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PART 14-03 Front Suspension

UPPER SUSPENSION ARM

Installation

- Position the upper suspension arm to the frame and install the two bolts from the outside, into the arm.
- 2. Install the retaining nuts on the two bolts and torque to 58 ft-lb.
- Install the upper ball joint to the upper suspension arm.
- Remove the support wire from the brake caliper and install the brake caliper on the brake rotor (see Group 12, Part 10).
- 5. Install the tire and wheel.
- 6. Lower the car to the ground.
- Check the caster, camber, and toein.

Torque-Tension Relationship for Metric Fasteners

Nominal Dia.	Pitch	4.6 Class 4.6				8.8 Class 8.8				
(mm)		Clamp	Tig	htening Torqu	ie	Clamp	Tightening Torque			
		Load	Lubricated	Zinc Plated	Plain&Dry	Load	Lubric ated	Zinc Plated	Plain & Dry	
		(lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	
12	1.75	3197	18.9	21.4	25.2	8240	48.7	55.1	64.9	
12	1.75	3197	10.9	21.4	20.2	0240	40.7	33.1	04.9	

Nominal Dia.	Pitch	10.9 Class 10.9				12.9 Class 12.9			
(m m)	ĺ	Clamp	mp Tightening Torque			Clamp	Tightening Torque		
		Load	Lubricated	Zinc Plated	Plain&Dry	Load	Lubricated	As-Received	Plain&Dry
		(lbs)	(ft-lb s)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)	(ft-lbs)
10	4.75	4.4700	20.0	70.0		40704	24.4		400.5
12	1.75	11792	69.6	78.9	92.8	13781	81.4	92.2	108.5

The torque values can only be achieved if nut (or tapped hole) has a proof load greater than or equal to the bolt's minimum ultimate tensile strength.

Clamp loads estimated as 75% of proof load for specified bolts.

Torque values listed in foot-pounds.

Torque values calculated from formula T=KDF where;

K=0.15 for "lubricated" condition,

K=0.17 for zinc plated and dry condition (or as-received for the 12.9),

K=0.20 for plain and dry condition