

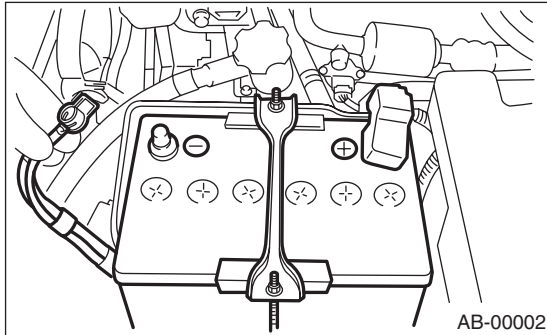
General Description

AIRBAG SYSTEM (DIAGNOSTICS)

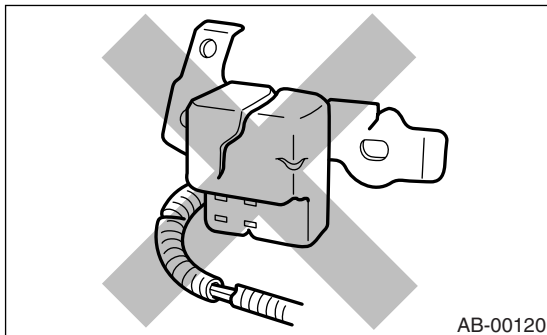
3. General Description

A: CAUTION

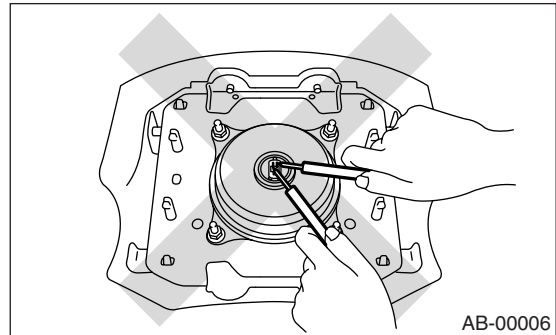
- When servicing a vehicle, be sure to turn the ignition switch to OFF, disconnect the ground cable from battery, and wait for more than 20 seconds before starting work.
- The airbag system is fitted with a backup power source. After disconnecting the battery ground cable, the airbag may deploy if you do not wait for more than 20 seconds before starting airbag system servicing.



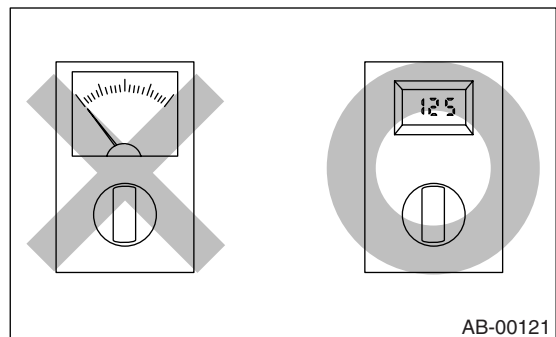
- If the airbag warning light illuminates, repair the vehicle immediately. Otherwise, the airbag or pretensioner may activate incorrectly, or not inflate in an actual collision.
- If sensors, airbag module, airbag control module, pretensioner or harness is deformed or damaged, replace with new parts.
- Do not use the airbag system and pretensioners on other vehicles. When replacing parts, be sure to replace them with new parts.



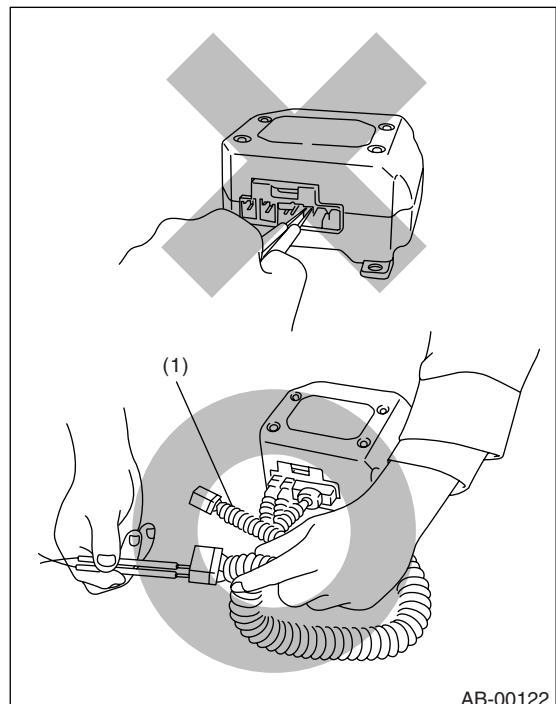
- Do not check continuity of the airbag modules on the driver's side, passenger's side, side airbag modules, or the pretensioner.



- When checking the airbag system, be sure to use a digital circuit tester. Use of an analog circuit tester may cause the airbag to activate erroneously due to a minimal current inside tester.



- When checking, use a test harness. Do not touch the tester probe directly to the airbag connector terminal.

