

Front Muffler

Removal

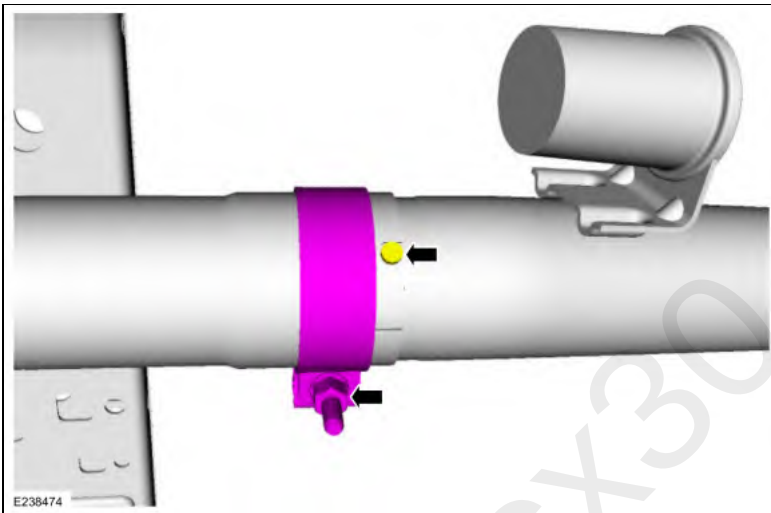
NOTE: Removal steps in this procedure may contain installation details.

NOTE: Support the exhaust system before removing.

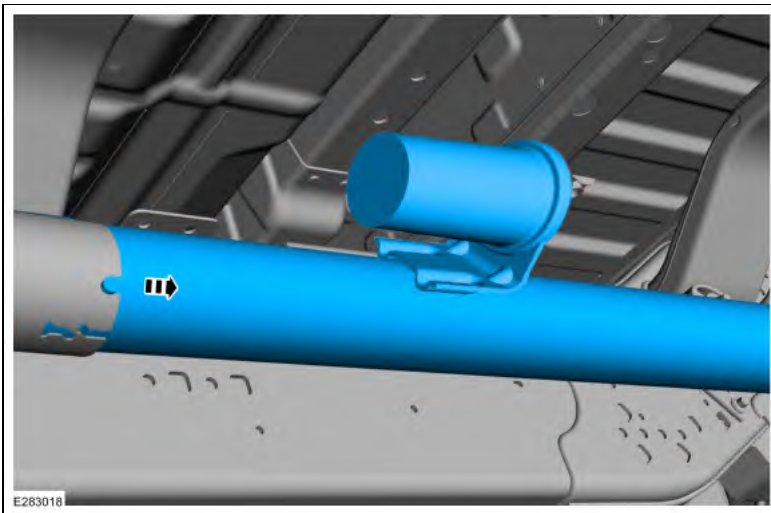
1. With the vehicle in NEUTRAL, position it on a hoist.
Refer to: Jacking and Lifting - Overview (100-02 Jacking and Lifting, Description and Operation).
2. Remove the Rear muffler.
Refer to: Rear Muffler (309-00A Exhaust System - 6.2L V8, Removal and Installation).
3. Support the system with a ratchet strap
4. **NOTE:** Install new clamp if necessary.

NOTE: During assembly, make sure the tab is fully seated in the notch on the pipe.

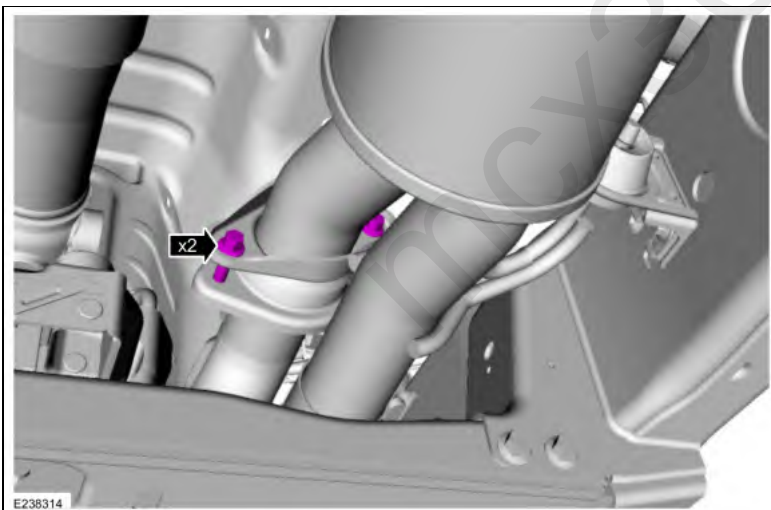
Loosen the front muffler-to-rear muffler clamp or, if equipped, the front muffler-to-exhaust intermediate pipe clamp.
Torque: 41 lb.ft (55 Nm)



5. Remove the exhaust intermediate pipe.



6. Remove the exhaust Y-pipe-to-front muffler bolts.
Torque: 30 lb.ft (40 Nm)



7. **NOTE:** Install new clamp if necessary.
NOTE: Do not tighten until components are aligned.
Loosen the 2 nuts on the clamp and slide it rearward.
Torque: 35 lb.ft (48 Nm)



1. To install, reverse the removal procedure.
2. Clean all exhaust connections before reassembly.
3. Check the exhaust system for leaks.