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OUTLINE OF NEW FEATURES

The following changes are made for the 2006 model year.

1. 1NZ-FE Engine

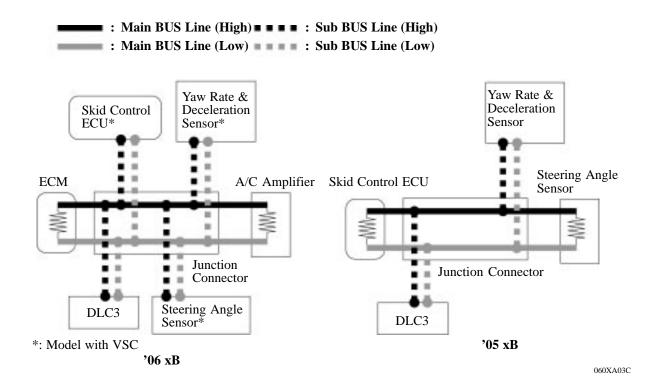
In order to comply with the tailpipe emission regulation LEV, the 1NZ-FE engine is changed in the same way as '06 xA. For details, see page 3.

2. Brake

As with '06 xA, the ECM and A/C amplifier are added to the CAN (Controller Area Network) of the VSC.

3. Multiplex Communication

The CAN is used between the ECM and A/C amplifier, and the network is changed. The resistors, which were built into the Skid Control ECU and steering angle sensor in the '05 xB, are located to the ECM and A/C amplifier.



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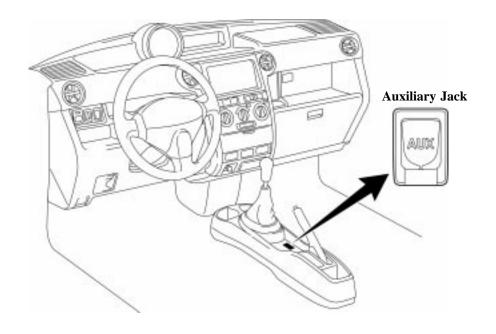
4. Air Conditioning

As with '06 xA, the air conditioning system is changed to maintain cooling performance as follows:

- The width of the condenser is broadened: 500 mm (19.7 in.) \rightarrow 640 mm (25.2 in.)
- A/C performance is improved. For details, see page 28.
- The A/C compressor control is changed from the ECM to the A/C amplifier. The A/C amplifier is connected with the ECM through the CAN. Accordingly, the system diagram is changed. For details, see page 29.
- A/C pressure switch is changed to A/C pressure sensor.
- With the adoption of the max. cool switch, max. cool mode is added to the 2-way flow control. For details, see page 30.

5. Audio System

The optional audio head unit from the dealer is compatible with the auxiliary audio system. Therefore, the auxiliary jack comes as standard equipment.



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