

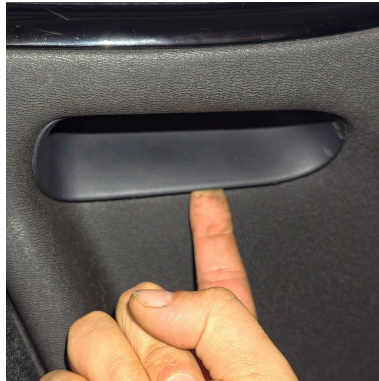
Audi A3/S3 8L Door Handles Installation Instructions



Locate the three main screws visible from the outside of the door.

1. Located on the back part of the door.
2. Located on the front part of the door.
3. Located at the back and underside part of the door pull.

Remove all three screws.



When removing this screw, you'll need to twist the pull cover from underneath against you from the bottom part.

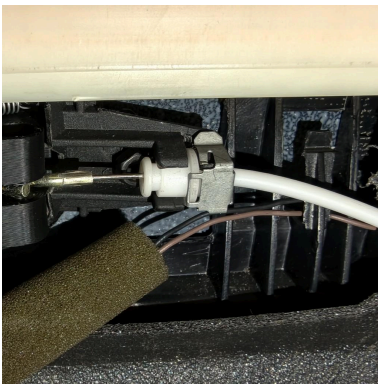


Remove these 2 screws hiding under the cover you just removed.



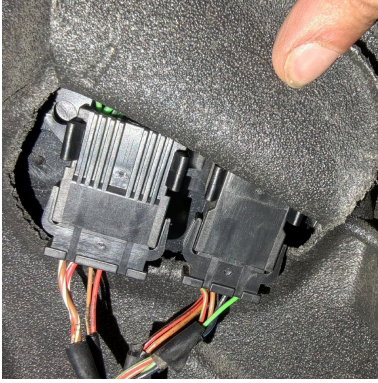
After removing the last screws (5 in total), pull the whole door card upwards by grabbing it from the pull. It should free from the door entirely only being held by the door handle cable and a few cables.

You don't need to fully remove the door card from the door.



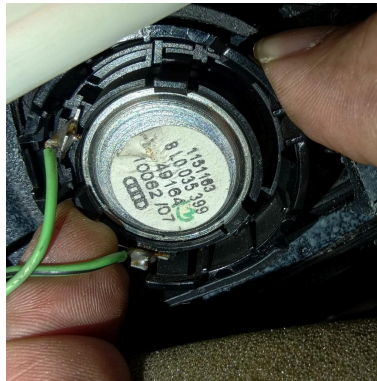
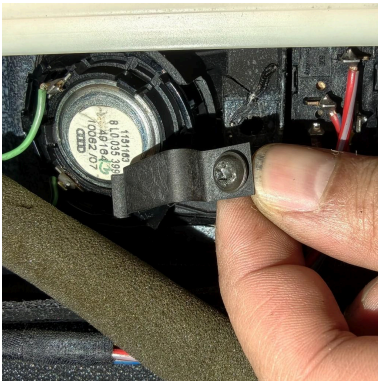
To disconnect the door handle cable, use a small screwdriver and pull out the small metal clip.

Be careful with this clip, even though you won't use it again, it can fly pretty far if not paying attention.



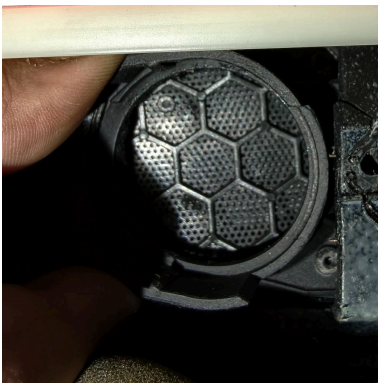
Disconnect the smaller connector, which is located closest to the back of the car.

These cables connect to the door locks.



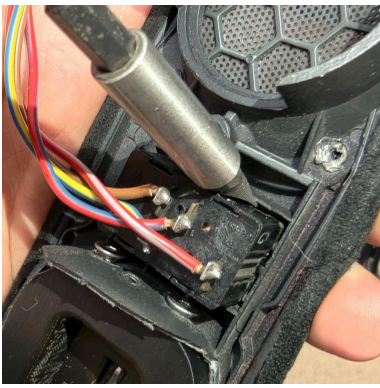
Unscrew the small clip holding the speaker in place.

Then carefully pull out the speaker by pulling outwards.



Now you simply push the tiny clips around the speaker holder to push out the whole door handle assembly.

Make sure to fish out the remaining door lock cables.



We need to remove the door lock from the main door handle assembly by prying it out with a small flathead screwdriver.

Make sure to twist out the screwdriver and turn the door lock switch like shown on the picture.



Remove the main cover from the new door handle by using a hex key.

