

FRONT WIPER AND WASHER

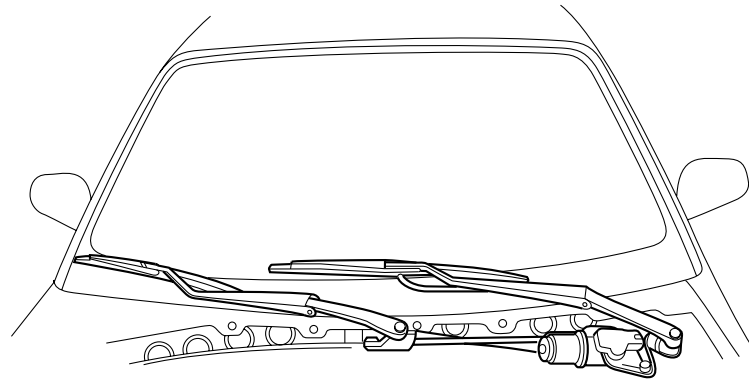
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1. Front Wiper and Washer

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1. FRONT WIPER

- 1) The front wiper is of a tandem type featuring wide wiping area. The blade is installed to the arm by means of U-hook joint to improve serviceability.
- 2) The front wiper operates in the HI and LOW speed modes and the INTERMITTENT mode. The operation modes can be selected by turning the wiper switch incorporated in the combination switch.
- 3) In the INTERMITTENT mode, the intermittent unit installed behind the combination switch controls the front wiper operation interval.
- 4) The front wiper system uses a modular construction in which the wiper motor forms an integral part of the linkage. The motor is installed on the body through rubber mounting.



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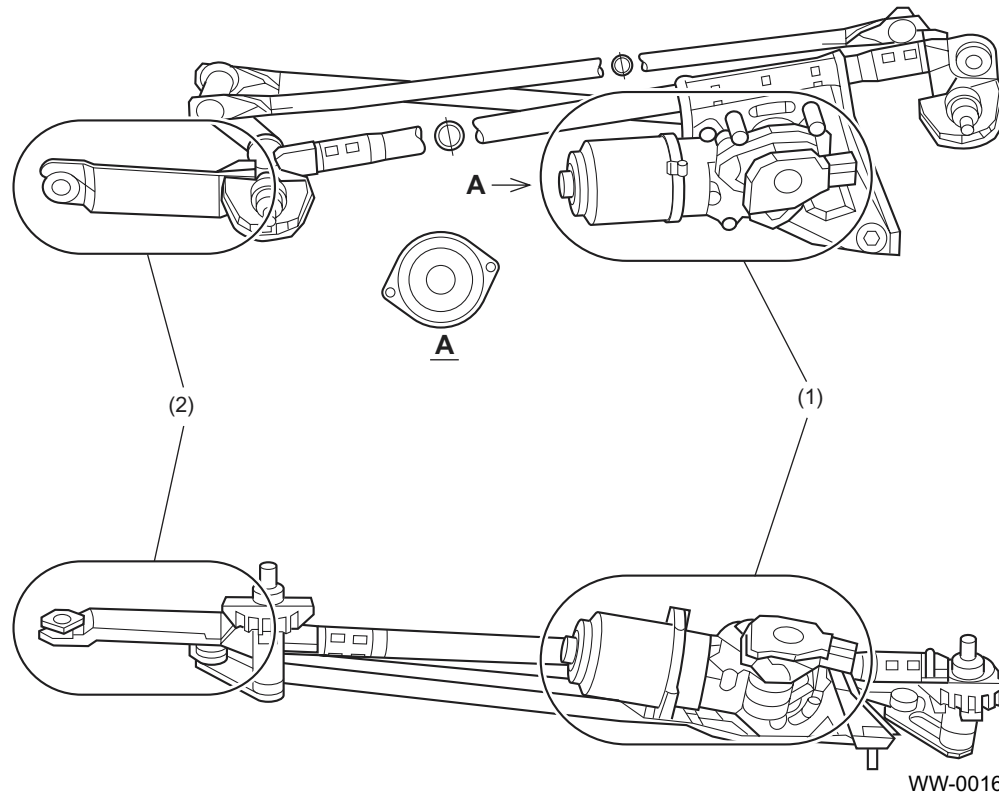
- 5) The size of the motor is minimized by changing the stator shape, coil windings and the magnet.

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6) The mounting bracket is modified. In case of a personal accident, the bracket area breaks when hit by a person to absorb the impact and lessen the degree of injury.



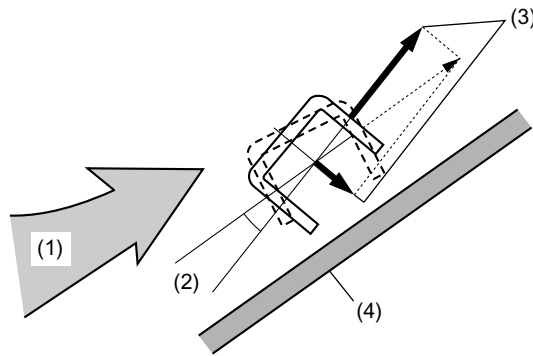
- (1) Motor
- (2) Bracket

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7) The driver's side wiper arm is angled to disperse the force applied to the wiper arm by the air flow. A part of the dispersed force acts to press the wiper blade against the windshield helping to prevent the wiper blade being lifted up.



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- (1) Air flow
- (2) Angle of twist

- (3) Dispersed force
- (4) Windshield

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2. FRONT WASHER SYSTEM

- 1) The washer system consists of a washer tank, a motor and pump unit, and a pair of nozzles.
- 2) The washer tank is installed at the front of the strut mount on the left side of the engine compartment.
- 3) The washer motor and pump unit is installed at the bottom of the washer tank.
- 4) The washer nozzles are installed on the hood. Each nozzle has two spray holes.
- 5) Each washer nozzle is provided with a check valve which is located just below it.

3. SPECIFICATIONS

Washer tank	Capacity	4.0 ℓ (4.2 US qt, 3.5 Imp qt)		
Wiper motor	Rated voltage	12 V		
	No-load current	4 A or less		
	Speed [2.0 N· m (20 kg-cm, 17 in-lb)]	HIGH	66±6 rpm	
		LOW	43±5 rpm	
	Locked rotor characteristics	HIGH	Torque	29.4 N· m (300 kg-cm, 2.2 ft-lb) or more
			Current	36.0 A or less
LOW		Torque	34.3 N· m (350 kg-cm, 2.5 ft-lb)	
		Current	31.5 A or less	
Wiper blade	Length	Driver's side	550 mm (21.65 in)	
		Passenger's side	425 mm (19.69 in)	

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