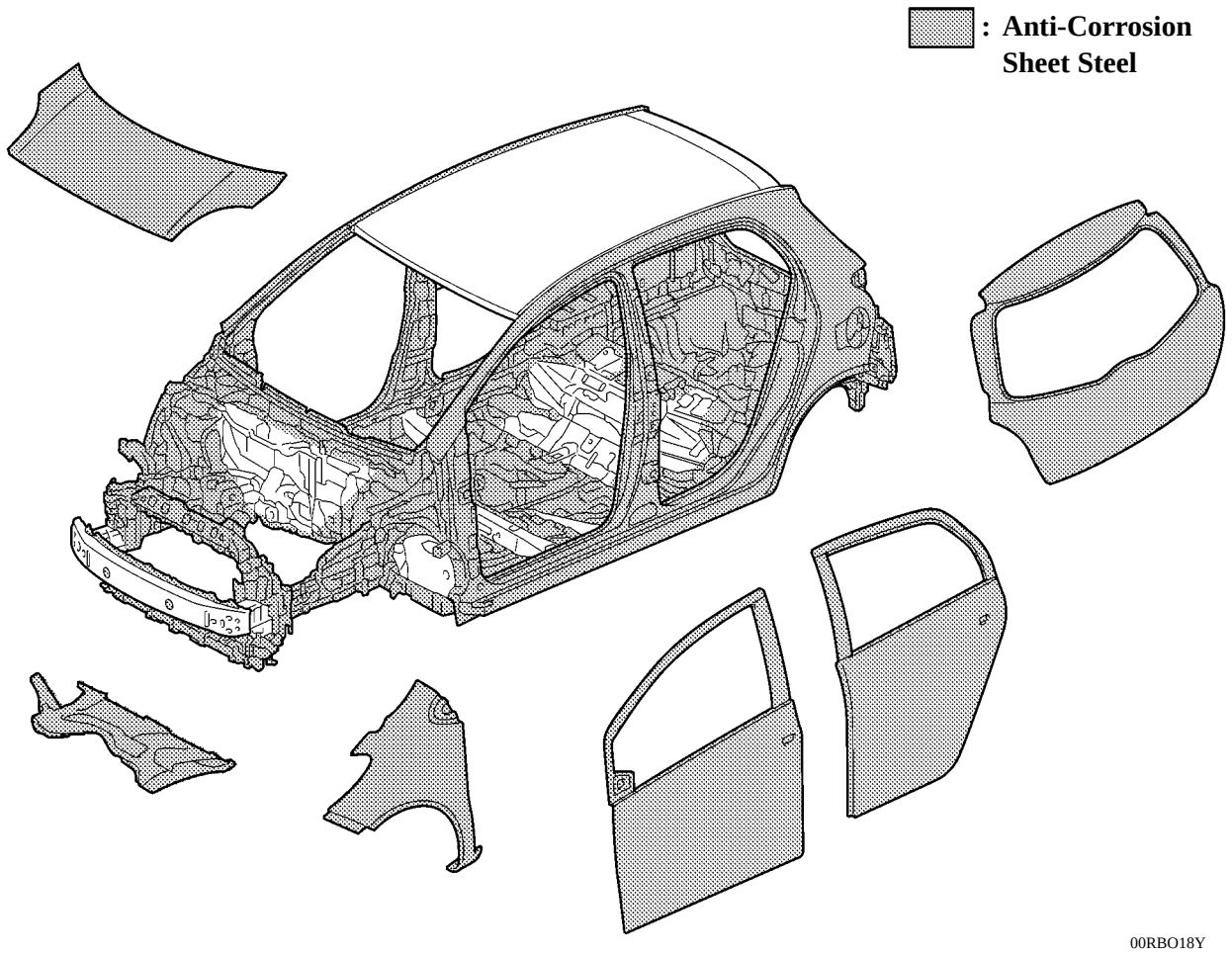
## ■RUST-RESISTANT BODY

### 1. General

Rust-resistant performance is ensured by the extensive use of anti-corrosion sheet steel, as well as by an anti-corrosion treatment which includes the application of anti-rust wax, sealer and anti-chipping paint to easily corroded parts such as the hood, doors and rocker panels.

