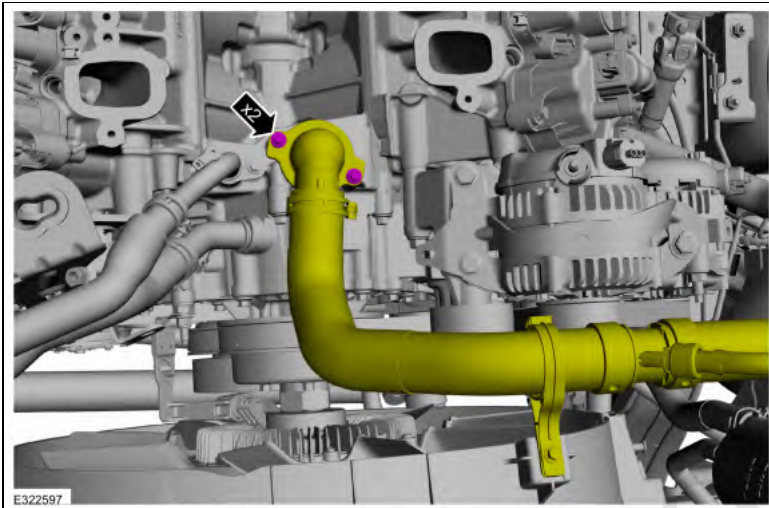


Thermostat

Removal

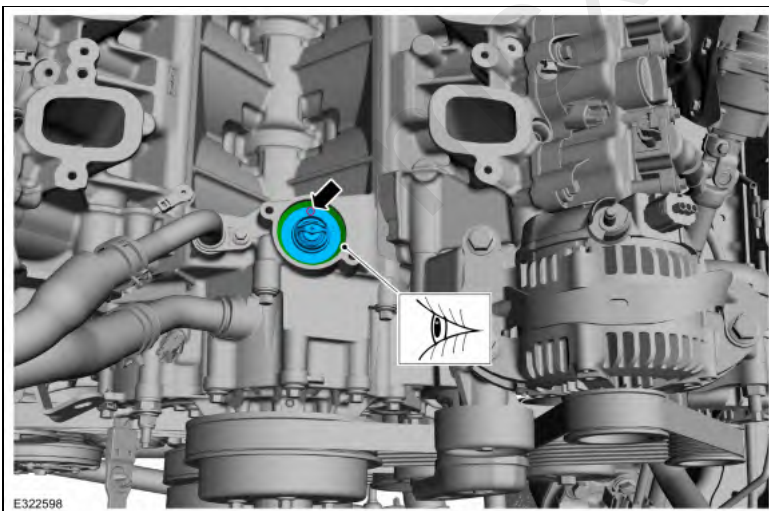
NOTE: Removal steps in this procedure may contain installation details.

1. Drain the cooling system.
Refer to: Engine Cooling System Draining, Vacuum Filling and Bleeding (303-03D Engine Cooling - 7.3L 2V DEVCT V8 (239kW/320PS) (J0), General Procedures).
2. Remove the intake manifold.
Refer to: Intake Manifold (303-01C Engine - 7.3L 2V DEVCT V8 (239kW/320PS) (J0), Removal and Installation).
3. Remove the bolts and position aside the coolant outlet connection.
Torque: 89 lb.in (10 Nm)



4. **NOTE:** During installation verify the thermostat vent hole is at the 12 o'clock position.

- Remove the thermostat.
- Inspect the thermostat gasket and replace it if necessary.



Installation

1. To install, reverse the removal procedure.
2. Fill and bleed the cooling system.
Refer to: Engine Cooling System Draining, Vacuum Filling and Bleeding (303-03D Engine Cooling - 7.3L 2V DEVCT V8 (239kW/320PS) (J0), General Procedures).

