

## ***SECTION 1- 10***

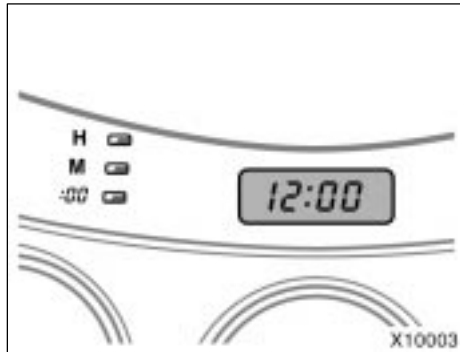
### **OPERATION OF INSTRUMENTS AND CONTROLS**

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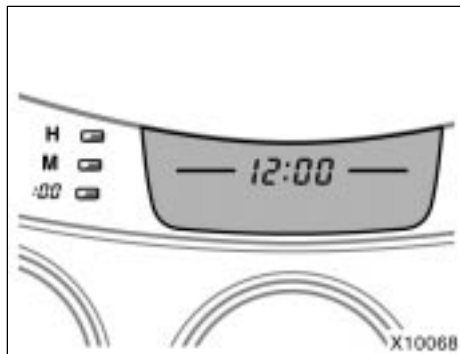
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### Clock



Manual air conditioning system



Automatic air conditioning system

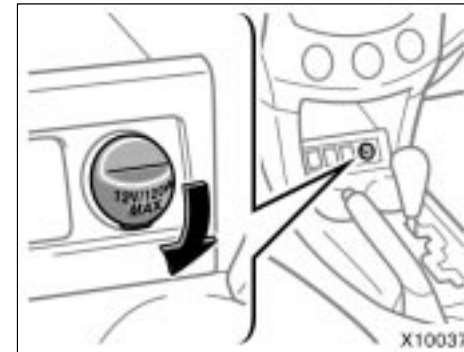
To reset the hour: Push the "H" button.  
To reset the minutes: Push the "M" button.  
If quick adjustment to a full hour is desired, push the ":00" button.

For example, if the ":00" button is depressed when the time is between 1:01—1:29, the time will change to 1:00. If the time is between 1:30—1:59, the time will change to 2:00.

The key must be in the "ACC" or "ON" position.

If the electrical power source has been disconnected from the clock, the time display will automatically be set to 1:00 (one o'clock).

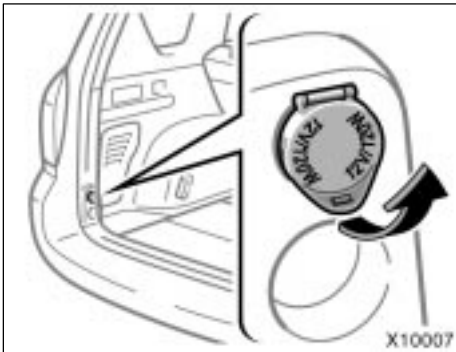
### Power outlets (12 VDC)



Instrument panel



Rear console box



Luggage compartment

The power outlets are designed for power supply for car accessories.

The key must be in the "ACC" or "ON" position for the power outlets to be used.

**NOTICE**

- ◆ *To prevent the fuse from being blown, do not use the electricity over the total vehicle capacity of 12 V/120W (front and rear outlets together).*
- ◆ *To prevent the battery from being discharged, do not use the power outlets longer than necessary when the engine is not running.*
- ◆ *Close the power outlet lids when the power outlets are not in use. Inserting anything other than an appropriate plug that fits the outlet, or allowing any liquid to get into the outlet may cause electrical failure or short circuits.*

**Power outlet (115 VAC)**



This power outlet is designed for use as a power supply for electric appliances in the vehicle.

The key must be in the "ON" position for the power outlet to be used.

The maximum capacity for this power outlet is 115 VAC/100W. If you attempt to use an appliance that requires more than 115 VAC or 100W, the protection circuit will activate and cut the power supply. The power supply will restart automatically when you use an appliance that operates within the 115 VAC/100W limits.



