

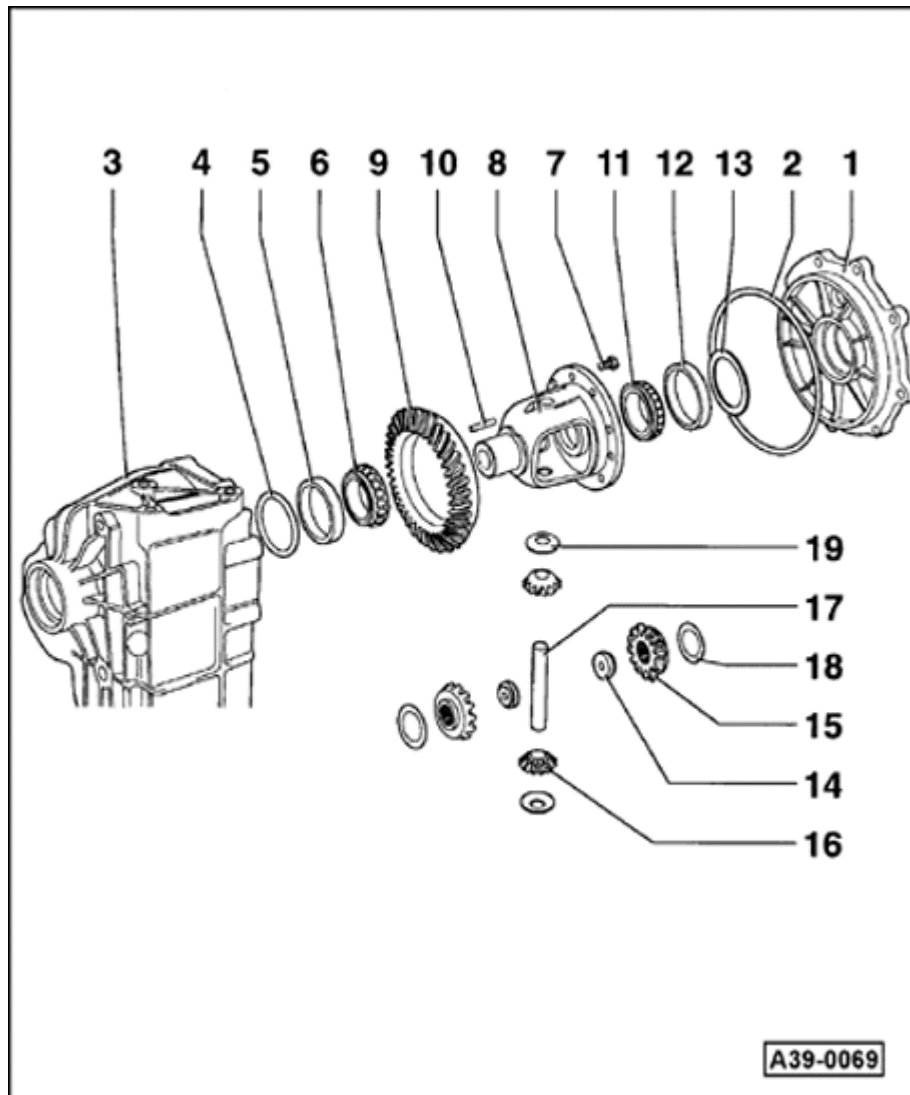
## Differential, disassembling and assembling

### Special tools, testers and auxiliary items

- ◆ Drift VW 295
- ◆ Press plate VW 401
- ◆ Press plate VW 402
- ◆ Press tool VW 407
- ◆ Press tool VW 408 A
- ◆ Press tool VW 412
- ◆ Press tool VW 442
- ◆ Press tool 40-21
- ◆ Thrust plate 40-105
- ◆ Thrust pad 2050

- ◆ Drift 3138
- ◆ Tapered roller bearing puller V.A.G 1582 and V.A.G 1582/6
- ◆ Two-arm puller Kukko 44/2

