REMOVE DOOR PANEL C230 Coupe- Thanks to Gaiex- Updated by C230 Sport Coup 1-Pull out the srs badge (can be removed by hand no tools needed) Remove the T30 star screw

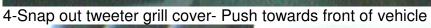


2-Under the door arm rest there is a cover, pop it off and remove the screw- T30 (drop the window)



3-remove the c-shaped plastic piece by the door latch- T20







5-Pull the panel gently with your hands to pop the push pins all around the sides and bottom



6-lift the panel from the top near the window starting from the rear, may be a little stuck from heat and age. Pull on it!



7-remove the cable from the pull handler- Note open end on white plastic piece- must go back same way or the door handle will protrude slightly- An extra hand at this point is helpful



8-Unclip connector that connects window control at door connection (push small clip to release)



Reinstall in reverse order. An extra hand is helpful but not absolutely necessary. Make sure the door cable sits correctly in the holder or the handle will protrude.

Notes on speaker grills- to remove- Use a drill to drill out the melted plastic pins. Place new grill in. Melt the plastic pins to hold it in place (why didn't they just use screws?). I'm, not sure if it's absolutely necessary to melt them, but I think they may protrude to much if they aren't flush.

I heated up an old kitchen knife on the stove and used that to melt the pins. One came undone when I had to pull the panel off to fix the placement of the cable, and I spent another hour sourcing some glue dammit.

And as always, make sure the key is out to avoid any possibility of generating any SRS errors.

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