## RE4RO1A Shift Kit®

RE4RO1A Nissan-----R4A-EL Mazda R4AX-EL Mazda-----XT-4Sp Subaru

#### Reduces/Corrects/Prevents

**Direct clutch [3rd] burnup** 2-3 Cutloose Long soft 3rd. **Planet Burnup**---Long, soft or slide 1-2---band failure---Long 3-4 Lube failure, overheat and total burnup.

Listen Shop Owner: Even with a new radiator, this trans does not have adequate cooling or flow. Install at least a 14,000 lb GVW multilayer or multitube cooler and forget the radiator.

Planetary sets aren't FREE.

Each day your key tech person spends working on one that won't ship or is back for rework, reduces shop volume about \$1000, plus the parts.

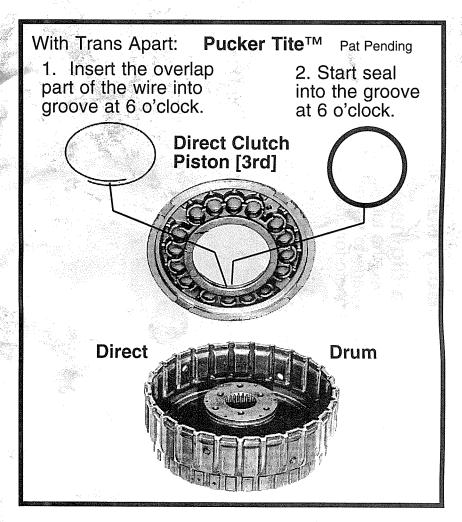
**TECHNICIAN:** Start on page 2 then come back to this page when trans is apart on the bench. This is a Coordinated Upgrade. Please don't do any other "Tech" you've heard about.

SUBARU--Front Seal Leak or Blowout: Enlarge drainback hole under front seal with .180 to .196 [3/16"] drill. Follow the passage to the cast iron pump support and enlarge the casted hole on the rear side of the support with 1/4" drill. Install the seal just deep enough to make four small stakes to hold it in. Best to use NOK seal.

Hello Technician, We need your feedback. PLease Read page 8.



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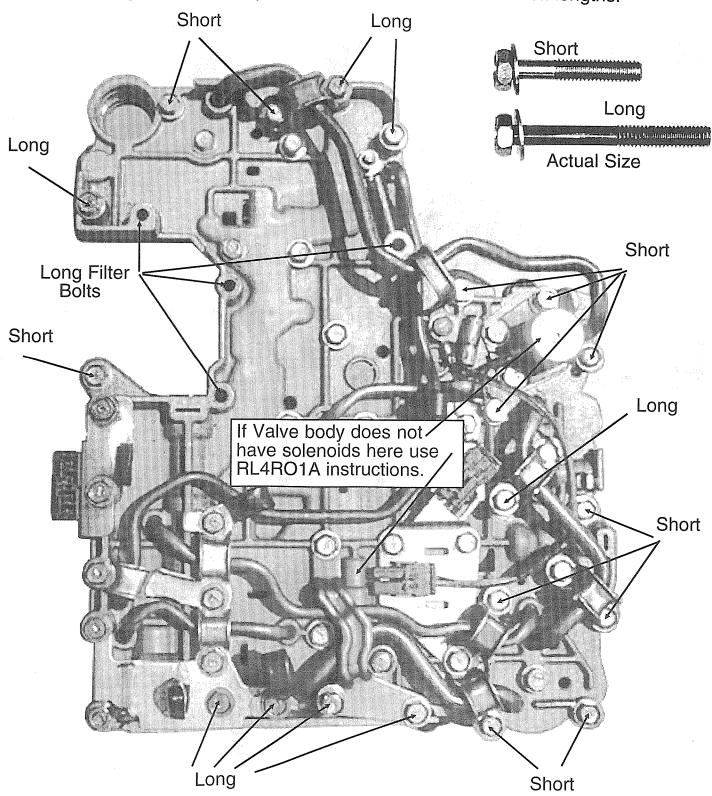


Please take the feedback sheet to bench to get data and return it to us. it's OK greasy.

## **RE4RO1A Valve Body Removal and Installation**

Save a big headache:

There is no need to remove the tubes at any time. Only remove the bolts shown on this page to remove valve body. When going back together use this photo for bracket locations and bolt lengths.