**To use the power outlet, push the main switch on the instrument panel.**

An indicator light will illuminate to indicate that the power outlet is ready for use.

Push the main switch once again to turn the power outlet off. When the power outlet is not in use, make sure that the main switch is turned off.

**NOTICE**

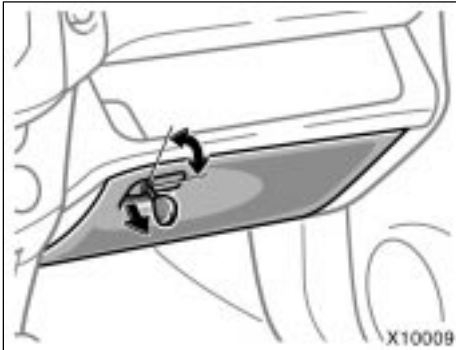
- ◆ *To prevent the battery from being discharged, do not use the power outlet longer than necessary when the engine is not running.*
- ◆ *Close the power outlet lid when the power outlet is not in use. Inserting anything other than an appropriate plug that fits the outlet may cause electrical failure or short circuits.*

The power outlet is not designed for the following electric appliances even though their power consumption is under 115 VAC/100W. These appliances may not operate properly.

- Appliances with high initial peak wattage: cathode-ray tube type televisions, compressor-driven refrigerators, electric pumps, electric tools, etc.
- Measuring devices which process precise data: medical equipment, measuring instruments, etc.
- Other appliances requiring an extremely stable power supply: microcomputer-controlled electric blankets, touch sensor lamps, etc.

**Certain electrical appliances may cause radio noise.**

### Glove box



#### To use the glove box:

Open by pulling the lever.

Lock by inserting the master key and turning it clockwise.

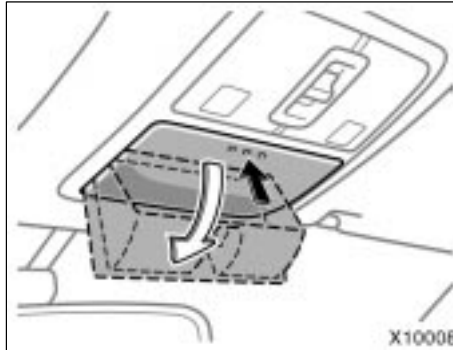
Unlock by inserting the master key and turning it counterclockwise.



#### CAUTION

To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or a sudden stop, always keep the glove box door closed while driving.

### Auxiliary box (overhead console)



To use the box, open it as shown above.



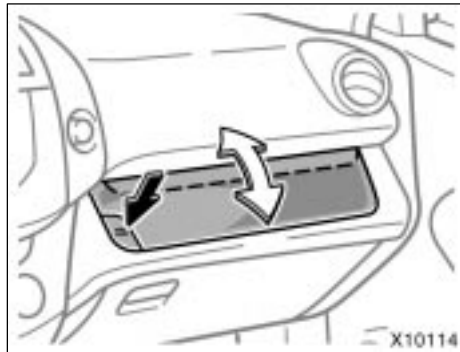
#### CAUTION

- To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or a sudden stop, always keep the auxiliary box closed while driving.
- As this holder is designed for holding light objects such as eyeglasses, do not place objects heavier than 0.2 kg (0.4 lb.) in it. Heavy objects may cause the holder to open and the contents to fly out resulting in injuries.

#### NOTICE

*During hot weather, the interior of the vehicle becomes very hot. Do not leave anything flammable or deformable such as a lighter, glasses, etc. inside.*

### Auxiliary box (instrument panel)



To open the box, push the "OPEN CLOSE" button.

To close the box, push the "OPEN CLOSE" button again.

Do not attempt to open the box forcibly when your vehicle is on a steep downhill. Move your vehicle to flat road and open the box by pushing the button.