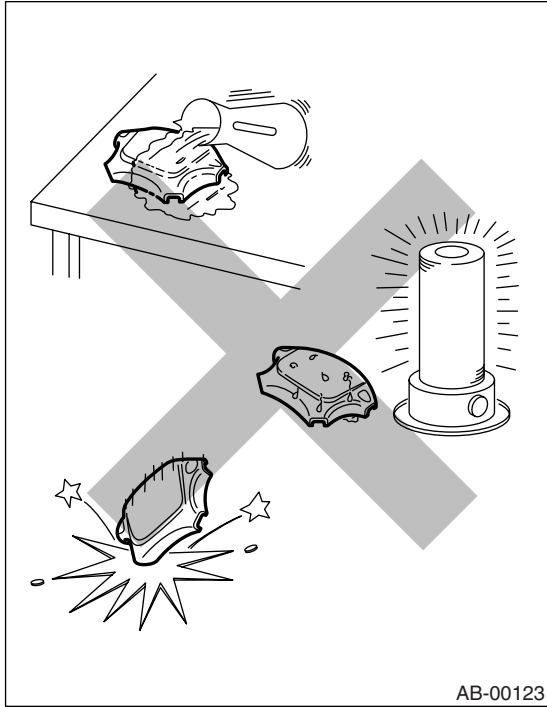


(1) Test harness

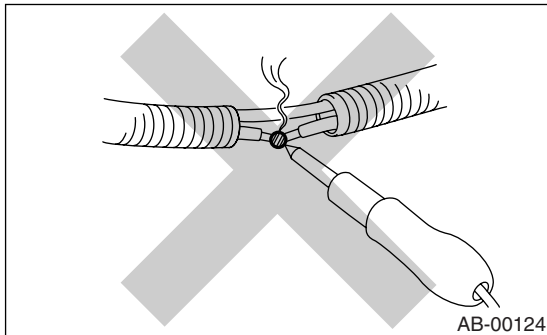
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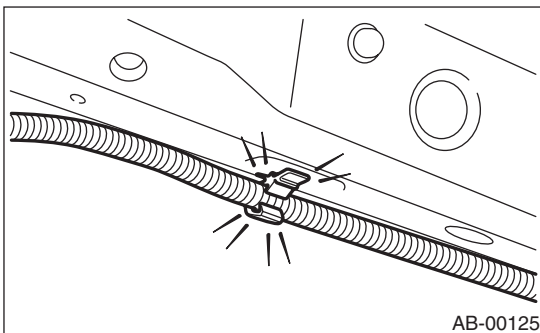
- Do not drop the airbag system parts, or keep them at high temperature over 93°C (199°F), or let water, oil or grease get on them; the internal parts may be damaged and reliability greatly lowered.



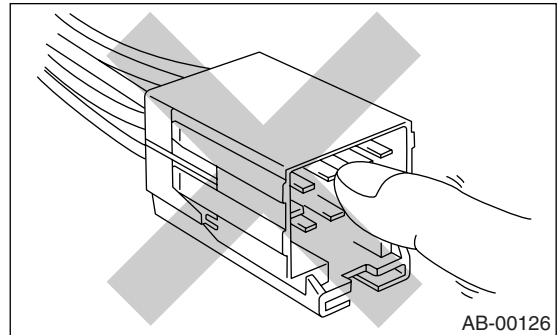
- If damage, open circuit or rust is found on airbag system wiring harness, do not use solder to repair. Replace the faulty harness with a new genuine part.



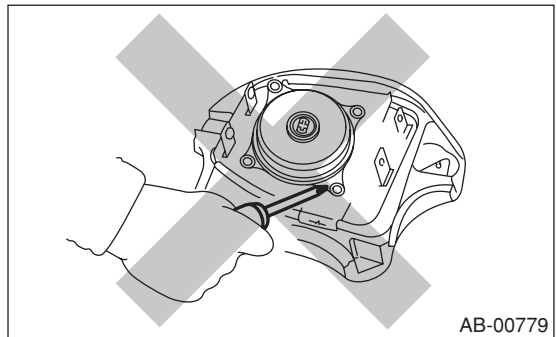
- Install the wiring harness securely with specified clips to avoid interference or becoming tangled with other parts.



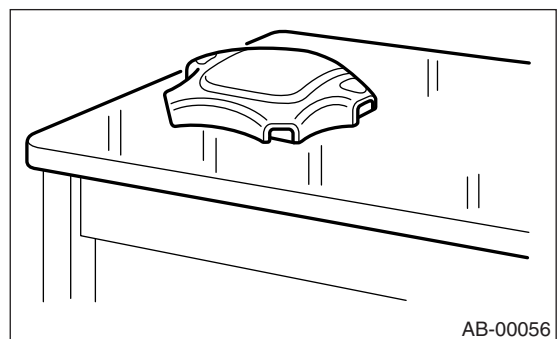
- Do not allow water or oil to come in contact with the connector terminals. Also, do not touch the connector terminals.



- Do not disassemble the airbag modules on the drivers side, passengers side, or for the side airbag system.



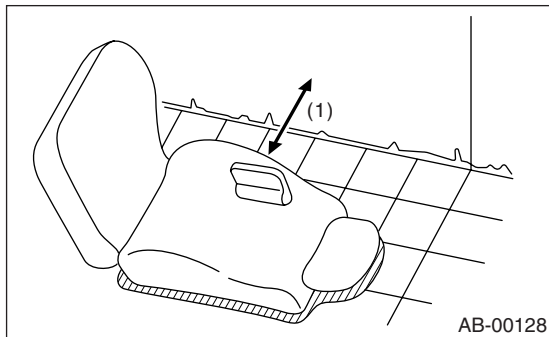
- The airbag module cannot be used again if deployed once.
- After removal, keep the airbag module with the pad side facing upward on a dry, clean and flat surface away from heat, light sources, moisture and dust.



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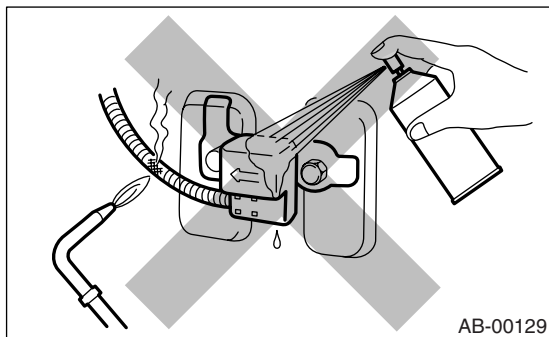
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- The removed front seat with airbag module must be kept at least 200 mm (8 in) away from walls and other objects.



(1) 200 mm (8 in) or more

- When painting or performing sheet metal work on the front part of the vehicle, including the front wheel apron, front fender and front side frame, remove the front sub sensors and wiring harness of airbag system.
- When painting or performing sheet metal work on the side of the vehicle, including the side sill, center pillar and front and rear doors, remove the side airbag sensors and wiring harness of the airbag system.

