2. Performance Test Diagnosis

If various conditions caused to other air conditioning system, the characteristics revealed on manifold gauge reading are shown in the following:

As to the method of a performance test, refer to the item of "Performance Test".

Each shaded area on the following tables indicates a reading of the normal system when the temperature of outside air is 32.5°C (91°F).

Condition		Probable cause	Corrective action
INSUFFICIENT REFRIGERANT CHARGE	Insufficient cooling	Refrigerant is small, or leaking a little.	 Perform leak test. Repair leak. Charge system. Evacuate, as necessary, and recharge system.
ALMOST NO REFRIGERANT	No cooling action	Serious refrigerant leak.	 Stop compressor immediately. (1) Perform leak test. (2) Discharge system. (3) Repair leak(s). (4) Replace receiver drier if necessary. (5) Check oil level. (6) Evacuate and recharge system.
FAULTY EXPANSION VALVE	Slight cooling; Sweating or frosted expansion valve inlet.	 Expansion valve restricts refrigerant flow. Expansion valve is clogged. Expansion valve is inoperative. Valve stuck closed. Thermal bulb has lost charge. 	If valve inlet reveals sweat or frost: (1) Discharge system (2) Remove valve and clean it. Replace it if necessary. (3) Evacuate system (4) Charge system. If valve does not oper- ate: (1) Discharge system. (2) Replace valve. (3) Evacuate and charge system.

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Condition		Probable cause	Corrective extien
	Insufficient cooling; Sweated suction line.	Expansion valve allows too much refrigerant	Corrective action Check valve for opera- tion. If suction side does
Low-pressure gauge High-pressure gauge	No cooling; Sweating or frosted suc- tion line.	through evaporator. Faulty seal of O-ring in expansion valve.	 not show a pressure decrease, replace valve. (1) Discharge system. (2) Remove expansion valve and replace O-ring. (3) Evacuate and replace system.
G4M0676 Low-pressure gauge gauge			
G4M0677			
AIR IN SYSTEM	Insufficient cooling	Air mixed with refriger- ant in system.	(1) Discharge system.(2) Replace receiver
Low-pressure gauge High-pressure gauge G4M0678			drier. (3) Evacuate and charge system.
	After operation for a while, pressure on suc-	Drier is saturated with moisture. Moisture has	(1) Discharge system.(2) Replace receiver
Low-pressure gauge High-pressure gauge G4M0679	tion side may show vacuum pressure read- ing. During this condition, discharge air will be warm. As warn- ing of this, reading shows 39 kPa (0.4 kg/cm ² , 6 psi) vibration.	frozen at expansion valve. Refrigerant flow is restricted.	 drier (twice if necessary). (3) Evacuate system completely (repeat 30-minute evacuating three times.). (4) Recharge system.

DIAGNOSTICS

Condition		Probable cause	Corrective action
FAULTY CONDENSER	No cooling action; Engine may overheat. Suction line is very hot.	Condenser is often found not functioning well.	 Check condenser cooling fan. Check condenser for dirt accumulation. Check engine cooling system for overheat. Check for refrigerant overcharge. If pressure remains high in spite of all above actions taken, remove and inspect the condenser for possible oil clogging.
HIGH-PRESSURE LINE BLOCKED	Insufficient cooling; Frosted high-pressure liquid line.	Drier is clogged, or restriction in high- pres- sure line.	 (1) Discharge system. (2) Remove receiver drier or strainer and replace it. (3) Evacuate and charge system.
FAULTY COMPRESSOR	Insufficient cooling	Internal problem is in compressor, or dam- aged gasket and valve.	 Discharge system. Remove and check compressor. Repair or replace compressor. Check oil level. Replace receiver drier. Evacuate and charge system.