#### CAUTION

To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or a sudden stop, always keep the auxiliary box closed while driving.

### Luggage storage boxes



Front



Rear (type A)



Rear (type B)

To use the box, do the following.

Front: Remove the deck board.

Rear (type A): Open the deck board by pulling up the strap.

Rear (type B): Fold up the deck board.

#### CAUTION

To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or a sudden stop, always keep the luggage storage boxes closed while driving.

## Rear console box



### UPPER TRAY

To access the upper tray, raise the console box lid without touching the lock release lever.



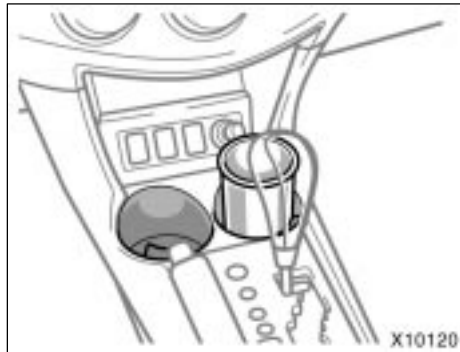
### CONSOLE BOX

To access the rear console box, pull up the lock release lever while raising the rear console box lid.

#### CAUTION

To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or a sudden stop, always keep the console box closed while driving.

### Front cup holders



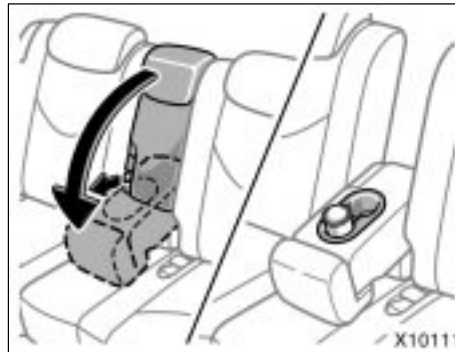
The cup holders are designed for holding cups or drink-cans securely.



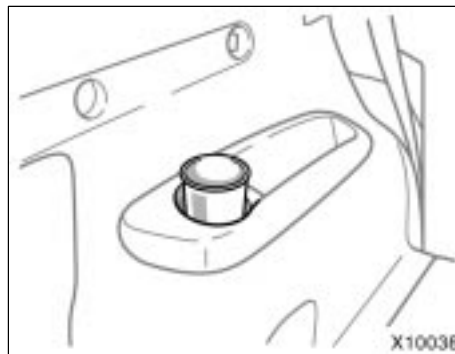
#### CAUTION

Do not place anything else other than cups or drink-cans in the cup holder, as such items may be thrown about in the compartment and possibly injure people in the vehicle during sudden braking or in an accident.

### Rear cup holders



For rear/second seats



For third seats

The cup holders are designed for holding cups or drink-cans securely.

For the rear/second seat cup holder: To use the holder, push down the armrest by pulling the strap forward.

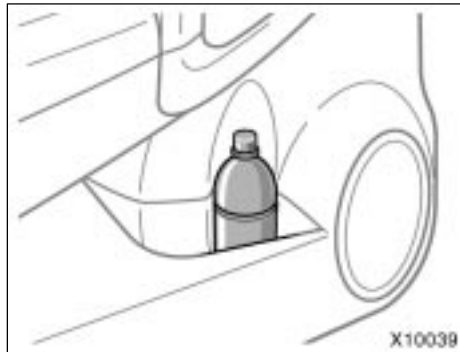


#### CAUTION

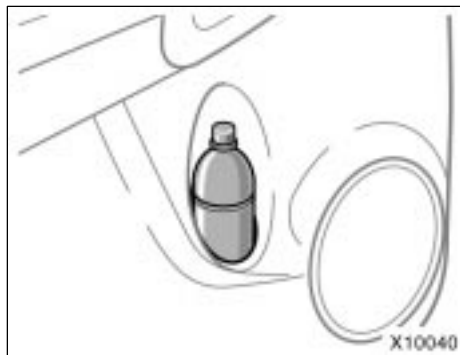
Do not place anything else other than cups or drink-cans in the cup holder, as such items may be thrown about in the compartment and possibly injure people in the vehicle during sudden braking or in an accident.



