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SERVICE BULLETIN

APPLICABILITY: 2005MY Forester & Impreza
SUBJECT: Service Manual Corrections

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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.

YEAR	MODEL	BOOK/ VOL#	MSA#	SECTION	PAGE	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
2005	Forester	2	MSA5T0521A	Engine (H4SO)	EN(H4SO)(diag) - 185 to 187	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0420 changed/corrected.
					EN(H4DOTC)(diag) - 189 to 191	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0420 changed/corrected.
		3	MSA5T0522A	Engine (H4DOTC)	EN(H4DOTC)(diag) - 308, 309	DTC P2005, 2007 TGV RH is corrected to TGV LH. Wording also corrected to replace TGV assembly instead of replace TGV position sensor.
					EN(H4DOTC)(diag) - 319, 320, 322, 324, 327	Diagnostic steps for DTC P2016, 2017, 2021, 2022 changed/corrected.
					4	MSA5T0523A
		CL - 11	Note for proper clutch cover . installation changed.			
		5	MSA5T0525A	Body	AB - 2	Illustration changes.
					AB - 4	Illustrations added and changed.
					AB - 8-19	Many changes see STIS.
					AB(diag) - 4, 5	Cautions changed.
					AB(diag) - 16, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64	Illustration changes.
					AB(diag) - 18	Component location chart changed/corrected.
					AB(diag) - 20 to 22	Airbag connector information changed/corrected.
					AB(diag) - 35, 37- 39, 41-43, 63, 65-77	DTC 11, 12, 16, 51, 52, 61, 62, 65, 66, 72, 76
IM(diag) - 18, 21	DTC steps corrected for P1570,1574					



CAUTION: VEHICLE SERVICING PERFORMED BY UNTRAINED PERSONS COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY TO THOSE PERSONS OR TO OTHERS.

Subaru Service Bulletins are intended for use by professional technicians ONLY. They are written to inform those technicians of conditions that may occur in some vehicles, or to provide information that could assist in the proper servicing of the vehicle. Properly trained technicians have the equipment, tools, safety instructions, and know-how to do the job correctly and safely. If a condition is described, DO NOT assume that this Service Bulletin applies to your vehicle, or that your vehicle will have that condition.

YEAR	MODEL	BOOK/ VOL#	MSA#	SECTION	PAGE	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
2005	Impreza	2	MSA5T0511A	Engine (H4SO)	EN(H4SO)(diag)-180	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0420 changed/corrected.
		3	MSA5T0512A	Engine (H4DOTC)	EN(H4DOTC)(diag) - 179 to 181	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0420 changed/corrected.
					EN(H4DOTC)(diag)-309, 311	DTC P2005, 2007 TGV RH is corrected to TGV LH. Wording also corrected to replace TGV assembly instead of replace TGV position sensor.
					EN(H4DOTC)(diag)-321, 322, 324, 326, 329	Diagnostic steps for DTC P2016, 2017, 2021, 2022 changed/corrected
		4	MSA5T0513A	Engine STi	EN(STi)(diag)-185 to 187	Diagnostic steps for DTC P0420 changed/corrected.
					EN(STi)(diag) - 290, 291	DTC P2005, 2007 TGV RH is corrected to TGV LH. Wording also corrected to replace TGV assembly instead of replace TGV position sensor.
					EN(STi)(diag)-301, 302, 304, 306, 309	Diagnostic steps for DTC P2016, 2017, 2021, 2022 changed/corrected
		5	MSA5T0514A	Transmission	5MT-53,54	Backlash adjustments corrected/changed.