

# **GENUINE PARTS**

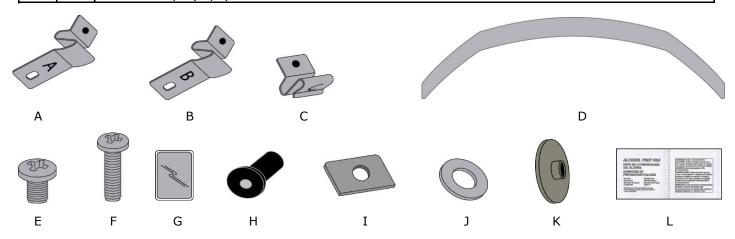
## **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**DESCRIPTION:** Hood Bug Deflector

**APPLICATION:** Pathfinder PART NUMBER: T99D5 9PJ0A

### **KIT CONTENTS:**

Item	Qty.	Part Description
Α	2	Inner Clip "A"
В	2	Outer Clip "B"
С	2	Wing Clip "C"
D	1	Hood Protector
Е	6	Small Screw
F	4	Large Screw
G	6	Abrasive Tape
Н	4	Screw Plug
I	6	Neoprene Washer (Rectangle)
J	6	Fibre Washer
K	4	Plastic Washer
L	1	Alcohol Wipe (2-pk)

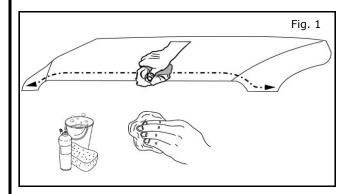


## **TOOLS REQUIRED:**

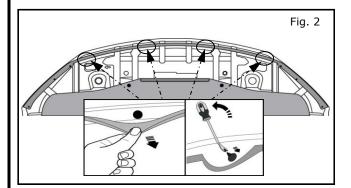
- Drill
- Masking Tape
- Non-Permanent Marker / Pencil
- 5/16" (8mm) Drill Bit
- #2 Phillips Screwdriver
- Clean Cloth
- Scissors
- Clip Removal Tool / Flathead Screwdriver

## **INSTALLATION CAUTIONS / NOTES:**

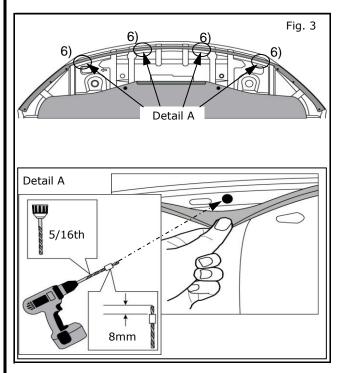
- Before installation clean hood surface with mild soap and water using a soft cloth or chamois.
- Never use ammonia based cleaners or solvents on the hood protector.
- Dealer Installation Recommended.
- Allow tape to cure for 4 hours before driving vehicle.



1) Clean hood installation area using soapy water and clean cloth.



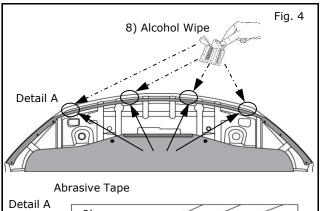
- 2) Open hood.
- 3) Cover engine compartment with protective blanket to catch any dropped hardware.
- 4) Remove 4 grommets using clip removal tool or flathead screwdriver.



- 5) Attach masking tape to drill bit 6mm from end.
- 6) Enlarge existing holes using 5/16" (8mm) drill bit at 4 locations shown.

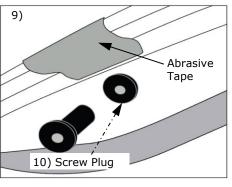
Note: Make sure drill is on low speed and do not use excessive force.

7) Remove any metal shavings and burrs from drilled holes.



8) Clean top and underside of hood areas adjacent to holes with alcohol wipes.

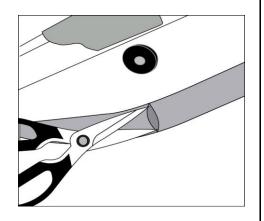




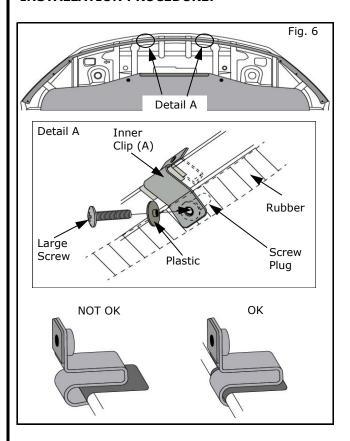
9) Wrap abrasive tape over hood lip. Note: To protect vehicle paint from clip, apply tape so that half of tape is on the topside and half is on the underside of hood.

