

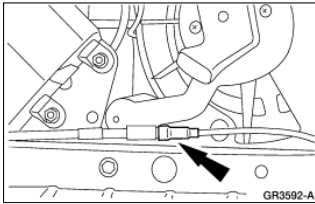
## Instrument Panel

### Removal

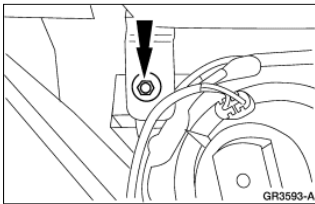


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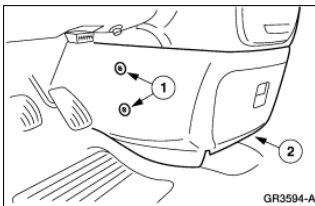
1. Remove the steering wheel. Refer to [Section 211-04](#).
2. Remove the passenger side air bag module. Refer to [Section 501-20B](#).
3. Disconnect the antenna in-line connector.



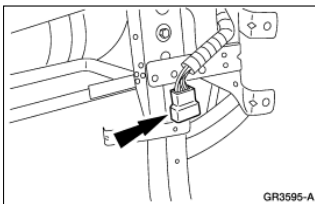
4. Remove the RH instrument panel reinforcement bolt.



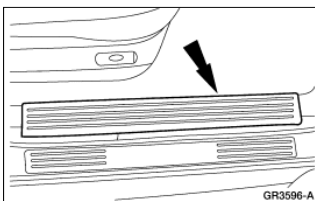
5. Close the glove compartment.
6. Remove the utility compartment.
  1. Remove the four two part pin type retainers.
  2. Remove the utility compartment.
    - Disconnect the power point electrical connector.



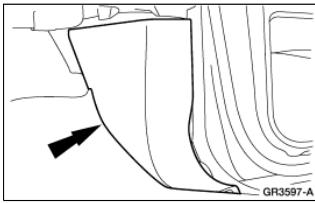
7. If equipped, disconnect the compact disc changer electrical connector.
8. Release the compact disc changer electrical connector locator.



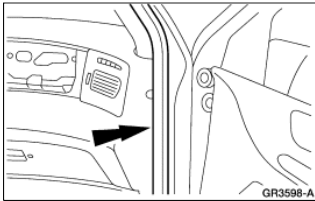
9. Remove the LH and RH scuff plates.



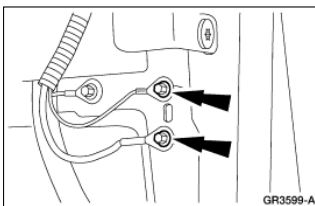
10. Remove the LH and RH A-pillar lower trim panels.



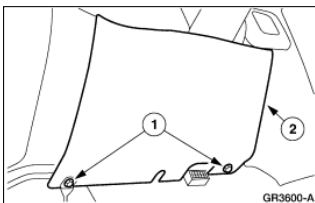
11. Position the LH and RH front door weatherstrip seals aside.



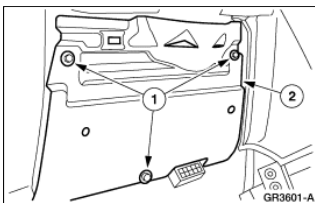
12. Remove the RH ground bolts.



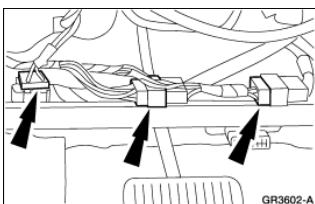
13. If equipped, remove LH and RH instrument panel lower insulators.
14. Remove the instrument panel lower steering column opening cover.
1. Remove the screws.
  2. Remove the instrument panel lower steering column opening cover.



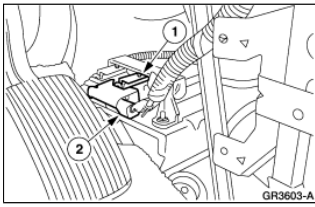
15. Remove the instrument panel opening cover reinforcement.
1. Remove the bolts.
  2. Remove the instrument panel opening cover reinforcement.