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**Note:**

- ◆ General repair instructions ⇒ [Page 00-11](#) .
- ◆ Replace both tapered roller bearings of the differential together. Use same make if possible.
- ◆ Adjustments are required when replacing components marked 1) ⇒ [Page 39-150](#) , Adjustment overview

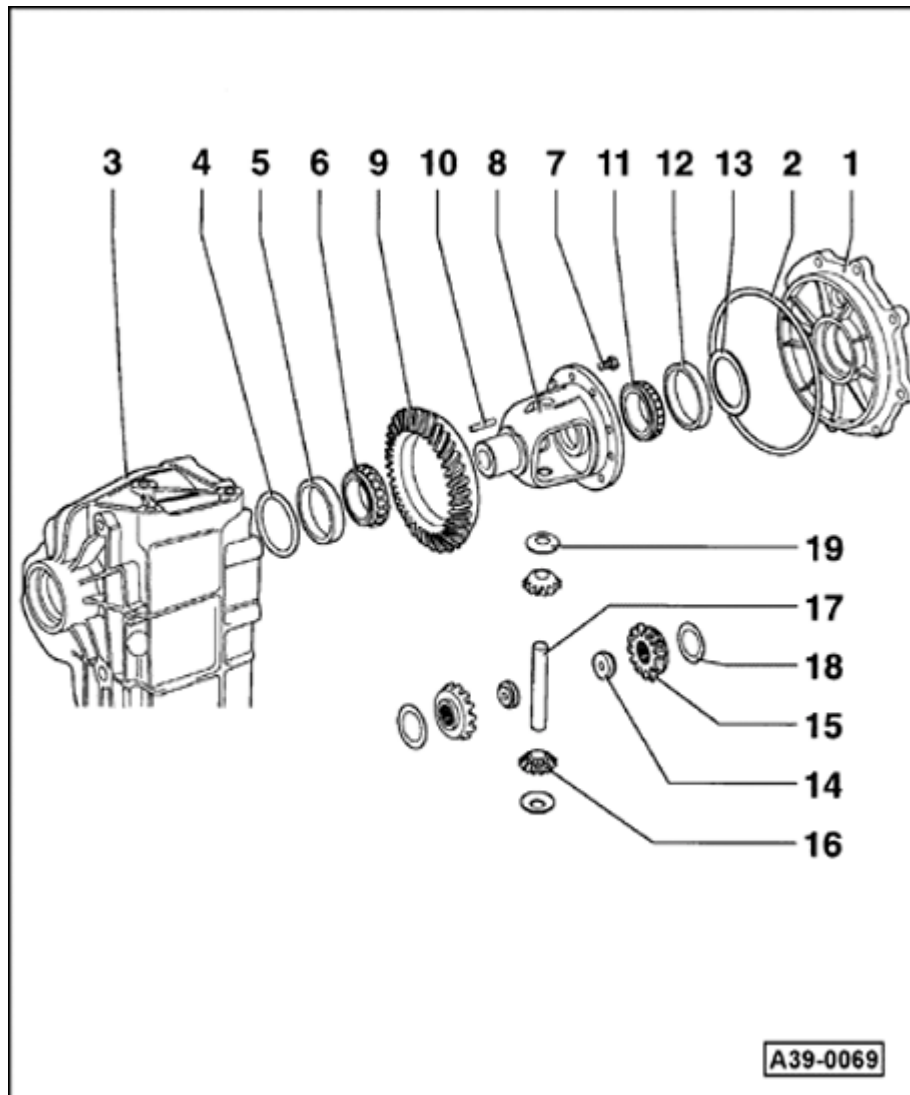
**1 - Cover for final drive <sup>1)</sup>**

**2 - O-ring**

- ◆ Always replace
- ◆ Insert with oil

**3 - Final drive housing <sup>1)</sup>**

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#### 4 - Shim "S2"

- ◆ Note thickness
- ◆ Adjustment overview ⇒ [Page 39-150](#)

#### 5 - Outer race for small tapered roller bearing<sup>1)</sup>

- ◆ Knocking out ⇒ [Fig. 1](#)
- ◆ Pressing in ⇒ [Fig. 2](#)

