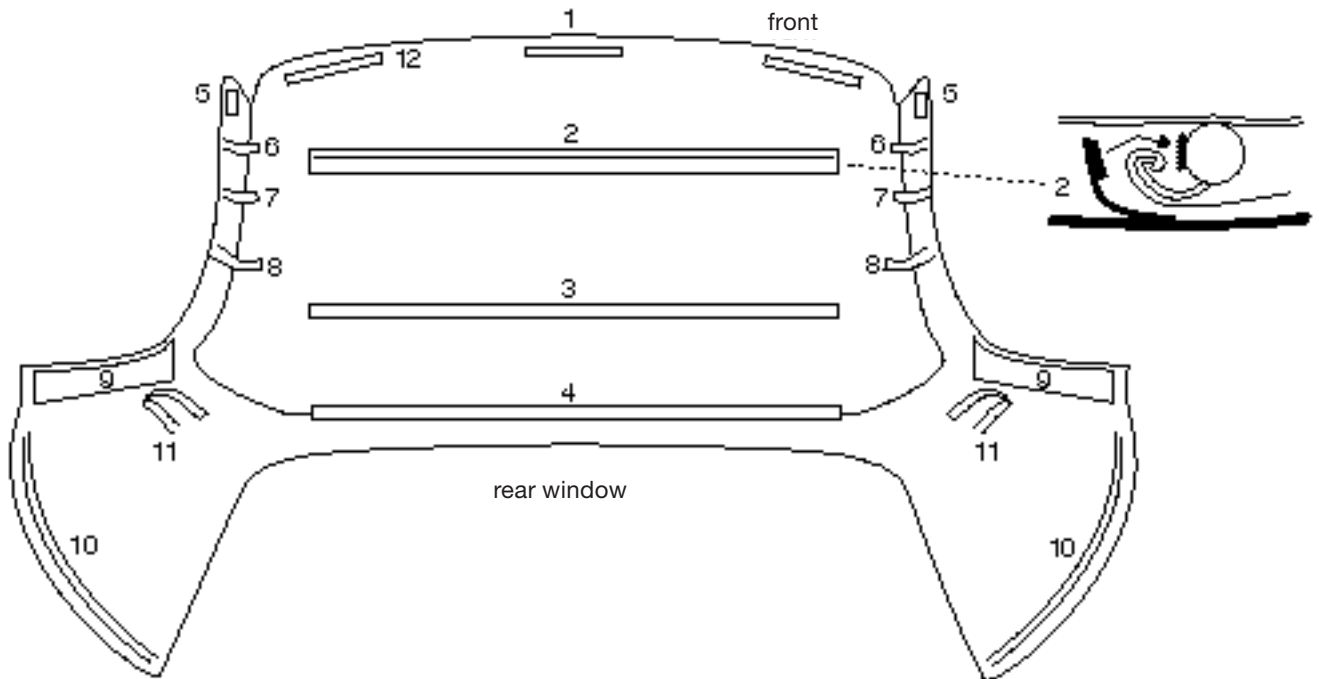


# Mazda Miata MX-5

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## Inner Cover Installation Instructions

1. Close the hood and lift up the front edge of the hood slightly.
2. Carefully bend down the metal plate of the roof bar at pos. 2 (open for tensioning strip 2 of the inner cover)
3. Pull the Velcro strip off the inner cover at (2), remove the protective foil and bond the Velcro strip centrally on the metal plate underneath the bended metal strip, during this process ensure that the edge of the Velcro strip does not push upwards against the roadster hood
4. Fasten inner cover tensioning strip (2) to the Velcro strip bonded to the roof bar, check that the inner cover is in the middle (!), then press the opened metal roof bar plate to close it again
5. Pull Velcro strips (6) + (7) + (8) between the roadster hood and the hood strut (7 behind the upper bar) pull tight and fasten to the inner cover
6. Press tensioning strips (3) + (4) onto the middle and rear roof bars - ensure that they are centred (!)
7. Pull Velcros (11) around the tension belt of the softtop and fasten to the inner cover
8. Open pocket (9), push over the hood strut and fasten to the inner cover again
9. Pull the inner cover tight at pos. 10 and press/fasten to the carpet in the hood recess, whilst doing this ensure that the hood is free of folds and smooth
10. Lift up the front edge of the hood, pull Velcro strips (12) off the inner cover and push at the position marked between the inner cover and the roof bar, and bond to the inside at the edge of the front roof bar; push the front edge of the inner cover at pos. 1 between the outer hood and the front roof bar, during this process clamp under the corners on the right and left so that it is taut, ensure a smooth seat; fold the hood back down
11. Pull self-adhesive Velcro strip (5) off the inner cover and bond to the metal surface directly below (clean well/light abrade before application). The bonded Velcro strip may only be subjected to load after approx. 24 hours, therefore fasten the corners of the inner cover without applying tension; close the roof

NOTE: The InnerCover can and should be left on after the initial installation. Poor installation technique or removal and reinstallation of the InnerCover will overly expand the plastic tensioning tubes that hold the InnerCover to the roof frame rails which could cause portions of the InnerCover to fall down over time. If any portion of the InnerCover fails to stay attached to the roof frame rail you should install a .mm x .mm sheet metal screw through the InnerCover tensioning tubes and into the Roof Frame Rails about three inches in from both ends of each Tensioning Tube. Be sure to drill a proper sized hole before setting the screw in place.

Upon completion of installation it is critical to ensure that the soft-top strut, as adjusted in the factory, is free to move correctly and that the InnerCover is not trapped and cannot chafe and thus be damaged. For a safe seat of the soft-top recess during drive open, it must be locked resp. closed together with the tarpaulin.