### Bottle holders



Front door



Rear door

The bottle holders are designed to hold bottles securely.

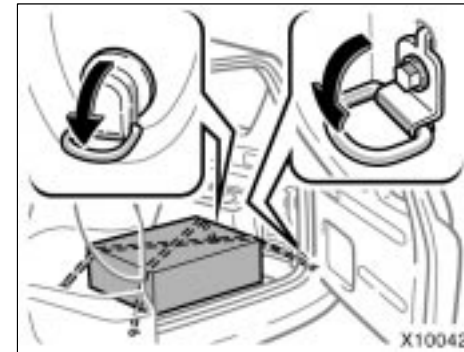
#### CAUTION

Do not attempt to use the holder for any other purpose for which it was intended. Inappropriately sized or shaped objects may be thrown about in the compartment and possibly injure people in the vehicle during a sudden braking or an accident.

#### NOTICE

*Do not put a cup or open bottle in the bottle holder because the contents may spill when the door opens or closes.*

### Tie-down hooks



To secure your luggage, use the tie-down hooks as shown above.

See “—Stowage precautions” on page 301 in Section 2 for precautions when loading luggage.

Vehicles with third seat: When using the tie-down hooks, stow the third seat (For detailed information, see “—Stowing third seats for luggage space” on page 45 in Section 1-3).

#### CAUTION

To avoid personal injury, keep the tie-down hooks stored when not in use.

### Grocery bag hooks



This hook is designed to hang things such as grocery bags.

#### **NOTICE**

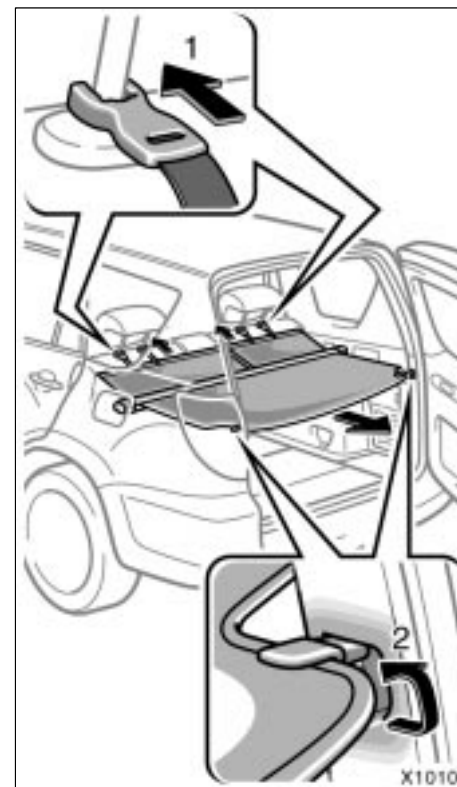
*To prevent damage to the hook, avoid hanging heavy load on it.*

### Luggage cover



#### **BEFORE USING LUGGAGE COVER**

Move the rear/second seats to the rear-most lock position.



#### USING LUGGAGE COVER

To use the luggage cover:

1. Attach the front hooks of the luggage cover to the head restraint.
2. Pull out the rear luggage cover and hook it on the anchors.

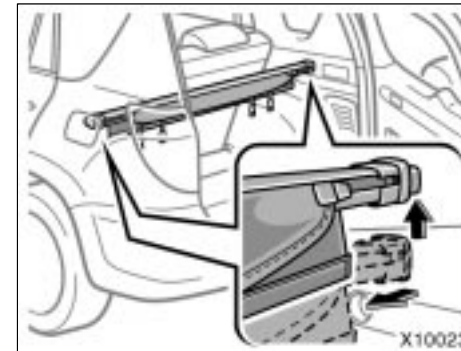


#### CAUTION

- Do not place anything on the luggage cover. Such items may be thrown about and possibly injure people in the vehicle during sudden braking or a collision.
- To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or sudden stop, make sure the luggage cover is secured in place.



