

Repairing/ Replacing the Gasket on a Blower Door Frame

Replacing the gasket:

The image below shows two crimps where the frame has been cut and pushed into the gasket to help keep the gasket in place. Removing the gasket requires releasing the crimp to allow free movement of the gasket. Burrs around the crimps may cause the gasket to catch, making it more difficult to remove. The crimp can be released using a thin screwdriver to push the crimp up or using a drill to remove the crimp. Once the crimps are released, a pliers can be used to grasp the gasket and pull it length wise out of the frame. A glass cleaner can be sprayed on the new gasket as a lubricant before installing it. After the new gasket is installed, it should be crimped using the existing crimps or provide a new crimp using a thin screwdriver and a hammer.

Repairing the gasket:

If the old gasket is still in good shape and only needs to be reinstalled, follow the same procedures as above to remove and replace the gasket.

