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Heated seat elements, 1989 m.y.

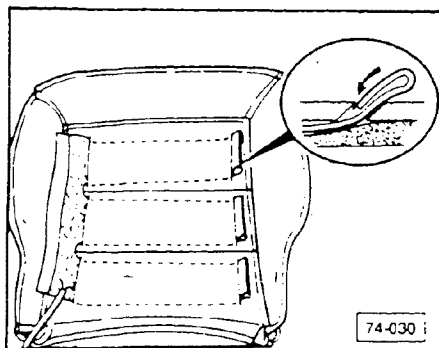
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Heated seat elements, from 1990 m.y.

- removing/installing 74.6

CAUTION

Take care **NOT** to cut through or into old element.



Heating elements, replacing

Factory installed seat/backrest heating elements are sewn into upholstery material.

- remove seat from vehicle
- disconnect defective heating element
- remove seat/backrest cover

Note

Defective element remains in seat/backrest.

- cut defective element wires as short as possible
- turn cover upside down on workbench
- position replacement heating element on seat/backrest cover
 - first crosspiece on seat/backrest has no element
- mark and cut slits at both sides of foam packing of cover
- insert replacement element with wood ruler

Note

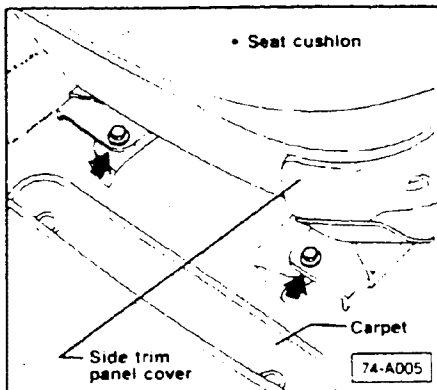
Replacement element goes over old element.

- fold over and tuck extending element material back into cover (as shown)
- fasten heating element to foam packing with upholstery clips
- connect electrical wires
- install cover
- reinstall seat in vehicle
- check seat/backrest heating for proper function

Note

Only seat cushion is shown.

Body – Seat Upholstery

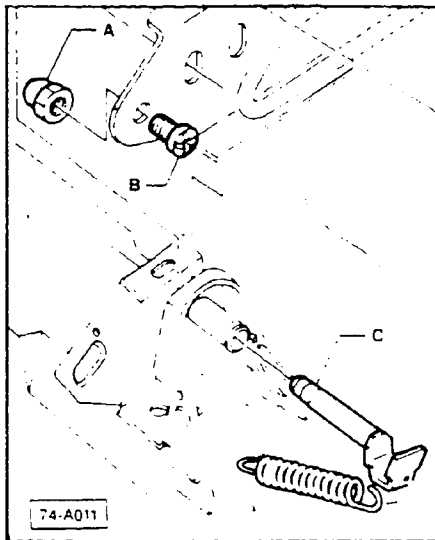


Heating seat element, removing

- disconnect battery ground strap
- remove Phillip head screws and take off plastic seat track covers
- unscrew and remove end caps at rear of seat tracks

Vehicles with power operated seats

- remove both hex head bolts (arrows)

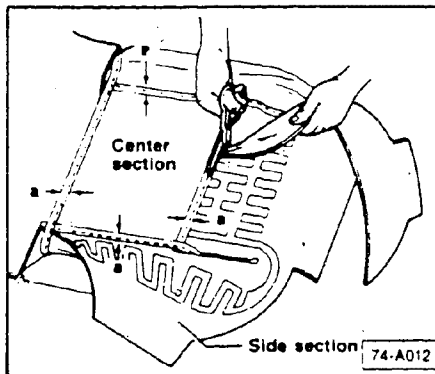


Vehicles without power operated seats

- remove acorn nut A, take off bolt B
- pull seat adjustment handle to release retaining rod C from seat guide
- push seat to rear and out of seat tracks
- tilt seat back for access to electrical connectors under seat
 - disconnect all electrical connectors to seat
 - tag wires for proper identification
- remove seat assembly from vehicle and place on workbench
- remove plastic rear backrest cover of front seat
- remove side trim panel covers from seat cushion
- remove backrest assembly
- loosen seat cover from seat cushion
- remove upholstery clips and seat cover

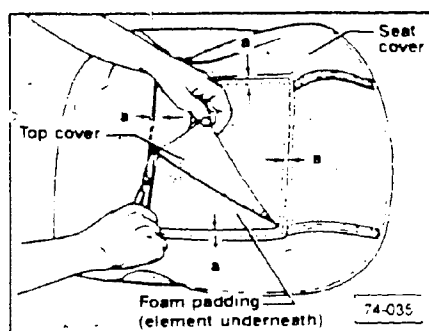
CAUTION

DO NOT cut into leather seat cover.



- cut off old element side panels (as shown)
 - **DO NOT** cut closer than a to seat cover seam
 - a = 5.0 mm (13.64 in.)