If the front hooks cannot be attached to the head restraint, push down the rear/second seatback.

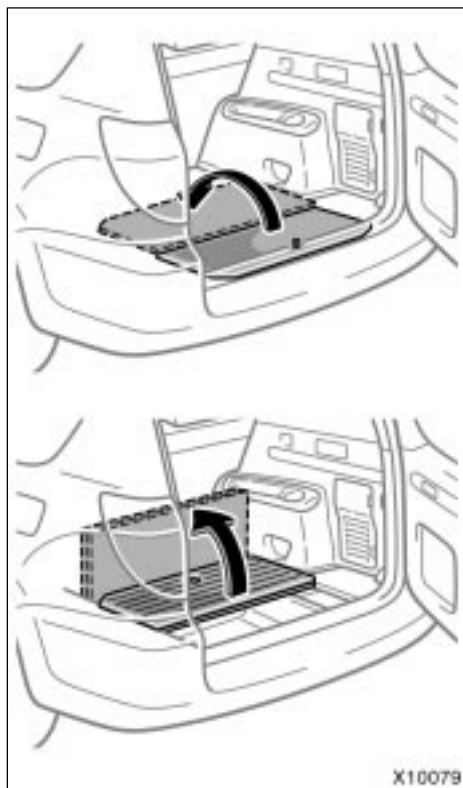


#### REMOVING LUGGAGE COVER

Compress the end of the luggage cover and lift the cover up.

After you remove the luggage cover, stow it under deck board as described below. This will prevent passengers from injury in the event of a sudden stop or accident.

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**STOWING LUGGAGE COVER (without third seats)**

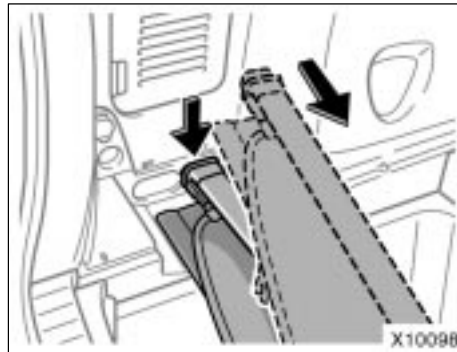
**1. Open the deck board.**



**2. Remove the deck side cover.**



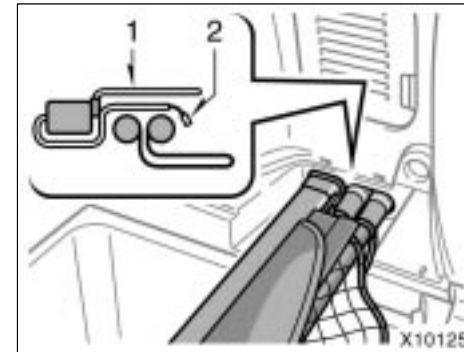
3. Insert the right end of the luggage cover into the hole in the luggage storage box as shown.



4. Compress the left end of the luggage cover, and fit it into the hollow on the other side of the luggage storage box.

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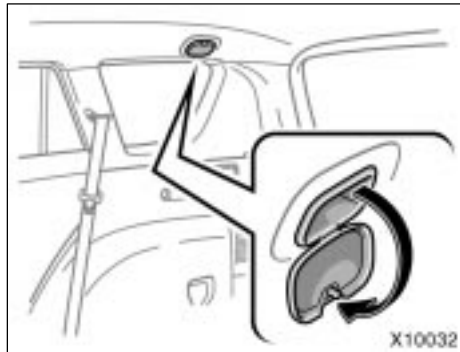
Make sure the luggage cover is surely stowed.



