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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.

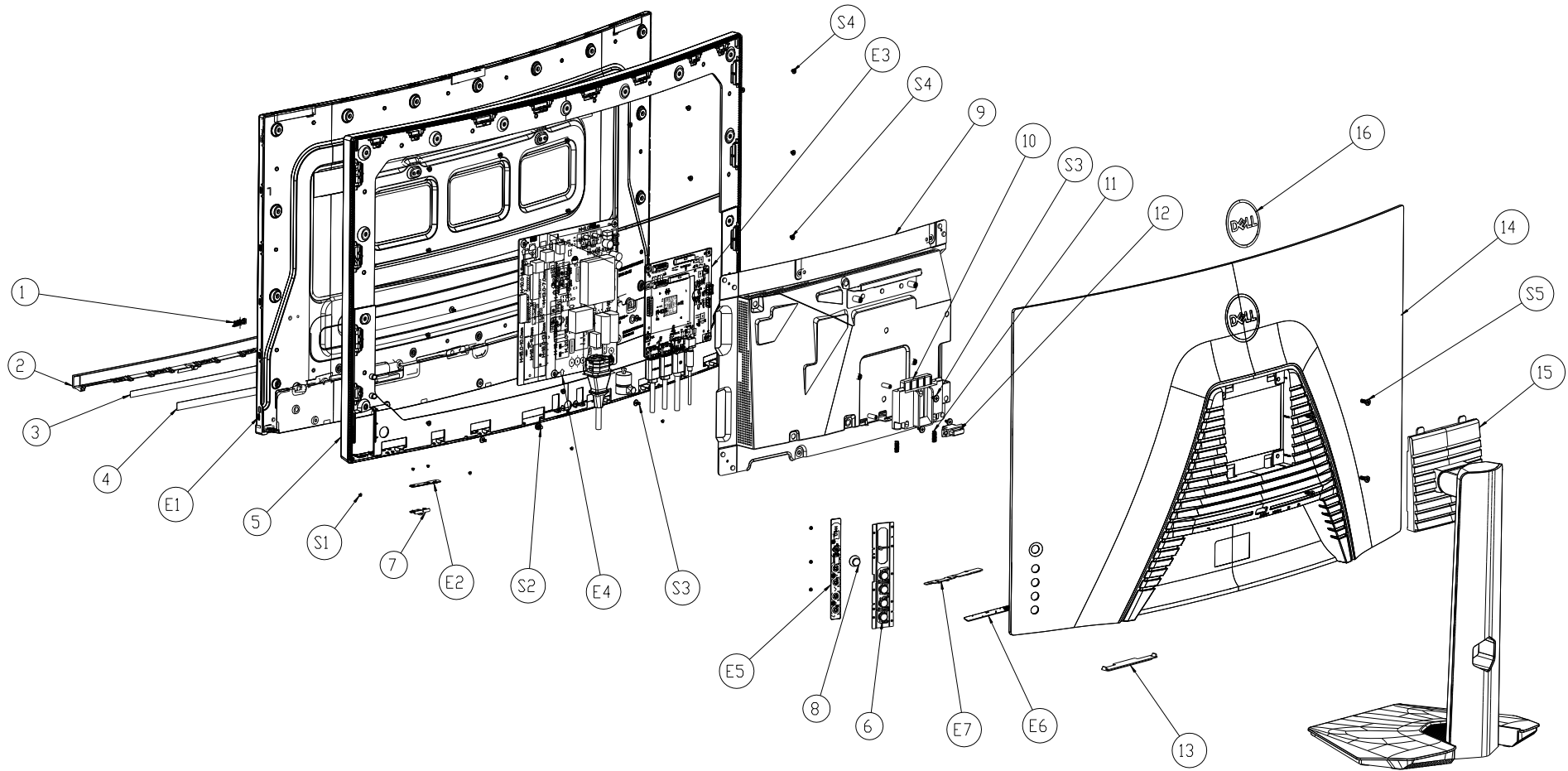
CAUTION -The use of optical instruments with this product will increase eye hazard.

