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## PROFESSIONAL INSTALLATION RECOMMENDED

THIS GUIDE IS FOR EZ-ON PART NUMBER WH 681.



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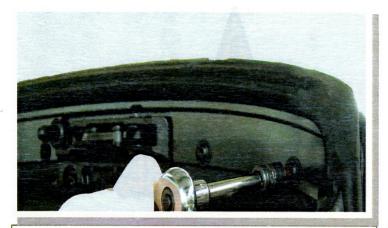
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS COMPLETELY AND THOROUGHLY
BEFORE BEGINNING ANY INSTALLATION:

PROFESSIONAL INSTALLATION IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

- ANY DAMAGE TO THE TOP OR FRAME RESULTING FROM AN IMPROPER INSTALLATION IS <u>NOT</u> COVERED UNDER WARRANTY.
- INSPECT PRODUCTS THOROUGHLY FOR ANY BLEMISHES OR DEFECTS AND VERIFY DIMENSIONS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION. IN THE UNLIKELY EVENT THERE IS AN ISSUE WITH THE PRODUCT, CONTACT YOUR DISTRIBUTOR IMMEDIATELY. EZON AUTO TOPS, INC. IS NOT LIABLE FOR MATERIAL FLAWS AFTER INSTALLATION HAS BEGUN.
- . WHEN CYCLING TOP UP OR DOWN, MAKE SURE THAT THE CAR IS RUNNING!



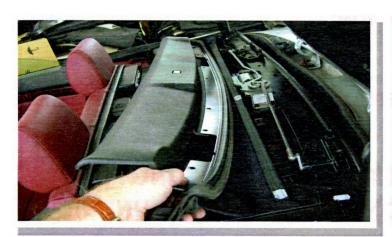
## **OLD TOP REMOVAL**



1. Remove nine (9) torx screws holding seal retainer plate.



2. Pull front weather seal off side retainers on both sides.



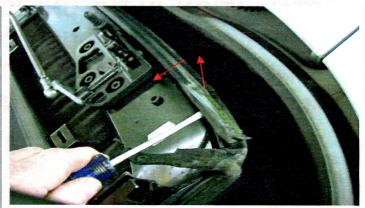
3. Remove front weather seal, retainer plate and front plastic cover.



4. Remove two (2) Phillip screws holding binding at header corner



5. Remove three (3) plastic retainer inserts; 2 short and 1 long.



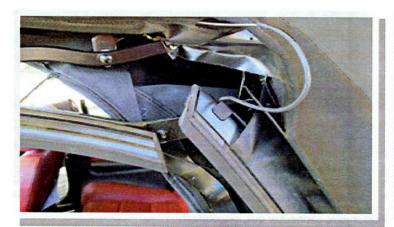
6. Remove the top from header by pushing down then prying up.



7. Release the A Pillar plastic retainers and pull out tension cables on both sides.



8. Remove folding assist strap by drilling out rivets on both sides.



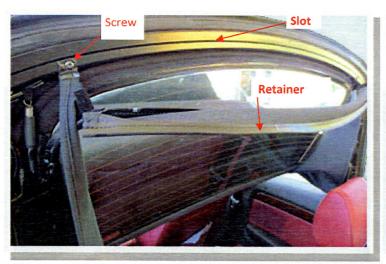
9. Pull out cables from cable pockets in top cover on both sides.

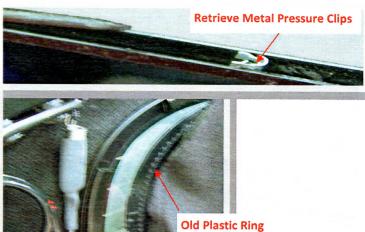


10. Pull the top's plastic retainer from the C Pillar. (Retrieve the metal pressure clips for later use.)



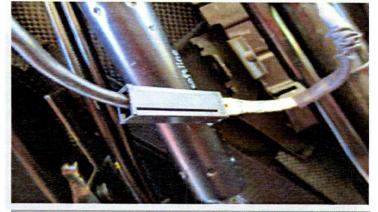
11. Pull 5 bow plastic retainer from 5 bow. (Retrieve metal pressure clip for later use.)





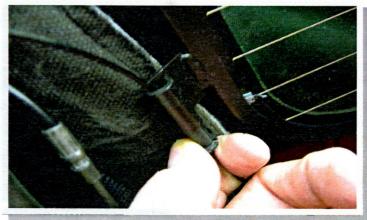
12. Remove the headliner from the 5 bow by pulling the plastic retainer from the slot in 5 bow. Remove the two (2) screws holding the headliner sails. Pull the headliner DLO plastic ring out of the metal brackets around the glass.





