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22 Power steering system - bleeding

- 1 With the engine stopped, fill the fluid reservoir to the top with the specified type of fluid.
- 2 With the engine running, slowly move the steering from lock-to-lock twice to purge out the trapped air, then stop the engine and top-off the level in the fluid reservoir. Repeat this procedure until the fluid level in the reservoir does not drop any further.
- 3 If, when turning the steering, an abnormal noise is heard from the fluid lines, it indicates that there is still air in the system. Check this by turning the wheels to the straight-ahead position and switching off the engine. If the fluid level in the reservoir rises, then air is present in the system and further <u>bleeding</u> is necessary.

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