#### 6 - Inner race for small tapered roller bearing<sup>1)</sup>

- ◆ Pulling out ⇒ [Fig. 3](#)
- ◆ Pressing in ⇒ [Fig. 4](#)

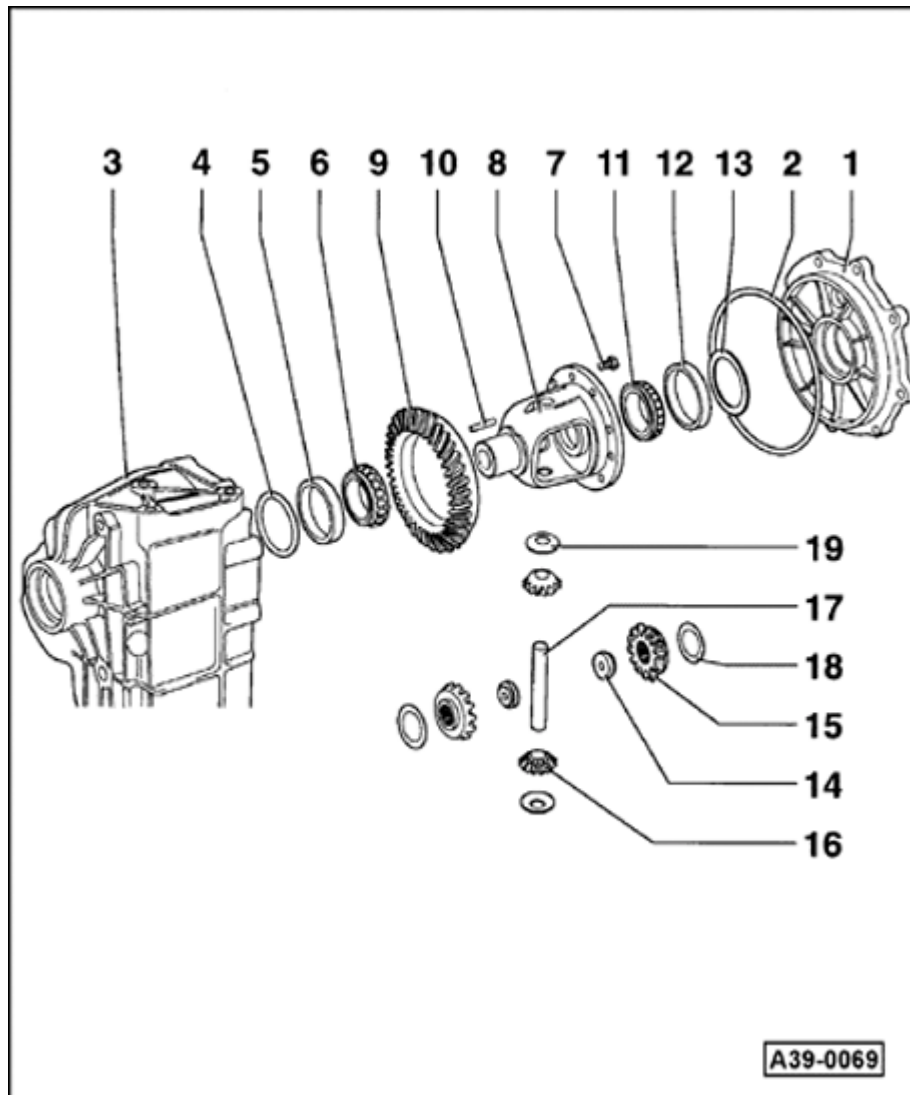
#### 7 - Bolt, 60 Nm + turn 45° further

- ◆ Always replace
- ◆ Allocation

⇒ *Parts catalog*

- ◆ Lightly tighten bolts then tighten diagonally to correct torque

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**8 - Differential housing <sup>1)</sup>****9 - Ring gear <sup>1)</sup>**

- ◆ Paired with drive pinion (final drive set)
- ◆ Select correct version according to code letters