Body – Seat Upholstery



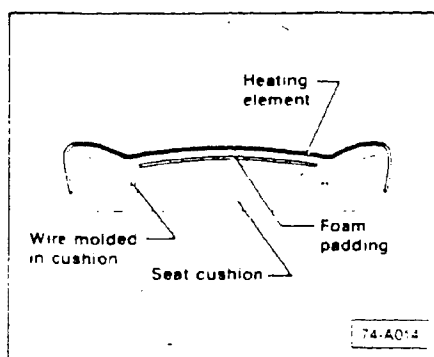
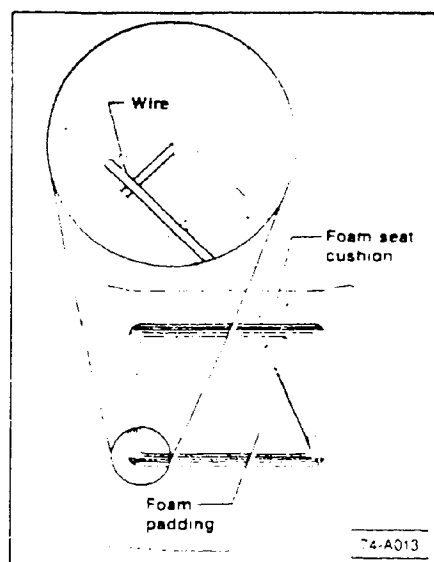
- cut out top cover, foam padding and old element from center section (as shown)
 - **DO NOT** cut closer than **a** to seat cover seam
 - a** = 5.0 mm (13 64 in.)

Note

If foam padding is damaged, replace.

Heated seat element, installing

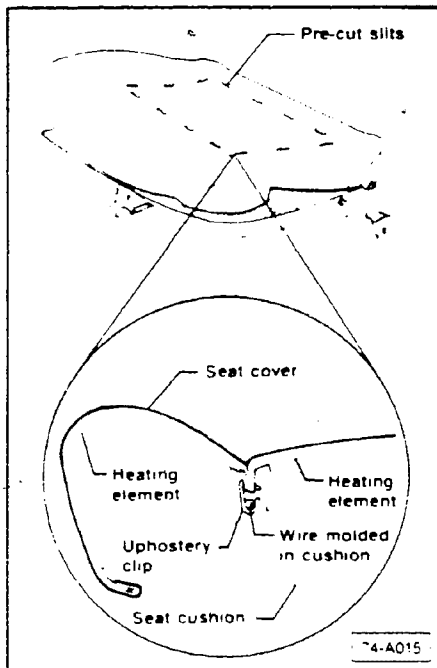
- place foam padding cut from center section onto seat cushion (as shown)
 - trim to fit
- secure with 3M® Trim Adhesive, or equivalent



- place new heating element onto seat cushion

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- install seat cover to seat cushion at 14 slit points with upholstery clips (as shown)
- glue side element sections to seat cushion with 3M® Trim Adhesive or equivalent
 - keep wrinkle free
- complete reinstalling seat cover to seat cushion
- install seat components in reverse order
- place seat at rear of seat tracks
- tilt seat back and reconnect electrical connectors
- reinstall seat to track
- reconnect battery ground strap
- check seat for proper function

Note

Backrest element replacement procedure is identical.

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Heated seat elements, removing/installing

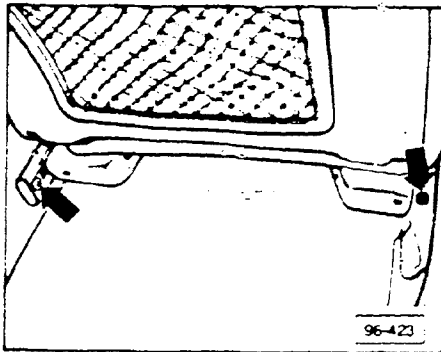
Vehicles without power seats

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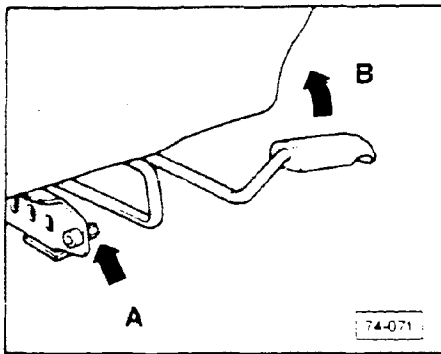
Always refer to appropriate wiring diagram when performing electrical repairs.

Seat element, removing

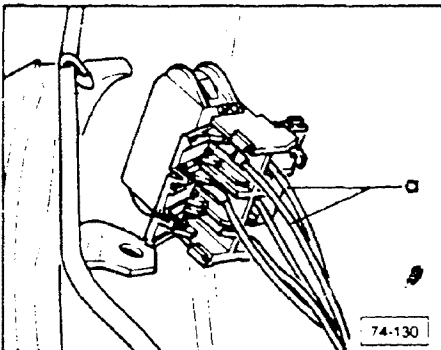
- remove end caps from seat tracks (**arrows**)



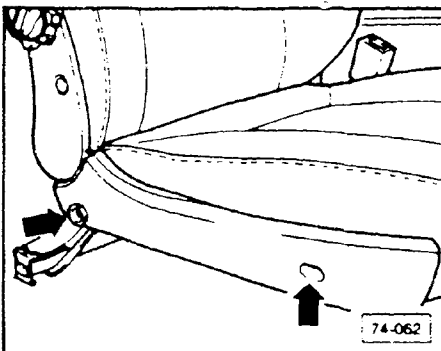
- remove cap screw (**arrow A**)
- pull lever (**arrow B**) up, slide seat toward rear out of tracks
- disconnect electrical wiring to seat
- remove seat from vehicle



- remove plug connector from seat frame (**as shown**)