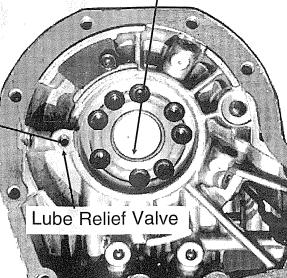
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#### All EXCEPT Subaru.

Install sheet metal screw into cup plug 3 turns. With side cutter grab the screw and lever the plug out. Remove spring and ball. Clean and blow dry the hole

Rear Case Bushings

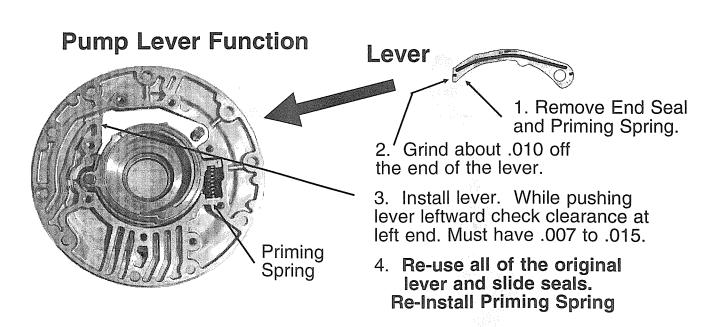
Rear bushings often move and shut off the lube hole. Make sure case is clean and dry and install bushings with Locktite. Or stake the bore.



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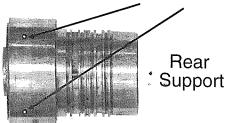
Install new 1/4" ball, spring and cup plug. Drive new cup plug in just flush. Peen case in two spots to keep plug from falling out.

IMPORTANT: If relief hole has a ball, set screw or part of a bolt in it, leave it as it is.

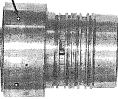


# More Lube for Planet All Except Subaru

Early models had 4 lube holes to the sprag. Plug 3.



With light hammer install 3 tapered pins into holes until close to flush, but don't make them flush.

