



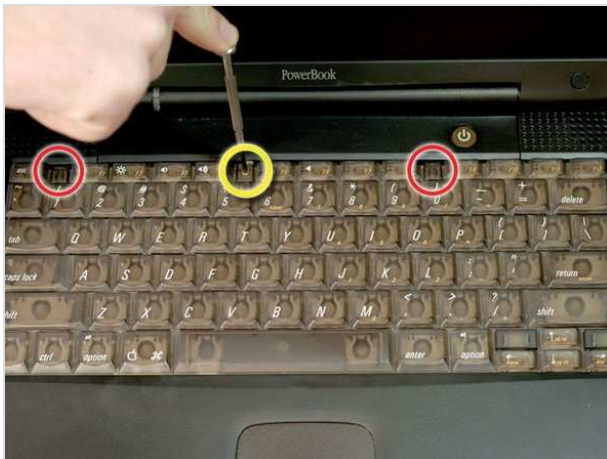
Installing PowerBook G3 Pismo Keyboard

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Parts relevant to this guide

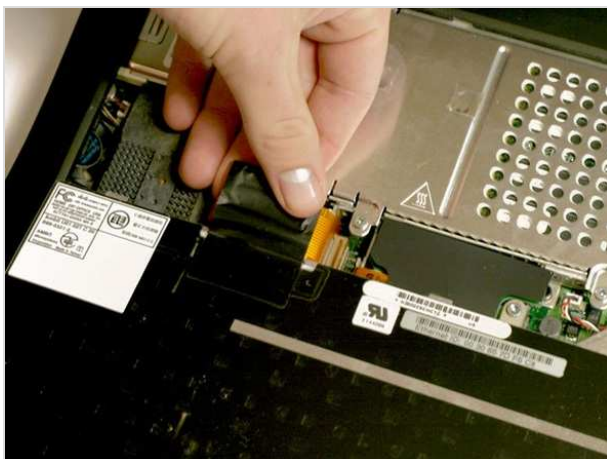
- [G3 Pismo Keyboard](#) (1)

Replacing this keyboard is easy. It requires no tools and takes only a few minutes.





Step 1 — Keyboard

- Turn the keyboard locking screw so that it is parallel to the space bar.
- Pull the keyboard release tabs toward you and lift up on the keyboard until it pops free.
- Lift the keyboard out by pulling it up and away from you. Rest the keyboard, face down, on top of the track pad.



Step 2

- Pull the keyboard ribbon straight up from the logic board. Place the keyboard aside.
- The connector may be tight. Gently rock the connector from side to side while pulling directly upward to free it. You can use this technique on many of the cards and cables you'll be disconnecting. 
- Make sure you have removed the laptop battery and CD/DVD modules from the expansion bays before proceeding. 

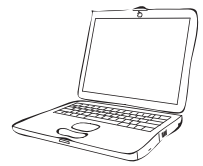


Step 3

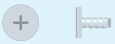
- Your laptop should look approximately like this.

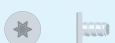
To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

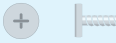
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Heat Shield
2 Phillips



Heat Sink
2 T8 Torx



Heat Sink
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Modem
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HD Replacement
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Inverter
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Display
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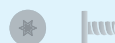
To organize your screws, simply place each screw in the appropriate box as you remove them from your laptop.


If you are not planning on immediately reassembling your laptop, you may want to tape the screws to this paper.

Due to model variations, the screws you remove may differ slightly from this guide.


Upper Case (top)
4 T8 Torx


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Upper Case (top)
1 T8 Torx



Upper Case (top)
5 T8 Torx


Upper Case (bottom)
5 T8 Torx

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Upper Case (bottom)
2 T8 Torx


Power Card
2 T8 Torx


Framework
2 T8 Torx