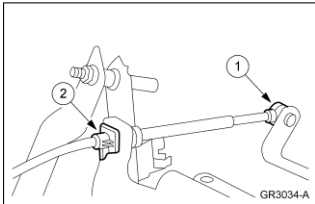
16. Disconnect the LH wiring harness electrical connectors.



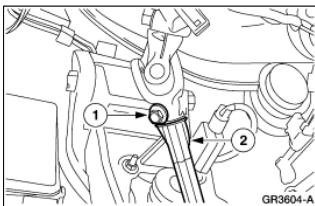
17. Disconnect the electronic crash sensor (ECS) electrical connector.
1. Release the locking clip.
  2. Disconnect the ECS electrical connector.



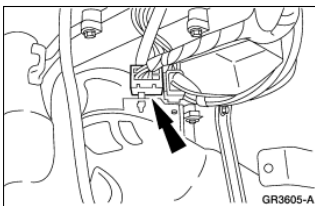
18. Disconnect the automatic transmission shift cable.
1. Disconnect the cable from the steering column shift tube lever.
  2. Disconnect the cable from the steering column bracket.



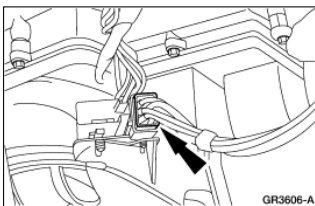
19. Separate the intermediate shaft from the steering column.
1. Remove the pinch bolt.
  2. Separate the intermediate shaft from the steering column.



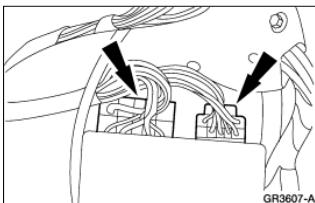
20. Disconnect the climate control harness electrical connector.



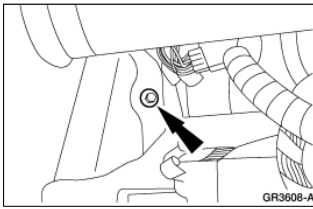
21. Disconnect the climate control vacuum harness connector.



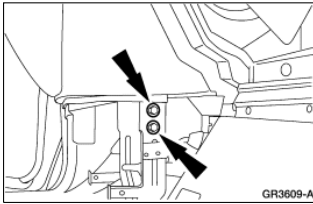
22. Disconnect the fuse junction panel electrical connectors.



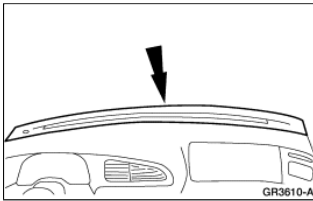
23. Remove the LH instrument panel reinforcement bolt.



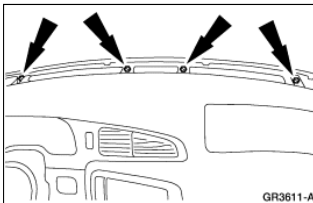
24. Remove the four instrument panel center support bolts.



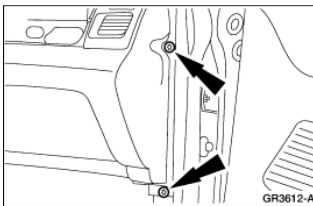
25. Remove the instrument panel defroster opening grille.  
 • If equipped, disconnect the sunload sensor electrical connector.



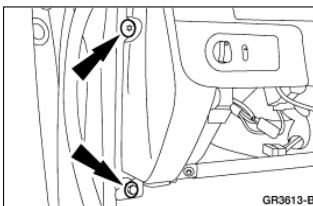
26. Remove the cowl top bolts.



27. Remove the RH cowl side bolts.



28. Remove the LH cowl side bolts.



29. **NOTE:** Two technicians are required to carry out this step.