When you stow the rear cargo net and luggage cover together, stow the rear cargo net first and then the luggage cover. (See "Rear cargo net" on page 269 in this section.)

Place the front portion of the luggage cover (2) on the stowed rear cargo net and then place the rear portion of the luggage cover (1) over the rear cargo net. Otherwise, the deck board may not close securely.

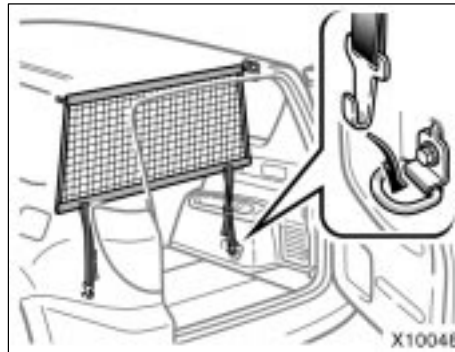
### Separation net fixing hook



This is the hook to fix the separation net which is the option installment kit for Toyota dealer.

**You can separate the luggage compartment by installing the separation net.**

When using this, open the cover.



You can use the tie-down hooks to hook the claw of the separation net strap.

Make sure the net does not interfere with a reclined seatback or head restraint.

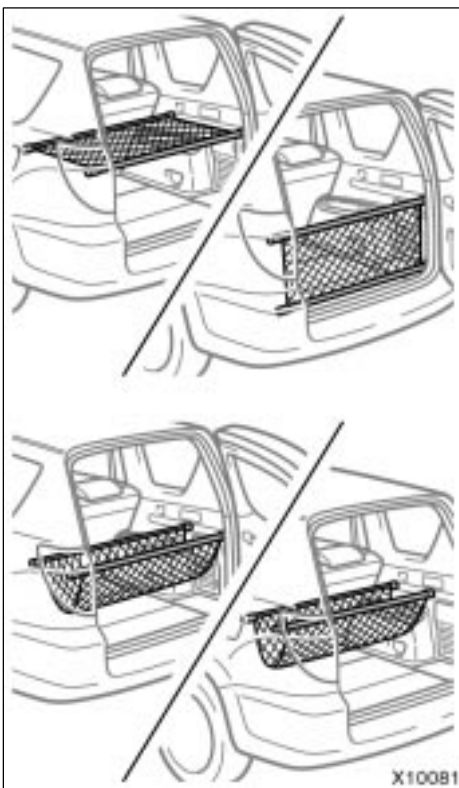
Refer to the attached instruction manual for installment.

Vehicles with third seat: When using the separation net, stow the third seat (For detailed information, see “—Stowing third seats for luggage space” on page 45 in Section 1-3).

### CAUTION

When not using the separation net, make sure that the cover of the fixing hook is closed. If the cover is open, it might cause the unexpected injury like hitting a head.

## Rear cargo net



To secure your luggage, use the rear cargo net. You can also put loads on the net.

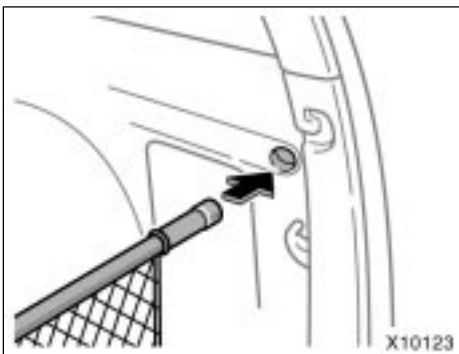
See “—Stowage precautions” on page 301 in Section 2 for precautions when loading luggage.

### CAUTION

- To reduce the chance of injury in case of an accident or sudden stop, make sure the net is secured in place.
- Do not climb on or hang on the net.
- To prevent cargo and luggage from sliding forward during braking, do not place anything on the net higher than the rear seatbacks. Otherwise, such items may be thrown about and possibly injure people in the vehicle during sudden braking or an accident.

