



BMW 2003-2010 5 Series Tail Light Bulb Replacement

This guide will help you replace a burnt-out tail light bulb on the 2003-2010 BMW 5-series.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will help you replace a burnt out tail light on your 2003-2010 BMW 5 Series car. Neglecting regular car maintenance such as changing a tail light can cause many problems including a ticket or worst.

This is a quick and easy job that any one can do and you'll save money too. Follow this step-by-step guide to change the tail light on your 2003-2010 BMW 5 Series.



TOOLS:

- [6-in-1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Large Needle Nose Pliers](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [Type 7506 Vehicle Lightbulb](#) (1)

Step 1 — Tail light Bulb



- Open the trunk of the car to access the tail lights.
- Remove the two 5 mm screws holding the panel cover in place.

Step 2



- With a flathead screwdriver, turn the screws half a turn counterclockwise.

Step 3



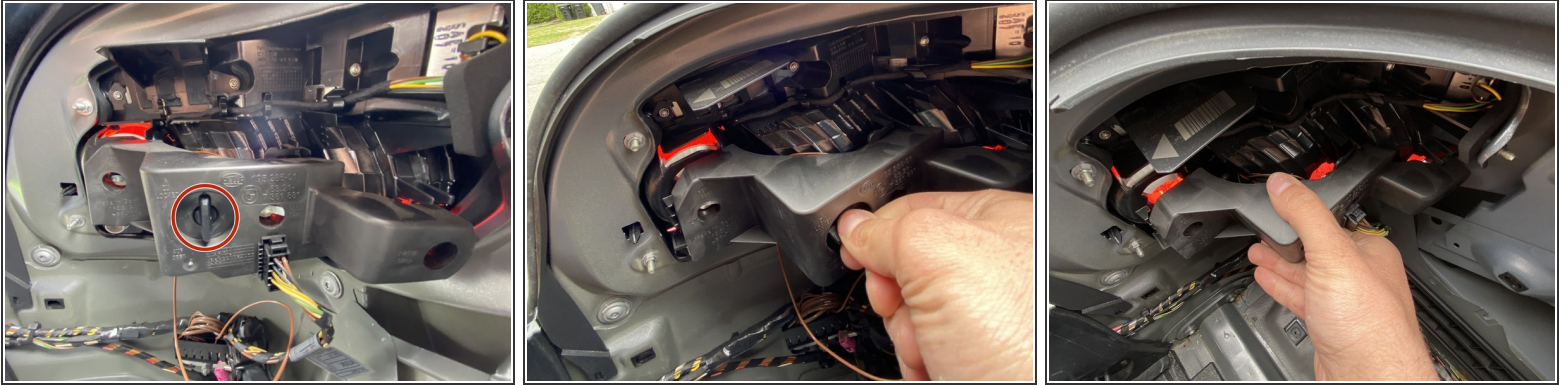
- With plyers, remove the screws.

Step 4



- Pull up the trunk matt and remove it from the corner.
- Pull up the panel by the tab.
- ⓘ The panel should lift right out.

Step 5



i You will see the light bulb holster.

- Turn the dial in the middle of the black plastic light bulb holster.
- Pull the holster out of the trunk bay.

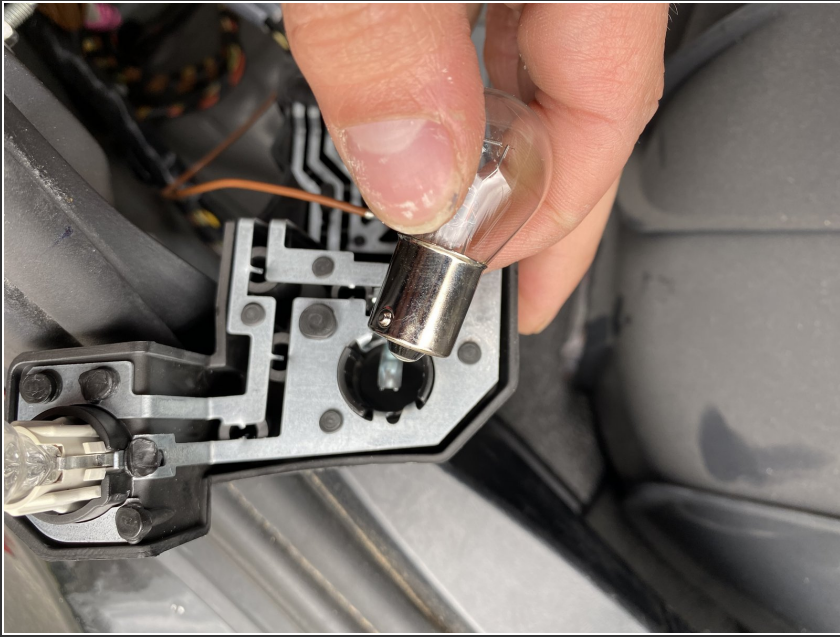
Step 6



- Grab the light bulb at the base and twist counterclockwise.

⚠ DO NOT TWIST THE BULB BY THE GLASS.

Step 7



- Pull out the bulb and repeat the process in reverse order with the new bulb to reassemble.

To reassemble, follow these instructions in reverse order.