Remove the instrument panel.

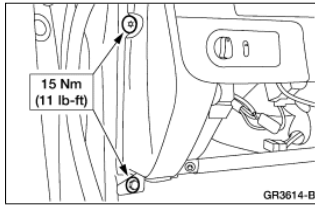
**Installation**

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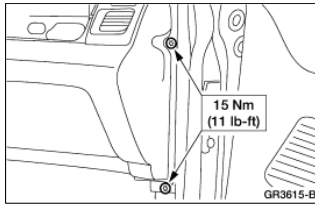
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Install the instrument panel.

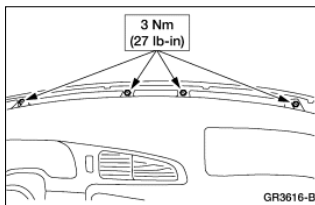
2. Install the LH cowl side bolts.



3. Install the RH cowl side bolts.

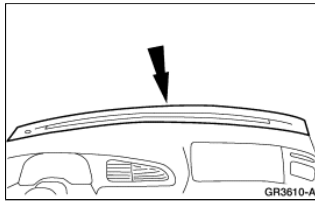


4. Install the cowl top bolts.

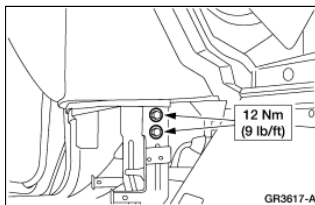


5. Install the instrument panel defroster opening grille.

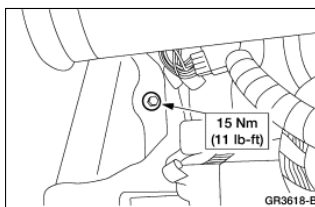
- If equipped, connect the sunload sensor electrical connector.



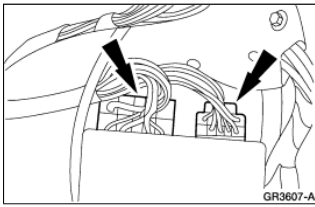
6. Install the four instrument panel center support bolts.



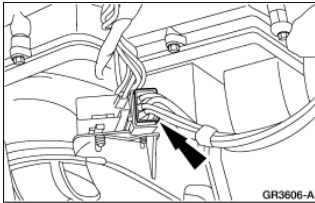
7. Install the LH instrument panel reinforcement bolt.



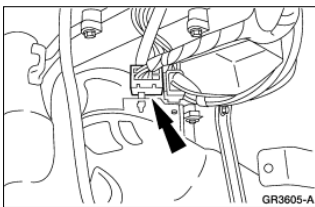
8. Connect the fuse junction panel electrical connectors.



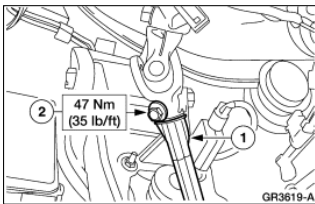
9. Connect the climate control vacuum harness.



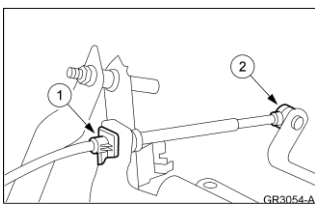
10. Connect the climate control harness electrical connector.



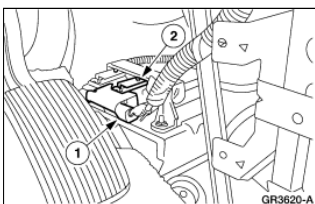
11. Connect the intermediate shaft to the steering column.  
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 2. Install the pinch bolt.



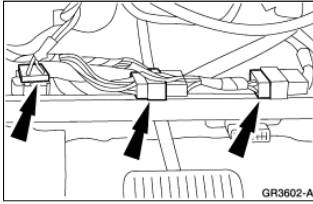
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 2. Connect the cable to the steering column shift tube lever.



