



INTRODUCTION

THANK YOU FOR PURCHASING THE POWER AND Z LIMIT SWITCH RETROFIT KIT FROM re:3D Inc.®!

This upgrade will let you the power switch and Z limit switch on your current Gigabot®. You will find that this is especially helpful for making easy adjustments on the Z end stop screw if you have side panels installed on your machine. Also, the new power switch location will make it much more convenient to shut off your Gigabot.

REFERENCES & HELPFUL DOCUMENTS:

Some external resources may be helpful during the assembly process. For example, knowing the correct names for different parts on the Gigabot®, or proper use of certain tools. Resources that we thought may be helpful have been linked to at the end of this guide.

VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS:

If you prefer a video guide, please search for "re3D Tech" on YouTube and find our "Power and Z Limit Switch Relocation" video.

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READ INSTRUCTIONS: All the safety and operating instructions should be read before the printer is operated.

RETAIN INSTRUCTIONS: The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference. **HEED WARNINGS:** All warnings on the product and in the operating instructions should be adhered to. **FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS:** All operating and use instructions should be followed.

CLEANING: Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners.

ATTACHMENTS: Do not use attachments or enhancements not recommended by the product manufacturer as they may cause hazards.

WATER AND MOISTURE: Do not use Gigabot near water - for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool, and the like.

PLACEMENT: Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table. The product may fall, causing serious injury to a child or adult, and serious damage to the product. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table recommended by the manufacturer, or sold with the product. Any mounting of the product should follow the manufacturer's instructions, and should use a mounting accessory recommended by the manufacturer.

VENTILATION: Slots and openings in the cabinet are provided for ventilation and to ensure reliable operation of the product and to protect it from overheating, and these openings must not be blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, rug, or other similar surface. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation such as a bookcase or rack unless proper ventilation is provided or the manufacturer's instructions have been adhered to.

POWER SOURCES: This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home consult your appliance dealer or local power company. For products intended to operate from battery power, or other sources, refer to the operating instructions.

GROUNDING OR POLARIZATION: This product may be equipped with either a polarized 2-wire AC line plug (a plug having one blade wider than the other) or a 3-wire grounding type plug, a plug having a third (grounding) pin. The 2-wire polarized plug will outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug still fails to fit, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug. The 3-wire grounding type plug will fit into a grounding type power outlet. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug into the outlet, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the grounding type plug.

POWER-CORD PROTECTION: Power-supply cords should be routed so that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, paying particular attention to cords at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the product.

LIGHTNING: For added protection for this product during a lightning storm, or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug it from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the product due to lightning and power-line surges.

OVERLOADING: Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock. A product and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the product and cart combination to overturn.

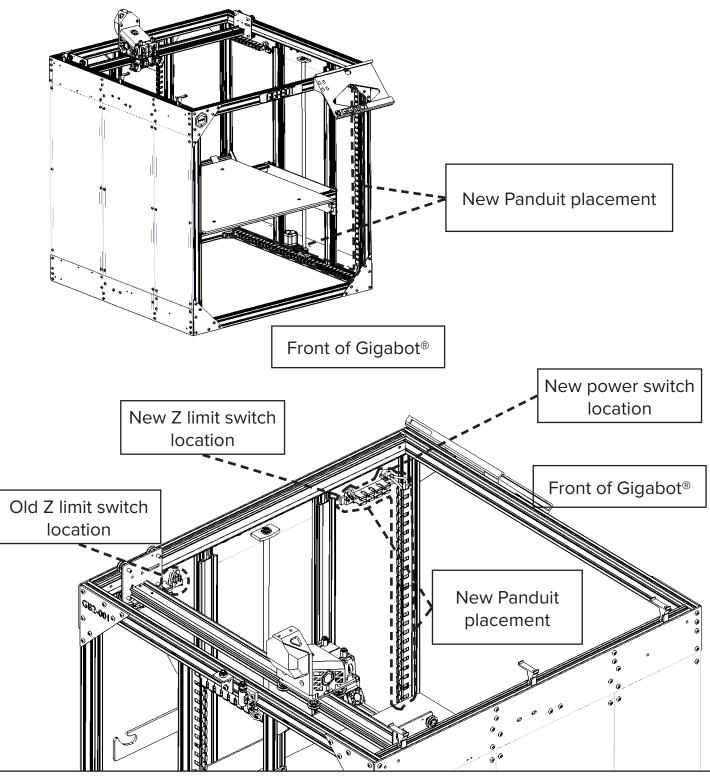
OBJECT AND LIQUID ENTRY: Never push objects of any kind into this product through openings as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short-out parts that could result in a fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.

