

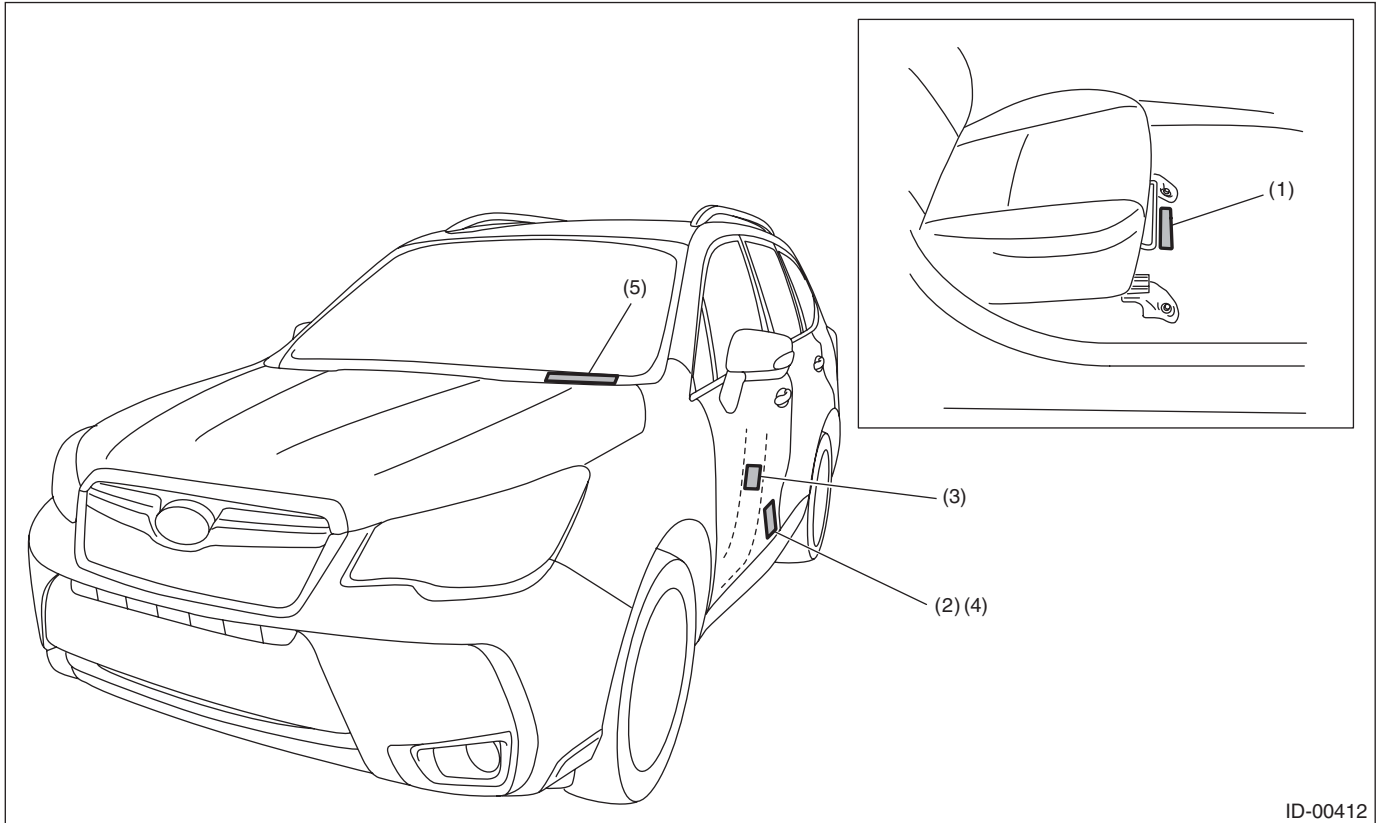
1. Identification

A: IDENTIFICATION

1. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AND LABEL LOCATIONS

The V.I.N. (Vehicle Identification Numbers) is used to classify the vehicle.

