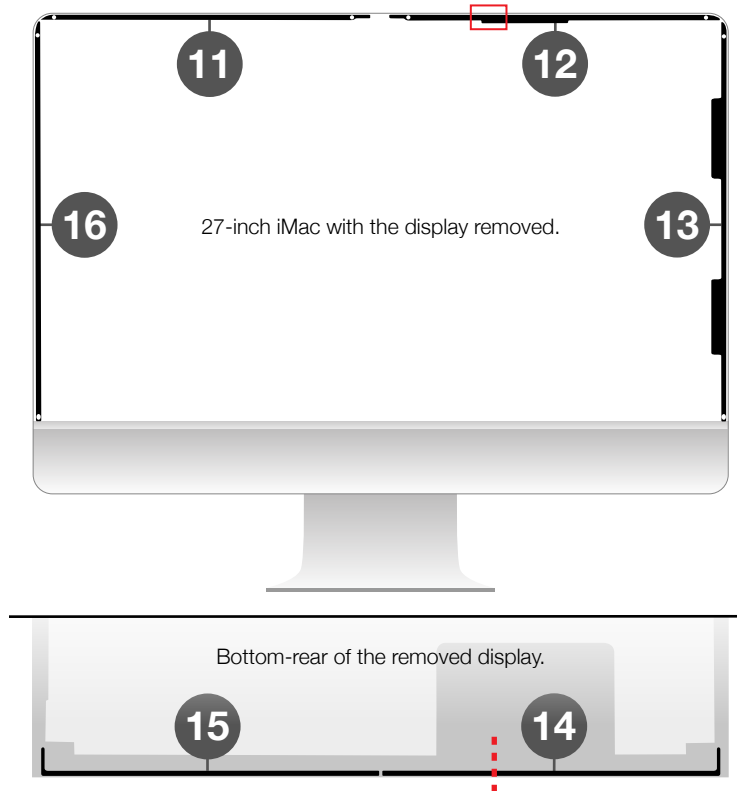


## Instructions for use

# Display Mount Adhesive Strips

## 27-inch iMac 2012-2019 and iMac Pro



Note the display-mount adhesive strips included with this kit differ slightly from those in our install videos. Please follow these steps to install the adhesive strips.

**IMPORTANT:** ensure that all residual adhesive is removed from the iMac and display before continuing. Doing so will ensure the iMac and display make proper contact with the adhesive strips included with this kit. If you have trouble initially, try removing what remains with the included nylon pry tool or a magic eraser.

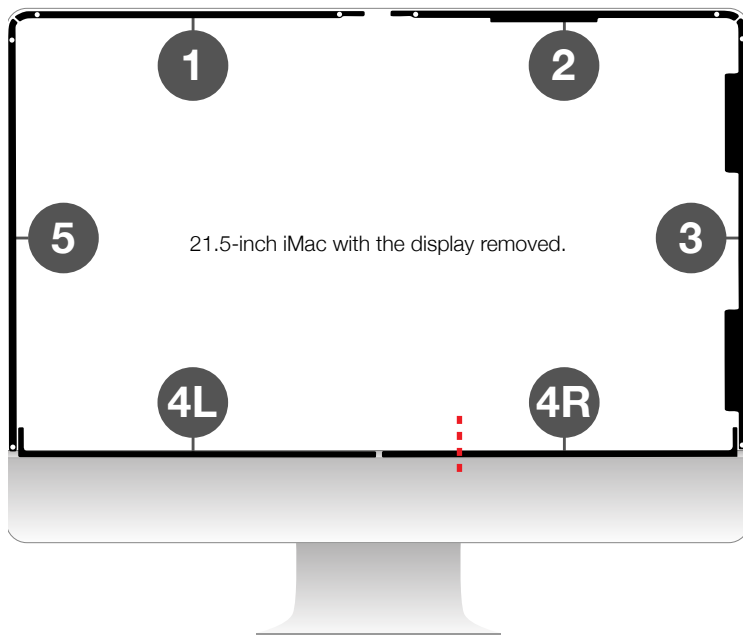
- Step 1: Match the numbers printed on each adhesive strip to the location shown in the diagram. Tip: test fit each strip in its final location prior to removing the adhesive backing. **Note:** For 2017 and later models, starting at the left edge of #14, cut and remove ~ 4 inches (~10 cm) from the tape strip (see red cut line) to avoid covering the microphone.
- Step 2: Starting at location 16, carefully remove the two backings from the rear of the adhesive strip. Align the strip to the install location using the holes and shapes as guides. Carefully apply firm and even pressure to press the adhesive strip into place. Be careful not to remove the two front adhesive backings during this step.
- Step 3: Repeat the steps above to install all of the remaining adhesive strips. Note: For iMac 2017 and later models and iMac Pro, adhesive strip 12 does not need to be cut, however the area shown in the red callout will overhang the antenna that it rests upon.
- Step 4: Before removing the front adhesive backings, inspect each strip and smooth out any bubbles or wrinkles.
- Step 5: Remove the front adhesive backing from all of the adhesive strips.
- Step 6: Complete the screen re-installation steps as shown in the install video.

At the point in the video where the screen is re-affixed to the chassis, if it is not aligned properly you must remove the screen again **as well as all the adhesive strips**, and then obtain a new set from customer support. If you attempt to remove the screen and then place it back onto the same strips, the bond will be weakened, potentially resulting in screen detachment. Visit [www.owcdigital.com/support](http://www.owcdigital.com/support) for assistance. If no re-alignment is needed, at the very end of the process, we recommend you place the iMac screen side down on a soft towel or other non-abrasive, flat surface to let the adhesive tape bond for 4-6 hours before using the iMac.

See reverse side for 21.5 inch iMac instructions.

# Display Mount Adhesive Strips

## 21.5-inch iMac 2012-2019



**IMPORTANT:** ensure that all residual adhesive is removed from the iMac and display before continuing. Doing so will ensure the iMac and display make proper contact with the adhesive strips included with this kit. If you have trouble initially, try removing what remains with the included nylon pry tool or a magic eraser.

- Step 1: Match the numbers printed on each adhesive strip to the location shown in the diagram. Tip: test fit each strip in its final location prior to removing the adhesive backing. **Note:** For 2017 and later models, starting at the left edge of #4R, cut and remove ~ 2 inches (~5 cm) from the tape strip (see red cut line), to avoid covering the microphone.
- Step 2: Starting at location 1, carefully remove the two backings from the rear of the adhesive strip. Align the strip to the install location using the holes and shapes as guides. Carefully apply firm and even pressure to press the adhesive strip into place. Be careful not to remove the two front adhesive backings during this step.
- Step 3: Repeat the steps above to install all of the remaining adhesive strips.
- Step 4: Before removing the front adhesive backings, inspect each strip and smooth out any bubbles or wrinkles.
- Step 5: Remove the front adhesive backings from all of the adhesive strips.
- Step 6: Complete the screen re-installation steps as shown in the install video.

At the point in the video where the screen is re-affixed to the chassis, if it is not aligned properly you must remove the screen again **as well as all the adhesive strips**, and then obtain a new set from customer support. If you attempt to remove the screen and then place it back onto the same strips, the bond will be weakened, potentially resulting in screen detachment. Visit [www.owcdigital.com/support](http://www.owcdigital.com/support) for assistance. If no re-alignment is needed, at the very end of the process, we recommend you place the iMac screen side down on a soft towel or other non-abrasive, flat surface to let the adhesive tape bond for 4-6 hours before using the iMac.

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