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Service Manual

Important Safety Notice

Proper service and repair is important to the safe, reliable operation of all DELL Company Equipment. The service procedures recommended by DELL and described in this service manual are effective methods of performing service operations. Some of these service operations require the use of tools specially designed for the purpose. The special tools should be used when and as recommended.

It is important to note that this manual contains various CAUTIONS and NOTICES which should be carefully read in order to minimize the risk of personal injury to service personnel. The possibility exists that improper service methods may damage the equipment. It is also important to understand that these CAUTIONS and NOTICES ARE NOT EXHAUSTIVE. DELL could not possibly know, evaluate and advise the service trade of all conceivable ways in which service might be done or of the possible hazardous consequences of each way. Consequently, DELL has not undertaken any such broad evaluation. Accordingly, a servicer who uses a service procedure or tool which is not recommended by DELL must first satisfy himself thoroughly that neither his safety nor the safe operation of the equipment will be jeopardized by the service method selected.

Hereafter throughout this manual, DELL Company will be referred to as DELL.

WARNING

Use of substitute replacement parts, which do not have the same, specified safety characteristics may create shock, fire, or other hazards.

Under no circumstances should the original design be modified or altered without written permission from DELL. DELL assumes no liability, express or implied, arising out of any unauthorized modification of design.

Servicer assumes all liability.

FOR PRODUCTS CONTAINING LASER:

DANGER-Invisible laser radiation when open. AVOID DIRECT EXPOSURE TO BEAM.

CAUTION-Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.

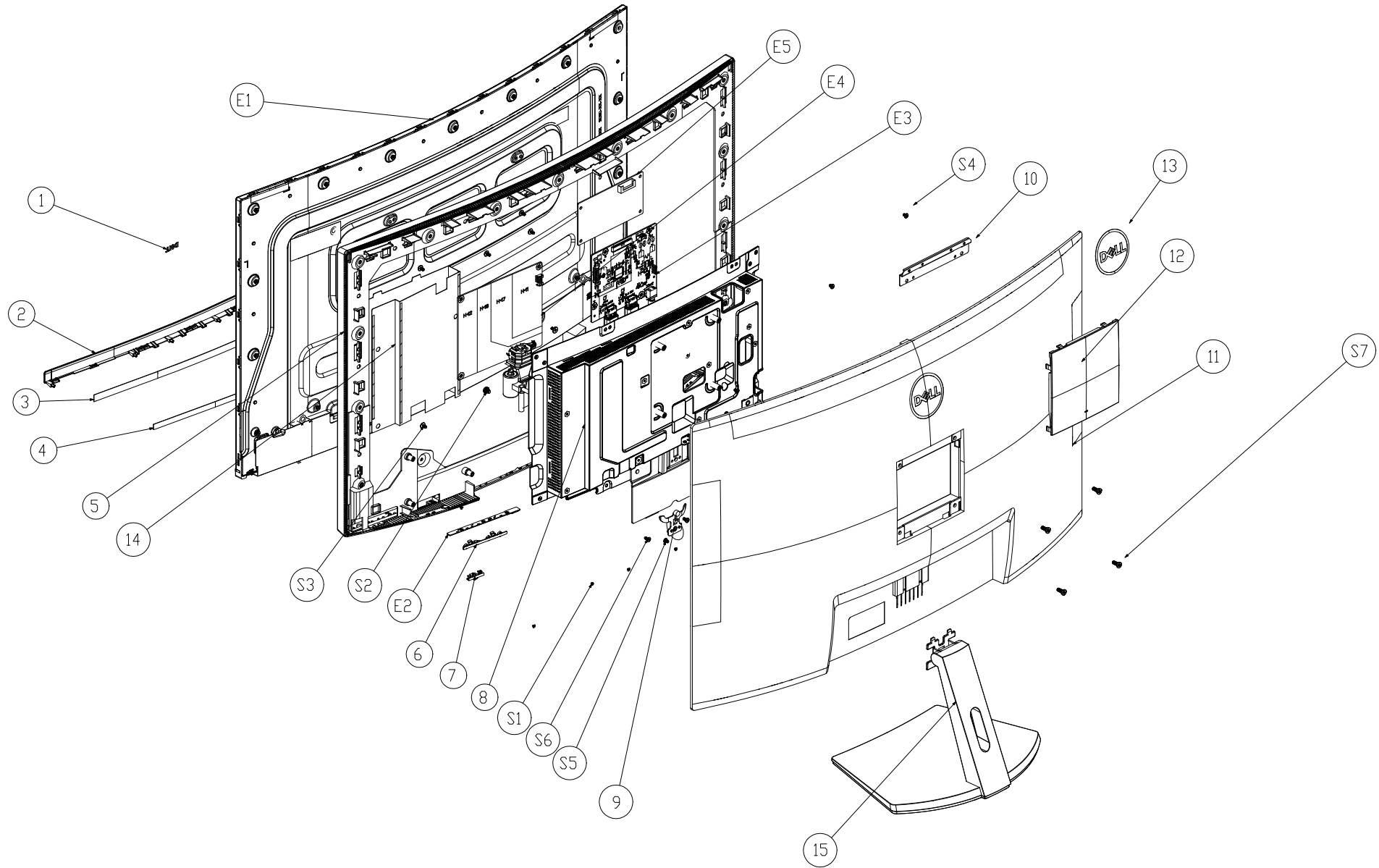
CAUTION -The use of optical instruments with this product will increase eye hazard.

TO ENSURE THE CONTINUED RELIABILITY OF THIS PRODUCT, USE ONLY ORIGINAL MANUFACTURER'S REPLACEMENT PARTS, WHICH ARE LISTED WITH THEIR PART NUMBERS IN THE PARTS LIST SECTION OF THIS SERVICE MANUAL.