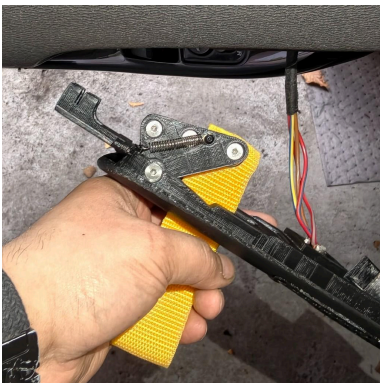
Insert the door lock making sure the lock button is facing downwards in the position of the door handle is expected to be installed.

Finally, place the cover again and use the provided screws to lock it in place.



Before installing the door handle on the door card, remove the screw on the back side of the new door handle.

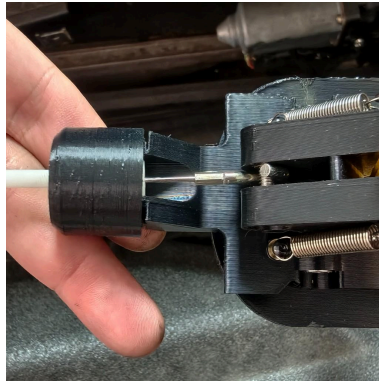
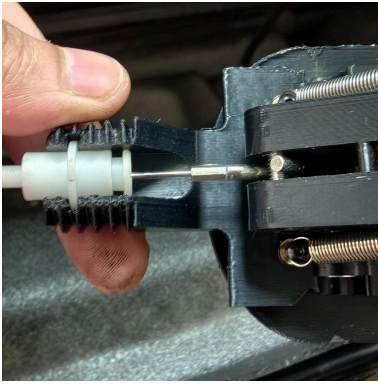
Also remove the two screws holding the surrounding area of the speaker holder.



Insert the new door handle at the angle shown.



Pass the small screw cap removed previously through the door cable.

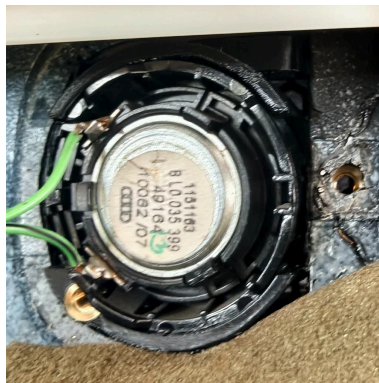


Put the cable hook on its place. There's no need to unscrew the new door handle mechanism, you can just push it around the small screw.

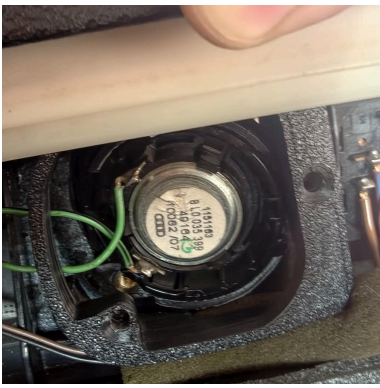
Then finally, screw in the cap that you passed through the cable on the previous step.



Push the new door handle assembly in place.



Put the speaker in the provided place of the new door handle assembly.



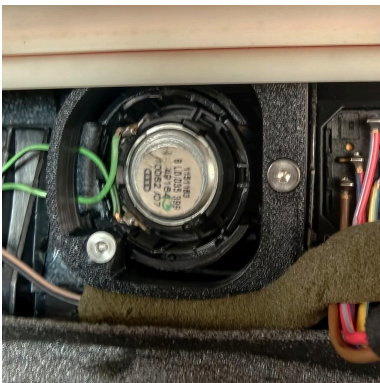
Add the cover removed previously and put it in place. It's important you don't put it in place with the screws attached in place or it might be harder to align with the door handle assembly.



The provided screws are 2 different sizes.

The smaller one goes on the bottom part of the door handle.

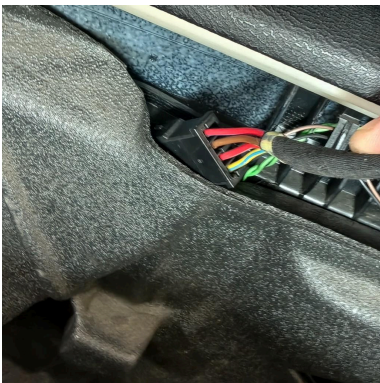
The longer one goes in the middle part.



It would be simpler to screw in the middle screw first until you feel resistance.

Then add the bottom one until you see the door handle completely flush with the door card.

Finally, tighten a little bit more the middle screw again just to keep everything in place.



Pass through the door lock cables underneath the door foam and align into the expected position.

Plug in the connector and put it in it's place.



Finally, align the door card to the door by pulling it upwards by a few centimeters.

IMPORTANT: Make sure to align the door lock indicator on the expected door card position before pushing down on place.

Then simply add all the removed screws again.



Done!