⇒ *Parts catalog*

- ◆ Drive off housing with a punch ⇒ [Fig. 9](#)
- ◆ Installing on differential housing ⇒ [Fig. 10](#)

**10 - Spring pin**

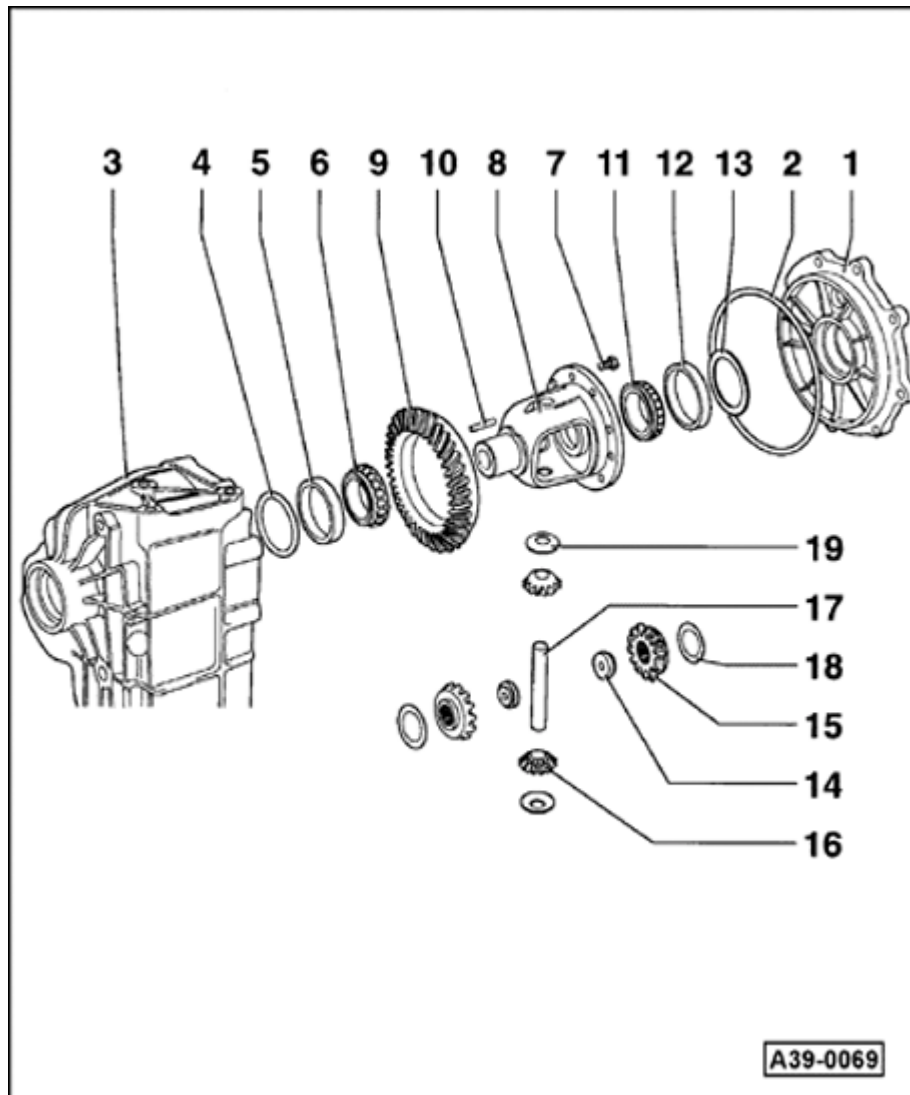
- ◆ For securing planet pinion axis shaft
- ◆ Drive in flush

**11 - Inner race for large tapered roller bearing <sup>1)</sup>**

- ◆ Pulling off ⇒ [Fig. 5](#)
- ◆ Pressing on ⇒ [Fig. 6](#)

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**12 - Outer race for large tapered roller bearing**