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OVERVIEW



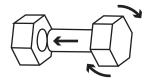
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LEGEND

DISCONNECT



FASTEN/SCREW



REMOVE



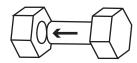
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CONNECT



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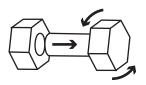
HOME Z AXIS



HOLD



UNFASTEN/UNSCREW



PLACE



EVENLY SPACE



MEASURE





Objects of importance are outlined with dotted lines

DRILL



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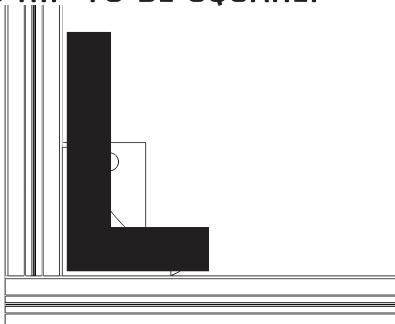


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BEFORE YOU BUILD

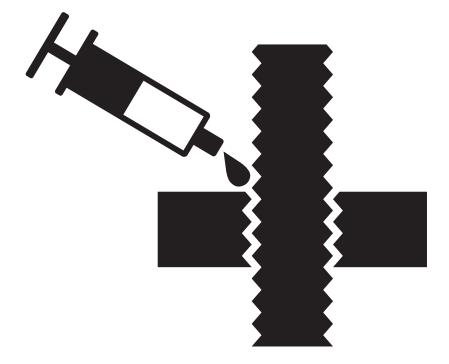
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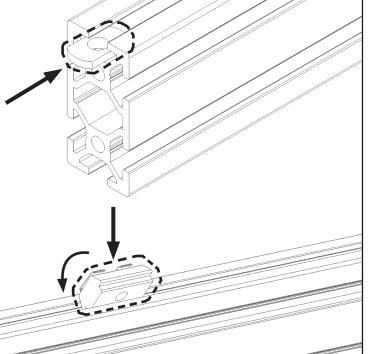
When assembling the Gigabot®, it is essential to work on a flat surface and to carefully square perpendicular parts as much as possible. This is especially important while assembling the side plates, Z-axis uprights and vertical common rails, bed frame, upper and lower cross rails, and bridge assembly. Use large clamps to help square up frames if needed.

Make good use of grease during assembly. These will help hold the eccentric spacers when installing the V-groove wheels and also keep them from damaging the side plates or end trucks during adjustment. Likewise, it will ensure smooth, quiet operation when applied the the Z-axis ACME threaded rods.

THE USES OF GREASE



T-NUTS, HOW DO THEY WORK?



T-nuts are an essential part of assembling the Gigabot®. These are inserted into the aluminum extrusion in order to fasten parts to the frame.

Post assembly T-nuts are also used. These hold their positions well without sliding around, and are useful when installing retrofits.

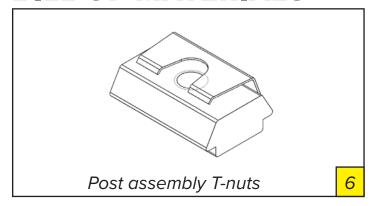
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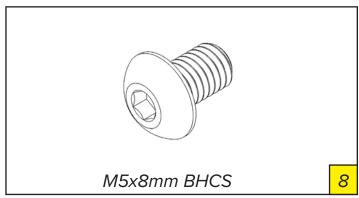
There are parts of the instructions that suggest marking spots on the Gigabot® to properly place parts. When marking, be sure to only use a pencil--using a permanent marker will leave unsightly marks on the metal!

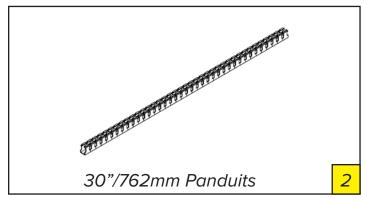


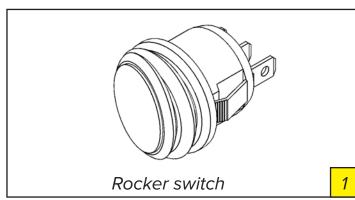
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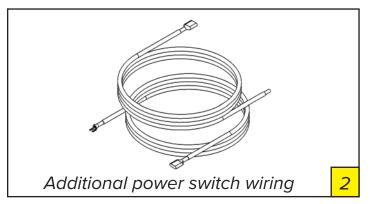
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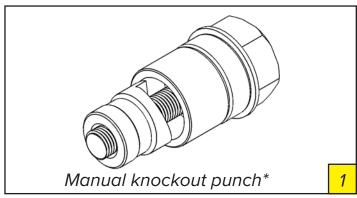


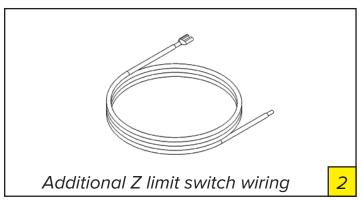


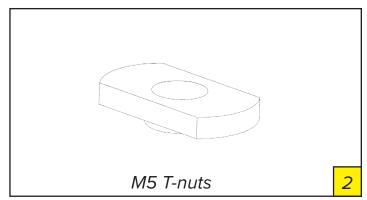


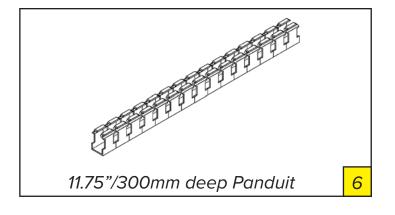












*Manual knockout punches will be loaned out with a deposit. You must return the punch to receive your deposit back.