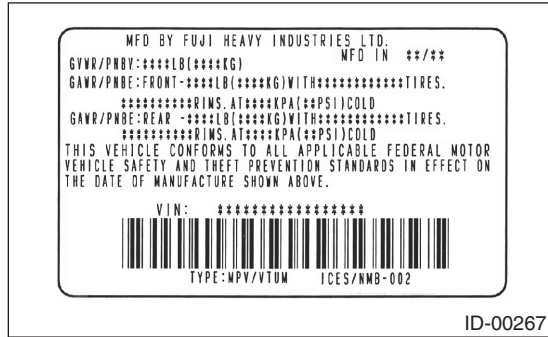
- Positioning of the plate label for identification



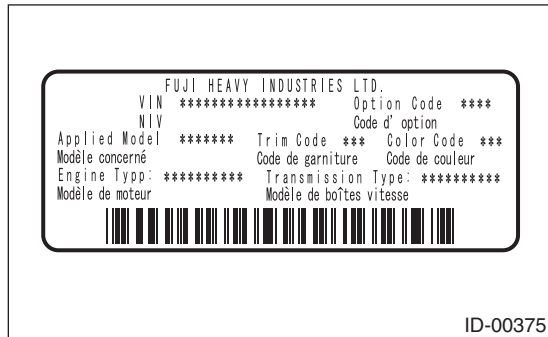
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| (1) Vehicle identification number (V.I.N.) (below right front floor carpet) | (3) Tire inflation pressure label | (5) Vehicle identification number (V.I.N.) plate |
| (2) MVSS/CMVSS label (attached to left side of vehicle) | (4) Model number label (attached to right side of vehicle) | |

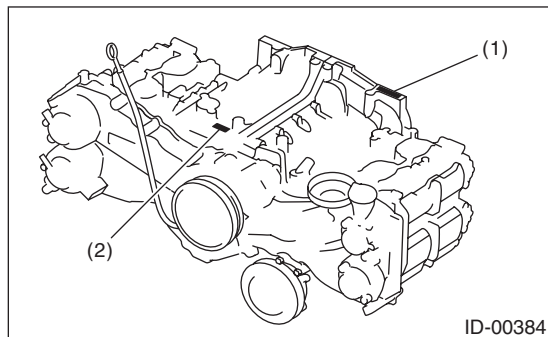
• MVSS/CMVSS label



• Model number label



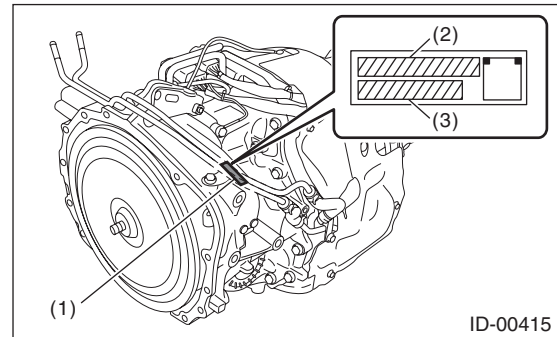
• Engine



- (1) Engine serial number (punch mark)
- (2) Engine type (casting) crankcase upper side

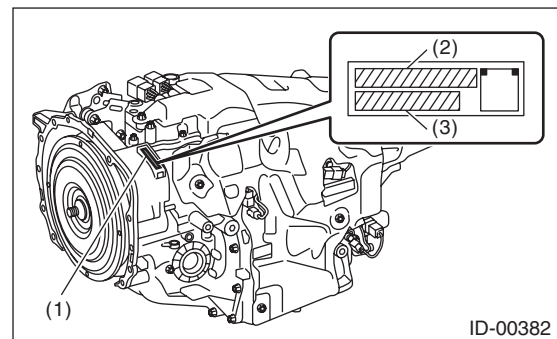
• Automatic transmission CVT

• TR690



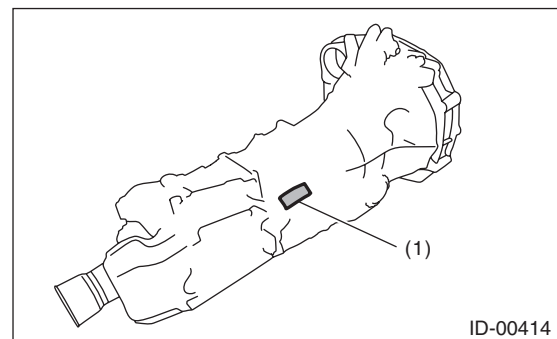
- (1) Label
- (2) CVT type label
- (3) Transmission serial No. label