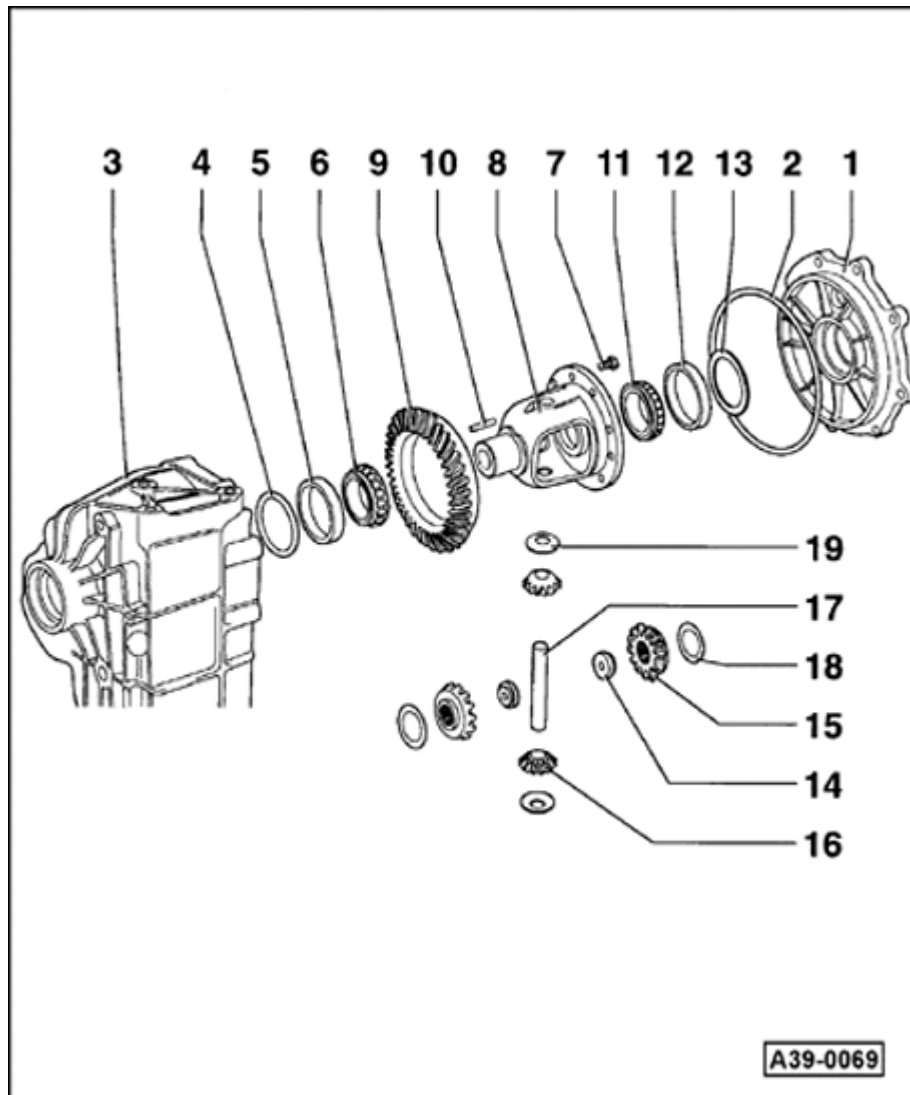
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◆ Driving out ⇒ [Fig. 7](#)◆ Pressing in ⇒ [Fig. 8](#)**13 - Shim "S1"**

◆ Note thickness

◆ Adjustment overview ⇒ [Page 39-150](#)**14 - Threaded piece****15 - Sun wheel**◆ Installing ⇒ [Fig. 11](#)◆ Adjusting ⇒ [Fig. 12](#)**16 - Planet pinion**◆ Installing ⇒ [Fig. 11](#)

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**17 - Planet pinion axis shaft**