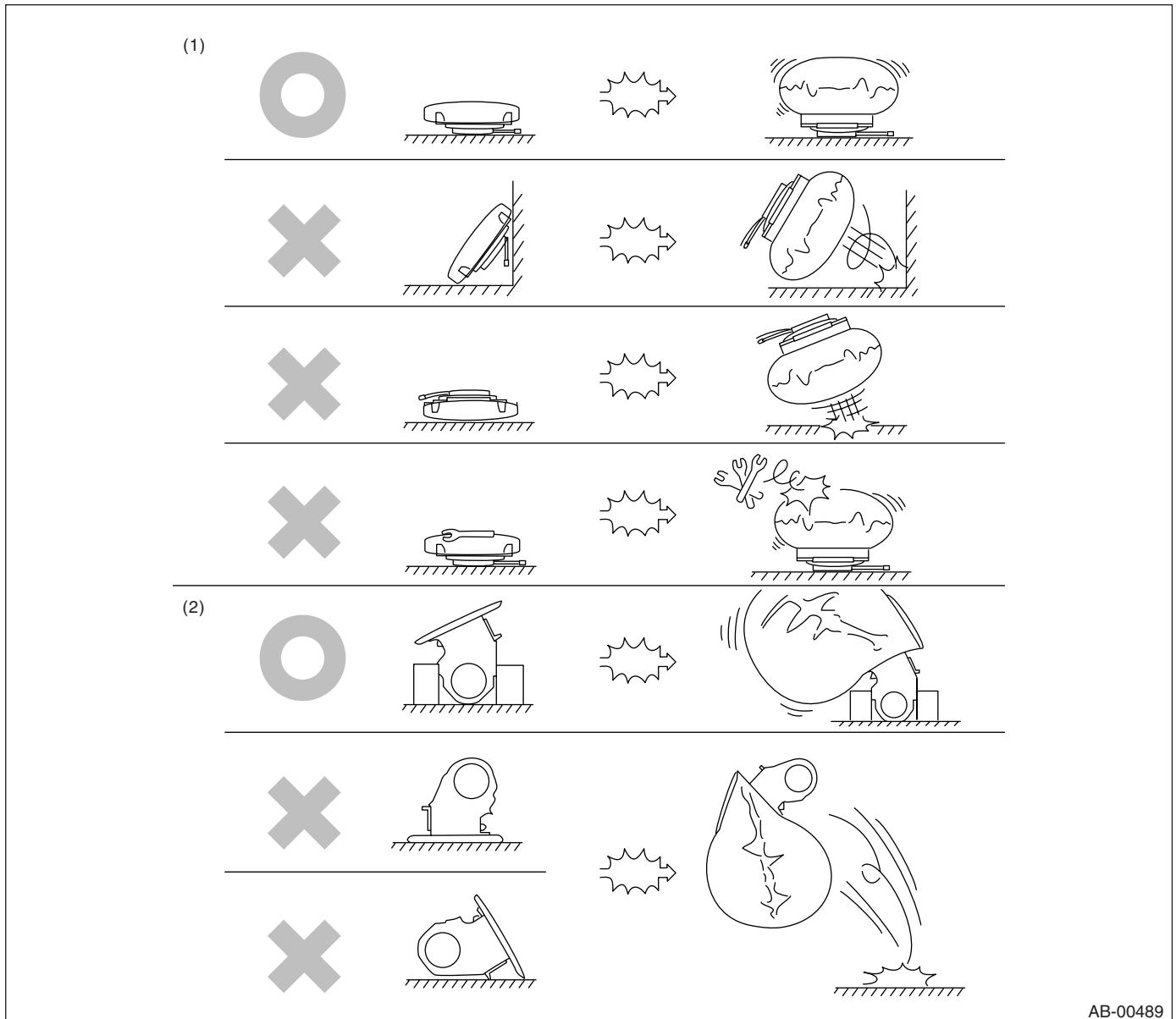


- Do not discard undeployed airbag module. They could easily cause a serious accident if accidentally deployed.

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- When storing a removed airbag module, do not place any objects on the module or stack them on top of each other. If the airbag inflates for some reason when it is placed with its pad side facing downward or under any object, a serious accident may result.



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(1) Driver's airbag module

(2) Passenger's airbag module

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B: INSPECTION

Before diagnosing, check the following items that might be related to the engine problem:

1. BATTERY

Measure the battery voltage and check electrolyte.

Standard voltage:

12 V

Specific gravity:

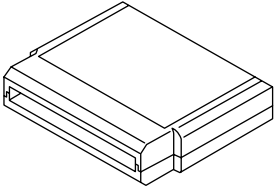

1.260 or more

C: PREPARATION TOOL

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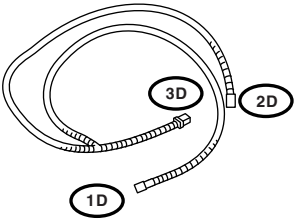
To measure the voltage and resistance of airbag system component, be sure to use the specified test harness.