Take care during handling the LCD module with backlight unit

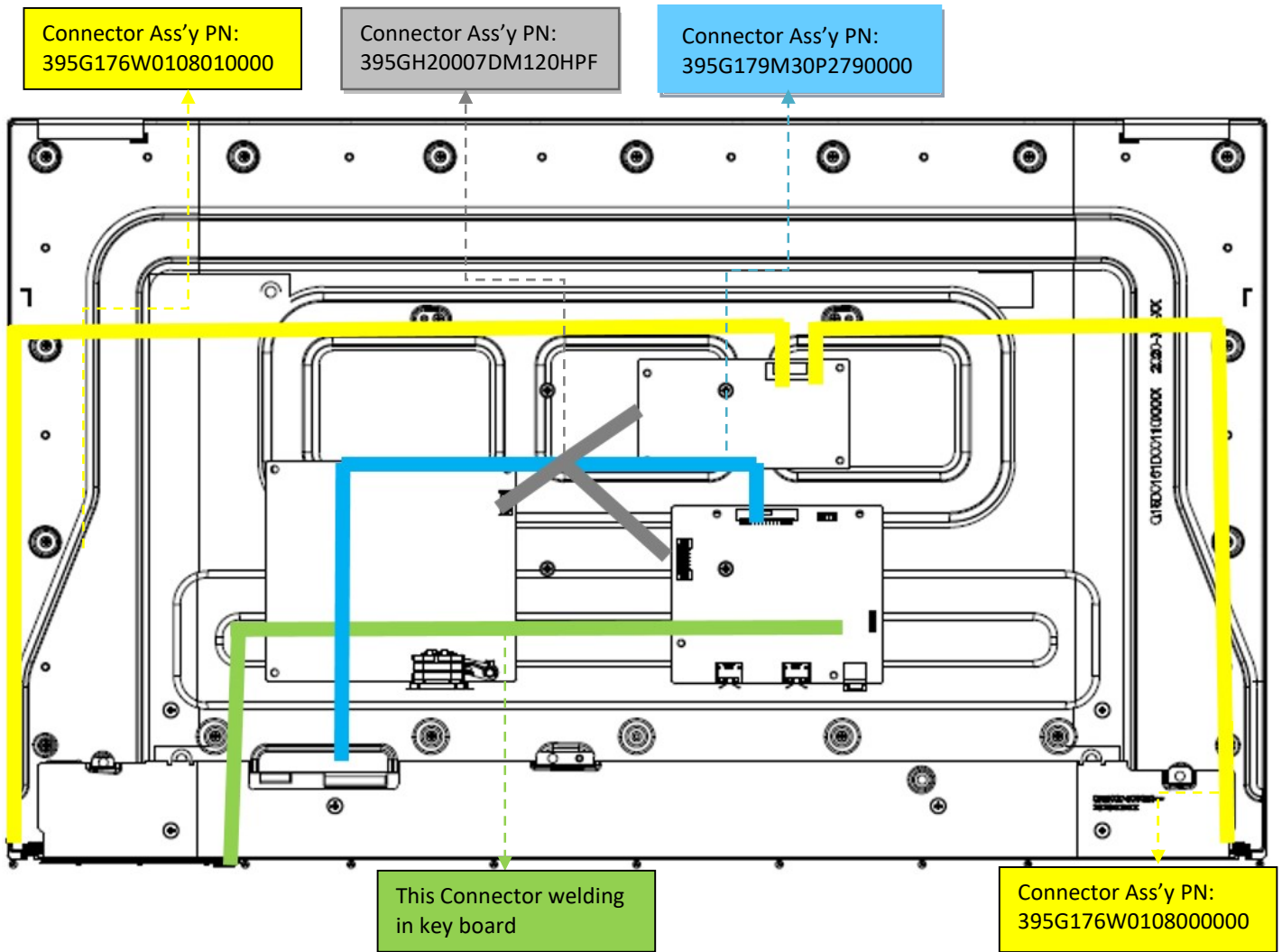
- Must mount the module using mounting holes arranged in four corners.
- Do not press on the panel, edge of the frame strongly or electric shock as this will result in damage to the screen.
- Do not scratch or press on the panel with any sharp objects, such as pencil or pen as this may result in damage to the panel.
- Protect the module from the ESD as it may damage the electronic circuit (C-MOS).
- Make certain that treatment person's body is grounded through wristband.
- Do not leave the module in high temperature and in areas of high humidity for a long time.
- Avoid contact with water as it may a short circuit within the module.
- If the surface of panel becomes dirty, please wipe it off with a soft material. (Cleaning with a dirty or rough cloth may damage the panel.)

1. Exploded view diagram with list of items



| No. | Part No. | Description | Q'ty |
|-----|--------------------|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1 | Q23G315570001300DR | LOGO DELL 22*7.37*0.18 | 1 |
| 2 | Q34G97610VH01S0130 | DECO_BEZEL L32WR-Edell1-p1 | 1 |
| 3 | Q15G452220110100YX | BEZEL_BTM | 1 |
| 4 | Q16G00036520000ADG | SPONGE | 1 |
| 5 | Q34GA2950VHA1T0130 | MIDDLE_FRAME L315WR-Edell1f-s1 | 1 |
| 6 | Q33G16770VH01S0100 | KEY | 1 |
| 7 | Q33G16760VH01S0100 | KEY_POWER | 1 |
| 8 | Q15G449310150100YM | MAINFRAME | 1 |
| 9 | Q33G20070VH01S0100 | STAND_BUTTON | 1 |
| 10 | Q15G449510110100ZA | BKT_HINGE | 1 |
| 11 | Q34G9760ASFB3S0130 | REAR_COVER L315WR-Edell1f-s1 | 1 |
| 12 | Q34GA296ASF01S0100 | COVER_VESA L315WR-Edell1f-s1 | 1 |
| 13 | Q23G315570001200DR | LOGO DELL 60*60*0.24 | 1 |
| 14 | Q52G1801J83P000ADG | INSULATING SHEET 184*151.5*0.5mm | 1 |
| 15 | Q37G148610110100FH | stand ass'y L315WR-Edell1f-s1 NA | 1 |
| E1 | 750GBV315110A1N0DL | LCD TPM315WF1-HVR01.U FQ TPV | 1 |
| E2 | KEPCQE0 | KEY BOARD | 1 |
| E3 | CBPT1TMD0Q3 | CONVERSION 715GC147M0B0000H400225 | 1 |
| E4 | PLPCLL301UQD1 | POWER BOARD | 1 |
| E5 | LNPCLL301UQD1 | CONVERTER BOARD | 1 |
| S1 | Q01G6019 1 | SCREW | 12 |
| S2 | QM1G38400601200ARA | SCREW -- 6mm | 1 |
| S3 | 0D1G1030 6120 | SCREW D3 6 | 10 |
| S4 | 0M1G3030 4120 | SCREW 3 4 | 19 |
| S5 | 0M1G3030 4120 | SCREW 3 4 | 1 |
| S6 | QM1G09300801200AWL | SCREW M3 8 | 2 |
| S7 | 0M1G2940 10125 | SCREW M4 10 | 4 |

2. Wiring connectivity diagram



3. Mechanical Instruction


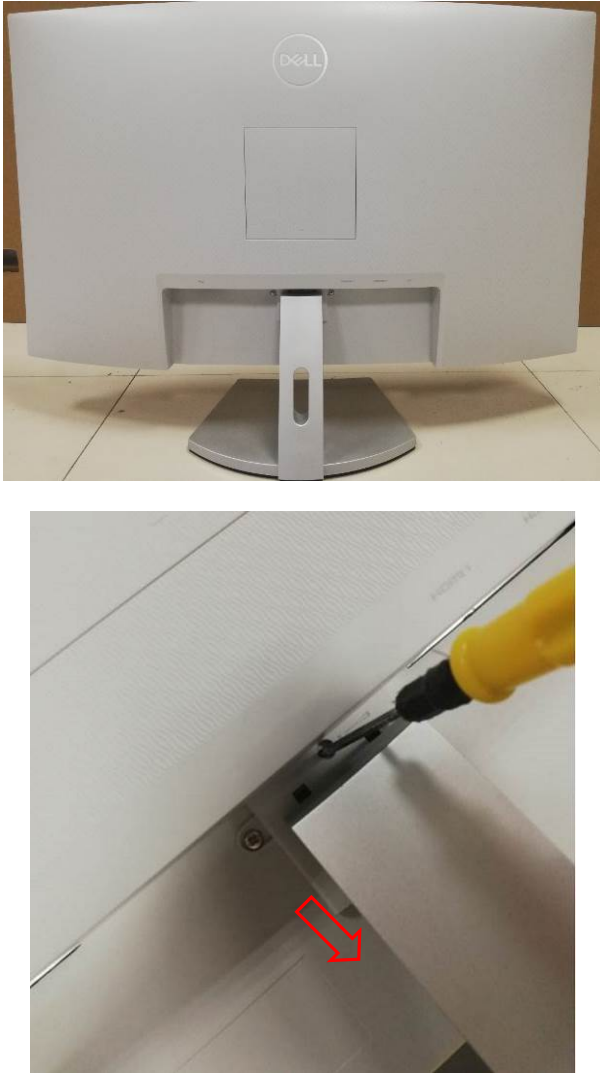
Tools Required

List the type and size of the tools that would typically can be used to disassemble the product to a point where components and materials requiring selective treatment can be removed.

