

COOLANT (1MZ-FE/3MZ-FE)

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REPLACEMENT

1. DRAIN ENGINE COOLANT

- (a) Remove the radiator cap.

CAUTION:

Do not remove the radiator cap while the engine and radiator are still hot. Pressurized, hot engine coolant and steam may be released and cause serious burns.

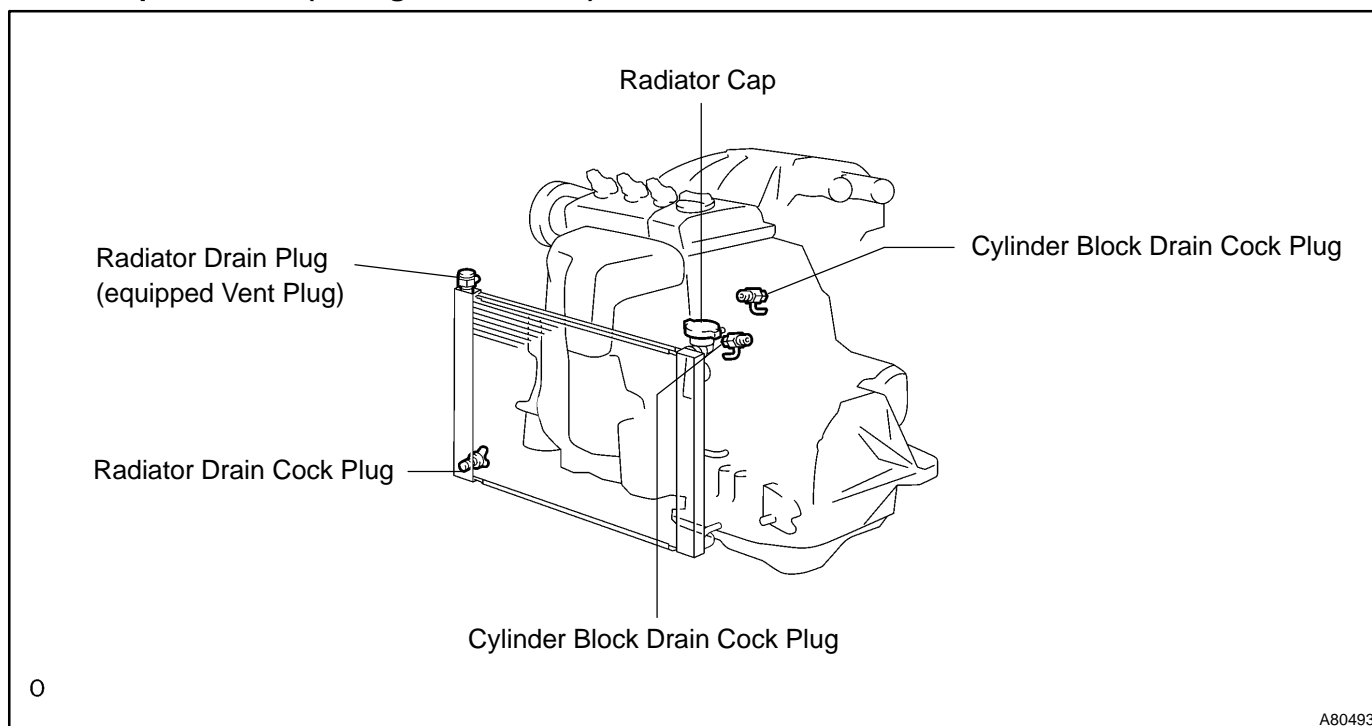
- (b) Drain engine coolant by loosening the radiator drain cock plug and the engine's cylinder block drain cock plug.

HINT:

Engine coolant inside the radiator is drained from the drain hole located on the bottom of the engine under cover.

- (c) Tighten the cylinder block drain cock plugs.

Torque: 13 N·m (130 kgf·cm, 10 ft·lbf)



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2. ADD ENGINE COOLANT

- (a) Tighten the radiator drain plug.
 (b) Add engine coolant into the radiator until it overflows.

Capacity: 9.2 liters (9.7 US qts, 8.1 Imp. qts)

HINT:

- Use of improper coolants may damage the engine cooling system.
- Use "Toyota Super Long Life Coolant" or similar high quality ethylene glycol based non-silicate, non-amine, non-nitrite, and non-borate coolant with long-life hybrid organic acid technology.
- New Toyota vehicles are filled with Toyota Super Long Life Coolant (color is pink, premixed ethylene-glycol concentration is approximately 50% and freezing temperature is -35°C (-31°F)). When replacing the coolant, Toyota Super Long Life Coolant is recommended.
- Observe the coolant level inside the radiator by pressing the inlet and outlet radiator hoses several times by hand. If the coolant level goes down, add the coolant.

NOTICE:**Do not use plain water alone.**

- (c) Pour coolant into the radiator reservoir tank until the coolant reaches the full line.
- (d) Install the radiator cap.
- (e) Warm up the engine.

HINT:

As the engine warms up, press the inlet and outlet radiator hoses several times by hand.

- (f) Stop the engine and wait until the coolant cools down to room temperature.
- (g) Remove the radiator cap and check the coolant level inside the radiator.
- (h) If the coolant level is below the full level, repeat steps (c) to (g) until the coolant level stays the same from step (c) to (g).
- (i) Install the radiator cap and check the radiator reservoir tank coolant level. If it is below the full line, add coolant.

3. CHECK FOR ENGINE COOLANT LEAKS

- (a) Fill the radiator with coolant and attach a radiator cap tester.
- (b) Pump it to 118 kPa (1.2 kgf/cm², 17.1 psi) and check leakage.