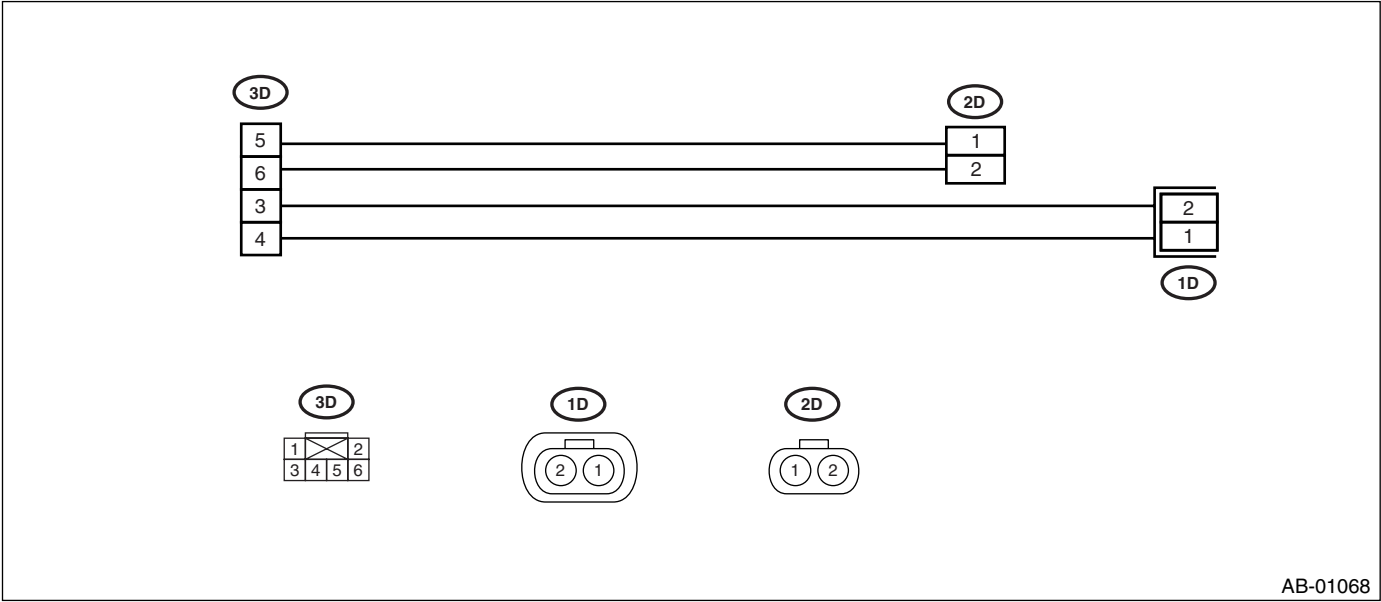
1. SPECIAL TOOL

ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST18482AA010	18482AA010	CARTRIDGE	Troubleshooting the electrical system.
 ST22771AA030	22771AA030	SUBARU SELECT MONITOR KIT	Troubleshooting the electrical system.

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• TEST HARNESS D

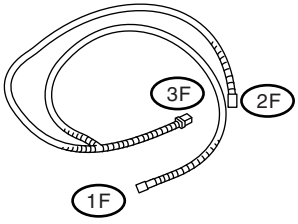
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299AG060	98299AG060	TEST HARNESS D	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of the front seat belt buckle switch.

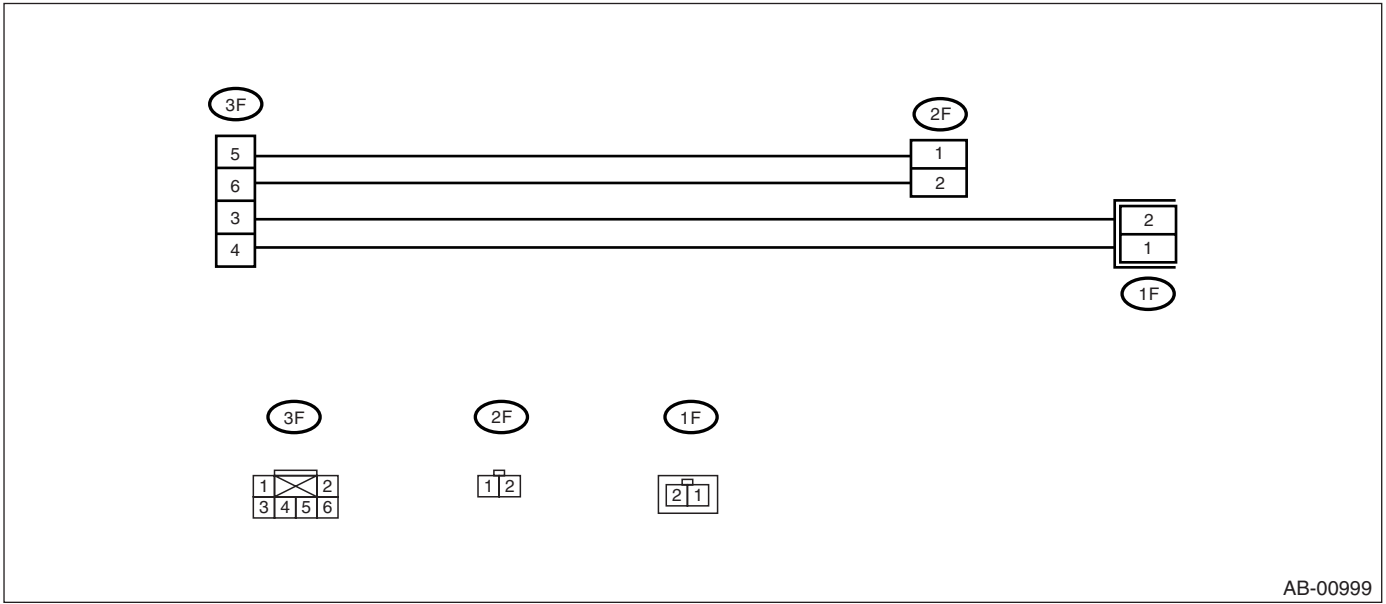


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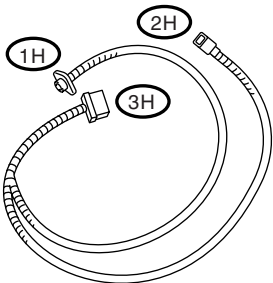
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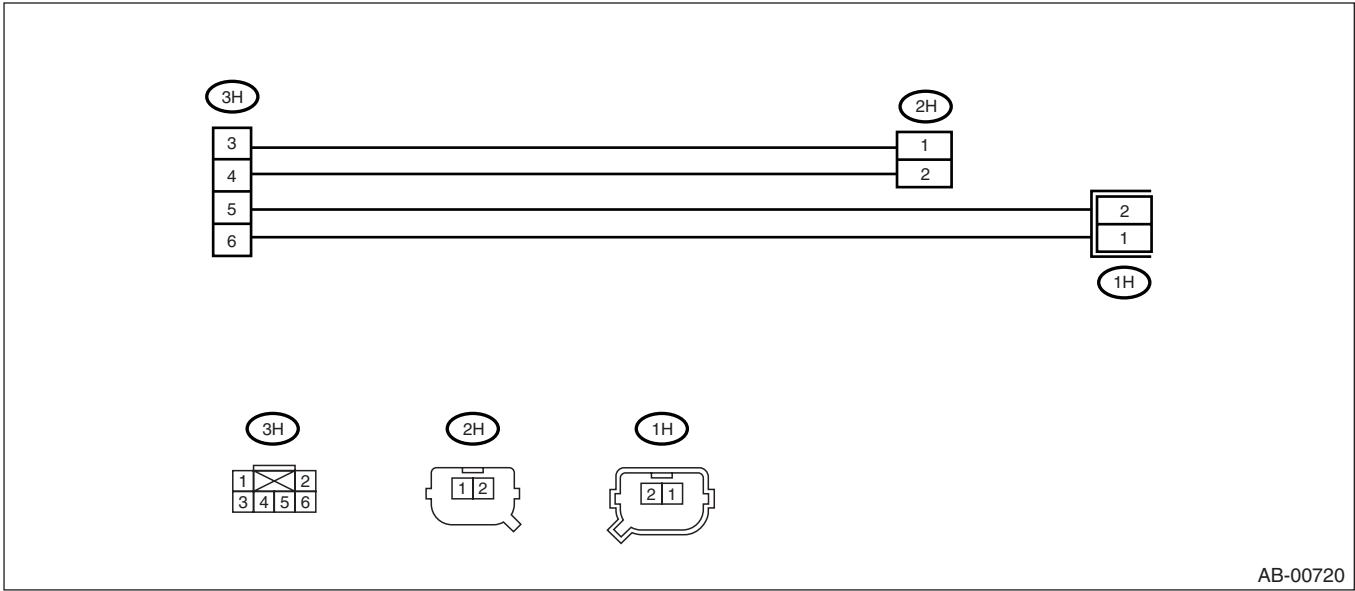
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 ST98299FC010	98299FC010	TEST HARNESS F	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of airbag module harnesses.