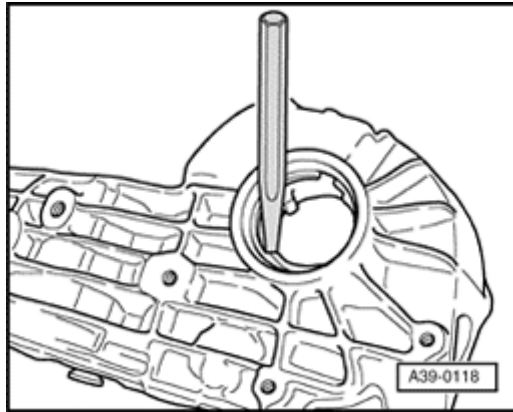
- ◆ Knock out with drift
- ◆ Drive in carefully so that the thrust washers are not damaged
- ◆ Secure with spring pin - 10 -

**18 - Shim**

- ◆ Re-determining thickness ⇒ [Fig. 12](#)

**19 - Thrust washer**

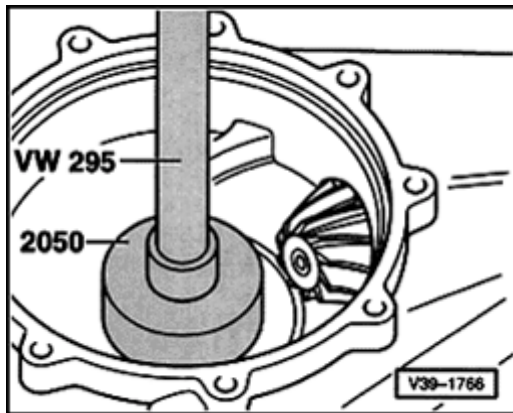
- ◆ Check for cracks



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**Fig. 1 Knocking outer race of small tapered roller bearing out of housing**

- After removing check shims for damage.



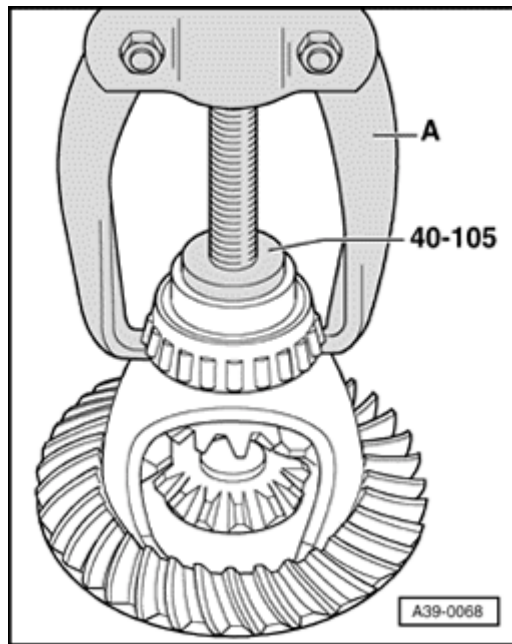
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**Fig. 2 Pressing outer race of small tapered roller bearing into housing (press against stop)**

- Position outer race using VW 295 and light even blows with a hammer.
- Drive in onto stop as shown in illustration.



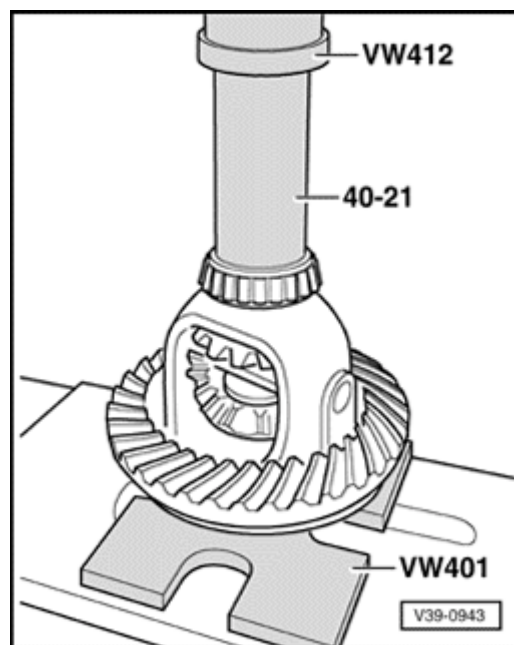
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**Fig. 3 Pulling off inner race for small tapered roller bearing**

