**TASK** Remove, inspect, replace, and adjust power steering Time off\_ pump belt. MAST MLR 4R5 Time on\_ CDX Tasksheet Number: C180 1. Using the service information, list the following: a. Type of power steering fluid: \_ Total time. b. Type of belt: V-belt: \_\_\_\_\_ Serpentine belt: \_\_\_ Toothed belt: \_\_\_\_\_ c. Belt-adjustment mechanism: Manual: \_\_\_\_\_ Automatic: \_\_\_ d. Belt tension, if specified: \_\_ e. Draw or print off and attach to this sheet the belt-routing diagram:

- **2.** Following the recommended procedure, loosen the adjustment mechanism and remove the power steering pump drive belt.
- **3.** Examine the belt for cracks, splints, frayed surfaces, and distorted configurations (including stretching). **Record your observation(s):**
- 4. Examine the drive pulleys for any damage. Record your observation(s):
- 5. Have your supervisor/instructor verify removal. Supervisor's/instructor's initials: \_\_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE** You may want to skip ahead and perform the next task C181: Remove and install power steering pump while you have the belt removed. If so, return to this point when you are ready to reinstall the drive belt.

**6.** Following the specified procedure, replace the drive belt.

- 7. Check the drive belt alignment in relation to the drive pulleys. List your observation(s):
- **8.** Adjust the drive belt tension to the shop manufacturer's specifications (on the manually adjusted system).

a.	Measure	the belt	tension:

- **9.** Check the fluid level in the power steering reservoir. Top off with the proper fluid, if necessary.
- **10.** Start the engine and turn the steering wheel from lock to lock. Check for the following:
  - a. Binding: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Excessive steering effort: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Uneven steering effort: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_
- **11.** Turn the engine off.
- 12. Re-measure the drive belt tension and list here: \_\_\_\_\_
- **13.** Have your supervisor/instructor verify satisfactory completion of this procedure, any observations found, and any necessary action(s) recommended.

