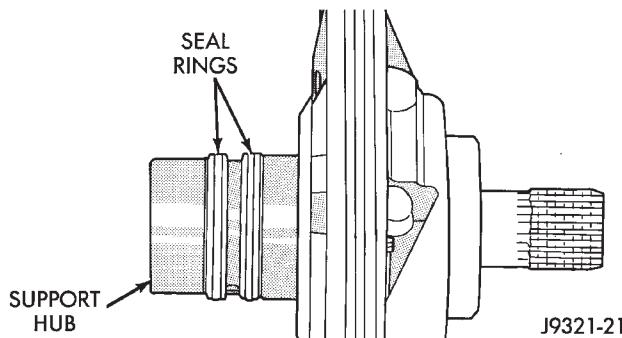


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**Fig. 127 Pump Inner Gear Installation**

leum jelly after installation. Squeeze each ring until ring ends are securely hooked together.

**CAUTION:** The reaction shaft support seal rings will break if overspread, or twisted. If new rings are being installed, spread them only enough for installation. Also be very sure the ring ends are securely hooked together after installation. Otherwise, the rings will either prevent pump installation, or break during installation.



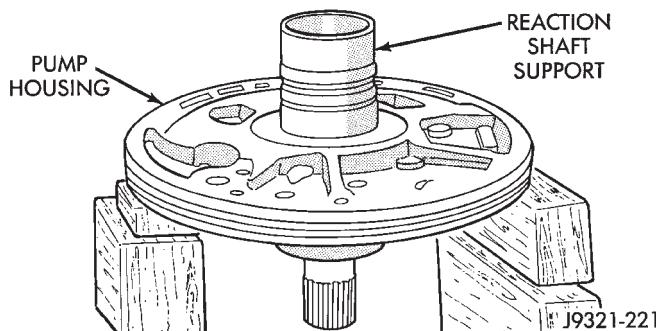
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**Fig. 128 Hub Seal Ring Position**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(8) Install reaction shaft support on pump housing (Fig. 129).

(9) Align reaction support on pump housing. Use alignment marks made at disassembly. Or, rotate support until bolt holes in support and pump housing are all aligned (holes are offset for one-way fit).



**Fig. 129 Assembling Reaction Shaft Support And Pump Housing**

(10) Install all bolts that attach support to pump housing. Then tighten bolts finger tight.

(11) Tighten support-to-pump bolts to required torque as follows:

(a) Reverse pump assembly and install it in transmission case. Position pump so bolts are facing out and are accessible.

(b) Secure pump assembly in case with 2 or 3 bolts, or with pilot studs.

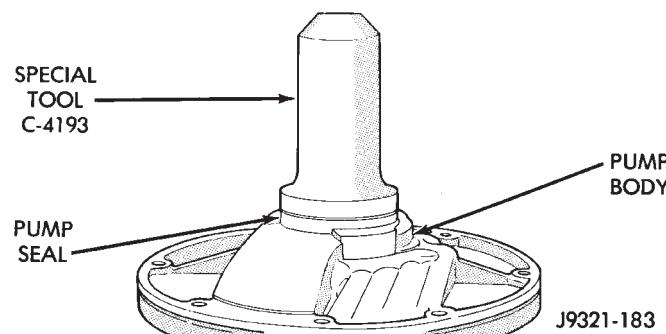
(c) Tighten support-to-pump bolts to 20 N·m (15 ft. lbs.).

(d) Remove pump assembly from transmission case.

(12) Install new oil seal in pump with Special Tool C-4193 and Tool Handle C-4171 (Fig. 130). Be sure seal lip faces inward.

(13) Install new seal ring around pump housing. Be sure seal is properly seated in groove.

(14) Lubricate lip of pump oil seal and O-ring seal with transmission fluid.



**Fig. 130 Pump Oil Seal Installation**

## FRONT CLUTCH

## DISASSEMBLY

(1) Remove waved snap ring and remove pressure plate, clutch plates and clutch discs (Fig. 131).

(2) Compress clutch piston spring with Compressor Tool C-3575-A (Fig. 132). Be sure legs of tool are seated squarely on spring retainer before compressing spring.

(3) Remove retainer snap ring and remove compressor tool.

(4) Remove spring retainer and clutch spring. Note position of retainer on spring for assembly reference.

(5) Remove clutch piston from clutch retainer. Remove piston by rotating it up and out of retainer.

(6) Remove seals from clutch piston and clutch retainer hub. Discard both seals as they are not reusable.

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Soak clutch discs in transmission fluid while assembling other clutch parts.

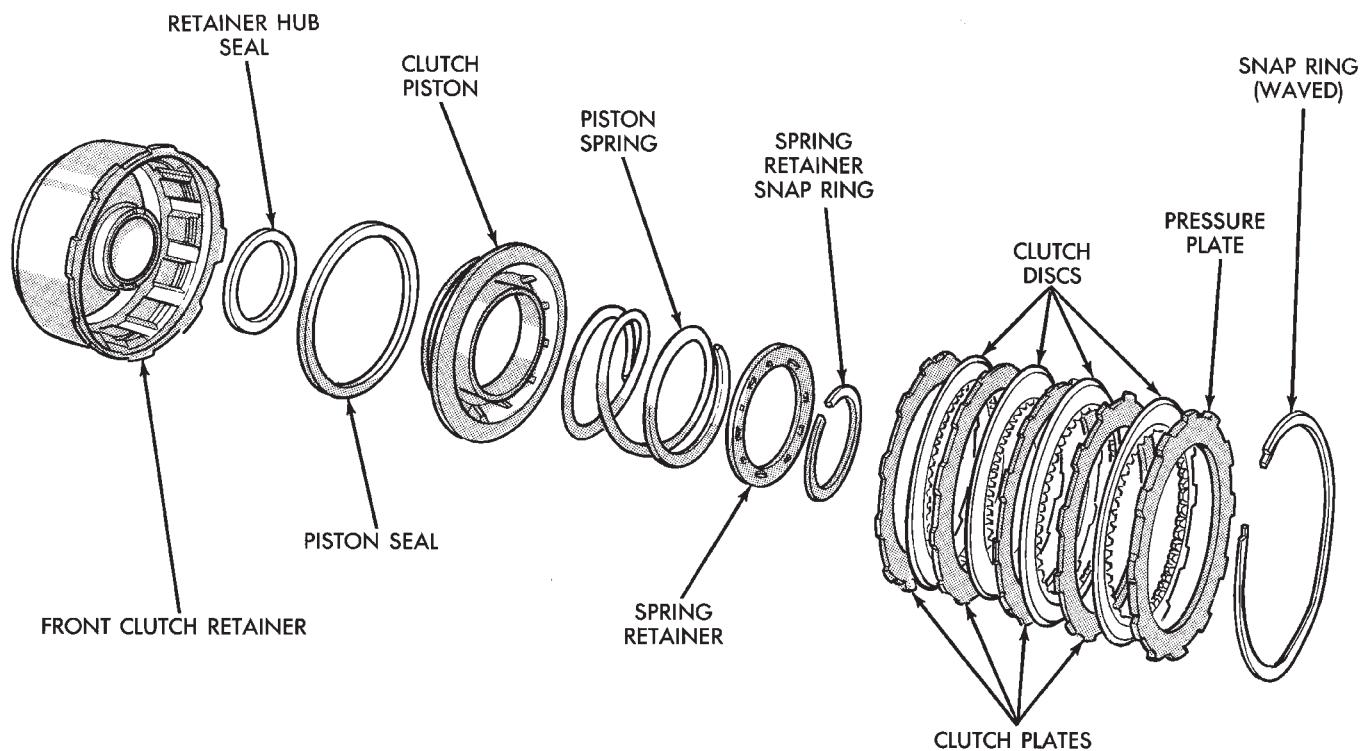
(2) Install new seals on piston and in hub of retainer. Be sure lip of each seal faces interior of clutch retainer.

(3) Lubricate lips of piston and retainer seals with liberal quantity of Mopar® Door Ease, or Ru-Glyde. Then lubricate retainer hub, bore and piston with light coat of transmission fluid.

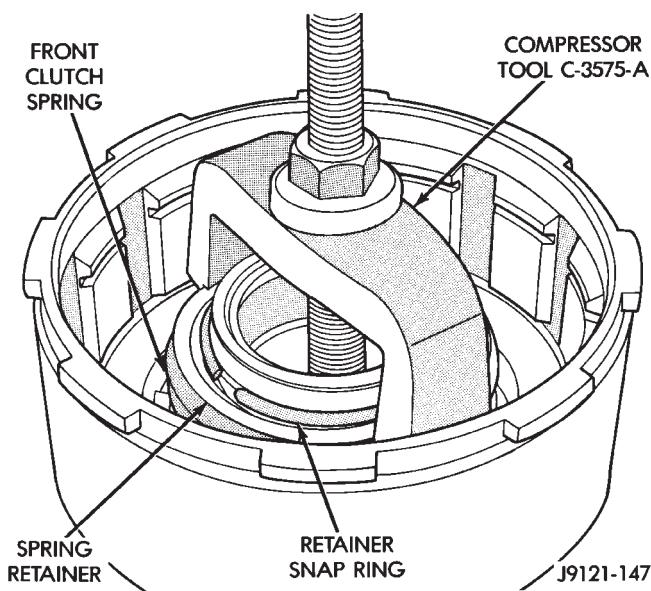
(4) Install clutch piston in retainer (Fig. 133). Use twisting motion to seat piston in bottom of retainer. A thin strip of plastic (about 0.020" thick), can be used to guide seals into place if necessary.

**CAUTION:** Never push the clutch piston straight in. This will fold the seals over causing leakage and clutch slip. In addition, never use any type of metal tool to help ease the piston seals into place. Metal tools will cut, shave, or score the seals.

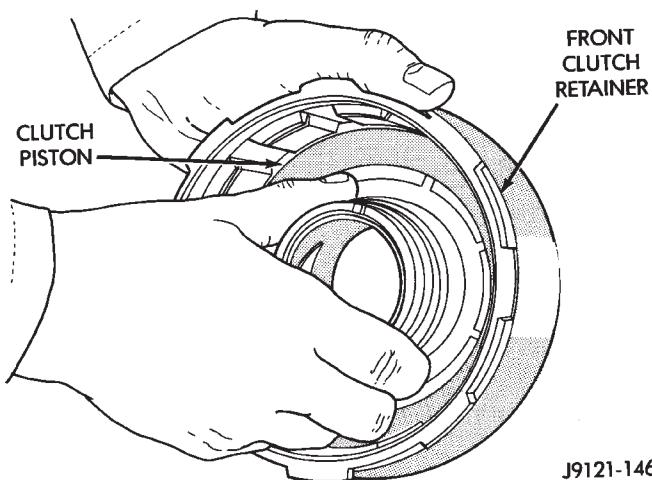
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**Fig. 131 Front Clutch Components**

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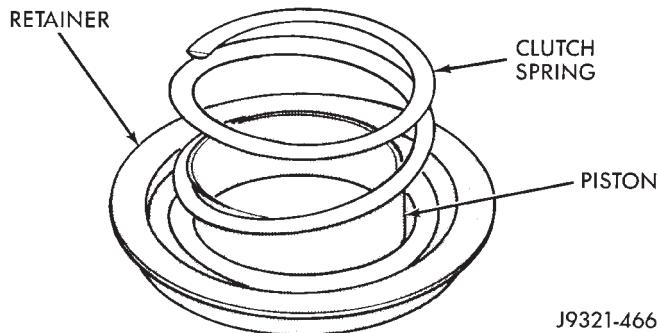
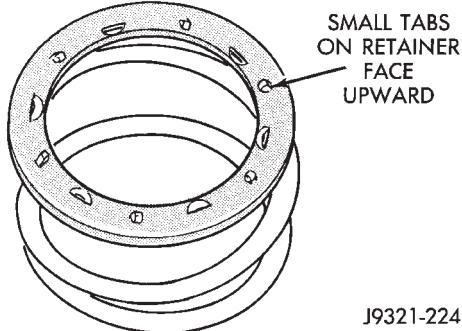
**Fig. 132 Compressing Front Clutch Piston Spring**

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**Fig. 133 Front Clutch Piston Installation**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

- (5) Position spring in clutch piston (Fig. 134).  
 (6) Position spring retainer on top of piston spring (Fig. 135). **Make sure retainer is properly installed. Small raised tabs should be facing upward. Semicircular lugs on underside of retainer are for positioning retainer in spring.**

**Fig. 134 Clutch Piston Spring Installation****Fig. 135 Correct Spring Retainer Installed Position**

(7) Compress piston spring and retainer with Compressor Tool C-3575-A (Fig. 132). Then install new snap ring to secure spring retainer and spring.

(8) Install clutch plates and discs (Fig. 131). Install steel plate then disc until all plates and discs are installed. The front clutch uses 4 clutch discs.

(9) Install pressure plate and waved snap ring (Fig. 131).

(10) Using a suitable gauge bar and dial indicator, measure clutch plate clearance (Fig. 136).

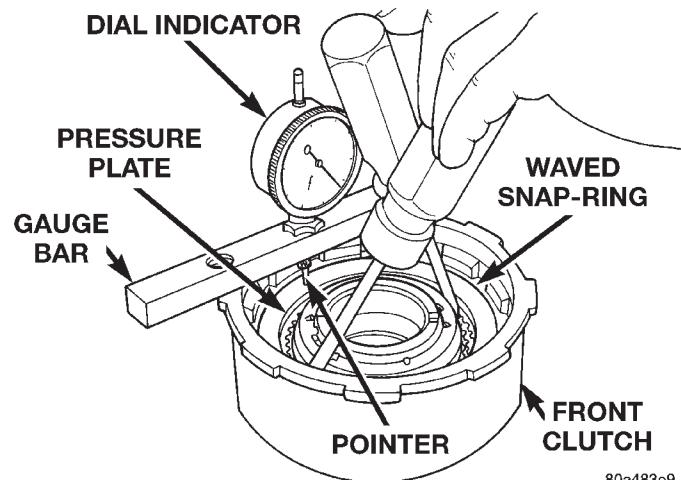
(a) Position gauge bar across the clutch drum with the dial indicator pointer on the pressure plate (Fig. 136).

(b) Using two small screw drivers, lift the pressure plate and compress the waved snap-ring. This will assure that the snap-ring is at the top of the groove.

(c) Release the pressure plate and zero the dial indicator.

(d) Lift the pressure plate until it contacts the waved snap-ring and record the dial indicator reading.

Clearance should be 1.70 to 3.40 mm (0.067 to 0.134 in.). If clearance is incorrect, clutch discs, plates pressure plates and snap ring may have to be changed.

**Fig. 136 Measuring Front Clutch Pack Clearance****REAR CLUTCH****DISASSEMBLY**

(1) Remove thrust washer from forward side of clutch retainer.

(2) Remove input shaft front/rear seal rings.

(3) Remove selective clutch pack snap ring (Fig. 137).

(4) Remove top pressure plate, clutch discs, steel plates, bottom pressure plate and wave snap ring and wave spring (Fig. 137).

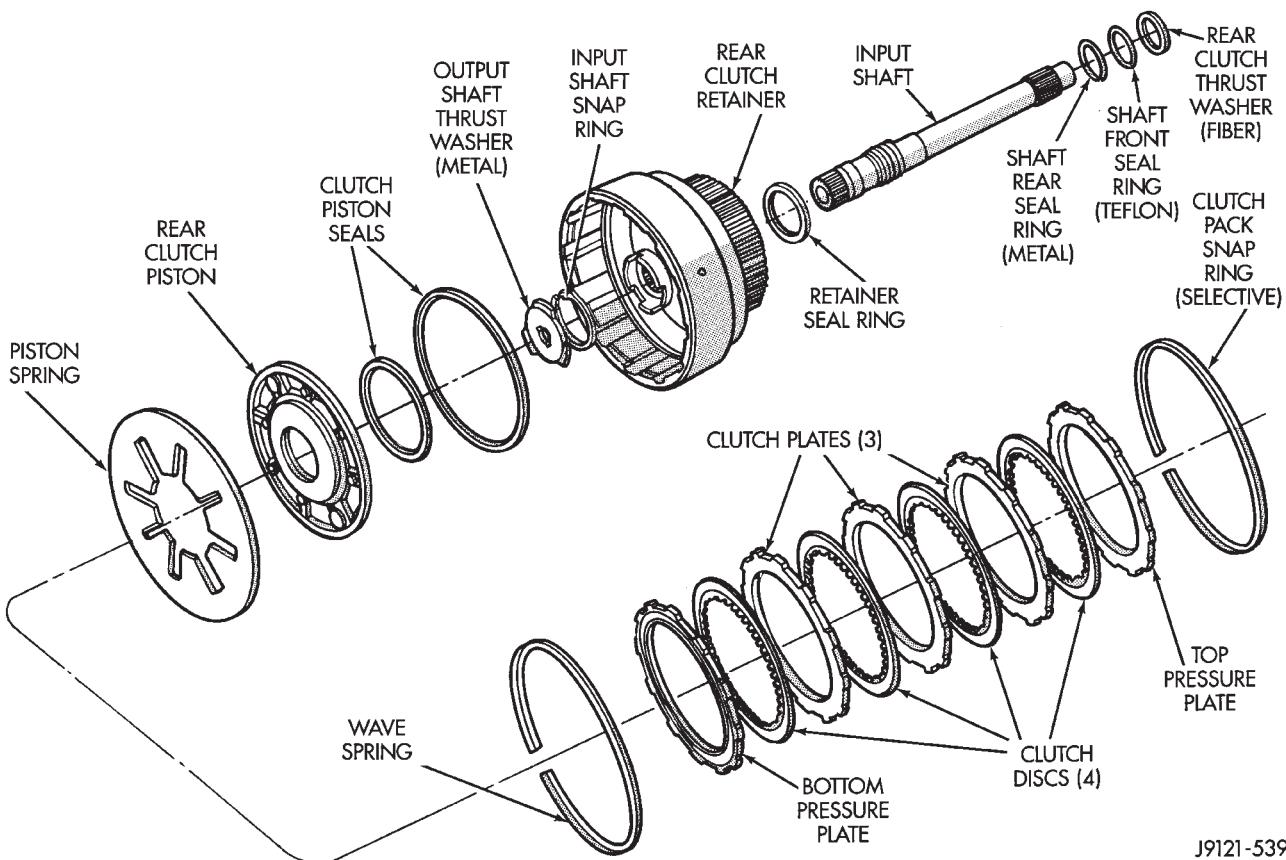
(5) Remove clutch piston with rotating motion.

(6) Remove and discard piston seals.

(7) Remove input shaft snap-ring (Fig. 138). It may be necessary to press the input shaft in slightly to relieve tension on the snap-ring.

(8) Press input shaft out of retainer with shop press and suitable size press tool. Use a suitably sized press tool to support the retainer as close to the input shaft as possible.

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Fig. 137 Rear Clutch Components

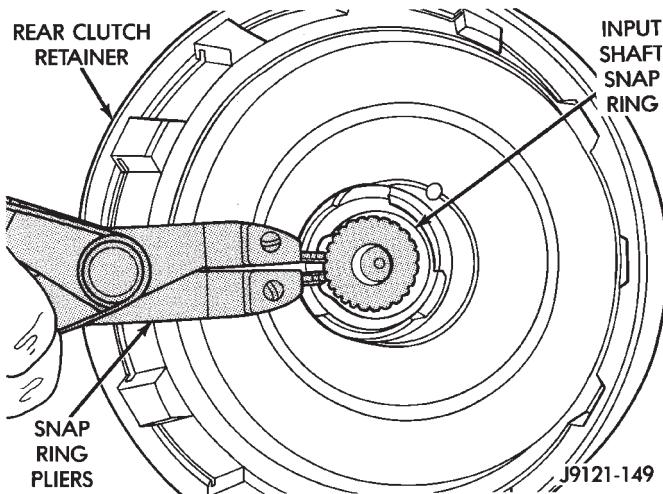


Fig. 138 Removing/Installing Input Shaft Snap-Ring

## ASSEMBLY

(1) Soak clutch discs in transmission fluid while assembling other clutch parts.

(2) Install new seal rings on clutch retainer hub and input shaft if necessary (Fig. 139).

(a) Be sure clutch hub seal ring is fully seated in groove and is not twisted.

(3) Lubricate splined end of input shaft and clutch retainer with transmission fluid. Then press input shaft into retainer. Use a suitably sized press tool to support retainer as close to input shaft as possible.

(4) Install input shaft snap-ring (Fig. 138).

(5) Invert retainer and press input shaft in opposite direction until snap-ring is seated.

(6) Install new seals on clutch piston. Be sure lip of each seal faces interior of clutch retainer.

(7) Lubricate lip of piston seals with generous quantity of Mopar® Door Ease. Then lubricate retainer hub and bore with light coat of transmission fluid.

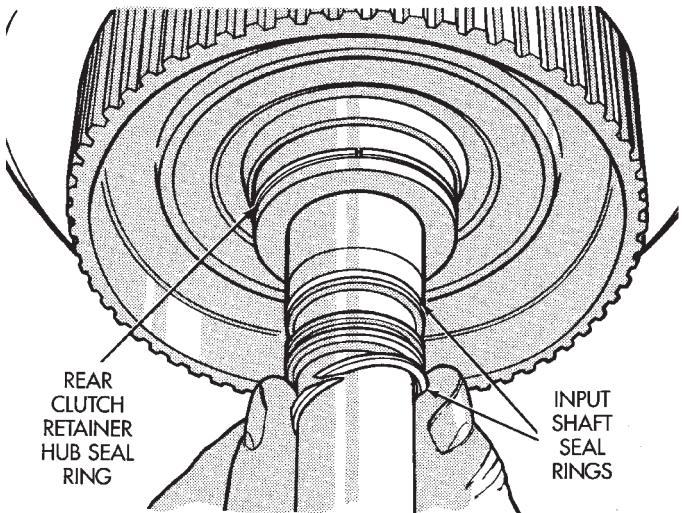
(8) Install clutch piston in retainer. Use twisting motion to seat piston in bottom of retainer. A thin strip of plastic (about 0.020" thick), can be used to guide seals into place if necessary.

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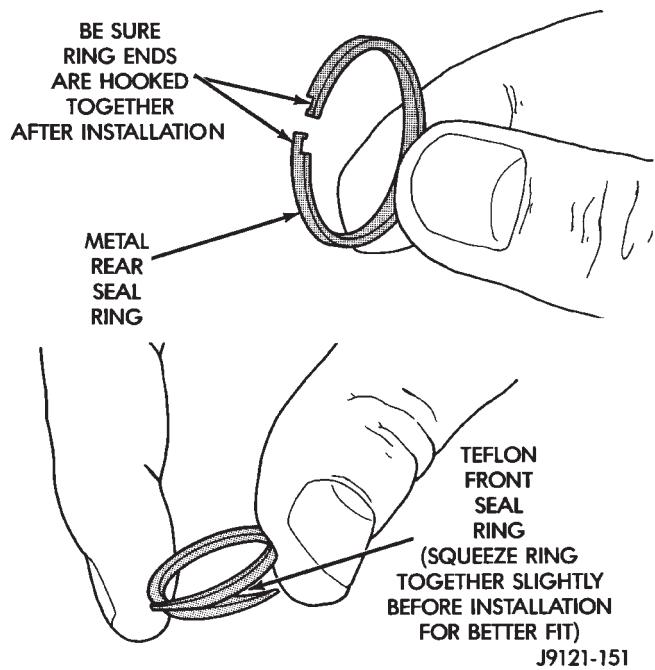
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(9) Install piston spring in retainer and on top of piston (Fig. 142). Concave side of spring faces downward (toward piston).

(10) Install wave spring in retainer (Fig. 142). Be sure spring is completely seated in retainer groove.

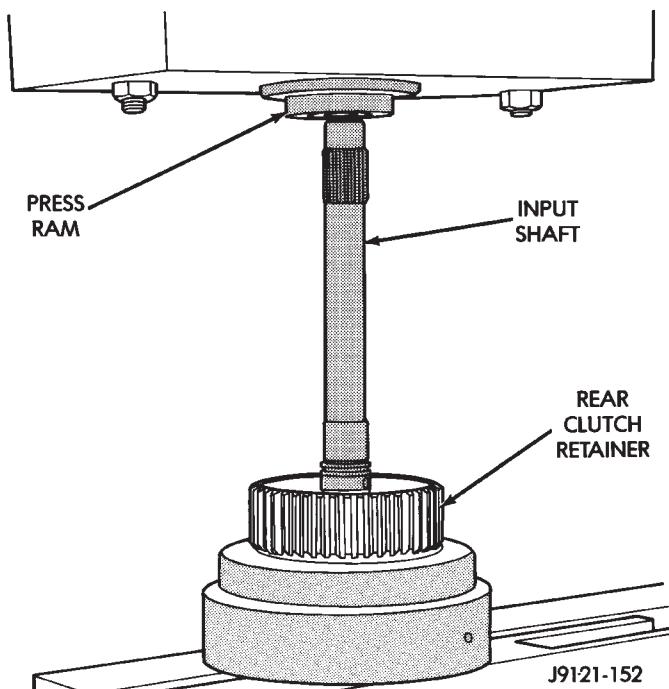


**Fig. 139 Rear Clutch Retainer And Input Shaft Seal Ring Installation**

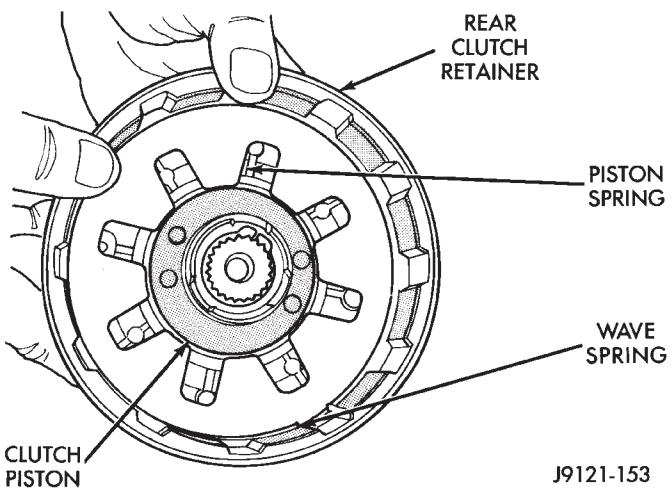


**Fig. 140 Input Shaft Seal Ring Identification**

(11) Install bottom pressure plate (Fig. 137). Ridged side of plate faces downward (toward piston) and flat side toward clutch pack.



**Fig. 141 Pressing Input Shaft Into Rear Clutch Retainer**



**Fig. 142 Piston Spring/Wave Spring Position**

(12) Install first clutch disc in retainer on top of bottom pressure plate. Then install a clutch plate followed by a clutch disc until entire clutch pack is installed (4 discs and 3 plates are required) (Fig. 137).

(13) Install top pressure plate.

(14) Install selective snap ring. Be sure snap ring is fully seated in retainer groove.

(15) Using a suitable gauge bar and dial indicator, measure clutch pack clearance (Fig. 143).

(a) Position gauge bar across the clutch drum with the dial indicator pointer on the pressure plate (Fig. 143).

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

- (b) Using two small screw drivers, lift the pressure plate and release it.  
 (c) Zero the dial indicator.  
 (d) Lift the pressure plate until it contacts the snap-ring and record the dial indicator reading. Clearance should be 0.64 - 1.14 mm (0.025 - 0.045 in.). If clearance is incorrect, steel plates, discs, selective snap ring and pressure plates may have to be changed.

The selective snap ring thicknesses are:

- .107-.109 in.
- .098-.100 in.
- .095-.097 in.
- .083-.085 in.
- .076-.078 in.
- .071-.073 in.
- .060-.062 in.

- (16) Coat rear clutch thrust washer with petroleum jelly and install washer over input shaft and into clutch retainer (Fig. 144). Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer in place.

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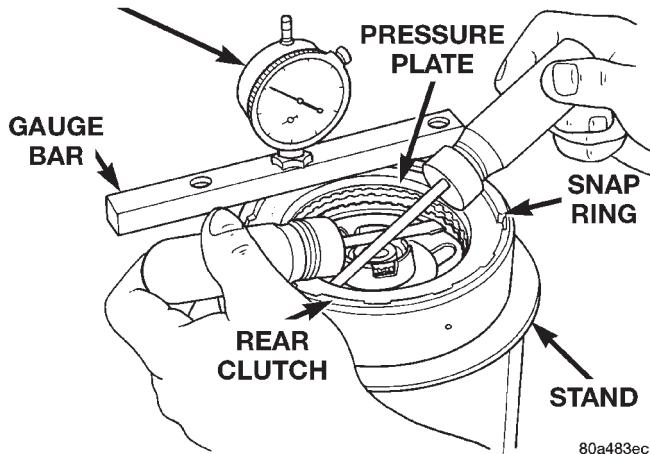


Fig. 143 Checking Rear Clutch Pack Clearance

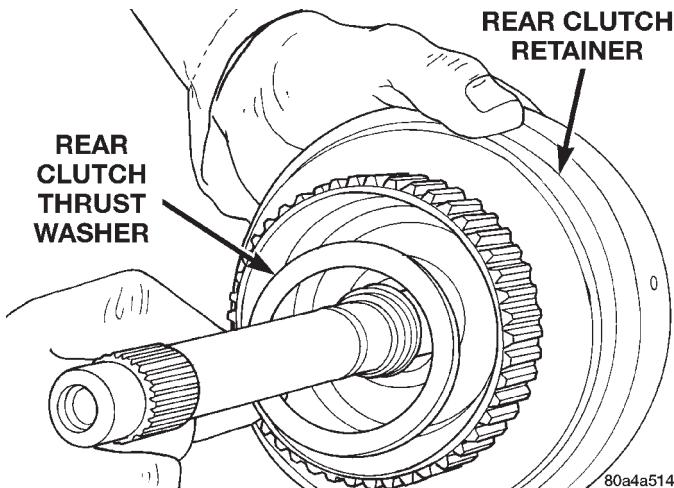
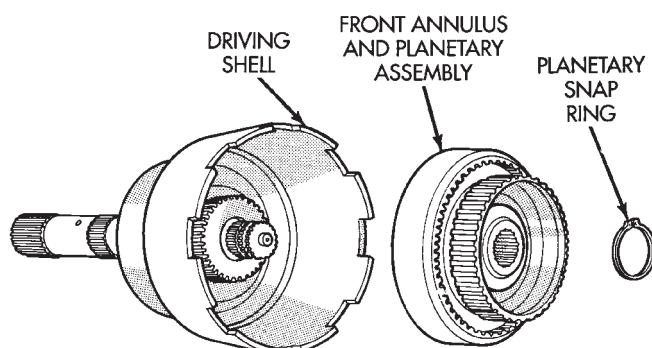


Fig. 144 Installing Rear Clutch Thrust Washer

## PLANETARY GEARTRAIN/OUTPUT SHAFT

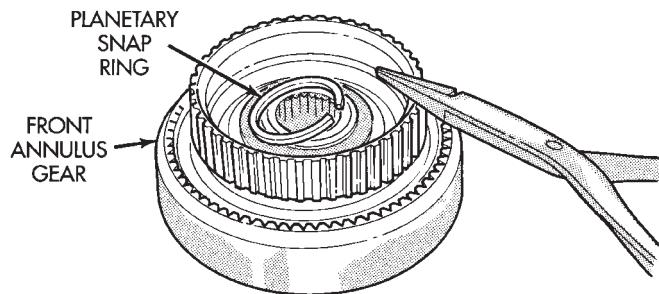
## DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove planetary snap ring (Fig. 145).
- (2) Remove front annulus and planetary assembly from driving shell (Fig. 145).
- (3) Remove snap ring that retains front planetary gear in annulus gear (Fig. 146).
- (4) Remove tabbed thrust washer and tabbed thrust plate from hub of front annulus (Fig. 147).



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Fig. 145 Front Annulus And Planetary Assembly Removal



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Fig. 146 Front Planetary Snap Ring Removal

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(5) Separate front annulus and planetary gears (Fig. 147).

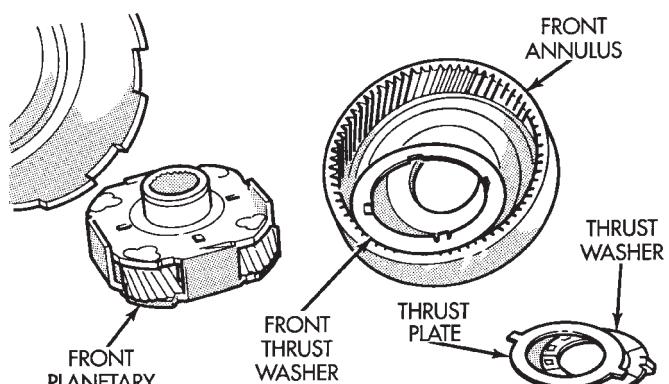
(6) Remove front planetary gear front thrust washer from annulus gear hub.

(7) Separate and remove driving shell, rear planetary and rear annulus from output shaft (Fig. 148).

(8) Remove front planetary rear thrust washer from driving shell.

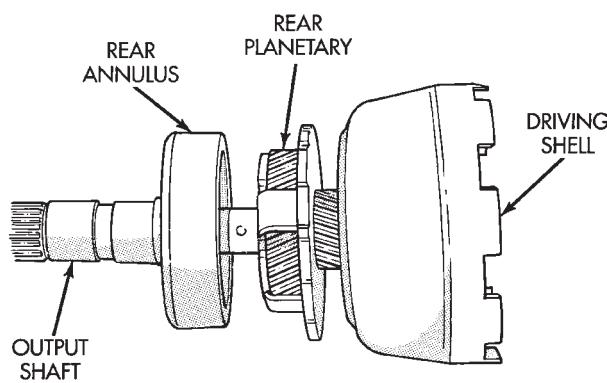
(9) Remove tabbed thrust washers from rear planetary gear.

(10) Remove lock ring that retains sun gear in driving shell. Then remove sun gear, spacer and thrust plates.



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**Fig. 147 Front Planetary And Annulus Gear Disassembly**



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**Fig. 148 Removing Driving Shell, Rear Planetary And Rear Annulus**

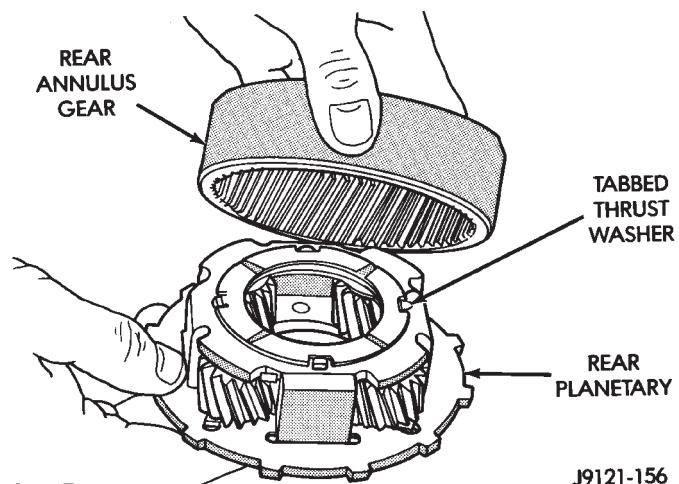
## ASSEMBLY

(1) Lubricate output shaft and planetary components with transmission fluid. Use petroleum jelly to lubricate and hold thrust washers and plates in position.

(2) Assemble rear annulus gear and support if disassembled. Be sure support snap ring is seated and that shoulder-side of support faces rearward (Fig. 149).

(3) Install rear thrust washer on rear planetary gear. Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer in place. Also be sure all four washer tabs are properly engaged in gear slots.

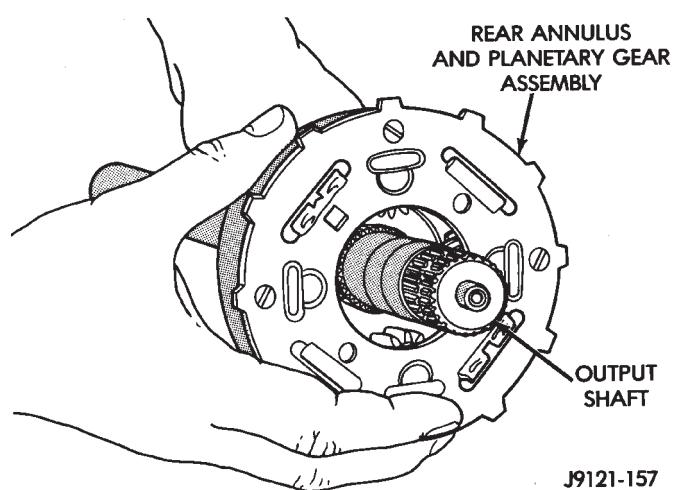
(4) Install rear annulus over and onto rear planetary gear (Fig. 149).



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**Fig. 149 Assembling Rear Annulus And Planetary Gear**

(5) Install assembled rear planetary and annulus gear on output shaft (Fig. 150). Verify that assembly is fully seated on shaft.



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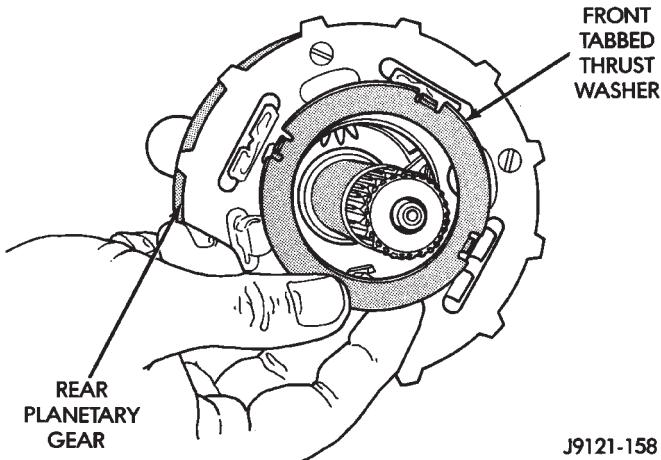
**Fig. 150 Installing Rear Annulus And Planetary On Output Shaft**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

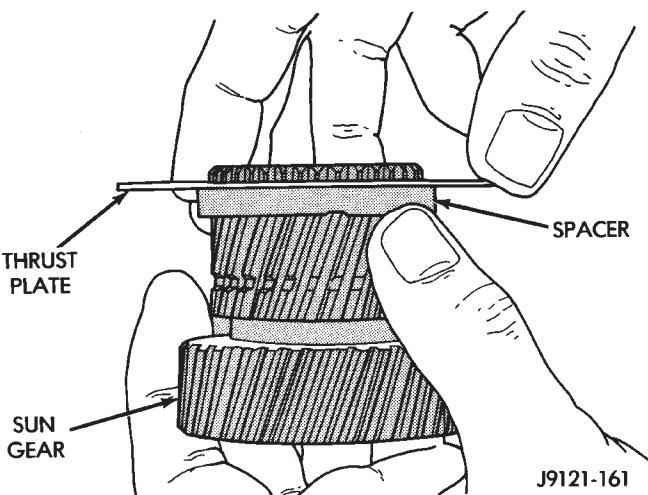
(6) Install front thrust washer on rear planetary gear (Fig. 151). Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer on gear. Be sure all four washer tabs are seated in slots.

