

Instructions for Head Unit Installation/Removal for the E39 Chassis

Tools Required:

(All the below are readily available at your local auto parts store)

- **Torx T8 screwdriver**
- **2mm Allen Wrench**
- **Panel Removal Tool**

The Process

1. First, Remove the OEM volume knob from the left side of the source unit by pulling outward towards you. Take a firm grasp and it will just pop right off.
2. You will see a very small hole behind where the knob was. It is towards the bottom of the hole. Insert the Torx T8 screwdriver into the hole carefully.
3. Turn the screwdriver counter clockwise about 1/4th of a turn.
4. Pull outward on the post that the volume knob attaches to with the screwdriver still in the hole.
5. Now pull the unit towards you and unhook it from the passenger side.
6. Unplug the unit by pushing in on top of the plug and pulling the fastener open to release the piece.
7. You will see two very small allen head bolts in the area of the cassette player that was covered by the readout display.
8. Insert your 2mm allen wrench into these holes and turn counter clockwise until loose.
9. Slide out the cassette player/radio combo towards you.
10. Insert your panel tool and carefully pry upward on the plug on the driver side of the rear of the unit, releasing the plug.
11. Lastly, simply unplug the antenna, and you're finished!
12. Installation is the reverse of the above. If you're upgrading to a newer model head unit, you will need to install the plug and play conversion harnesses. If you need clarification, please don't hesitate to call us.