TOOLS YOU'LL NEED

- 3MM AND 1.5 ALLEN KEY
- 5/16" OR 8MM WRENCH
- NEEDLE NOSE PLIERS
- CRESCENT WRENCH
- POWER DRILL
- 3/8" AND 1/8" DRILL BIT
- RIGHT ANGLE SCREWDRIVER
- SMALL FLAT HEAD SCREWDRIVER
- SMALL PHILLIPS HEAD SCREWDRIVER

A: REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT





Home bed for easier access to Panduits



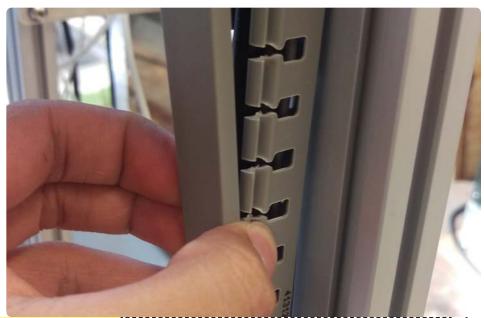
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Remove Panduit covers on Panduits leading to Z limit switch (bottom cross rail, rear right vertical common rail, and top right common rail)

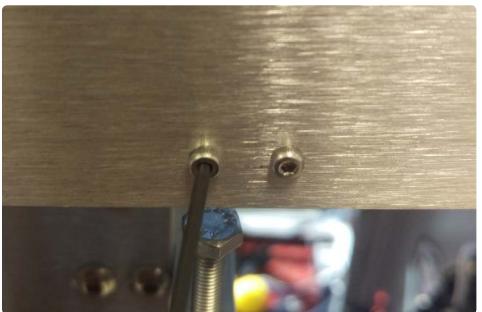








Disconnect wires from
Z-limit switch and remove
from Panduits, leave
connected @ electrical box
for reference



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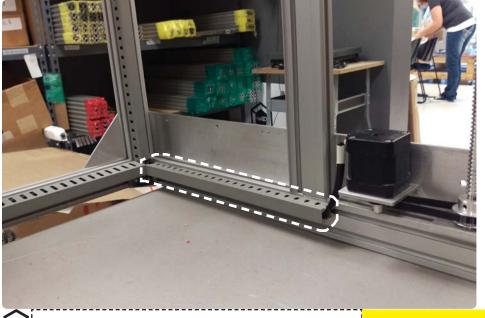


Using a 1.5mm Allen Key, unscrew M2x16mm SHCS on limit switch to remove. Be careful not to drop or lose the M2 nut and lock washer

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Remove 11.75" Panduit on lower right side panel







Using 3mm Allen Key, unscrew and remove M5x12mm BHCS on leveling block for Z limit switch on rear right of bed frame









Unscrew and remove bed leveling screw. Be careful not to drop the M5 washer or spring



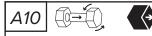




Using the 3mm Allen Key, unscrew and remove the M5x12mm BHCS from the front right leveling block

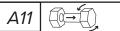






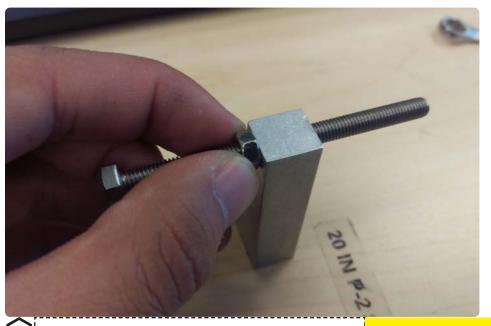
Unscrew and remove bed leveling screw. Be careful not to drop the M5 washer or spring







On leveling block for Z limit switch, unscrew and remove bolt. Use a 5/16" or 8mm wrench if very tight



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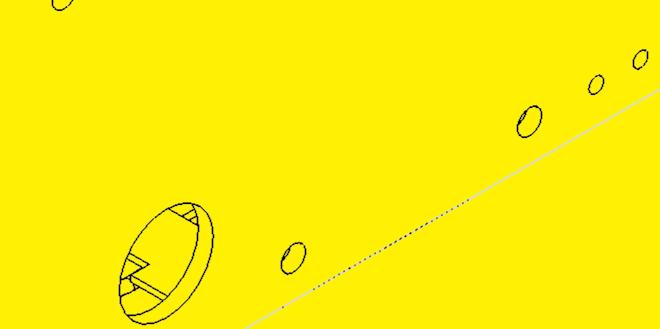
Reinsert from the opposite side. Fix into place by hand tightening the M5 nut