(7) Install spacer on sun gear (Fig. 152).

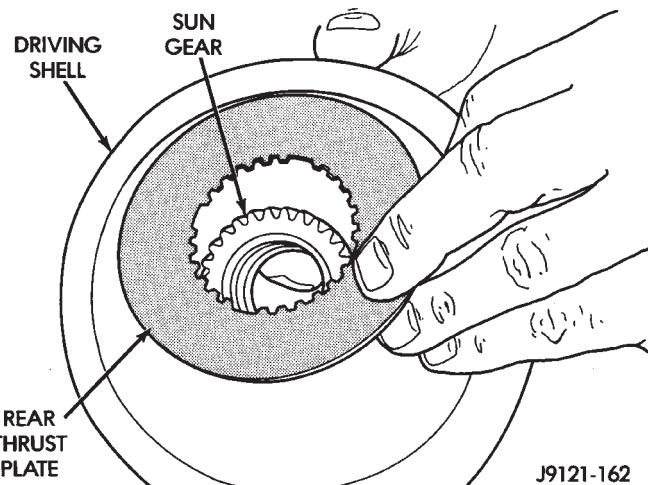
(8) Install thrust plate on sun gear (Fig. 153). Note that driving shell thrust plates are interchangeable. Use either plate on sun gear and at front/rear of shell.



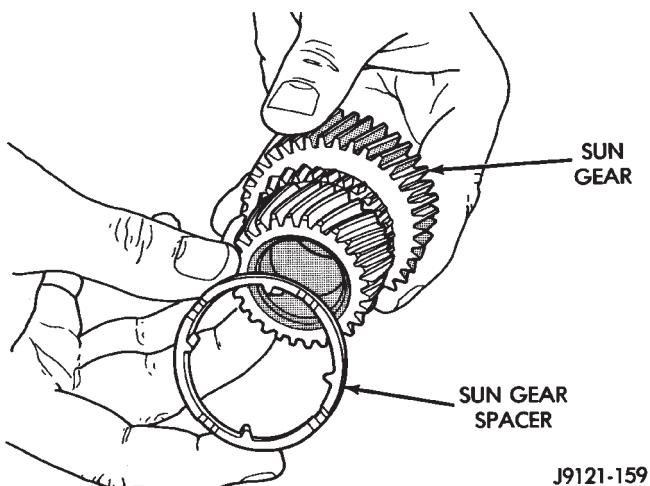
*Fig. 151 Installing Rear Planetary Front Thrust Washer*



*Fig. 153 Installing Driving Shell Front Thrust Plate On Sun Gear*



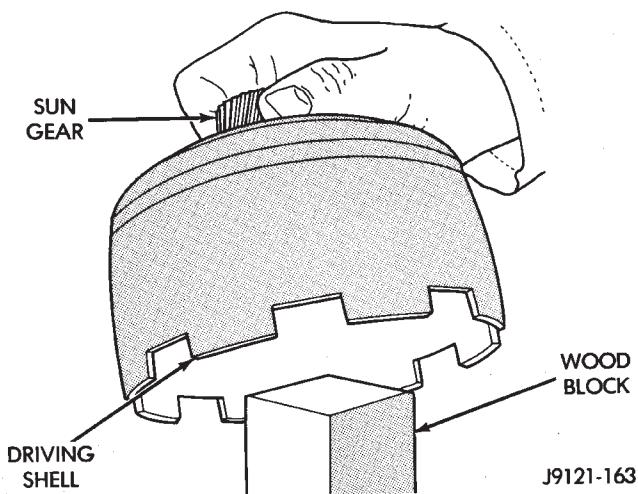
*Fig. 154 Installing Driving Shell Rear Thrust Plate*



*Fig. 152 Installing Spacer On Sun Gear*

(9) Hold sun gear in place and install thrust plate over sun gear at rear of driving shell (Fig. 154).

(10) Position wood block on bench and support sun gear on block (Fig. 155). This makes it easier to align and install sun gear lock ring. Keep wood block handy as it will also be used for geartrain end play check.



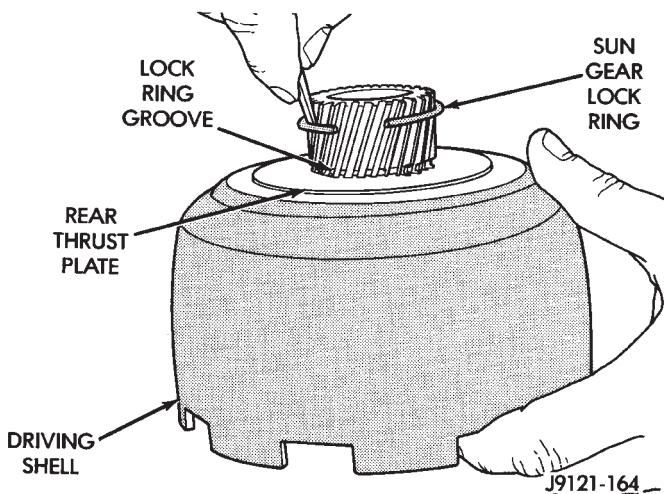
*Fig. 155 Supporting Sun Gear On Wood Block*

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

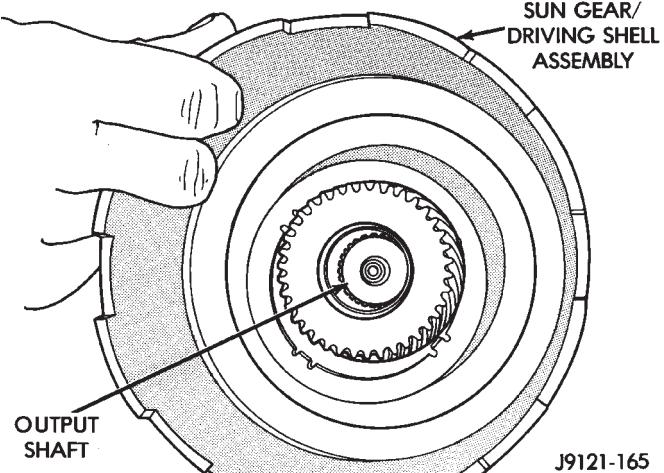
(11) Align rear thrust plate on driving shell and install sun gear lock ring. Be sure ring is fully seated in sun gear ring groove (Fig. 156).

(12) Install assembled driving shell and sun gear on output shaft (Fig. 157).

(13) Install rear thrust washer on front planetary gear (Fig. 158). Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer in place and be sure all four washer tabs are seated.



*Fig. 156 Installing Sun Gear Lock Ring*



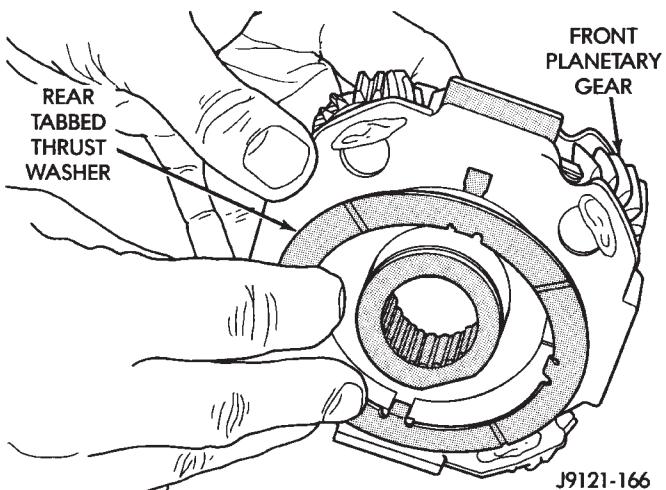
*Fig. 157 Installing Assembled Sun Gear And Driving Shell On Output Shaft*

(14) Install front planetary gear on output shaft and in driving shell (Fig. 159).

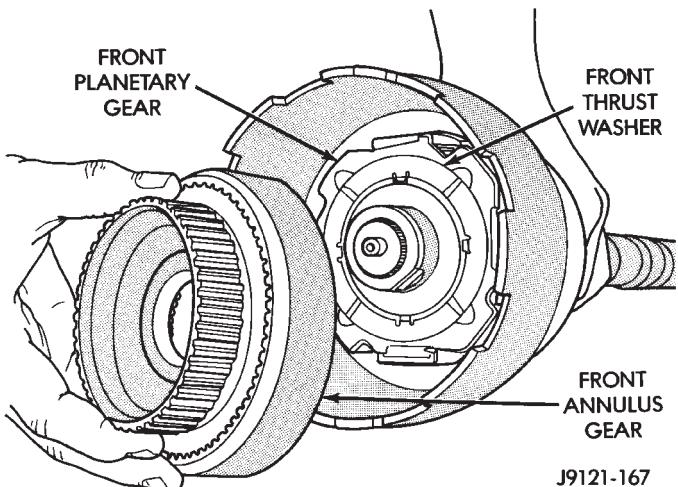
(15) Install front thrust washer on front planetary gear. Use enough petroleum jelly to hold washer in place and be sure all four washer tabs are seated.

(16) Assemble front annulus gear and support, if necessary. Be sure support snap ring is seated.

(17) Install front annulus on front planetary (Fig. 159).

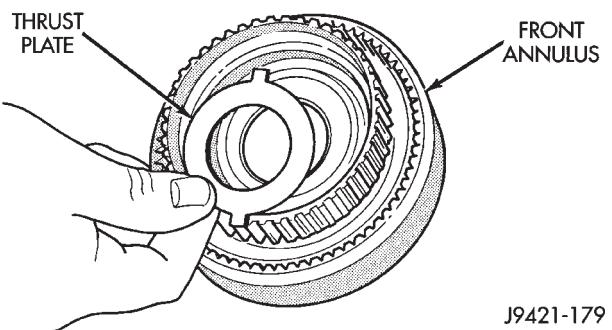


*Fig. 158 Installing Rear Thrust Washer On Front Planetary Gear*



*Fig. 159 Installing Front Planetary And Annulus Gears*

(18) Position thrust plate on front annulus gear support (Fig. 160). **Note that plate has two tabs on it. These tabs fit in notches of annulus hub.**



*Fig. 160 Positioning Thrust Plate On Front Annulus Support*

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(19) Install thrust washer in front annulus (Fig. 161). **Align flat on washer with flat on planetary hub. Also be sure washer tab is facing up.**

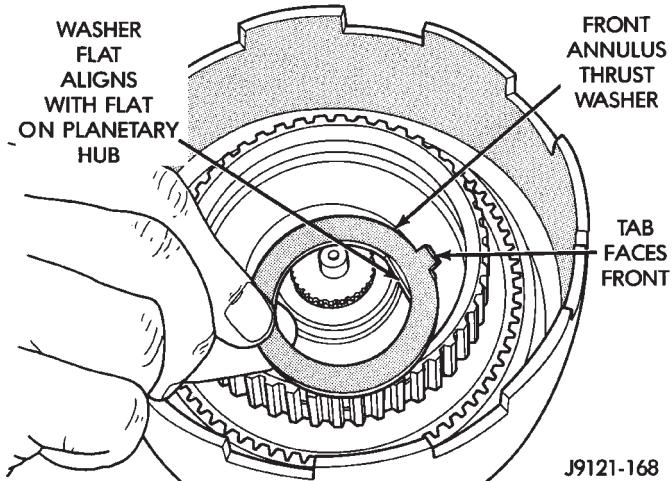
(20) Install front annulus snap ring (Fig. 162). Use snap ring pliers to avoid distorting ring during installation. Also be sure ring is fully seated.

(21) Install planetary selective snap ring with snap ring pliers (Fig. 163). Be sure ring is fully seated.

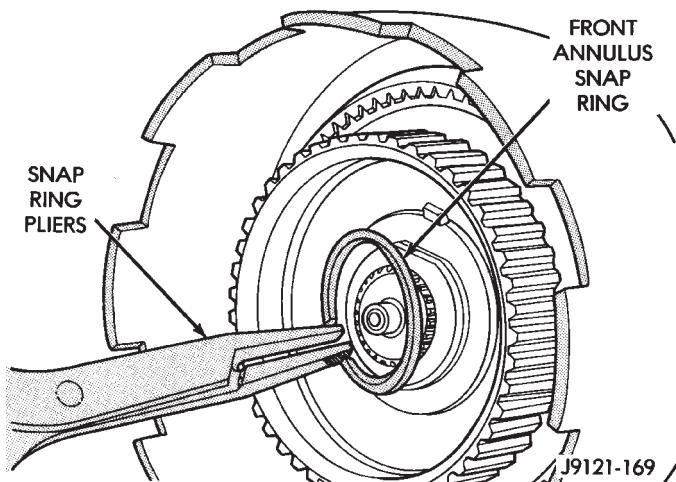
(22) Turn planetary geartrain assembly over so driving shell is facing workbench. Then support geartrain on wood block positioned under forward end of output shaft. This allows geartrain components to move forward for accurate end play check.

(23) Check planetary geartrain end play with feeler gauge (Fig. 164). Gauge goes between shoulder on output shaft and end of rear annulus support.

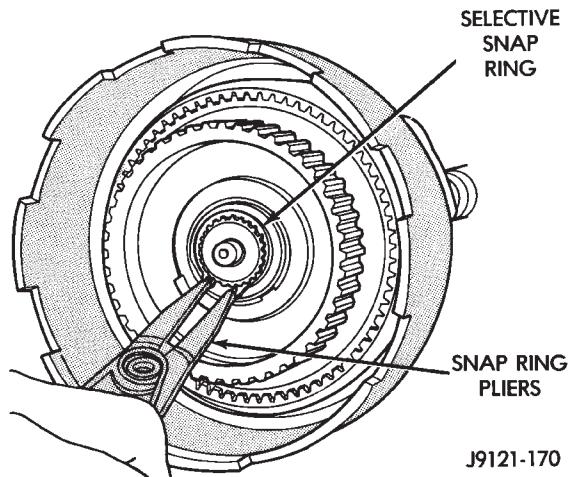
(24) Geartrain end play should be 0.12 to 1.22 mm (0.005 to 0.048 in.). If end play is incorrect, snap ring (or thrust washers) may have to be replaced. Snap ring is available in three different thicknesses for adjustment purposes.



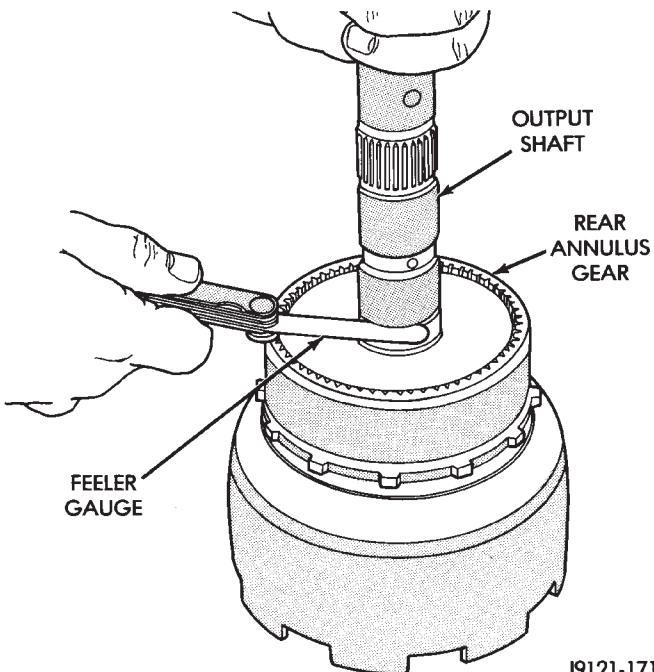
**Fig. 161 Installing Front Annulus Thrust Washer**



**Fig. 162 Installing Front Annulus Snap Ring**



**Fig. 163 Installing Planetary Selective Snap Ring**



**Fig. 164 Checking Planetary Geartrain End Play**

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION

## GOVERNOR AND PARK GEAR

Thoroughly clean all the governor parts in a suitable cleaning solution but do not use any type of caustic cleaning agents.

The governor weight components (Fig. 165) and the governor valve (Fig. 166), must slide freely in their bores when clean and dry. Minor surface scratches and burrs can be smoothed with crocus cloth.

The aluminum governor valve and outer weight have a hard coating on them. Check condition of this coating carefully. Do not reuse either part if the coating is damaged.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

Inspect the governor weight spring for distortion. Replace the spring, if distorted, collapsed, or broken.

Clean the filter in solvent and dry it with compressed air. Replace the filter, if damaged. Inspect the park

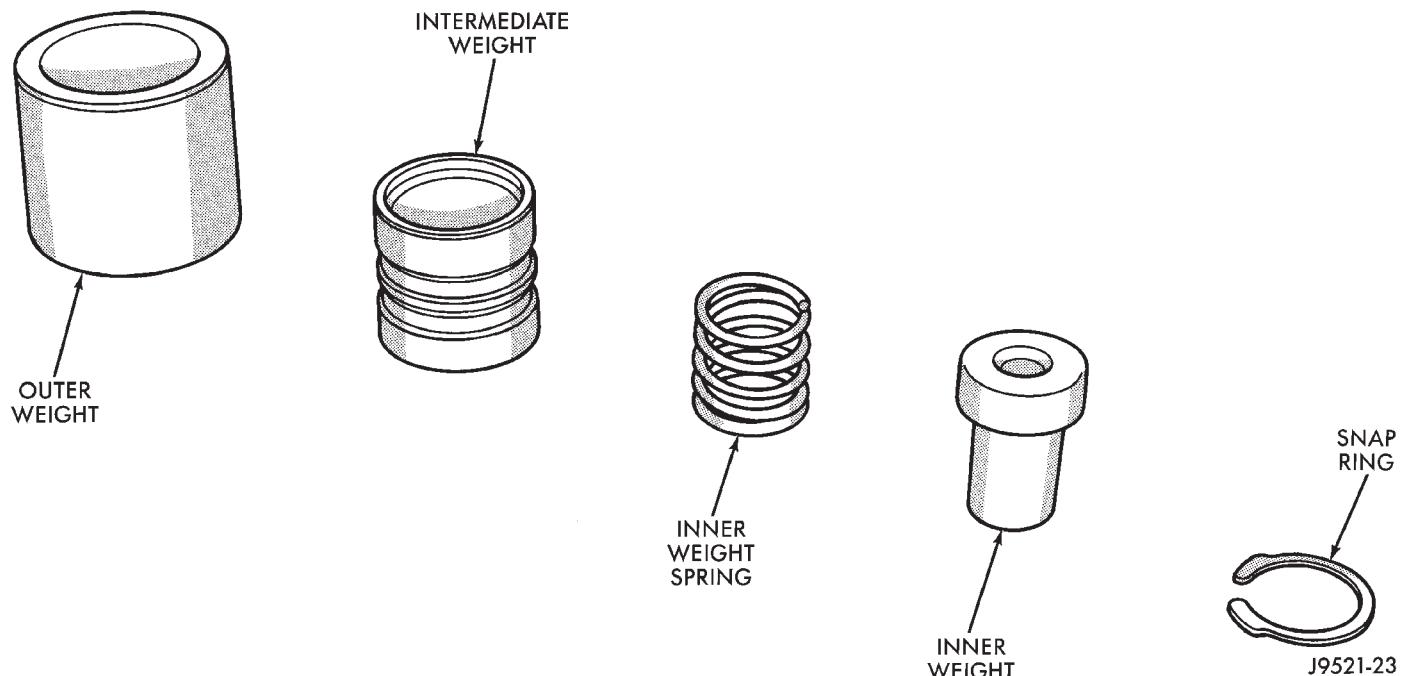


Fig. 165 Governor Weights

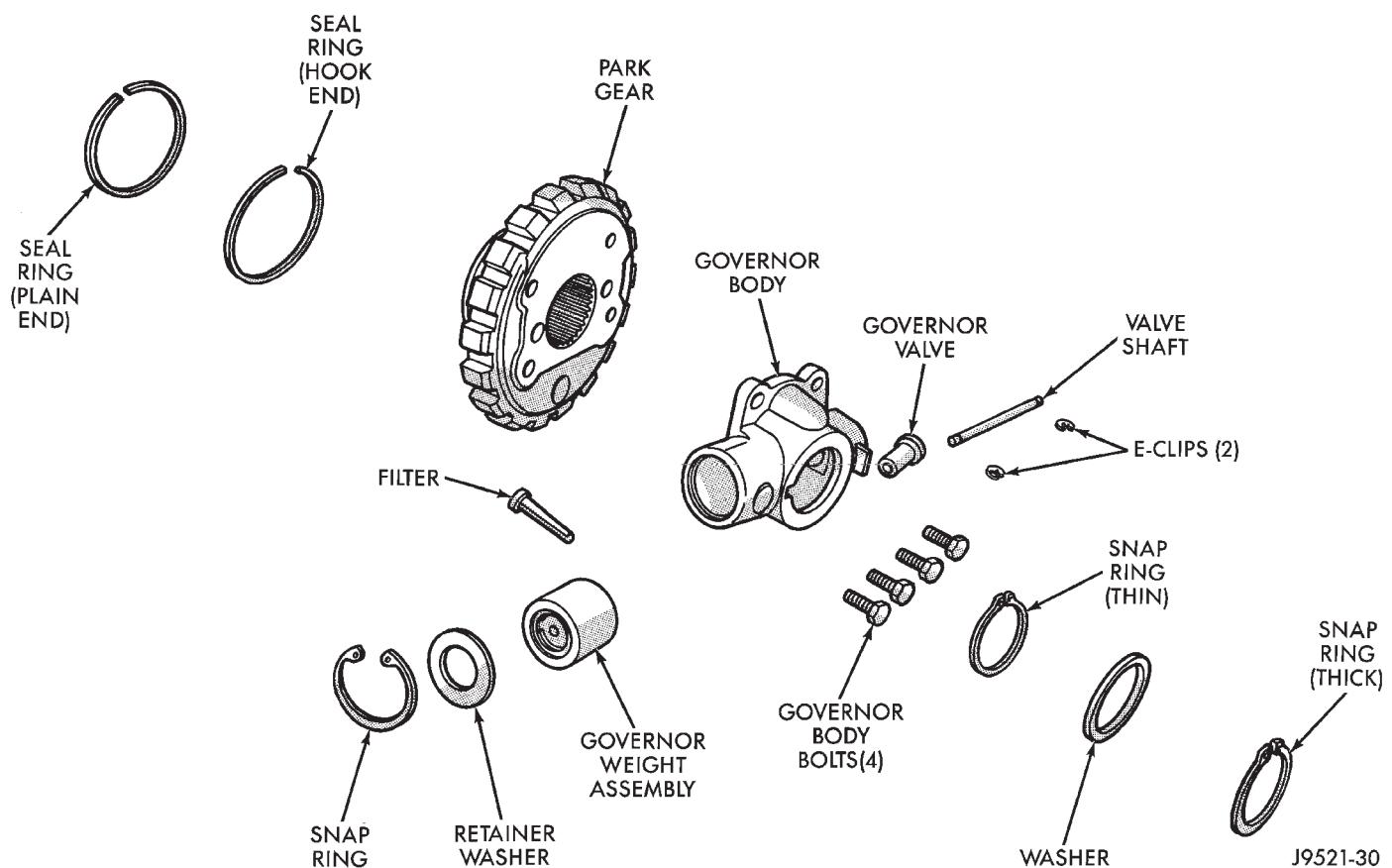


Fig. 166 Governor Components

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

gear for chipped or worn gear teeth or damaged ring grooves. Replace the gear, if damaged.

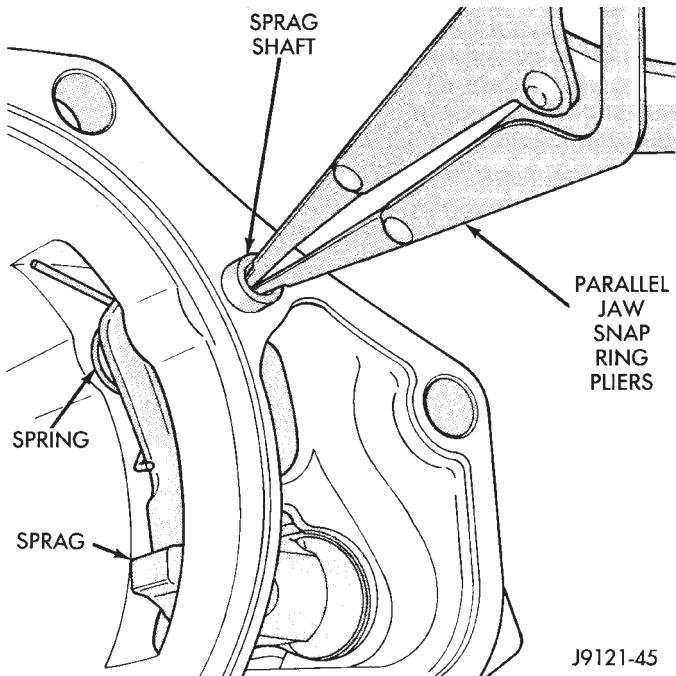
Check the teeth on the park gear for wear or damage. Replace the gear if necessary. Inspect the metal seal rings on the park gear hub. Replace the rings only if severely worn, or broken.

### EXTENSION HOUSING AND PARK LOCK

Clean the housing and park lock components in solvent and dry them with compressed air.

Examine the park lock components in the housing. If replacement is necessary, remove the shaft with parallel jaw snap ring pliers (Fig. 167) and remove the sprag and spring. Then remove the spring clip and reaction plug (Fig. 168). **Compress the reaction plug spring clip only enough to remove and install it. Do not distort the clip during removal or installation.**

Be sure a replacement sprag is installed so the sprag locking lug will face the park gear (Fig. 169). Also be sure the spring is correctly positioned as shown (Fig. 169). The sprag may not retract if the spring is improperly installed.

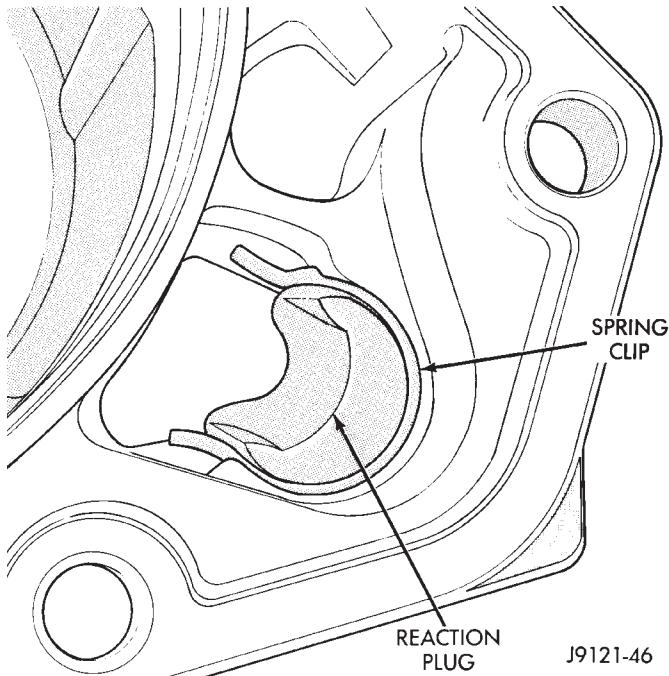


**Fig. 167 Park Sprag, Shaft And Spring**

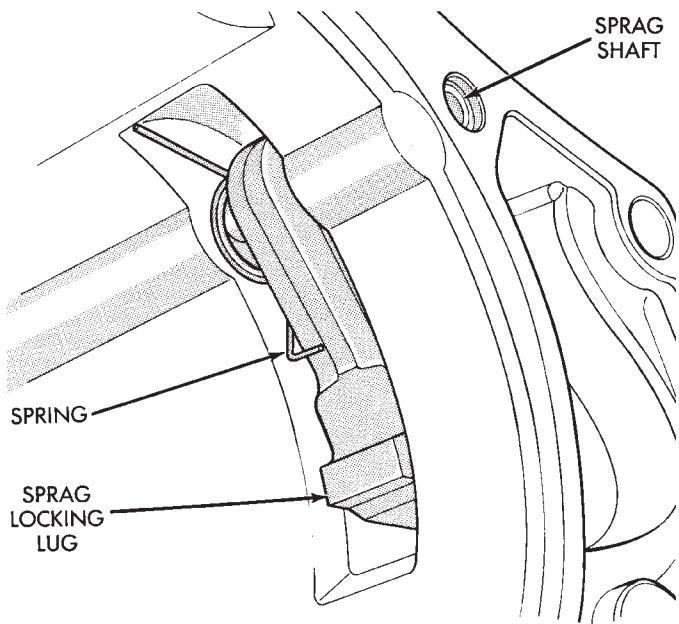
### VALVE BODY

Serviceable valve body components are:

- park lock rod and E-clip
- switch valve and spring
- pressure adjusting screw bracket
- throttle valve lever
- manual lever
- manual lever shaft seal, washer, E-clip and detent ball



**Fig. 168 Park Sprag Reaction Plug And Spring Location**



**Fig. 169 Correct Position Of Sprag And Spring**

- fluid filter
- converter clutch solenoid

The remaining valve body components are serviced only as part of a complete valve body assembly.

Clean the valve body components in a parts cleaning solution only. Do not use gasoline, kerosene, or any type of caustic solution. Dry the parts with compressed air. Make sure all passages are clean and free from obstructions.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

**NOTE:** Do not use rags or shop towels to wipe off valve body components. Lint from these materials will adhere to the valve body components. Lint will interfere with valve operation and may clog filters and fluid passages.

Inspect the throttle and manual valve levers and shafts. Do not attempt to straighten a bent shaft or correct a loose lever. Replace these components if worn, bent, loose or damaged in any way.

Inspect all of the valve body mating surfaces for scratches, nicks, burrs, or distortion. Use a straightedge to check surface flatness. Minor scratches may be removed with crocus cloth using only very light pressure.

Minor distortion of a valve body mating surface may be corrected by smoothing the surface with crocus cloth. The cloth should be in sheet form and be positioned on a surface plate, sheet of plate glass, or equally flat surface. However, if distortion is severe or any surfaces are heavily scored, the valve body will have to be replaced.

**CAUTION:** Many of the valve body valves and plugs are made of coated aluminum. Aluminum components can be identified by the dark color of the special coating applied to the surface (or by testing with a magnet). DO NOT polish or sand aluminum valves or plugs with any type of material, or under any circumstances. This practice might dam-

age the special coating and cause the valves and plugs to stick and bind.

Inspect the valves and plugs for scratches, burrs, nicks, or scores. Also inspect the coating on the aluminum valves and plugs (Fig. 170). If the coating is damaged or worn through, the valve (or valve body) should be replaced.

Aluminum valves and plugs should not be sanded or polished under any circumstances. However, minor burrs or scratches on steel valves and plugs can be removed with crocus cloth but do not round off the valve or plug edges. Squareness of these edges is vitally important. These edges prevent foreign matter from lodging between the valves, plugs and bore.

Inspect all the valve and plug bores in the valve body. Use a penlight to view the bore interiors. Replace the valve body if any bores are distorted or scored. Inspect all of the valve body springs. The springs must be free of distortion, warpage or broken coils.

Trial fit each valve and plug in its bore to check freedom of operation. When clean and dry, the valves and plugs should drop freely into the bores. Valve body bores do not change dimensionally with use. If the valve body functioned correctly when new, it will continue to operate properly after cleaning and inspection. It should not be necessary to replace a valve body assembly unless it is damaged in handling.

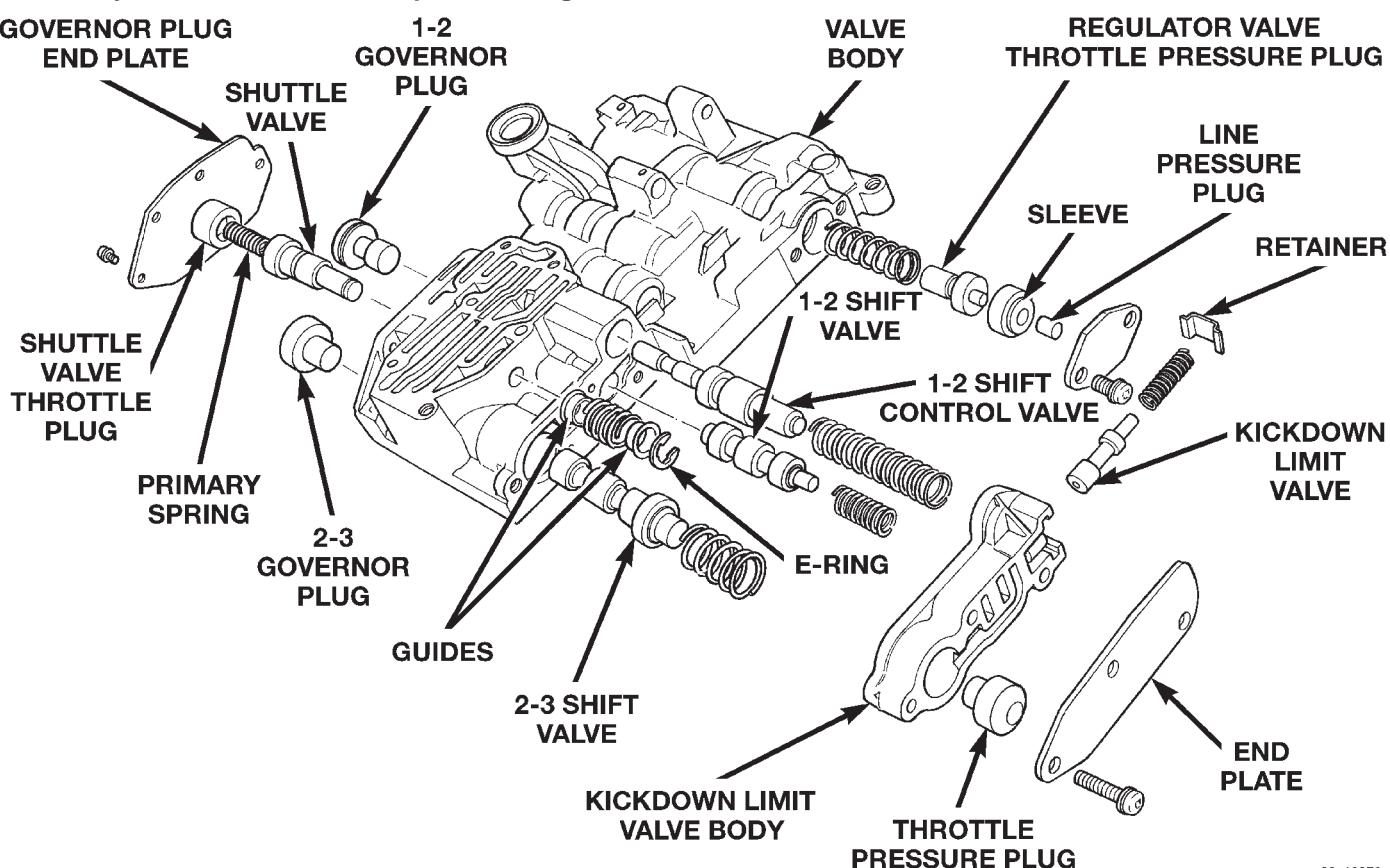


Fig. 170 Valve Body Components

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

### TRANSMISSION

Clean the case in a solvent tank. Flush the case bores and fluid passages thoroughly with solvent. Dry the case and all fluid passages with compressed air. Be sure all solvent is removed from the case and that all fluid passages are clear.

**NOTE: Do not use shop towels or rags to dry the case (or any other transmission component) unless they are made from lint-free materials. Lint will readily adhere to case surfaces and transmission components and will circulate throughout the transmission after assembly. A sufficient quantity of lint can block fluid passages and interfere with valve body operation.**

Inspect the case for cracks, porous spots, worn servo bores, or damaged threads. However, the case will have to be replaced if it exhibits damage or wear.

Lubricate the front band adjusting screw and locknut with petroleum jelly and thread it part way into the case. Be sure the screw turns freely and does not bind. Install the locknut on the screw after checking screw thread operation.

Inspect all the transmission bushings during overhaul. Bushing condition is important as worn, scored bushings contribute to low pressures, clutch slip and accelerated wear of other components. Replace worn, or scored bushings, or if doubt exists about bushing condition.

Use recommended tools to replace bushings. The tools are sized and designed to remove, install and seat bushings correctly. The bushing replacement tools are included in Bushing Tool Sets C-3887-B, or C-3887-J.

Pre-sized service bushings are available for replacement purposes. Only the sun gear bushings are not serviced. Replace the gear as an assembly if the bushings are severely scored, or worn.

Heli-Coil inserts are recommended for repairing damaged, stripped or worn threads in aluminum parts. Stainless steel inserts are preferred.

The use of crocus cloth is permissible where necessary, providing it is used carefully. When used on valves, use extreme care to avoid rounding off sharp edges. Sharp edges are vital as they prevent foreign matter from getting between the valve and valve bore.

Do not reuse oil seals, gaskets, seal rings, or O-rings during overhaul. Replace these parts as a matter of course. Also do not reuse snap rings or E-clips that are bent or distorted. Replace these parts as well.

Lubricate transmission parts with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176 transmission fluid during assembly. Use Mopar® Door Ease, or Ru-Glyde to lubricate piston seals and O-rings. Use petroleum jelly on

thrust washers and to hold parts in place during reassembly.