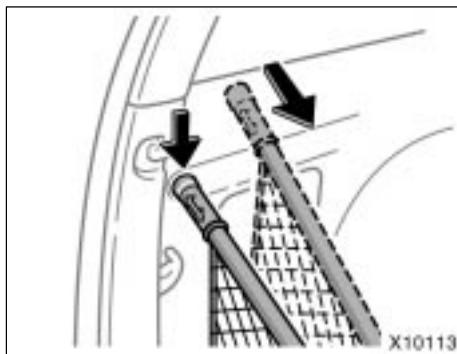
### NOTICE

- ◆ *Do not place breakable items on the net.*
- ◆ *Do not place anything heavier than 10 kg (22.1 lb.) on the net.*



#### USING CARGO NET

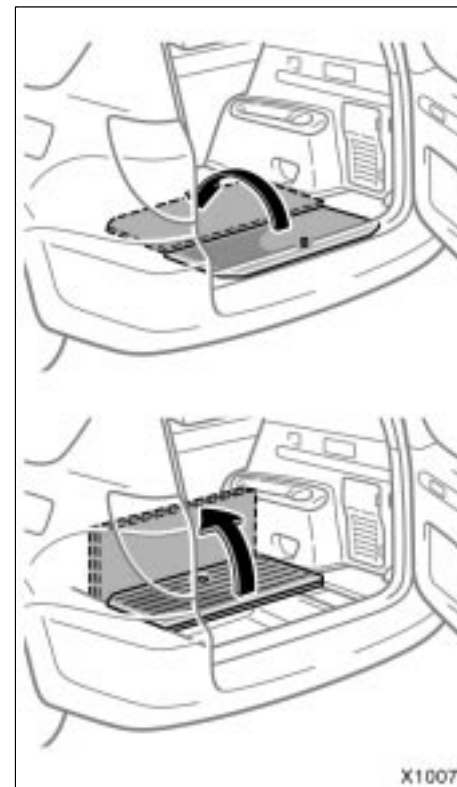
To use the net, insert the right end of the pipe into the hole.



Compress the left end of the pipe, and fit it into the hole on the other side of the luggage compartment.

Vehicles with third seat: When sitting in the third seat, you cannot use the rear cargo net. Make sure to remove the rear cargo net.

When using the rear cargo net, stow the third seat (For detailed information, see “—Stowing third seats for luggage space” on page 45 in Section 1-3).





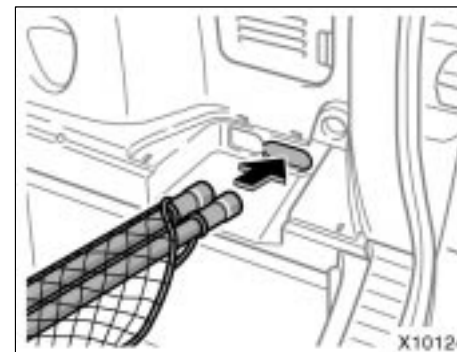
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**STOWING REAR CARGO NET (without third seat)**