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• TEST HARNESS H

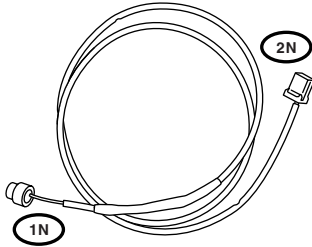
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299FA030	98299FA030	TEST HARNESS H	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of front sub sensor.

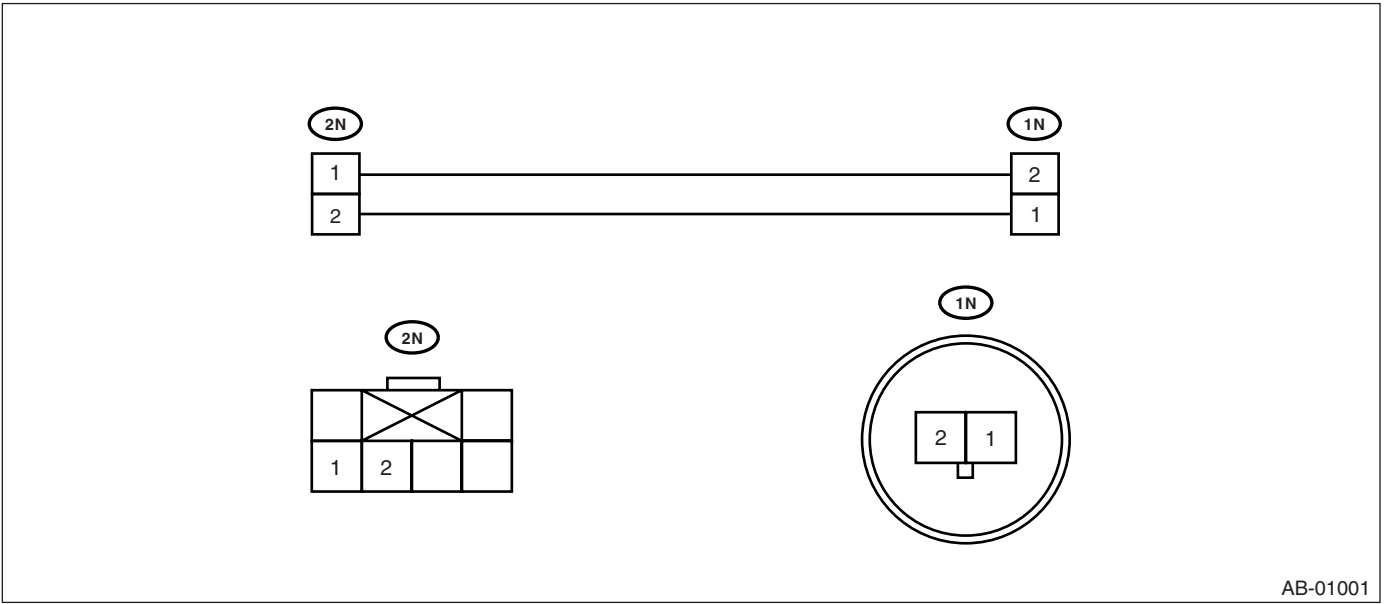


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• TEST HARNESS N

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 ST98299SA000	98299SA000	TEST HARNESS N	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of driver's airbag module and seat belt pretensioner.




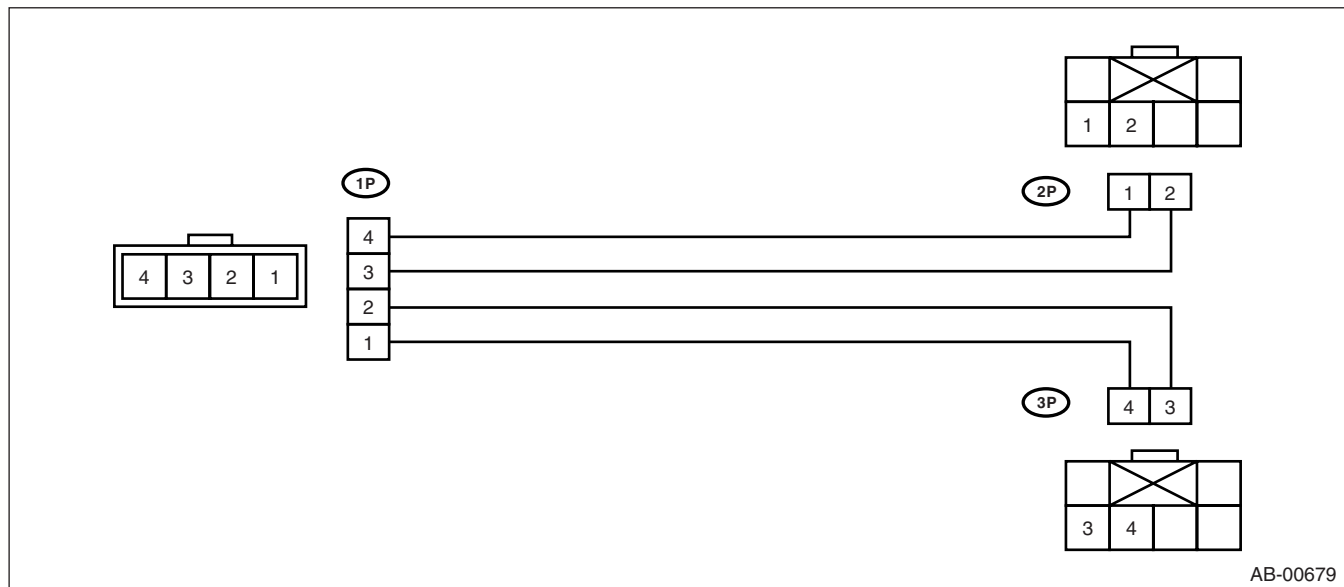
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- TEST HARNESS P