### OVERRUNNING CLUTCH/LOW-REVERSE DRUM/OVERDRIVE PISTON RETAINER

Clean the overrunning clutch assembly, clutch cam, low-reverse drum, and overdrive piston retainer in solvent. Dry them with compressed air after cleaning.

Inspect condition of each clutch part after cleaning. Replace the overrunning clutch roller and spring assembly if any rollers or springs are worn or damaged, or if the roller cage is distorted, or damaged. Replace the cam if worn, cracked or damaged.

Replace the low-reverse drum if the clutch race, roller surface or inside diameter is scored, worn or damaged. **Do not remove the clutch race from the low-reverse drum under any circumstances. Replace the drum and race as an assembly if either component is damaged.**

Examine the overdrive piston retainer carefully for wear, cracks, scoring or other damage. Be sure the retainer hub is a snug fit in the case and drum. Replace the retainer if worn or damaged.

### FRONT SERVO

Clean the servo piston components with solvent and dry them with compressed air. Wipe the band clean with lint free shop towels.

Replace the front band if distorted, lining is burned, flaking off, or worn to the point where the grooves in the lining material are no longer visible.

Inspect the servo components (Fig. 171). Replace the springs if collapsed, distorted or broken. Replace the guide, rod and piston if cracked, bent, or worn. Discard the servo snap ring if distorted or warped.

Check the servo piston bore for wear. If the bore is severely scored, or damaged, it will be necessary to replace the case.

Replace any servo component if doubt exists about condition. Do not reuse suspect parts.

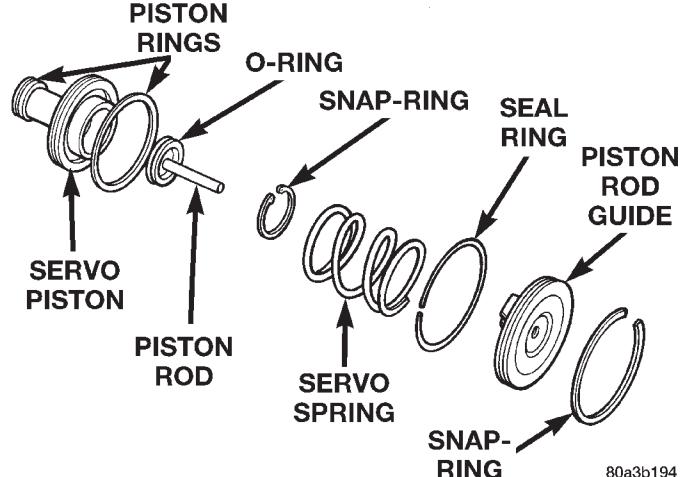
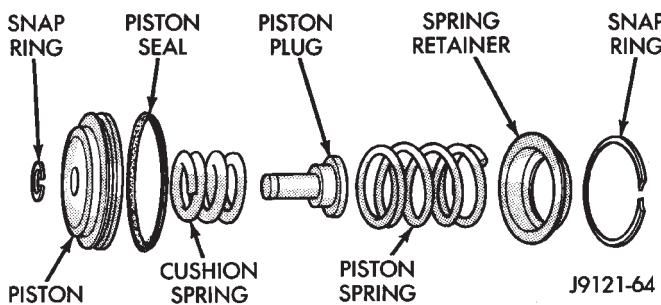


Fig. 171

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

## REAR SERVO

Remove and discard the servo piston seal ring (Fig. 172). Then clean the servo components with solvent and dry with compressed air. Replace either spring if collapsed, distorted or broken. Replace the plug and piston if cracked, bent, or worn. Discard the servo snap rings and use a new ones at assembly.



**Fig. 172 Rear Servo Components**

## OIL PUMP AND REACTION SHAFT SUPPORT

(1) Clean pump and support components with solvent and dry them with compressed air.

(2) Check condition of the seal rings and thrust washer on the reaction shaft support. The seal rings do not need to be replaced unless cracked, broken, or severely worn.

(3) Inspect the pump and support components. Replace the pump or support if the seal ring grooves or machined surfaces are worn, scored, pitted, or damaged. Replace the pump gears if pitted, worn chipped, or damaged.

(4) Inspect the pump bushing. Then check the reaction shaft support bushing. Replace either bushing only if heavily worn, scored or damaged. It is not necessary to replace the bushings unless they are actually damaged.

(5) Install the gears in the pump body and measure pump component clearances as follows:

(a) Clearance between outer gear and reaction shaft housing should be 0.010 to 0.063 mm (0.0004 to 0.0025 in.). Clearance between inner gear and reaction shaft housing should be 0.010 to 0.063 mm (0.0004 to 0.0025 in.). Both clearances can be measured at the same time by:

(I) Installing the pump gears in the pump housing.

(II) Position an appropriate piece of Plastigage™ across both gears.

(III) Align the plastigage to a flat area on the reaction shaft housing.

(IV) Install the reaction shaft to the pump housing.

(V) Separate the reaction shaft housing from the pump housing and measure the Plastigage™ following the instructions supplied with it.

(b) Clearance between inner gear tooth and outer gear should be 0.08 to 0.19 mm (0.0035 to 0.0075 in.). Measure clearance with an appropriate feeler gauge.

(c) Clearance between outer gear and pump housing should also be 0.010 to 0.19 mm (0.0035 to 0.0075 in.). Measure clearance with an appropriate feeler gauge.

## FRONT CLUTCH

Clean and inspect the front clutch components. Replace the clutch discs if warped, worn, scored, burned or charred, or if the facing is flaking off. Replace the steel plates if heavily scored, warped, or broken. Be sure the driving lugs on the plates are in good condition. The lugs must not be bent, cracked or damaged in any way.

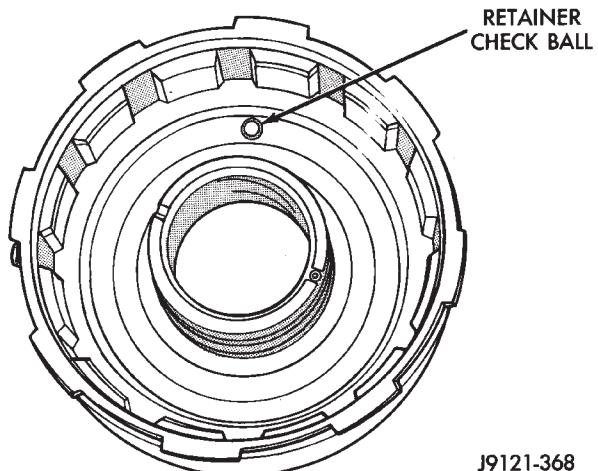
Replace the clutch spring and spring retainer if either is distorted, warped or broken.

Check the lug grooves in the clutch retainer. The steel plates should slide freely in the slots. Replace the retainer if the grooves are worn or damaged.

Check action of the check ball in the retainer (Fig. 173). The ball must move freely and not stick.

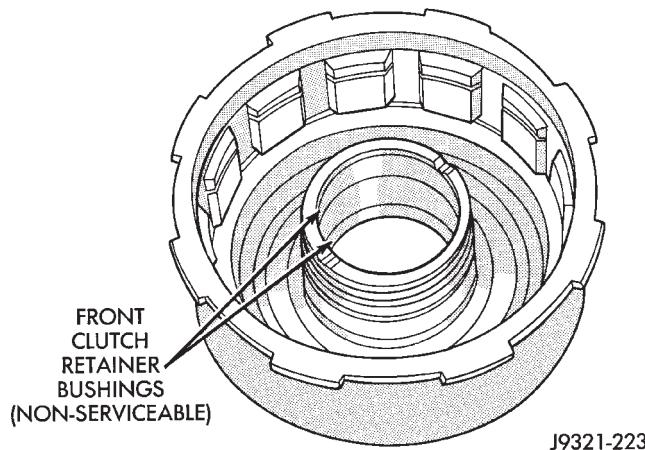
**NOTE: Inspect the clutch retainer bushings carefully (Fig. 174). The retainer bushings are NOT serviceable. It will be necessary to replace the retainer if either bushing is scored, or worn.**

Inspect the piston and retainer seal surfaces for nicks or scratches. Minor scratches can be removed with crocus cloth. However, replace the piston and/or retainer if the seal surfaces are seriously scored.



**Fig. 173 Front Clutch Piston Retainer Check Ball Location**

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)

**Fig. 174 Retainer Bushing Location/Inspection****REAR CLUTCH**

Clean the clutch components with solvent and dry them with compressed air.

Check condition of the input shaft seal rings. It is not necessary to remove or replace rings unless they are broken, cracked, or no longer securely hooked together.

Inspect the input shaft splines and machined surfaces. Very minor nicks or scratches can be smoothed off with crocus cloth. Replace the shaft if the splines are damaged, or any of the machined surfaces are severely scored.

Replace the clutch discs if warped, worn, scored, burned/charred, the lugs are damaged, or if the facing is flaking off.

Replace the steel plates and the pressure plate if heavily scored, warped, or broken. Be sure the driving lugs on the discs and plates are also in good condition. The lugs must not be bent, cracked or damaged in any way.

Replace the piston spring and wave spring if either part is distorted, warped or broken.

Check the lug grooves in the clutch retainer. The steel plates should slide freely in the slots. Replace the retainer if the grooves are worn or damaged. Also check action of the retainer check ball. The ball must move freely and not stick.

Inspect the piston and retainer seal surfaces for nicks or scratches. Minor scratches can be removed with crocus cloth. However, replace the piston and/or retainer if the seal surfaces are seriously damaged.

Check thrust washer condition. Washer thickness should be 1.55 to 1.60 mm (0.061 to 0.063 in.). Replace the washer if worn or damaged.

Check condition of the two seal rings on the input shaft and the single seal ring on the piston retainer hub. Replace the seal rings only if severely worn, cracked, or cannot be hooked together.

**PLANETARY GEARTRAIN/OUTPUT SHAFT**

Clean the intermediate shaft and planetary components in solvent and dry them with compressed air. Do not spin the planetary pinion gears with compressed air.

Inspect the planetary gear sets and annulus gears. The planetary pinions, shafts, washers, and retaining pins are serviceable. However, if a pinion carrier is damaged, the entire planetary gear set must be replaced as an assembly.

Replace the annulus gears if the teeth are chipped, broken, or worn, or the gear is cracked. Replace the planetary thrust plates and the tabbed thrust washers if cracked, scored or worn.

Inspect the machined surfaces of the output shaft. Be sure the oil passages are open and clear. Replace the shaft if scored, pitted, or damaged.

Inspect the sun gear and driving shell. If either component is worn or damaged, remove the sun gear rear retaining ring and separate the sun gear and thrust plate from the driving shell. Then replace the necessary component.

Replace the sun gear as an assembly if the gear teeth are chipped or worn. Also replace the gear as an assembly if the bushings are scored or worn. The sun gear bushings are not serviceable. Replace the thrust plate if worn, or severely scored. Replace the driving shell if distorted, cracked, or damaged in any way.

Replace all snap rings during geartrain assembly. Reusing snap rings is not recommended.

**ADJUSTMENTS****GEARSHIFT CABLE**

Check adjustment by starting the engine in Park and Neutral. Adjustment is OK if the engine starts only in these positions. Adjustment is incorrect if the engine starts in one but not both positions. If the engine starts in any position other than Park or Neutral, or if the engine will not start at all, the park/neutral position switch may be faulty.

**Gearshift Adjustment Procedure**

- (1) Shift transmission into Park.
- (2) Raise vehicle.
- (3) Release cable adjuster clamp (at transmission end of cable) to unlock cable.

## ADJUSTMENTS (Continued)

(4) Unsnap cable from cable mounting bracket on transmission (Fig. 175).

(5) Slide cable eyelet off transmission shift lever.

(6) Verify transmission shift lever is in Park detent by moving lever fully rearward. Last rearward detent is Park position.

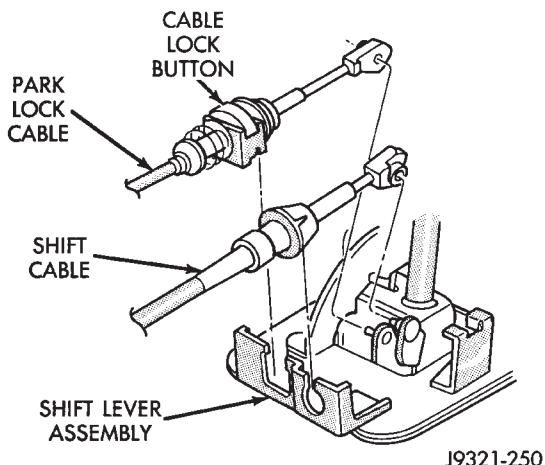
(7) Verify positive engagement of transmission park lock by attempting to rotate propeller shaft. Shaft will not rotate when park lock is engaged.

(8) Slide cable eyelet onto transmission shift lever.

(9) Snap shift cable adjuster into mounting bracket on transmission.

(10) Lock shift cable by pressing cable adjuster clamp down until it snaps into place.

(11) Lower vehicle and check engine starting. Engine should start only in Park and Neutral.



**Fig. 176 Park Lock Cable Attachment**

should not be able to press button inward or move column lever.

(b) Turn ignition switch to RUN position.

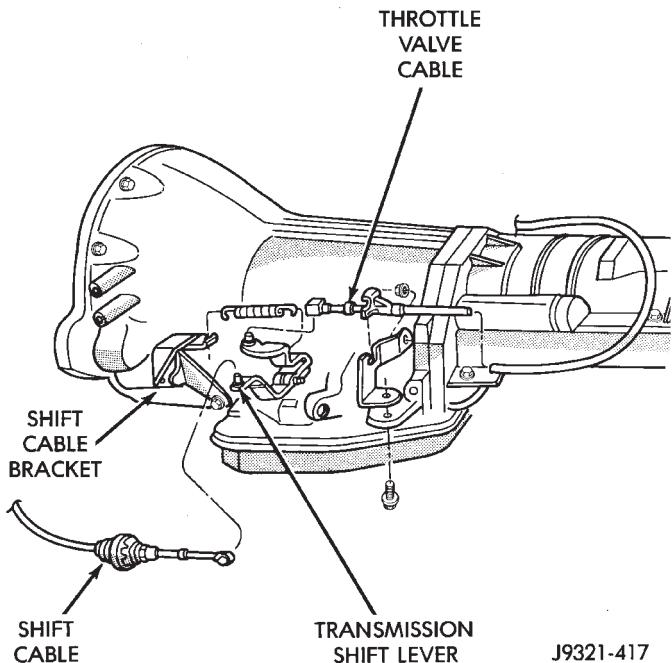
(c) Shifting out of park should not be possible.

(d) Apply the brake and attempt to shift out of PARK. Shifting should be possible.

(e) While the transmission is shifted out of PARK, release the brake and attempt to shift through all gears. Release the shift button at least once during this procedure. The ignition key should not go to the LOCK position.

(f) Return transmission to the PARK position without applying the brake.

(g) Move shift lever back to PARK and check ignition switch operation. You should be able to turn switch to LOCK position and shift lever release button/lever should not move.



**Fig. 175 Shift Cable Attachment At Transmission-Typical**

#### BRAKE TRANSMISSION SHIFT INTERLOCK CABLE ADJUSTMENT

(1) Shift transmission into PARK.

(2) Remove shift lever bezel and console screws. Raise bezel and console for access to cable.

(3) Pull cable lock button up to release cable (Fig. 176).

(4) Turn ignition switch to LOCK position.

(5) Use a spacer to create a one millimeter gap between the shifter pawl and top of the shift gate.

(6) Pull cable forward. Then release cable and press cable lock button down until it snaps in place.

(7) Check adjustment as follows:

(a) Check movement of release shift handle button (floor shift) or release lever (column shift). You

#### TRANSMISSION THROTTLE VALVE CABLE ADJUSTMENT

The transmission throttle valve is operated by a cam on the throttle lever. The throttle lever is operated by an adjustable cable (Fig. 177). The cable is attached to an arm mounted on the throttle lever shaft. A retaining clip at the engine-end of the cable is removed to provide for cable adjustment. The retaining clip is then installed back onto the throttle valve cable to lock in the adjustment.

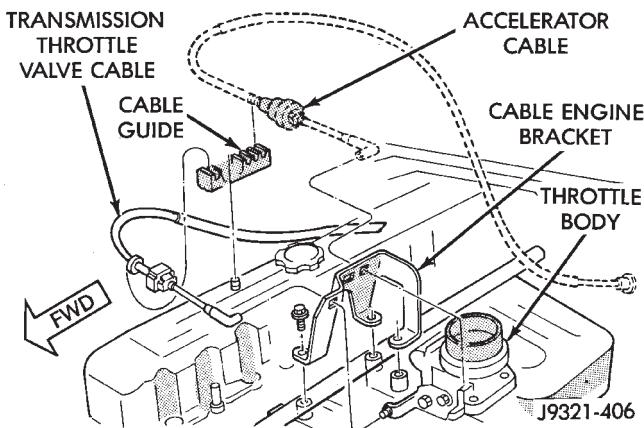
A correctly adjusted throttle valve cable will cause the throttle lever on the transmission to move simultaneously with the throttle body lever from the idle position. Proper adjustment will allow simultaneous movement without causing the transmission throttle lever to either move ahead of, or lag behind the lever on the throttle body.

#### Checking Throttle Valve Cable Adjustment

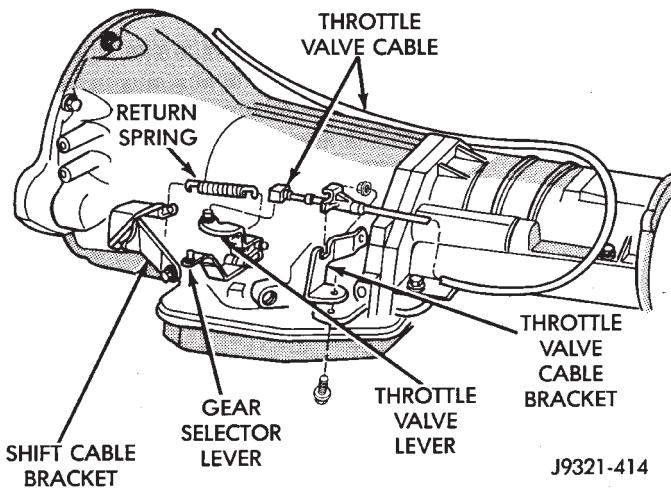
(1) Turn ignition key to OFF position.

(2) Remove air cleaner.

## ADJUSTMENTS (Continued)

**Fig. 177 Throttle Cable Attachment At Engine**

(3) Verify that lever on throttle body is at curb idle position. Then verify that transmission throttle lever (Fig. 178) is also at idle (fully forward) position.

**Fig. 178 Throttle Cable Attachment At Transmission**

(4) Slide cable off attachment stud on throttle body lever.

(5) Compare position of cable end to attachment stud on throttle body lever:

- Cable end and attachment stud should be aligned (or centered on one another) to within 1 mm (0.039 in.) in either direction.

- If cable end and attachment stud are misaligned (off center), cable will have to be adjusted as described in Throttle Valve Cable Adjustment procedure.

(6) Reconnect cable end to attachment stud. Then with aid of a helper, observe movement of transmission throttle lever and lever on throttle body.

- If both levers move simultaneously from idle to half-throttle and back to idle position, adjustment is correct.

- If transmission throttle lever moves ahead of, or lags behind throttle body lever, cable adjustment will

be necessary. Or, if throttle body lever prevents transmission lever from returning to closed position, cable adjustment will be necessary.

**Throttle Valve Cable Adjustment Procedure**

(1) Turn ignition switch to OFF position.

(2) Remove air cleaner if necessary.

(3) Disconnect cable end from attachment stud.

**Carefully slide cable off stud. Do not pry or pull cable off.**

(4) Verify that transmission throttle lever is in fully closed position. Then be sure lever on throttle body is at curb idle position.

(5) Insert a small screwdriver under edge of retaining clip and remove retaining clip.

(6) Center cable end on attachment stud to within 1 mm (0.039 in.).

(7) Install retaining clip onto cable housing.

(8) Check cable adjustment. Verify transmission throttle lever and lever on throttle body move simultaneously.

**FRONT BAND ADJUSTMENT**

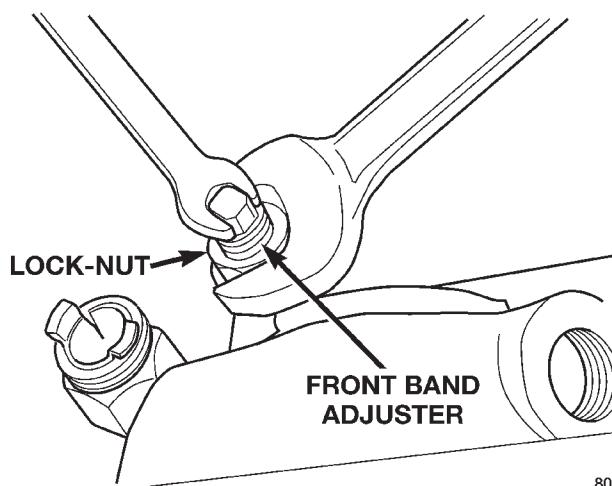
The front (kickdown) band adjusting screw is located on the left side of the transmission case above the manual valve and throttle valve levers.

(1) Raise vehicle.

(2) Loosen band adjusting screw locknut (Fig. 179). Then back locknut off 3-5 turns. Be sure adjusting screw turns freely in case. Apply lubricant to screw threads if necessary.

(3) Tighten band adjusting screw to 8 N·m (72 in. lbs.) torque with Inch Pound Torque Wrench C-3380-A, a 3-in. extension and 5/16 socket.

**CAUTION: If Adapter C-3705 is needed to reach the adjusting screw (Fig. 180), tighten the screw to only 5 N·m (47-50 in. lbs.) torque.**

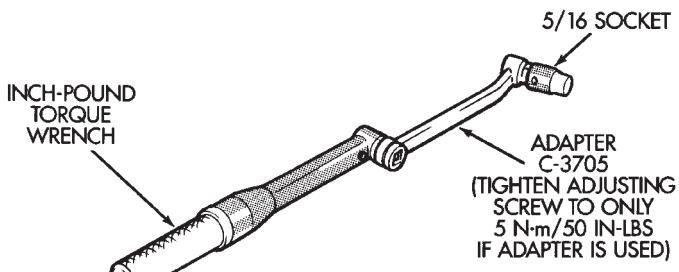
**Fig. 179 Front Band Adjustment Screw Location**

## ADJUSTMENTS (Continued)

(4) Back off front band adjusting screw 2-1/2 turns for the 30RH and 2-1/4 turns for the 32RH.

(5) Hold adjuster screw in position and tighten locknut to 41 N·m (30 ft. lbs.) torque.

(6) Lower vehicle.



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**Fig. 180 Band Adjustment Adapter Tool**

## REAR BAND ADJUSTMENT

The transmission oil pan must be removed for access to the rear band adjusting screw.

(1) Raise vehicle.

(2) Remove transmission oil pan and drain fluid.

(3) Loosen band adjusting screw locknut 5-6 turns. Be sure adjusting screw turns freely in lever.

(4) Tighten adjusting screw to 5 N·m (41 in. lbs.) for the 30RH and 8 N·m (72 in. lbs.) torque for the 32RH (Fig. 181).

(5) Back off adjusting screw 7 turns for the 30RH and 4 turns for the 32RH.

(6) Hold adjusting screw in place and tighten locknut to 34 N·m (25 ft. lbs.) torque.

(7) Position new gasket on oil pan and install pan on transmission. Tighten pan bolts to 17 N·m (13 ft. lbs.) torque.

(8) Lower vehicle and refill transmission with Mopar® ATF Plus 3, Type 7176, fluid.

## VALVE BODY

## CONTROL PRESSURE ADJUSTMENTS

There are two control pressure adjustments on the valve body;

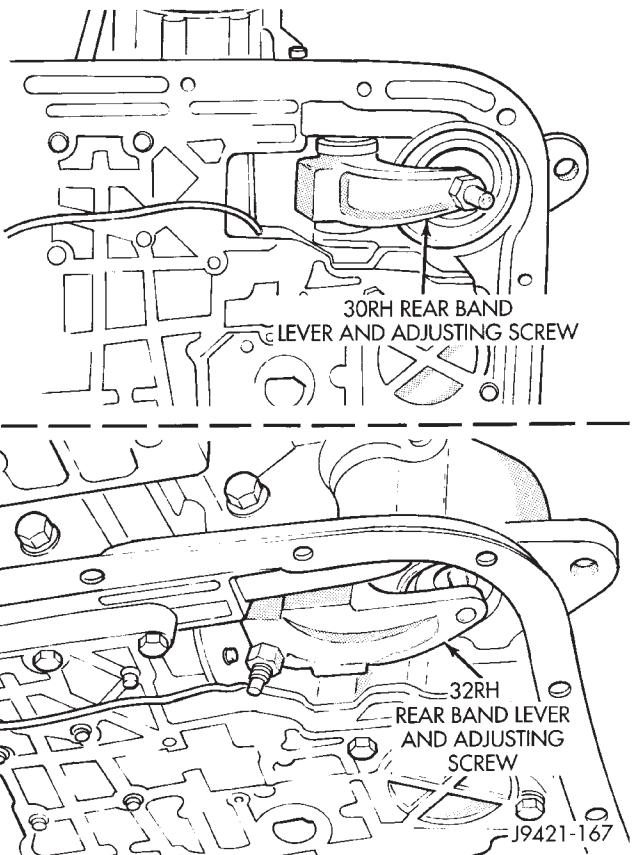
- Line Pressure
- Throttle Pressure

Line and throttle pressures are interdependent because each affects shift quality and timing. As a result, both adjustments must be performed properly and in the correct sequence. Adjust line pressure first and throttle pressure last.

## LINE PRESSURE ADJUSTMENT

Measure distance from the valve body to the inner edge of the adjusting screw with an accurate steel scale (Fig. 182).

Distance should be 33.4 mm (1-5/16 in.).



**Fig. 181 Rear Band Adjustment Screw Location**

If adjustment is required, turn the adjusting screw in, or out, to obtain required distance setting.

**NOTE:** The 33.4 mm (1-5/16 in.) setting is an approximate setting. Manufacturing tolerances may make it necessary to vary from this dimension to obtain desired pressure.

One complete turn of the adjusting screw changes line pressure approximately 1-2/3 psi (9 kPa).

Turning the adjusting screw counterclockwise increases pressure while turning the screw clockwise decreases pressure.

## THROTTLE PRESSURE ADJUSTMENT

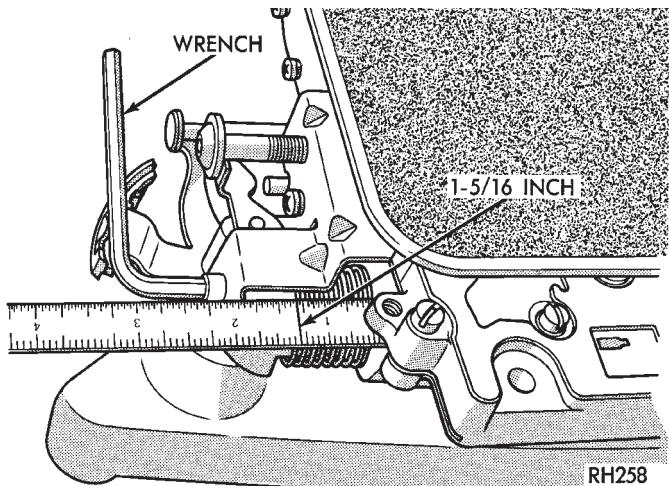
Insert Gauge Tool C-3763 between the throttle lever cam and the kickdown valve stem (Fig. 183).

Push the gauge tool inward to compress the kickdown valve against the spring and bottom the throttle valve.

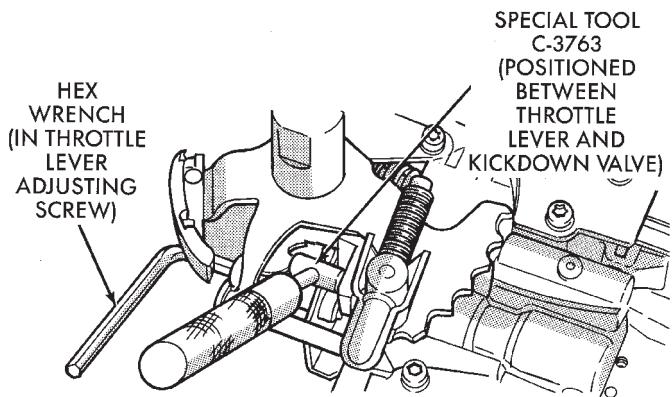
Maintain pressure against kickdown valve spring. Turn throttle lever stop screw until the screw head touches throttle lever tang and the throttle lever cam touches gauge tool.

**NOTE:** The kickdown valve spring must be fully compressed and the kickdown valve completely bottomed to obtain correct adjustment.

## ADJUSTMENTS (Continued)



**Fig. 182 Line Pressure Adjustment**

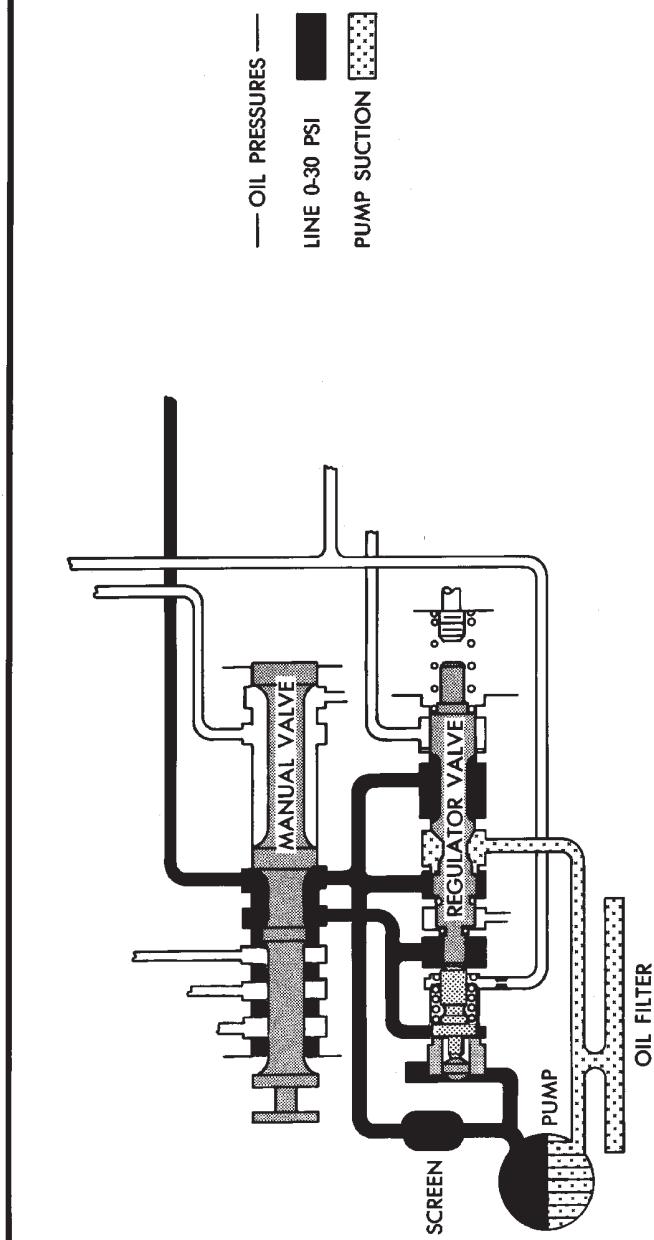
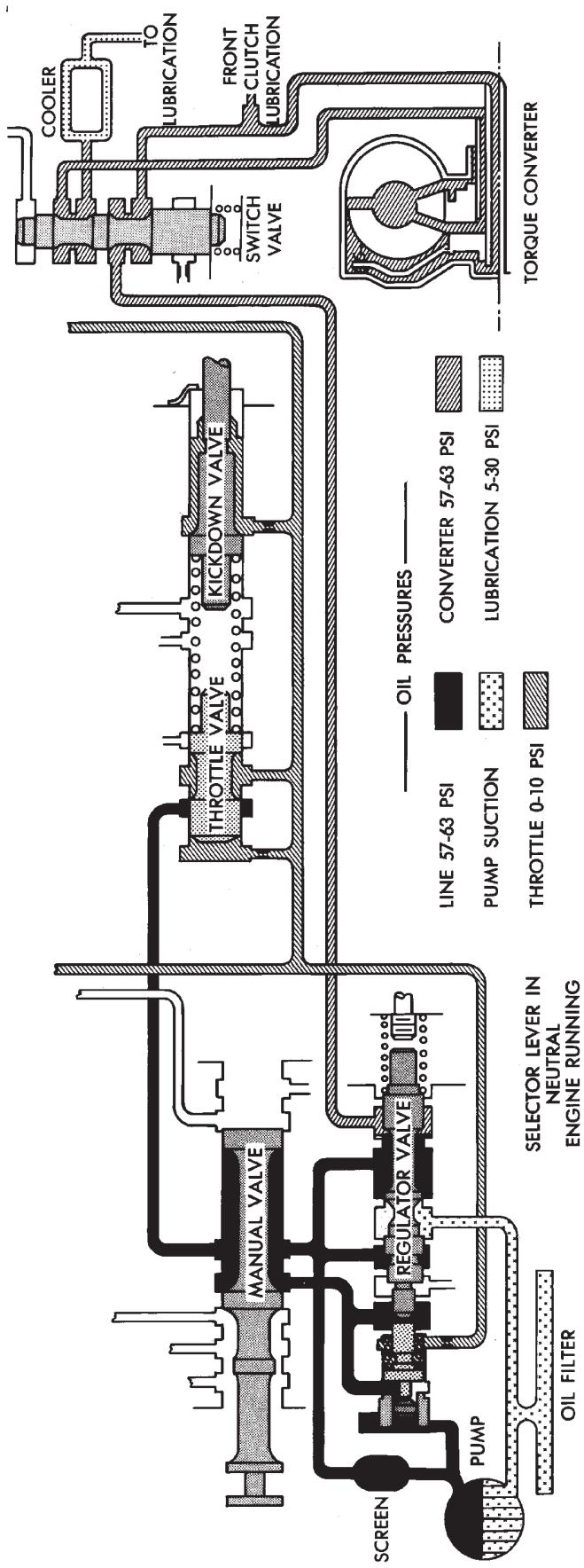


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**Fig. 183 Throttle Pressure Adjustment**

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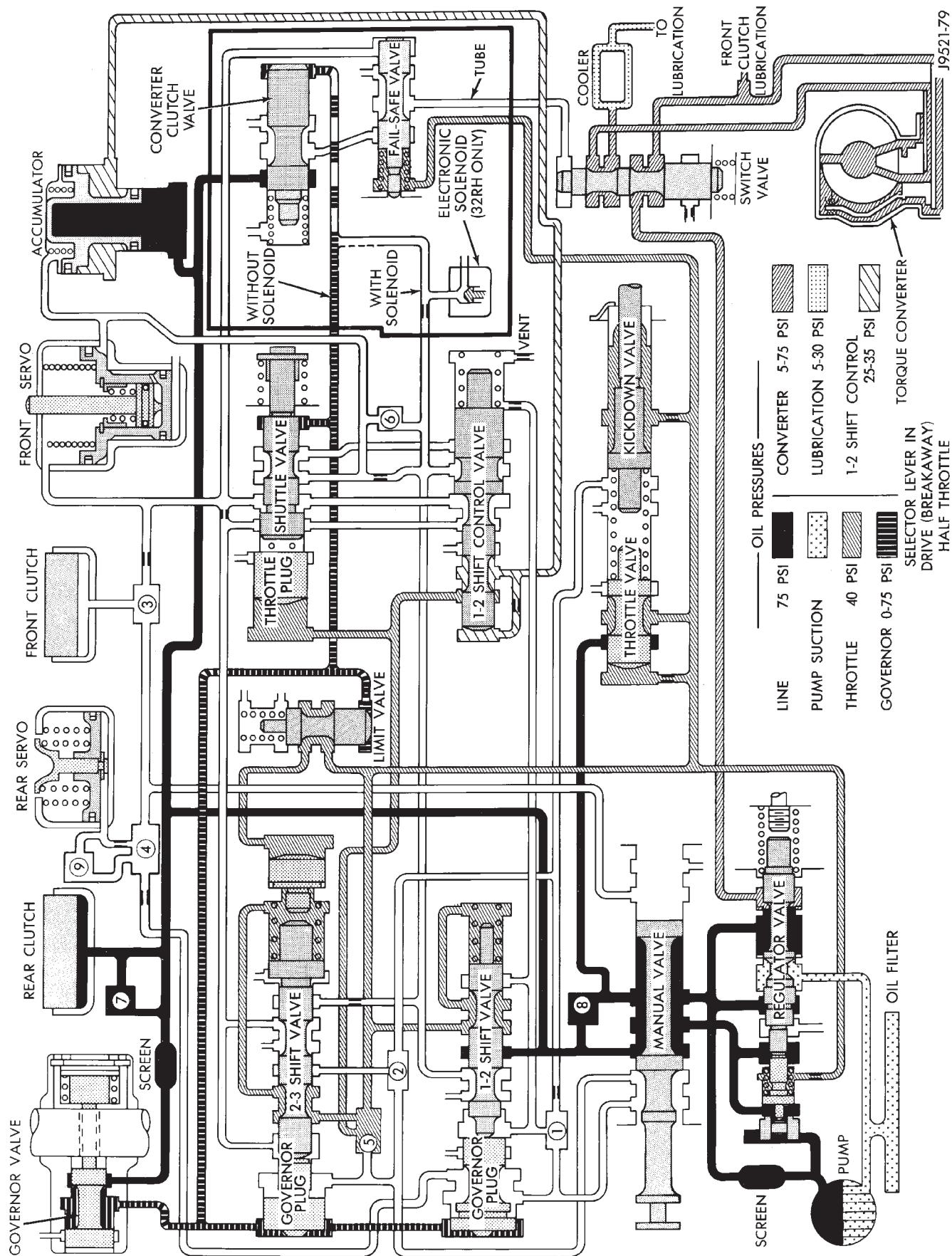
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HYDRAULIC FLOW IN PARK/NEUTRAL