### 2. Anti-corrosion Sheet Steel

Anti-corrosion sheet steel is used in all areas other than the interior parts.




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### 3. Wax and Sealer

Wax and sealer are applied to hemmed portions of the hood, door panels, rocker panels, fuel lid hinge, and back door to ensure rust-resistant performance.

## 4. Under coat

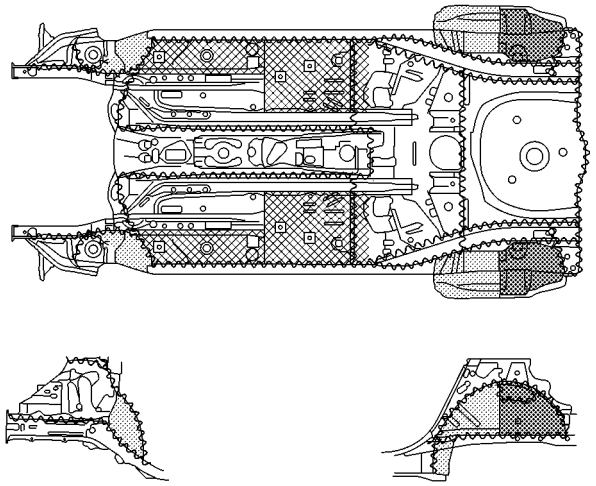
PVC (Polyvinyl Chloride) is applied to the underside of the body, inside the rear wheel housings, and other parts that are susceptible to stone chipping damage, thus ensuring the rust-resistant performance of these areas.

**: Foamed Acrylic Material Coating Area**

**: PVC Coating Area**

**: Foamed Acrylic Material Coating Area (Thick Coating)**

**: Edge Seal**



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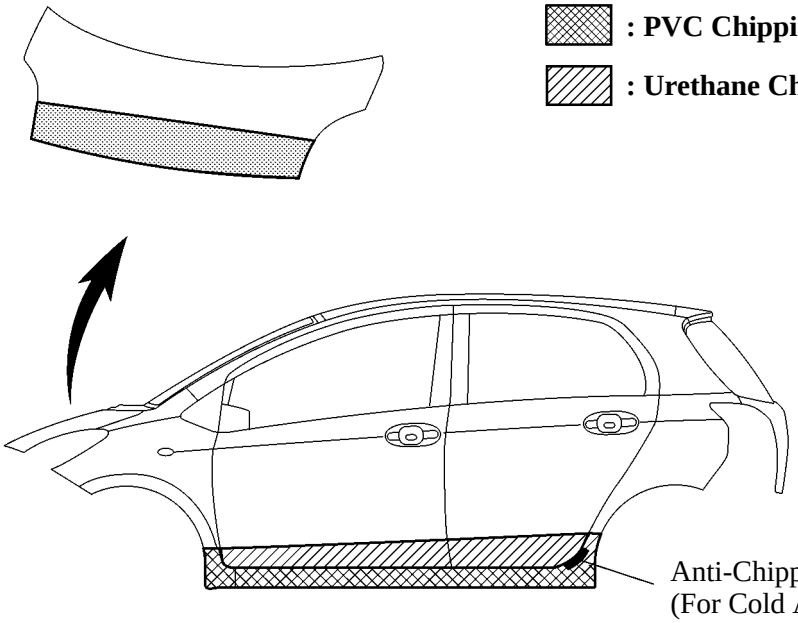
## 5. Anti-Chipping Application

- Anti-chipping paint is used on parts to protect the paint surface from objects such as gravel.
- Anti-chipping tape is used on the quarter panel on the back of the rear door on the cold area specification models to protect the paint surface from icy snow and ensure rust resistance.

**: Adhesion Primer**

**: PVC Chipping Primer**

**: Urethane Chipping Paint**




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