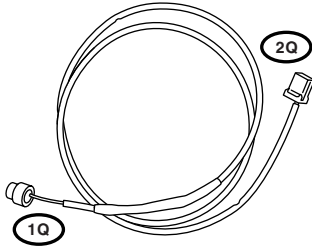
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 <p>ST98299SA020</p>	98299SA020	TEST HARNESS P	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of driver's airbag module harness and passenger's airbag module harness.

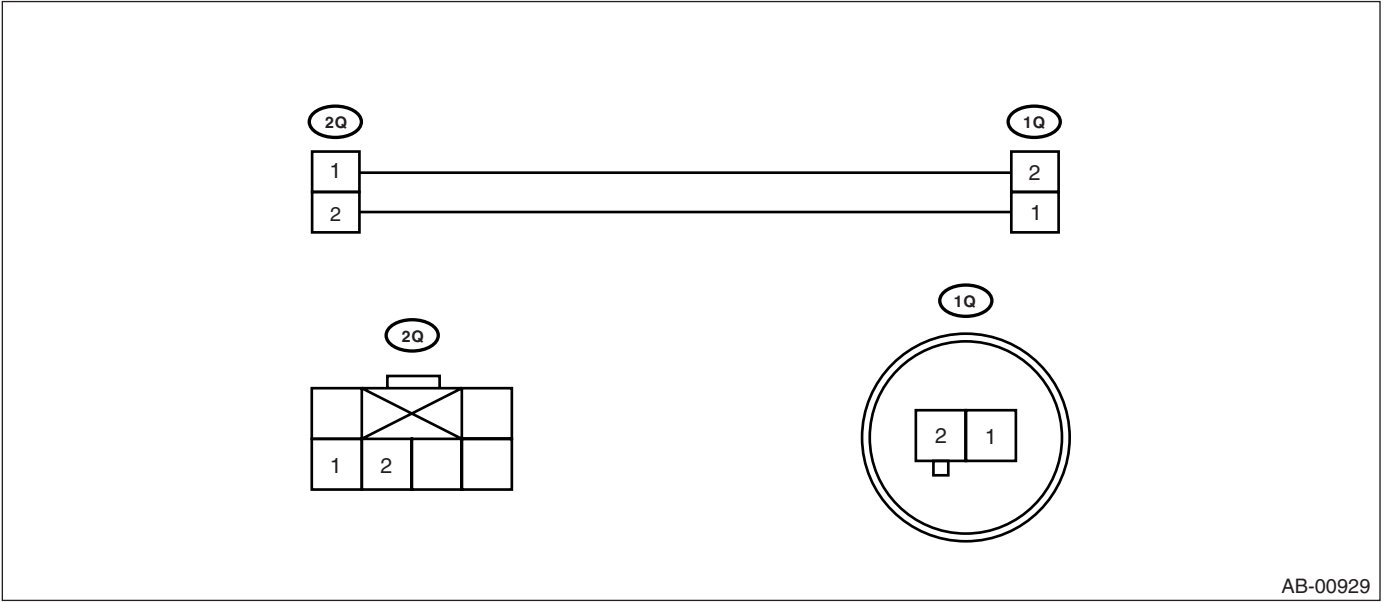


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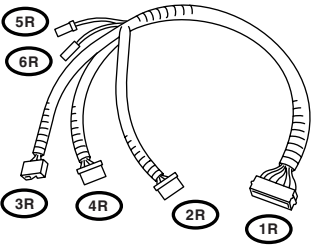
- TEST HARNESS Q