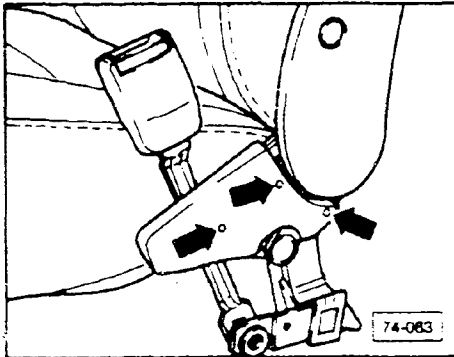


- open flaps at rear, pull out wires **a** for seatback element
 - contacts 3, 6

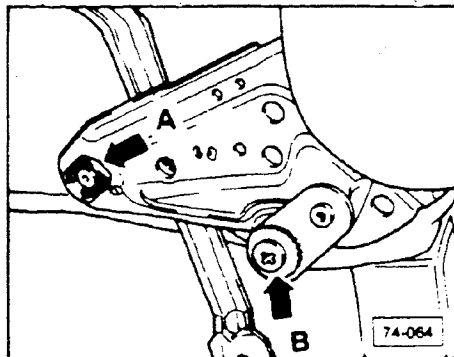


- remove trim (**arrows**)

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- push in retaining pins (**arrows**)
- remove trim

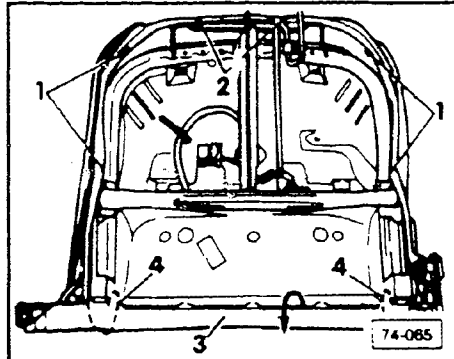


- pull off clips (**arrow A**) from both sides
- remove screw (**arrow B**) from backrest stop pin

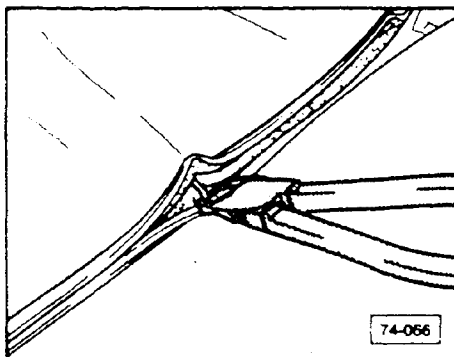
Note

Do not lose plastic bushings, washers.

- pull backrest side sections apart, remove backrest from seat frame

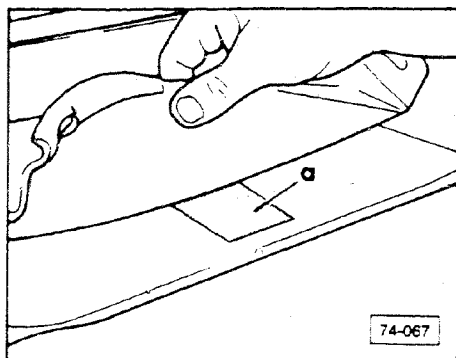


- pull out upholstery hooks 1, loosen seat cover
- cut wire clips 2
- pry out cover reinforcement 3
- unhook tensioning wires 4
- turn seat cover inside out



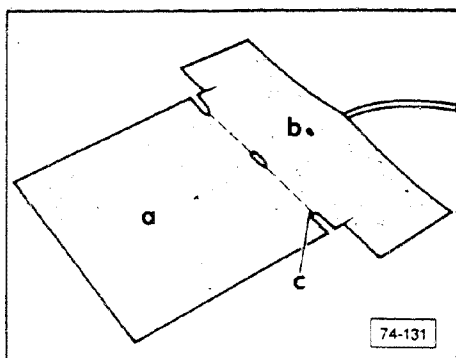
- cut wire clips

Body – Seat Upholstery



- carefully pull heat element from seat padding
 - adhesive strip **a** must stay on padding
 - if necessary, use hot air blower to warm tape
- remove heat element with connecting wire

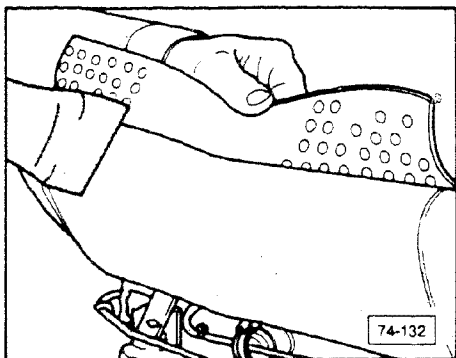
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- cut element at **c**
- pull off section **b**, with connecting wire
 - section **a** remains on padding

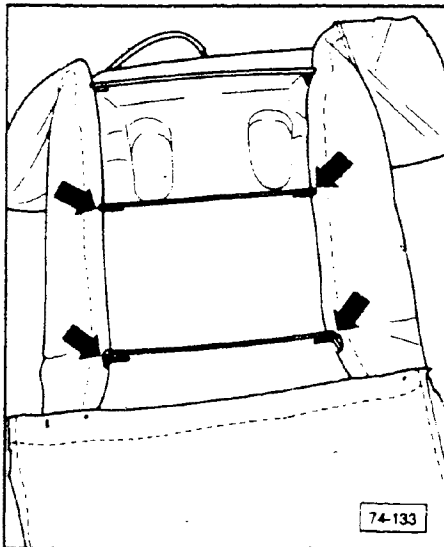
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Vehicles with heated side padding



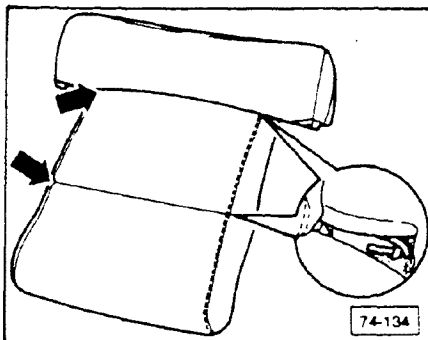
- carefully remove heat element with heated side padding
 - if necessary use hot air blower to warm glue