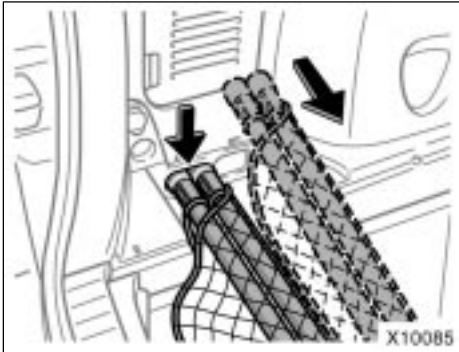
**1. Open the deck board.**



**2. Remove the deck side cover.**



**3. Insert the right end of the rear cargo net into the luggage storage box as shown.**

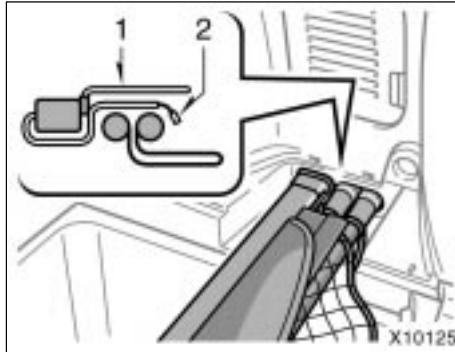


4. Compress the left end of the rear cargo net, and fit it into the other side of the luggage storage box.



**CAUTION**

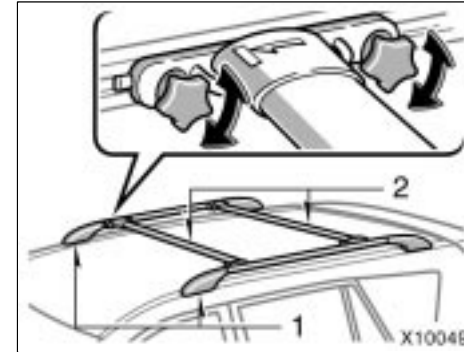
Make sure the rear cargo net is surely stowed.



When you stow the rear cargo net and luggage cover together, stow the rear cargo net first and then the luggage cover. (See "Luggage cover" on page 264 in this section.)

Place the front portion of the luggage cover (2) on the stowed rear cargo net and then place the rear portion of the luggage cover (1) over the rear cargo net. Otherwise, the deck board may not close securely.

## Roof luggage carrier



The roof luggage carrier consists of roof rails (1) attached to the roof and sliding cross rails (2).

To adjust the positions of cross rails, do this.

1. Turn the knobs counterclockwise to loosen the cross rails.
2. Slide the cross rails to the desired position for loading the luggages of various sizes.
3. After adjusting, be sure to tighten the cross rails by turning knobs clockwise.

Follow the manufacture's instructions and precautions when installing the attachments or their equivalent.



### CAUTION

When you load cargo on the roof luggage carrier, observe the following:

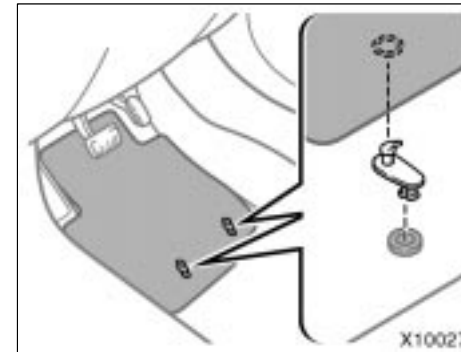
- Place the cargo so that its weight is distributed evenly between the front and rear axles.
- If loading long or wide cargo, never exceed the vehicle overall length or width. (See "Dimensions and weights" on page 392 in Section 8 for information on your vehicle overall length and width.)
- Before driving, make sure the cargo is securely fastened on the roof luggage carrier.
- Loading cargo on the roof luggage carrier will make the center of the vehicle gravity higher. Avoid high speeds, sudden starts, sharp turns, sudden braking or abrupt maneuvers, otherwise it may result in loss of control or vehicle rollover due to failure to operate this vehicle correctly.

- If driving for a long distance, on rough roads, or at high speeds, stop the vehicle now and then during the trip to make sure the cargo remains in its place.
- Do not exceed 46.2 kg (102.6 lb.) cargo weight on the roof luggage carrier.

### NOTICE

*When loading the luggages, be careful not to scratch the surface of the moon roof.*

### Floor mat



#### Use a floor mat of the correct size.

If the vehicle carpet and floor mat have two holes, then they are designed for use with two locking clips. Attach the floor mat to the vehicle carpet using the clips. Lock the clips into the holes in the vehicle carpet.



**CAUTION**

Make sure the floor mat is properly placed on the vehicle carpet. If the floor mat slips and interferes with the movement of the pedals during driving, it may cause an accident.