B: DRILLING EXTRA HOLES















Move bed to access side plate

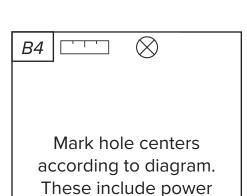
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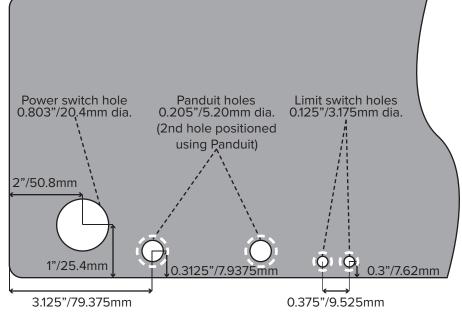
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Use something to keep metal shaving out of lower Panduits. Here, we used a folded 8.5"x11" piece of paper as a cover



switch, Panduit, and limit

switch



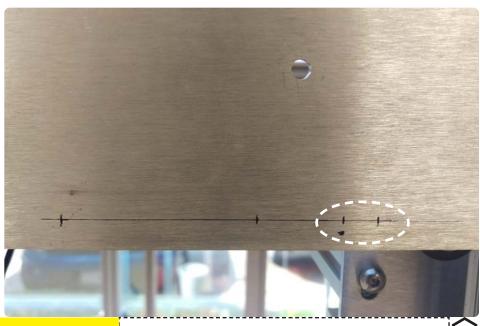
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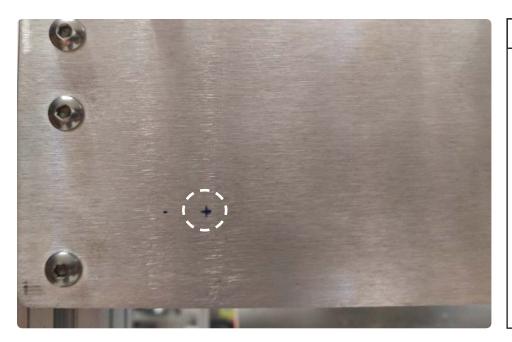
Mark the left hole for the
Panduit. Use the actual
Panduit to mark the desired
spacing for the second hole



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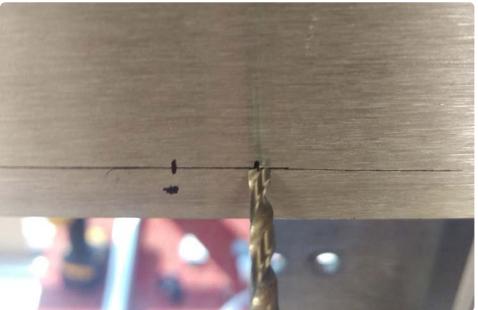
Mark 2 holes for the limit switch







Mark power switch hole





Drill limit switch holes with 1/8" bit



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Go ahead and drill pilot holes through all of the other marks



Drill Panduit holes with a #5 (0.205") bit



Drill power switch hole with 3/8" drill bit



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Unscrew the manual hole punch







Separate punch from threaded draw stud and die



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Fit the draw stud and die through the 3/8" hole



B12

Screw the pieces back together

B13

Note that the side with the large bolt head should be on the outside of the side plate for easy accessibility



B14



Using one hand, hold onto the punch for stability







Use a crescent wrench to manually tighten (clockwise) the punch until the hole is made

Be careful-once the hole is made, the punch may fall out of the hole









Remove the punch





Disassemble the punch with the wrench



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Remove the die from the draw stud and empty out the split metal slugs

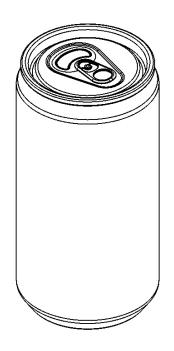
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Deburr as needed, clean up metal shavings

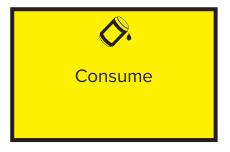


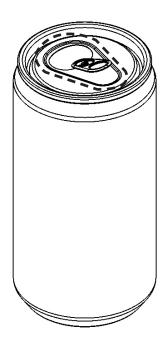
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Actuate pull tab





C: MOUNTING AND PLACEMENT







Turn on Gigabot and home the bed for easy access to the lower frame

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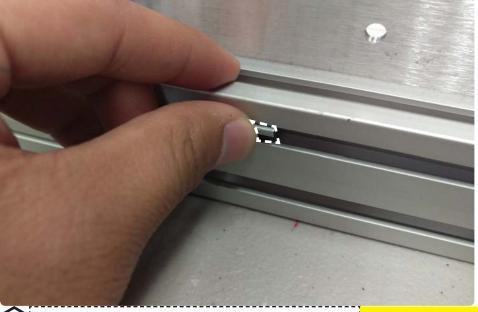
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Evenly space and insert 3 post assembly T-nuts on lower right common rail for 30" deep Panduit