Body – Seat Upholstery

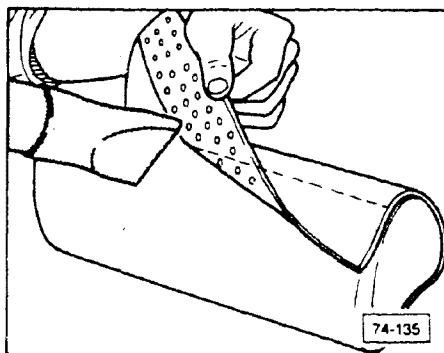


Vehicles with sport seats

- bend open upholstery clips at front
- cut through clips and loosen cover
- pry out cover reinforcement
- pull off cover, with padding, from frame
- unhook connecting wires (**arrows**)



- fold seat cover inside out
- cut wire clips (**arrows**)
- unhook upholstery wires (**inset**)
- pull off seat cover



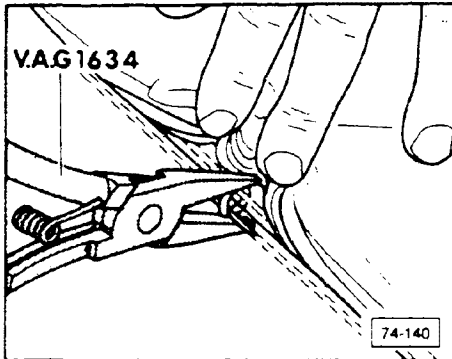
- using hot air blower to warm adhesive, carefully pull off heat element

Body – Seat Upholstery

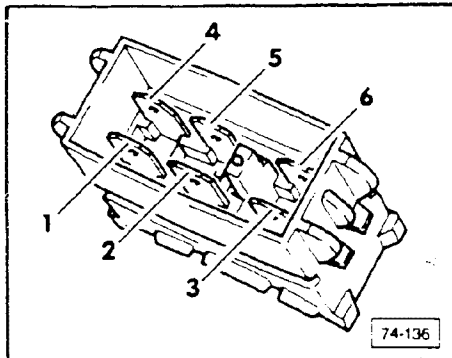
Seat element, installing

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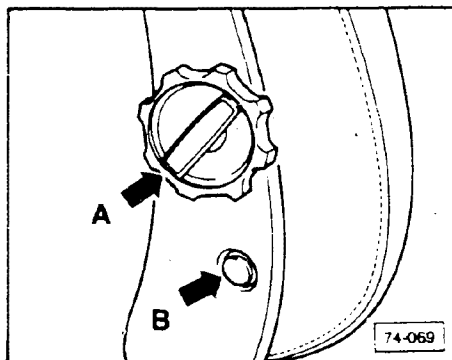


- glue replacement element onto seat with universal adhesive Part No. **D 001 200** or equivalent
- secure heat element to the backrest cover and padding with wire clips
 - work through openings with upholstery pliers **V.A.G 1634** or equivalent



Plug connector wire identification

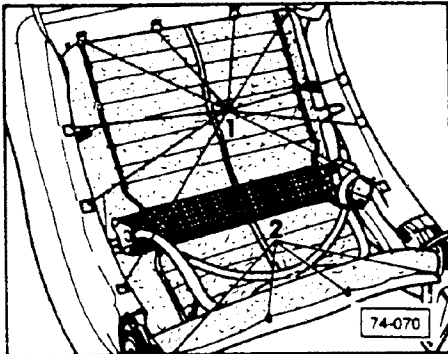
- 1 — seat heat element
- 2 — temperature sensor
- 3 — seatback heat element
- 4 — temperature sensor
- 5 — seat heat element
- 6 — seatback heat element



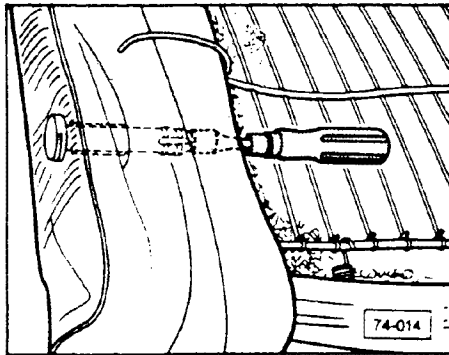
Seatback element, removing

- remove headrest
- pry off trim plate (**arrow A**)
- remove screw under trim plate
- pull off adjuster knob
- remove armrest (driver's side)
- pry off cap (**arrow B**), remove left/right retaining screws

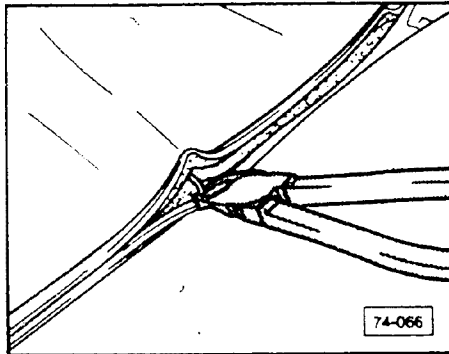
Body – Seat Upholstery



- remove trim downwards
- loosen seat cover from seat frame
- remove clips 1, open upholstery hooks 2



- push out headrest guides with 10 mm (25/64 in.) socket wrench

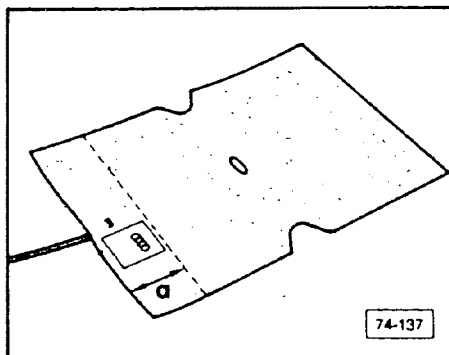


- fold back seatback cover, cut wire clips

Note

Sport seats have 6 wire clips, retainer pins with cardboard discs.