10) Insert screw plugs into 4 previously drilled out holes.

11) Make a small slit (cut) on the rear side of bulb seal at 4 mounting locations.

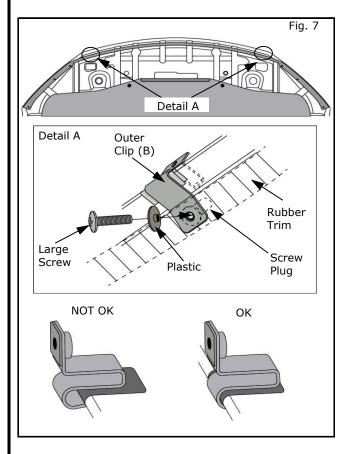


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- 12) Peel backing off neoprene washers.
- 13) Fix neoprene washers to clips.



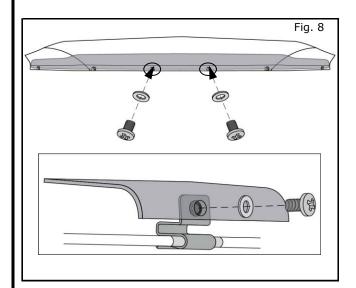
14) Slide inner clips (A) onto hood under rubber trim and secure using the large screw through large washer, slit on rubber trim and brackets into previously installed screw plug.

Note: Make sure clips are fully seated with no gap to hood edge.



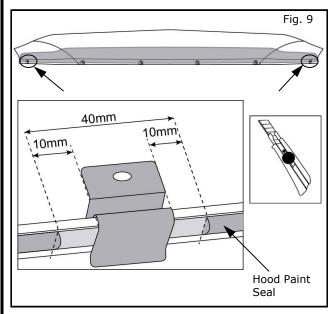
15) Slide outer clips (B) onto hood under rubber trim and secure using the large screw through large washer, slit on rubber trim and brackets into previously installed screw plug.

Note: Make sure clips are fully seated with no gap to hood edge.



16) Insert small screws through fibre washer, loosely secure hood protector to inner clips "A".

Note: Do not fully tighten screws.



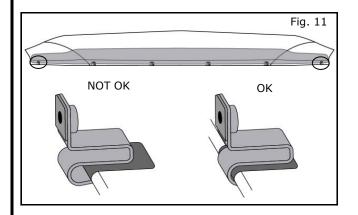
- 17) Trim hood paint seal bead.
  - a) Pull rubber Hood seal down to prevent cutting.
  - b) Using sharp utility knife, cut thin layer (1~2 mm) of hood paint seal on underside of hood near end holes at metal clip locations.
  - c) Cut 10mm either side of the locations.

Note: Do not cut all the way down to the sheet metal.

- 18) Clean top and underside of hood areas adjacent to end holes with alcohol wipe.
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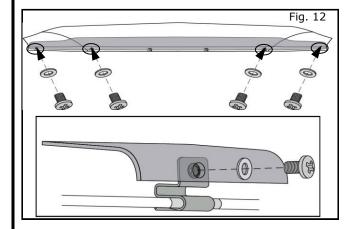
19) Wrap abrasive tape over hood lip.

Note: To protect vehicle paint from clip, apply tape so that half of tape is on the topside and half is on the underside of hood.



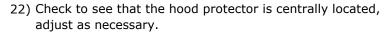
20) Install the wing clips "C" over the abrasive resistant tape strips at the previously marked locations.

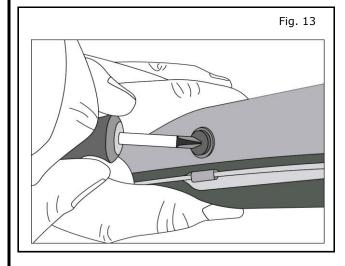
Note: Make sure clips are fully seated with no gap to hood edge.



21) Insert small screws through fibre washer, loosely secure hood protector to outer clips "B" and wing clips "C".

Note: Do not fully tighten screws.





23) Squeeze hood protector to hood to eliminate any gap while fully tightening each screw.

24) Remove protective blanket and close the hood.