

21. Fuel

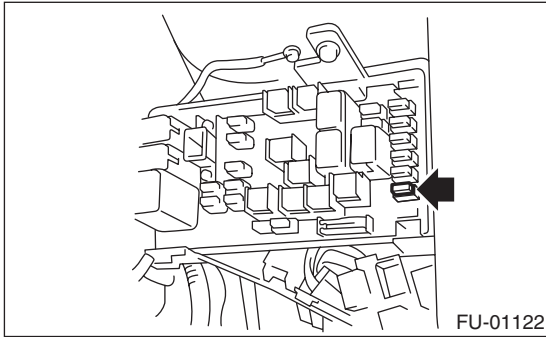
A: PROCEDURE

1. RELEASING OF FUEL PRESSURE

WARNING:

- Place “NO FIRE” signs near the working area.
- Be careful not to spill fuel.

1) Remove the fuse of fuel pump from main fuse box.



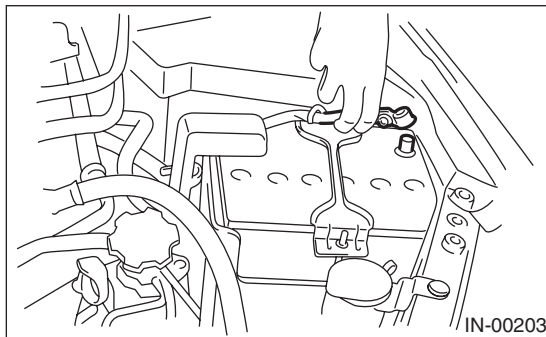
- 2) Start the engine and run it until it stalls.
 3) After the engine stalls, crank it for five more seconds.
 4) Turn the ignition switch to OFF.

2. DRAINING FUEL

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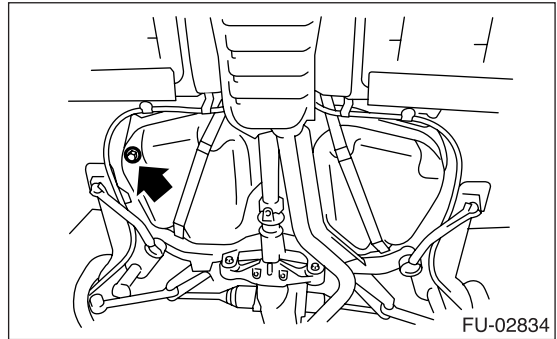
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- 1) Set the vehicle on a lift.
 2) Disconnect the ground cable from battery.



- 3) Open the fuel filler flap lid, and remove the fuel filler cap.
 4) Lift-up the vehicle.
 5) Remove the fuel tank protector.

6) Set a container under the vehicle and remove the drain plug from fuel tank to drain fuel from fuel tank.



7) Tighten the fuel drain plugs.

NOTE:

Use a new gasket.

Tightening torque:

26 N·m (2.65 kgf-m, 19.2 ft-lb)

8) Install the fuel tank protector.

NOTE:

Use a new nut.

Tightening torque:

Nut

9 N·m (0.9 kgf-m, 6.6 ft-lb)

Bolt

17.5 N·m (1.78 kgf-m, 12.9 ft-lb)