- remove seatback cover
- remove heat element with connector

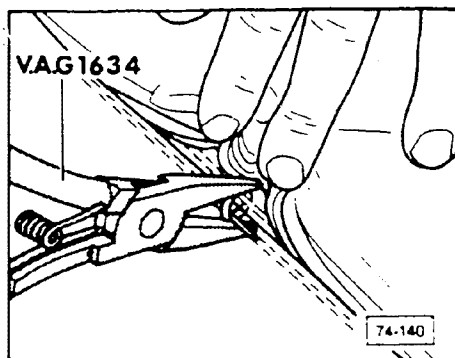


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- cut glued backrest element as shown
 - a = approximately 8.0 cm (approximately 3.1 in.)
- remove cut section with electrical connector

Body – Seat Upholstery

Seatback element, installing



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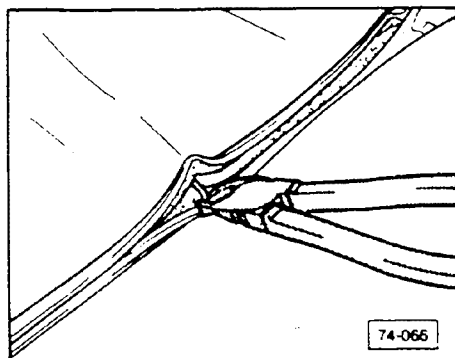
Heated rear seat elements, removing/installing

Rear seat, removing

- remove rear seat bench
- disconnect wiring
- pull connecting wires for defective heat element out of plug connector
- unhook tensioning wire
- cut left/right clips securing seat cover
 - depending on area of repair
- turn seat cover inside out
- cut wire clips, as shown
- disconnect wiring to seat

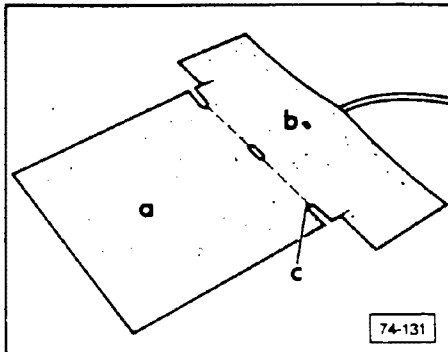
Note

When pulling off glued heater element, it may be necessary to warm surface with hot air blower.



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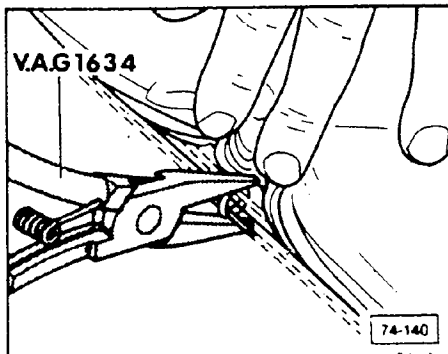


- cut element at **c**
- remove cut section **b** with electrical connector

Rear seat, installing

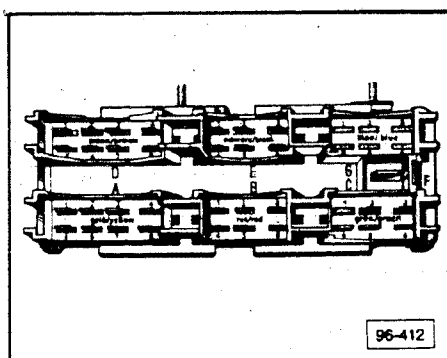
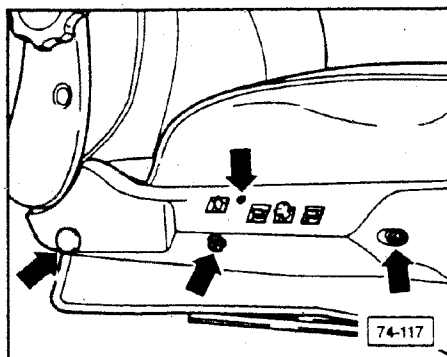
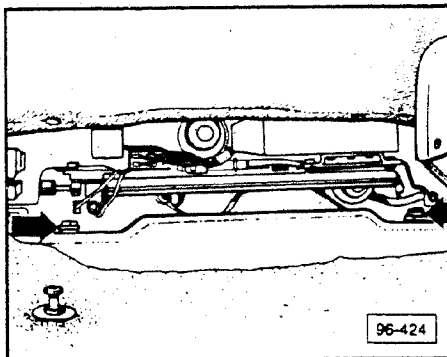
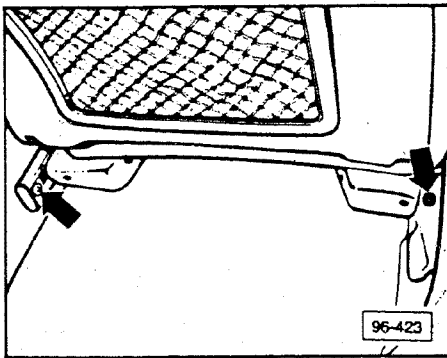
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- glue replacement element onto seat with universal adhesive Part No. **D 001 200** or equivalent
- secure heat element to the backrest cover and padding with wire clips
 - work through openings with upholstery pliers **VAG 1634** or equivalent