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

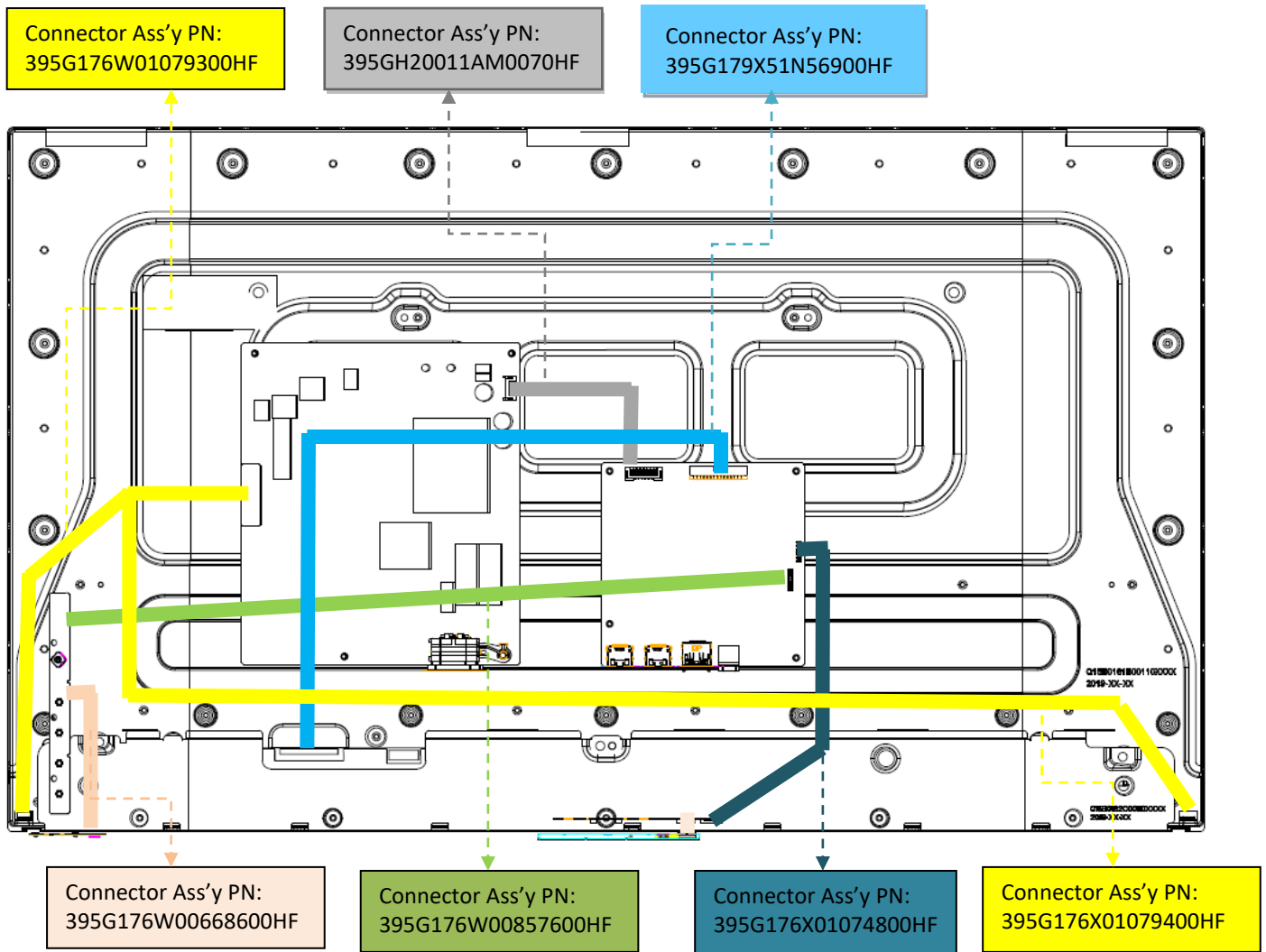
- Must mount the module using mounting holes arranged in four corners.
- Do not press on the panel, edge of the frame strongly or electric shock as this will result in damage to the screen.
- Do not scratch or press on the panel with any sharp objects, such as pencil or pen as this may result in damage 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	Q23G315570001500DR	LOGO DELL 22*7.37*0.24	1
2	Q34GA0940VH01S0130	DECO_BEZEL L315WR-Edell2Q-p2	1
3	Q15G452220110100YX	BEZEL_BTM	1
4	Q16G00036520000ADG	SPONGE	1
5	Q34GA0920VHA1R0130	MIDDLE_FRAME L315WR-Edell2Q-p2	1
6	Q33G18940VH01S0100	KEY_FUNCTION	1
7	Q33G18930VH01L0100	KEY_POWER	1
8	Q33G18950VH01S0100	KEY	1
9	Q15G484010120100YM	MAINFRAME	1
10	Q34GA0950VH01X0100	Latch NA	1
11	Q19G10010180000BCR	SPRING	2
12	Q33G18960VH01S0100	STAND_BUTTON	1
13	Q33G190800101C0100	LENS_FUNCTION	1
14	Q34GA0930VH01S0130	REAR_COVER L315WR-Edell2Q-p2	1
15	Q37G138810120100CJ	stand ass'y	1
16	Q23G315570001700DR	LOGO DELL 60*60*0.24	1
E1	750GBV315200A1N0DL	Panel	1
E2	KEPCPQF0	KEY BOARD	1
E3	CBPRPR5D0Q1	Main Board	1
E4	PLPCKL301UQD1	ADAPTER BOARD	1
E5	KEPCPQB0	KEY BOARD	1
E6	KEPCPQK0	KEY BOARD	1
E7	LEPCQD0	LED BOARD	1
S1	Q01G6019 1	SCREW	10
S2	QM1G38400601200ARA	SCREW -- 6mm	1
S3	0D1G1030 6120	SCREW D3 6	10
S4	0M1G3030 4120	SCREW 3 4	17
S5	0M1G2940 10225 CR3	SCREW M4 10	4