You may also use existing T-nuts from 11.75" Panduit







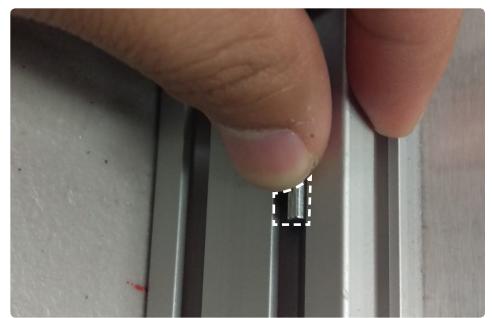
Mount 30" deep Panduit with 3 x M5x8BHCS using 3mm Allen Key







Evenly space and insert 3 post assembly T-nuts on front right vertical common rail



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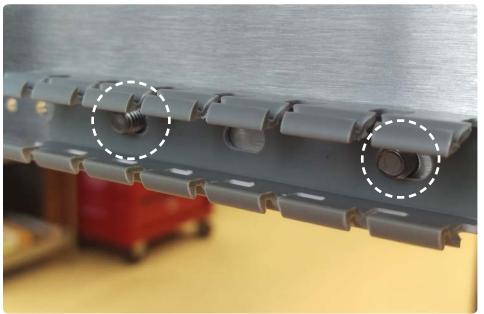
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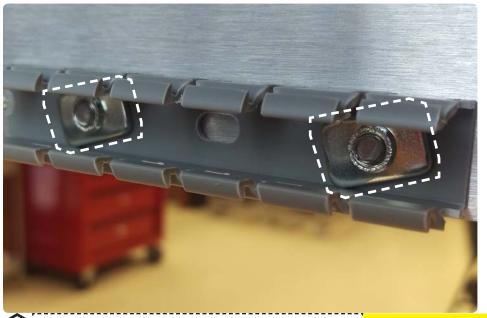


Insert M5x8mm BHCS in Panduit holes





Work Panduit onto screws





Place T-nuts and tighten





Insert 2 x M2x16mm SHCS into limit switch holes. This hardware is already with the existing Z limit switch



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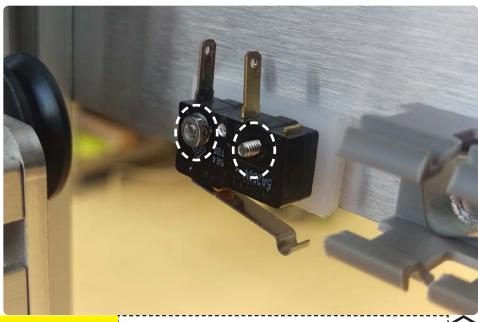
Mount plastic block and limit switch onto screws



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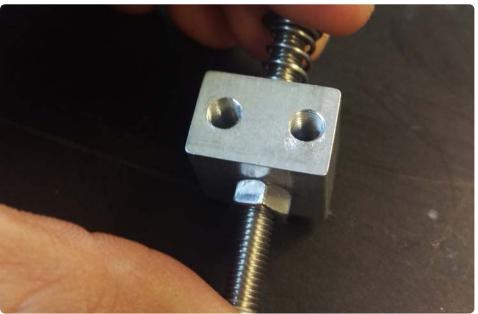
Place M2 lock washer and then M2 nut and handtighten. Repeat for other screw





