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AXLE AND DIFFERENTIAL STEERING KNUCKLE REMOVAL

CAUTION / NOTICE / HINT

HINT:

- · Use the same procedure for the RH and LH sides.
- The procedure listed below is for the LH side.

PROCEDURE

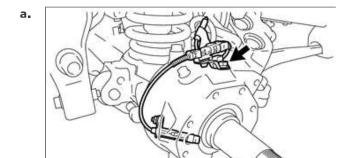
1.REMOVE FRONT AXLE HUB SUB-ASSEMBLY LH

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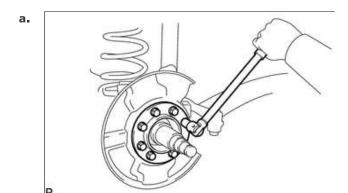
■ 2.DISCONNECT FRONT SPEED SENSOR LH (w/ ABS)



Remove the bolt and disconnect the front speed sensor LH.

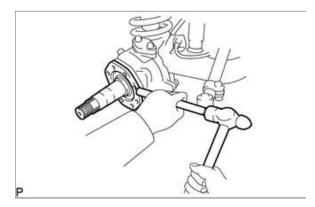
■ 3.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE SPINDLE SUB-ASSEMBLY

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Remove the 8 bolts, front axle hub dust seal, knuckle spindle oil retainer gasket and front disc brake dust cover.

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Using a brass bar and hammer, tap the knuckle spindle of the steering knuckle.

c. Remove the knuckle spindle and knuckle spindle gasket.

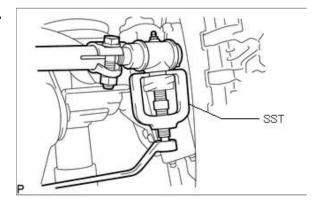
■ 4.REMOVE FRONT AXLE SHAFT ASSEMBLY

- a. Position one flat part of the outer shaft upward and remove the front axle shaft assembly.
 - **■** 5.DISCONNECT STEERING RELAY ROD (for RHD)

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a. Remove the cotter pin and nut.

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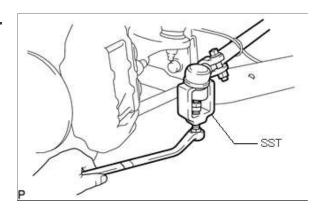
Using SST, disconnect the steering relay rod from the steering knuckle arm. SST 09611-22012

6.DISCONNECT TIE ROD END SUB-ASSEMBLY LH

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a. Remove the cotter pin and nut.

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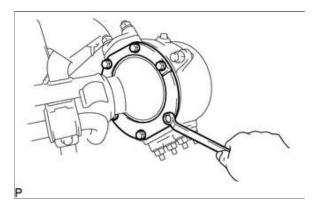


Using SST, disconnect the tie rod from the steering knuckle arm.

■ 7.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE OIL SEAL COVER

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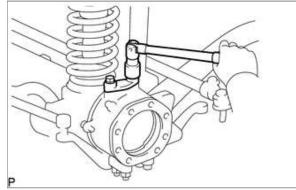


Remove the 6 bolts and 2 steering knuckle oil seal covers.

8.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE BEARING CAP

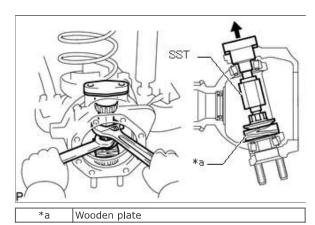
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Remove the 2 bolts from the bearing cap.

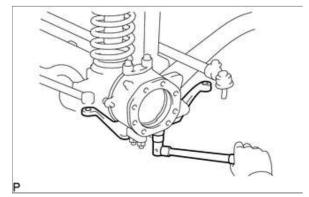




Using SST and wooden plate, remove the steering knuckle bearing cap and shim from the steering knuckle. **SST**

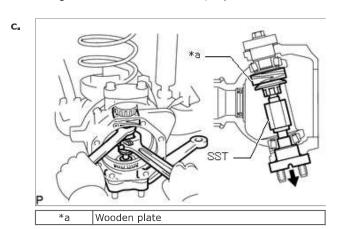
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Remove the 4 nuts from the No. 1 steering knuckle arm.

b. Using a brass bar and hammer, tap on the heads of the 4 bolts to remove the 4 cone washers.



Using SST and wooden plate, remove the No. 1 steering knuckle arm from the steering knuckle. ${\it SST}$

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d. Remove the steering knuckle king pin dust or ring seal from the No.1 steering knuckle arm.

■ 10.REMOVE NO. 2 STEERING KNUCKLE ARM

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HINT:

Use the same procedure described for the No. 1 steering knuckle arm.

■ 11.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE OIL SEAL SUB-ASSEMBLY

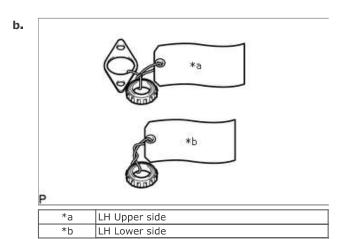
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a. Remove the steering knuckle outer oil seal, steering knuckle inner oil seal and steering knuckle oil seal inner ring from the steering knuckle.

12 REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE LH

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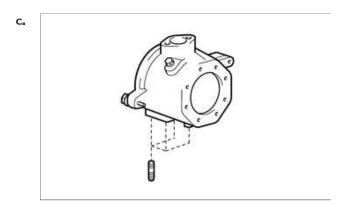
a. Remove the steering knuckle from the front axle housing assembly.



Remove 2 steering knuckle arm bearings from the steering knuckle.

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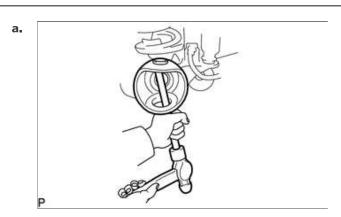
Mark the removed adjusting shim and bearings so as to enable reassembling them to their proper positions.



Using an E12 "TORX" socket wrench, remove the 4 steering set stud bolts frome the steeing knuckle LH.

■ 13.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE ARM BEARING

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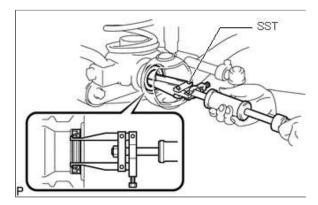


Using a brass bar and hammer, remove the 2 bearing outer races.

14.REMOVE FRONT DRIVE SHAFT TYPE T OIL SEAL

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a.

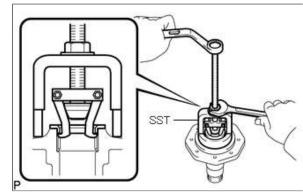


Using SST, remove the front drive shaft type T oil seal from the front axle housing assembly. SST
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15.REMOVE STEERING KNUCKLE BUSHING

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Using SST, remove the steering knuckle bushing from the steering knuckle spindle. **SST**

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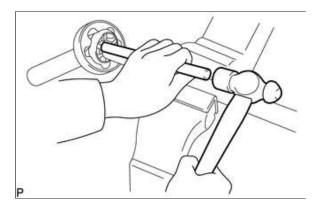
b. Remove the needle roller bearing from the steering knuckle spindle.

■ 16.REMOVE FRONT AXLE OUTER SHAFT SUB-ASSEMBLY

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a. Secure the front axle inner shaft LH in a vise using aluminum plates.





Place a brass bar against the joint inner race and remove the front axle outer shaft assembly.

When removing the outer shaft, the snap ring will be broken.

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