



MacBook Pro 13" Retina Display Late 2012

Lower Case Replacement

Replace the Lower Case in your MacBook Pro 13" Retina Display Late 2012.

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INTRODUCTION

Use this guide to replace the lower case.

TOOLS:

- MacBook Pro and Air 5-Point Pentalobe Screwdriver (1)

PARTS:

- MacBook Pro 13" Retina Lower Case (1)
- MacBook Pro Retina (2012 to 2015) Lower Case Screw Set (1)
- MacBook Pro Retina Plastic Feet (1)

Step 1 — Lower Case



- Remove the following ten screws securing the lower case to the upper case:
 - Two 2.3 mm P5 Pentalobe screws
 - Eight 3.0 mm P5 Pentalobe screws

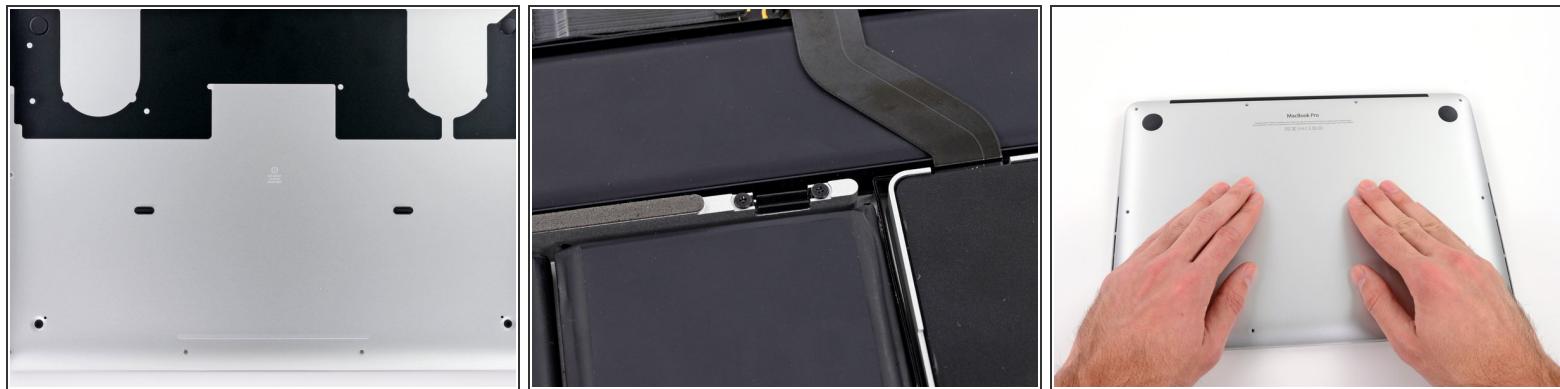
 Throughout this repair, [keep track of each screw](#) and make sure it goes back exactly where it came from to avoid damaging your device.

Step 2



- Wedge your fingers between the upper case and the lower case.
- Gently pull the lower case away from the upper case.
- Remove the lower case and set it aside.

Step 3



- ⓘ The lower case is connected to the upper case at the center, with two plastic clips.
- ⚡ During reassembly, gently push down the center of the lower case to reattach the two plastic clips.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.