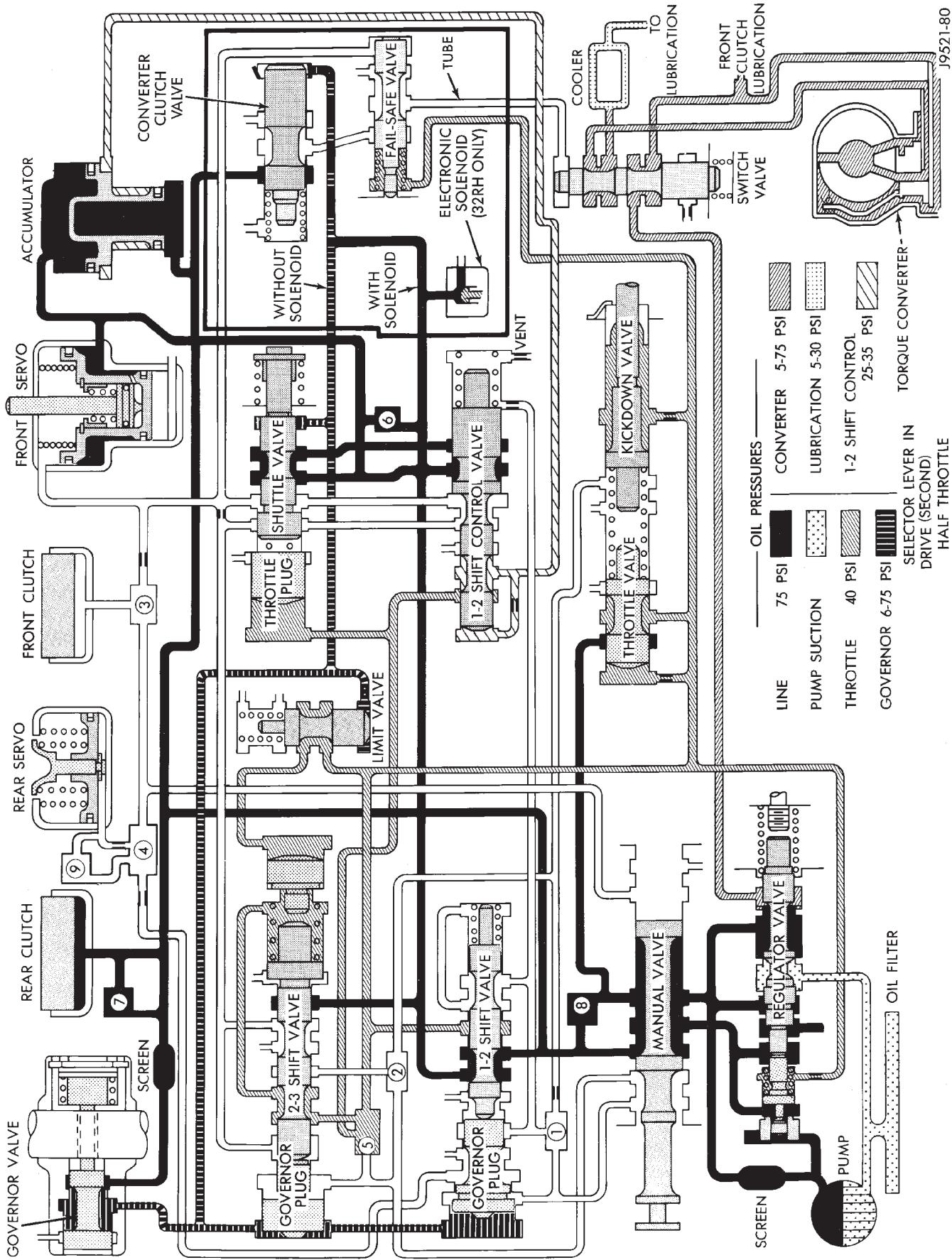
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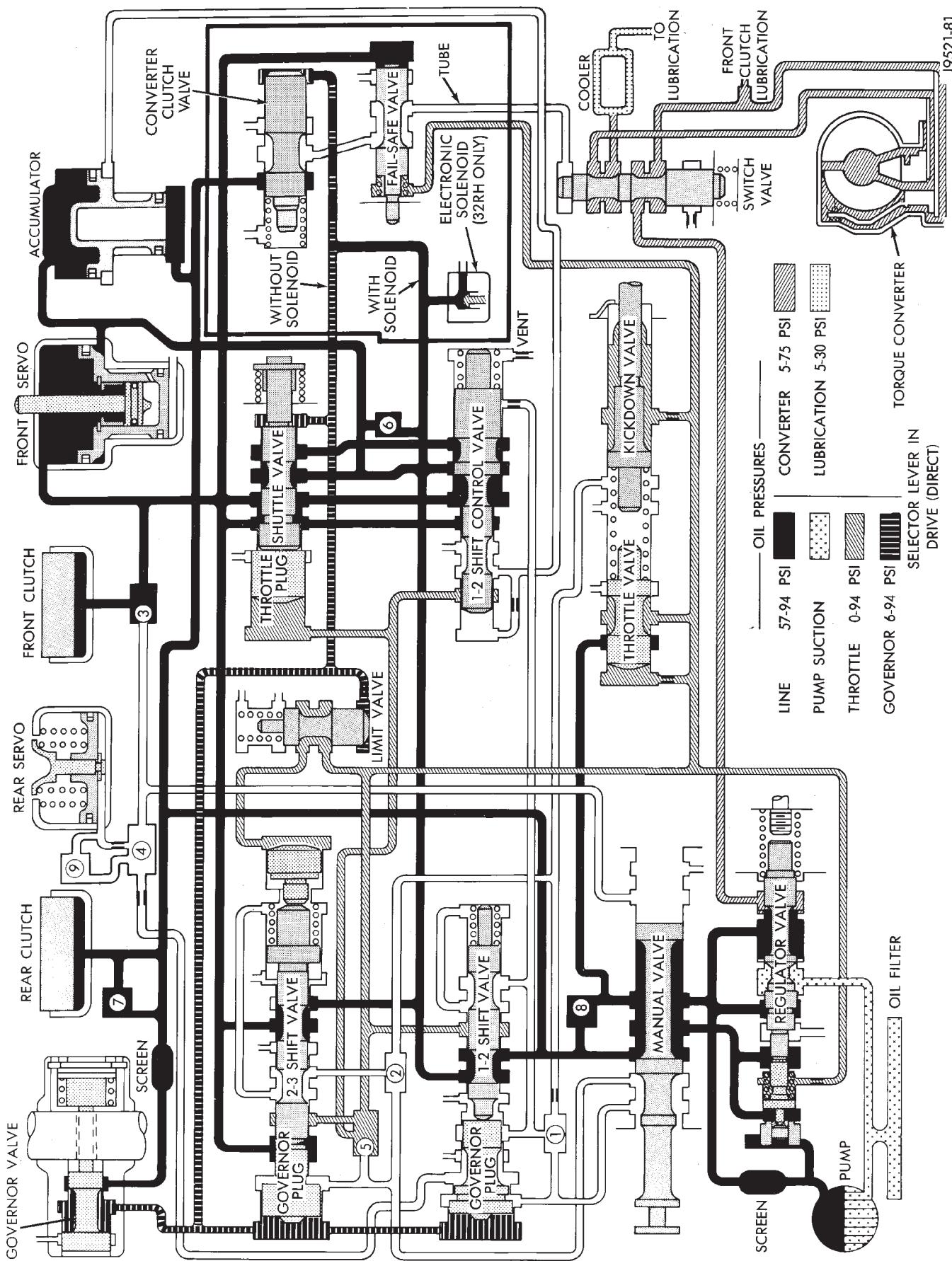
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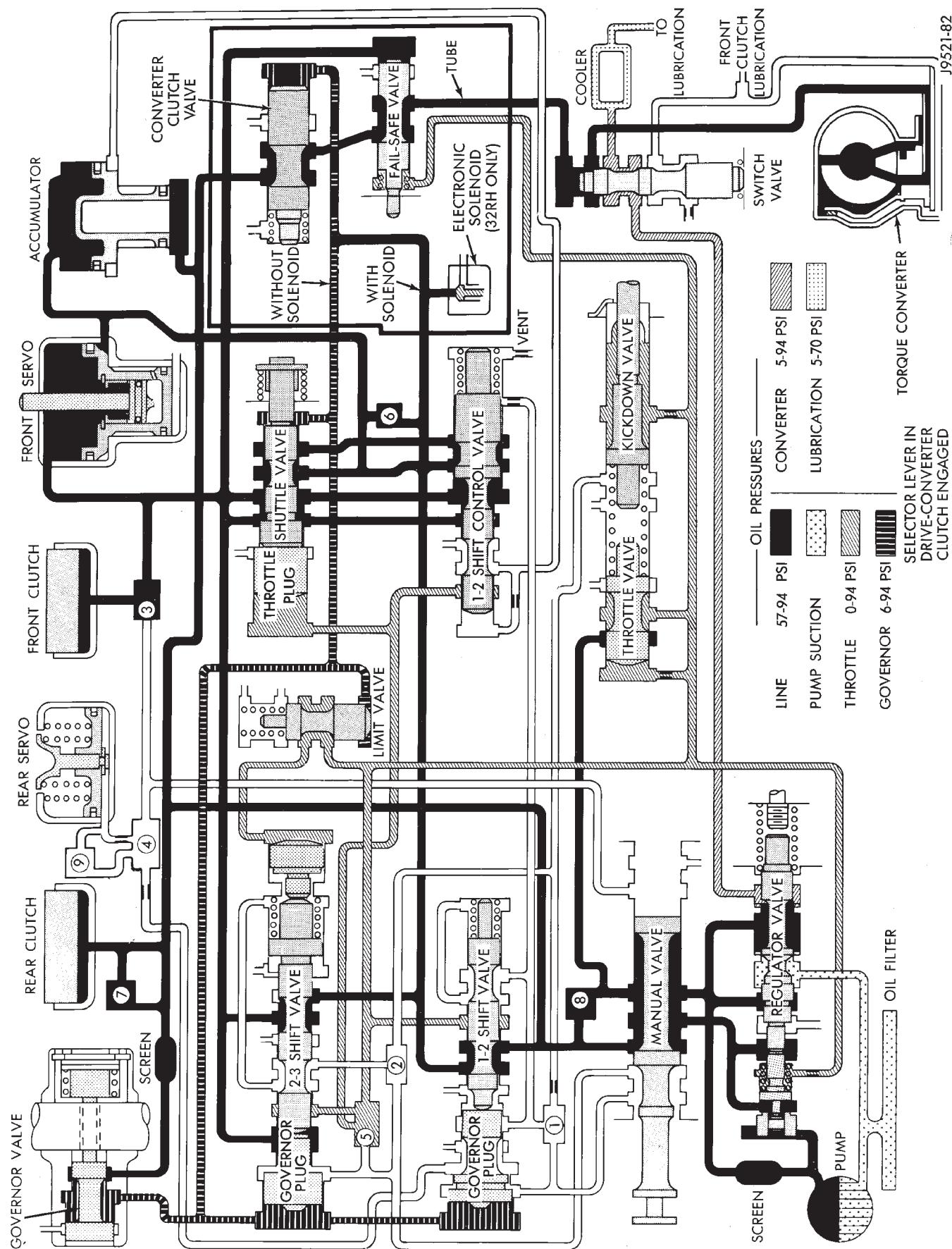
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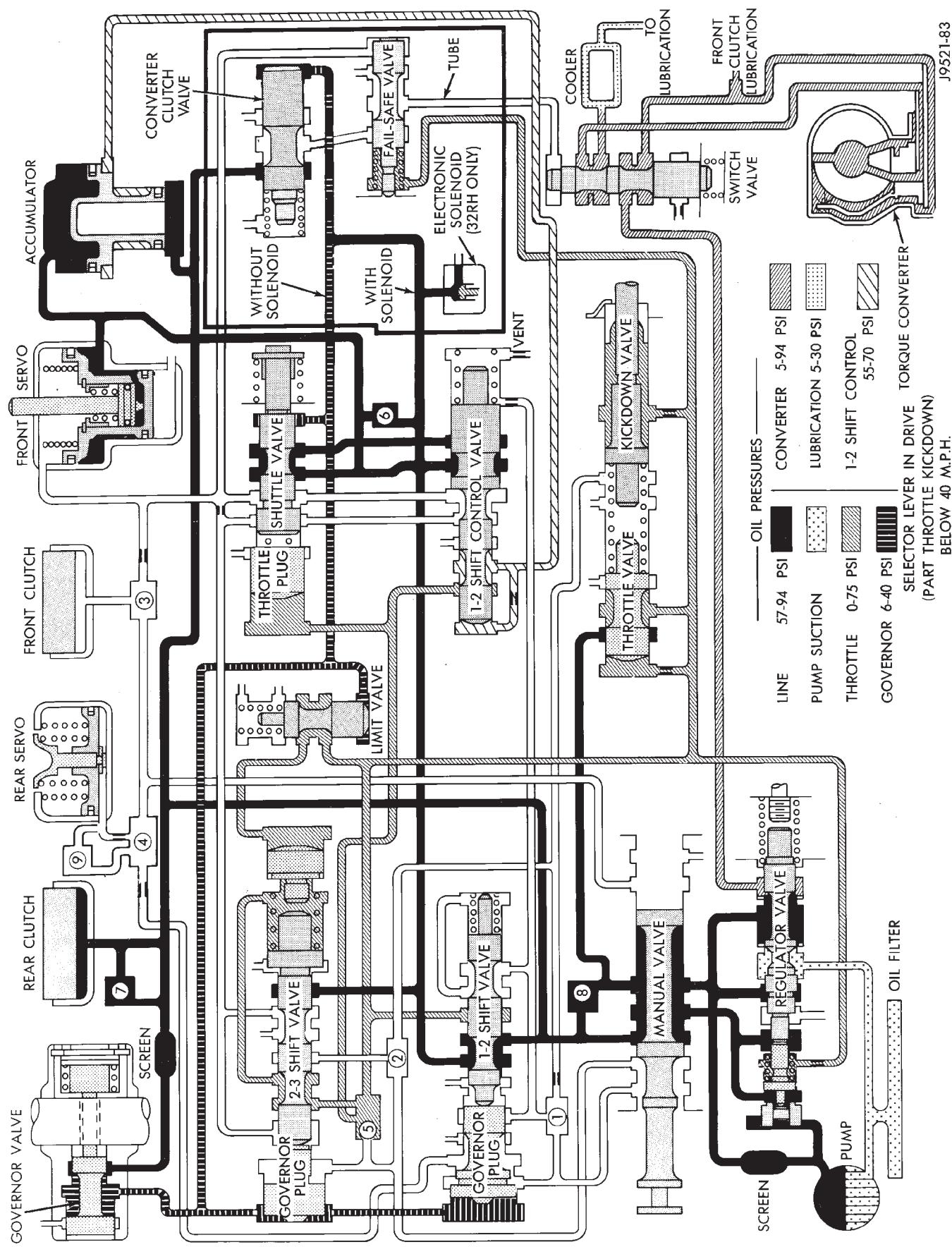


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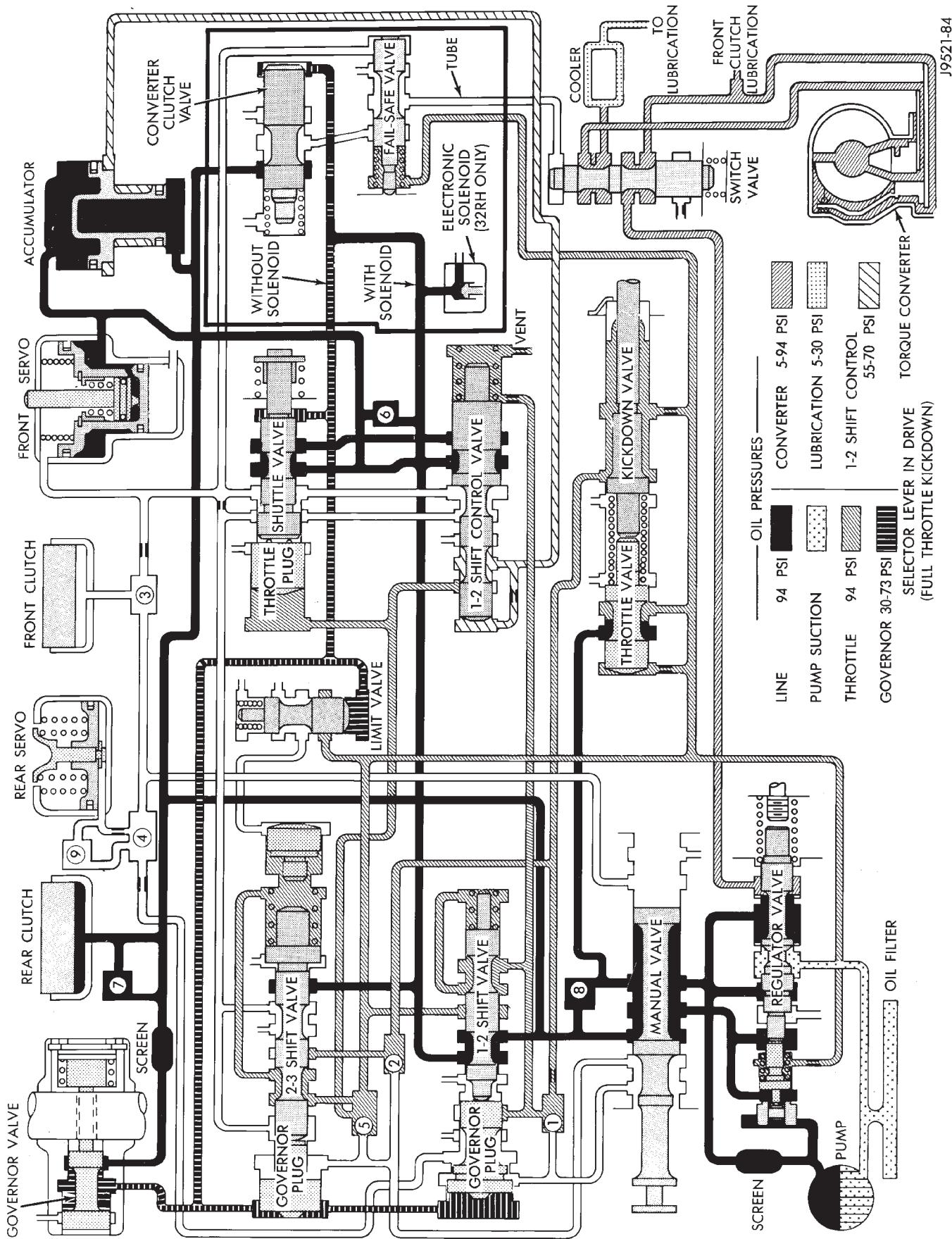
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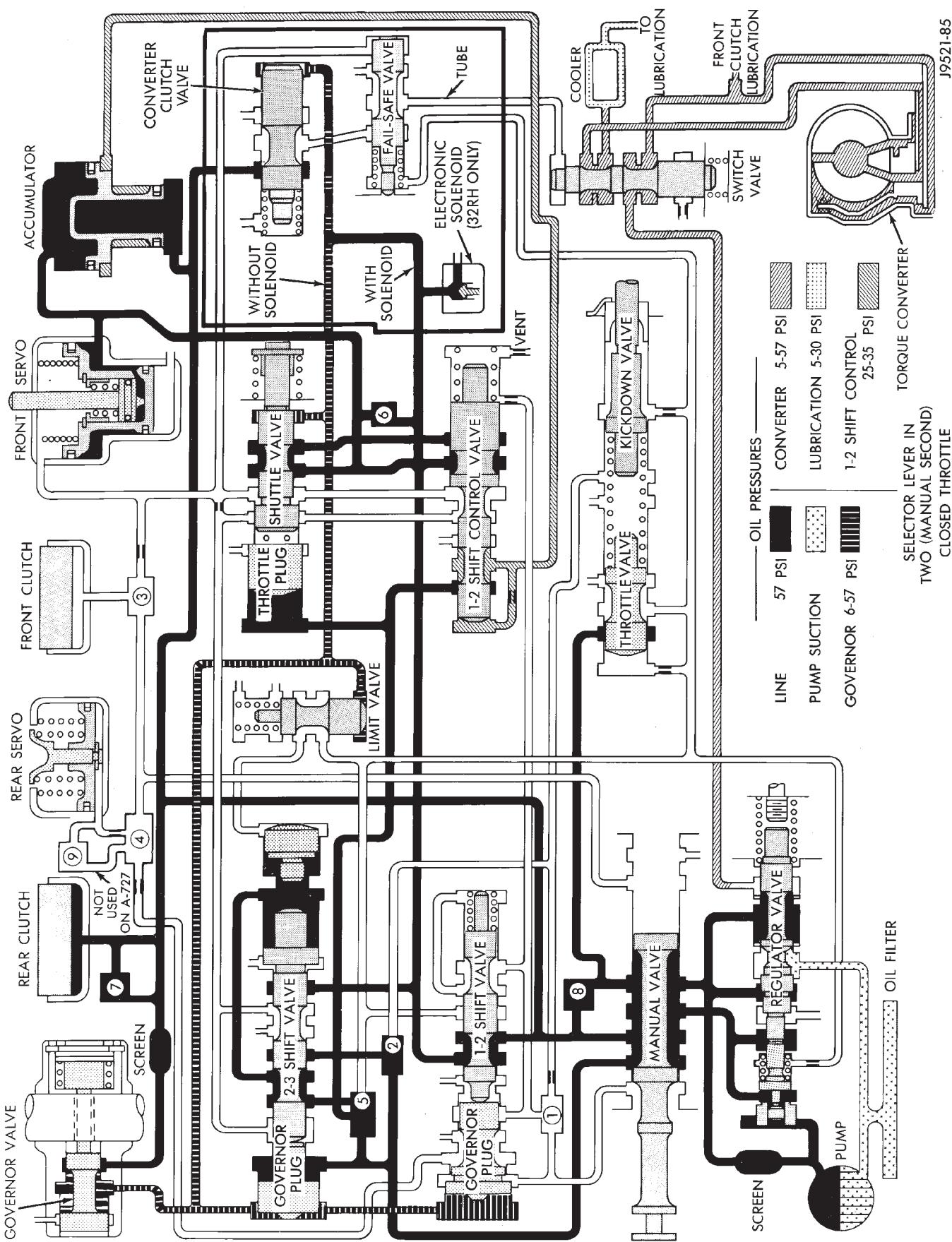


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HYDRAULIC FLOW AT FULL THROTTLE 3-2 KICKDOWN

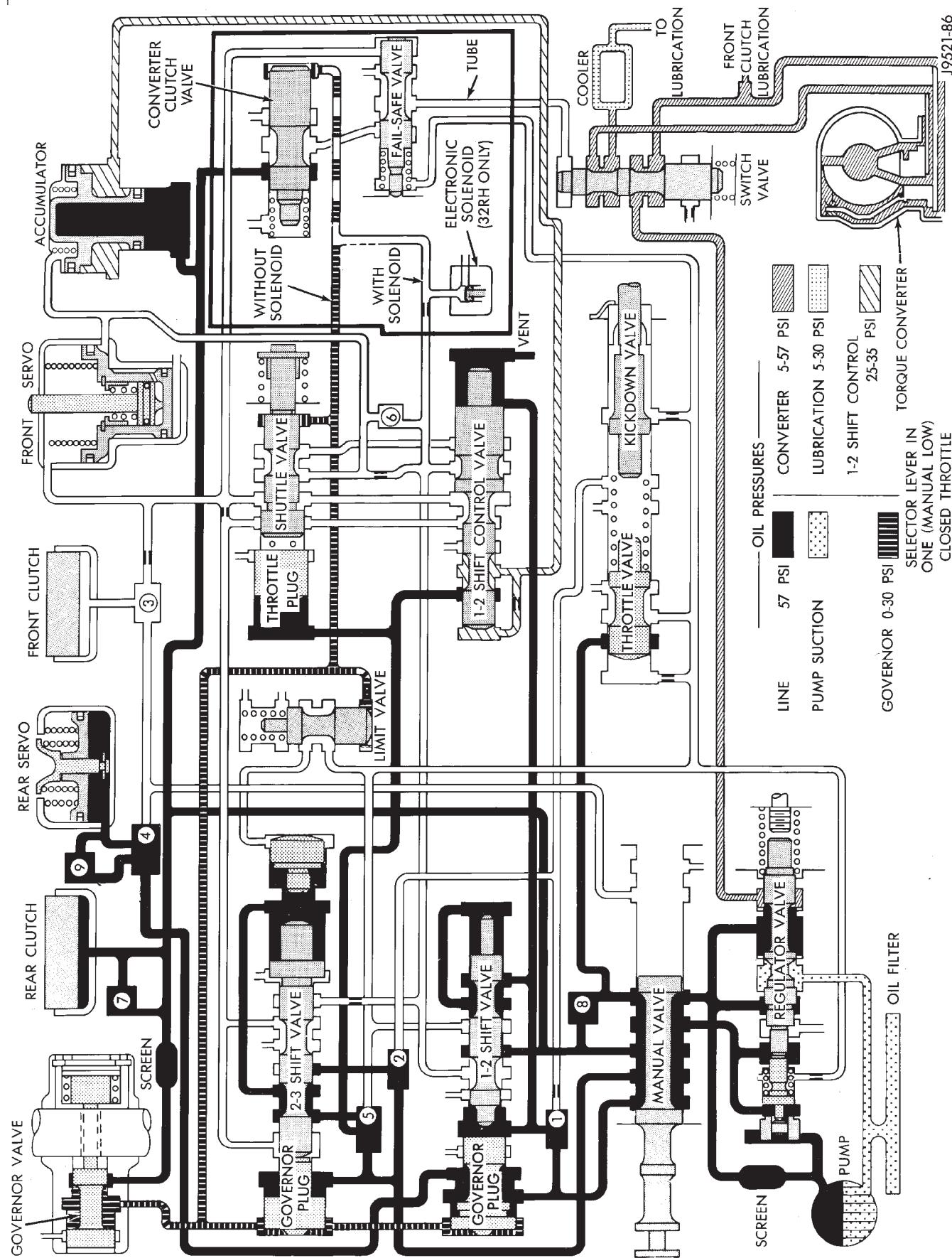
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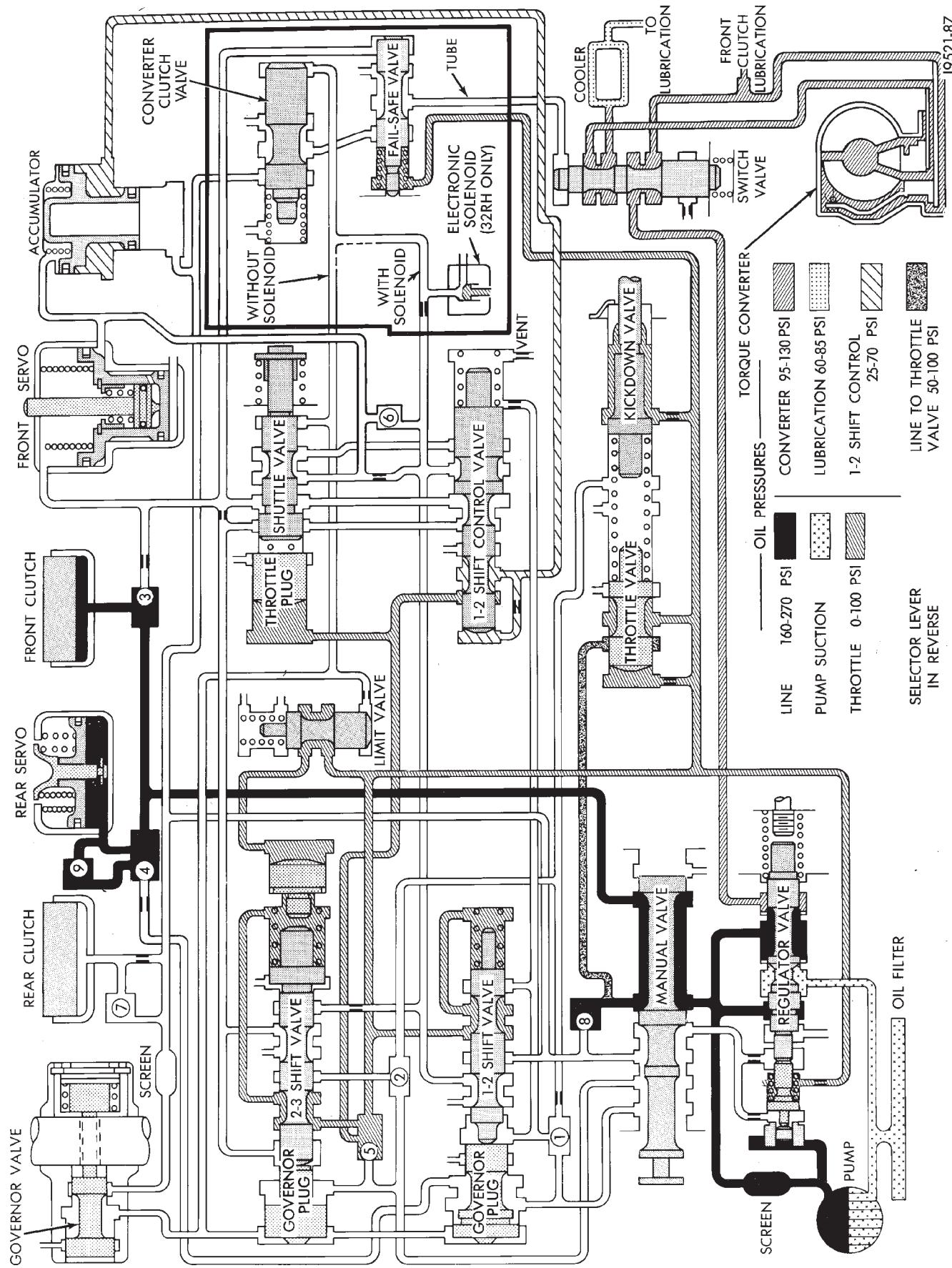
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**HYDRAULIC FLOW IN MANUAL SECOND**

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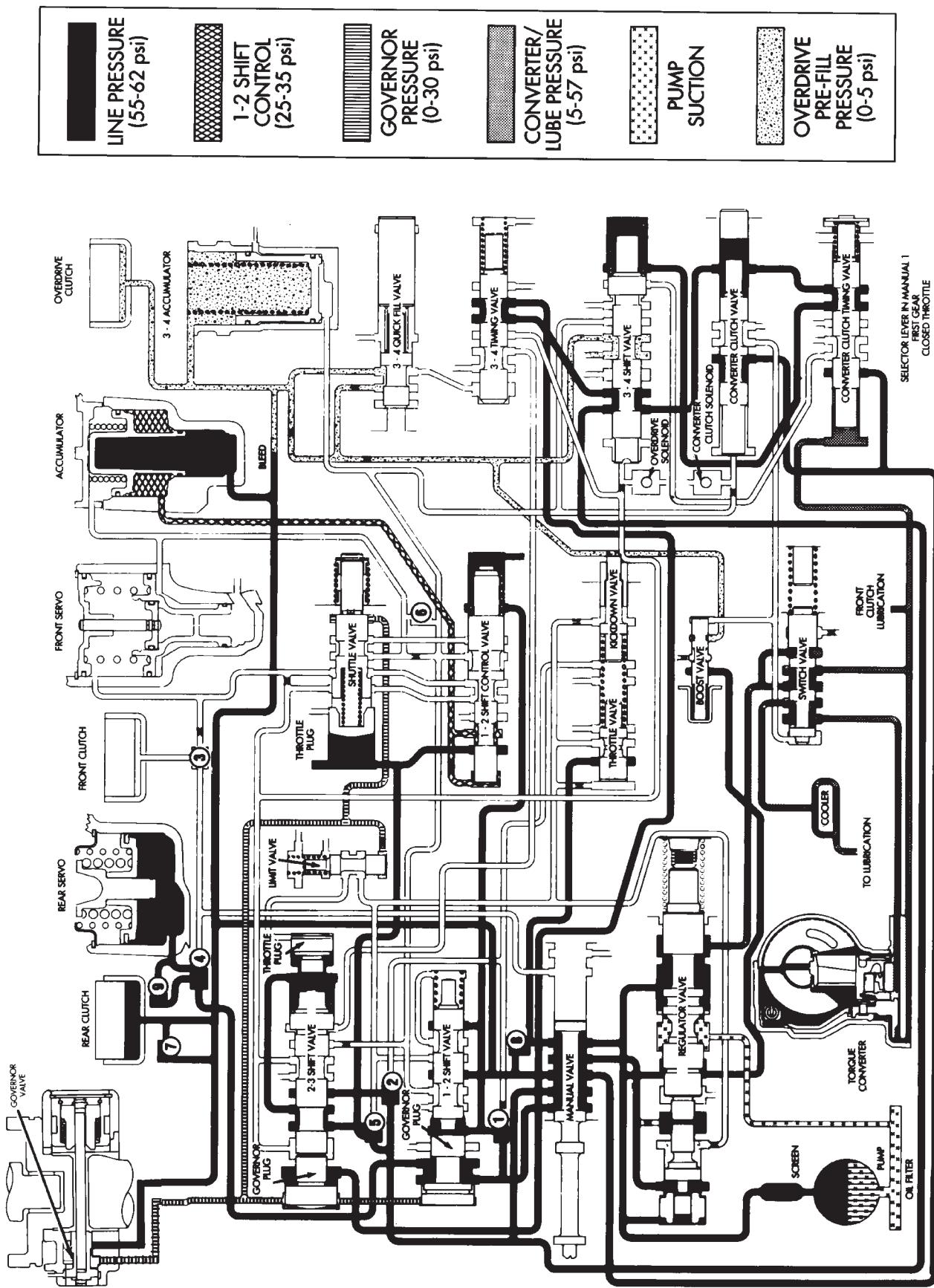


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HYDRAULIC FLOW IN REVERSE

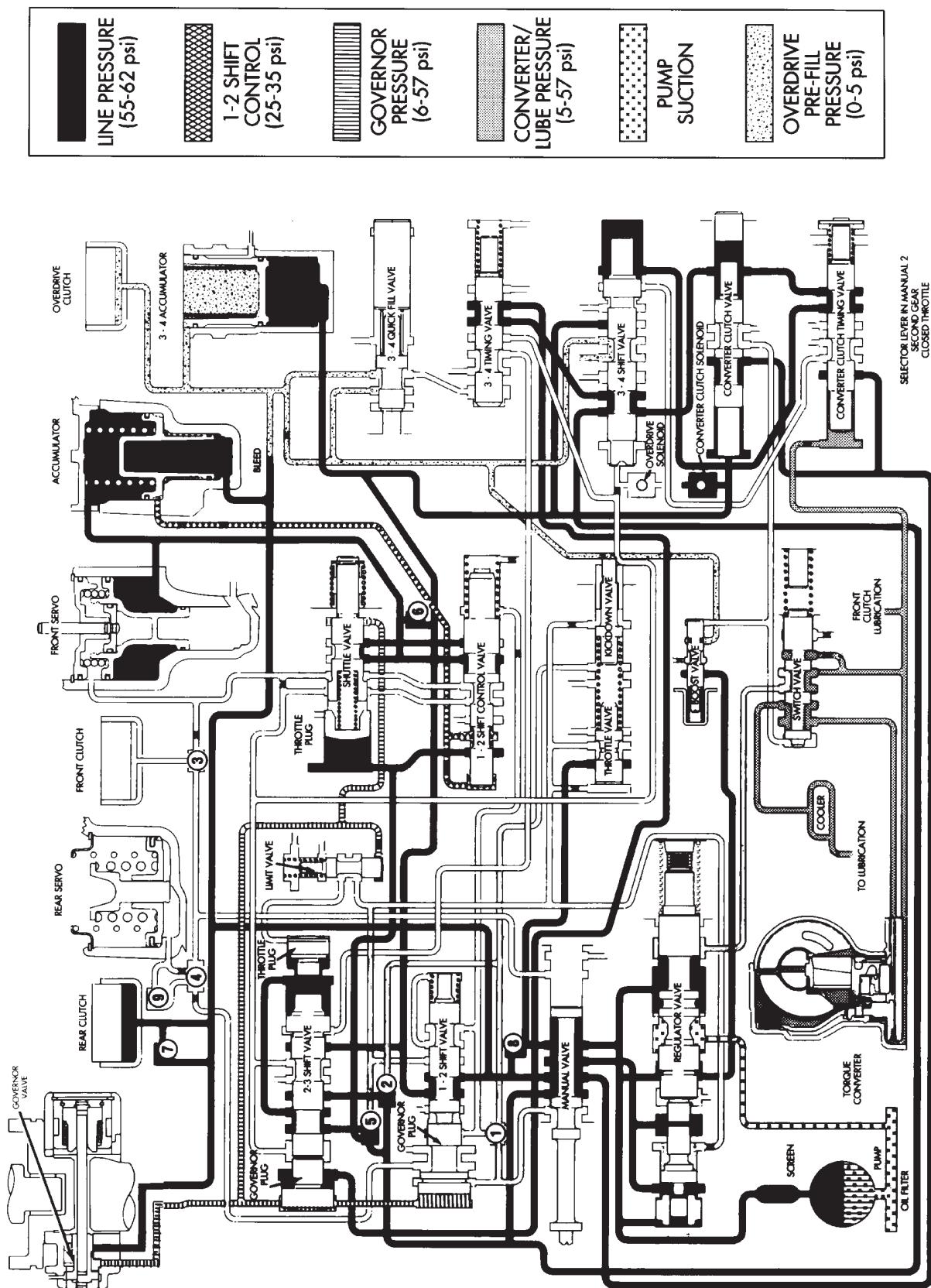
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HYDRAULIC FLOW IN MANUAL FIRST GEAR (1)

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## SCHEMATICS AND DIAGRAMS (Continued)



## **HYDRAULIC FLOW IN MANUAL SECOND GEAR (2)**

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## SPECIFICATIONS

## 30/32RH AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

## GENERAL

COMPONENT	METRIC	INCH
Oil pump gear tip clearance	0.089-0.190 mm	0.0035-0.0075 in.
Planetary end play	0.125-1.19 mm	0.001-0.047 in.
Input shaft end play	0.56-2.31 mm	0.022-0.091 in.
Clutch pack clearance/Front 4-disc.	1.70-3.40 mm	0.067-0.134 in.
Clutch pack clearance/Rear 4-disc.	0.559-0.940 mm	0.022-0.037 in.
Front clutch spring usage	1 spring	
32RH-Front Band adjustment from 72 in. lbs.	Back off 2.25 turns	
32RH-Rear Band adjustment from 72 in. lbs.	Back off 4 turns	
30RH-Front Band adjustment from 72 in. lbs.	Back off 2.5 turns	
30RH-Rear Band adjustment from 41 in. lbs.	Back off 7 turns	
Recommended fluid	Mopar®, ATF Plus 3, Type 7176	

## THRUST WASHER/SPACER/SNAP RING DIMENSIONS

COMPONENT	METRIC	INCH
Front clutch thrust washer (reaction shaft support hub)	1.55 mm	0.061 in.
Rear clutch thrust washer (clutch retainer)	1.55 mm	0.061 in.
Output shaft thrust plate (output shaft pilot hub)	1.5-1.6mm	0.060-0.063 in.
Output shaft thrust washer (rear clutch hub)	1.3-1.4 mm 1.7-1.8 mm 2.1-2.2 mm	0.052-0.054 in. 0.068-0.070 in. 0.083-0.086 in.
Rear clutch pack snap ring	1.5-1.6 mm 1.7-1.8 mm 1.9-2.0 mm	0.06-0.062 in. 0.068-0.070 in. 0.076-0.078 in.
Planetary geartrain snap ring (at front of output shaft)	1.0-1.1 mm 1.6-1.7 mm 2.1-2.2 mm	0.040-0.044 in. 0.062-0.066 in. 0.082-0.086 in.

