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## MAcarbon Porsche 996 Center Console Installation Guide

### Tools Required

MAcarbon Interior Install Tools	
T-20 Torx T-30 Torx 5MM Allen Wrench Punch Tool	

### Installation Steps

Step	Instructions	Photo
1.	Remove the two side panels from the upper center console. Pull outwards from the BACK of the panel – not the front as shown.	



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<p>2.</p>	<p>Pull out the batwing piece. Disconnect the two heater switches. This car has some additional wiring for an alarm.</p>	
<p>3.</p>	<p>Using the MACarbon 90° install tool, pull up at the back of the shift boot. There are four clips; two at the rear and two at the front. Then rotate the boot forward to disengage the front pins.</p>	
<p>4.</p>	<p>Using the allen wrench, loosen the set screw and remove the shift knob.</p>	
<p>5.</p>	<p>Remove the screw located at the front of the console.</p>	



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<p>6.</p>	<p>Remove the ashtray. Under the two small rubber covers will be two torx screws. Remove these.</p>	
<p>7.</p>	<p>Pull out the ashtray surround and unplug the window switches and light.</p>	
<p>8.</p>	<p>Using the 45° install tool, pry out the front switches and the rear blanks. Insert them into the carbon ashtray surround.</p>	
<p>9.</p>	<p>Remove the screw located under the ashtray unit.</p>	



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<p>10.</p>	<p>Remove the storage bin liner.</p>	
<p>11.</p>	<p>Open the rear storage bin. Remove the screw located at the rear of the bin.</p>	
<p>12.</p>	<p>Using an MCarbon tool or a screwdriver (be careful not to scratch anything!) remove the coin holder.</p>	
<p>13.</p>	<p>Remove the screw from under the coin holder.</p>	



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<p>14.</p>	<p>Remove the front right screw.</p>	
<p>15.</p>	<p>Pull off the side plate. Examine the CF panel to see how the tabs are oriented before starting. Pull out from the top and then once the two upper tabs are disengaged, pull upwards.</p>	
<p>16.</p>	<p>The console should now start to lift from the car. With access to the underside, remove the power wire that goes to the storage box sensor. <b>If you do not remove it, you will break the sensor.</b></p>	
<p>17.</p>	<p>With the console out of the car, remove the front and rear trim panels by pulling up and out.</p>	



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<p><b>18.</b></p>	<p>At the rear, remove the two screws that hold the rear console onto the front console.</p>	
<p><b>19.</b></p>	<p>Remove the two screws from the rear that hold the rear console in place. These two screws also hold the storage bin lid in place as well.</p>	
<p><b>20.</b></p>	<p>Transfer the storage bin lock from the old console to the new carbon version. There are three screws. You need to transfer the orange screw receptacles as well.</p>	
<p><b>21.</b></p>	<p>Now begin to remove the storage bin lid. Remove the screws from the bottom of the lid.</p>	



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<p>22.</p>	<p>Lift the lid off of the frame.</p>	
<p>23.</p>	<p>Remove the storage bin mechanism by driving out the pin with screws driver or other tool. Move the hinge to carbon fiber console.</p>	
<p>24.</p>	<p>Installation of the carbon console in the car is the opposite of removal.</p>	