



# Tech Tips

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2005-2009 Jetta, 2006-2009 GTI, 2007-2009 EOS and Rabbit,  
**2009 Tiguan**, 2009 Passat with 1K0 Part Number J500 –  
Replacement Steering Harness

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If the steering rack is replaced on the above models for any reason, it is necessary to replace the steering harness as well. The new harness may be equipped with an extra connector. If all connections are made correctly, then it is necessary to remove that connector and tape the exposed wires back into the harness. Be sure to tape tightly in order to provide a water-tight repair.