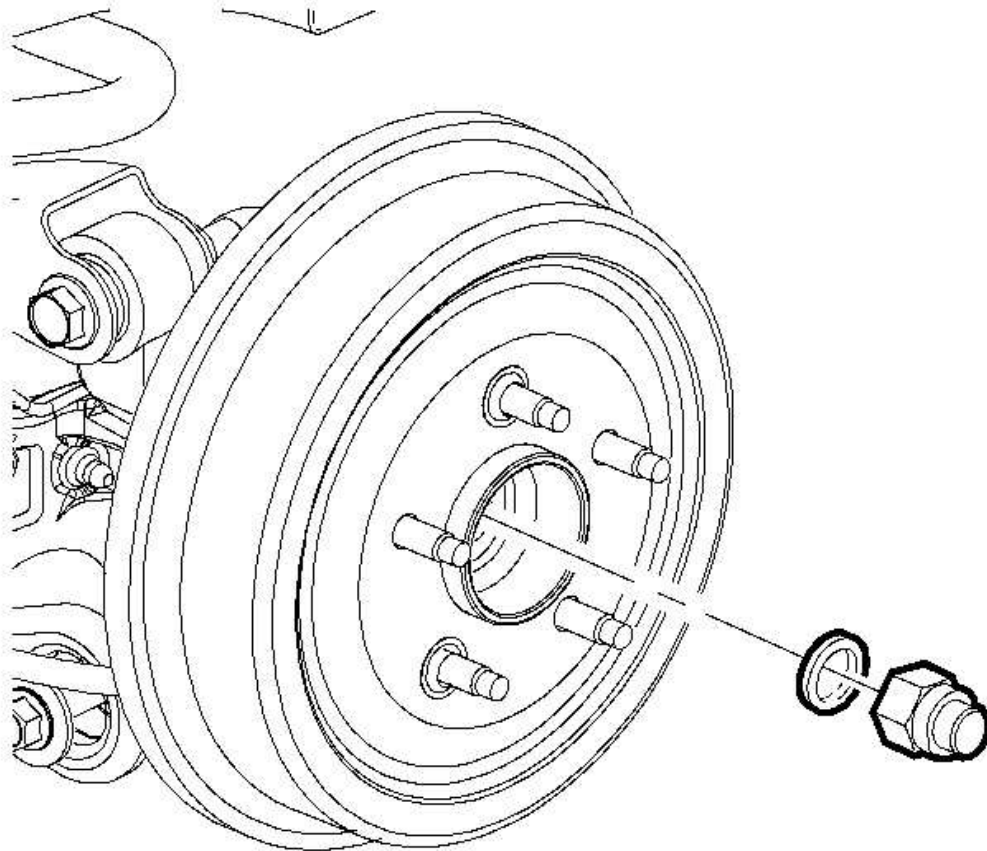


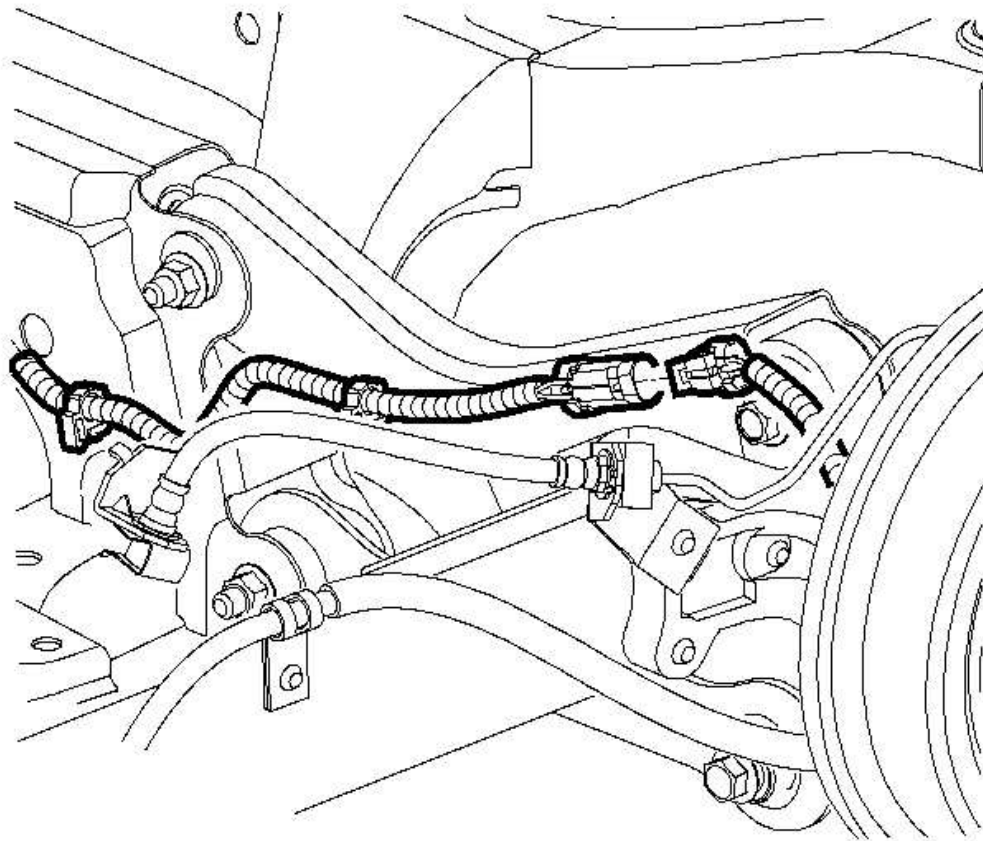
## WHEEL BEARING/HUB REPLACEMENT - REAR

### Removal Procedure



**Fig. 1: View Of Rear Wheel Drive Shaft Spindle Nut**  
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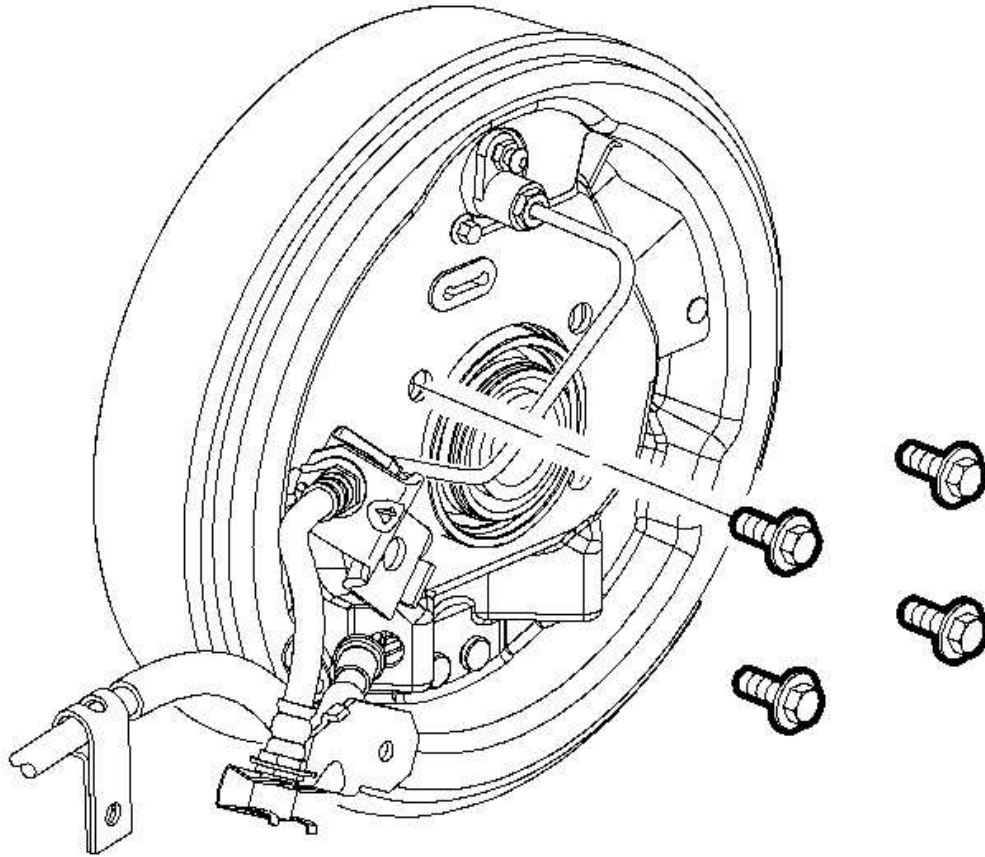
1. Remove the rear brake drum. Refer to **Brake Drum Replacement** in Drum Brakes.
2. On vehicles with all-wheel drive, remove the wheel drive shaft spindle nut.



**Fig. 2: Disconnecting/Connecting Wheel Speed Sensor Electrical Connector**  
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3. Disconnect the wheel speed sensor electrical connector, if equipped.