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## PRESSURE TEST—ALL

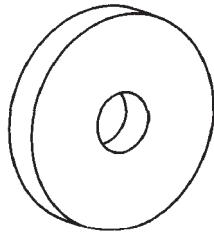
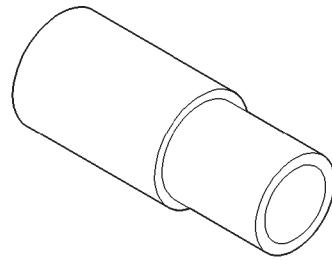
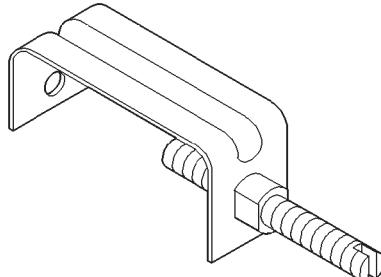
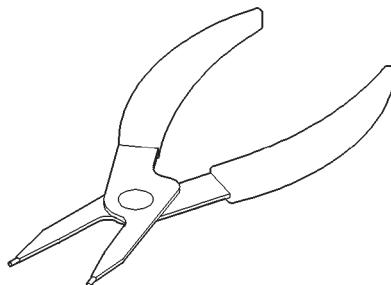
ITEM	RANGE	PRESSURE
Line pressure (at accumulator)	Closed throttle	372-414 kPa (54-60 psi).
Front servo	Third gear only	No more than 21 kPa (3 psi) lower than line pressure.
Rear servo	1 range	No more than 21 kPa (3 psi) lower than line pressure.
	R range	1103 kPa (160 psi) at idle, builds to 1862 kPa (270 psi) at 1600 rpm.
Governor	D range closed throttle	Pressure should respond smoothly to changes in mph and return to 0-7 kPa (0-1.5 psi) when stopped with transmission in D, 1, 2. Pressure above 7 kPa (1.5 psi) at stand still will prevent transmission from downshifting.

## TORQUE

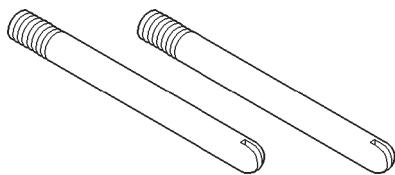
DESCRIPTION	TORQUE
Bolt, torque convertor	.31 N·m (23 ft. lbs.)
Bolt/nut, crossmember	.68 N·m (50 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, driveplate to crankshaft	.75 N·m (55 ft. lbs.)
Plug, front band reaction	.17 N·m (13 ft. lbs.)
Locknut, front band adj.	.34 N·m (25 ft. lbs.)
Switch, park/neutral	.34 N·m (25 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, fluid pan	.17 N·m (13 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, oil pump	.20 N·m (15 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, overrunning clutch cam	.17 N·m (13 ft. lbs.)
Plug, pressure test port	.14 N·m (10 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, reaction shaft support	.20 N·m (15 ft. lbs.)
Locknut, rear band	.41 N·m (30 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, speedometer adapter	.11 N·m (8 ft. lbs.)
Screw, fluid filter	.4 N·m (35 in. lbs.)
Bolt, valve body to case	.12 N·m (100 in. lbs.)

## SPECIAL TOOLS

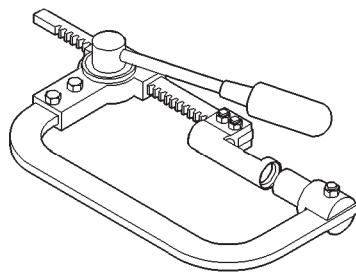
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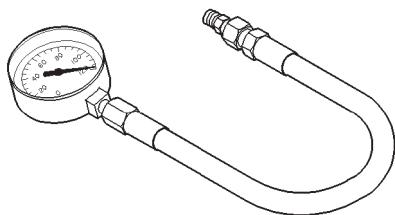
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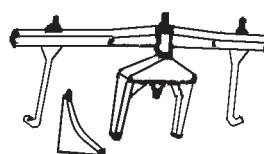
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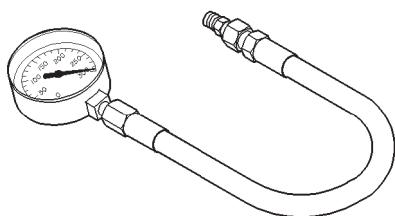
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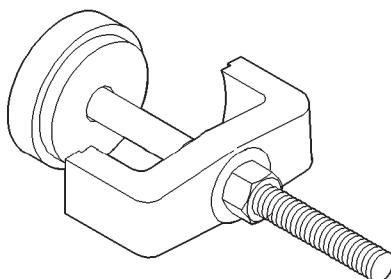
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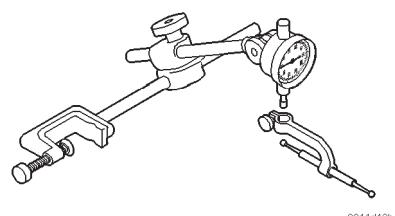
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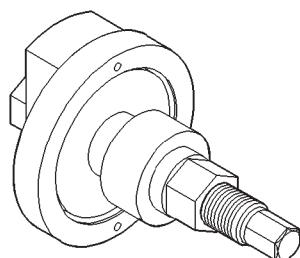


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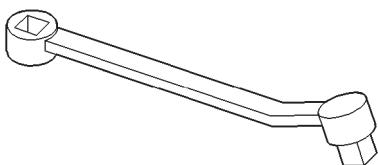
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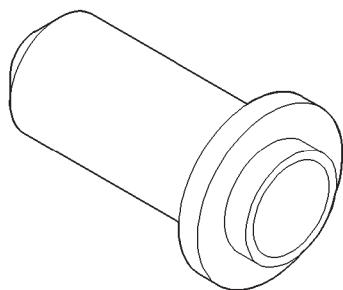


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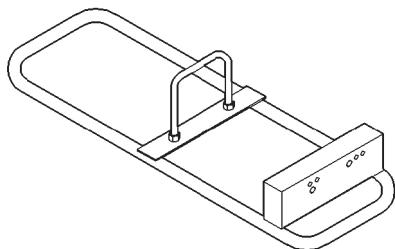
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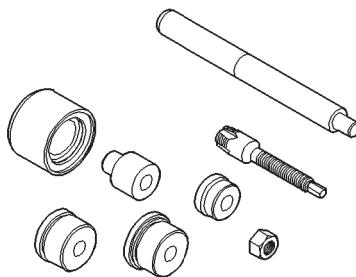
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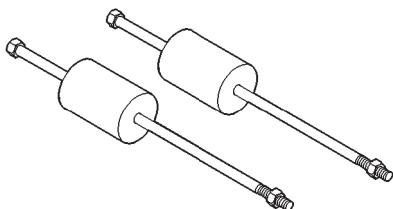
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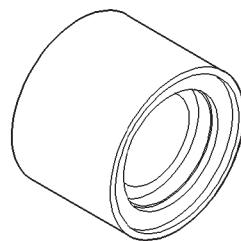
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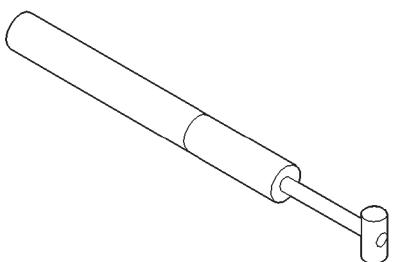
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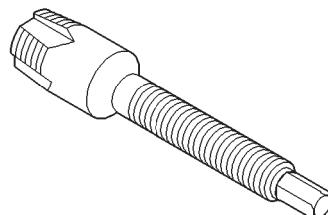
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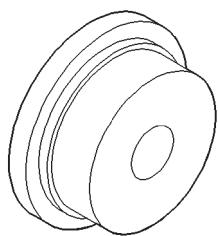


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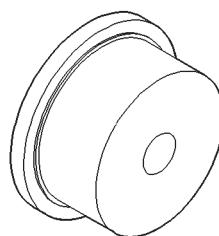


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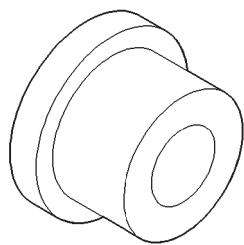
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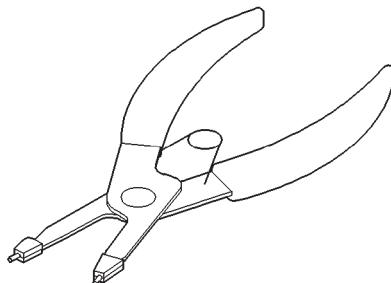
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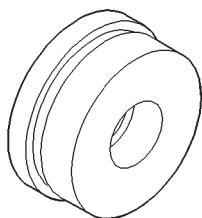
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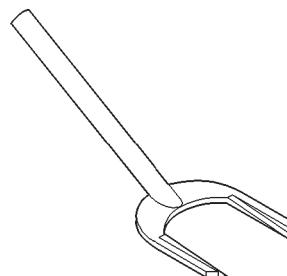
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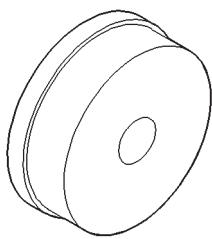
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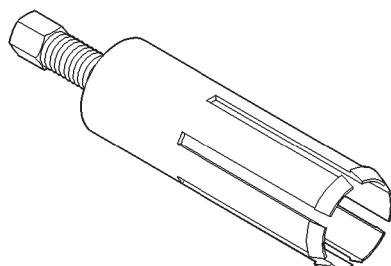
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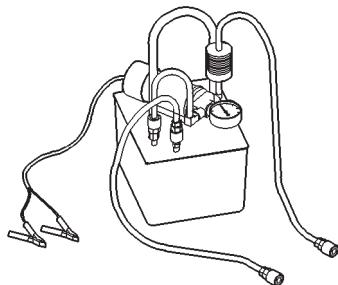


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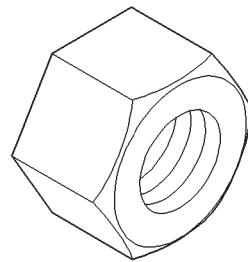


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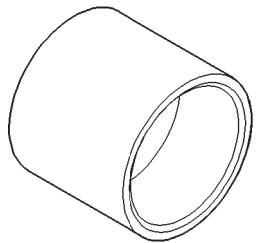
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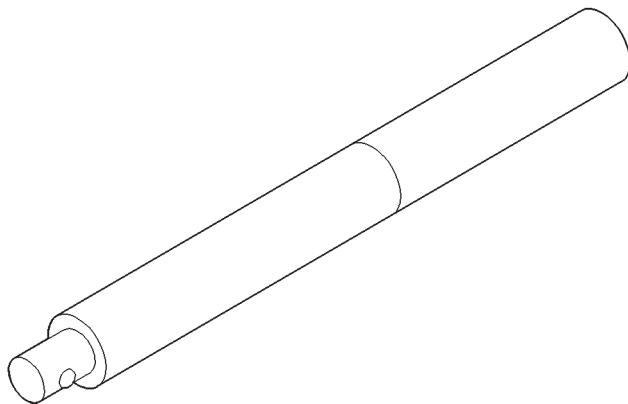
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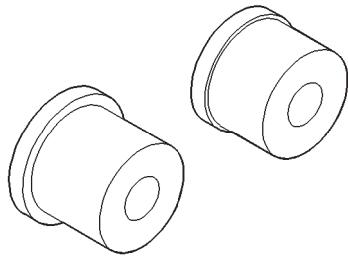
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## NV231 TRANSFER CASE

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### NV231 TRANSFER CASE

The NV231 is a part-time transfer case with a low range reduction gear system. The NV231 has three operating ranges plus a Neutral position. A low range system provides a reduction ratio for increased low speed torque capability.

The input gear is splined to the transmission output shaft. The input gear drives the mainshaft through the planetary assembly and range hub. The front output shaft is operated by a drive chain that connects the shaft to a drive sprocket on the mainshaft. The drive sprocket is engaged/disengaged by the mode fork, which operates the mode sleeve and hub. The sleeve and hub are not equipped with a synchronizer mechanism for shifting.

The geartrain is mounted in two aluminum case halves attached with bolts. The mainshaft front and rear bearings are mounted in aluminum retainer housings bolted to the case halves.

#### OPERATING RANGES

Transfer case operating ranges are:

- 2WD (2-wheel drive)
- 4x4 (4-wheel drive)
- 4 Lo (4-wheel drive low range)

The 2WD range is for use on any road surface at any time.

The 4x4 and 4 Lo ranges are for off road use only. They are not for use on hard surface roads. The only exception being when the road surface is wet or slippery or covered by ice and snow.

The low range reduction gear system is operative in 4 Lo range only. This range is for extra pulling power in off road situations. Low range reduction ratio is 2.72:1.

#### SHIFT MECHANISM

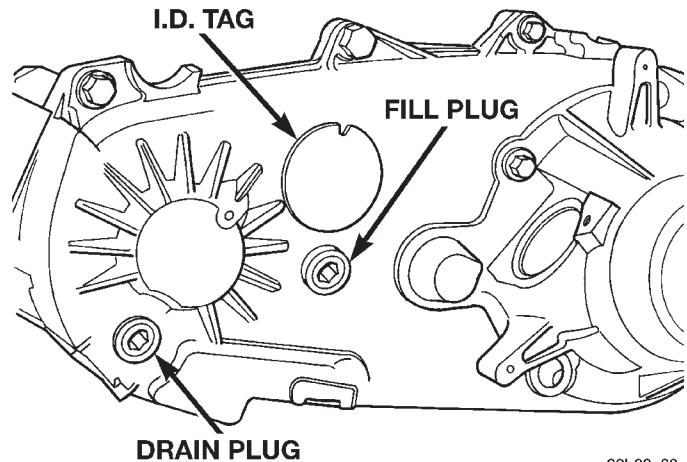
Operating ranges are selected with a floor mounted shift lever. The shift lever is connected to the trans-

fer case range lever by an adjustable linkage rod. A straight line shift pattern is used. Range positions are marked on the shifter bezel cover plate.

#### TRANSFER CASE IDENTIFICATION

A circular ID tag is attached to the rear case of each transfer case (Fig. 1). The ID tag provides the transfer case model number, assembly number, serial number, and low range ratio.

The transfer case serial number also represents the date of build.



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**Fig. 1 Fill/Drain Plug And I.D. Tag Locations**

#### RECOMMENDED LUBRICANT AND FILL LEVEL

Recommended lubricant for the NV231 transfer case is Mopar® Dexron II, or ATF Plus. Approximate lubricant fill capacity is 1.2 liters (2.5 pints).

The fill and drain plugs are both in the rear case (Fig. 1). Correct fill level is to the bottom edge of the fill plug hole. Be sure the vehicle is level to ensure an accurate fluid level check.

## DIAGNOSIS AND TESTING

## NV231 DIAGNOSIS

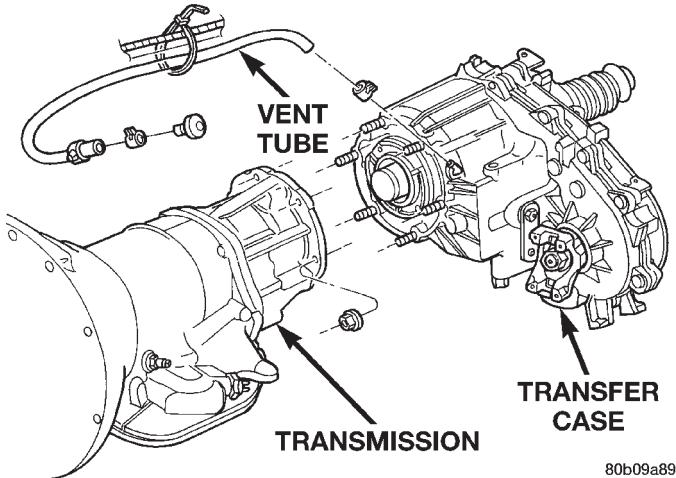
Condition	Possible Cause	Correction
TRANSFER CASE DIFFICULT TO SHIFT OR WILL NOT SHIFT INTO DESIRED RANGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Vehicle speed too great to permit shifting.</li> <li>(2) If vehicle was operated for extended period in 4H mode on dry paved surface, driveline torque load may cause difficulty.</li> <li>(3) Transfer case external shift linkage binding.</li> <li>(4) Insufficient or incorrect lubricant.</li> <li>(5) Internal components binding, worn or damaged.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Stop vehicle and shift into desired range. Or reduce speed to 3-4 km/h (2-3 mph) before attempting to shift.</li> <li>(2) Stop vehicle, shift transmission to Neutral, shift transfer case to 2H mode and operate vehicle in 2H on dry paved surfaces.</li> <li>(3) Lubricate, repair or replace linkage bushings or tighten loose components as necessary.</li> <li>(4) Drain and refill to edge of fill hole with DEXRON II® or MOPAR-MERCON® Automatic Transmission Fluid.</li> <li>(5) Disassemble unit and replace worn or damaged components as necessary.</li> </ul>
TRANSFER CASE NOISY IN ALL DRIVE MODES	(1) Insufficient or incorrect lubricant.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Drain and refill to edge of fill hole with DEXRON II® or MOPAR-MERCON® Automatic Transmission Fluid. Check for leaks and repair if necessary. <b>Note: If unit is still noisy after drain and refill, disassembly and inspection may be required to locate source of noise.</b></li> </ul>
NOISY IN – OR JUMPS OUT OF – FOUR WHEEL DRIVE LOW RANGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Transfer case not completely engaged in 4L position.</li> <li>(2) Shift linkage out of adjustment.</li> <li>(3) Shift linkage loose or binding.</li> <li>(4) Range fork damaged, inserts worn, or fork is binding on shift rail.</li> <li>(5) Low range gear worn or damaged.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Stop vehicle, shift transfer case to Neutral, then shift back into 4L position.</li> <li>(2) Adjust linkage.</li> <li>(3) Tighten, lubricate or repair linkage as necessary.</li> <li>(4) Disassemble unit and repair as necessary.</li> <li>(5) Disassemble and repair as necessary.</li> </ul>
LUBRICANT LEAKING FROM OUTPUT SHAFT SEALS OR FROM VENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Transfer case overfilled.</li> <li>(2) Vent closed or restricted.</li> <li>(3) Output shaft seals damaged or installed incorrectly.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Drain to correct level.</li> <li>(2) Clear or replace vent if necessary.</li> <li>(3) Replace seals. Be sure seal lip faces interior of case when installed. Also be sure yoke seal surfaces are not scored or nicked. Remove scores and nicks with fine sandpaper or replace yoke(s) if necessary.</li> </ul>
ABNORMAL TIRE WEAR	(1) Extended operation on dry hard surface (paved) roads in 4H range.	(1) Operate in 2H on hard surface (paved) roads.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

### TRANSFER CASE

#### REMOVAL

- (1) Shift transfer case into Neutral.
- (2) Raise vehicle.
- (3) Drain transfer case lubricant.
- (4) Mark front and rear propeller shaft yokes for alignment reference.
- (5) Support transmission with jack stand.
- (6) Remove rear crossmember, or skid plate.
- (7) Disconnect front/rear propeller shafts at transfer case.
- (8) Disconnect vehicle speed sensor wires.
- (9) Disconnect transfer case linkage rod from range lever.
- (10) Disconnect transfer case vent hose (Fig. 2) and indicator switch harness, if necessary.
- (11) Support transfer case with transmission jack.
- (12) Secure transfer case to jack with chains.
- (13) Remove nuts attaching transfer case to transmission.
- (14) Pull transfer case and jack rearward to disengage transfer case.
- (15) Remove transfer case from under vehicle.



**Fig. 2 Transfer Case Mounting**

#### INSTALLATION

- (1) Mount transfer case on a transmission jack.
- (2) Secure transfer case to jack with chains.
- (3) Position transfer case under vehicle.
- (4) Align transfer case and transmission shafts and install transfer case on transmission.
- (5) Install and tighten transfer case attaching nuts to 35 N·m (26 ft. lbs.) torque (Fig. 2).
- (6) Connect vehicle speed sensor wires, and vent hose.
- (7) Connect indicator switch harness to transfer case switch, if necessary. Secure wire harness to clips on transfer case.

(8) Align and connect propeller shafts. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedures and specifications.

(9) Fill transfer case with correct fluid. Check transmission fluid level. Correct as necessary.

(10) Install rear crossmember, or skid plate. Tighten crossmember bolts to 41 N·m (30 ft. lbs.) torque.

(11) Remove transmission jack and support stand.

(12) Connect shift rod to transfer case range lever.

(13) Adjust transfer case shift linkage.

(14) Lower vehicle and verify transfer case shift operation.

#### SHIFT LEVER

#### REMOVAL

- (1) Shift transfer case into 4L.
- (2) Raise vehicle.
- (3) Loosen adjusting trunnion locknut and slide shift rod out of trunnion (Fig. 3). If rod lacks enough travel to come out of trunnion, push trunnion out of torque shaft.
- (4) Lower vehicle.
- (5) Remove console. Refer to Group 23, Body, for proper procedures.
- (6) Remove screws attaching lever assembly to floorpan and remove assembly and shift rod (if left attached).

#### INSTALLATION

(1) If shift rod was not removed from lever assembly, work rod down through floorpan opening. Then position lever assembly on floorpan and install assembly attaching screws.

(2) Install console. Refer to Group 23, Body, for proper procedures.

(3) Raise vehicle.

(4) Connect trunnion to torque shaft arm. Or, slide shift rod into trunnion on range lever. Be sure shift rod slides freely in trunnion.

(5) Verify that range lever is in 4L position. Then tighten trunnion lock bolt.

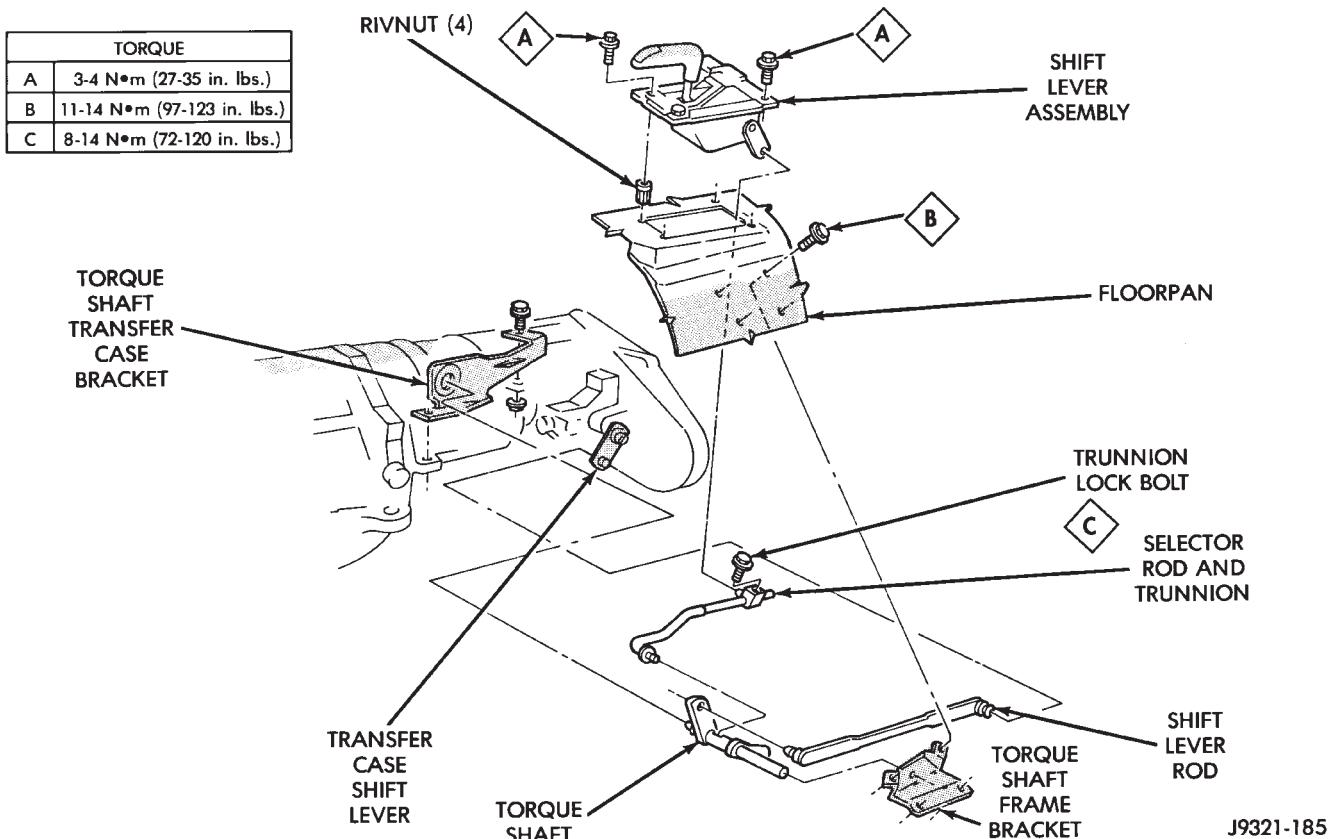
(6) Lower vehicle and check transfer case shift operation.

#### SPEEDOMETER

#### REMOVAL

- (1) Raise vehicle.
- (2) Disconnect wires from vehicle speed sensor.
- (3) Remove adapter clamp and screw (Fig. 4).
- (4) Remove speed sensor and speedometer adapter as an assembly.
- (5) Remove speed sensor retaining screw and remove sensor from adapter.

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

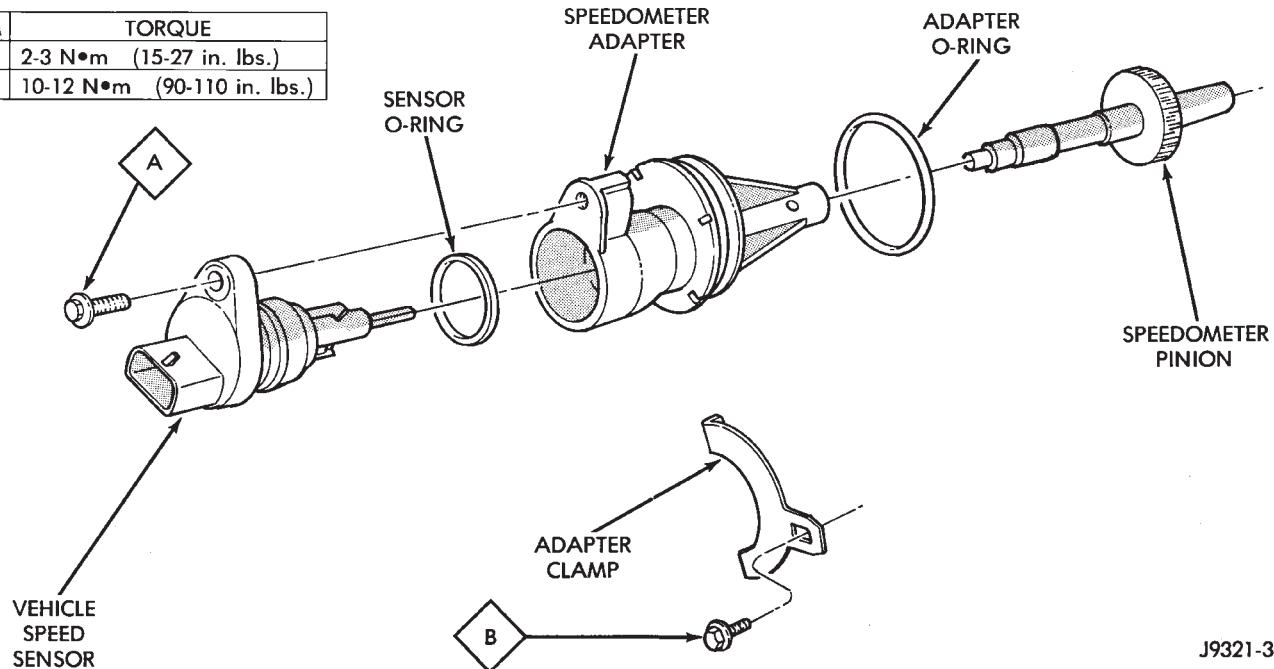
**Fig. 3 Shift Linkage**

(6) Remove speedometer pinion from adapter. Replace pinion if chipped, cracked, or worn.

(7) Inspect sensor and adapter O-rings (Fig. 4). Remove and discard O-rings if worn or damaged.

(8) Inspect terminal pins in speed sensor. Clean pins with Mopar® electrical spray cleaner if dirty or oxidized. Replace sensor if faulty, or if pins are loose, severely corroded, or damaged.

ITEM	TORQUE
A	2-3 N•m (15-27 in. lbs.)
B	10-12 N•m (90-110 in. lbs.)

**Fig. 4 Speedometer Components**

## REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION (Continued)

## INSTALLATION AND INDEXING

(1) Thoroughly clean adapter flange and adapter mounting surface in housing. Surfaces must be clean for proper adapter alignment and speedometer operation.

(2) Install new O-rings on speed sensor and speedometer adapter (Fig. 4), if necessary.

(3) Lubricate sensor and adapter O-rings with transmission fluid.

(4) Install vehicle speed sensor in speedometer adapter. Tighten sensor attaching screw to 2-3 N·m (15-27 in. lbs.) torque.

(5) Install speedometer pinion in adapter.

(6) Count number of teeth on speedometer pinion. Do this before installing assembly in housing. Then lubricate pinion teeth with transmission fluid.

(7) Note index numbers on adapter body (Fig. 5). These numbers will correspond to number of teeth on pinion.

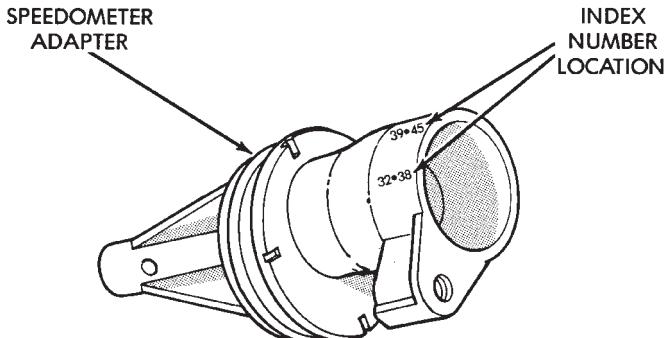
(8) Install speedometer assembly in housing.

(9) Rotate adapter until required range numbers are at 6 o-clock position. Be sure range index numbers correspond to number of teeth on pinion gear.

(10) Install speedometer adapter clamp and retaining screw. Tighten clamp screw to 10-12 N·m (90-110 in. lbs.) torque.

(11) Connect wires to vehicle speed sensor.

(12) Lower vehicle and top off transmission fluid level if necessary.



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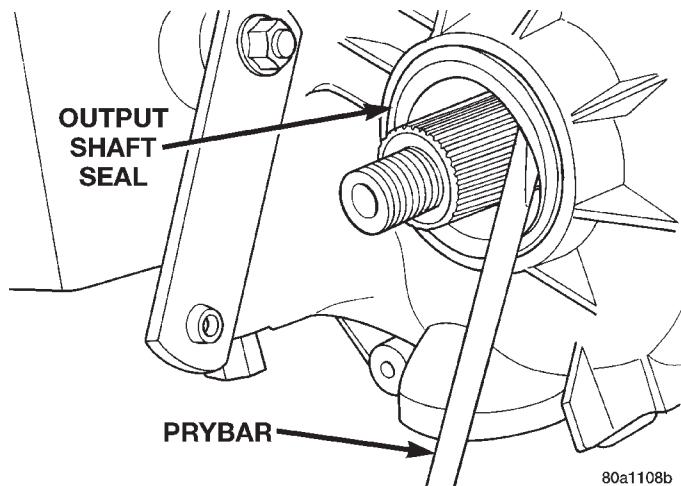
**Fig. 5 Location Of Index Numbers On Speedometer Adapter**

## FRONT OUTPUT SHAFT SEAL

## REMOVAL

- (1) Raise vehicle.
- (2) Remove front propeller shaft. Refer to Group 3, Differential and Driveline, for proper procedure.
- (3) Remove front output shaft yoke.

- (4) Remove seal from front case with pry tool (Fig. 6).



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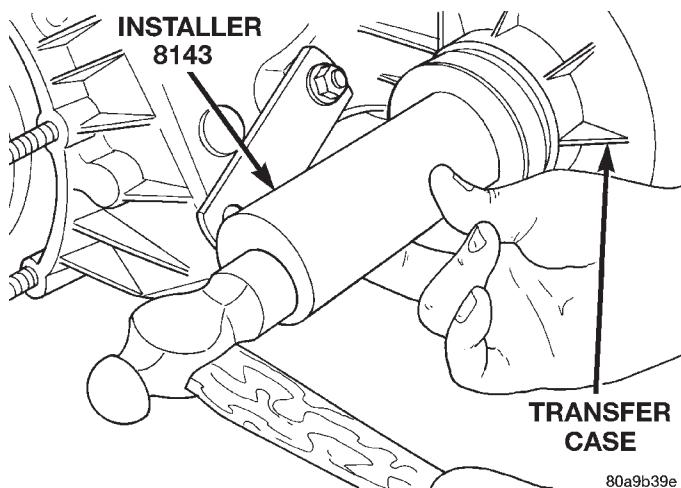
**Fig. 6 Remove Front Output Shaft Seal**

## INSTALLATION

- (1) Install new front output seal in front case with Installer Tool 8143 as follows:

(a) Place new seal on tool. Garter spring on seal goes toward interior of case.

(b) Start seal in bore with light taps from hammer (Fig. 7). Once seal is started, continue tapping seal into bore until installer tool seats against case.



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**Fig. 7 Front Output Seal Installation**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY

## NV231 TRANSFER CASE

## DISASSEMBLY

Position transfer case on shallow drain pan. Remove drain plug and drain lubricant remaining in case.

## REAR RETAINER AND OIL PUMP REMOVAL

- (1) Remove the speedometer adapter.

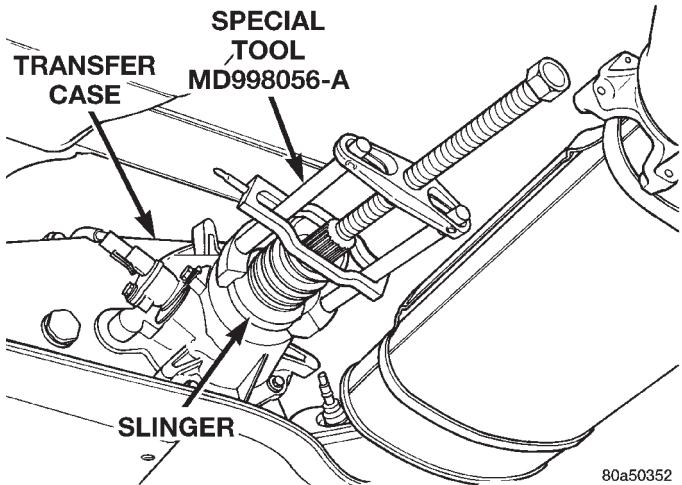
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(2) Spread band clamp which holds output shaft boot to slinger with a suitable awl, or equivalent.

(3) Remove output shaft boot from slinger and output shaft.

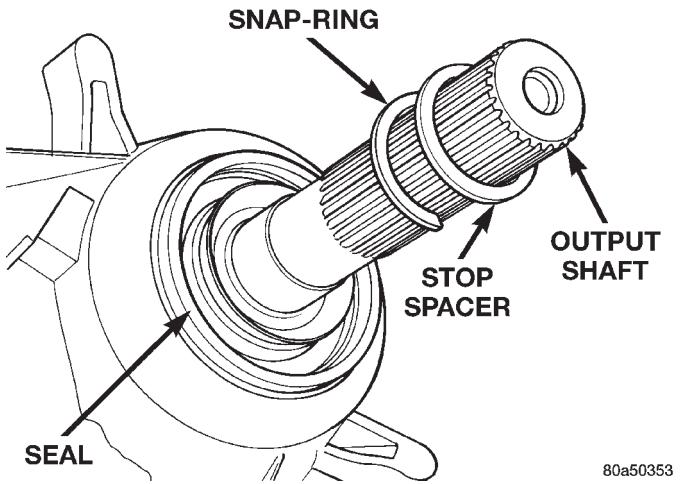
(4) Using Puller MD-998056-A, remove rear slinger (Fig. 8).

(5) Remove slinger stop spacer and snap-ring from output shaft (Fig. 9).



*Fig. 8 Rear Slinger Removal*

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*Fig. 9 Slinger Stop Spacer and Snap-ring*

(6) Use a suitable pry tool, or a slide hammer mounted screw, to remove the seal from the rear retainer (Fig. 10).