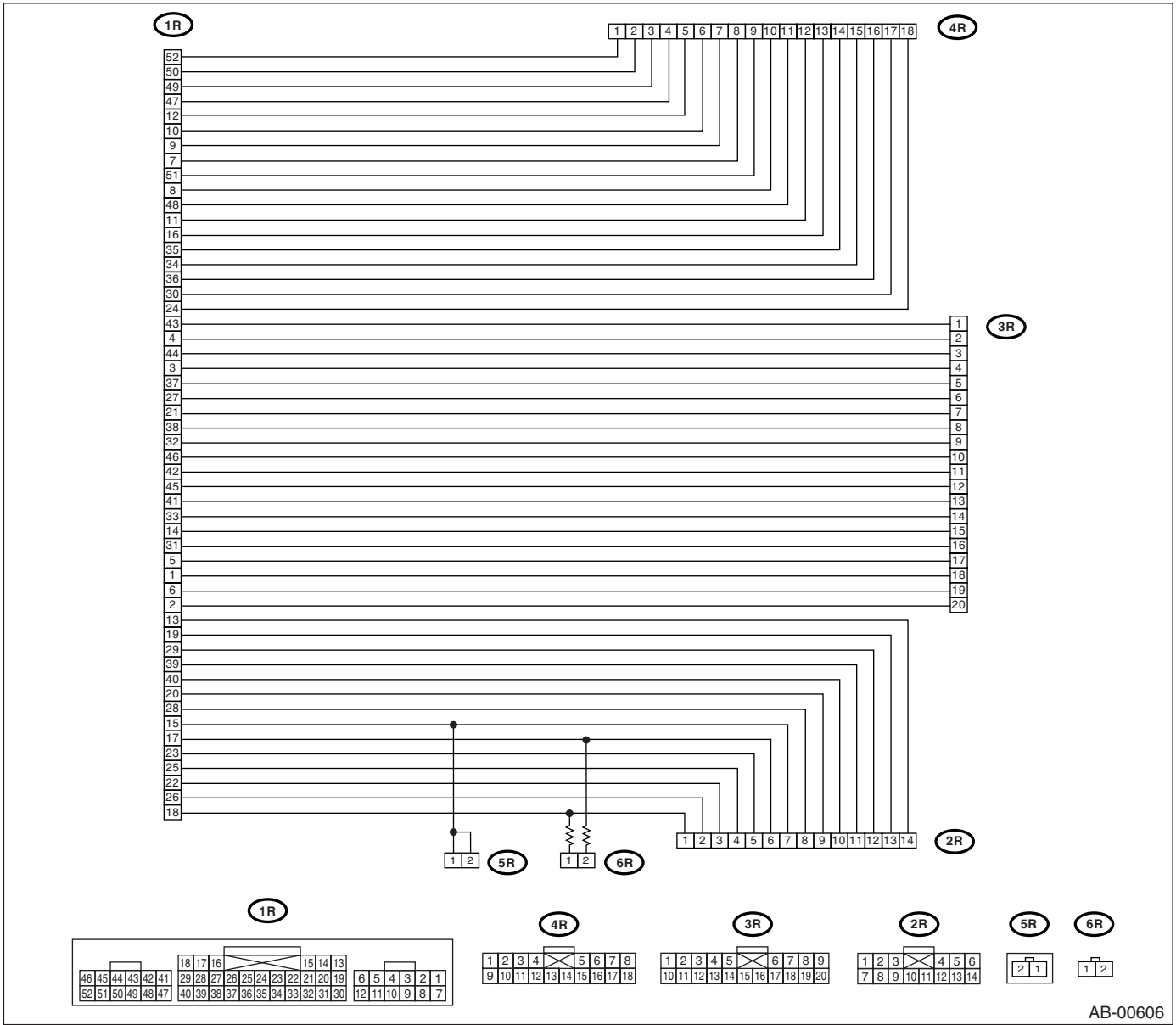
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299SA040	98299SA040	TEST HARNESS Q	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of driver's airbag module.



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• TEST HARNESS R

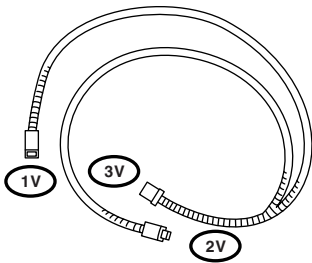
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 ST98299FE030	98299FE030	TEST HARNESS R	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of airbag control module.

