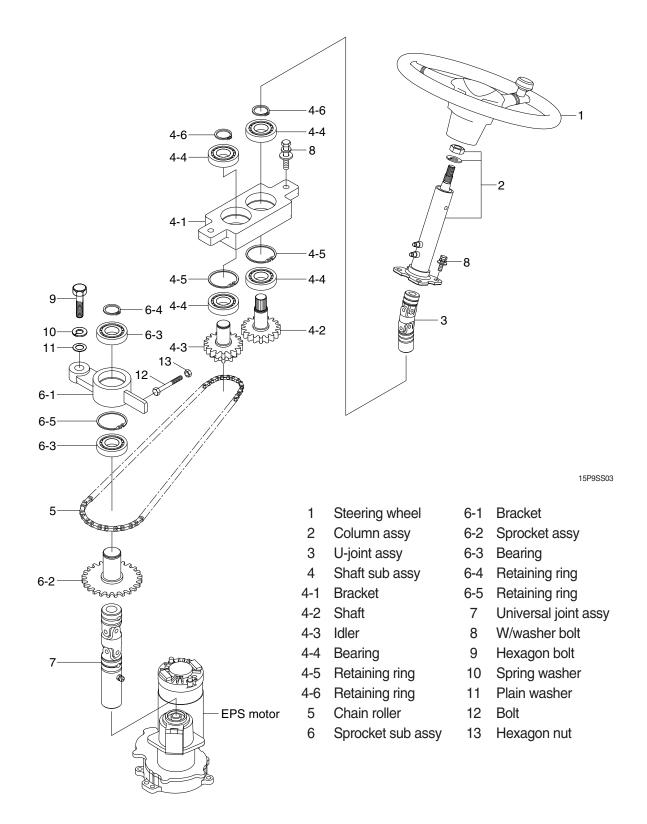
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# SECTION 5 STEERING SYSTEM

# **GROUP 1 STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION**

# 1. OUTLINE



# 2. SPECIFICATIONS AND SERVICE STANDARD

Turco		1st stage	Chain
Туре		2st stage	Gear
Steering wheel diameter (mm)		ø 320	
Steering wheel free play	(mm)	30~60	
Steering chain slack	(mm)	10 (load 10 kg)	
Stearing angle	Right turn	90°	
Steering angle	Left turn	90	٥
Minimum	15P-9	2413 (7' 0")	
turning radius (mm)	40T-9	1573	(5' 2")

# 3. TROUBLE SHOOTING

Problem		Cause	Remedy
Heavy steering	At traveling	<ul> <li>Damage of bearing at steering pinion</li> <li>Damage of bearing of steering shaft of drive unit</li> <li>Lack of grease of bearing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Replace bearing</li> <li>Replace bearing</li> <li>Lubricate grease</li> </ul>
	At releasing joint at spline	<ul> <li>Damage of bearing in steering bracket</li> <li>Over tension of roller chain</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Replace bearing</li> <li>Adjust the tension</li> </ul>
Steering play is large (STD : 30~60 mm)		<ul> <li>Looseness of roller chain</li> <li>Extention of roller chain</li> <li>Looseness of rubber coupling is large</li> <li>Looseness of spline and joint is large</li> <li>Backlash of steering pinion and gear is large</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ajust the tension</li> <li>Adjust the tension or replace the chain</li> <li>Replace coupling</li> <li>Replace</li> <li>Replace</li> </ul>
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# **GROUP 2 DISASSEMBLY AND ASSEMBLY**

#### **1. STEERING SYSTEM**

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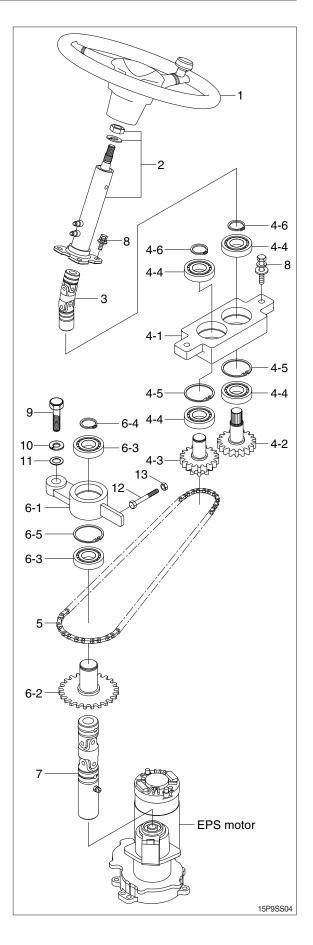
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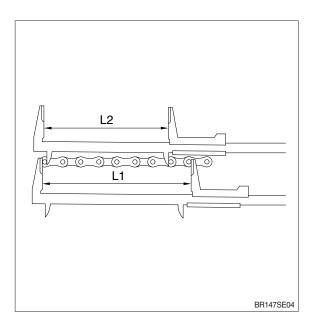
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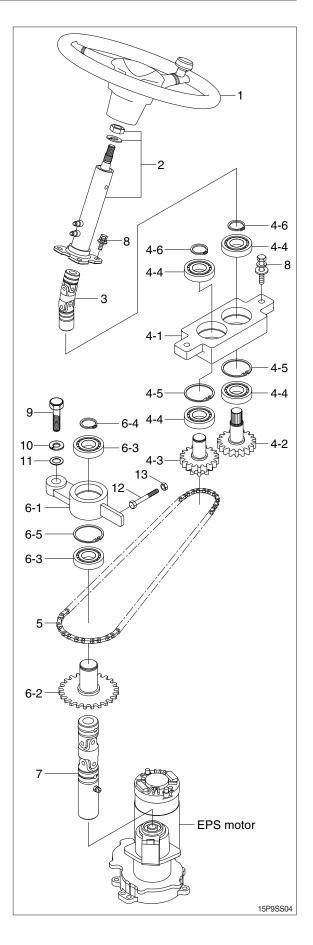
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