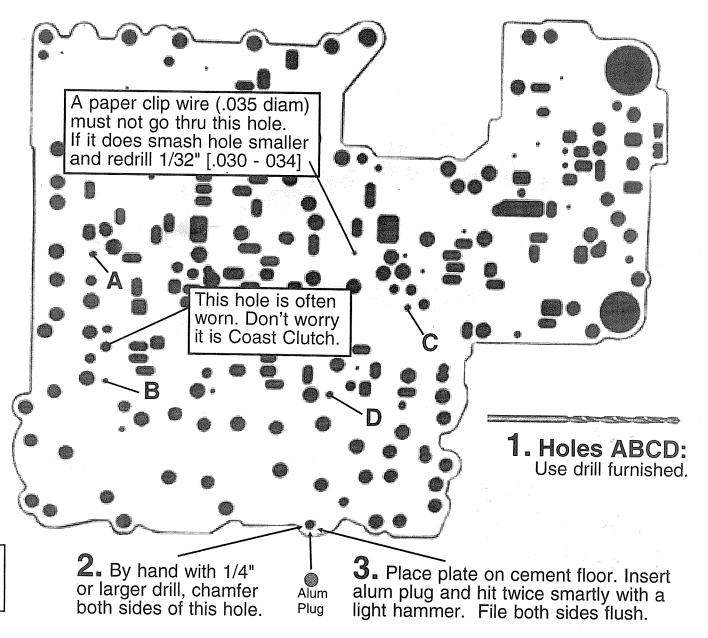


2. Then with a center punch tap them in to below flush.

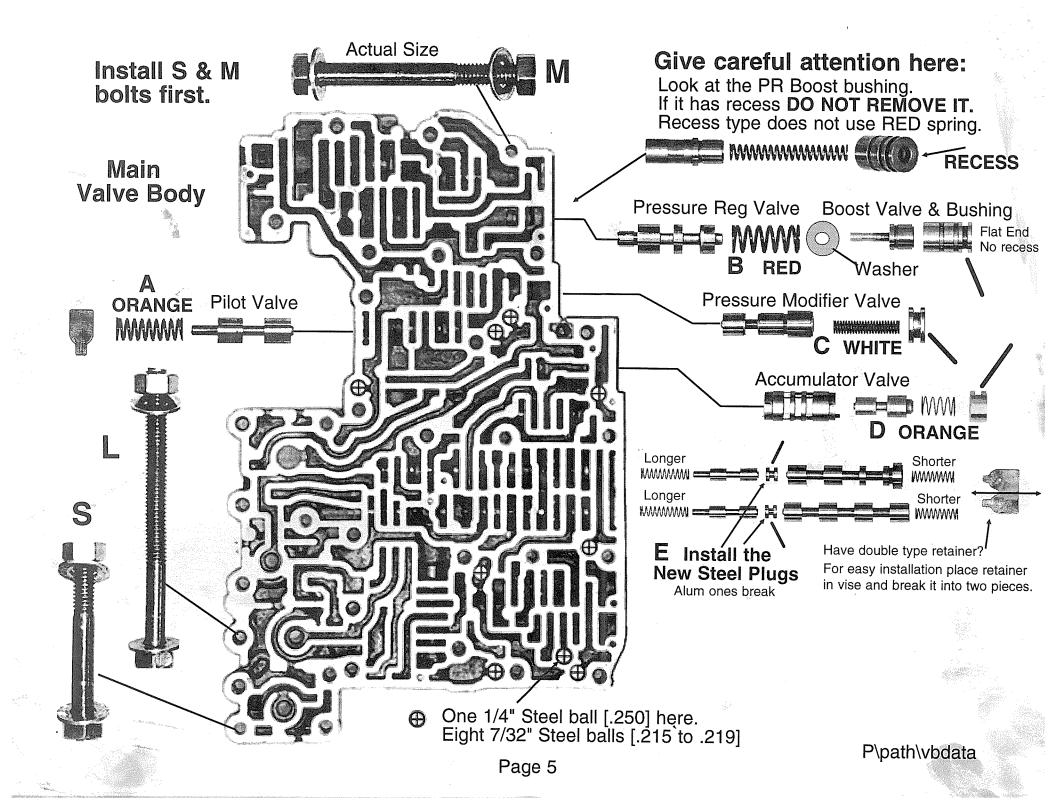
The sprag runs here, so be sure plugs are below flush.

If a checkball hole in plate is worn, use a 1/4" steel ball at that location in valve body.

## All Models: Make Holes The Sizes Shown



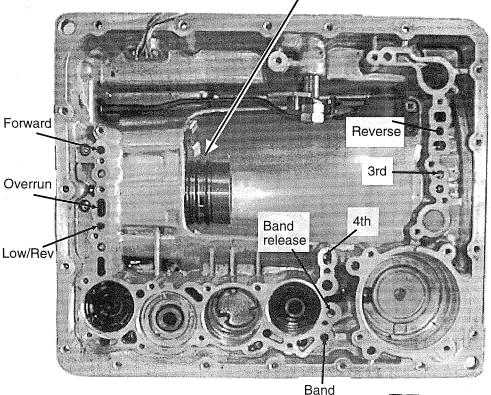
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# Custom Rings & 1-2 Accumulator

A. Install 4 rear support rings with Vaseline or Trans Jel. No expander wires.

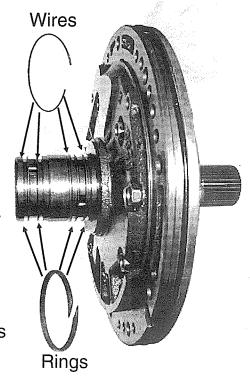
## **Stator Rings--Pat Pending**



**C.** Sort the slightly smaller 3rd rings and wire expanders to one side. They go on last.

**D.** Put blob of Vaseline or Trans Jel into each groove in 3 or 4 places. Install the larger, then the smaller expander wires.

E. Install the larger, then smaller, plastic rings into the grooves with Trans Jel.



No seal here

**B.** Discard the smaller 1-2 acm seal. Discard original spring. Use two new springs fur-



Apply

1-2 Accumulator

# 2nd and 4th Piston Assembly

Stands go inboard

Band Adjust
Tighten just snug with
a short wrench. Then
back off 1-1/2 turns.

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LISTEN UP: This setup may not air check very well, but it works great in the vehicle.

