

CTS MK7 GTI Crank Pulley Install Instructions



Included in the kit: CTS Turbo lightweight crankshaft pulley. Replacement OEM bolt, Replacement Belt.

Have the following tools at hand:

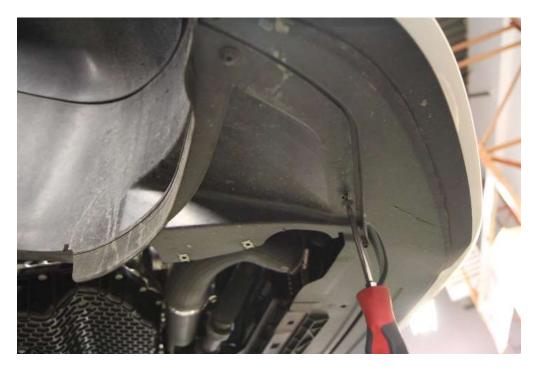
- T25 torx
- 16mm socket
- 24mm socket
- Counter holder tool (VW# T10355)
- Long handle breaker bar
- Rachet
- Torque wrench
- Hoist or hydraulic jack and jackstands.

Make sure the car is cooled off before starting the install.

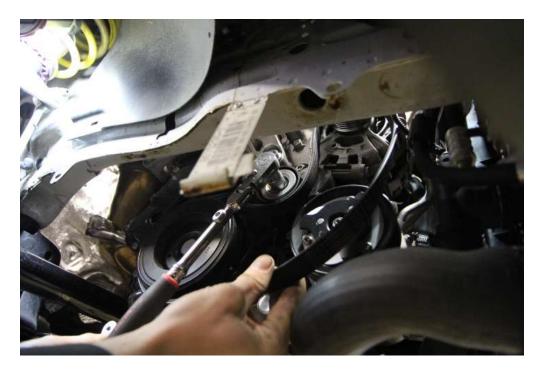
Step 1: With the vehicle raised up on jackstands or a hoist, remove the 9x T25 torx screws holding the belly pan to the bottom of the vehicle. Pull the pan free of vehicle.



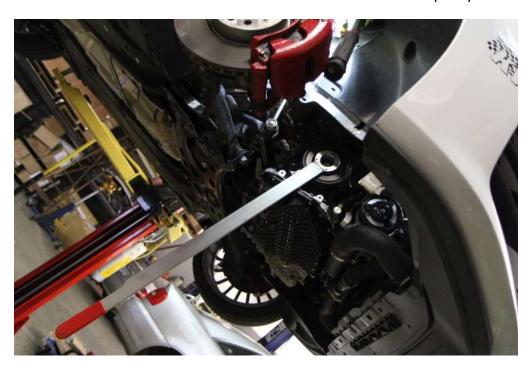
Step 2: Remove the passenger side wheel then remove the 6x T25 torx screws holding the passenger side lower inner fender liner to the car. Pull the liner free of vehicle.



Step 3: Using your ratchet with the 16mm socket, turn the ratchet clockwise to release pressure on the belt tensioner. Note how the belt is routed and remove belt.



Step 4: Insert the counter holder tool T10355 into the 4 holes in the OEM pulley.



Step 5: Using your 24mm socket and breaker bar, loosen and remove the OEM crank pulley bolt. Remove pulley.



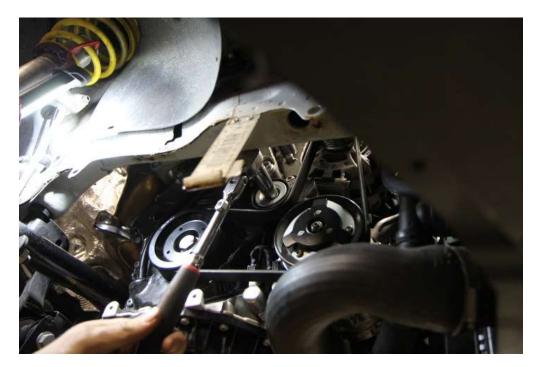
Step 6: Install the new lightened pulley taking care to **align the spines** on the back of the pulley in the correct position. This is critical. Install the supplied **new** OEM bolt. Utilizing your torque wrench with the counter holder tool, torque the bolt to **110 ft/lbs**. Use a marker to make a 12 o'clock mark on the bolt and a 3 o'clock mark on the pulley.



Step 7: Utilize your counter holder tool and long handle breaker bar with the 24mm socket to torque the bolt a ¼ turn further. With your two marks aligned, the pulley is installed.



Step 8: Use your 16mm socket to release pressure on the belt tensioner and install the supplied **shorter belt**. Ensure the belt is sitting correctly in the pulley grooves.



Step 9: Reverse steps 1 and 2 to reinstall the fender liner, passenger side wheel and belly pan. Start the vehicle and inspect the pulley while the engine is running to ensure it is running true.

You Are Done!