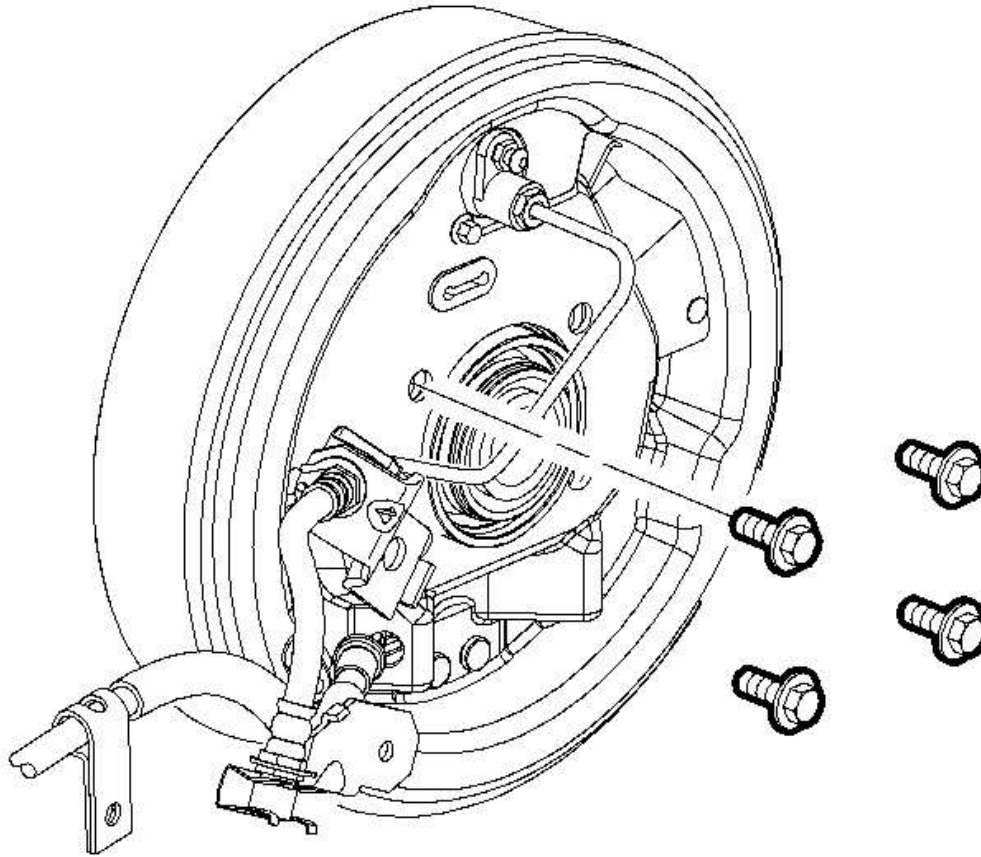
**IMPORTANT: Do not damage the wheel drive shaft joint seal.**



**Fig. 3: View Of Wheel Bearing/Hub & Mounting Bolts**  
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4. Support the wheel drive shaft with heavy mechanic's wire, or equivalent.
5. Remove the wheel bearing/hub mounting bolts.
6. Remove the wheel bearing/hub assembly from the suspension knuckle.

**Installation Procedure**



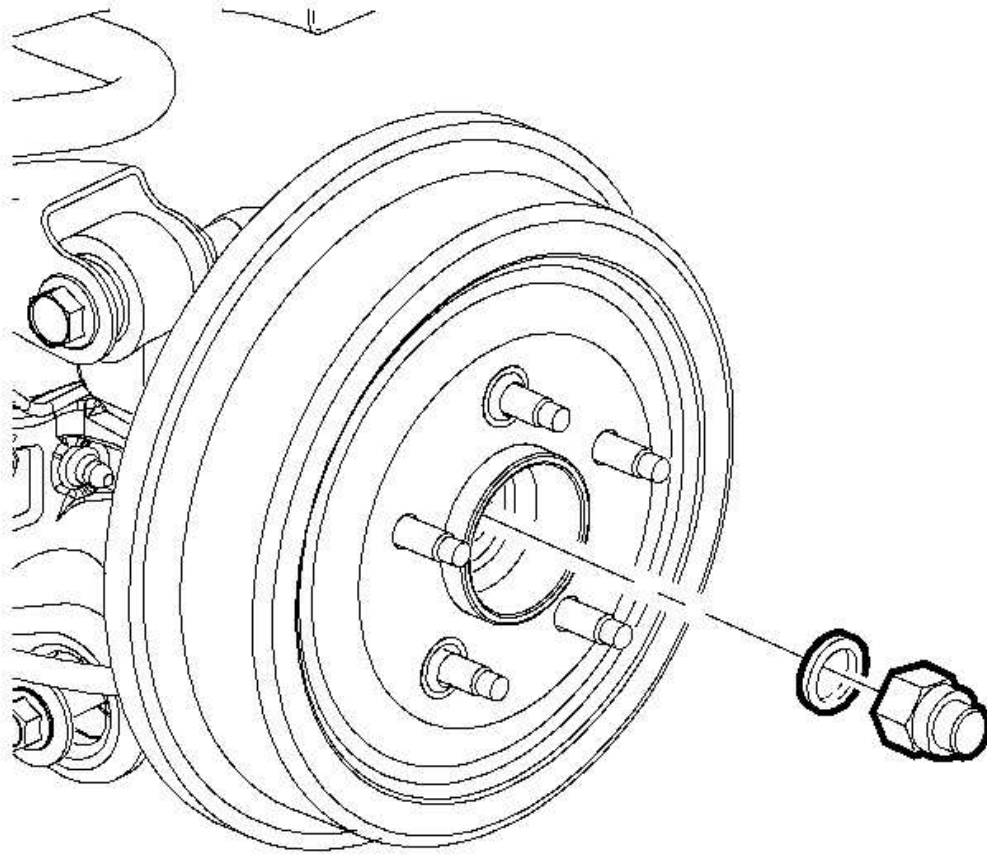
**Fig. 4: View Of Wheel Bearing/Hub & Mounting Bolts**  
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1. Install the wheel bearing/hub assembly to the steering knuckle.

