

Power Mac G5 Top Left Cooling Fan Unit Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

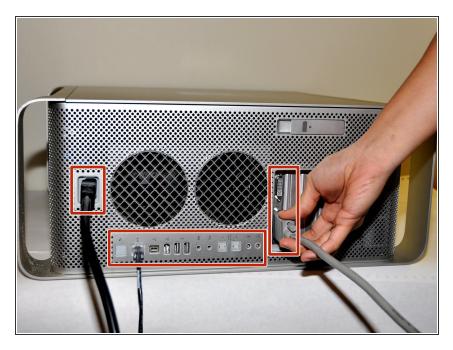
These steps will show you how to install the top left cooling fan unit.

Step 1 — Side Panel



- To avoid electrocution, shut down the computer. Do not open the computer or attempt to install any items inside it while the computer is on.
- ↑ To avoid being burned, wait at least 10 minutes to allow the computer's internal components to cool.

Step 2



 Remove all the cables, including the power cables before opening the unit.

Step 3



- Lift the tab to unlock the side panel.
- (i) The panel should fall out. If the panel does not fall out by itself pull a little from the edges.

Step 4







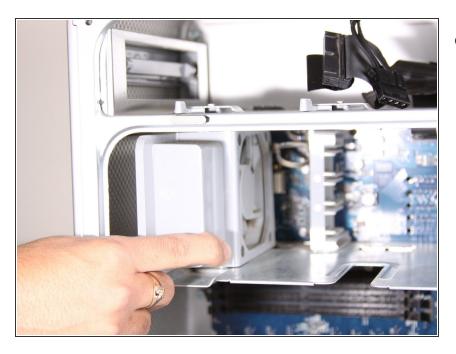
• Remove the air deflector (the clear plastic cover) by pulling on the handle.

Step 5 — Top Left Cooling Fan Unit



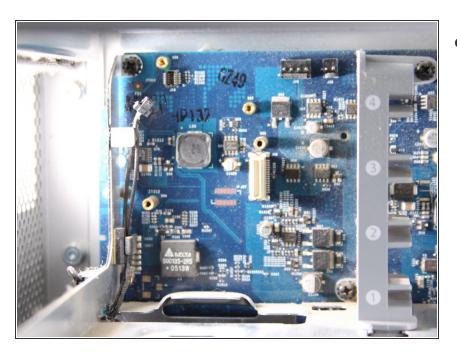
Locate the top left cooling fan unit.

Step 6



- Pull the fan straight out from its slot.
 You will need to remove two cables from the motherboard.
 - It may be easier to reach the cables if you remove the PCI guide (next to the fan unit) first.

Step 7



 After pulling out the fan unit, the area should look like this.

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