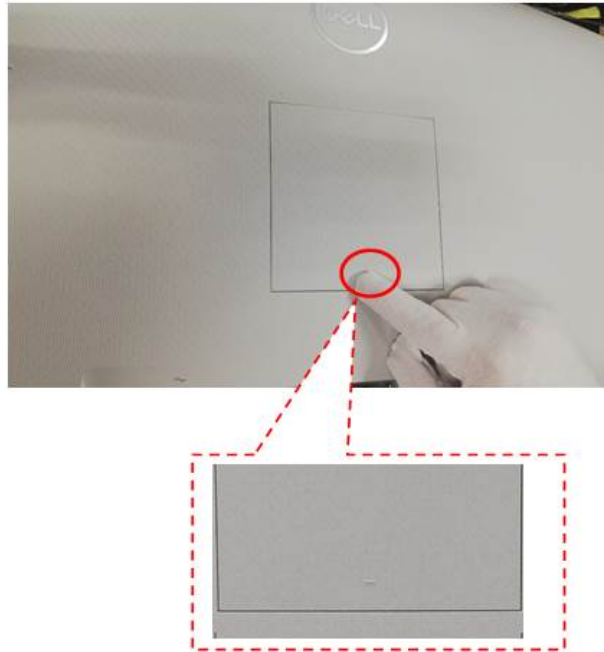
Tool Description:

- Screwdriver (Phillip-head, Hexagonal head)
- Penknife

3.1 Disassembly Procedures:

| Step | Figure | Remark |
|--|---|--|
| <p>S1.Before disassemble</p> |  | <p>Turn off power, Unplug external cables from product</p> |
| <p>S2.Remove the STAND-BASE ASS'Y</p> |  | <p>Lay down the MNT on a curve cushion.</p> <p>Use a screw to press the button to remove the stand-base a'ssy.</p> |

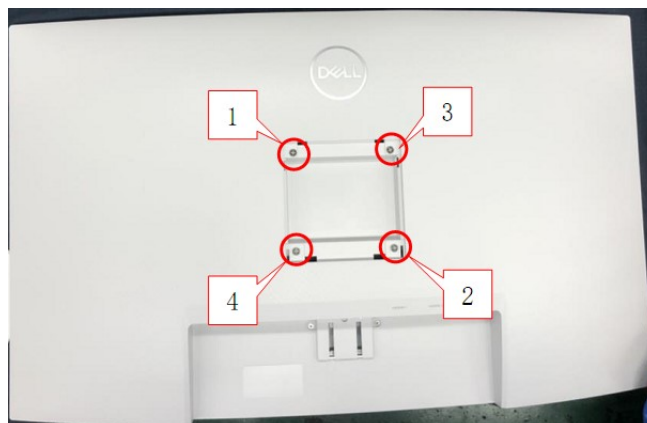
S3.Remove the REAR COVER



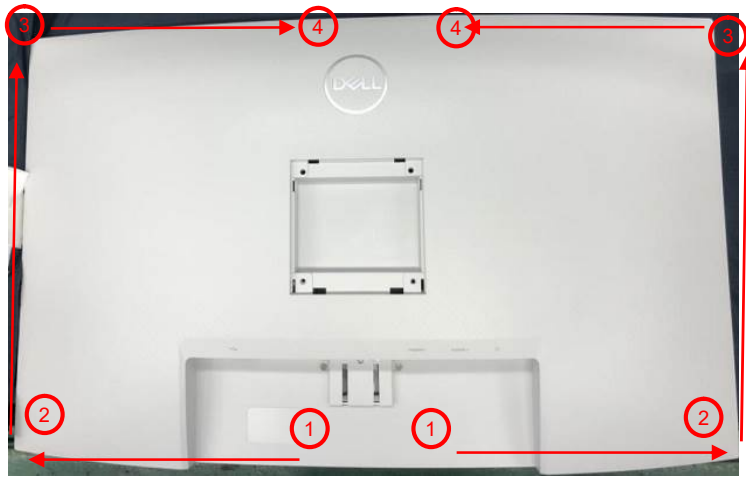
Press the mark here to remove the COVER_VESA.



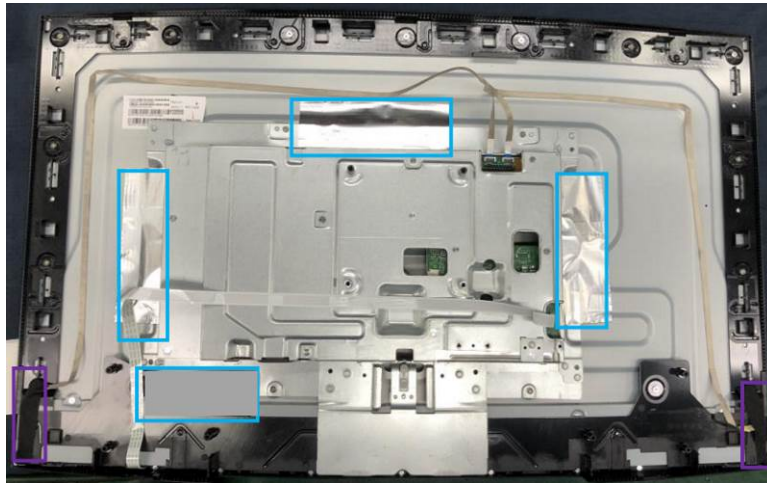
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 2 screws for unlocking mechanisms.
(No.1~2 screw size=M3x8;
Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)



Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 4 screws for unlocking mechanisms.
(No.1~4 screw size=M4x10;
Torque: 12±2kgf.cm)

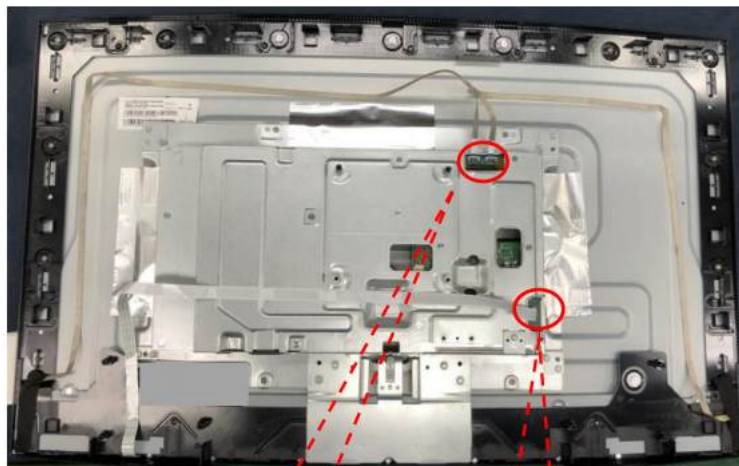


Use Penknife to separate the rear cover follow the arrows in sequence, then you can take out rear cover.



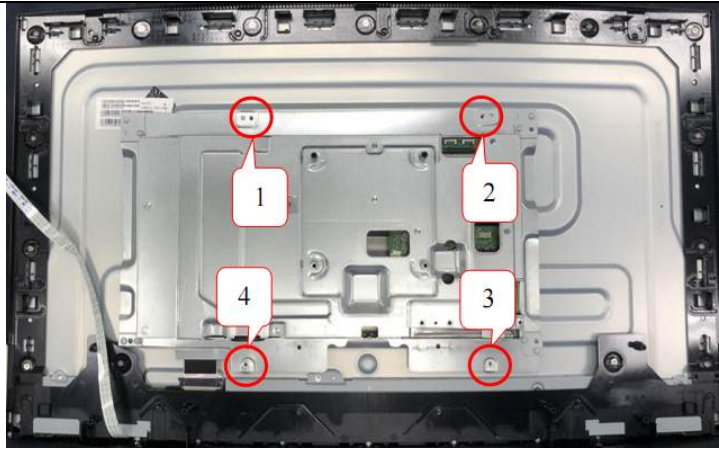
Tear off 4 pieces of aluminum foil and 2 pieces of tapes.

