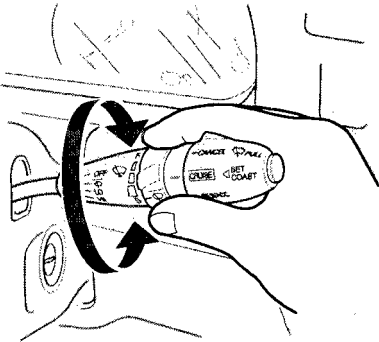
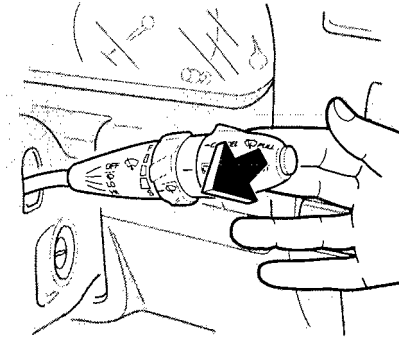


wipers sweep the windshield by turning the INT TIME ring. The interval can be adjusted within a range of approximately 3 to 17 seconds.



Windshield Washer Operation



To operate the windshield washers, pull back on the windshield wiper control lever. The washers will spray, and the wipers will run at low speed, for as long as you hold the lever. The wipers will continue to run for a short time after you release the lever.

Windshield Washer Fluid

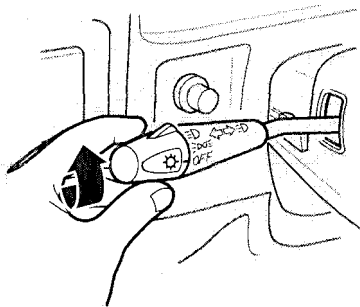
- Check the washer fluid level regularly. Do it more often during poor weather conditions.
- Use windshield washer fluid to prevent freezing and for better cleaning.



NOTICE

Do not use engine antifreeze or a vinegar/water solution in the windshield washer reservoir. Antifreeze can damage your vehicle's paint, while a vinegar/water solution can damage the windshield washer pump. Use only commercially available windshield washer fluid.

In cold weather, warm the windshield with the defrosters before using the washers. This will help prevent icing of the windshield that may block your vision.

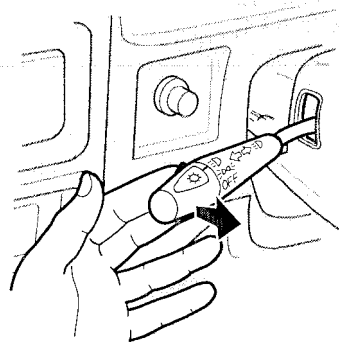
Headlights



The rotating switch on the left lever controls the lights. Rotating this switch to the  position turns on the instrument panel lights and all exterior lights except the headlights. Rotating the switch to the  position turns on the headlights.

To change between low beams and high beams, pull back on the

lever until you hear a click, then let go. The high beam indicator will light (see page 62) when the high beams are selected.



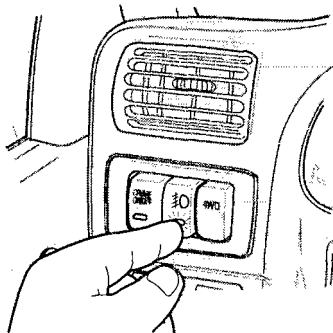
To flash the high beams, pull the lever back about half way and then let it go. The high beams will stay on for as long as you hold the lever back, no matter what position the headlight switch is in.

Headlights-On Reminder

You will hear a continuous tone when the key is out of the ignition switch and the driver's door is opened with the headlight switch in the "ON" position. This will remind you to turn the headlights off. Never leave the headlights on when the engine is not running. They can rapidly discharge the battery.

Fog Lights

EX model only

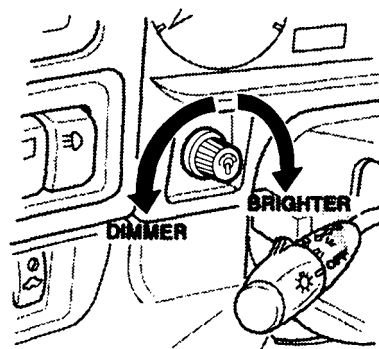


When fog or heavy mist reduces your forward vision, push this switch to turn the fog lights on. The indicator light in the switch turns on. Push the switch again to turn off the fog lights.

The fog lights operate only when the headlight low beams are in use.

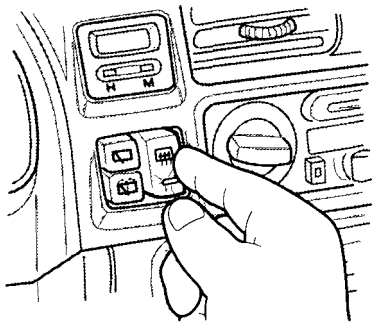
Illumination Control

The instrument panel lights turn on when the light switch is on. Brightness of the instrument panel lights is controlled by turning the illumination control knob clockwise for brighter or counterclockwise for dimmer.