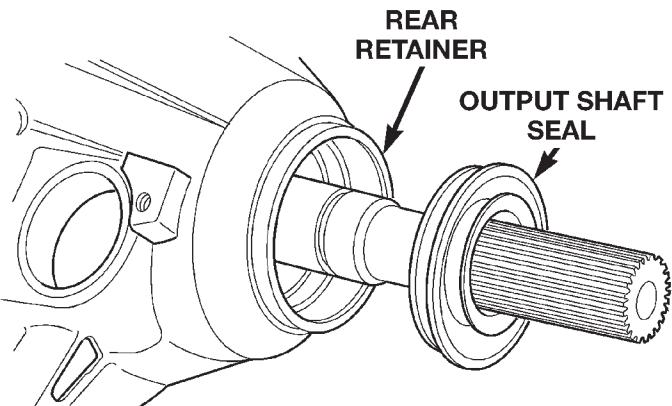
(7) Remove the rear output bearing I.D. retaining ring (Fig. 11).

(8) Remove the bolts holding the rear retainer to the rear case half.

(9) Tap rear retainer with rawhide or rubber mallet to loosen sealer bead.

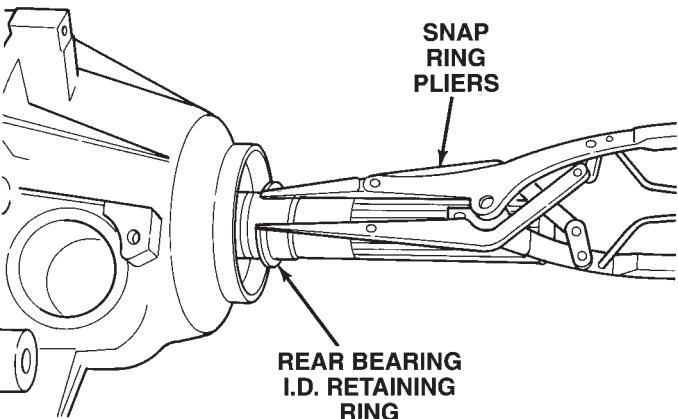
(10) Remove rear retainer from rear case half (Fig. 12).

(11) Remove snap-ring holding oil pump in position on output shaft.



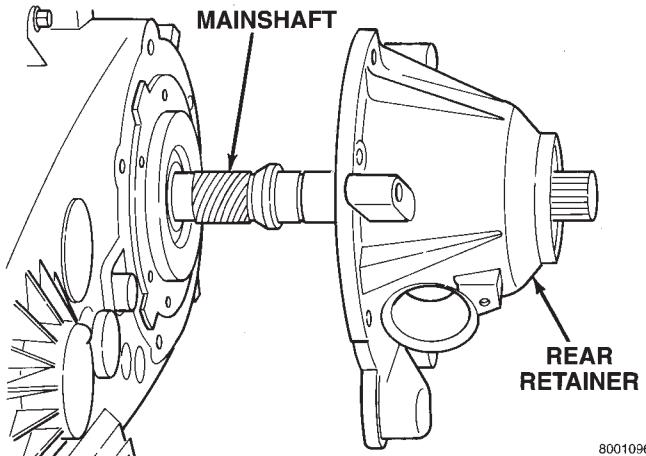
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*Fig. 10 Rear Retainer Seal*



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*Fig. 11 Output Shaft Rear Bearing Retaining Ring*

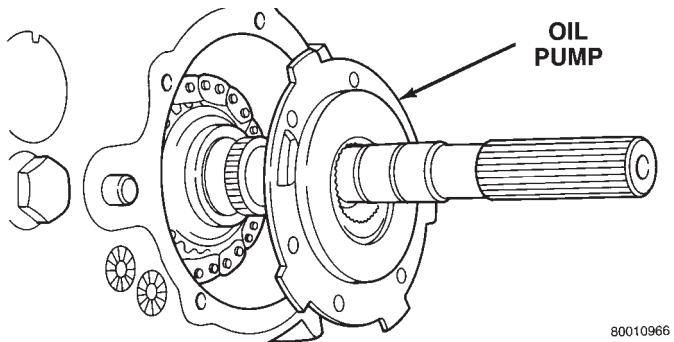


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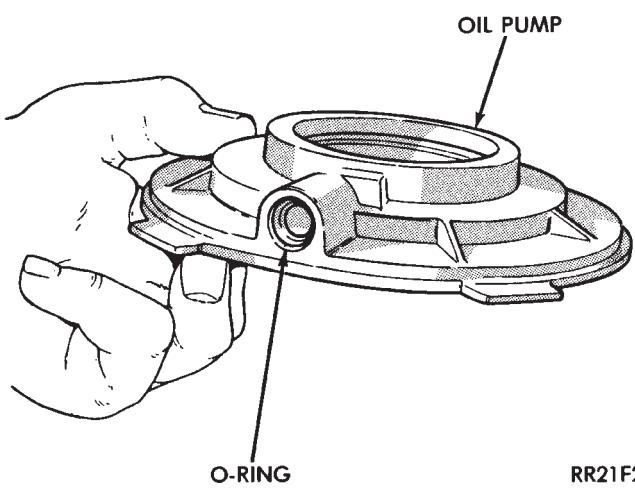
*Fig. 12 Rear Retainer Removal*

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

- (12) Disengage oil pickup tube from oil pump and remove oil pump assembly. Remove oil pump by tilting the edge of the oil pump from under the edge of the rear case half and sliding the pump (Fig. 13).

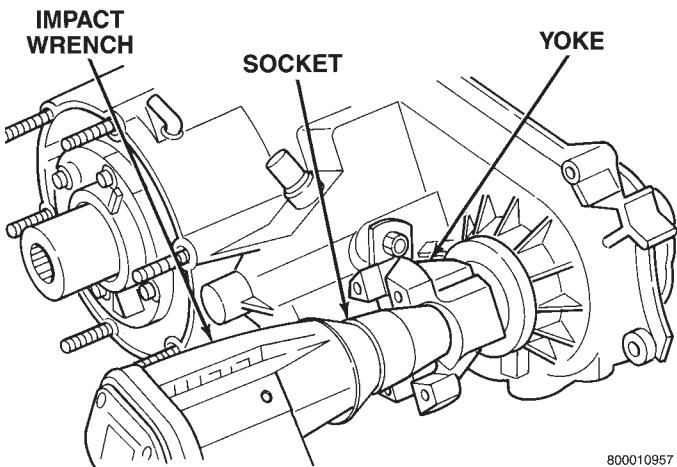
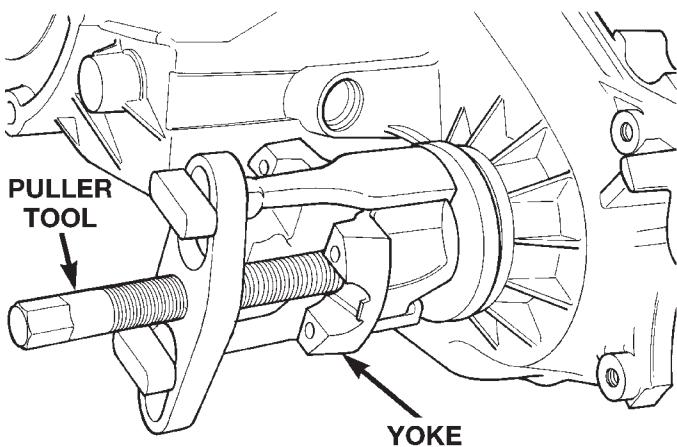
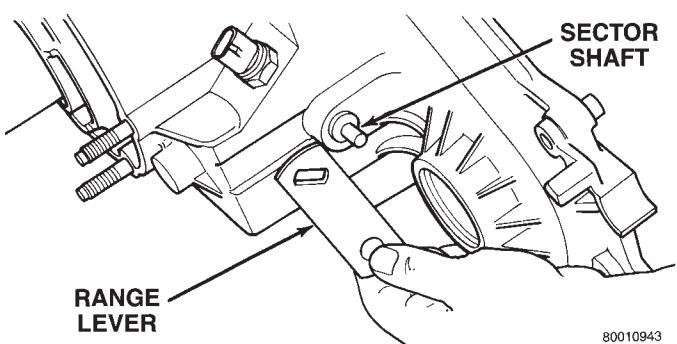
**Fig. 13 Oil Pump Removal**

- (13) Remove pick-up tube o-ring from oil pump (Fig. 14), if necessary. Do not disassemble the oil pump, it is not serviceable.

**Fig. 14 Pick-up Tube O-ring Location**

## YOKE AND RANGE LEVER REMOVAL

- (1) Remove transfer case indicator switch.
- (2) Remove front yoke nut as follows:
  - (a) Move range lever to 4L position.
  - (b) Then remove nut with socket and impact wrench (Fig. 15).
- (3) Remove yoke. If yoke is difficult to remove by hand, remove it with bearing splitter, or with standard two jaw puller (Fig. 16). Be sure puller tool is positioned on yoke and not on slinger as slinger will be damaged.
- (4) Remove seal washer from front output shaft. Discard washer as it should not be reused.
- (5) Remove nut and washer that attach range lever to sector shaft. Then move sector to neutral position and remove range lever from shaft (Fig. 17).

**Fig. 15 Yoke Nut Removal****Fig. 16 Yoke Removal****Fig. 17 Range Lever Removal**

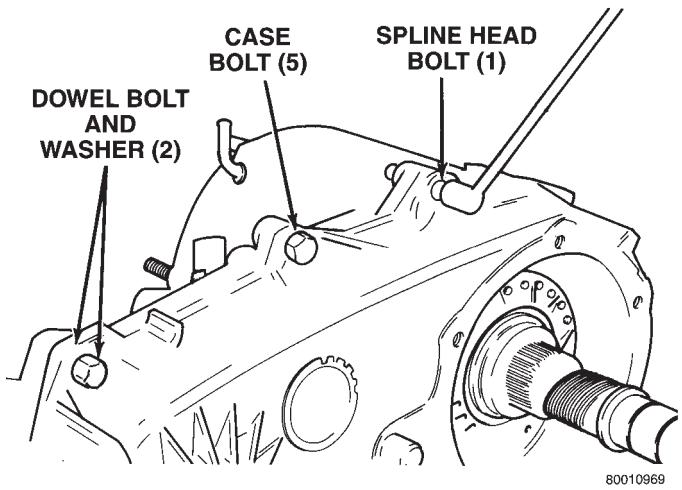
## FRONT OUTPUT SHAFT AND DRIVE CHAIN REMOVAL

- (1) Support transfer case so rear case is facing upward.
- (2) Remove bolts holding front case to rear case. The case alignment bolts require flat washers (Fig. 18).

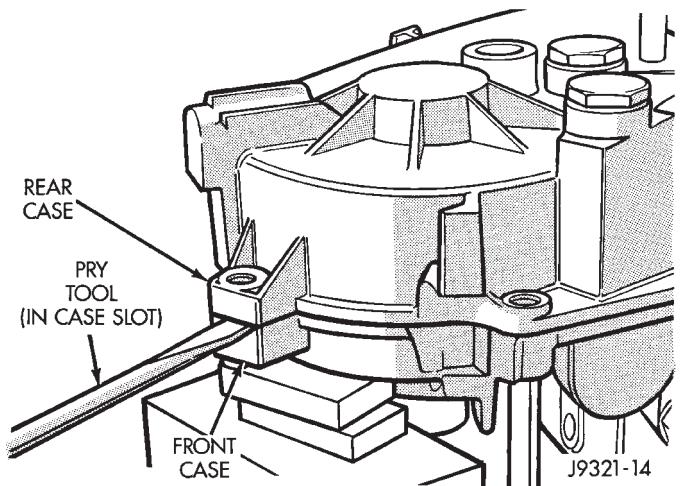
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

(3) Loosen rear case with flat blade screwdriver to break sealer bead. Insert pry tool blade only into notches provided at each end of case (Fig. 19).

(4) Remove rear case from front case.



*Fig. 18 Rear Case Alignment Bolt Locations*



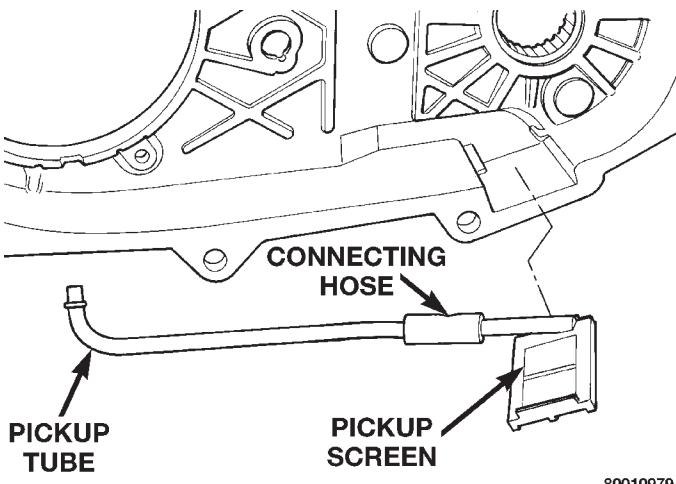
*Fig. 19 Loosening Rear Case*

(5) Remove oil pickup tube from rear case (Fig. 20).

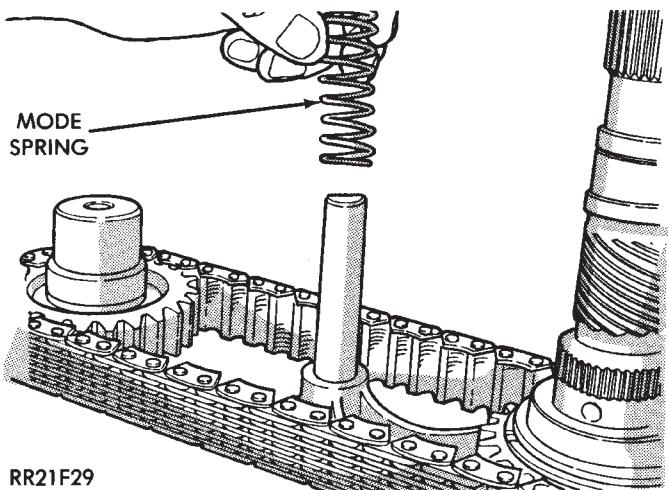
(6) Remove mode fork spring (Fig. 21).

(7) Pull front output shaft upward and out of front output shaft bearing (Fig. 22).

(8) Remove front output shaft and chain.

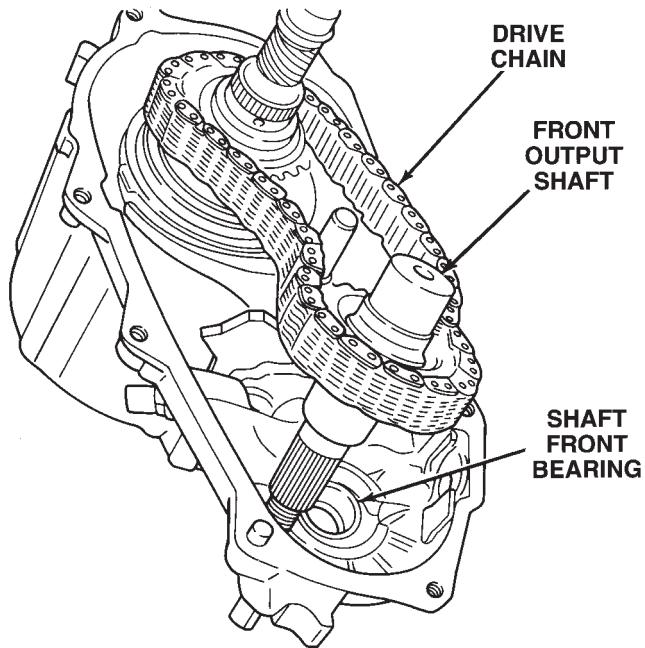


*Fig. 20 Oil Pickup Tube Removal*



*Fig. 21 Mode Fork Spring Removal*

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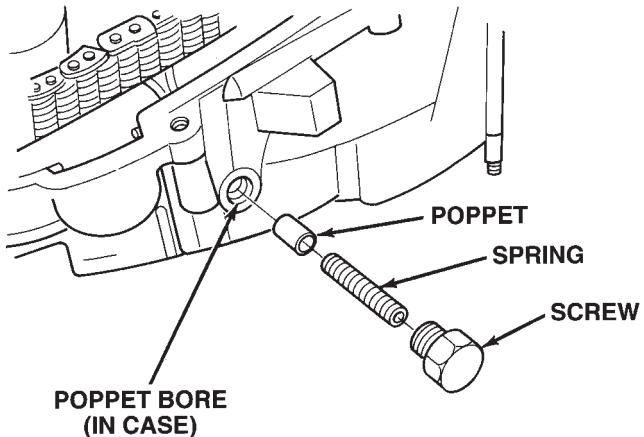


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**Fig. 22 Remove Front Output Shaft And Chain**

## SHIFT FORKS AND MAINSHAFT REMOVAL

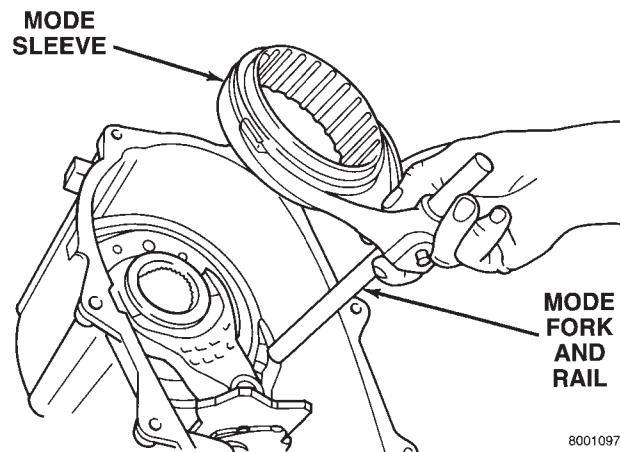
- (1) Remove detent plug, O-ring, detent spring and detent plunger (Fig. 23).
- (2) Remove mainshaft from mode sleeve and input gear pilot bearing.



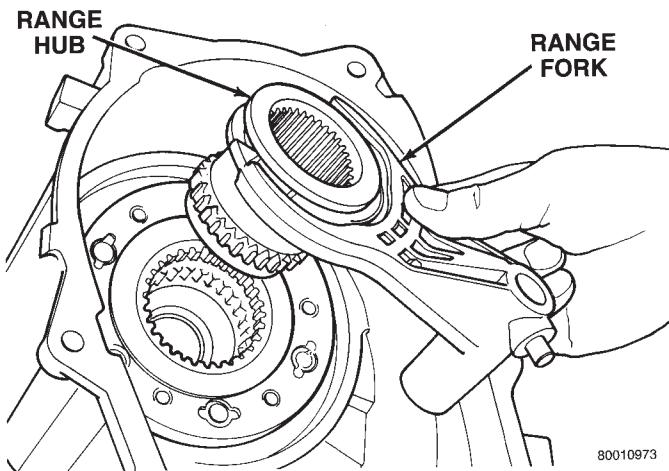
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**Fig. 23 Detent Plug, Spring And Plunger Removal**

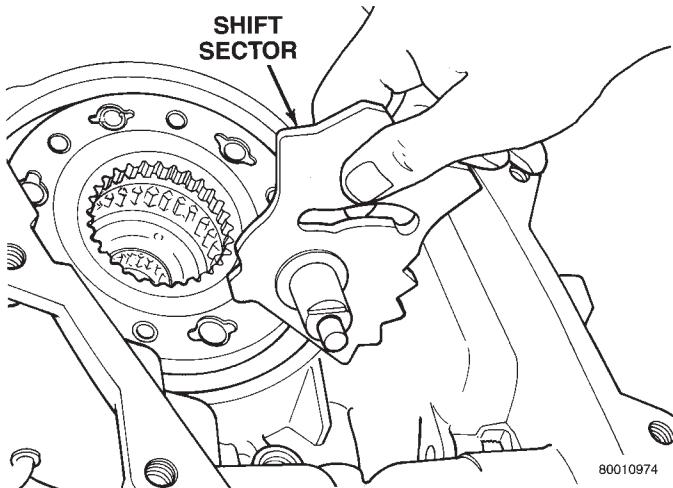
- (3) Remove mode fork and sleeve as an assembly (Fig. 24). Note position of sleeve for assembly reference. The short side of the sleeve faces upward.
- (4) Remove range fork and hub as an assembly (Fig. 25). Note fork position for installation reference.
- (5) Remove shift sector from front case (Fig. 26).
- (6) Remove shift sector bushing and O-ring (Fig. 27).



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**Fig. 24 Mode Fork And Sleeve Removal**

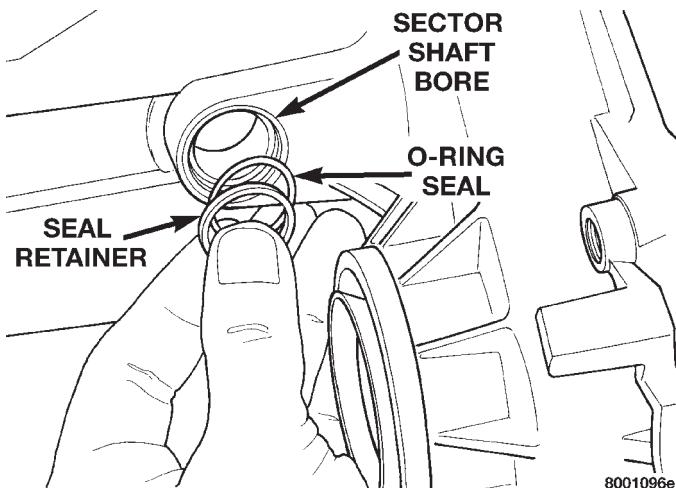
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**Fig. 25 Range Fork And Hub Removal**

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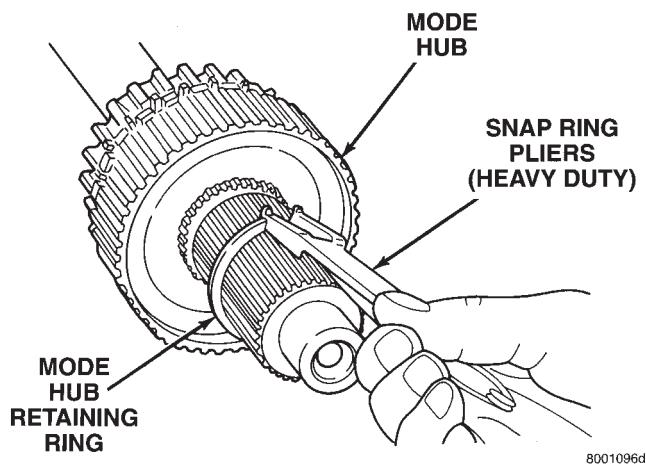
**Fig. 26 Shift Sector Removal**

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 27 Sector Bushing And O-Ring Removal**

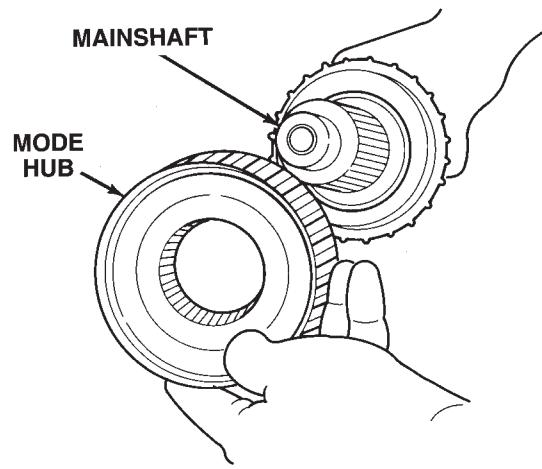
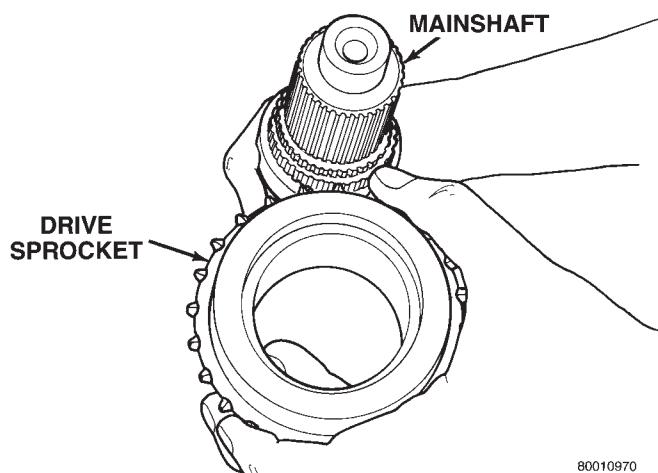
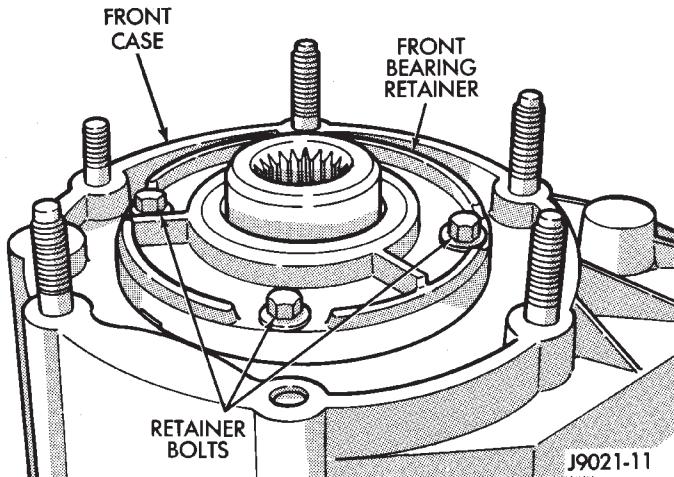
## MAINSHAFT DISASSEMBLY

- (1) Remove mode hub retaining ring with heavy duty snap-ring pliers (Fig. 28).
- (2) Slide mode hub off mainshaft (Fig. 29).
- (3) Slide drive sprocket off mainshaft (Fig. 30).

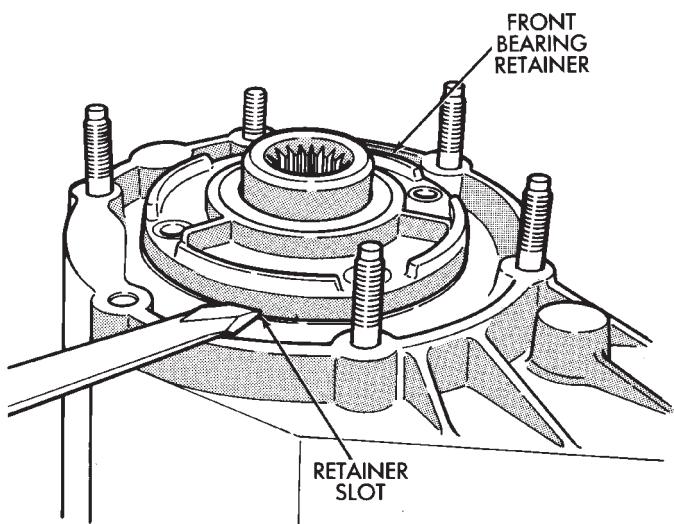
**Fig. 28 Mode Hub Retaining Ring Removal**

## INPUT GEAR AND LOW RANGE GEAR REMOVAL

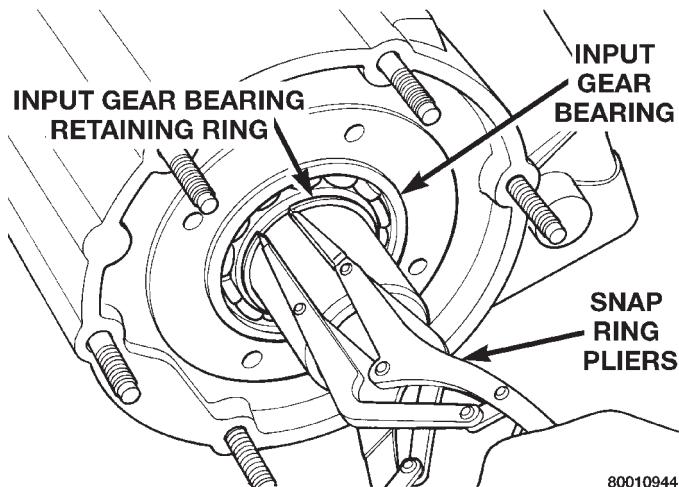
- (1) Remove front bearing retainer attaching bolts (Fig. 31).
- (2) Remove front bearing retainer. Pry retainer loose with pry tool positioned in slots at each end of retainer (Fig. 32).
- (3) Remove front bearing retainer seal. Tap seal out with drift and hammer.
- (4) Remove input gear retaining ring with heavy duty snap-ring pliers (Fig. 33)

**Fig. 29 Mode Hub Removal****Fig. 30 Drive Sprocket Removal****Fig. 31 Front Bearing Retainer Bolts**

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*Fig. 32 Front Bearing Retainer Removal*

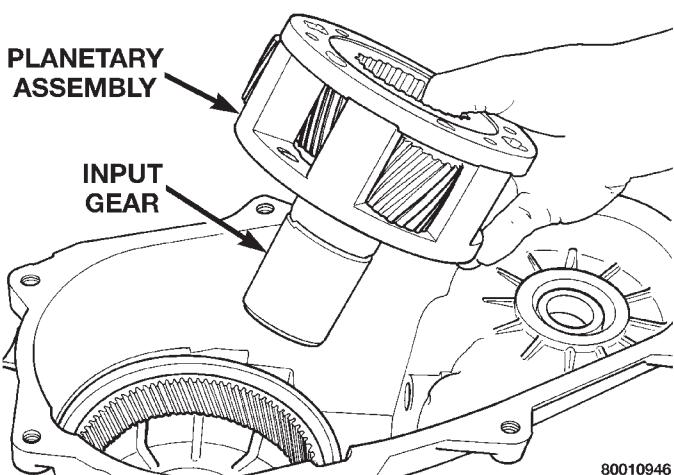
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*Fig. 33 Removing Input Gear Retaining Ring*

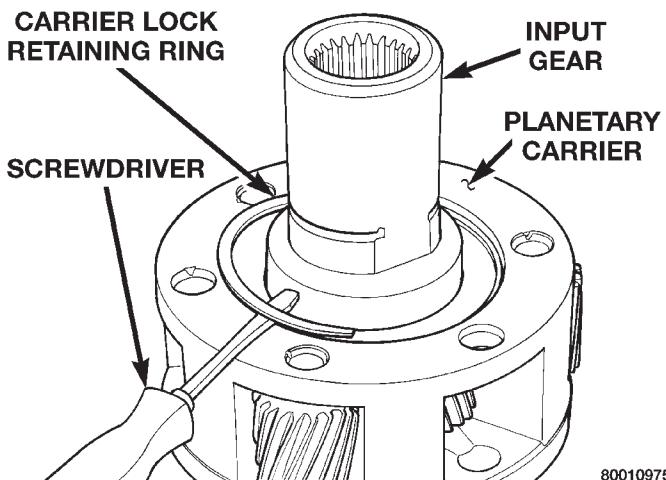
(5) Place front case in horizontal position. Then remove input gear and low range gear as an assembly (Fig. 34). Tap gear out of bearing with plastic mallet if necessary.

## INPUT AND LOW RANGE GEAR DISASSEMBLY

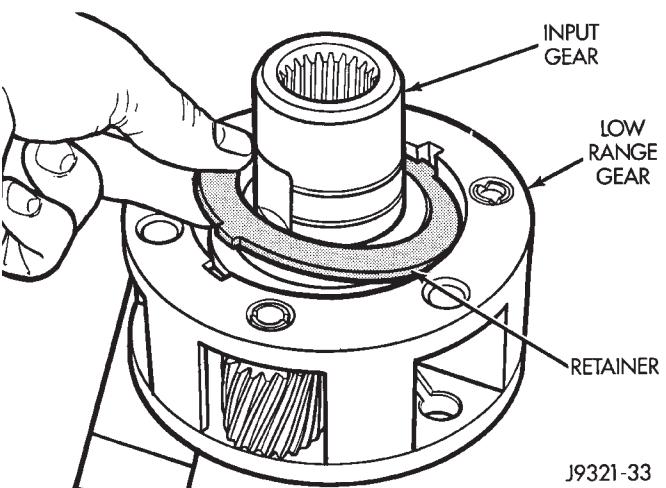
- (1) Remove snap-ring that retains input gear in low range gear (Fig. 35).
- (2) Remove retainer (Fig. 36).
- (3) Remove front tabbed thrust washer (Fig. 37).
- (4) Remove input gear (Fig. 38).
- (5) Remove rear tabbed thrust washer from low range gear (Fig. 39).



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*Fig. 34 Input Gear And Planetary Carrier Removal*

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*Fig. 35 Input Gear Snap-Ring Removal*

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*Fig. 36 Input Gear Retainer Removal*

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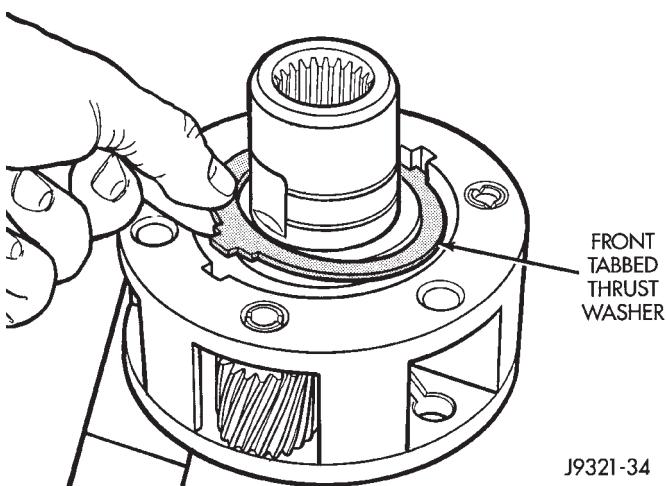


Fig. 37 Front Tabbed Thrust Washer Removal

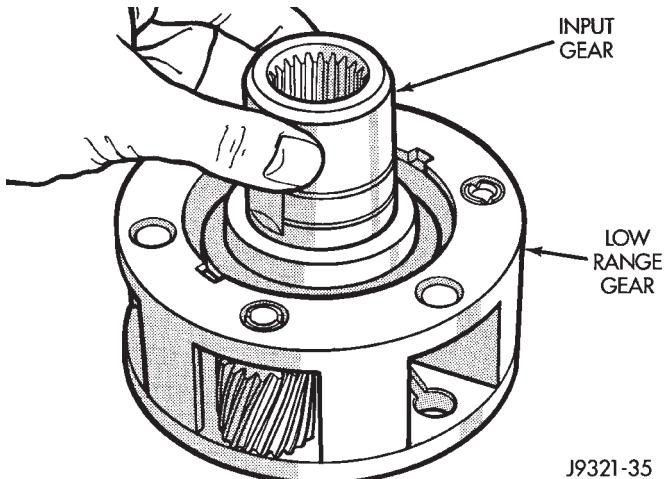


Fig. 38 Input Gear Removal

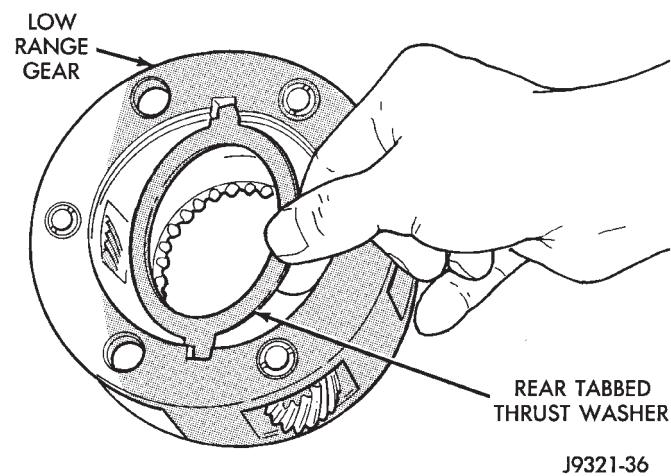


Fig. 39 Rear Tabbed Thrust Washer Removal

## ASSEMBLY

Lubricate transfer case components with Mopar® Dexron II automatic transmission fluid or petroleum jelly (where indicated) during assembly.

## BEARING AND SEAL INSTALLATION

**CAUTION:** The bearing bores in various transfer case components contain oil feed holes. Make sure replacement bearings do not block the holes.

- (1) Remove the front output shaft seal from case with pry tool (Fig. 40).
- (2) Remove the front output shaft bearing retaining ring with screwdriver (Fig. 41).
- (3) Remove bearing with Tool Handle C-4171 and Tool 5065 (Fig. 42).

