



How to change front
windshield wipers on **VW**
Passat B3/B4 Saloon
(3A2, 35i) – 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:

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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 Transporter T4 Van (70A, 70H, 7DA, 7DH) 2.5 TDI

REPLACEMENT: WINDSHIELD WIPERS – VW PASSAT
B3/B4 SALOON (3A2, 35I). TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED:



- Fender cover

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Replacement: windshield wipers – VW Passat B3/B4 Saloon (3A2, 35i). Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- 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 B3/B4 SALOON (3A2, 35I). TAKE THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

1

Use a fender protection cover to prevent damaging paintwork and plastic parts of the car.



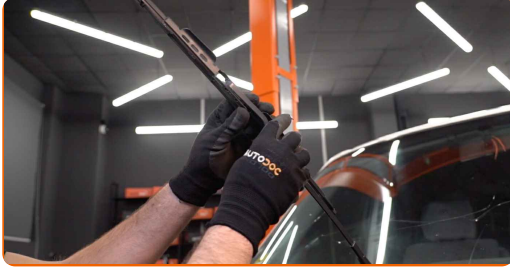
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Prepare the new windscreen wipers.



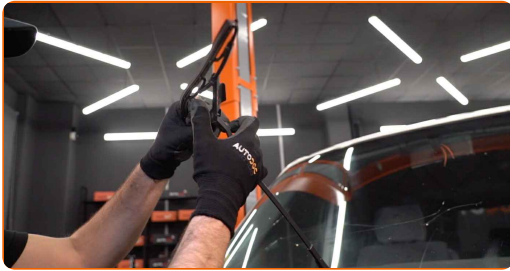
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Pull the wiper arm away from the glass surface until it stops.



4

Turn the wiper blade by ninety degrees. Remove the blade from the wiper arm.

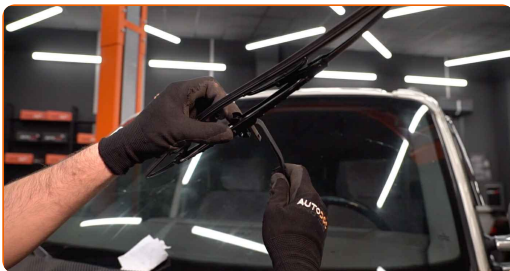


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Professionals recommend:

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

5

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



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AUTODOC recommends:

- Don't touch the wiper blade at the working rubber edge to prevent damage to the graphite coating.
- Ensure that the blade rubber strip fits tightly to the glass along the entire length.

6

Remove the fender protection cover.



7

Switch on the ignition.

8

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



WELL DONE! 

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