Body – Seat Upholstery



Heated seat elements, removing/installing

Vehicles with power seats

Seat element, removing

- remove end caps from seat tracks (**arrows**)
- raise seat, move fully to rear

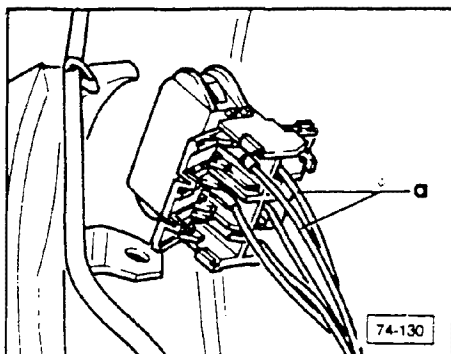
- remove front screws under seat (**arrows**)
- slide seat assembly out to rear and out of tracks
 - do not damage carpet

- tilt seat back and disconnect electrical wiring

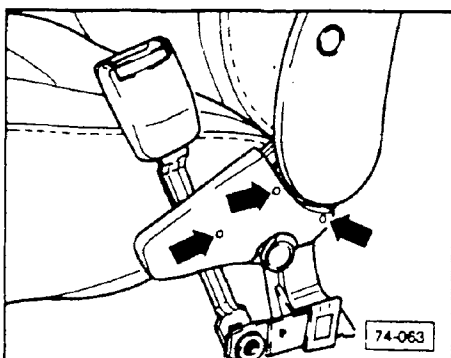
- unscrew and remove switch control panel from seat (**arrows**)

- disconnect 6 point connector from driver's side switch control panel
 - 2 point connector on passenger side

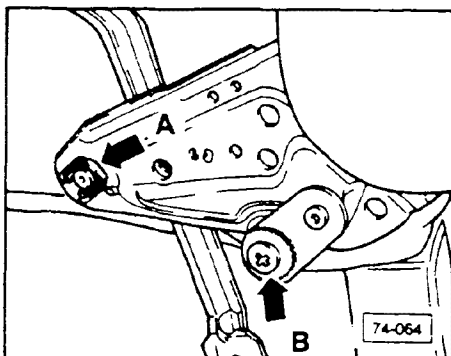
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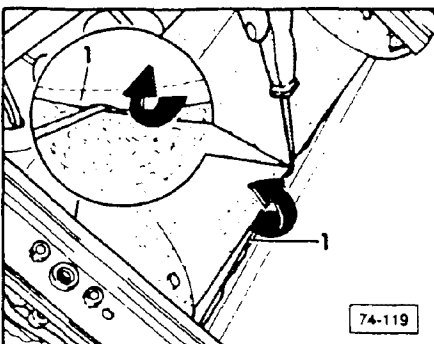
- remove plug connector on seat frame
- open flaps at rear, pull out wires **a** for seatback element
 - contacts 3,6



- from opposite side, push through retaining pins (**arrows**)
- remove trim

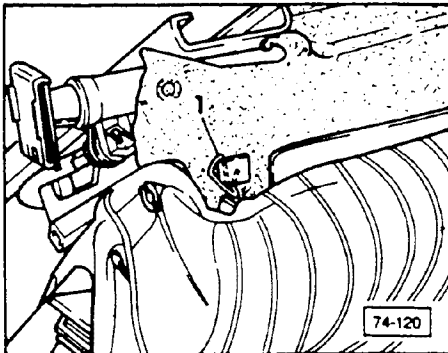


- pull off clips (**arrow A**) from both sides
- remove screw (**arrow B**) from backrest stop pin
- pull backrest side sections apart, remove backrest from seat frame

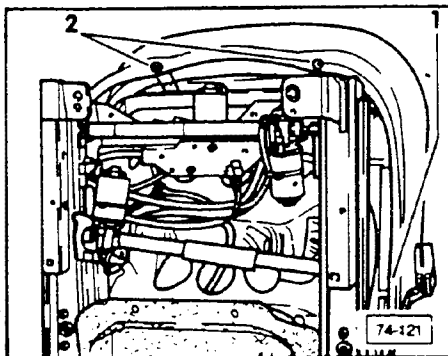


- pry out cover reinforcement **1**

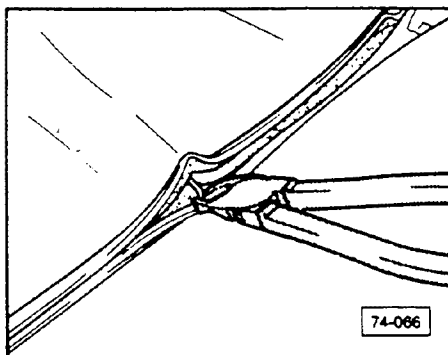
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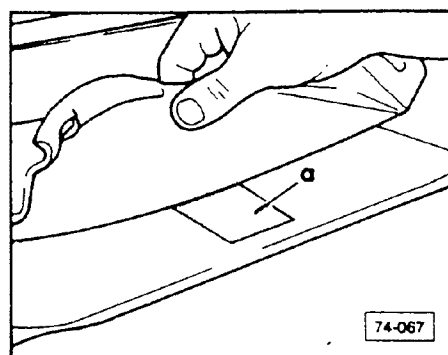
- unhook tensioning wire 1



- open upholstery hooks 1 on both sides
- pry out clips 2
- fold back seat cover



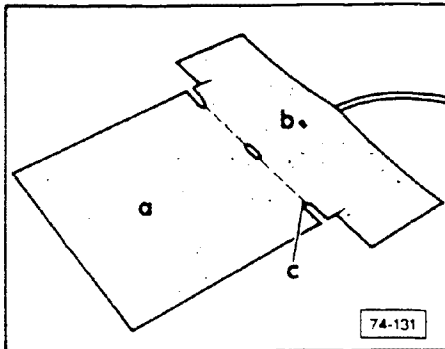
- cut wire clips, as shown



- carefully pull heat element from seat padding
 - adhesive strip a must stay on padding
 - if necessary, use hot air blower to warm tape
- remove heat element with connecting wire

