

Parts & Service Information

Subject: Coolant Leakage At Water Pump

Application: 9000 with 2.0L Engine

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When attempting to diagnose a water pump leak, it is extremely important to determine where the coolant is leaking before performing any corrective action and/or replacing the pump unnecessarily.

In addition to hose connections, leakage may occur:

- at the shaft seal. This will result in coolant being evident around the weep hole. See Figure 1-3.
- at the connections between the by-pass pipe (see Figure I-I) and the water pump (see Figure 1-2).

Cars Affected:

9000 models with 2.0L engine up to 1990

Parts:

Action A:

Water Pump Kit 93 21 670

(Consists of: water pump, gasket and o-ring)

Action B:

O-Ring 79 72 696

Gasket 75 66 581

Action:

A. If leakage can be traced to the shaft seal and this results in low coolant level in the expansion tank, then the water pump should be replaced. Order Kit P/N 93 21 670.

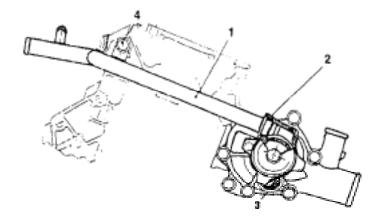


Figure 1. Areas Indicating Where Water Pump May Leak

- B. If leakage is found at the connection between the by-pass pipe (see Figure I-I), and the water pump (see Figure 1-2), then thoroughly clean the area around these parts:
- 1. Drain coolant.
- Remove the water pump.
- 3. Loosen the bolt (see Figure 1-4) for the by-pass pipe.
- 4. Thoroughly clean the mating surfaces on the by-pass pipe and water pump.
- 5. Fit a new O-ring on the by-pass pipe. Order P/N 79 72 696.
- 6. Insert the by-pass pipe into the water pump and refit the pump using a new gasket.
- 7. Press the by-pass pipe firmly into the water pump and tighten the bolt (see Figure 1-4).
- a. Refill with coolant.
- 9. Start the engine, let it run up to temperature and verify that there is no more leakage.