**NOTE:** Refer to **Fastener Notice** in Cautions and Notices.

2. Install the wheel bearing/hub mounting bolts.

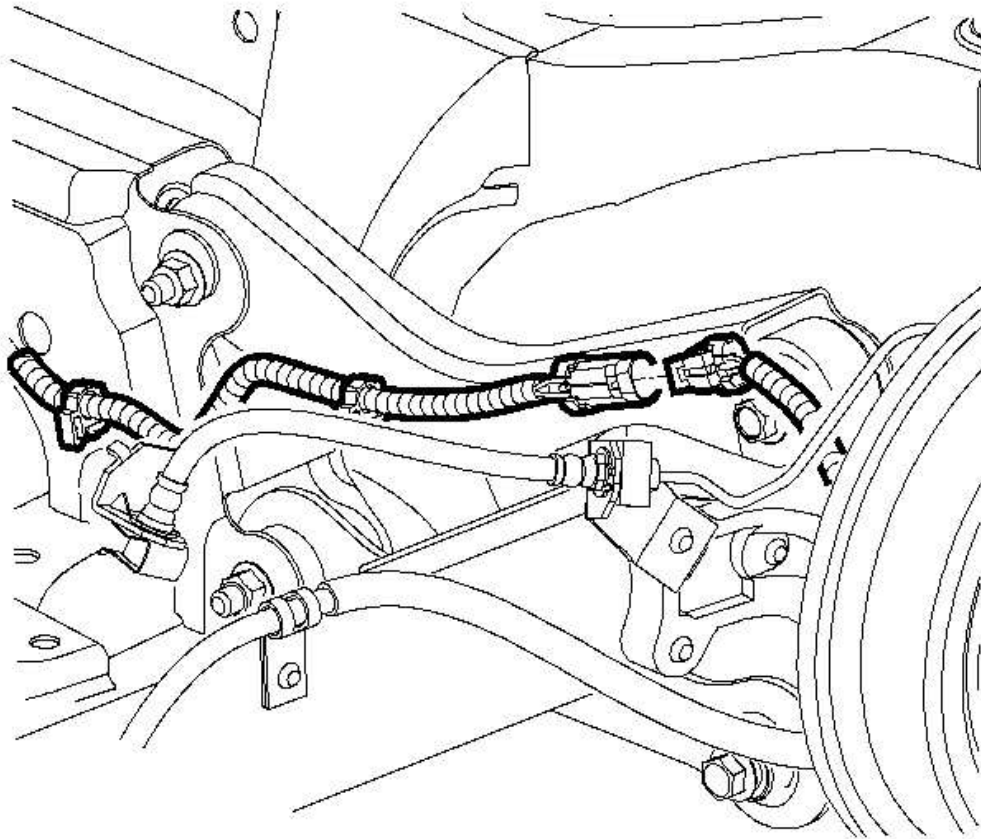
**Tighten:** Tighten the bolts to 84 N.m (62 lb ft).



**Fig. 5: View Of Rear Wheel Drive Shaft Spindle Nut**  
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3. On all-wheel drive vehicles, install the wheel drive shaft spindle nut.

**Tighten:** Tighten the nut to 125 N.m (92 lb ft).



**Fig. 6: Disconnecting/Connecting Wheel Speed Sensor Electrical Connector**  
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4. If equipped, route the wheel speed sensor electrical harness through the backing plate and seat the grommet.
5. Connect the wheel speed sensor electrical connector.
6. Install the rear brake drum. Refer to **Brake Drum Replacement** in Drum Brakes.