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REAR DRIVE AXLE/DIFFERENTIAL

DIFFERENTIAL DRAINING AND FILLING (G2390432)

GENERAL PROCEDURES

PART(S)

STEP	PART NAME	QUANTITY
Draining Step 4	Rear differential drain plug	1
Filling Step 2	Rear differential fill plug	1

DRAINING

WARNING:

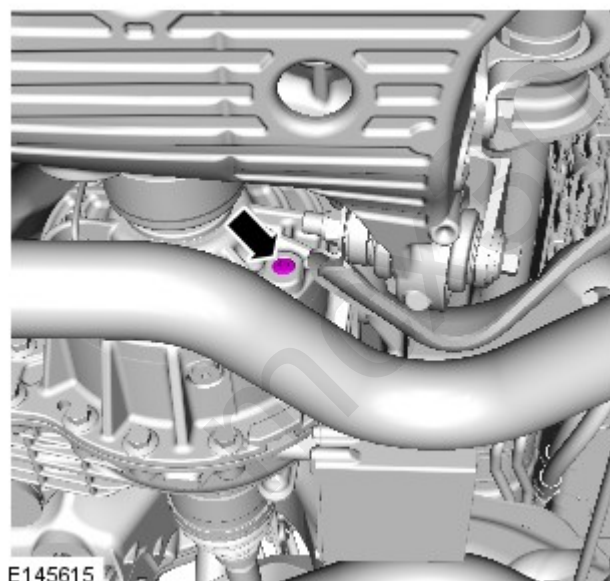
Be prepared to collect escaping fluid.

NOTE:

- This procedure contains some variation in the illustrations depending on the vehicle specification, but the essential information is always correct.
- This procedure contains illustrations showing certain components removed to provide extra clarity.

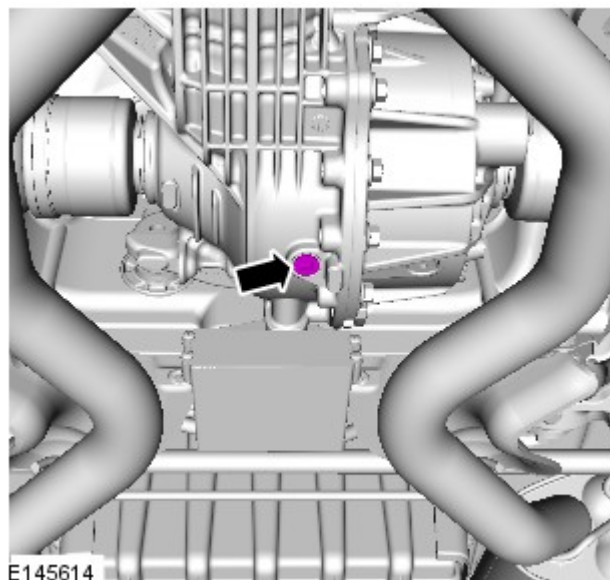
1. Raise and support the vehicle on a suitable 2 post lift.
Refer to: [Jacking and Lifting](#) (100-02 Jacking and Lifting, Description and Operation).

2.



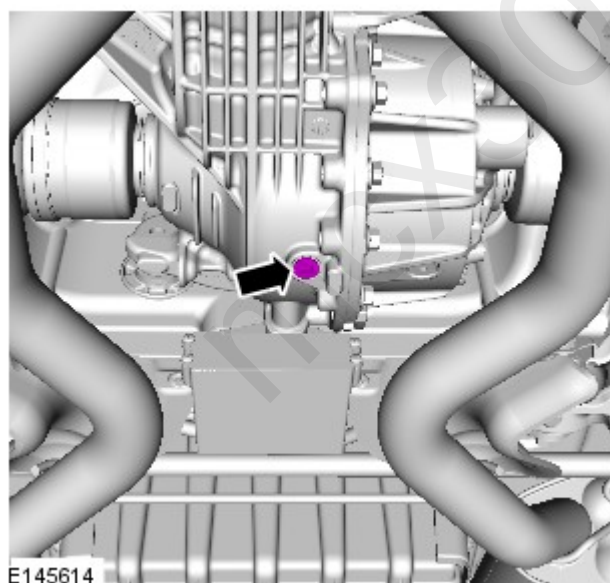
- Clean the area around the fluid filler plug.
- Position a suitable container under the rear differential.
- Remove and discard the fluid filler plug.

3.



- Clean the area around the fluid drain plug.
- Remove and discard the fluid drain plug.
- Allow the fluid to drain.

4.

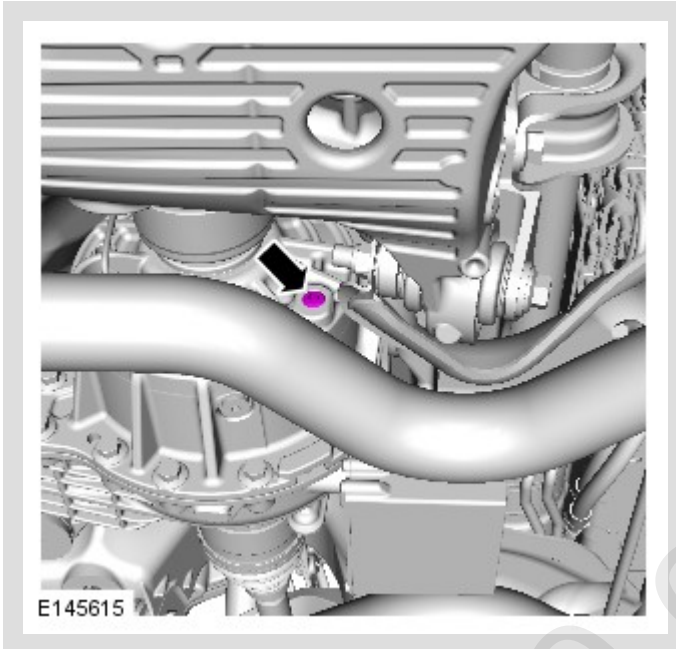


- Install and tighten the new drain plug.
*Renew Part: [Rear differential drain plug](#) Quantity: 1.
Torque: 30Nm*

FILLING

1. Fill the rear differential with the correct specification of fluid.
Refer to: [Specifications](#) (205-02 Rear Drive Axle/Differential, Specifications).

2.



- Install and tighten the new filler plug.
Renew Part: [Rear differential fill plug](#) *Quantity:* **1**.
Torque: **30Nm**

3.

- Clean the area around the fluid filler plug, wipe away any excess fluid.
- Remove the container.