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SERVICE BULLETIN

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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this bulletin is to provide a description of current changes to Service Manuals available via the Subaru Technical Information System (STIS) web site. The tables contained within this bulletin are to be used as guides for becoming aware of the latest changes. We advise you to always refer to the STIS web site when looking for the latest Service information. Printed pages will **not** be made available to update printed Service Manuals.

Paper manuals may have different page numbering than what is reflected below, based on multiple new and revised pages. Please refer to the information contained on the STI web site for all future, update service manual information.

YEAR	MODEL	SECTION	PAGE(S)	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
2013	Forester	Engine 1	ME(H4DO)-18, 238, 239, 242, 243, 272, 275, 278, 281, 284, 286	Special Tool for connecting rod bolt listed.
		Transmission	4AT(diag)-39	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0712 changed.
		Chassis	VDC(diag)-65	Diagnostic steps for DTC C0052 changed.
2012	Forester	Engine 1	ME(H4DO)-18, 238, 239, 242, 243, 272, 275, 278, 281, 284, 286	Special Tool for connecting rod bolt listed.
		Transmission	4AT(diag)-41	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0712 changed.
		Chassis	VDC(diag)-69	Diagnostic steps for DTC C0052 changed.
2011	Forester	Transmission	4AT(diag)-41	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0712 changed.
		Chassis	VDC(diag)-68	Diagnostic steps for DTC C0052 changed.
2010	Forester	Transmission	4AT(diag)-38	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0712 changed.
		Chassis	VDC(diag)-67	Diagnostic steps for DTC C0052 changed.
2009	Forester	Body	AB(diag)-114	Diagnostic points for step 2 changed for DTC F4.
		Chassis	VDC(diag)-65	Diagnostic steps for DTC C0052 changed.