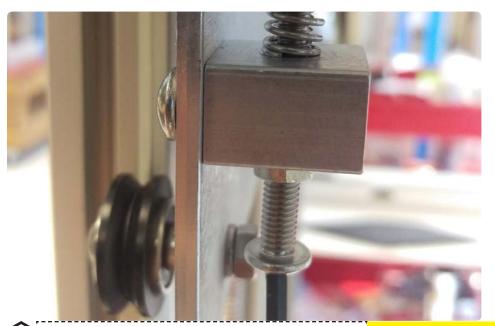


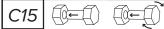
Press power switch into hole





Carefully replace leveling screw through leveling block with spring and washer

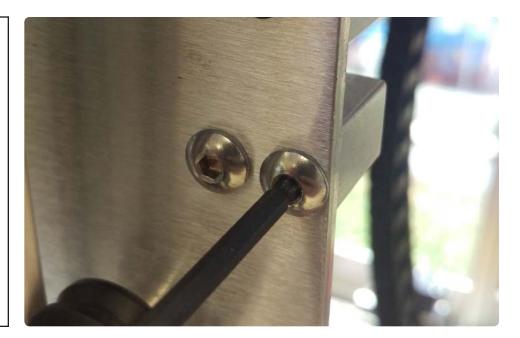




Insert and partially screw into T-nut on bed rail



Align leveling block with bed side plate holes and screw in M5 screws



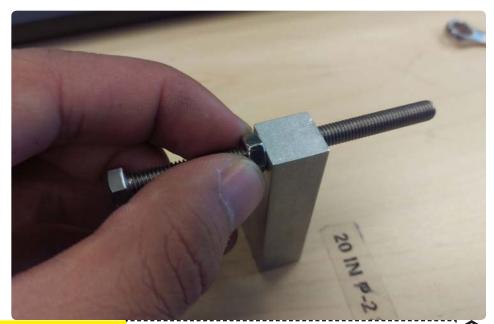
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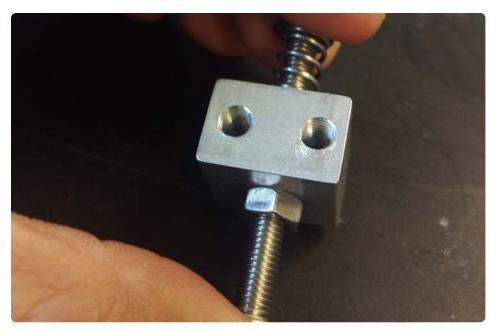
Tighten leveling screw



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On the Z limit switch leveling block, the bolt should have already been flipped over

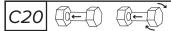






Carefully replace leveling screw through Z limit switch leveling block with spring and washer (same as normal leveling block shown here)



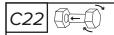


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Align leveling block with bed side plate holes and screw in M5 screws



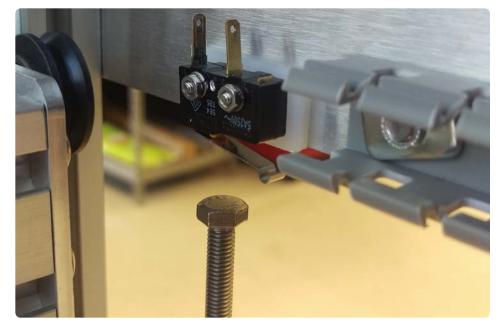
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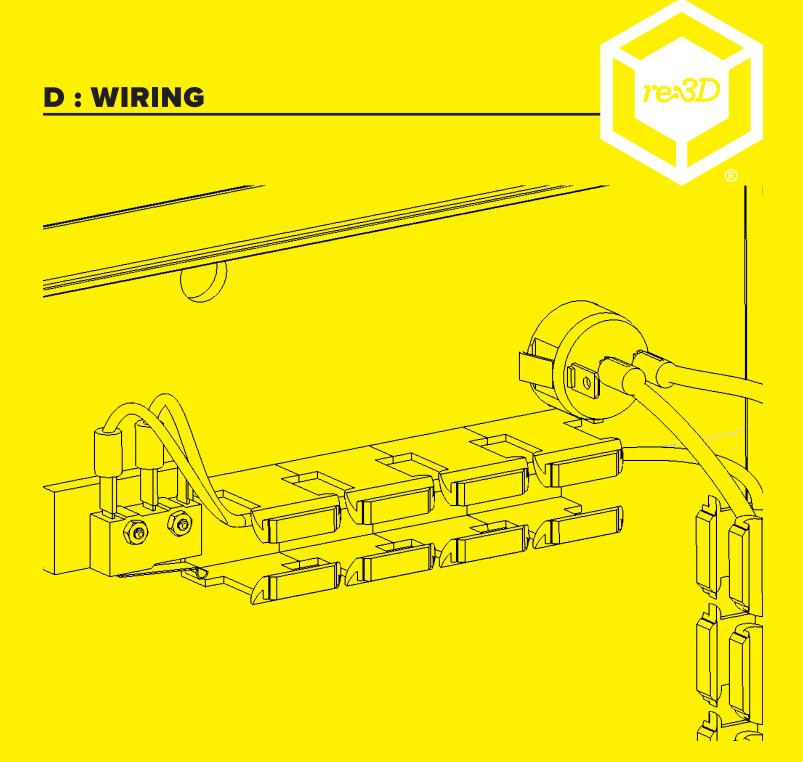
To be safe, make this
longer than needed to
ensure bed doesn't run into
hot end. Fine adjust after
verifying ordinary function



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Make sure bolt head is underneath limit switch

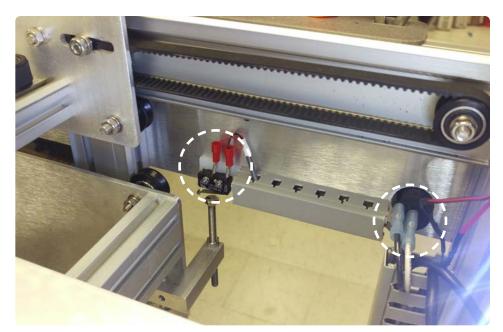








Connect new Z-limit wires as well as new power switch wires



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Route through Panduit, cover along the way