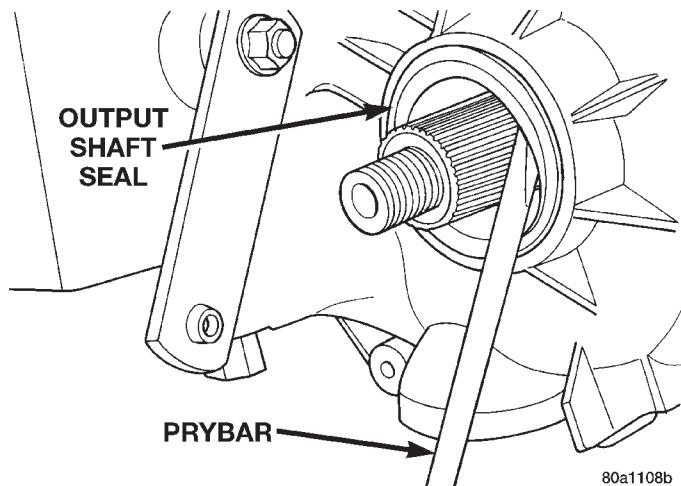


Fig. 40 Front Output Seal Removal

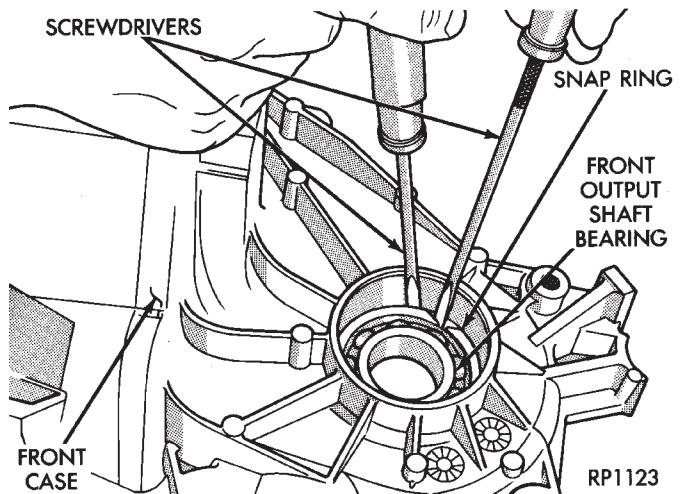


Fig. 41 Front Output Shaft Bearing Retaining Ring Removal

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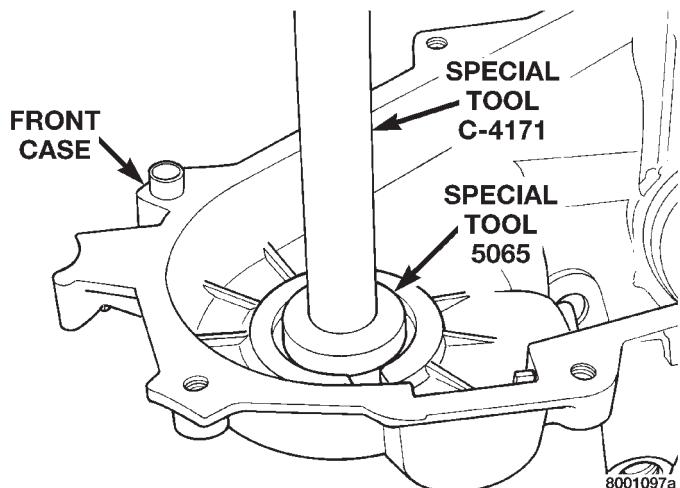


Fig. 42 Front Output Shaft Bearing Removal

(4) Install front output shaft front bearing in case with Tool Handle C-4171 and Installer 5064 (Fig. 43).

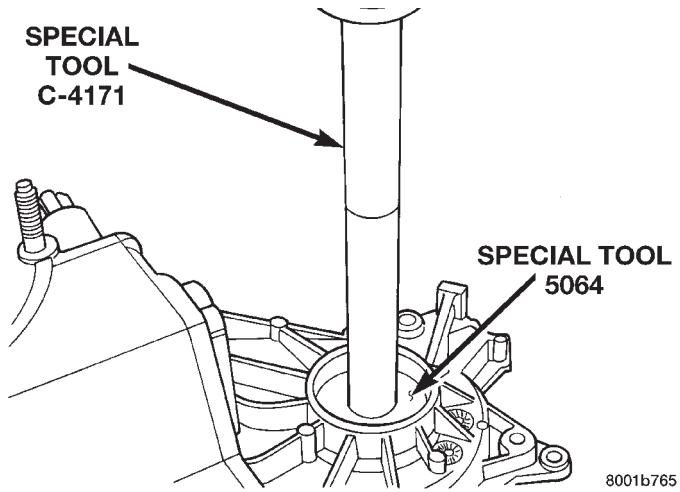


Fig. 43 Front Output Shaft Bearing Installation

(5) Install output shaft front bearing retaining ring (Fig. 44). Start ring into place by hand. Then use small screwdriver to work ring into case groove. Be sure ring is fully seated before proceeding.

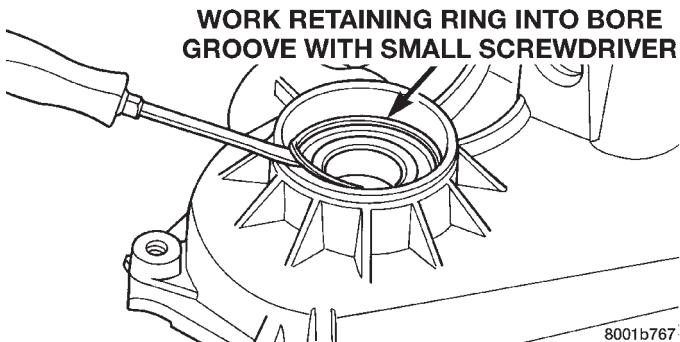


Fig. 44 Installing Output Shaft Front Bearing Retaining Ring

(6) Install new front output seal in front case with Installer Tool 8143 as follows:

(a) Place new seal on tool. **Garter spring on seal goes toward interior of case.**

(b) Start seal in bore with light taps from hammer (Fig. 45). Once seal is started, continue tapping seal into bore until installer tool bottoms against case.

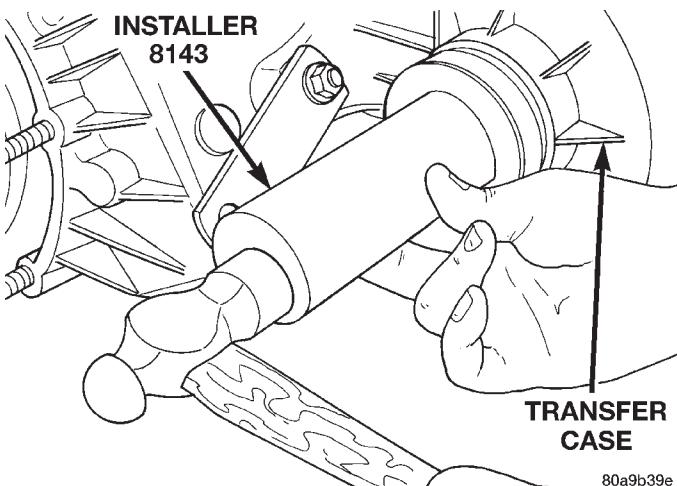


Fig. 45 Front Output Seal Installation

(7) Remove the output shaft rear bearing with the screw and jaws from Remover L-4454 and Cup 8148 (Fig. 46).

(8) Install new bearing with Tool Handle C-4171 and Installer 5066 (Fig. 47). The bearing bore is chamfered at the top. Install the bearing so it is flush with the lower edge of this chamfer (Fig. 48).

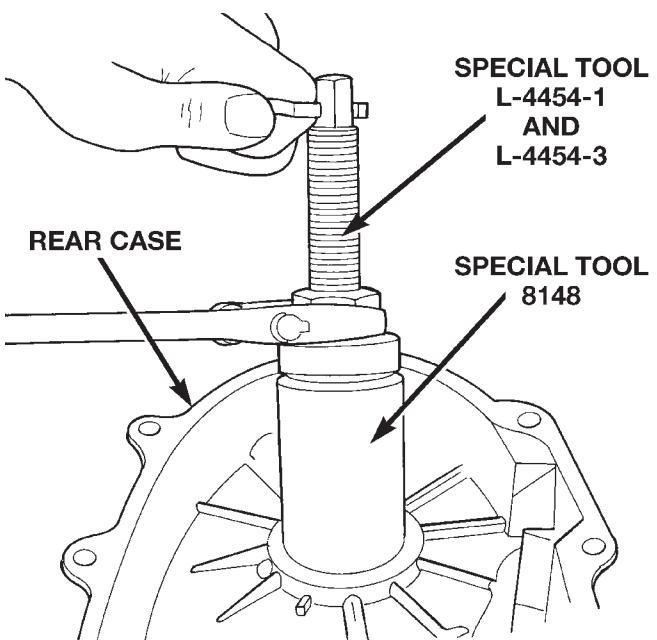
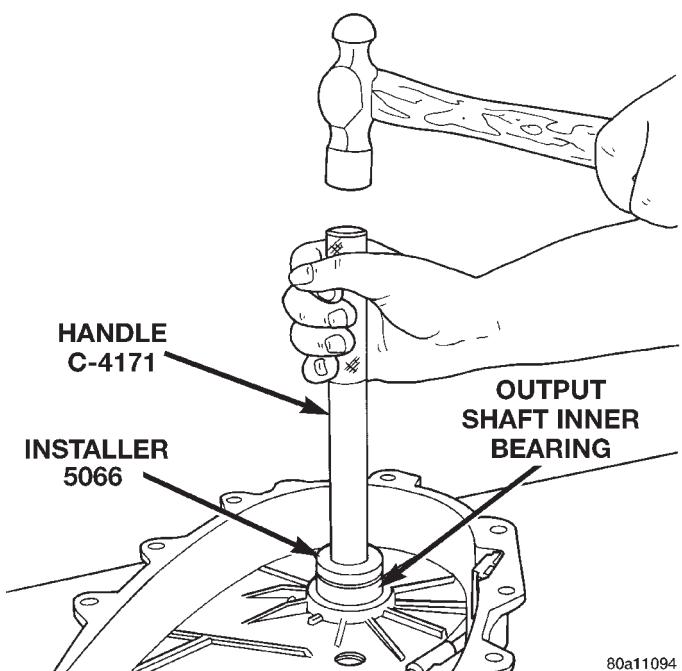
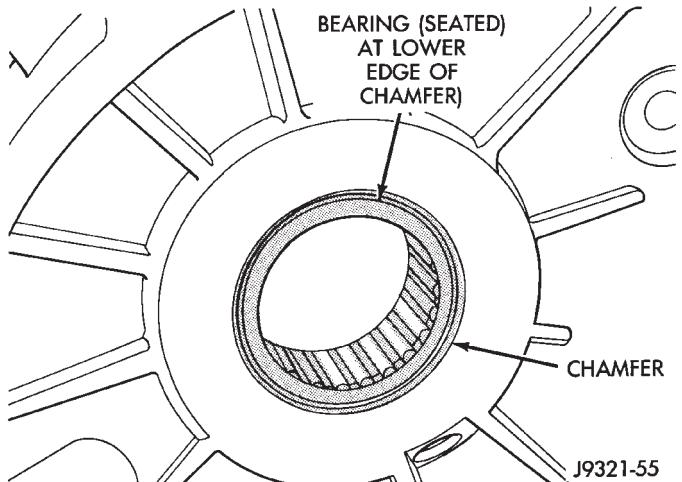


Fig. 46 Output Shaft Rear Bearing Removal

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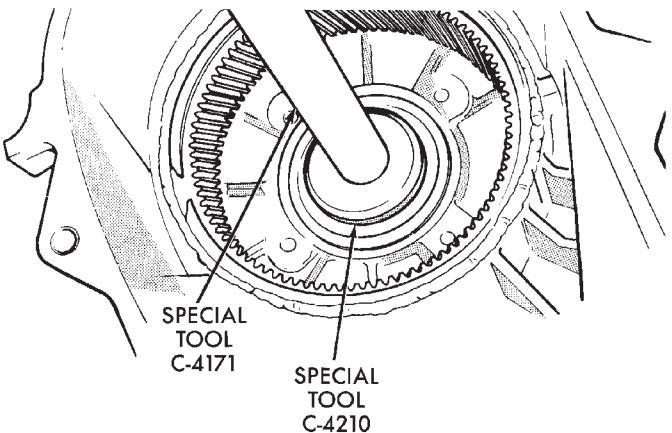
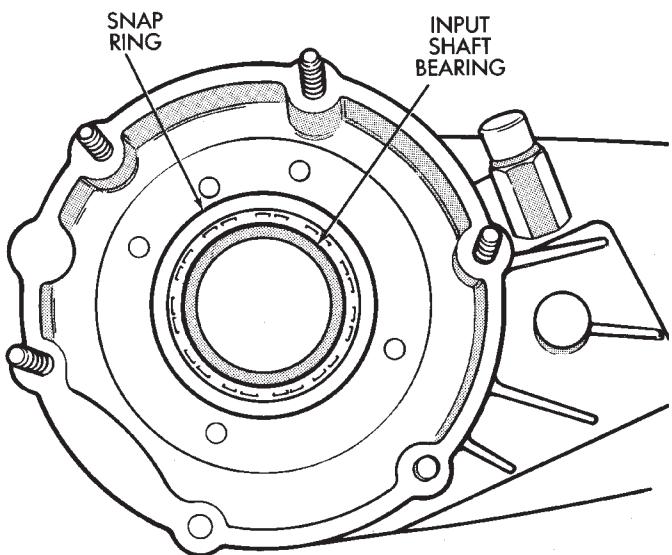
*Fig. 47 Output Shaft Rear Bearing Installation**Fig. 48 Output Shaft Rear Bearing Installation Depth*

(9) Using Remover C-4210 and Handle C-4171, drive input shaft bearing from inside the annulus gear opening in the case. (Fig. 49).

(10) Install locating ring on new bearing.

(11) Position case so forward end is facing upward.

(12) Using Remover C-4210 and Handle C-4171, drive input shaft bearing into case. The bearing locating ring must be fully seated against case surface (Fig. 50).

*Fig. 49 Input Shaft Bearing Removal**Fig. 50 Seating Input Shaft Bearing*

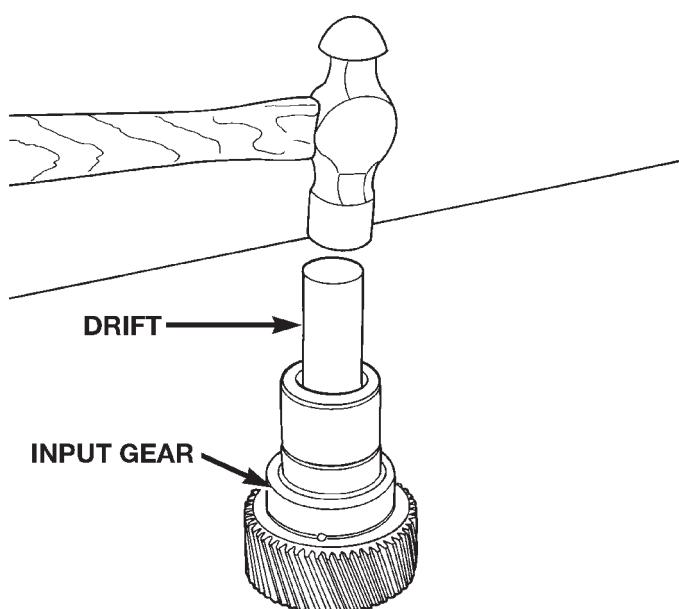
(13) Remove input gear pilot bearing by inserting a suitably sized drift into the splined end of the input gear and driving the bearing out with the drift and a hammer (Fig. 51).

(14) Install new pilot bearing with Installer 5065 and Handle C-4171 (Fig. 52).

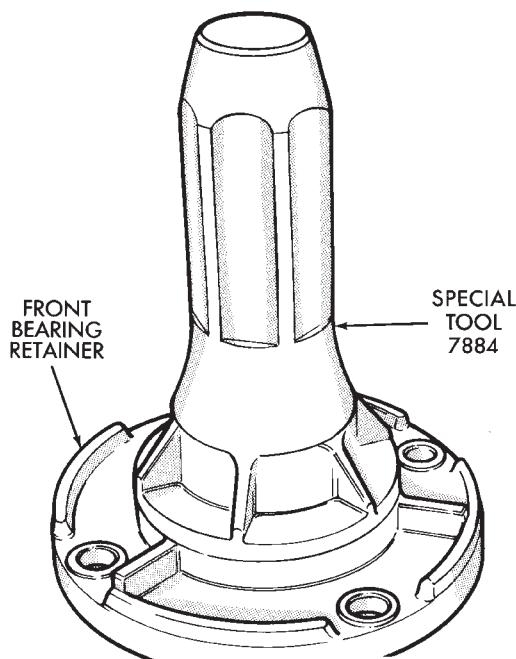
(15) Remove front bearing retainer seal with suitable pry tool.

(16) Install new front bearing retainer seal with Installer 7884 (Fig. 53).

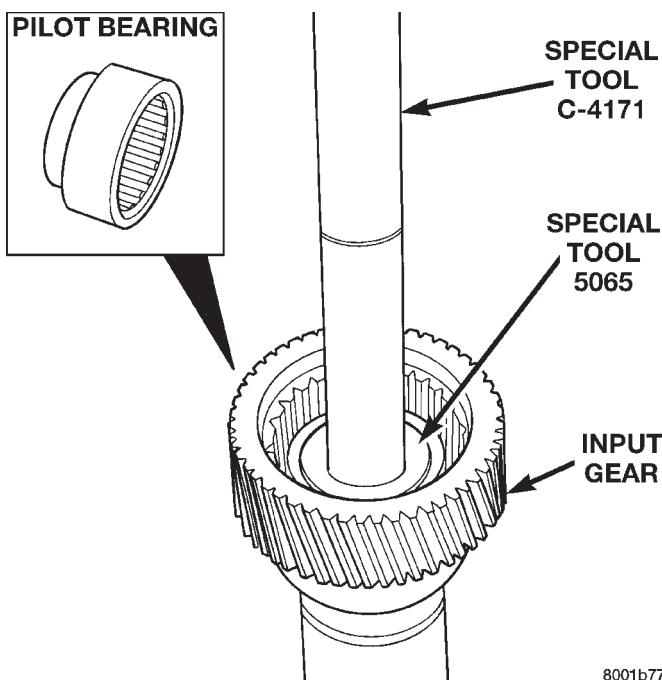
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*Fig. 51 Remove Input Gear Pilot Bearing*

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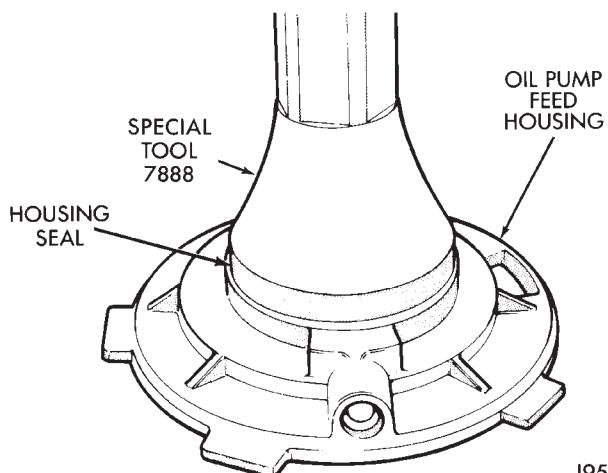
*Fig. 53 Install Front Bearing Retainer Seal*

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*Fig. 52 Install Input Gear Pilot Bearing*

(17) Remove seal from oil pump housing with a suitable pry tool

(18) Install new seal in oil pump housing with Installer 7888 (Fig. 54).



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*Fig. 54 Oil Pump Seal Installation*

(19) Remove rear retainer bearing with Installer 8128 and Handle C-4171.

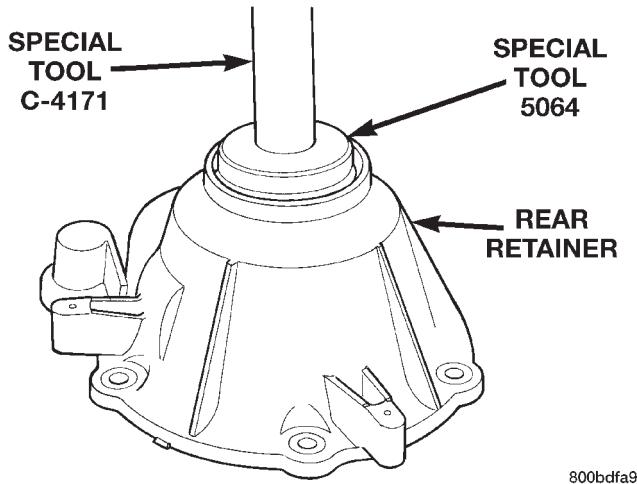
(20) Install rear bearing in retainer with Handle C-4171 and Installer 5064 (Fig. 55).

## INPUT AND LOW RANGE GEAR ASSEMBLY

(1) Lubricate gears and thrust washers (Fig. 56) with recommended transmission fluid.

(2) Install first thrust washer in low range gear (Fig. 56). Be sure washer tabs are properly aligned in gear notches.

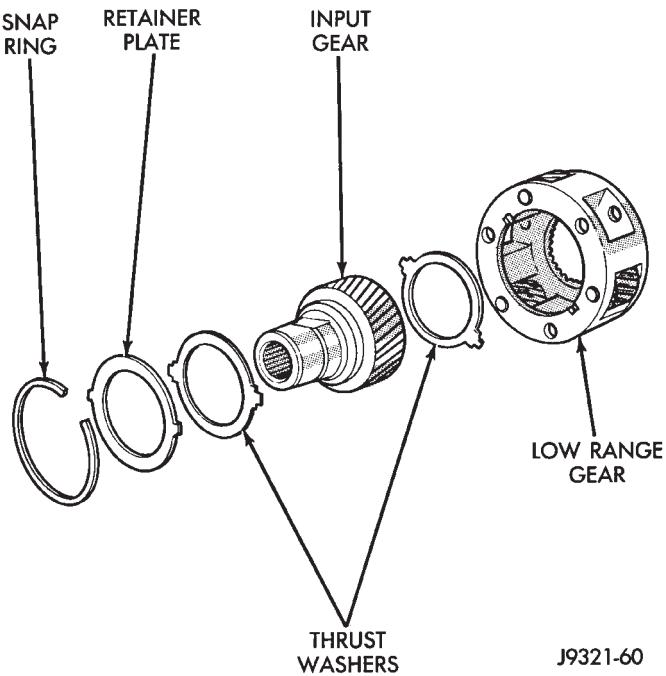
## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**Fig. 55 Installing Rear Bearing In Retainer**

(3) Install input gear in low range gear. Be sure input gear is fully seated.

(4) Install remaining thrust washer in low range gear and on top of input gear. Be sure washer tabs are properly aligned in gear notches.

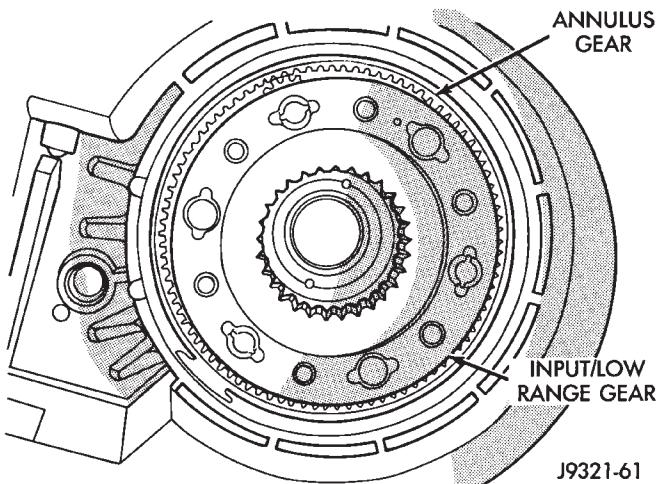
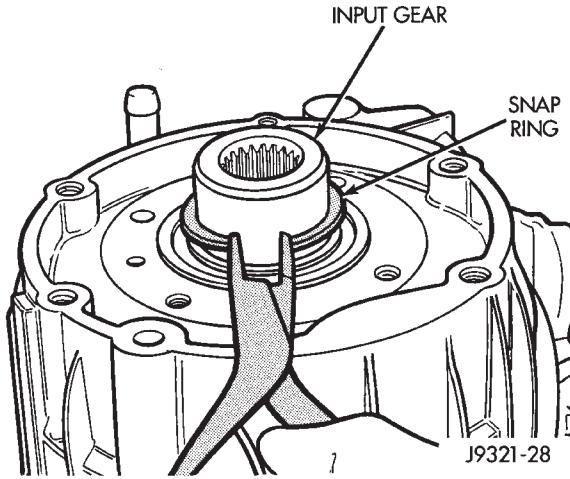
(5) Install retainer on input gear and install snap-ring.

**Fig. 56 Input/Low Range Gear Components**

## INPUT GEAR AND LOW RANGE GEAR INSTALLATION

(1) Align and install low range/input gear assembly in front case (Fig. 57). Be sure low range gear pinions are engaged in annulus gear and that input gear shaft is fully seated in front bearing.

(2) Install snap-ring to hold input/low range gear into front bearing (Fig. 58).

**Fig. 57 Input/Low Range Gear Installation****Fig. 58 Install Snap-Ring**

(3) Clean gasket sealer residue from retainer and inspect retainer for cracks or other damage.

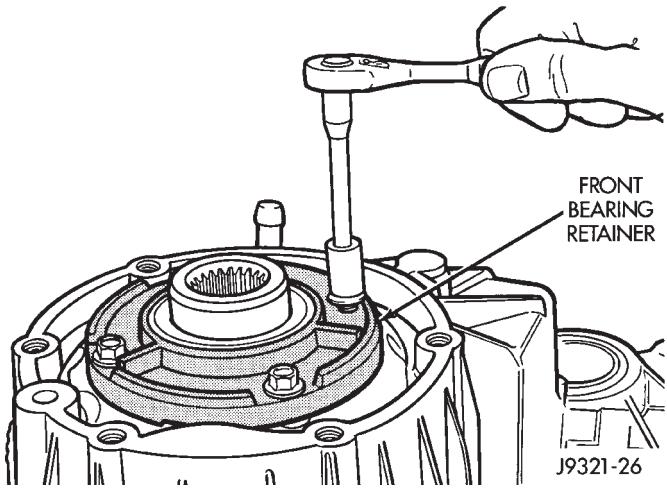
(4) Apply a 3 mm (1/8 in.) bead of Mopar® gasket maker or silicone adhesive to sealing surface of retainer.

(5) Align cavity in seal retainer with fluid return hole in front of case.

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

**CAUTION: Do not block fluid return cavity on sealing surface of retainer when applying Mopar® gasket maker or silicone adhesive sealer. Seal failure and fluid leak can result.**

- (6) Install bolts to hold retainer to transfer case (Fig. 59). Tighten to 21 N·m (16 ft. lbs.) of torque.



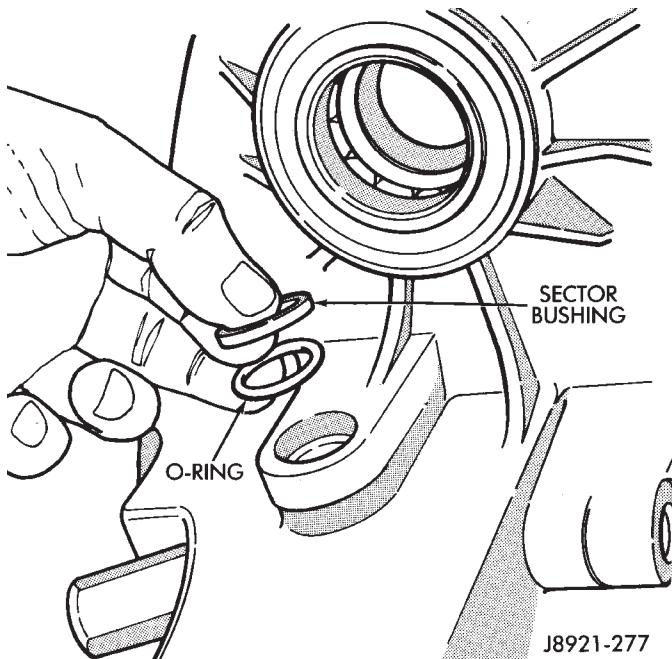
*Fig. 59 Install Front Bearing Retainer*

## MAINSHAFT ASSEMBLY

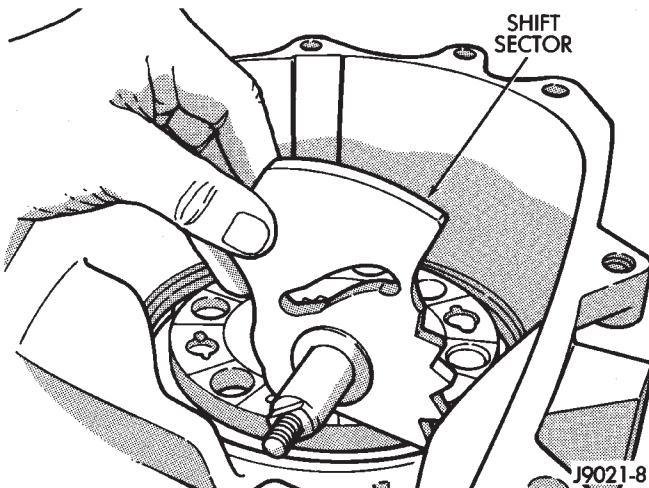
- (1) Lubricate mainshaft splines with recommended transmission fluid.
- (2) Slide drive sprocket onto mainshaft.
- (3) Slide mode hub onto mainshaft.
- (4) Install mode hub retaining ring. Verify that the retaining ring is fully seated in mainshaft groove.

## SHIFT FORKS AND MAINSHAFT INSTALLATION

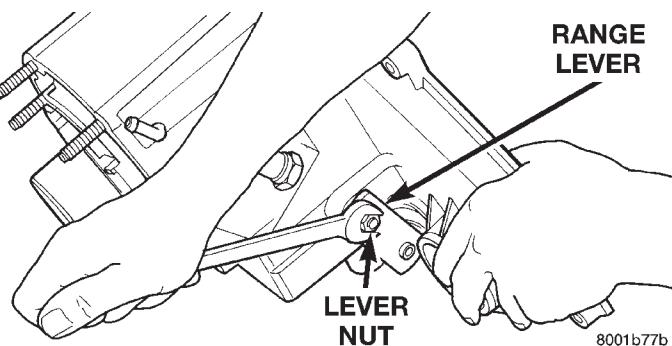
- (1) Install new sector shaft O-ring and bushing (Fig. 60).
- (2) Install shift sector in case (Fig. 61). Lubricate sector shaft with transmission fluid before installation.
- (3) Install range lever, washer, and nut on sector shaft (Fig. 62). Tighten range lever nut to 27–34 N·m (20–25 ft. lbs.) torque.
- (4) Assemble and install range fork and hub (Fig. 63). Be sure hub is properly seated in low range gear and engaged to the input gear.
- (5) Align and insert range fork pin in shift sector slot.
- (6) Install assembled mainshaft (Fig. 64). Be sure shaft is seated in pilot bearing and input gear.
- (7) Install new pads on mode fork if necessary.
- (8) Insert mode sleeve in mode fork mode fork. Be sure long side of sleeve is toward long end of shift rail (Fig. 65).



*Fig. 60 Sector O-Ring And Bushing Installation*

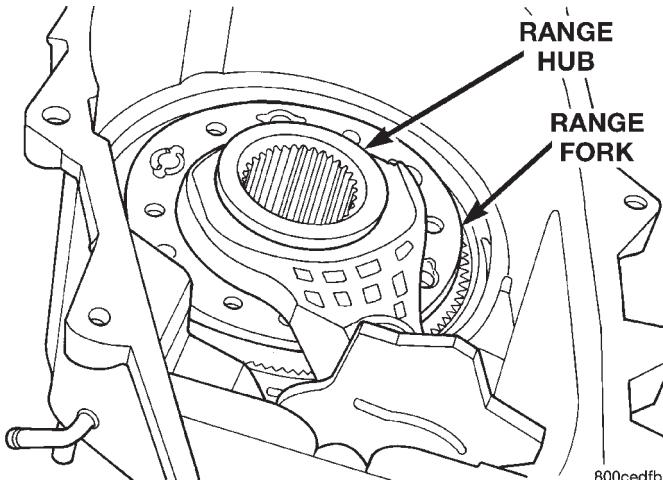
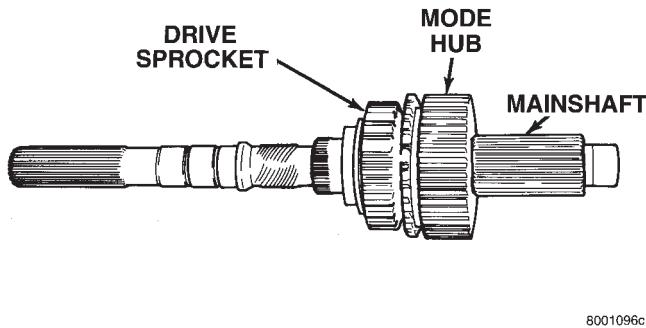
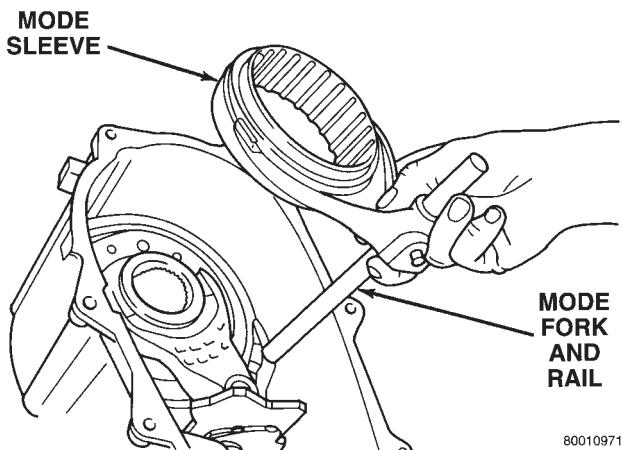


*Fig. 61 Shift Sector Installation*



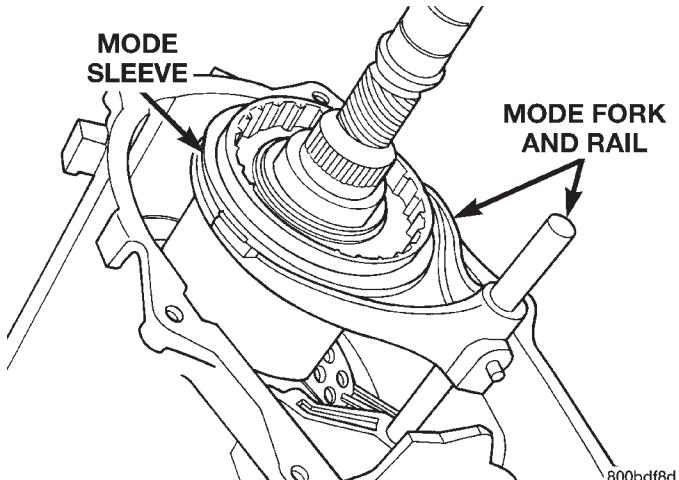
*Fig. 62 Range Lever Installation*

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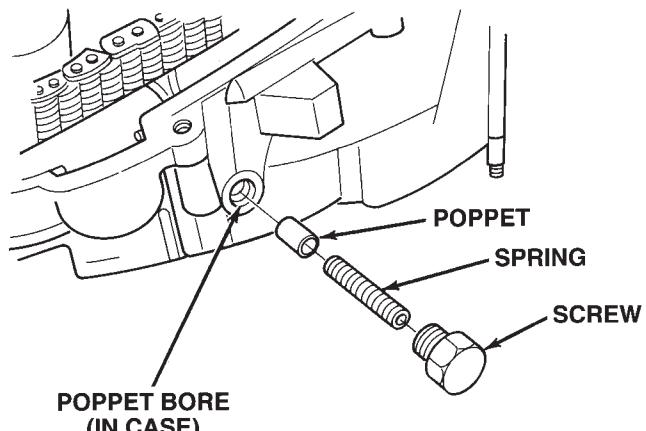
**Fig. 63 Install Range Fork And Hub Assembly****Fig. 64 Mainshaft Assembly Installation****Fig. 65 Assembling Mode Fork And Sleeve**

(9) Install assembled mode fork and sleeve (Fig. 66). Be sure fork rail goes through range fork and into case bore. Also be sure sleeve is aligned and seated on mainshaft hub.

(10) Rotate sector to Neutral position.

**Fig. 66 Mode Fork And Sleeve Installation**

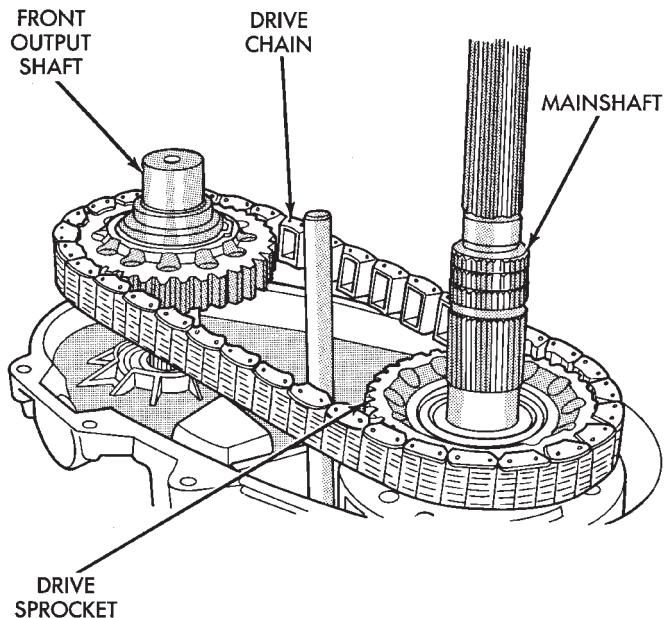
- (11) Install new O-ring on detent plug (Fig. 67).
- (12) Lubricate detent plunger with transmission fluid or light coat of petroleum jelly.
- (13) Install detent plunger, spring and plug (Fig. 67).
- (14) Verify that plunger is properly engaged in sector.

**Fig. 67 Shift Detent Components**

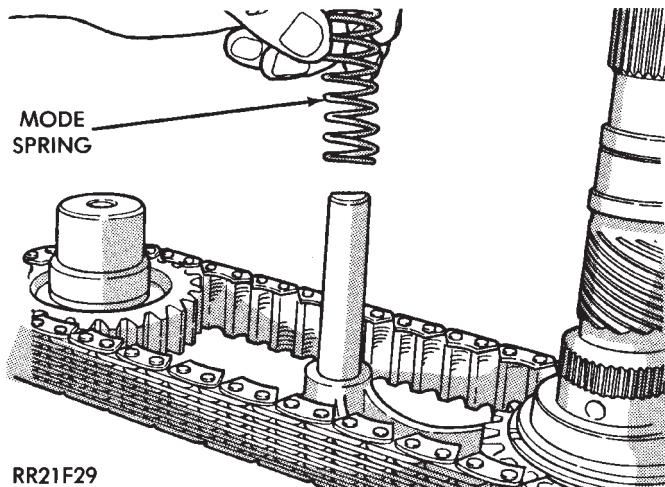
## FRONT OUTPUT SHAFT AND DRIVE CHAIN INSTALLATION

- (1) Lubricate front output shaft-sprocket assembly, drive chain, and drive sprocket with transmission fluid.
- (2) Assemble drive chain and front output shaft (Fig. 68).
- (3) Start chain on mainshaft drive sprocket.
- (4) Guide front shaft into bearing and drive sprocket onto mainshaft drive gear (Fig. 68).
- (5) Install mode spring on upper end of mode fork shift rail (Fig. 69).

