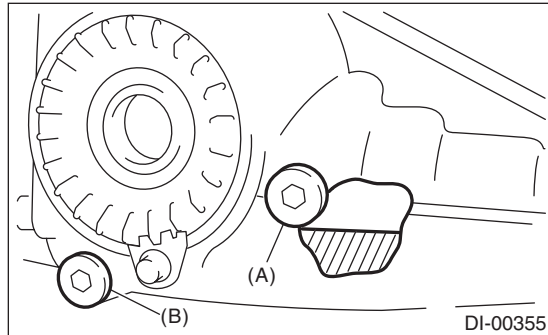


2. Differential Gear Oil

A: INSPECTION

- 1) Lift up the vehicle.
- 2) Remove the filler plug, and check the differential gear oil. Replace the gear oil if it is contaminated, deteriorated or cloudy. <Ref. to DI-17, REPLACEMENT, Differential Gear Oil.>
- 3) Check that the gear oil level is within -5 mm (-0.2 in) from the bottom of the filler plug hole. If the level is low, make sure that there is no oil leakage and re-fill up to the bottom of filler plug hole.



- (A) Filler plug
(B) Oil drain plug

- 4) Install the filler plug.

NOTE:

Use a new gasket.

Tightening torque:

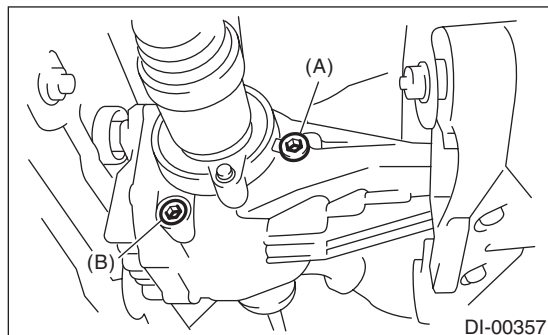
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B: REPLACEMENT

CAUTION:

- Gear oil is extremely hot immediately after driving. Be wary of receiving burns.
- Be careful not to spill the differential gear oil on exhaust pipe. If gear oil is spilled, wipe it off completely.

- 1) Lift up the vehicle.
- 2) Remove the oil drain plug and filler plug, and drain the gear oil.



- (A) Filler plug
(B) Oil drain plug

- 3) Tighten the oil drain plug.

NOTE:

Use a new gasket.

Tightening torque:

$50\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ ($5.1\text{ kgf}\cdot\text{m}$, $36.9\text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$)

- 4) Fill the differential carrier with gear oil to the bottom of filler plug.

NOTE:

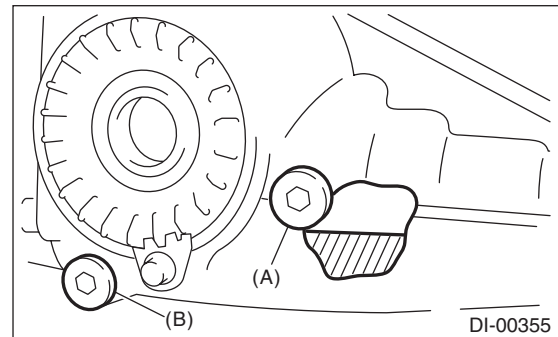
Carefully refill oil while watching the level. Excessive or insufficient oil must be avoided.

Recommended gear oil:

<Ref. to DI-2, SPECIFICATION, General Description.>

Oil capacity:

0.8 L (0.8 US qt , 0.7 Imp qt)



- (A) Filler plug
(B) Oil drain plug

- 5) Install the filler plug.

NOTE:

Use a new gasket.

Tightening torque:

$50\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ ($5.1\text{ kgf}\cdot\text{m}$, $36.9\text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$)