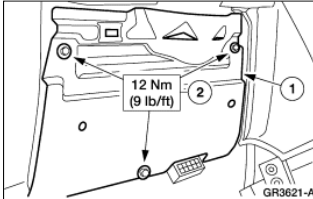
13. Connect the ECS electrical connector.  
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 2. Insert the locking clip.



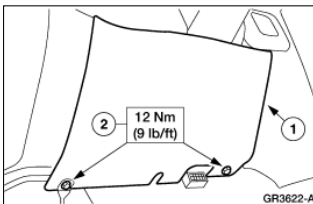
14. Connect the LH wiring harness electrical connectors.



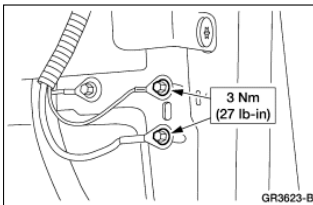
15. Install the instrument panel steering column opening cover reinforcement.
  1. Position the instrument panel steering column opening cover reinforcement.
  2. Install the bolts.



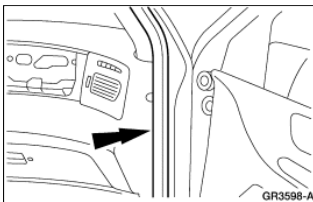
16. Install the instrument panel steering column opening cover.
  1. Position the instrument panel steering column opening cover.
  2. Install the screws.



17. If equipped, install the LH and RH instrument panel lower insulators.
18. Install the RH ground bolts.

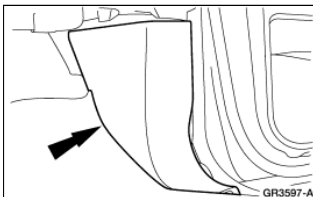


19. Install the LH and RH front door weatherstrip seals.



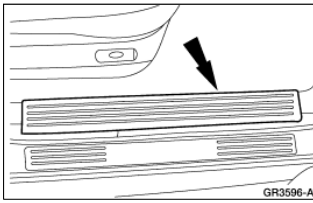
20. **NOTE:** Verify that the locating tabs at the rear edge of the A-pillar lower trim panels are inserted into the scuff plate attachments.

Install the LH and RH A-pillar lower trim panels.

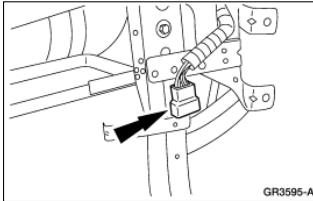


21. **NOTE:** Verify that all the clips are installed onto the back side of the scuff plates before installation. Inspect the clips for missing attachments and replace as needed.

Install the LH and RH scuff plates.

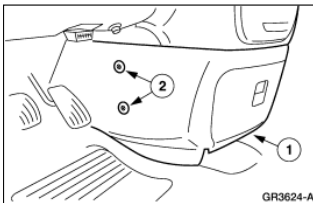


22. Engage the compact disc changer electrical connector locator.

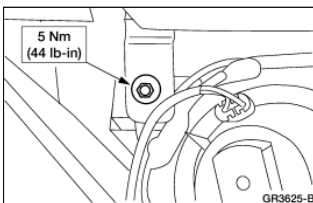


23. If equipped, connect the compact disc changer electrical connector.

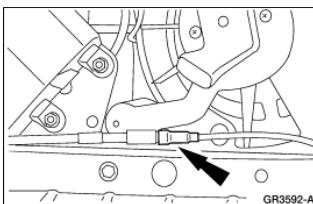
24. Install the utility compartment.
- Connect the power point electrical connector.
  - 2. Position the utility compartment.
  - 3. Install the four two part pin type retainers.



25. Open the glove compartment.
26. Install the RH instrument panel reinforcement bolt.



27. Connect the antenna in-line connector.



28. Install the passenger side air bag module. Refer to [Section 501-20B](#).
29. Install the steering wheel. Refer to [Section 211-04](#).