13. Open wire holder (a) pull defroster wire connector out, disconnect.





14. Remove screws holding window support cable and string assist to 5 bow. Remove assembly from bracket on windows.



15. Flip top cover back and remove zipper locks and disconnect zipper on all listings. Remove top cover from frame.

## Installation



1. Mark center line on the full length of top cover and pad.



2. Place top cover on car and fold back to expose the fourth zipper listing. Holding both zippers together at center, mark the pad zipper end on the top cover zipper.



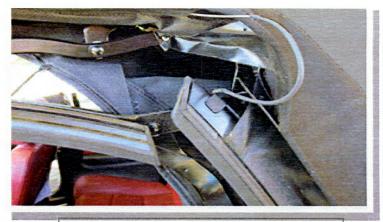


3. From the driver's side of the car, start zipper pull at mark and with the zipper pull tab facing down toward the pad, close the zipper.





4. At the end, pull the zipper pull off of the zipper. NOTE: Make sure that both of the top and pad zipper's lines are up at the center. If they are not, restart the zipper. With a curve needle, sew both ends of the zipper to prevent the zipper from coming apart. Repeat this procedure for the rest of the zippers.



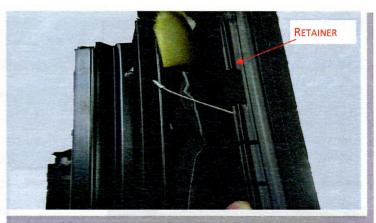
5. Pull cables thru pocket on top cover; both sides.



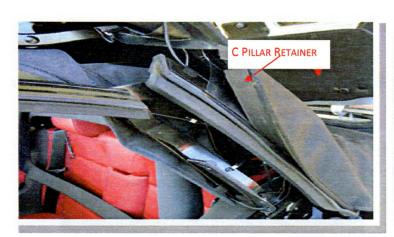
6. Raise the top frame half way up and install the assist strap to the frame on both sides with rivets.



7. Install the cable at the header.



8. Install plastic retainer at header on both sides.



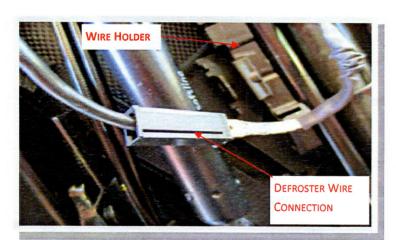


9. Install C pillars and 5 bow plastic retainers in channel on frame, reusing the metal pressure clips.

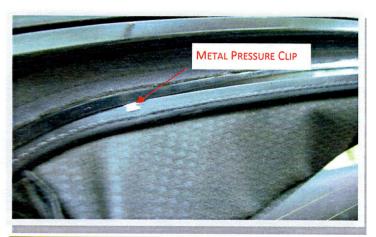




10. Install window cable spring assembly in cable guide on window frame and attach spring assembly to the back of the 5 bow.



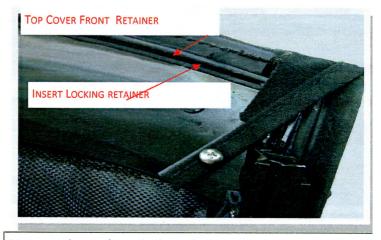
11. Attach defroster wires; install into plastic holder and close.



12. Install the headliner window ring into the metal brackets on glass. Make sure the metal retainer tabs are on plastic ring before installing.



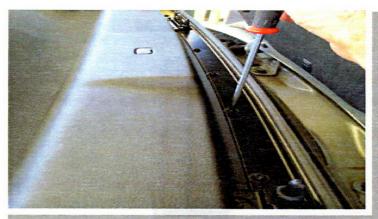
13. Install headliner sails to the 5 bow with 2 torx screws and insert the bottom of the headliner into the slot on the 5 bow.



14. Lower the top frame in the well. Attach the top cover front plastic retainer into the channel of header, lock in place with 3 insert metal pressure clips(1 long and 2 short) then fold the binding around and fasten with a screw.



15-A. Install garnish molding, seal and seal retainer on header.



15-B. Secure seal retainer with nine (9) torx screws.



15-C. Attach seals on each side of the header retainer.



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