

You will need:

- a) An awl OR a small, narrow, flat-blade screwdriver.
- b) A flat-blade screwdriver with a medium or wide blade. Not narrow.
- c) Some electrical tape to protect the trim
- d) A new bulb. Sylvania 2825 will do fine. 13.5v, 5W

After you have done it once, this is a 30 second procedure. Keep that in mind. There is no way I would remove wheel arch trim and panels. Take care and you will not break the lens.

Photo 1: Front Left Side-Lamp after removal. Front of car is to the viewer's left.

Note

- (a) The two prongs on the left that hold the front of the assembly. On re-assembly, seat them in first.
- (b) The clip on the right that you will push with an awl or narrow-blade screwdriver to release the lamp assembly. On re-assembly, push this clip in last.

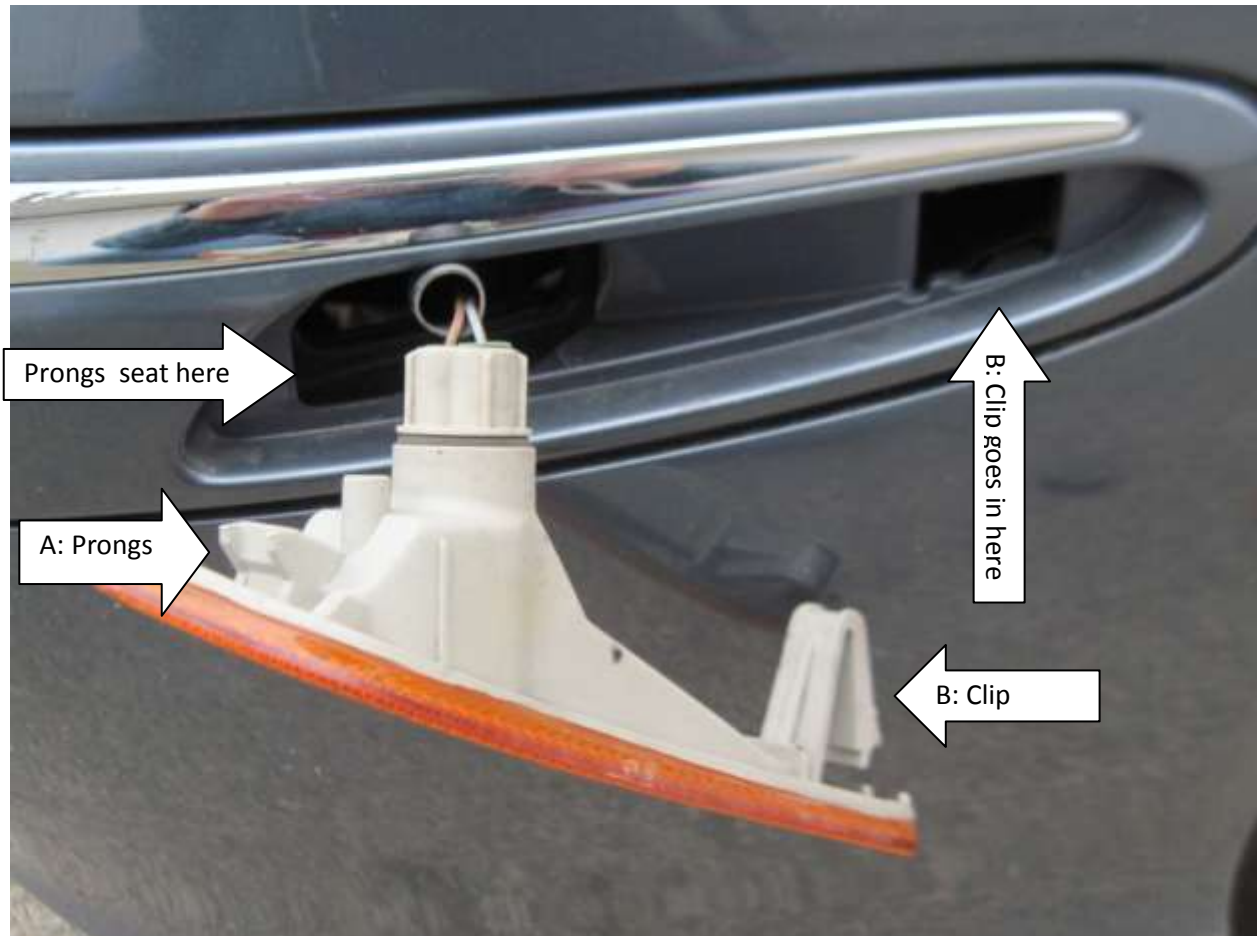


Photo 2: Put electrical tape in the positions shown to avoid damaging the trim. Use your awl or narrow, flat-blade screwdriver to start to carefully lever the lamp lens outwards. Do this from the door-end of the lamp, not the bumper end. No matter what you've read in a manual, the lens will not really slide forward toward the front of the car. Get it out a millimeter or two and go to next photo.



Photo 3: While holding the lens out a bit with the awl (not shown in this photo), insert your other screwdriver from above to hold the lens out. This upper screwdriver needs to be at least an inch or better two, from the end of the lens, since you are going to need to put the awl to the right of it in a few more steps to get at the clip. Repeat steps getting the awl in further and then getting the upper screwdriver wedged further and further in, until you can get a little access to the clip that holds in the lamp/lens. Only do this enough to be able to get the awl in to push on the clip, not so much that you will crack the \$30 lens. Perhaps half an inch gap will do.



Photo 4: Work the awl in from the top now, and lever the clip so the lamp comes out. See photo 5 for another view of the clip



Photo 5: See the arrow below to better explain what you were doing in the previous step.



You were pushing here with the awl, from above

Photo 6: Another view of the clip.



Photo 7: The (old) lamp bulb. 12Volt, 5 watt. Sylvania 2825 will replace it.



Change the bulb.

Reassemble by seating the front of the lens/lamp assembly prongs in behind the bumper. Then push the rear end of the assembly, with the clips.