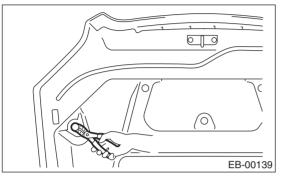
# 2. Front Hood

## A: REMOVAL

### 1. FRONT HOOD INSULATOR

1) Open the front hood.

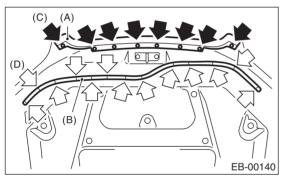
2) Release the clips to remove the front hood insulator.



### 2. FRONT HOOD WEATHER STRIP

1) Open the front hood.

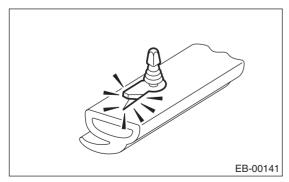
2) Remove the clips, and remove the front hood weather strip (A) and intake duct weather strip (B).



- (C) Clip
- (D) Weather strip clip

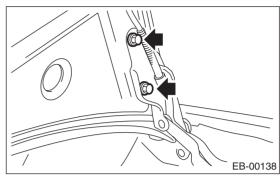
### NOTE:

If the weather strip clip is removed with excessive force, the weather strip may be damaged. Be sure to use clip remover to remove.

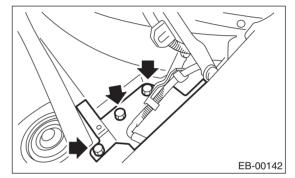


### 3. FRONT HOOD HINGE

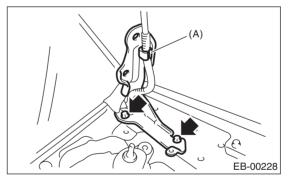
1) Remove the bolt, and remove the front hood panel. <Ref. to EB-14, FRONT HOOD PANEL, RE-MOVAL, Front Hood.>



 Remove the clip, and remove the cowl side panel front.



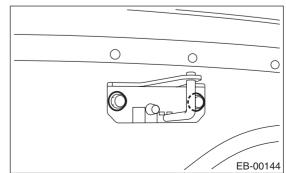
3) Remove clamp (A) of the window washer hose, and remove the bolt of the hinge.



### 4. FRONT HOOD STRIKER

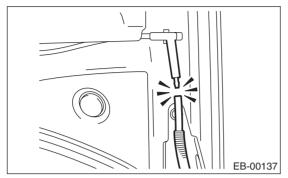
1) Open the front hood.

2) Remove the bolt, and remove the front hood striker.



#### 5. FRONT HOOD PANEL

1) Open the front hood to remove the window washer hose.



2) Remove the front hood insulator.

<Ref. to EB-13, FRONT HOOD INSULATOR, RE-MOVAL, Front Hood.>

3) Remove the front hood weather strip.

<Ref. to EB-13, FRONT HOOD WEATHER STRIP, REMOVAL, Front Hood.>

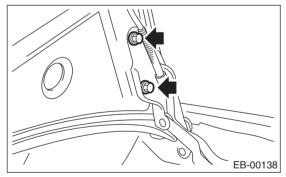
4) Remove the front hood striker.

<Ref. to EB-13, FRONT HOOD STRIKER, RE-MOVAL, Front Hood.>

5) Remove the front hood duct. (Turbo model)<Ref. to EI-25, REMOVAL, Front Hood Grille.>

6) Remove the window washer hose and nozzle. <Ref. to WW-16, REMOVAL, Front Washer Nozzle.>

7) Remove the bolt, and remove the front hood panel from the front hood hinge.



### **B: INSTALLATION**

### **1. FRONT HOOD INSULATOR**

Install in the reverse order of removal.

NOTE:

Be careful not to catch the window washer hose in.

### 2. FRONT HOOD WEATHER STRIP

Install in the reverse order of removal.

#### 3. FRONT HOOD HINGE

Install in the reverse order of removal.

Tightening torque: 24.5 N⋅m (2.5 kgf-m, 18.1 ft-lb)

### 4. FRONT HOOD STRIKER

Install in the reverse order of removal.

#### Tightening torque: 33 N·m (3.4 kgf-m, 24.5 ft-lb)

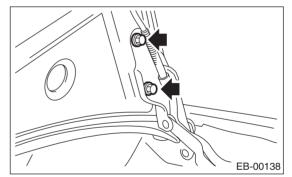
#### 5. FRONT HOOD PANEL

Install in the reverse order of removal.

Tightening torque: 24.5 N⋅m (2.5 kgf-m, 18.1 ft-lb)

### **C: ADJUSTMENT**

1) Adjust the clearance between front hood panel and front fender panel. Clearance must be equal at both sides. For the dimension of clearance, refer to "SPECIFICATION" in "General Description". <Ref. to EB-2, SPECIFICATION, General Description.> 2) Use the hinge mounting bolts to align the front hood longitudinal and lateral position.



3) Adjust the height at the front end of hood. <Ref. to SL-46, ADJUSTMENT, Front Hood Lock Assembly.>

4) Rotate the hood buffer to adjust lateral height.