S4. Tear off the tapes and disconnect the connectors

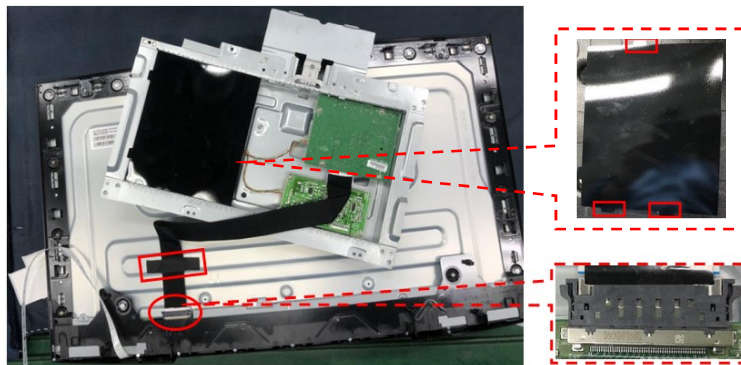


Disconnect the pins.



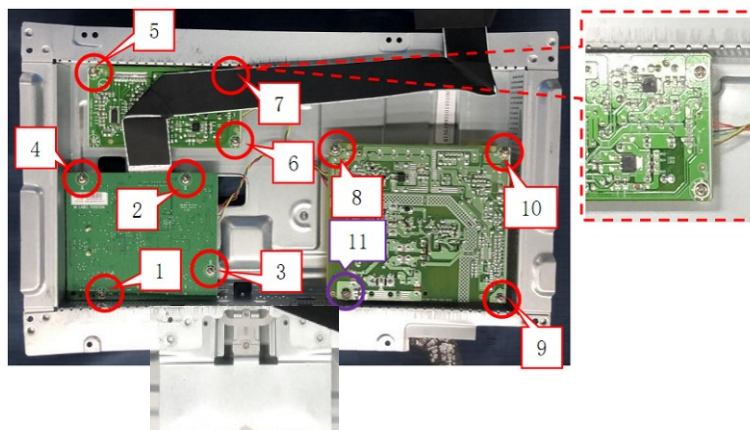


Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 4 screws for unlocking the main frame
 (No.1~4 screw size=M3x4, Torque: 3±0.5kgf.cm)



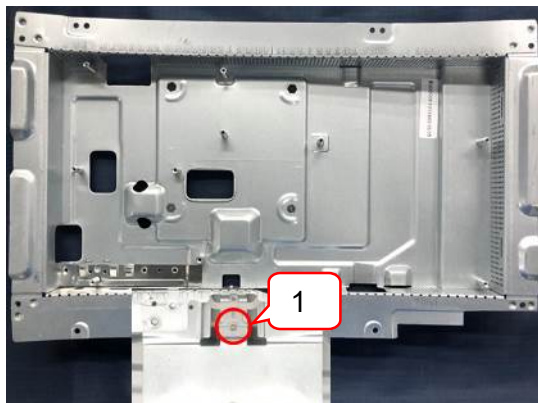
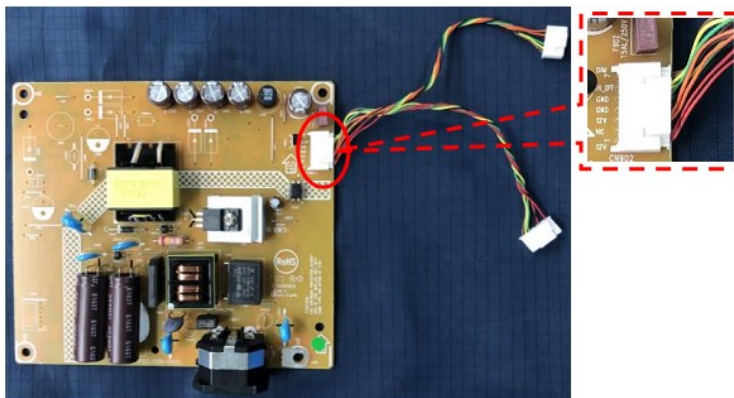
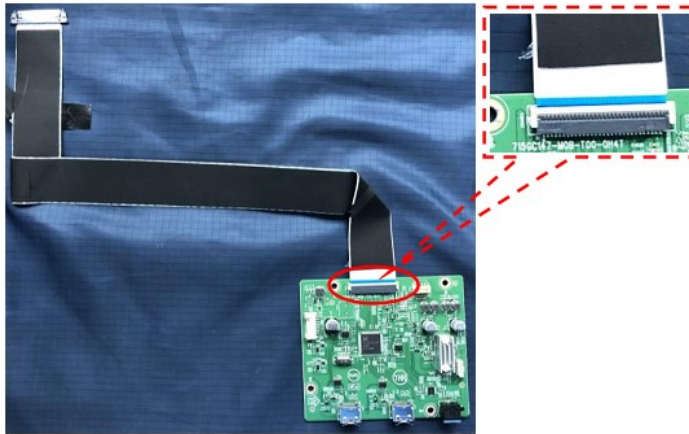
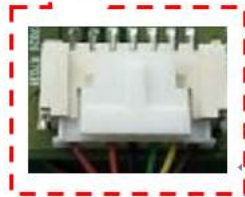
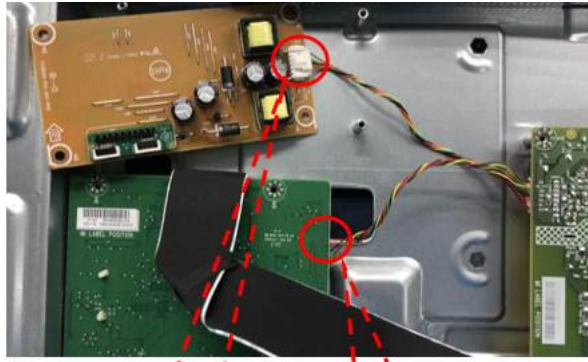
Turn over the mainframe, tear off tape and disconnect the FFC cable. Remove the mylar.

