

## **Troubleshooting Precautions**

## **Before Troubleshooting**

- 1. Check main fuse and fuse box for blown fuses.
- 2. Make sure battery posts and terminals are clean and tight.
- 3. Check battery for damage.
- 4. Check battery state of charge.
- 5. Check alternator belt for proper tension.
- 6. Check that connectors in the defective circuit are clean, properly connected, and that a pin or receptacle is not loose in a connector housing.

## CAUTION:

- Do not quick-charge a battery unless the battery ground strap has been disconnected, or you'll damage the alternator diodes.
- Do not attempt to crank the engine with the ground strap disconnected or you'll severely damage the wiring.
- Do not pull on wires when disconnecting connectors.
- When connecting a connector, push it until it clicks into places.
- After connecting connector, cover it with the connector boot if it has one.

• Check to make sure that multi-pin connectors are packed with grease.



 When connecting battery terminals make sure they are clean and tightened securely.

## TO AVOID DAMAGING TRANSISTORIZED IGNITION

- Never hook up (+) and (-) battery cables backwards.
- Do not let pulse generator wires touch ignition wires.
- Do not do anything that will produce abnormal pulses.
- Always connect pulse typ tachometer to negative (-) terminal of ignition coil.
- Make sure all wires and cables are connected properly.