• TR580



- (1) Label
- (2) CVT type label
- (3) Transmission serial No. label

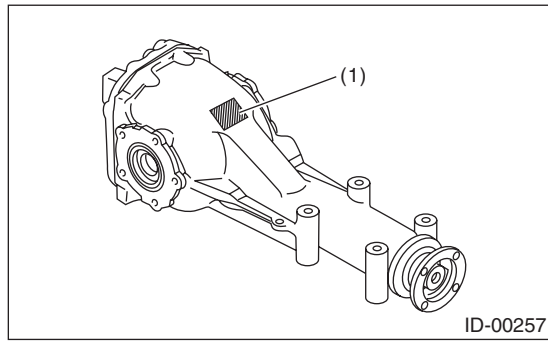
• Manual transmission



- (1) MT type and transmission serial number label

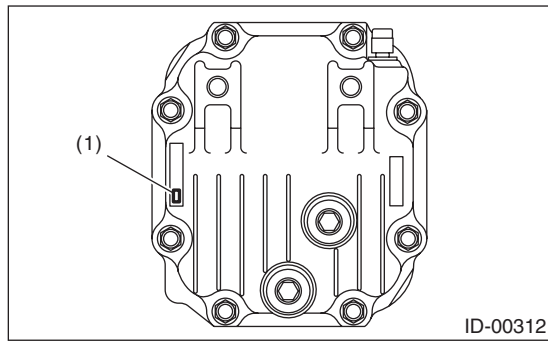
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- **Rear differential**
T-type



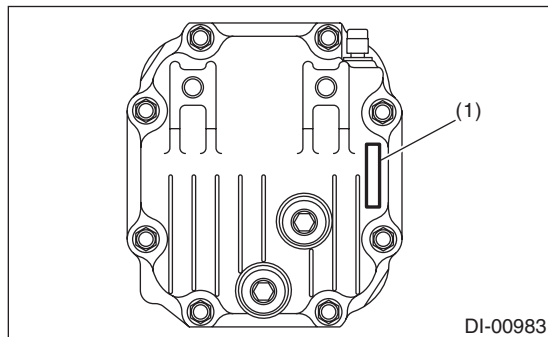
(1) Identification (white paint)

- **VA1-type**
Type a



(1) Type (label)

- **Type b**



(1) Type (label)

2. MEANING OF V.I.N.

The meaning of the V.I.N. is as follows:

JF2SJAACXFG400001

The starting and ending brackets ([]) are stop marks.

Digits	Code	Meaning	Details
1 — 3	JF2	Manufacturer body area	JF2: FHI manufactured passenger car
4	S	Car line	S: Forester
5	J	Body type	J: Wagon
6	A	Displacement class	A: 2.5 L non-turbo U5 C: 2.5 L non-turbo C0 D: 2.5 L non-turbo C4 E: 2.5 L non-turbo C5 G: 2.0 L turbo U4 H: 2.0 L turbo C0 J: 2.0 L turbo C4
7	A	Grade	A: 2.5 i B: 2.5 i Plus C: Premium D: Premium + M/R E: Premium + M/R + NAVI F: Premium + M/R + EyeSight G: Premium + M/R + NAVI + EyeSight H: Limited + M/R J: Limited + M/R + NAVI K: Limited + M/R + NAVI (H/K) L: Limited + M/R + navigation M: Limited + M/R + EyeSight N: Limited + M/R + EyeSight + S/P P: Limited + M/R + NAVI + EyeSight R: Limited + M/R + NAVI (H/K) + EyeSight S: Touring + M/R + H/K T: Touring + M/R + NAVI (H/K) U: Touring + M/R + H/K + S/P V: Touring + M/R + S/P W: Touring + M/R + NAVI (H/K) + S/P + EyeSight X: Touring + M/R + NAVI (H/K) + EyeSight Y: Touring + M/R + H/K + S/P + EyeSight
8	C	Restraint or GVWR class	C: Manual belt, dual airbags, side airbags for seat back + curtain airbags for roof + driver's knee airbags, Class C (GVWR 4001 — 5000 lb)
9	X	Check numbers	X or 0 — 9
10	F	Model year	F: 2015MY
11	G	Transmission type	G: Full-time AWD 6 speed MT single range H: Full-time AWD CVT
12 — 17	400001	Serial number	400001 — 599999

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3. MODEL NUMBER LABEL

The model number label indicates: the applied model, the option code, the trim code, the engine type, the transmission type, and the exterior color code. This information is helpful when placing orders for parts.