S5 Remove the main board and power board



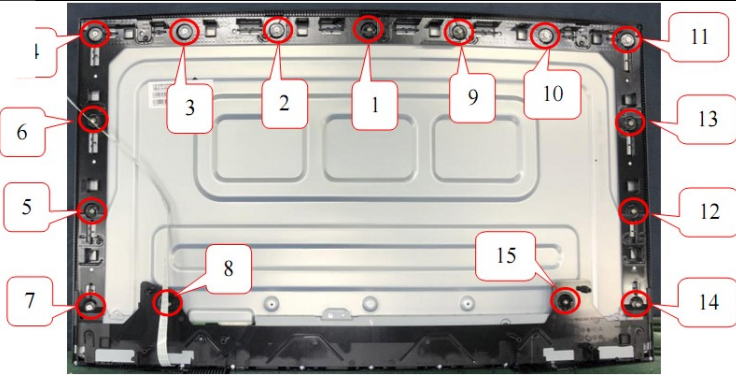
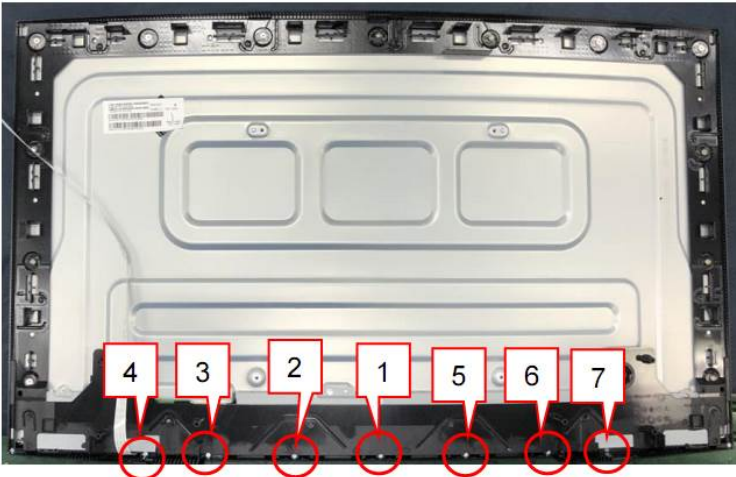
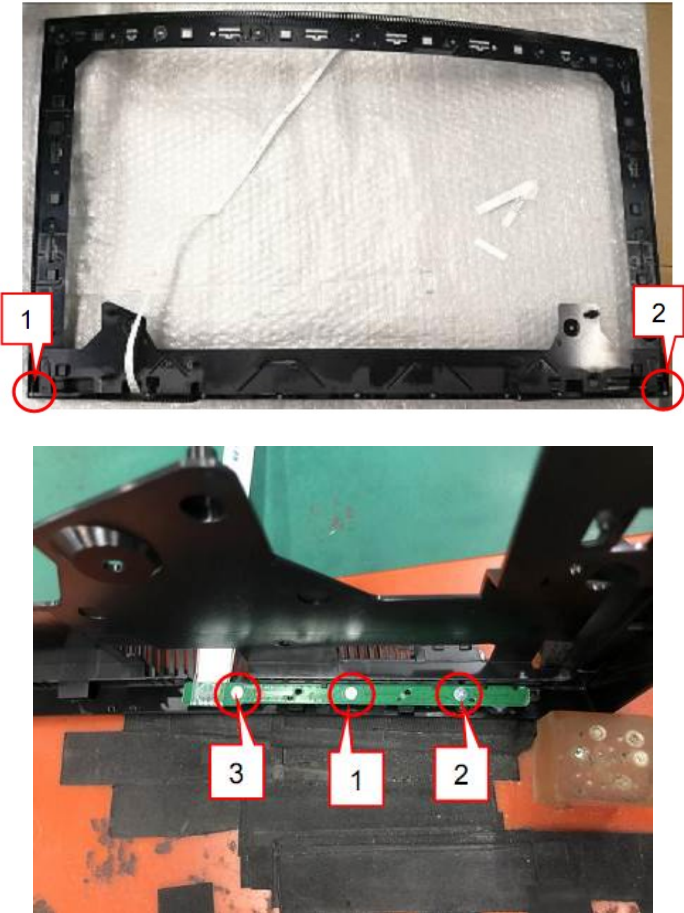
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 11 screws for unlocking the main board and power board.
 (No.1~10 screw size=D3x6, Torque=6±1kgf.cm)

No.11 screw size=M4x6, Torque=6±1kgf.cm

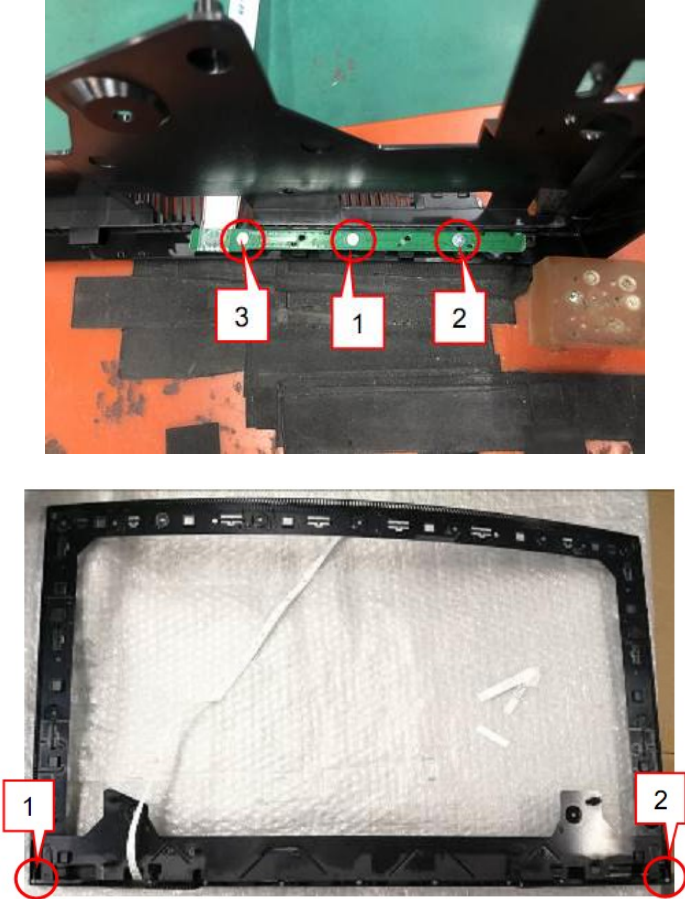
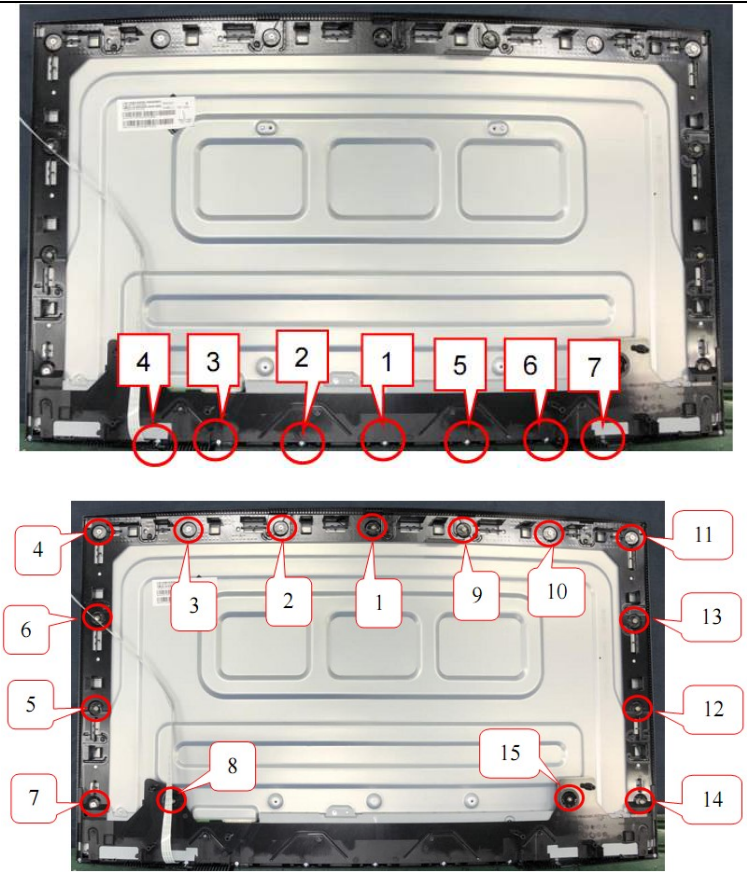


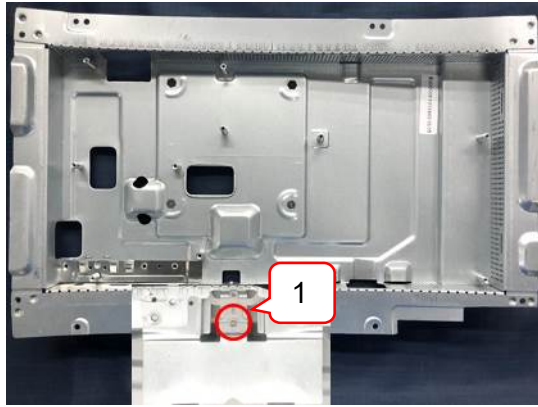
Disconnect the connectors.

Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 1 screw for removing the stand_button from main frame.
(No.1 screw size=M3x4, Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)

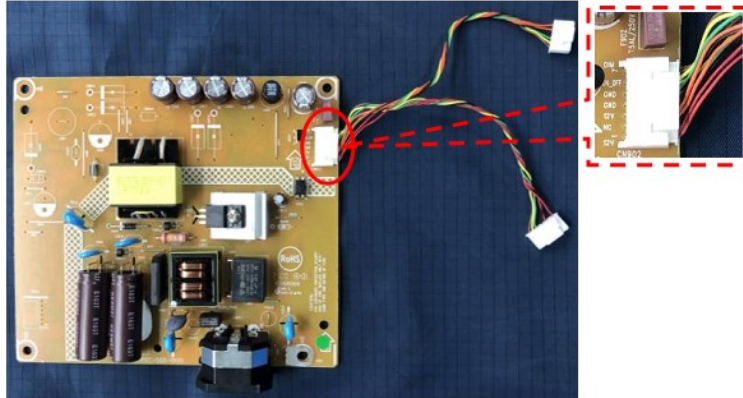
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| <p>S6. Remove the Panel and middle frame</p> |  | <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 15 screws for unlocking the middle frame. (No.1~15 screw size=M3x4, Torque=3±0.5kgf.cm)</p> |
| <p>S7.Remove the DECO_BEZEL</p> |  | <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 7 screws to remove the DECO_BEZEL. (No.1~7 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)</p> |
| <p>S8. Remove the deco bezel and the key board</p> |  | <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 2 screws for disassembling the deco bezel. (No.1~2 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)</p> <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 3 screws for unlocking the key board. (No.1~3 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)</p> |

3.2 Assembly Procedures:

| Step | Figure | Remark |
|---|--|--|
| <p>S1. Assemble the KEY BOARD and the DECO BEZEL</p> |  | <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 3 screws for tightening the key board. (No.1~3 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)</p> <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 2 screws for tightening the deco bezel. (No.1~2 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)</p> |
| <p>S2. Assemble the DECO_BEZEL and middle frame</p> |  | <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 7 screws for assembling the DECO_BEZEL. (No.1~7 screw size=Q2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)</p> <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock the 15 screws to assemble the middle frame. (No.1~15 screw size=M3x4, Torque=3±0.5kgf.cm)</p> |

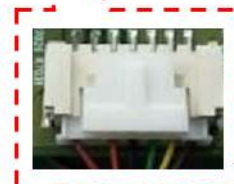
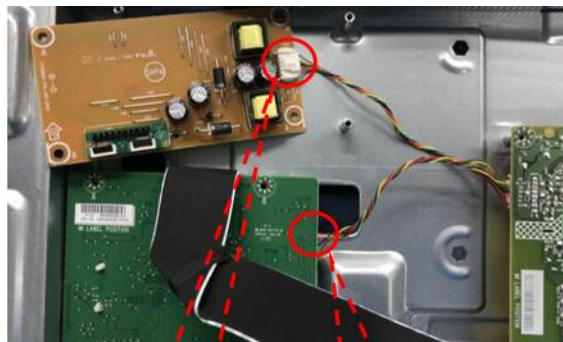
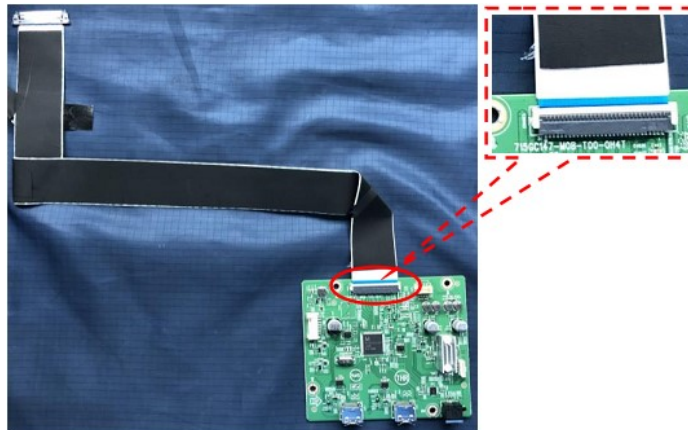


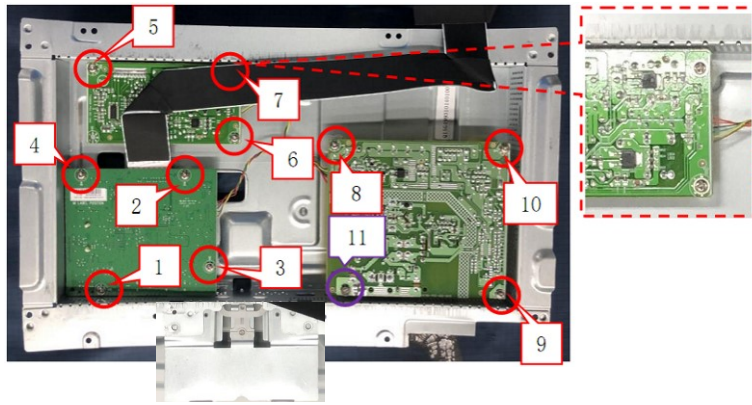
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 1 screw for assembling the stand button.
(No.1 screw size=M3x4,
Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)



Connect the connectors

S3.Assemble the main board and power board

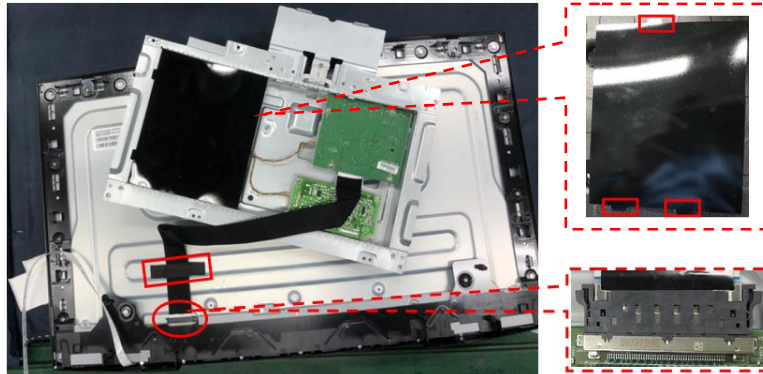




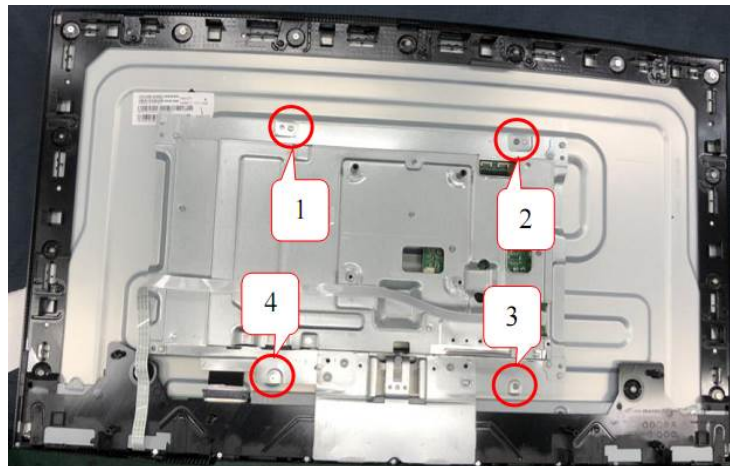
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 11 screws for locking the main board and power board.

