

## NISSAN Z HEAT EXCHANGER

# **INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS**

Nissan Z 2022-

## Introduction ///

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## DISASSEMBLY ///

1. Begin by raising the car and removing the front wheels. Remove the front undertray and the front half of both wheel well fender liners.



1a. Remove the 16 bolts and 3 plastic clips securing the front undertray. (Fig. 2 &3)





1b. Remove the 7 plastic clips and 2 bolts securing the fender liners to the wheel well. (Fig. 4 & 5)



2. With the undertray and fender liners removed, locate the I.C. coolant drain on the passenger side of the vehicle. Using a philips head screwdriver open the drain fitting and drain coolant. (Fig 6)





## BUMPER REMOVAL ///

2. Remove the bumper starting at the 2 bolts on each corner that connect the bumper to the fenders. (Fig 7) Then disconnect the 2 electrical connectors located in the passenger side of the bumper. (Fig8) Remove the cowl on the top side of the bumper which is held on by 16 clips. (Fig 9 & 10) There will be one final clip under the cowl, remove it then remove the bumper. (Fig 11 & 12)





#### CRASH BEAM REMOVAL ///

3. Remove the foam from the crash beam by pulling it towards you. Next, disconnect the coolant line from the crash beam (Fig 13) as well as the 2 sensors located on the crash beam. (Fig 14 &15) Be sure to also unclip the electrical harness from it's mounts on the crash beam. (Fig 14) Finally, remove the 4 fasteners holding the crash beam on each side to the vehicle and remove it. (Fig 16)





## OIL COOLER AND CENTER BRACE ///

4. To gain access to the center brace bottom nut, remove the 6 bolts holding the oil cooler and swing it out of the way, (Fig 17 & 18) it is not nessary to undo any oil lines. Now remove the nut on the bottom of the center brace that was behind the oil cooler. (Fig 19)





4a. At the top of the center brace, unbolt and remove the cage and sensor from the brace. (Fig 20) Then undo the 7 bolts holding the center brace to the support skeleton. Remove the brace. (Fig 21)





## HEAT EXCHANGER REMOVAL ///

5. Disconnect the coolant lines going to the exchanger. (Fig 22) Then remove the 4 bolts and remove the exchanger. (Fig 23)



5a. With the exchanger out, now remove the 2 rubber grommets. You will reuse these. (Fig 24)





## AMS HEAT EXCHANGER INSTALL ///

6. Transfer the grommets from the factory exchanger onto the AMS exchanger. Place the AMS exchanger onto the vehicle, letting it rest on the radiator support skeleton which will allow you to reinstall the center brace. (Fig 25) With the center brace loosely installed bolt up the AMS exchanger. (Fig 26)





6a. Reconnect the coolant lines to the AMS exchanger. Reinstall the rest of the components in reverse order of installation. (Fig 27)





### I.C. SYSTEM BLEEDING ///

7. Air lift and fill the system using a Matco Tools MCR103A or similar vaccum cooling system filler. (Fig 28) Your new AMS Heat Exchager is also equiped with a bleed port to assist in system bleeding. Crack this port after filling while the I.C. pumps are running to help release air that may be trapped in the core. (Fig 29)

This completes the install process, enjoy your new AMS Heat Exchanger!