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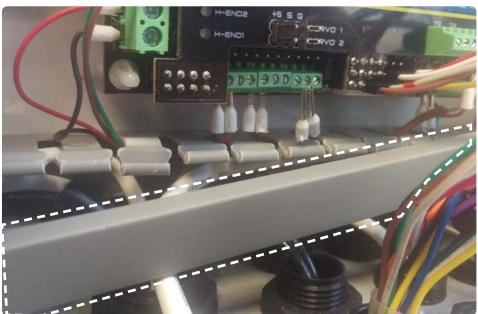
At electrical box, loosen the grommet for the Z limit switch





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Locate a vacant medium or large sized grommet for the power switch wire



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Inside electrical box, uncover bottom and left side Panduits

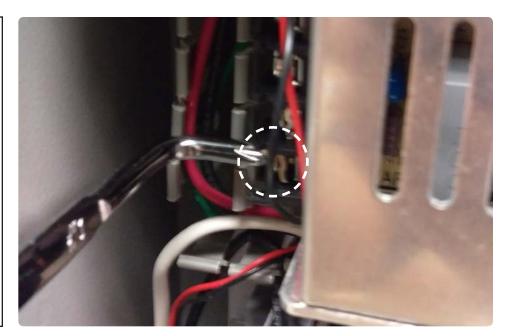


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Lift the terminal cover from the power supply

Use a right angle screwdriver to unscrew the lowest terminal and remove the spade terminal wire for the power switch



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Disconnected spade terminal

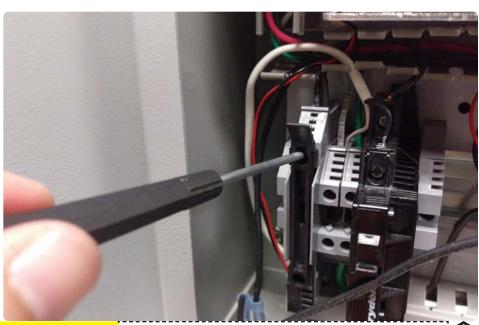


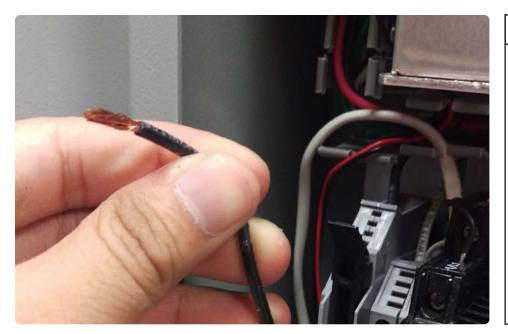
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Unscrew the fuse block terminal and remove the bare end wire for the power switch





D10

Disconnected bare end from fuse block



D11





Disconnect both wires from existing power switch and remove them

It may be helpful to use needle nose pliers



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Unscrew terminals for Z limit switch and remove old wires



Remove wires by routing out of grommet and route new Z limit switch through





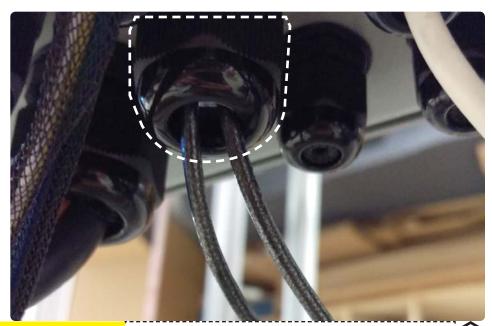


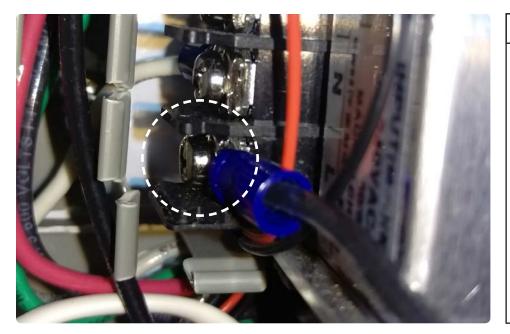
Connect and screw terminals to connect Z limit switch wires



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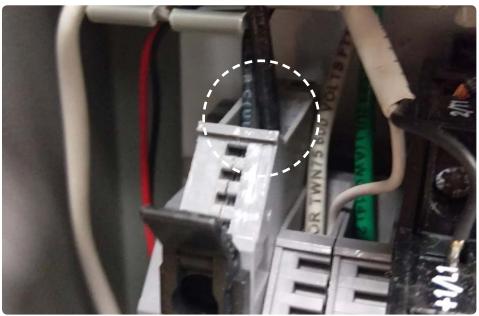
Route new power switch wire through grommet and into electrical box





