

CHARGING

1. INSTALL CHARGING CYLINDER

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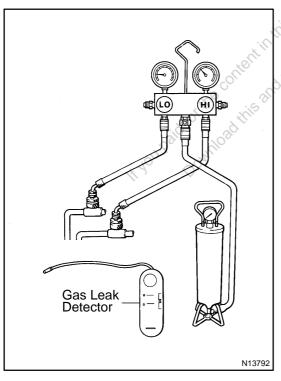
When handling the charging cylinder, always follow the directions given in the instruction manual.

- (a) Charge the proper amount of refrigerant into the charging cylinder.
- (b) Connect the center hose to the charging cylinder.

CAUTION:

Do not open both high and low hand valves of manifold gauge set.

- (c) Open the valve of charging cylinder.
- (d) Press the valve core on the side of manifold gauge and expel the air inside of the center hose.



2. INSPECT REFRIGERATION SYSTEM FOR LEAKS

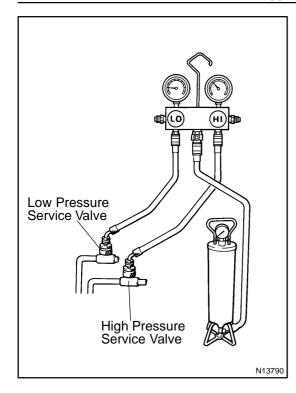
- (a) Open the high pressure hand valve and charge refrigerant
- (b) When the low pressure gauge indicates 98 kPa (1 kgf/cm², 14 psi) close the high pressure hand valve.
- (c) Using a gas leak detector, check the system for leakage.

CAUTION:

Use the refrigerant recovery/ recycling machine to recover the refrigerant whenever replacing parts.

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3. CHARGE REFRIGERANT INTO REFRIGERANT SYSTEM

If there is no leak after refrigerant leak check, charge the proper amount of refrigerant into refrigeration system.

CAUTION:

- Never run the engine when charging the system through the high pressure side.
- Do not open the low pressure hand valve when the system is being charged with liquid refrigerant.
- (a) Open the high pressure hand valve fully.
- (b) Charge specified amount of refrigerant, then close the high pressure hand valve.

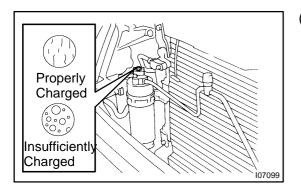
HINT:

A fully charged system is indicated by the sight glass being free of any bubbles.

- (c) Charge partially refrigeration system with refrigerant.
 - (1) Set vehicle in these condition:
 - Running engine at 1,500 rpm
 - Blower speed control set at "HI"
 - Temperature control set at "MAX. COOL"
 - Air inlet control set at "RECIRC"
 - Fully open doors (Sliding roof: closed)
 - (2) Open the low pressure hand valve.

CAUTION:

Do not open the high pressure hand valve.



(d) Charge refrigerant until bubbles disappear and check the pressure on the gauge through the sight glass.

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