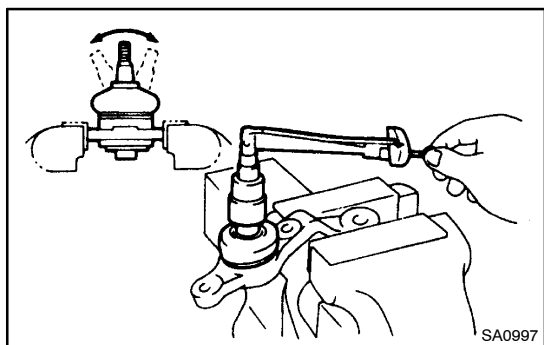


INSPECTION

1. INSPECT LOWER BALL JOINT BOOT FOR DAMAGE



2. INSPECT LOWER BALL JOINT FOR ROTATION CONDITION

- (a) As shown in the illustration, flip the ball joint stud back and forth 5 times, before installing the nut.
- (b) Using a torque wrench, turn the nut continuously 1 turn per 2 - 4 seconds and take the torque reading on the 5th turn.

Turning torque:

0.1 - 2.5 N·m (1 - 25 kgf·cm, 0 - 22 in.·lbf)