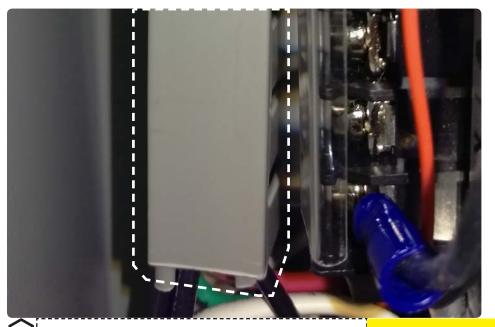


Connect and screw spade terminal wire to power supply





Connect and screw bare end wire into fuse block



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Organize wires into surrounding Panduits and cover

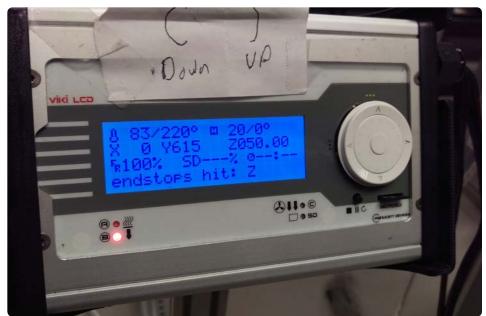


Tighten grommets for Z limit switch and power switch



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Close electrical box and test Gigabot for power switch and Z limit switch functionality

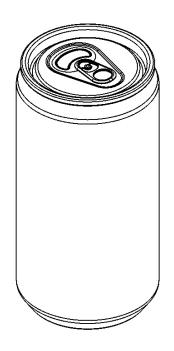


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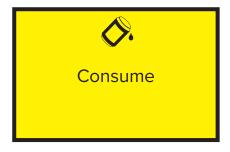
Please look over your completed kit and make sure everything has been assembled correctly. If you have further questions, please refer to the video instructions (search "re3D Tech" on YouTube and find "Power and Z Limit Switch Relocation" video) or contact us through the references listed in the conclusion.

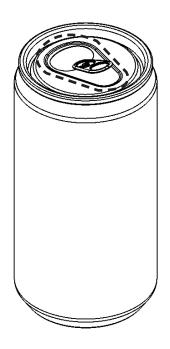
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CONCLUSION

CONGRATULATIONS! YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED THE POWER AND Z LIMIT SWITCH RETROFIT ON YOUR GIGABOT®.

We are confident that you will find this upgrade very helpful in your every day use of the Gigabot®, but please do not hesitate to contact us for any further issues or questions. Feedback on assembly instructions, support, and other aspects of your experience are welcome. Reach out to us at:

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EMAIL: support@re3d.org

PHONE: 512-730-0033

Happy printing!

THINK BIG, PRINT HUGE!

From the re:3D Inc.® team

REFERENCES & DOCUMENTS

POWER AND Z LIMIT SWITCH RELOCATION MANUAL PDF: http://wiki.re3d.org/index.php?title=Retrofit_Instructions

re:3D Inc.® YouTube CHANNEL:

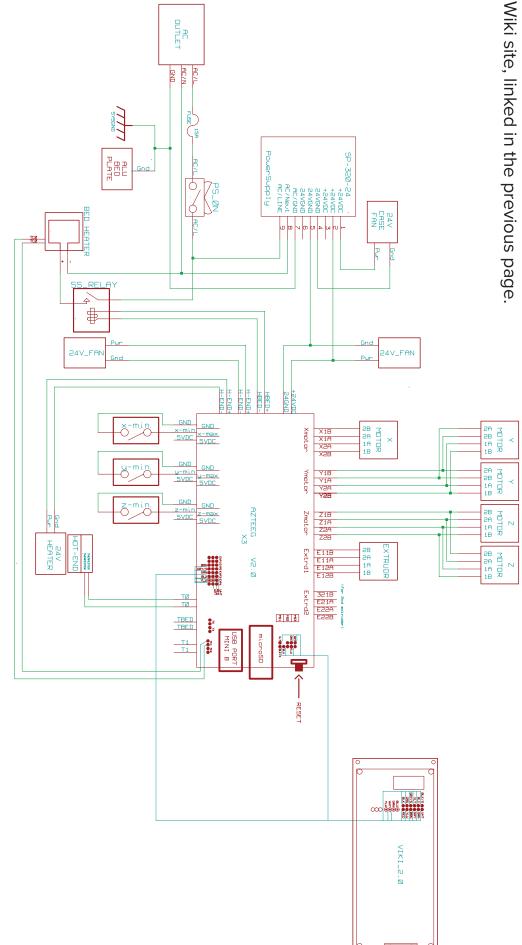
https://www.youtube.com/user/GigaBot3D

GIGABOT® AZTEEG WIRING DIAGRAM (bottom of page): http://wiki.re3d.org/index.php?title=Retrofit_ Instructions

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