A - Two arm puller, e.g. Kukko 44/2



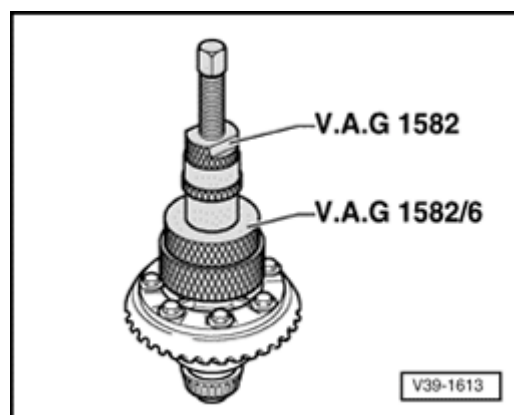
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**Fig. 4 Pressing on inner race for small tapered roller bearing**

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***Wear protective gloves.***

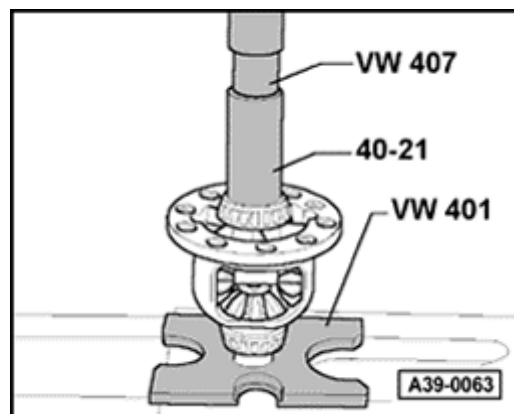
- Heat bearing to approx. 100° C, fit in position and press home.



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**Fig. 5 Pulling off inner race for large tapered roller bearing**

- Before fitting extractor position press piece 40-105 on differential housing.

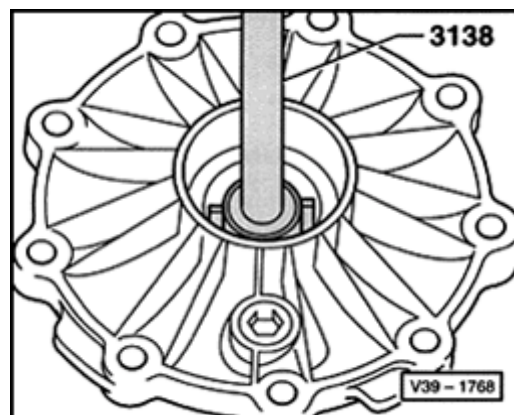


**A** Fig. 6 Pressing on inner race for large tapered roller bearing

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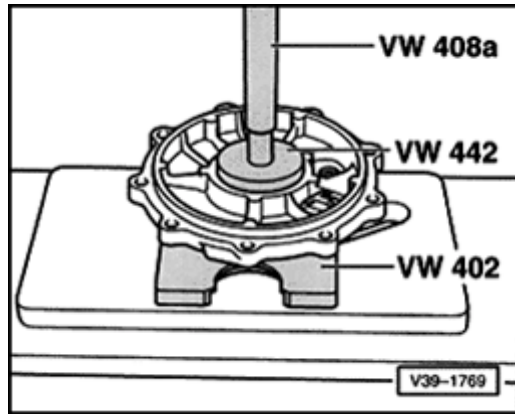
**Wear protective gloves.**

- Heat bearing to approx. 100° C, fit in position and press home.



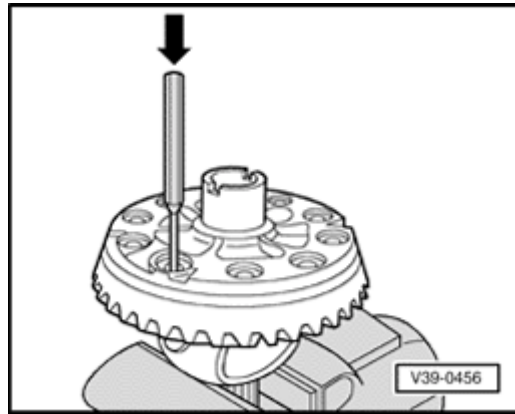
**A** Fig. 7 Driving outer race for large tapered roller bearing out of cover

- After removing check shims for damage.