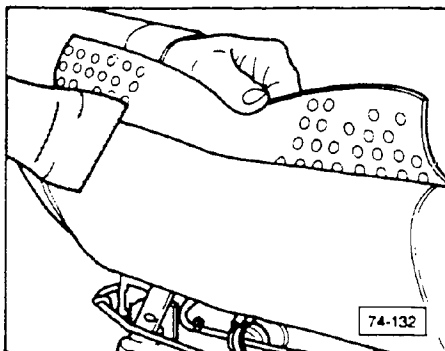
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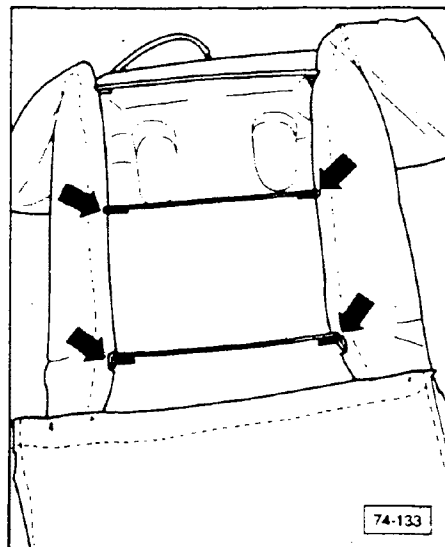
- cut element at c
- pull off section b, with connecting wire
 - section a remains on padding



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Vehicles with heated side padding

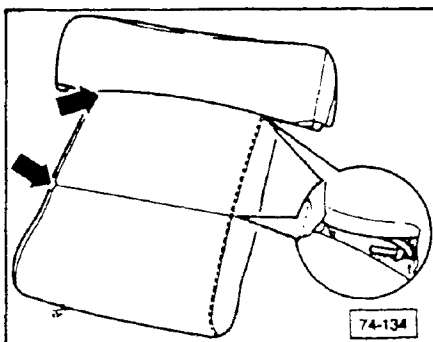
- carefully remove heat element with heated side padding
 - if necessary use hot air blower to warm tape



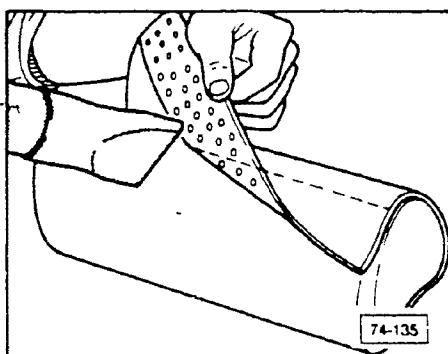
Vehicles with sport seats

- bend open upholstery clips at front
- cut through clips and loosen cover
- pry out cover reinforcement
- pull off cover, with padding, from frame
- unhook connecting wires (arrows)

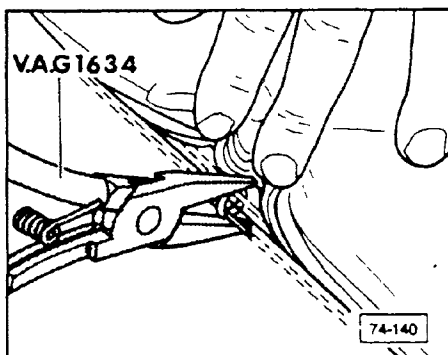
Body – Seat Upholstery



- fold seat cover inside out
- cut wire clips (**arrows**)
- unhook upholstery wires (**inset**)
- pull off seat cover



- using hot air blower to warm adhesive, carefully pull off heat element

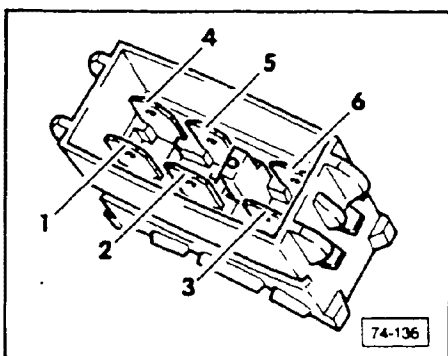


Front seat element, installing

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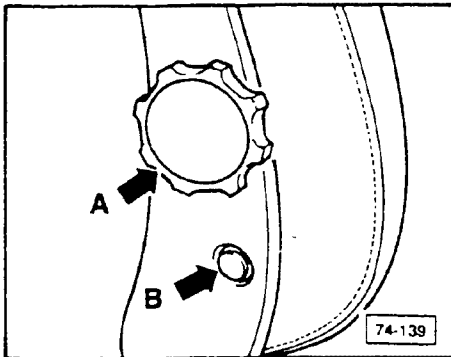
- glue replacement element onto seat with universal adhesive Part No. D 001 200 or equivalent
- secure heat element to the backrest cover and padding with wire clips
 - work through openings with upholstery pliers **VAG 1634** or equivalent



Plug connector wire identification

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- 2 — temperature sensor
- 3 — seatback heat element
- 4 — temperature sensor
- 5 — seat heat element
- 6 — seatback heat element

