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SpeedForSale.com's Installation Guide Series: Carbon Fiber Hood NACA Ducts for 2009 GT-R

THESE '**CARBON FIBER HOOD NACA DUCTS**' CAN BE PURCHASED HERE:
http://www.speedforsale.com/nissangtrparts/aero-visual-mods-body-kits-panels-c-29_53.html

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<https://www.speedforsale.com/nissangtrparts/speed-sale-speedforsale-staged-power-upgrades-p-1030.html?osCsid=2airirkvjdgqclcmqfiildbt3>

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Time:

.5-2 hours depending on experience and tools

Difficulty:

Easy

Description:

This is an installation article that shows you how to install Mine's Carbon Fiber Hood NACA Ducts (and any other brand.)

Tools Needed:

- 8mm socket
- ¼" ratchet with 2" extension
- Plastic trim removal tool with V-groove
- #1 Phillips head screwdriver
- Razor blade for trimming excess double sided tape
- Dykes or other snips to cut excess tab (on some brands of ducts)

Installation:

1. Remove all 13 plastic clips that hold the fiberglass hood insulator to the hood, taking care to not scratch the hood's paint. Keep your hand close to the clips when you remove them, as they will fly out randomly with some force and could land in an unknown spot or hit the paint. Set hood insulator aside.



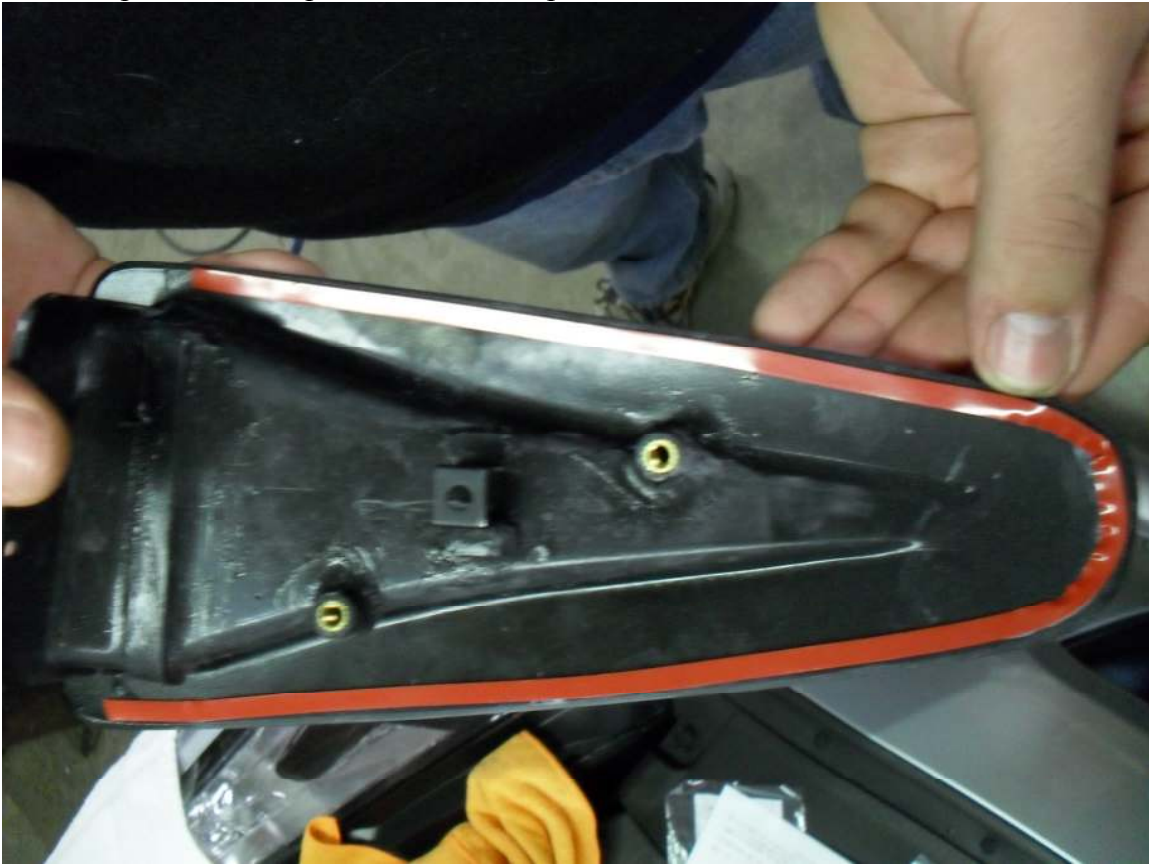
2. Starting with one of the NACA ducts, remove 2 phillips head screws that hold the 90 degree air duct to the actual NACA hood duct. Pull the 90 degree duct straight down to remove from NACA duct.



3. Remove the two 8mm nuts holding NACA duct to the hood. Push up on the back of the NACA duct to release two retaining clips on the front of the duct, and remove the factory NACA duct from the top of the hood.



4. Use the included alcohol wipe, clean the area on the outer lip of the NACA hood duct recess (on the actual hood) and also the outer lip of the Carbon Fiber NACA duct so that the double sided tape will adhere. Use a thin strip of the double sided tape to run a strip around the outer perimeter of the carbon fiber NACA duct.



5. Gently place the carbon fiber NACA duct into place, but DO NOT press the double sided tape down with force as you may be required to adjust and center the duct before the tape adheres to the paint!



6. Once centered, apply gentle force to stick the adhesive and reinstall the 8mm bolts included with the NACA ducts.
7. Now, reinstall the 90 degree factory air duct to the underside of the NACA ducts. On some brands of ducts, it may be easier to install the 90 degree ducts by cutting off the small plastic tabs/cylinders, as these are not necessary and create interference. Gently slide the 90 degree duct up from the bottom, while also pressing down on the rear of the NACA ducts on the outside of the hood so that tension is not put on the NACA ducts. Then, reinstall the two Phillips head screws that hold the 90 degree duct to the NACA duct.





8. Repeat steps 2-7 for the other NACA duct.
9. Reinstall the hood insulator and retaining clips.