



# MacBook Air 13" Retina Display 2019 Lower Case Replacement

Remove or replace the lower case on a MacBook Air 13" Retina Display 2019.

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## INTRODUCTION

Use this guide to replace the lower case on your 2019 MacBook Air, or to remove it for further repair.



### TOOLS:

- [P5 Pentalobe Screwdriver Retina MacBook Pro and Air \(1\)](#)



### PARTS:

- [MacBook Air 13" \(Late 2018\) Lower Case \(1\)](#)
- [MacBook Air 13" \(Late 2018\) Lower Case Screw Set \(1\)](#)

## Step 1 — Remove the screws securing the lower case



**i** Before starting this procedure, you must disable your Mac's **Auto Boot** feature. Auto Boot powers on your Mac when you open the lid, and may be accidentally triggered during disassembly. [Use this guide](#) or follow the abbreviated instructions below to disable Auto Boot.

**!** Completely power off and unplug your MacBook Air before you start. Close the display and flip the entire laptop upside-down.

- Use a P5 driver to remove the following screws:
  - Two 7.9 mm screws
  - Two 7.1 mm screws
  - Six 2.6 mm screws

## Step 2 — Remove the lower case



- Wedge your fingers between the display and the lower case and pull upward to pop the lower case off the Air.
- Remove the lower case.

Compare your new replacement part to the original part—you may need to transfer remaining components or remove adhesive backings from the new part before installing.

**To reassemble your device, follow the above steps in reverse order.**

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