Rear Window and Mirror Defoggers

With the ignition "ON," push the defogger switch to use the rear window and mirror defoggers.



The indicator light in the switch lights to show the defogger is on. The defogger will shut itself off after 10 minutes. If the rear window or mirrors are not completely clear, press the switch

again to turn on the defogger for another 10 minutes. It also shuts off when you turn off the ignition. You have to turn it on again when you restart the vehicle.

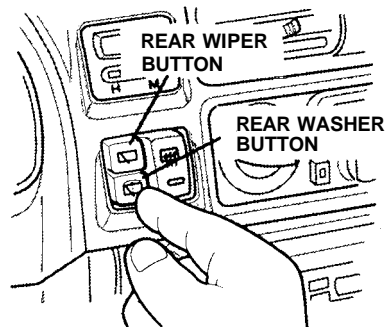
Make sure the rear window is clear and you have good visibility before starting to drive.

The defogger wires on the inside of the rear window can be easily damaged. When cleaning the glass, always wipe side to side. Do not use any abrasive cleaners.

Rear Window Wiper/Washer

To operate the rear window wiper, press the wiper button. The wiper runs in intermittent mode until you press the button again.

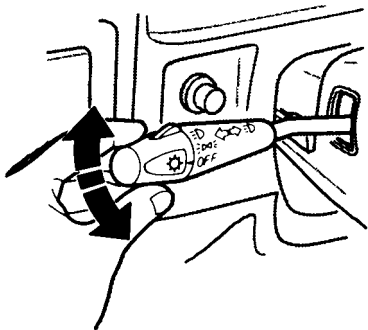
To wash the rear window, push and hold the rear window washer button. The washer and wiper will run until you release the button.



The rear window wiper cannot be operated when the rear window is not latched.

Turn Signal Lever

Push the lever fully up to signal a right turn. Push it fully down to signal a left turn. Lights on the front and rear of the vehicle will flash.



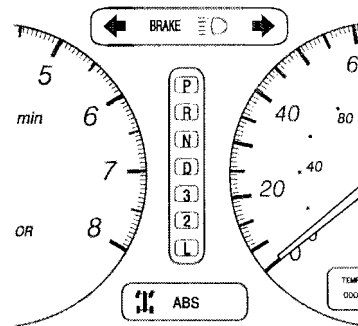
The turn signal will cancel itself as the turn is completed. In some driving maneuvers, such as changing lanes on an expressway,

the steering wheel is not turned back sufficiently after completing the turn to automatically cancel the turn signal. In such maneuvers the driver should manually return the lever to the neutral or canceled position when the turn is completed.

Lane Change Signal

In some turns, such as changing lanes, the steering wheel is not turned far enough to cancel the turn signal. For convenience, you can flash the turn signal by moving the lever part way (to the first stop) and holding it there. The lever will return to the horizontal position when you release it.

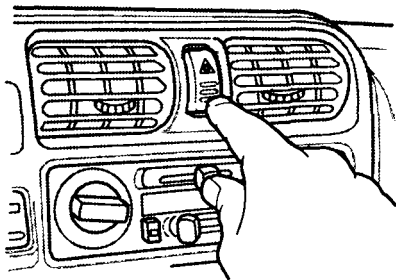
A green light on the instrument panel flashes to indicate proper operation of the front and rear turn signal lights. If the green light remains on, but does not flash, check for defective bulbs. If the green light does not light when the lever is moved, check the fuse and indicator bulb.



Hazard Warning Flasher

Push the button to turn on the hazard warning lights (four-way flashers). All four outside turn signal lights and both indicators in the instrument panel will flash. Push the button again to turn them off.

The turn signals do not work when the hazard warning lights are on.

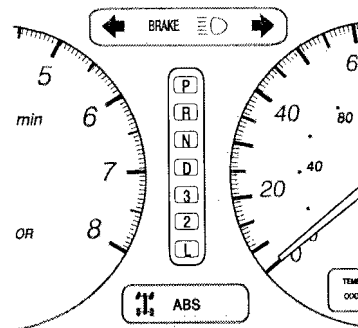


Use the hazard warning lights to warn other drivers that your vehicle is a potential road hazard. Avoid stopping on the roadway if possible.

Cruise Control

Refer to page [147](#) for operation of this system.

Automatic Transmission



The shift lever position indicator is in the instrument panel. The appropriate letter or number illuminates to show what position the shift lever is in.

The 4-speed automatic transmission shift lever is arranged with "P" (Park) position at one end, followed in sequence by "R" (Reverse), "N" (Neutral)