SJ9BY2A

Digits	Code	Meaning	Details
1	S	Series	S: Forester
2	J	Body type	J: Wagon
3	9	Total engine displacement Drive system	9: 2.5 L AWD (non-turbo) G: 2.0 L AWD (turbo)
4	B	Model year	B: 2015MY
5	Y	Destination	Y: U.S.A., Canada
6	2	Grade	2: 2.5 i 3: 2.5 i Plus 4: 2.5 i Premium 5: 2.5 i Premium EyeSight 7: 2.5 i Limited 8: 2.5 i Limited EyeSight 9: 2.5 i Touring F: 2.5 i Touring EyeSight K: 2.0 XT Premium M: 2.0 XT Touring R: 2.0 XT Touring EyeSight
7	A	Transmission, fuel feed system	8: DOHC turbo CVT A: DOHC non-turbo 6MT C: DOHC non-turbo CVT

The engine and transmission type are as follows.

Engine

FA20FAZHYA

Digits	Code	Meaning	Details
1 and 2	FA	Engine type symbol	FA: 4 cylinder gasoline FB: 4 cylinder gasoline
3 and 4	20	Displacement	20: 2.0 L 25: 2.5 L
5	F	Valve train/fuel supply system/steering	B: DOHC non-turbo MFI (LH) F: DOHC DIT (LH)
6	A	Exhaust regulations	A: For states not using California emission standards C: For states using California emission standards
7	Z	Intake/exhaust system	Y: Intake AVCS, TGV, EGR Z: Intake AVCS, exhaust AVCS, TGV, EGR
8	H	Mounted transmission	B: 6MT H: CVT
9 and 10	YA	Detailed specifications	Used when ordering parts. For details, refer to the parts catalog.

Transmission

1. MT

TY751VHZDA

Digits	Code	Meaning	Details
1	T	Transmission	T: Transmission
2	Y	Transmission system	Y: Full-time AWD MT center differential
3 and 4	75	Distance between gear center	75: Between main shaft and drive pinion
5	1	Classification	1: 6MT
6	V	Transmission specifications	V: Full-time AWD single range 6MT with viscous coupling center differential
7	H	Mounted engine	H: 2.5 L DOHC non-turbo
8 — 10	ZDA	Detailed specifications	Used when ordering parts. For details, refer to the parts catalog.

2. CVT

TR580GHZAB

Digits	Code	Meaning	Details
1	T	Transmission	T: Transmission
2	R	Transmission system	R: Full-time AWD CVT
3 and 4	58	Distance between pulley centers	58: Between pulley centers 69: Between pulley centers
5	0	Classification	0: CVT
6	G	Transmission specifications	G: CVT with CVTF warmer, without air cooler
7	H	Mounted engine	B: 2.0 L DOHC turbo H: 2.5 L DOHC non-turbo
8 — 10	ZAB	Detailed specifications	Used when ordering parts. For details, refer to the parts catalog.

Rear differential

B4

Code	Reduction gear ratio	LSD
B4	4.444	None
X1	4.111	None
XD	3.700	None

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Option code

4B

- 1-digit number

OP code	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	T	W	X	Y	4
Aluminum wheel (17-inch)	—	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	—	—	—
Aluminum wheel (18-inch)	○	—	—	—	—	—	○	—	—	—	—	○
HID headlight	○	—	—	—	○	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dark-colored glass	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○
Sunroof	○	—	○	○	○	—	○	○	—	—	—	○
Auto light & auto wiper	○	○	—	○	○	—	○	—	—	—	—	○
Cold weather package	○	—	—	○	○	○	—	○	—	—	—	○

- 2-digit number

OP code	A	B	F	K	M	P	R	S	U	V	Z
Leather seats and leather door trim center decoration	—	—	—	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○
Power seat	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Navigation system	—	—	—	○	—	○	—	—	—	—	—
harman/kardon audio + high grade audio	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	○	—	—
harman/kardon audio + navigation	—	—	—	—	—	—	○	—	—	○	—
Without audio	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Keyless access with push button start	—	—	—	—	—	—	○	○	—	—	—
Power rear gate	—	○	—	○	—	—	○	○	○	○	○
Side & curtain airbags	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○

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