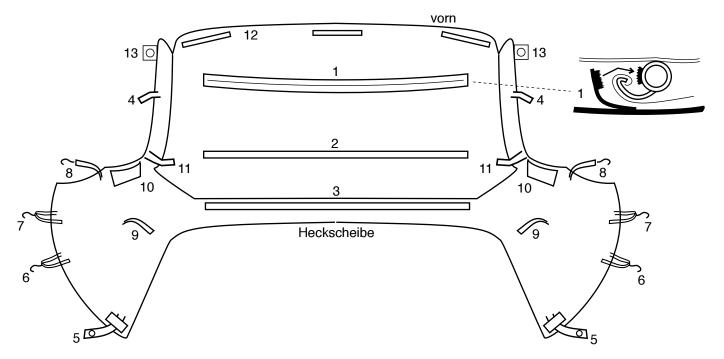
## **Mazda Miata MX-5**

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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. 1 (open for tensioning strip 1 of the inner cover)
- 3. Pull the Velcro strip off the inner cover at (1), 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 (1) 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 (4) between the roadster hood and the hood strut and fasten to the inner cover
- 6. Press tensioning tubes (2) + (3) onto the middle and rear roof bars ensure that they are centred (!) (begin at one end and bend the tube for more easily fastening)
- 7. Take off the plastic-pots from the lining inside the boot at pos. 5 + 7, pull at the lining and put the hooks (6) + (7) into the metal edge behind. Than install again the plastic-pots through the eye in the tape (5)
- 8. Open the hood and hang up the hooks (8) into the water drain lattice inside the carbody
- 9. Put the Velcros (9) around the tension belt of the softtop and fasten to the inner cover, than move the hood forward
- 10. Open the pockets (10), push over the hood strut and fasten to the inner cover
- 11. Pull Velcro strips (11) around the hood strut and fasten to the inner cover
- 12. 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
- **13.** Take off the plastic-pots at pos.13 from the lining of the roof corners and put the straps (13) under the lining. Install the plastic-pots through the straps again.

NOTE: The InnerCover can and should be left on after the initial installation. Poor installation technique or removable 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 chaff and thus be damaged. For a save seat of the soft-top recess during drive open, it must be locked resp. closed together with the tarpaulin.