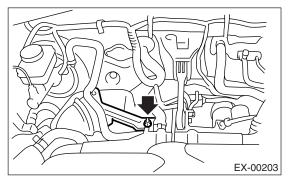
3. Center Exhaust Pipe

A: REMOVAL

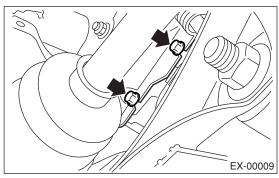
- 1) Set the vehicle on a lift.
- 2) Remove the collector cover.
- 3) Disconnect the ground cable from battery.
- 4) Remove the intercooler. <Ref. to IN(H4DOTC)-
- 12, REMOVAL, Intercooler.>
- 5) Remove the intercooler bracket.



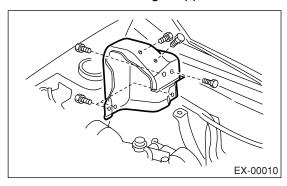
- 6) Lift-up the vehicle.
- 7) Remove the under cover.
- 8) Remove the bolts which install lower side of turbocharger upper cover.

CAUTION:

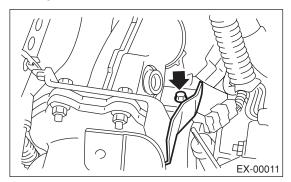
Be careful, the turbocharger and exhaust pipe are hot.



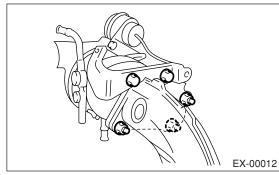
- 9) Lower the vehicle.
- 10) Remove the turbocharger upper cover.



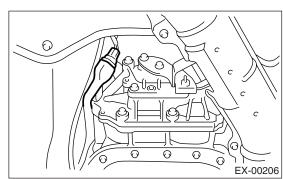
11) Remove the bolts which install upper side of turbocharger upper cover.



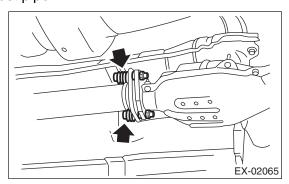
12) Separate the center exhaust pipe from turbocharger.



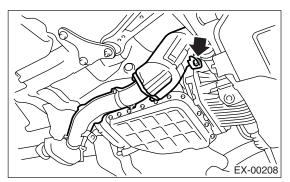
- 13) Lift-up the vehicle.
- 14) Disconnect the connector from rear oxygen sensor.



15) Separate the center exhaust pipe from rear exhaust pipe.



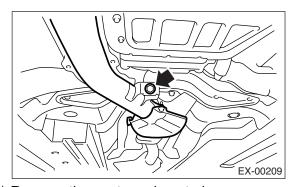
16) Remove the bolt which holds center exhaust pipe bracket to transmission.



- 17) Remove the intercooler bracket.
- 18) Remove the bolt which holds center exhaust pipe to hanger bracket.

CAUTION:

Be careful not to pull down the center exhaust pipe.



19) Remove the center exhaust pipe.



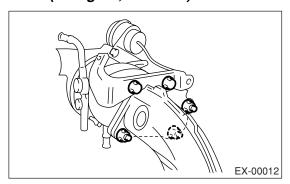
B: INSTALLATION

NOTE:

Replace the gaskets with new ones.

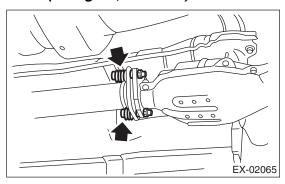
- 1) Install the center exhaust pipe and temporarily tighten the bolt which holds center exhaust pipe to hanger bracket.
- 2) Temporarily tighten the bolt which holds center pipe to transmission.
- 3) Connect the center exhaust pipe to turbocharger.

Tightening torque: 35 N⋅m (3.6 kgf-m, 26.0 ft-lb)

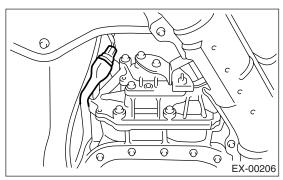


4) Install the center exhaust pipe to rear exhaust pipe.

Tightening torque: 18 N⋅m (1.8 kgf-m, 13.0 ft-lb)

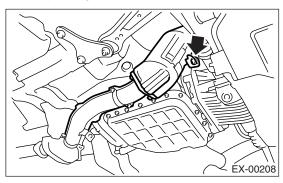


5) Connect the connector to rear oxygen sensor.



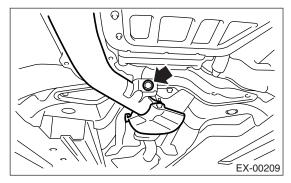
6) Tighten the bolt which holds center exhaust pipe bracket to transmission.

Tightening torque: 30 N⋅m (3.1 kgf-m, 22.4 ft-lb)



7) Tighten the bolt which holds center exhaust pipe to hanger bracket.

Tightening torque: 35 N⋅m (3.6 kgf-m, 26.0 ft-lb)



8) Tighten the bolts which hold intercooler bracket.

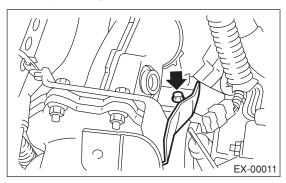
Tightening torque:

35 N·m (3.6 kgf-m, 26.0 ft-lb)

- 9) Lower the vehicle.
- 10) Place the turbocharger lower cover, and tighten the bolts which install upper side of lower cover.

Tightening torque:

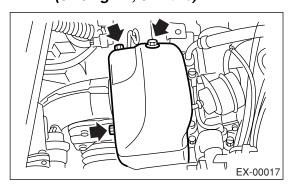
7.4 N·m (0.75 kgf-m, 5.4 ft-lb)



11) Place the turbocharger upper cover, and tighten the bolts which install upper side of upper cover.

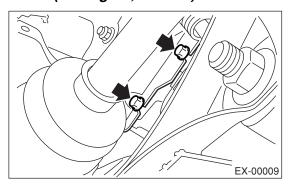
Tightening torque:

7.4 N·m (0.75 kgf-m, 5.4 ft-lb)

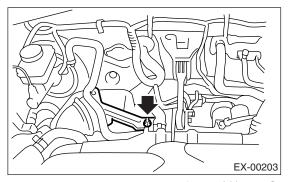


- 12) Lift-up the vehicle.
- 13) Tighten the bolts which install under side of turbocharger upper cover.

Tightening torque: 7.4 N·m (0.75 kgf-m, 5.4 ft-lb)



- 14) Install the under cover.
- 15) Lower the vehicle.
- 16) Install the intercooler bracket.



- 17) Install the intercooler. <Ref. to IN(H4DOTC)-
- 12, INSTALLATION, Intercooler.>
- 18) Install the collector cover.

C: INSPECTION

- 1) Check the connections and welds for exhaust leaks.
- 2) Check the center exhaust pipe for holes or rust.