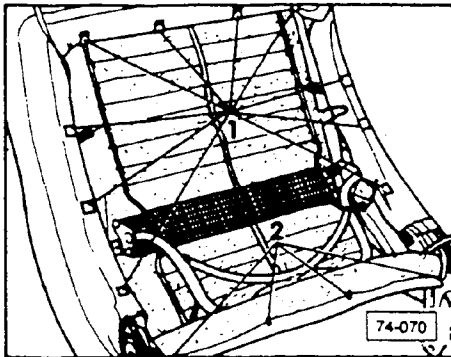
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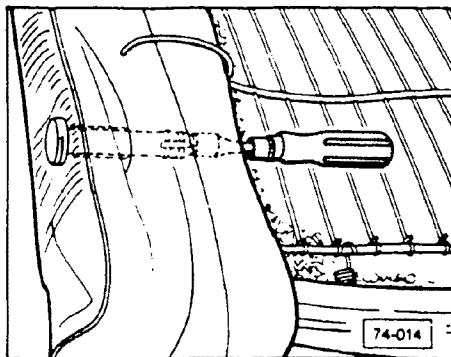
Front seatback element, removing

- remove headrest
- pry off trim plate (**arrow A**)
- remove screw under trim plate
- pull off adjuster knob
- remove armrest (driver's side)
- pry off cap (**arrow B**), remove left/right retaining screws

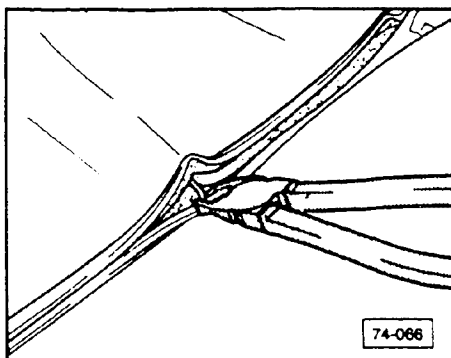
- remove trim downwards
- loosen seat cover from seat frame



- remove clips 1, open upholstery hooks 2



- push out headrest guides with 10 mm (25/64 in.) socket wrench



- fold back seatback cover, cut wire clips

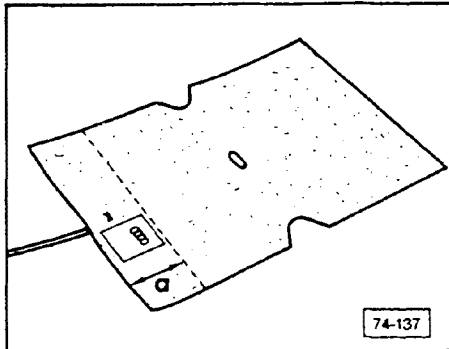
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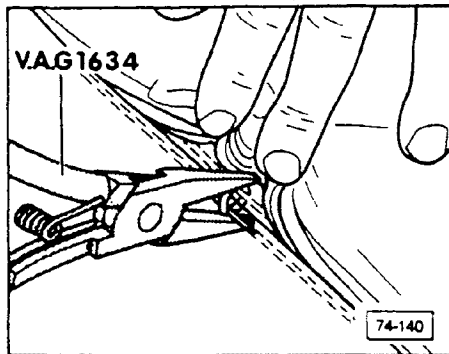
- remove seatback cover
- remove heat element with connector

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- cut glued backrest element as shown
- a = approximately 8.0 cm (approximately 3.1 in.)
- remove cut section with electrical connector



Front seatback element, installing

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- glue replacement element onto seat with universal adhesive Part No. **D 001 200** or equivalent
- secure heat element to the backrest cover and padding with wire clips
 - work through openings with upholstery pliers **VAG 1634** or equivalent

Body – Seat Upholstery

CAUTION

When using any cleaning agent, follow all cautions and warnings listed on the containers.

Alcantara trim, cleaning

Some 100/200 vehicles are equipped with Alcantara interior trim.

Alcantara has a suede-like appearance, and requires the following special cleaning procedures:

- treat existing stain as soon as possible
- determine type of stain from chart below
- remove residue with spoon or knife
- clean stain from edge to center to avoid leaving a ring
- do not apply solvent directly on stain, but apply with clean cloth moistened with solvent
- after stain is removed, dry area with a clean cloth and brush Alcantara against the nap of the fabric
- allow area to dry completely
- clean with vacuum cleaner

Stain	Treatment
Coffee, tea, milk	Wash off with lukewarm water and mild soap. Rub lightly with clean cotton swab dipped in alcohol or 100% ammonia.
Cosmetics	Clean with a cloth moistened with rubbing alcohol, DuPont Perclene® or an equivalent dry-cleaning agent. Wash off with water and mild soap. If stain cannot be removed, apply diluted 50% ammonia or clean 40% alcohol.
Fruit	Wash off with lukewarm water.
Fruit juice, syrup	Wash off with lukewarm water. If stain cannot be removed, apply rubbing alcohol, DuPont, Perclene® or an equivalent dry-cleaning agent.
Chocolate, candy	Wash off with lukewarm water or with up to 50% diluted ammonia.
Chewing gum	Treat the stain with acetone (nail polish remover), DuPont Perclene® or an equivalent dry-cleaning agent.
Paint	Oil paint: Rub lightly with a cotton swab dipped in rubbing alcohol; follow by washing off with water and mild soap. Water base paint: Wash off with cold water.
Ink stains	Absorb the ink, treat with mixture of clean alcohol (30%), and water (70%); follow by washing with lukewarm water and mild soap. Lemon juice may also be used as stain remover.
Ball point pen	Use DuPont Perclene® or an equivalent dry-cleaning agent, or 40% alcohol.
Wine, beverages	Use water (50%) and vinegar (50%). Wash off with lukewarm water and mild soap.
Beer	Rub lightly with a clean cotton swab dipped in lukewarm water mixed with clean alcohol (40%).
Alcohol, liquor	Wash with lukewarm water and mild soap. Dab afterwards with a clean cotton swab dipped in alcohol (40%).