



How to change front  
windshield wipers on **VW**  
**Passat (A32, A33)** –  
replacement guide

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This video shows the replacement procedure of a similar car part on another vehicle

### Important!

This replacement procedure can be used for:

VW Passat (A32, A33) 2.5

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

This tutorial was created based on the replacement procedure for a similar car part on: VW GOLF VI (5K1) 2.0 GTi

REPLACEMENT: WINDSHIELD WIPERS – VW PASSAT  
(A32, A33). TOOLS YOU'LL NEED:



- Flat screwdriver

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Replacement: windshield wipers – VW Passat (A32, A33). AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Always replace front wiper blades together. It will ensure efficient and uniform cleaning of the windshield.
- Don't confuse the wiper blades of the driver and passenger side.
- The replacement procedure for both wiper blades is identical.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

## REPLACEMENT: WINDSHIELD WIPERS – VW PASSAT (A32, A33). TAKE THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

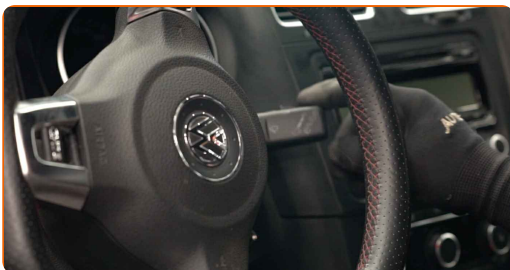
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Switch on the ignition. Pull the windscreen wiper stalk to the downward position.



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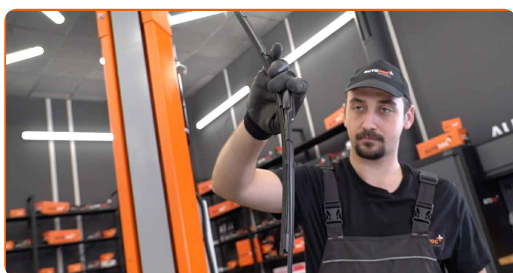
Switch off the ignition. In the service mode, the wipers will be in the upper position.



**3** Prepare the new windscreen wipers.



**4** Pull the wiper arm away from the glass surface until it stops.



**5** Press the clip. Use a flat screwdriver. Remove the blade from the wiper arm.



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- When replacing the wiper blade, take caution to prevent the spring-loaded wiper arm from hitting the glass.

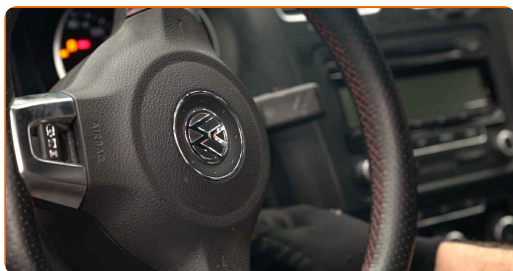
**6** Install the new wiper blade and carefully press the wiper arm down to the glass.



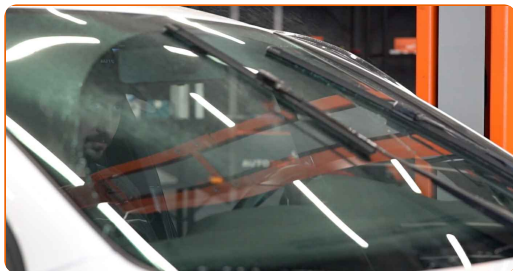
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- Don't touch the wiper blade at the working rubber edge to prevent damage to the graphite coating.

**7** Switch on the ignition. Pull the windscreen wiper stalk to the downward position.



**8** By doing so, you will switch the windscreen wipers from the service mode to the operation mode.



Replacement: windshield wipers – VW Passat (A32, A33). Professionals recommend:

- Ensure that the blade rubber strip fits tightly to the glass along the entire length.

9 After installation check the wipers performance. The blades shouldn't intersect or bump against the windshield seal.

**WELL DONE!** 

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