"You're going to love the road

test. Your customer will KNOW you FIXED it."

"Thanks for listening."

Gil

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## **Additional Info**

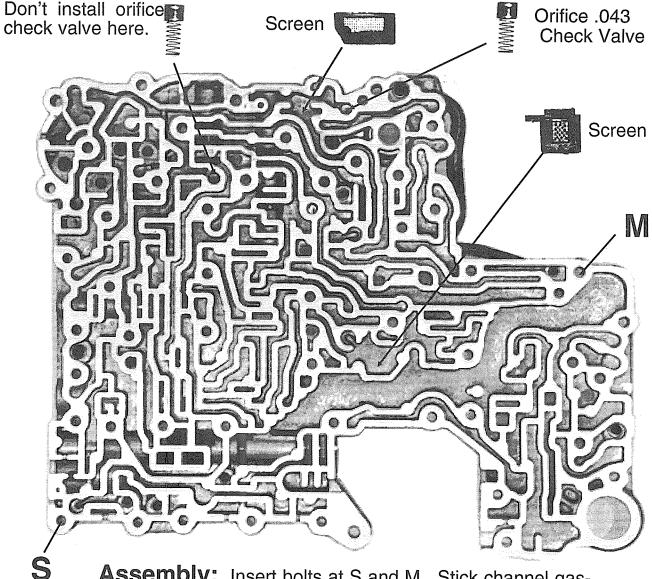
#### **About This Trans**

This kit does a lot, but there are other things that need your care. ORIGINAL FAILURE and COMEBACKS are, gear train burnup, and 3rd or Forward clutch failure.

#### **CAUSES**

- 1. Lockup plate shreds and plugs up radiator, filter and/or screens.
- 2. Cooler return relief valve stuck or plugged off [kit fixes].
- 3. Inner 3-4 clutch seal leaks. Burns clutch, clogs filter and screens and radiatior cooler tube.
- 4. Shrunken rings have same result as clutch seal leak. Burns friction, then stops up filter, screens or radiator. Oops to planet gears.
- 5. Listen up: This trans will not stand clutch plate or lockup plate shedding or fuzz. It plugs, filter and screens causing low line and complete burnup, including the planetary gears.
- 6. Even with a new radiator this trans does not have enough cooling--and it stops up way too easy. ALWAYS add a mulitube cooler and forget the radiator.

## **Channel Casting**



**Assembly:** Insert bolts at S and M. Stick channel gasket & VB gasket to the separator plate with some oil. While holding the separator plate and gaskets against the channel casting, turn it over carefully, set it on valve body. Thanks for listening. Let us know how it came out.

### RE4RFO1A--R4A-EL--R4AX-EL--XT-4sp Shift Kit®. Feb 99

Hello, This kit was not some sudden event, we chased some of the complaints for several years. We are confident that these upgrades will reduce rework and comebacks, especially gear train failures. So that we can keep working on improvements send us feedback--get it to us.

If you had early type boost valve with RECESS as shown on page 5 and took it apart by accident, here is how to get it back into the valve body.

Clean and dry the valve spring and bushing. Assemble it by hand and "C" clamp it together. Hold it with valve end UP and run water on it. Place it in your freezer for an hour. When you install VB road test as soon as possible. If unit is for shelf or is not going to road test right away, place VB in oven at 250F for 45 minutes.

# WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK FAX this report to (626) 401-2715

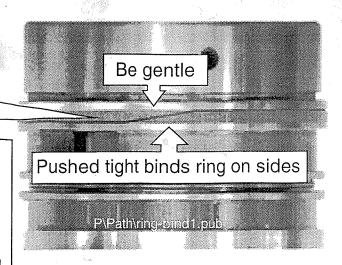
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#### ANGLE CUT RING INSTALLATION

Ends of rings should just touch or have small gap. If pushed together **FIRMLY** they **BIND** in groove & **WON'T SEAL**.

#### **Air Checking Plastic Rings**

- 1. Put 20 squirts oil into feed hole in the case.
- 2. Apply clutch will full shop air and hold it on while you count to twenty. If clutch does not apply rotate the drum and/or turn the input and output shaft. Clutch MUST apply.
- 3. Reduce pressure to 40 psi and give the feed hole another 20 squirts. Clutch MUST apply.



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