



# iOpener Heating

Prerequisite guide to be used by any guide requiring an iOpener. Also prerequisite to the generic iOpener guide.

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## Step 1 — iOpener Heating



- i** We recommend that you clean your microwave before proceeding, as any nasty gunk on the bottom may end up stuck to the iOpener.
- Place the iOpener in the center of the microwave.
- !** For carousel microwaves: Make sure the plate spins freely. If your iOpener gets stuck, it may overheat and burn.

## Step 2



- Heat the iOpener for **thirty seconds**.
- Throughout the repair procedure, as the iOpener cools, reheat it in the microwave for an additional thirty seconds at a time.

- ⚠ Be careful not to overheat the iOpener during the repair. Overheating may cause the iOpener to burst.
- ⚠ Never touch the iOpener if it appears swollen.
- ⚠ If the iOpener is still too hot in the middle to touch, continue using it while waiting for it to cool down some more before reheating. A properly heated iOpener should stay warm for up to 10 minutes.

### Step 3



- Remove the iOpener from the microwave, holding it by one of the two flat ends to avoid the hot center.
- ⚠ The iOpener will be very hot, so be careful when handling it. Use an oven mitt if necessary.**

## Step 4 — Alternate heating method



**i** If you don't have a microwave, follow this step to heat your iOpener in boiling water.

- Fill a pot or pan with enough water to fully submerge an iOpener.
  - Heat the water to a boil. **Turn off the heat.**
  - Place an iOpener into the hot water for 2-3 minutes. Make sure the iOpener is fully submerged in the water.
  - Use tongs to extract the heated iOpener from the hot water.
  - Thoroughly dry the iOpener with a towel.
- ⚠ The iOpener will be very hot, so be careful to hold it only by the end tabs.**
- Your iOpener is ready for use! If you need to reheat the iOpener, heat the water to a boil, turn off the heat, and place the iOpener in the water for 2-3 minutes.

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