

How to change Audi A2 door strap



Use thin bladed screw driver to gently prise off tweeter cover



Use a T25 Torx bit



...and unscrew torx bolt by tweeter...



...and both screws under door handle



...second screw



Use the notch at the base of the door card to pull. You will need quite a bit of force and probably you will break some of the door card retainers. Worry not they are very cheap (30p) from Audi. Just buy some along with the door strap



Pull the bottom of the door card away like this...You then bring the door card up -it hooks just below where the window scraper seal is



Unplug the tweeter cable



Now disconnect the door lock pull...



.....by simply pulling the white plastic holder and unhooking the cable end



Then remove the multiplug...



...by pulling down the pink retaining tab.



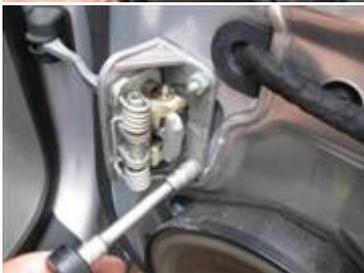
You can see here the tab you'll need to press with a small bladed screwdriver to release the pink tab.



Use a 10mm hex bit or spanner



remove both 10mm nuts on the door strap assembly



second bolt



pull back the rubber cover



Use a punch and a hammer totap the the door pin downwards



Part number 8Z0837249 check door rod...and my name is SEYMOUR



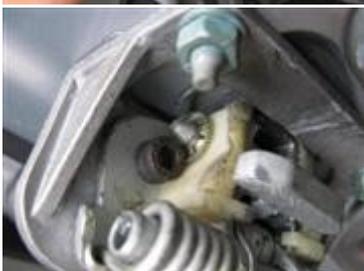
Close up of rivet that fails causing the clicking noise when the door is open/shut



back of rivet



As all good manuals say, reassembly is the reverse of the disassembly - Don't forget the rubber cover before tapping the door pin back in



This picture shows the repair that you can make with 2 bolts in place of the failed rivets...



...the repair didn't really solve the irritating clicking though -my door continued to click because of wear to the rollers and the surrounding white nylon