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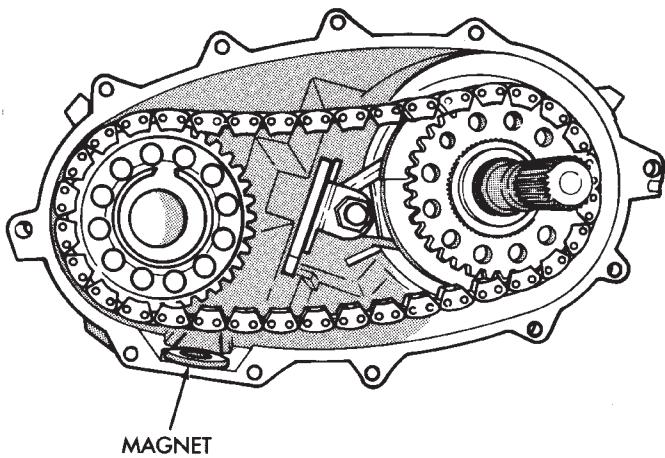
*Fig. 68 Installing Drive Chain And Front Output Shaft*

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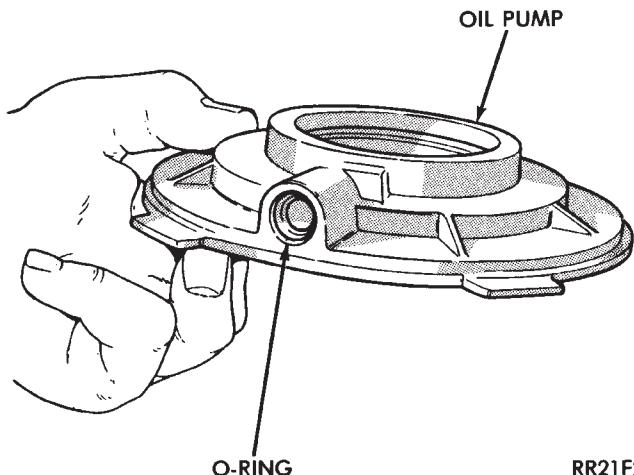
*Fig. 69 Install Mode Fork Spring*

## OIL PUMP AND REAR CASE ASSEMBLY/INSTALLATION

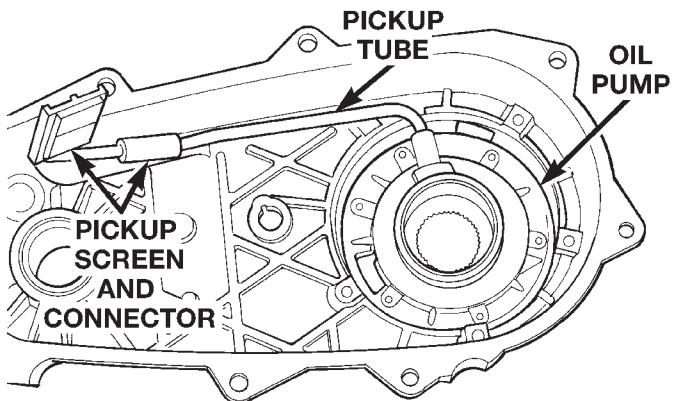
- (1) Install magnet in front case pocket (Fig. 70).
- (2) Assemble oil pickup screen, connecting hose, and tube.
- (3) Install new pickup tube O-ring in oil pump (Fig. 71).
- (4) Insert oil pickup tube in oil pump inlet.
- (5) Position assembled oil pump and pickup tube in rear case. Be sure pickup screen is securely seated in case slot. Also be sure oil pump locating tabs are outside rear case (Fig. 72).
- (6) Apply 3 mm (1/8 in.) wide bead of Mopar® gasket maker or silicone adhesive sealer to mounting flange of front case. Work sealer bead around bolt holes.



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*Fig. 70 Installing Case Magnet*

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*Fig. 71 Pickup Tube O-Ring Position*

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*Fig. 72 Oil Pump And Pickup Tube Installation*

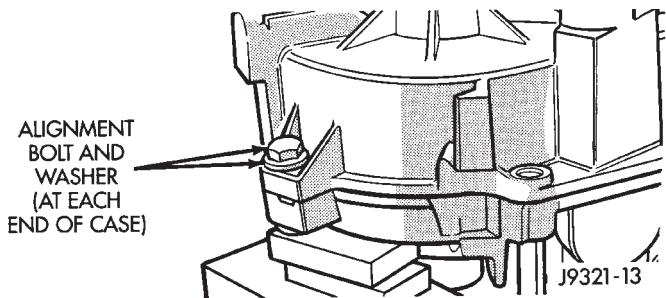
- (7) Lift rear case and oil pump and carefully position assembly on front case. Be sure case dowels are

## DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY (Continued)

aligned and that mode fork rail extends through rear case before seating rear case on front case.

(8) Install case attaching bolts. Alignment bolts at each end of case are only ones requiring washers (Fig. 73).

(9) Tighten case bolts to 27-34 N·m (20-25 ft. lbs.) torque.

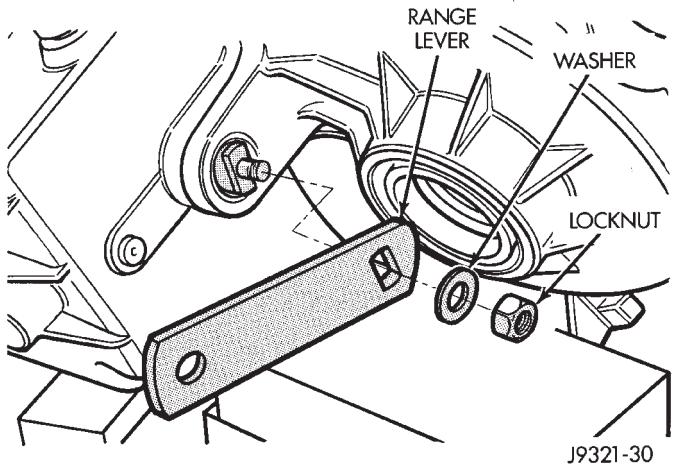


**Fig. 73 Alignment Bolt Location**

## YOKE AND RANGE LEVER INSTALLATION

(1) Install indicator switch in front case. Tighten switch to 20-34 N·m (15-25 ft. lbs.) torque.

(2) Install range lever, washer and locknut on sector shaft (Fig. 74). Tighten locknut to 27-34 N·m (20-25 ft. lbs.) torque.



**Fig. 74 Range Lever Installation**

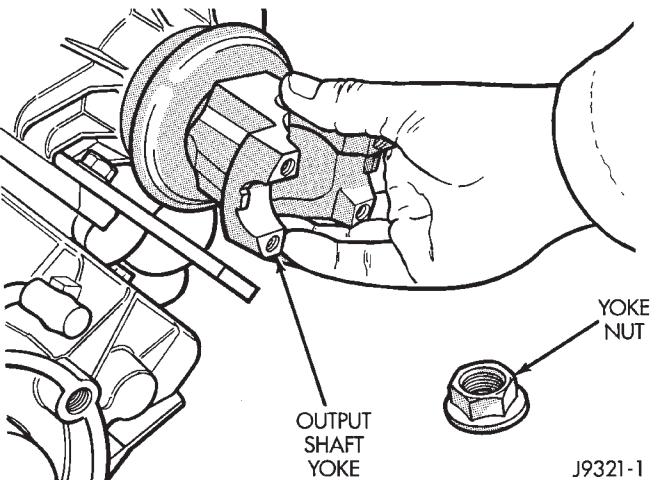
(3) Install new seal washer on front output shaft (Fig. 76).

(4) Lubricate yoke hub with transmission fluid and install yoke on front shaft.

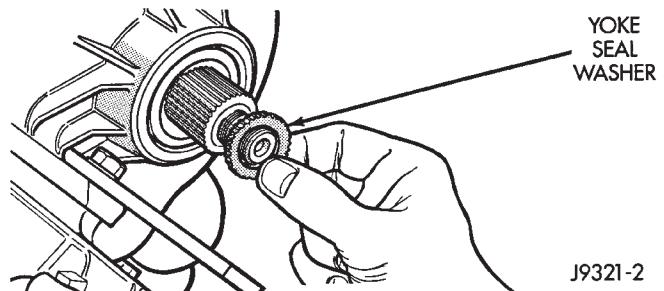
(5) Install new seal washer on front shaft.

(6) Install yoke and new yoke nut on front output shaft (Fig. 75).

(7) Tighten yoke nut to 122-176 N·m (90-130 ft. lbs.) torque. Use Tool C-3281, or similar tool to hold yoke while tightening yoke nut.



**Fig. 75 Output Shaft Yoke Installation**



**Fig. 76 Yoke Seal Washer Installation**

## REAR RETAINER INSTALLATION

(1) Apply bead of Mopar® Sealer P/N 82300234, or Loctite™ Ultra Gray, to mating surface of rear retainer. Sealer bead should be a maximum of 3/16 inch.

(2) Install rear retainer on rear case. Tighten retainer bolts to 20-27 N·m (15-20 ft. lbs.) torque.

(3) Install rear bearing I.D. retaining ring and spacer on output shaft.

(4) Apply liberal quantity of petroleum jelly to new rear seal and to output shaft. Petroleum jelly is needed to protect seal lips during installation.

(5) Slide seal onto Seal Protector 6992 (Fig. 77). Slide seal protector and seal onto output shaft.

(6) Slide Installer C-4076-B onto seal protector with the recessed side of the tool toward the seal. Drive seal into rear bearing retainer with installer C-4076-B and handle MD-998323 (Fig. 78).

(7) Install rear slinger with installer C-4076-A and handle MD-998323 (Fig. 78).

(8) Install boot on output shaft slinger and crimp retaining clamp with tool C-4975-A (Fig. 79).

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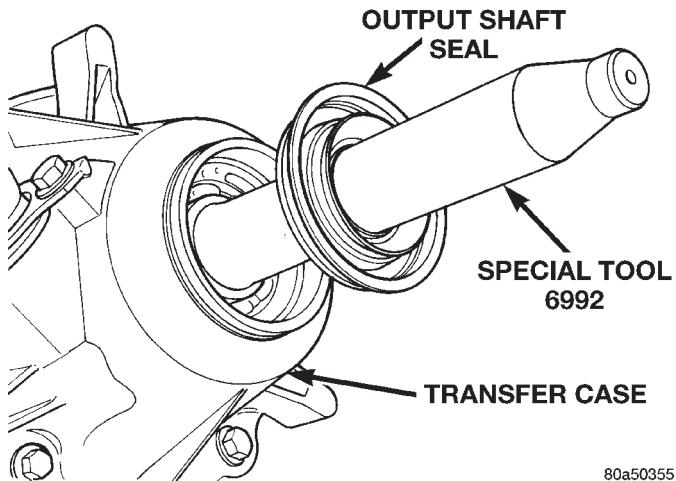


Fig. 77 Output Shaft Seal and Protector

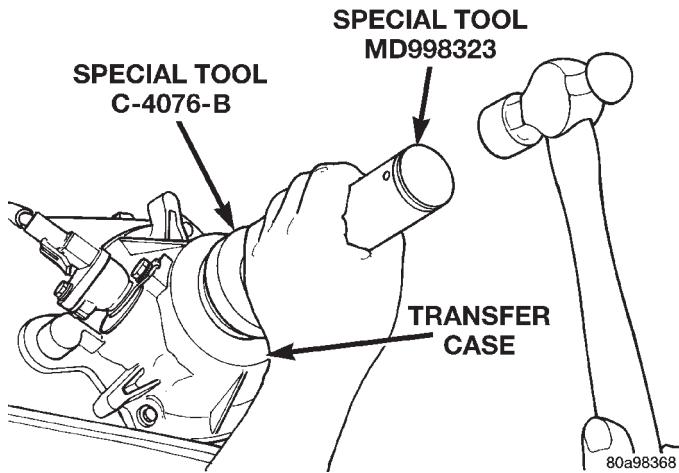


Fig. 78 Rear Seal Installation

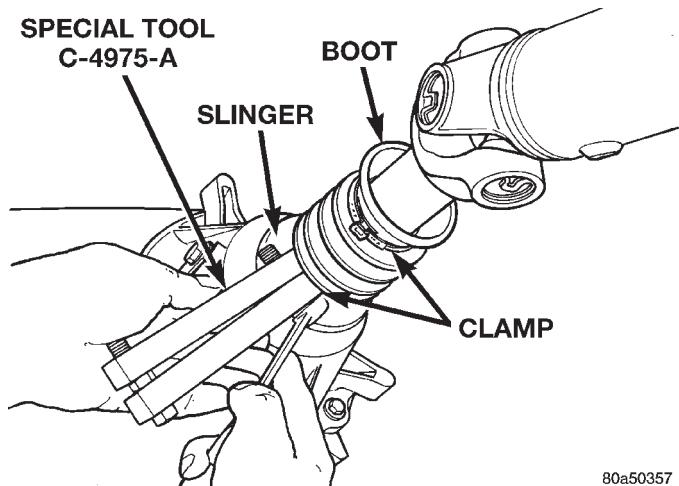


Fig. 79 Slinger Boot Installation

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION

## NV231 TRANSFER CASE

Clean the transfer case parts with a standard parts cleaning solvent. Remove all traces of sealer from the cases and retainers with a scraper and 3M all purpose cleaner. Use compressed air to remove solvent residue from oil feed passages in the case halves, retainers, gears, and shafts.

The oil pickup screen can be cleaned with solvent. Shake excess solvent from the screen after cleaning and allow it to air dry. Do not use compressed air.

## MAINSHAFT/SPROCKET/HUB INSPECTION

Inspect the splines on the hub and shaft and the teeth on the sprocket (Fig. 80). Minor nicks and scratches can be smoothed with an oilstone. However, replace any part that is damaged.

Check the contact surfaces in the sprocket bore and on the mainshaft. Minor nicks and scratches can be smoothed with 320–400 grit emery cloth but do not try to salvage the shaft if nicks or wear is severe.

## INPUT GEAR AND PLANETARY CARRIER

Check the teeth on the gear (Fig. 81). Minor nicks can be dressed off with an oilstone but replace the gear if any teeth are broken, cracked, or chipped. The bearing surface on the gear can be smoothed with 300–400 grit emery cloth if necessary.

Examine the carrier body and pinion gears for wear or damage. The carrier will have to be replaced as an assembly if the body, pinion pins, or pinion gears are damaged.

Check the lock ring and both thrust washers for wear or cracks. Replace them if necessary. Also replace the lock retaining ring if bent, distorted, or broken.

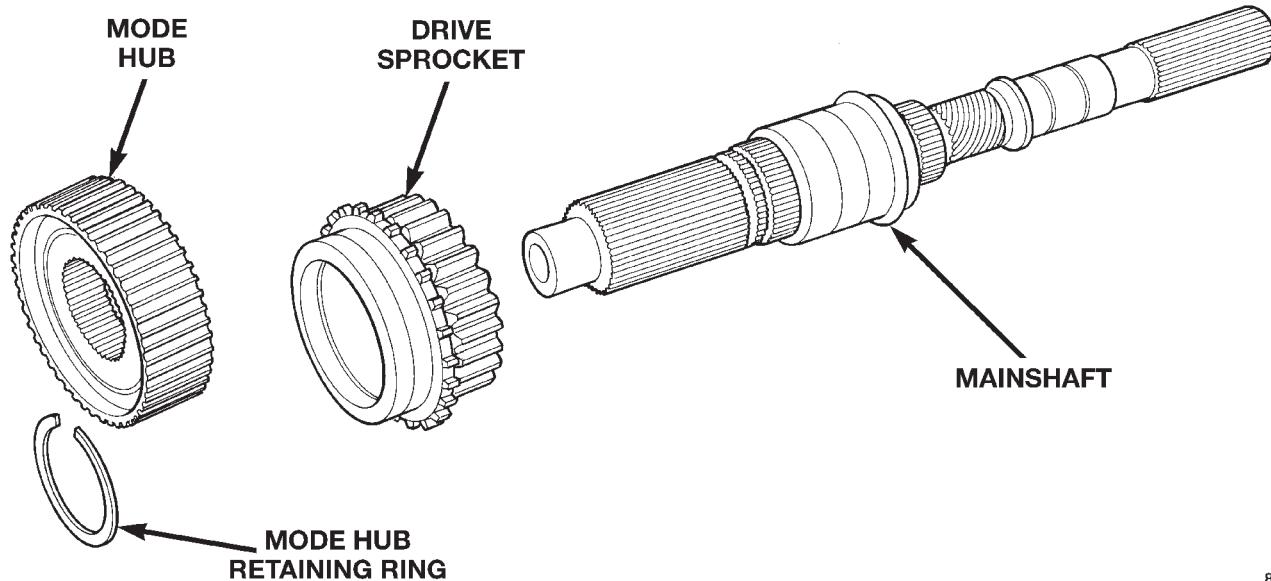
## SHIFT FORKS/HUBS/SLEEVES

Check condition of the shift forks and mode fork shift rail (Fig. 82). Minor nicks on the shift rail can be smoothed with 320–400 grit emery cloth.

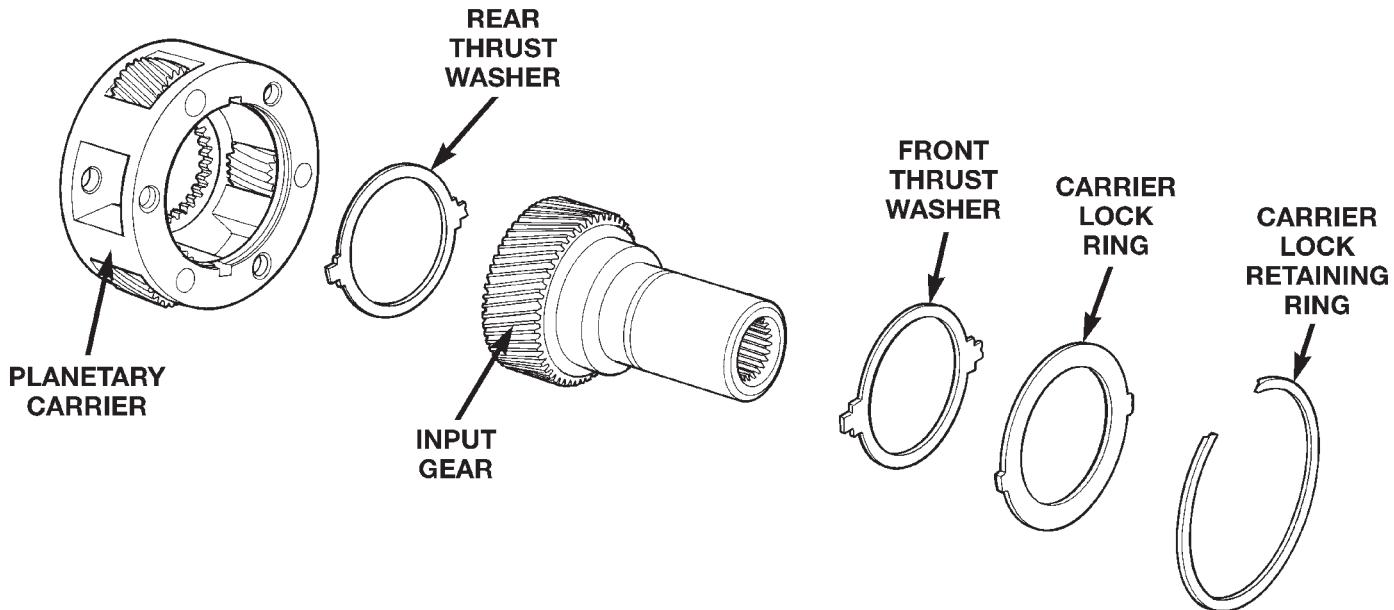
Inspect the shift fork wear pads (Fig. 83). The mode fork pads are serviceable and can be replaced if necessary. The range fork pads are not serviceable. The fork must be replaced as an assembly if the pads are worn or damaged.

Check both of the sleeves for wear or damage, especially on the interior teeth. Replace the sleeves if wear or damage is evident.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)



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*Fig. 80 Mainshaft, Mode Hub, And Drive Sprocket*

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*Fig. 81 Input Gear And Carrier Components*

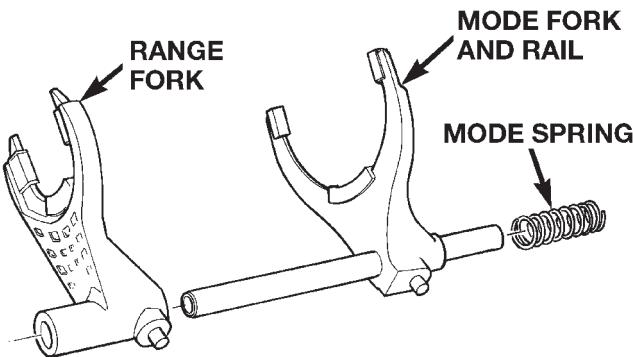
## REAR RETAINER/BEARING/ SEAL/SLINGER/ BOOT

Inspect the retainer components (Fig. 84). Replace the bearing if rough or noisy. Check the retainer for cracks or wear in the bearing bore. Clean the retainer sealing surfaces with a scraper and 3M all purpose cleaner. This will ensure proper adhesion of the sealer during reassembly.

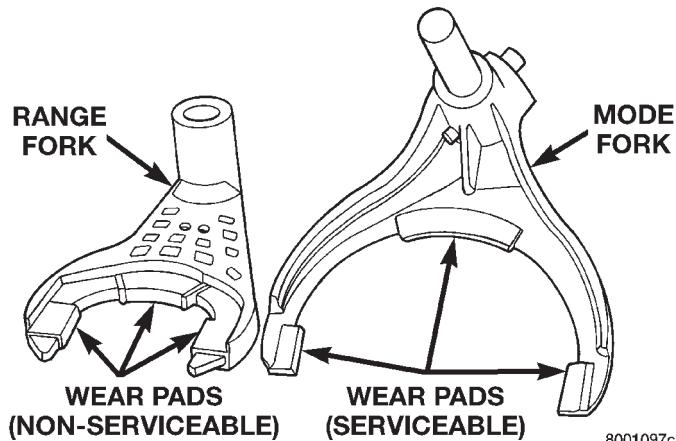
Replace the slinger and seal outright; do not reuse either part.

Inspect the retaining rings and washers. Replace any part if distorted, bent, or broken. Reuse is not recommended. Also replace the boot if cut or torn. Replace the boot band clamps, do not reuse them.

## CLEANING AND INSPECTION (Continued)



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**Fig. 82 Shift forks**

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**Fig. 83 Shift Fork And Wear Pad Locations**

## REAR OUTPUT SHAFT/YOKE/DRIVE CHAIN

Check condition of the seal contact surfaces of the yoke slinger (Fig. 85). This surface must be clean and smooth to ensure proper seal life. Replace the yoke nut and seal washer as neither part should be reused.

Inspect the shaft threads, sprocket teeth, and bearing surfaces. Minor nicks on the teeth can be smoothed with an oilstone. Use 320-400 grit emery to smooth minor scratches on the shaft bearing surfaces. Rough threads on the shaft can be chased if necessary. Replace the shaft if the threads are damaged, bearing surfaces are scored, or if any sprocket teeth are cracked or broken.

Examine the drive chain and shaft bearings. Replace the chain and both sprockets if the chain is stretched, distorted, or if any of the links bind. Replace the bearings if rough, or noisy.

## LOW RANGE ANNULUS GEAR

Inspect annulus gear condition carefully. The gear is only serviced as part of the front case. If the gear is damaged, it will be necessary to replace the gear and front case as an assembly. Do not attempt to remove the gear (Fig. 86)

## FRONT-REAR CASES AND FRONT RETAINER

Inspect the cases and retainer for wear and damage. Clean the sealing surfaces with a scraper and 3M all purpose cleaner. This will ensure proper sealer adhesion at assembly. Replace the input retainer seal; do not reuse it.

Check case condition. If leaks were a problem, look for gouges and severe scoring of case sealing surfaces. Also make sure the front case mounting studs are in good condition.

Check the front case mounting studs and vent tube. The tube can be secured with Loctite 271 or 680 if loose. The stud threads can be cleaned up with a die if necessary. Also check condition of the fill/drain plug threads in the rear case. The threads can be repaired with a thread chaser or tap if necessary. Or the threads can be repaired with Helicoil stainless steel inserts if required.

## OIL PUMP/OIL PICKUP

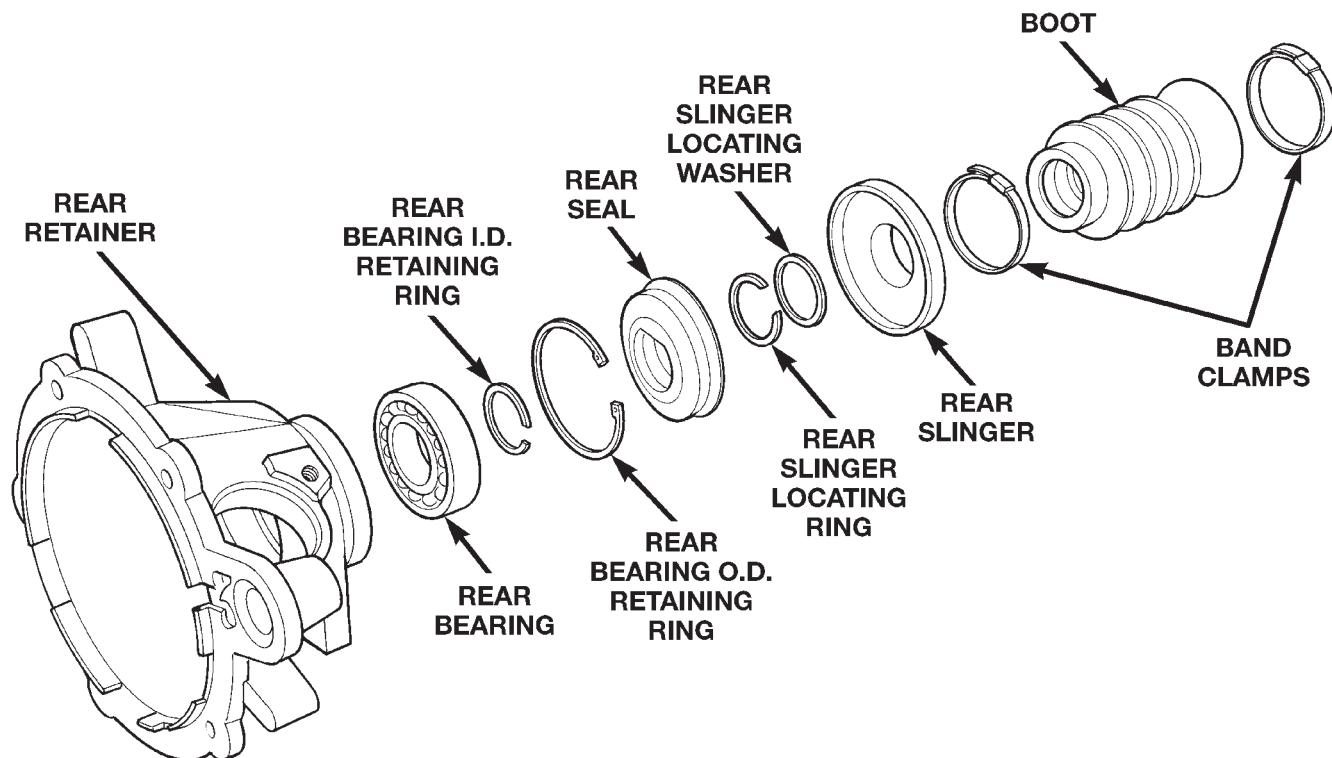
Examine the oil pump pickup parts. Replace the pump if any part appears to be worn or damaged. Do not disassemble the pump as individual parts are not available. The pump is only available as a complete assembly. The pickup screen, hose, and tube are the only serviceable parts and are available separately.

## ADJUSTMENTS

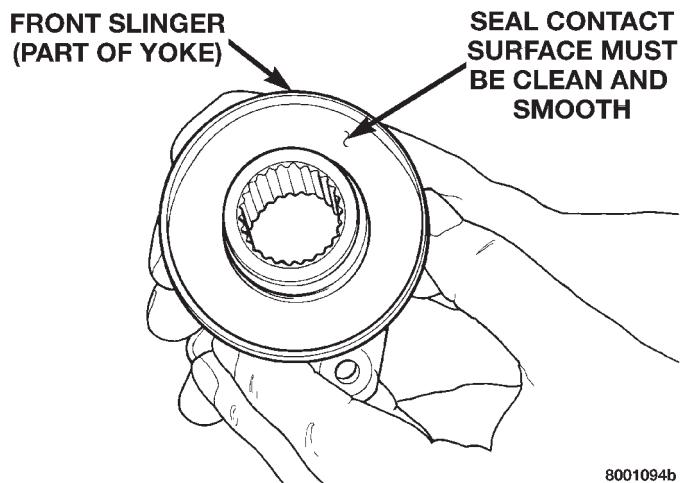
## SHIFT LINKAGE ADJUSTMENT

- (1) Shift transfer case into 4L position.
- (2) Raise vehicle.
- (3) Loosen lock bolt on adjusting trunnion (Fig. 87).
- (4) Be sure linkage rod slides freely in trunnion. Clean rod and apply spray lube if necessary.
- (5) Verify that transfer case range lever is fully engaged in 4L position.
- (6) Tighten adjusting trunnion lock bolt.
- (7) Lower vehicle.

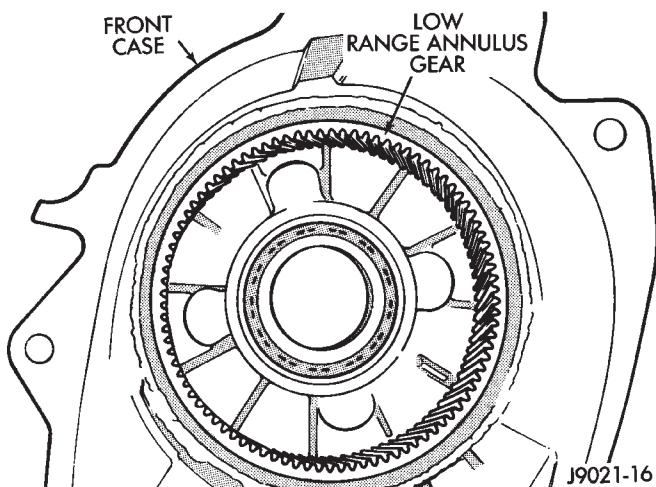
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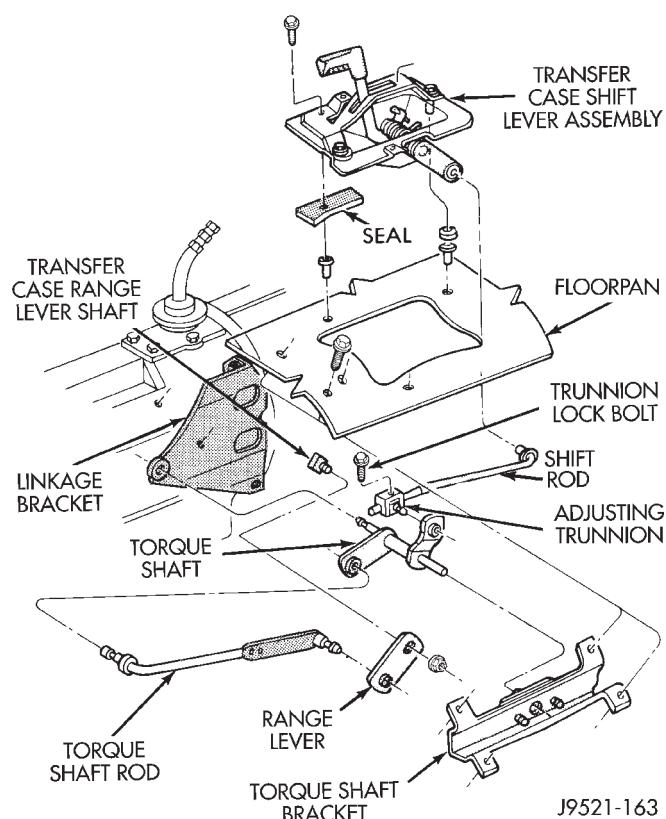
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*Fig. 84 Rear Retainer Components*

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*Fig. 85 Seal Contact Surface Of Yoke Slinger**Fig. 86 Low Range Annulus Gear*

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**Fig. 87 Shift Linkage**

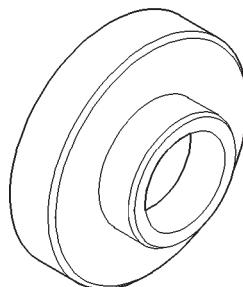
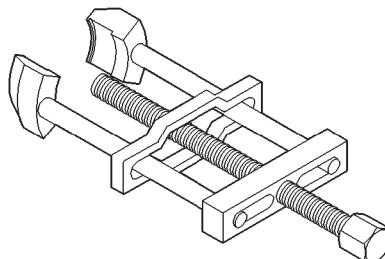
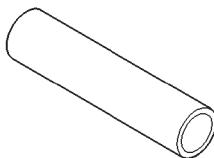
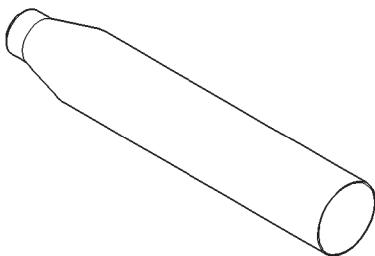
## SPECIFICATIONS

## TORQUE

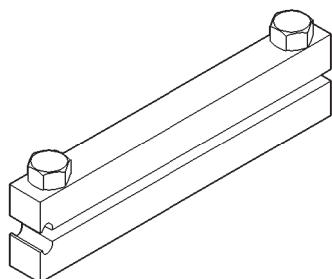
DESCRIPTION	TORQUE
Plug, Detent . . . . .	16–24 N·m (12–18 ft. lbs.)
Plug, Drain/Fill . . . . .	20–34 N·m (15–20 ft. lbs.)
Plug, Drain/Fill . . . . .	40–45 N·m (30–40 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, Extension Housing .	35–46 N·m (26–34 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, Front Brg. Retainer .	21 N·m (16 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, Case Half . . . . .	27–34 N·m (20–25 ft. lbs.)
Nut, Front Yoke . . . . .	122–176 N·m (90–130 ft. lbs.)
Nut, Range Lever . . . . .	27–34 N·m (20–25 ft. lbs.)
Bolt, Rear Retainer . . . . .	35–46 N·m (26–34 ft. lbs.)
Nuts, Mounting . . . . .	29–40 N·m (22–30 ft. lbs.)
Switch, Indicator . . . . .	20–34 N·m (15–25 ft. lbs.)

## SPECIAL TOOLS

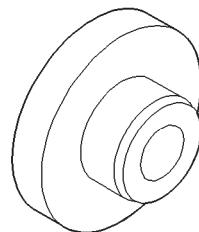
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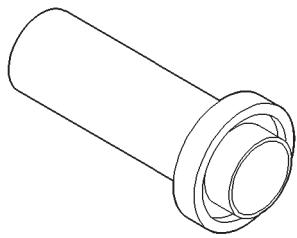
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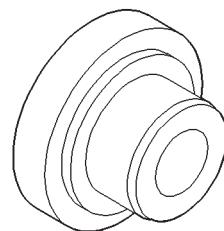
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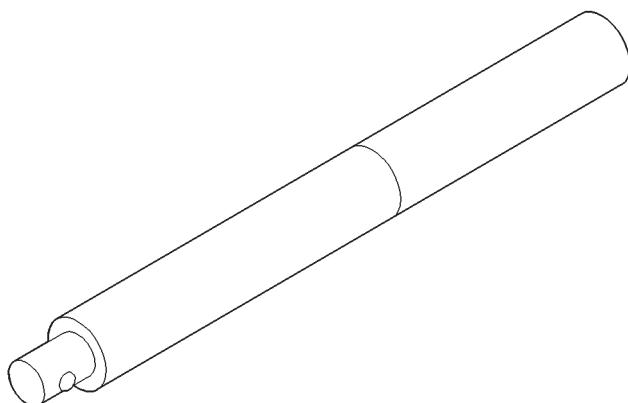
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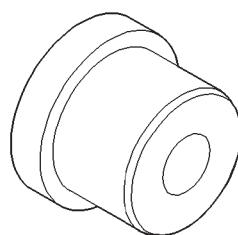
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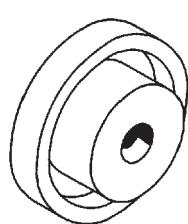
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*Handle, Universal—C-4171*



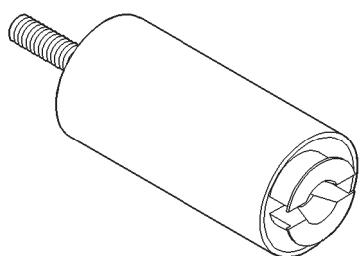
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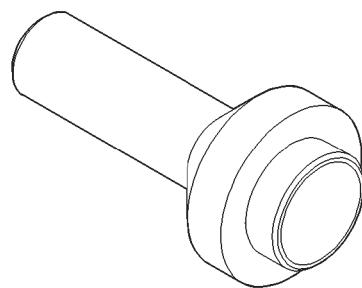
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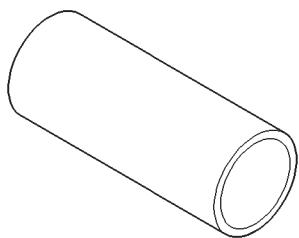
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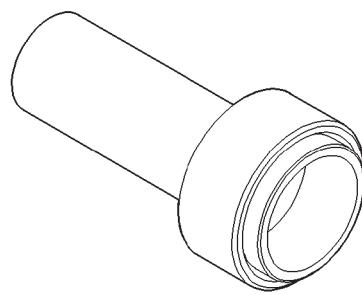
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*Installer, Seal—7884*



*Cup—8148*



*Installer, Pump Housing Seal—7888*