(No.1~10 screw size=D3x6, Torque=6±1kgf.cm)

No.11 screw size=M4x6, Torque=6±1kgf.cm



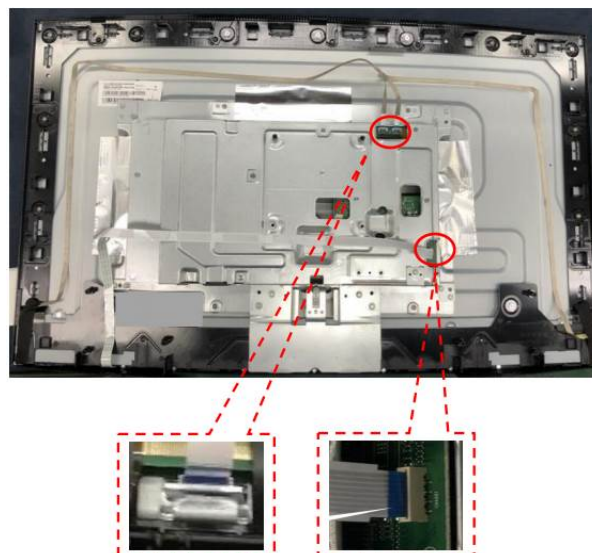
Paste the mylar.
Connect the FFC cable and paste the tape.



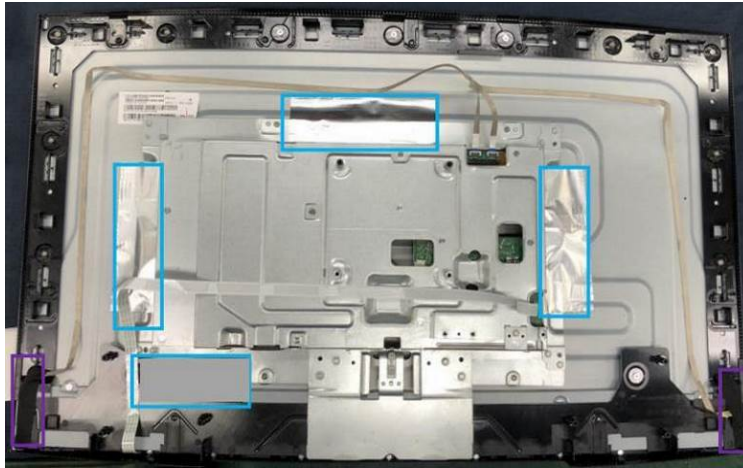
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 4 screws for locking the main frame.

(No.1~4 screw size=M3x4, Torque: 3±0.5kgf.cm)

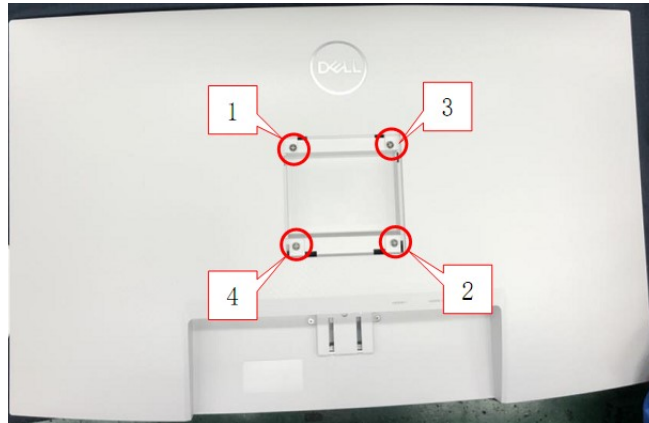
S4. Connect the connectors and paste the tapes



Connect the connectors



Paste 4 pieces of aluminum foil and 2 pieces of tapes.

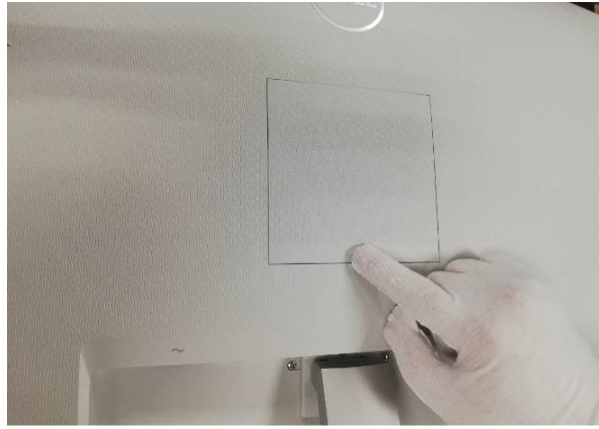


Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 4 screws for tightening mechanisms.
 (No.1~4 screw size=M4x10;
 Torque: 12±2kgf.cm)

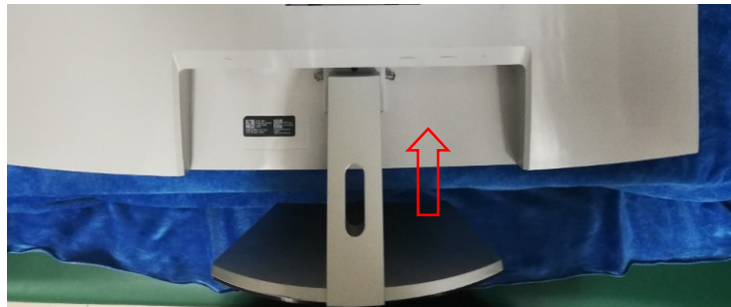
S5.Assemble the REAR COVER



Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 2 screws for tightening mechanisms.
 (No.1~2 screw size=M3x8;
 Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)



Close the
COVER_VESA.



**S6.Assemble the
STAND-BASE
ASS'Y**

Assemble the stand-base
ass'y.

4. Trouble shooting instructions

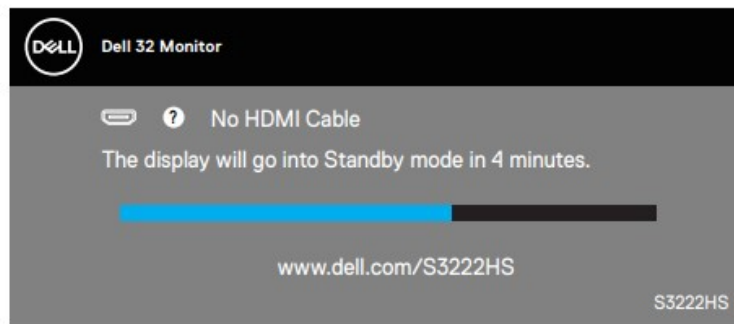
 **WARNING:** Before you begin any of the procedures in this section, follow the [Safety instructions](#).

Self-Test

Your monitor provides a self-test feature that allows you to check if your monitor is functioning properly. If your monitor and computer are properly connected but the monitor screen remains dark, run the monitor self-test by performing the following steps:

1. Turn off both your computer and the monitor.
2. Disconnect all video cables from the monitor. This way, the computer doesn't have to be involved.
3. Turn on the monitor.

If the monitor is working correctly, it detects that there is no signal and one of the following message appears. While in self-test mode, the power LED remains white.



 **NOTE:** This box also appears during normal system operation, if the video cable is disconnected or damaged.

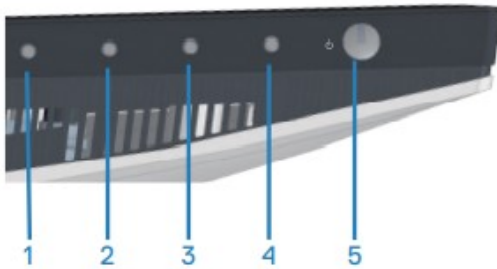
4. Turn Off your monitor and reconnect the video cable; then turn on your computer and the monitor.