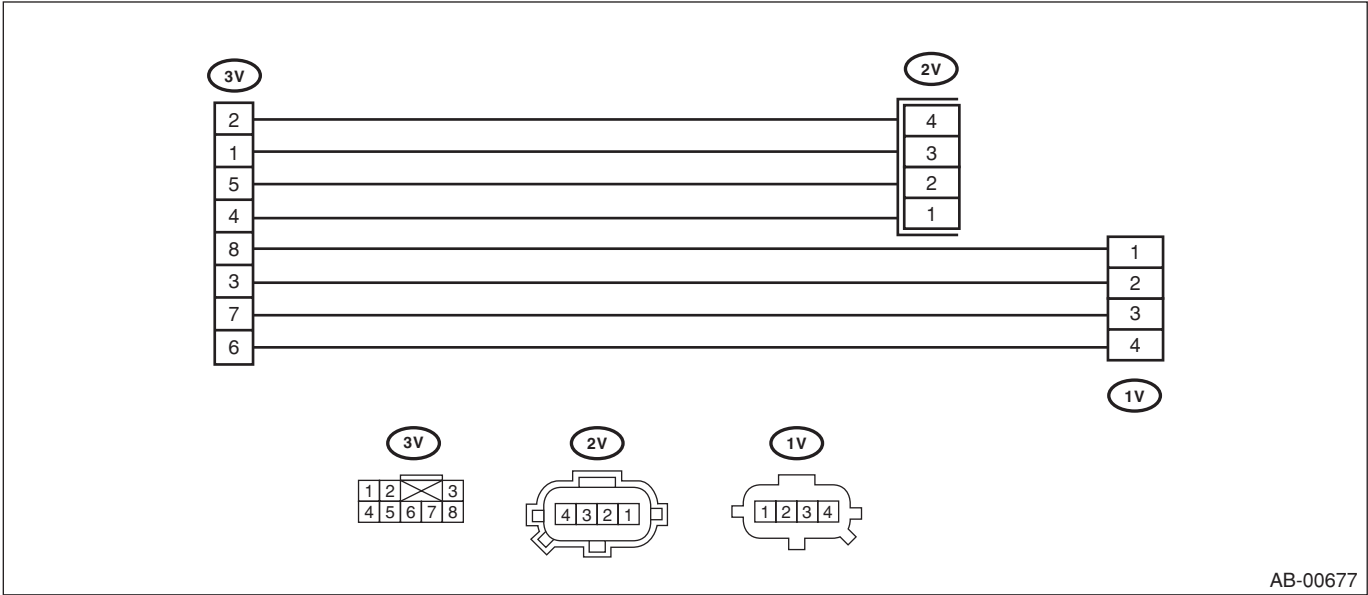


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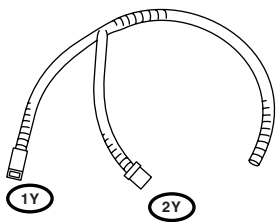
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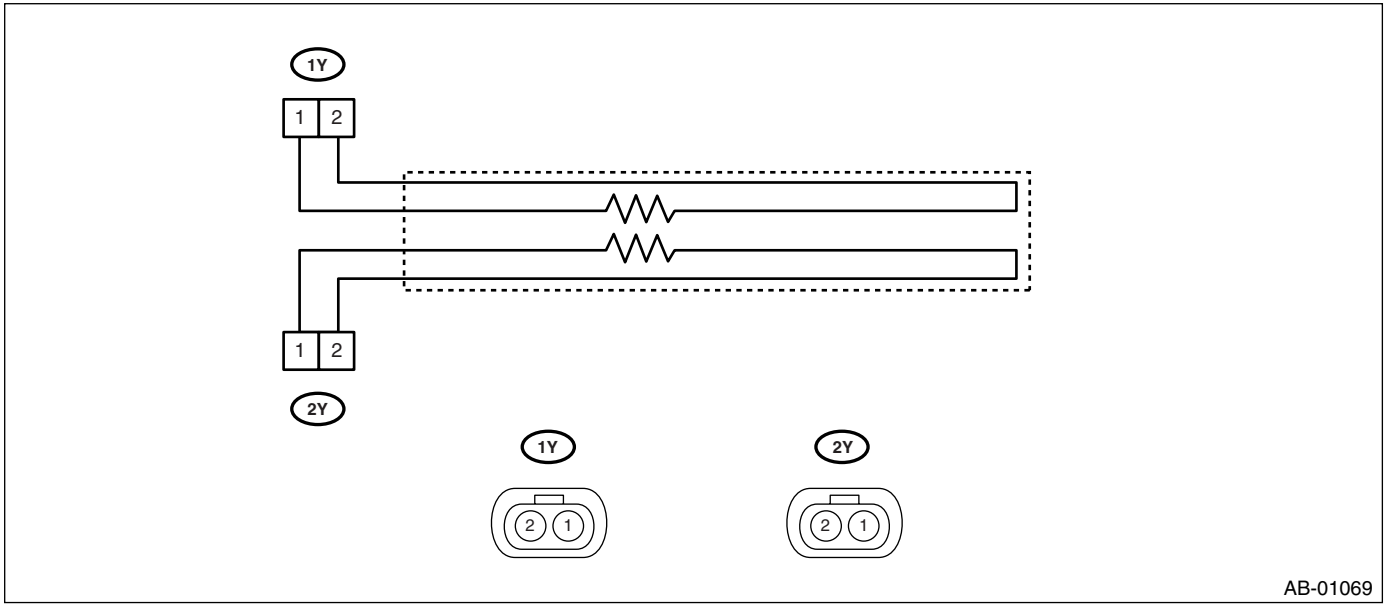
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299AG010	98299AG010	TEST HARNESS V	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of side airbag sensor.



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• TEST HARNESS Y

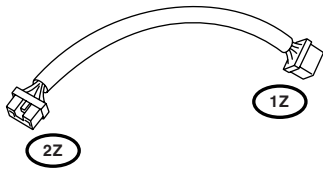
ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299AG040	28299AG040	TEST HARNESS Y	Used for diagnosing the seat belt buckle switch.

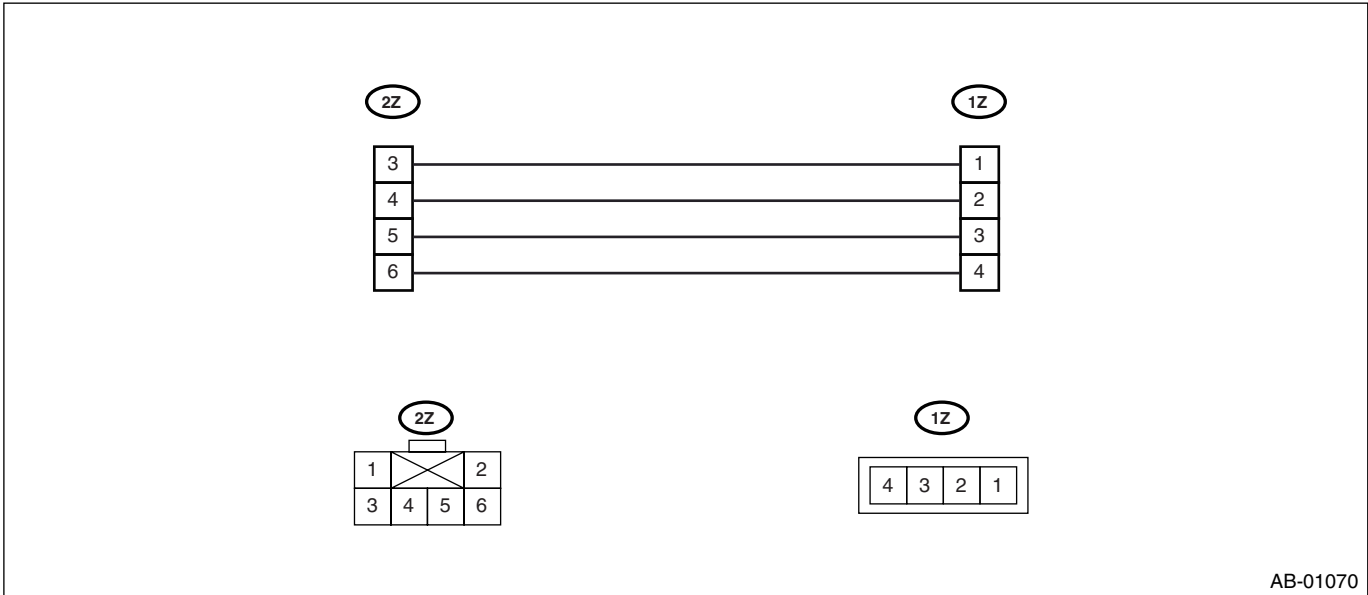


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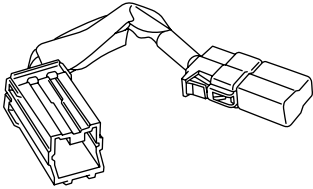
• TEST HARNESS Z

ILLUSTRATION	TOOL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
 ST98299AG050	98299AG050	TEST HARNESS Z	Used when measuring voltage and resistance of occupant detection system.



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• AIRBAG RESISTOR

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<div><p>ST98299PA040</p></div>	98299PA040	AIRBAG RESISTOR	Used in replacement of airbag module for which resistance value is same as airbag module.

