COMPRESSOR AND MAGNETIC CLUTCH ON-VEHICLE INSPECTION

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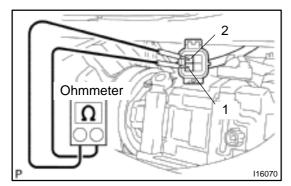
1. INSPECT COMPRESSOR FOR METALLIC SOUND

Check there is abnormal metallic sound from the compressor when the A/C switch is ON.

If abnormal metallic sound is heard, replace the compressor assembly.

- 2. INSPECT REFRIGERANT PRESSURE (See page AC-3)
- 3. INSPECT VISUALLY FOR LEAKAGE OF REFRIGER-ANT

Using a gas leak detector, check for leakage of refrigerant. If there is any leakage, replace the compressor assembly.



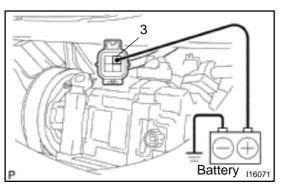
- 4. INSPECT COMPRESSOR LOCK SENSOR RESIS-TANCE
- (a) Disconnect the connector.
- (b) Using an ohmmeter, measure the resistance between terminals 1 and 2.

Standard resistance: 165 – 205 Ω at 20°C (68°F)

If resistance is not as specified, replace the sensor.

- 5. CHECK FOR LEAKAGE OF GREASE FROM CLUTCH BEARING
- 6. CHECK FOR SIGNS OF OIL ON PRESSURE PLATE OR ROTOR
- 7. INSPECT MAGNETIC CLUTCH BEARING FOR NOISE
- (a) Start engine.
- (b) Check for abnormal noise from the compressor when the A/C switch is OFF.

If abnormal noise is being emitted, replace the magnetic clutch.



^{8.} INSPECT MAGNETIC CLUTCH OPERATION

- (a) Disconnect the connector.
- (b) Connect the positive (+) lead form the battery to terminal 3 and the negative (-) lead to the body ground.
- (c) Check that the magnetic clutch energized.

If operation is not as specified, replace the magnetic clutch.