

MiTo Wing Mirror Covers

Changing your wing mirror covers is relatively simple.

You will need trim removal tools or a flat plastic knife/spatula.



Trim Removal Tools

Step 1: Angle mirrors down

Angle your wing mirrors down to create a gap at the top. You may need to angle down and to the left/right to create the largest gap.

Step 2: Remove Mirror Glass

The glass is clipped on to the mirror housing with a large circular clip. The aim is to get your flat-blade into the gap at the top of the circular clip and very gently *rotate* the blade left and right, gently easing the circular clip off the mount. You need to do this with one hand, and have your other hand touching the mirror glass ready to catch it if it comes off quickly.

Initially, it seems like nothing is happening, but just persevere with gentle rotating of your blade, left to right, and slowly the circular clip comes away releasing the glass.

On a newer MiTo, this can be a long and painstaking process due to the glass also having very sticky double-sided on the back. But on an older MiTo the glass may come away quite quickly so be sure to be ready with your spare hand to catch the glass just in case.

Step 3: (Heated Mirrors) Unclip Heater Wires

If your MiTo has heated mirrors, simply unclip the heater

wires, noting which wire goes on which clip. Then you can withdraw the mirror glass completely.

Step 4: Remove Covers

There are four clips on the mirror covers which clip through the mirror housing into plastic retainers. Each just need to be unclipped either by hand or with the plastic knife (or a flat-head screwdriver). Again, take care – they seem pretty rigid but you don't want to snap anything at this stage.

Once removed, you can see the holes through which you need to feed the new mirror cover clips.

Step 5: Fit New Covers

Fitting is relatively simple. You need to line up the cover not only with the four clip holes in the housing but also the bottom corner of the mirror near the car where there is a plastic recess, otherwise you may scratch your new mirror cover. Once everything is aligned, the cover should clip into place through the clip retainers with gentle pressure. You can now admire your new covers on your MiTo.

Step 6: (Heated Mirrors) Attach Heater Wires

If you have heated mirrors, simply slide on the wires to their original clips ready to fit the mirror glass.

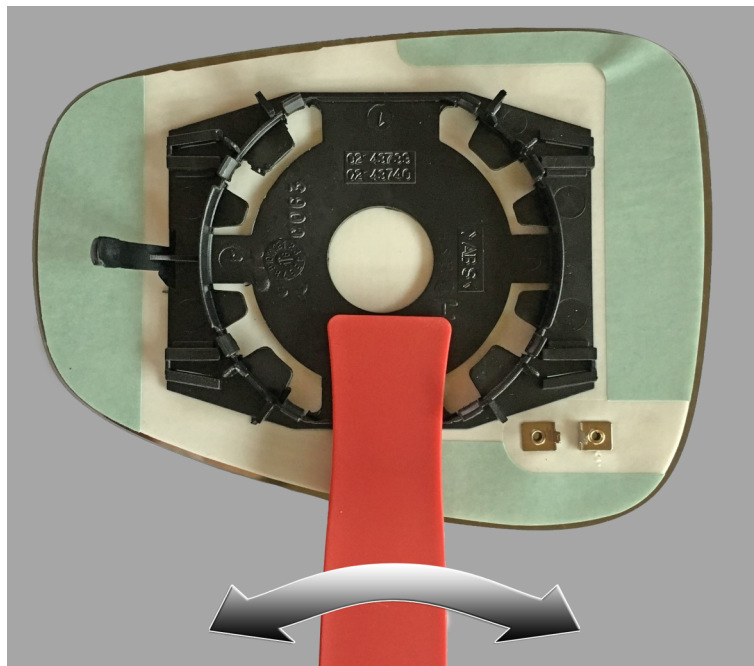
Step 7: Re-Fit Mirror Glass

Re-fitting the mirror glass is extremely easy and needs no tools. Simply align the glass (in the correct mirror!) then gently push the glass back until the circular clip clips onto the mounting with a re-assuring clunk.

Use your electric mirror adjuster to ensure everything is all working fine. You may need to make some gentle re-alignment by hand if the mounting moved whilst you were working.

Admire your new mirrors!

Stand back and admire your new MiTo wing mirror covers.



Step 2: With the mirror glass pointed down, use a flat tool or blade and gently rotate left and right to prise the circular clip off the mirror mount. Take your time - patience is key



Step 4: Release the retaining clips of existing mirror covers



Step 5: New covers clip through retaining holes