



Center Console Insert Installation Instructions

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Tools Required:

- Phillips screwdriver
- Small flat screwdriver
- Wire strippers
- Wire crimpers
- Wire cutters)

Read and understand these instructions before starting the install.

1) Pull up on the handbrake harder than normal to get more clearance between the center console and the brake. Pull straight up around the base of the handbrake cover to free it from the center console. Remove the cover from the handle. Remove the shift knob by unscrewing it counter clock wise. Use as small flat screwdriver to pry up the coin tray at the front of the center console, the bottom of the front cup holder and the panel at the rear of the center consol. Use caution when prying the components up so not to damage them.

Illustration 1



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2) Use a Phillips screw driver to remove the 5 screws under the panels you removed in step 1. Slide the cup holder cover forward. Pull straight up on the front of the center console to release it from the lower dash. From the passenger side, lift the center console enough to unplug the power window switch. Remove the center console from the car.

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3) Use a small flat screw driver to pry the front edge of the lower dash side covers from the lower dash. Pull lower dash side covers straight back toward the rear of the car to remove them.

Illustration 3



4) Remove the 2 screws securing the lower dash to the car. Pull straight back sharply on the lower dash to free it. Disconnect the electrical connectors from the rear of the lower dash and remove it from the car.

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5) On a bench top remove the 8 screws securing the cup holder cubby to the center console. Remove the cubby from the console and replace it with the new Center Console Insert. The new insert will only use 5 of the screws to fasten it to the center console. Flip the console over and install the slide door.

Illustration 5



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6) Install the plastic power outlet bezel into the console insert. It is keyed so be sure to align the tab and groove. Install the power outlet into the bezel. Again it is keyed so align the tab and groove.

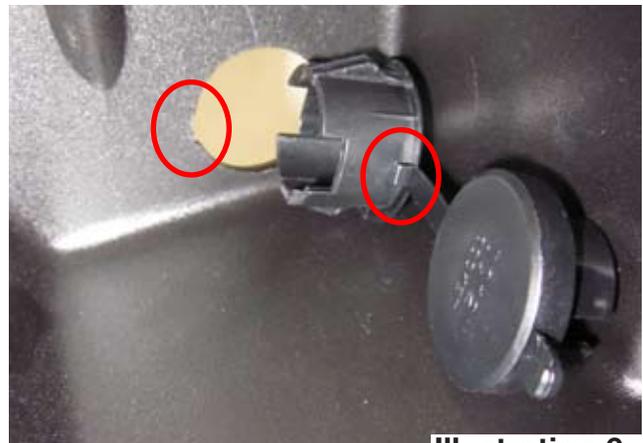


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7) Connect the supplied wires to the back of the power outlet on there corresponding terminals. Set the center console in the car and run the wires up to the lower dash. Install a "T" tap (or scotch lock) onto the 2 wires that connect to the cars factory power outlet (Black and Yellow wires on the left side). Trim the red and black wires from the insert outlet as you see fit. Keep the wires long enough so that you can remove and install the center console with out tugging on the wires. Strip the wires using strippers and crimp on the spade connectors. Plug the Black wire into the "T" tap on the Black wire. Plug the Red wire the Yellow wire "T" tap.



Illustration 7



8) Before the center console can be installed for good, you must first install the lower dash and lower dash side covers. Do not forget the electrical connections. Reassemble your interior. You will end up with 4 extra screws. 3 left over that secured the old cubby to the center console and 1 that secured the center console to the car through the old cup holder. Enjoy your new Center Console Insert!



Illustration 8