If your monitor remains dark after you reconnect the cables, check your video controller and computer.

Built-in diagnostics

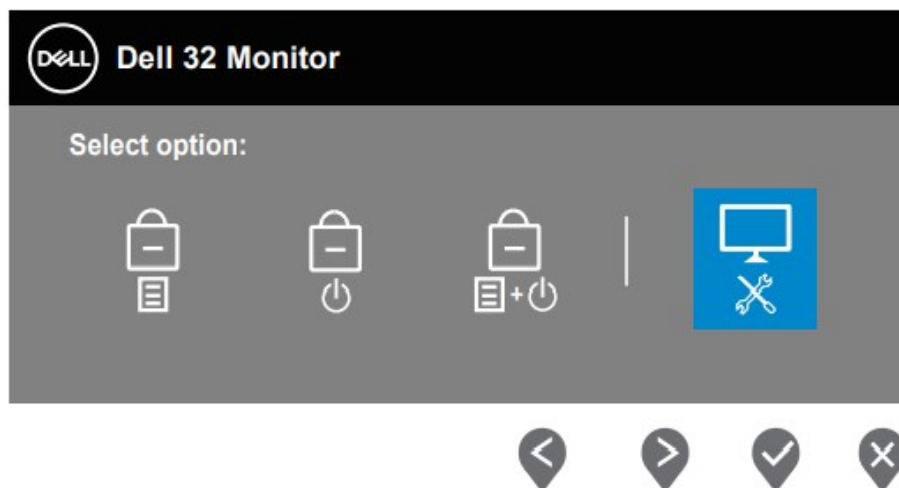
Your monitor has a built-in diagnostic tool that helps you determine if any screen abnormality you experience is an inherent problem with your monitor, or with your computer and video card.

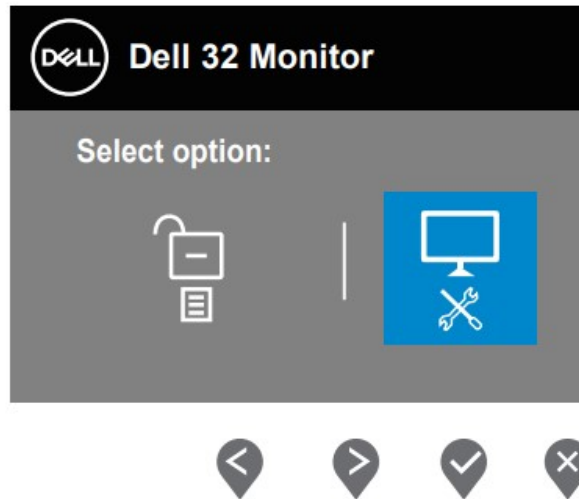
NOTE: You can run the built-in diagnostics only when the video cable is unplugged and the monitor is in self-test mode.




To run the built-in diagnostics:

1. Ensure that the screen is clean (no dust particles on the surface of the screen).
2. Unplug the video cable(s) from the back of the computer or monitor. The monitor then goes into the self-test mode.
3. Press and hold the Exit button (button 4) for four seconds to enter the OSD lock/unlock menu.





4. Select the  icon to run the built-in diagnostics.
5. Carefully inspect the screen for abnormalities.
6. Press the Up button (button 1) on the back cover again. The color of the screen changes to grey.
7. Inspect the display for any abnormalities.
8. Repeat step 6 and 7 to inspect the display in red, green, blue, black, white and text pattern screens.

The test is complete when the text pattern screen appears. To exit, press the Up button (button 1) again.

If you do not detect any screen abnormalities upon using the built-in diagnostic tool, the monitor is functioning properly. Check the video card and computer.

Common problems

The following table contains general information about common monitor problems you might encounter and the possible solutions:

| Common Symptoms | Possible Solutions |
|------------------------|--|
| No Video/Power LED off | <p>Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor and the computer is properly connected and secure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Verify that the power outlet is functioning properly using any other electrical equipment.• Ensure that the power button is pressed.• Ensure that the correct input source is selected via the Input Source menu. |
| No Video/Power LED on | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase brightness and contrast controls using the OSD.• Perform monitor self-test feature check.• Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector.• Run the built-in diagnostics.• Ensure that the correct input source is selected via the Input Source menu. |
| Poor Focus | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eliminate video extension cables.• Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset).• Change the video resolution to the correct aspect ratio. |
| Shaky/Jittery Video | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset).• Check environmental factors.• Relocate the monitor and test in another room. |
| Missing Pixels | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cycle power On-Off.• Pixel that is permanently Off is a natural defect that can occur in LCD technology.• For more information on Dell Monitor Quality and Pixel Policy, see Dell Support site at: www.dell.com/pixelguidelines. |

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| Stuck-on Pixels | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cycle power On-Off. • Pixel that is permanently off is a natural defect that can occur in LCD technology. • For more information on Dell Monitor Quality and Pixel Policy, see Dell Support site at: www.dell.com/pixelguidelines. |
| Brightness Problems | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). • Adjust brightness & contrast controls via OSD. |
| Geometric Distortion | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). • Adjust horizontal & vertical controls via OSD. |
| Horizontal/Vertical Lines | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). • Perform monitor self-test feature check and determine if these lines are also in self-test mode. • Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. • Run the built-in diagnostics. |
| Synchronization Problems | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). • Perform monitor self-test feature check to determine if the scrambled screen appears in self-test mode. • Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. • Restart the computer in the safe mode. |
| Safety Related Issues | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not perform any troubleshooting steps. • Contact Dell immediately. |
| Intermittent Problems | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor to the computer is connected properly and is secure. • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). • Perform monitor self-test feature check to determine if the intermittent problem occurs in self-test mode. |
| Missing Color | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform monitor self-test feature check. • Ensure that the video cable connecting the monitor to the computer is connected properly and is secure. • Check for bent or broken pins in the video cable connector. |

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| Wrong Color | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Try different Preset Modes in Color settings OSD. Adjust R/G/B value in Custom Color in Color settings OSD. • Change the Input Color Format to RGB or YCbCr in the Color settings OSD. • Run the built-in diagnostics. |
| Image retention from a static image left on the monitor for a long period of time | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set the screen to turn off after a few minutes of screen idle time. These can be adjusted in Windows Power Options or Mac Energy Saver setting. • Alternatively, use a dynamically changing screensaver. |
| Video Ghosting or Overshooting | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change the Response Time in the Display OSD to Normal, Fast or Extreme depending on your application and usage. |

Product-specific problems

| Specific Symptoms | Possible Solutions |
|---|--|
| Screen image is too small | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the Aspect Ratio setting in the Display settings OSD. • Reset the monitor to Factory Settings (Factory Reset). |
| Cannot adjust the monitor with the buttons on the bottom of the panel | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turn Off the monitor, unplug the power cord, plug it back, and then turn On the monitor. • Check if the OSD menu is locked. If yes, press and hold the Exit button (button 4) for four seconds to unlock. |
| No Input Signal when user controls are pressed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the signal source. Ensure the computer is not in Standby Mode by moving the mouse or pressing any key on the keyboard. • Check if the video cable is plugged in properly. Disconnect and reconnect the video cable if necessary. • Reset the computer or video player. |
| The picture does not fill the entire screen | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to different video formats (aspect ratio) of DVDs, the monitor may display in full screen. • Run the built-in diagnostics. |