

2007-2013 BMW 328i | Easy | 10-15 minutes | \$114 DIY

TOOLS

Microfiber cloth

PARTS

Driver wiper blade, 24in (sedan, wagon, coupe) \$32.99

Passenger wiper blade, 19in (sedan, wagon) \$32.99

Passenger wiper blade, 17in (coupe) \$32.99

Rear wiper blade, 11in (wagon only) \$14.99

STEPS

- 1 Confirm the sizes and buy the blades - Buy one of each length. Critically, the E90 uses a side-lock connector - not the pinch tab of the later F30 - so you must buy blades with the E90-specific side-lock adapter.** Sedan and coupe models have no rear wiper.
- 2 Put the wipers in service position - Start the car, switch it off, then press the wiper stalk down and hold it until the blades sweep up and stop vertical.** Do not force the arms up from their parked position - you will scratch the hood paint or bend the arms.
- 3 Release the old driver-side blade from the side lock - The E90 blade slides into a side-lock channel on the arm: find the small release on the connector and slide the blade out sideways along the arm's axis.** Pull the 24-inch blade free gently.
- 4 Prep the new driver-side blade - Remove the plastic protector from the new 24-inch blade's rubber edge and do not touch the rubber with your fingers.** Compare the new blade to the old one to verify the 24-inch length.
- 5 Slide the new blade on and confirm the lock - Tug the blade firmly along the arm to confirm it is captured - the side lock should hold it with zero play.** Lower the arm back onto the windshield gently, guiding it down by hand.
- 6 Repeat on the passenger side - Do the same side-lock release and install for the 19-inch passenger blade.** Double-check the 24-inch blade is on the driver side - the lengths are different enough that swapping them is obvious, but check anyway.
- 7 Exit service position and test with washer fluid - Start the car and tap the wiper stalk down once to return the blades to their normal park.** Spray washer fluid and run the wipers on low and high, watching for streaks or chattering. If a blade chatters, the side lock probably did not fully...

TORQUE