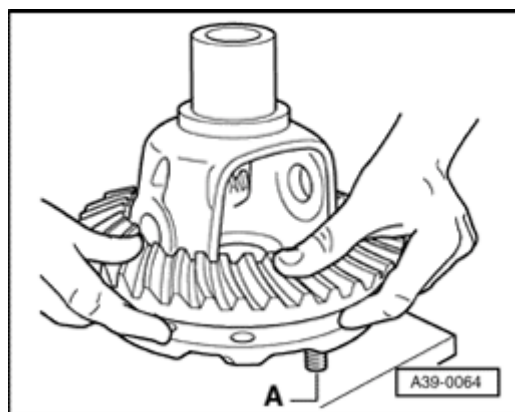
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**Fig. 8 Pressing outer race for large tapered roller bearing into cover**



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**Fig. 9 Driving ring gear off housing**

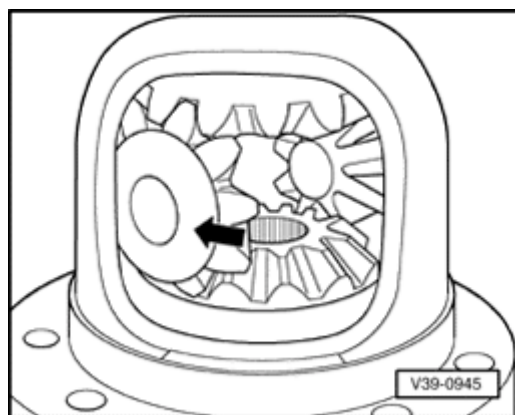


**A** Fig. 10 Installing ring gear

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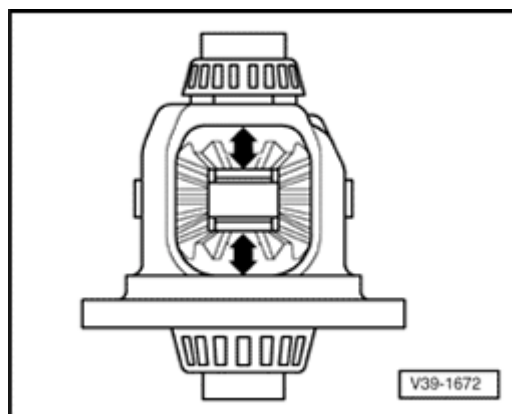
**Wear protective gloves.**

- When fitting ring gear guide centralizing pins -A- (local manufacture).
- Heat ring gear to approx. 100° C and install.



**A** Fig. 11 Installing sun wheels and planet pinions

- If sun wheels have been replaced, measure and select new shims ⇒ [Fig. 12](#) .
- Insert sun wheels with measured shims.
- Install planet pinions spaced 180° apart, and rotate into position (arrow).
- Fit and align thrust washers.
- Insert threaded pieces.
- Drive planet pinion shaft into final position and secure.



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**Fig. 12 Adjusting differential bevel gears**

- Insert sun wheels with thinnest shims (0.5 mm).
- Insert planet pinions with thrust washers spaced 180° apart.

**Note:**

*Do not now interchange bevel gears and thrust washers.*

- Drive in planet pinion axis shaft.
- Press planet pinions outward.
- Press sun wheels in direction indicated (arrows), and check the amount of play.
- Determine thickest shims for sun wheels (on each side) which can still just be inserted.  
The same thickness of shim should be used on both sides.
- Identify shims according to table.

⇒ *Parts catalog*

The following shims are available:

Shim thickness (mm)		
0.50	0.70	0.90
0.60	0.80	1.00

**Note:**

⚡ *The adjustment is also correct if no further play is perceptible, although it is still possible to rotate the differential bevel gears (arrow).*