2. Wiring connectivity diagram



3. Mechanical Instruction


Tools Required

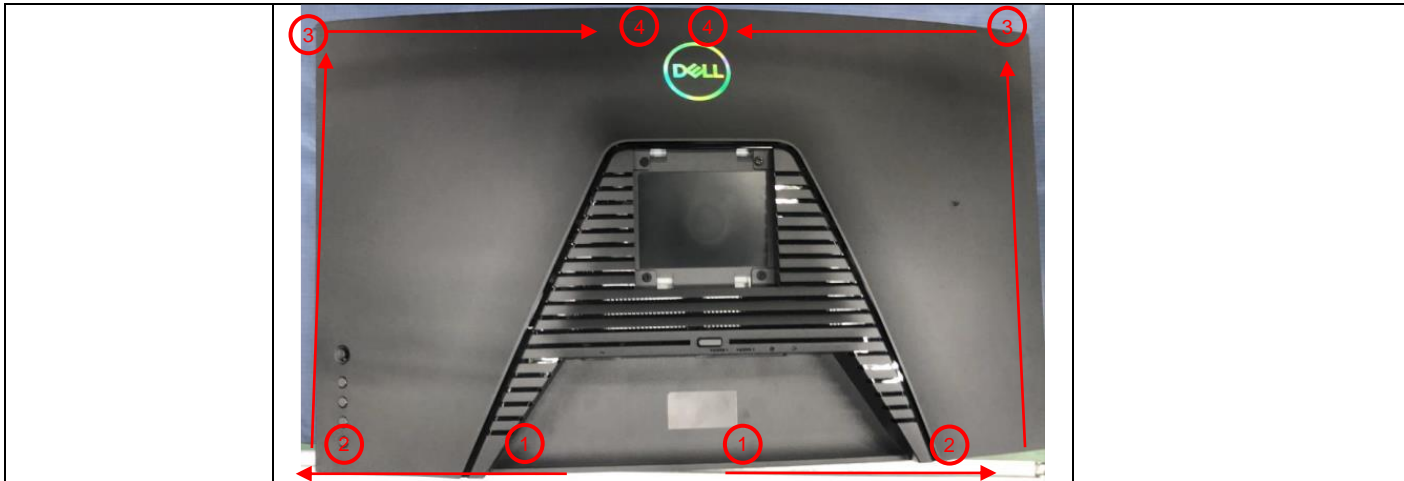
List the type and size of the tools that would typically can be used to disassemble the product to a point where components and materials requiring selective treatment can be removed.

Tool Description:

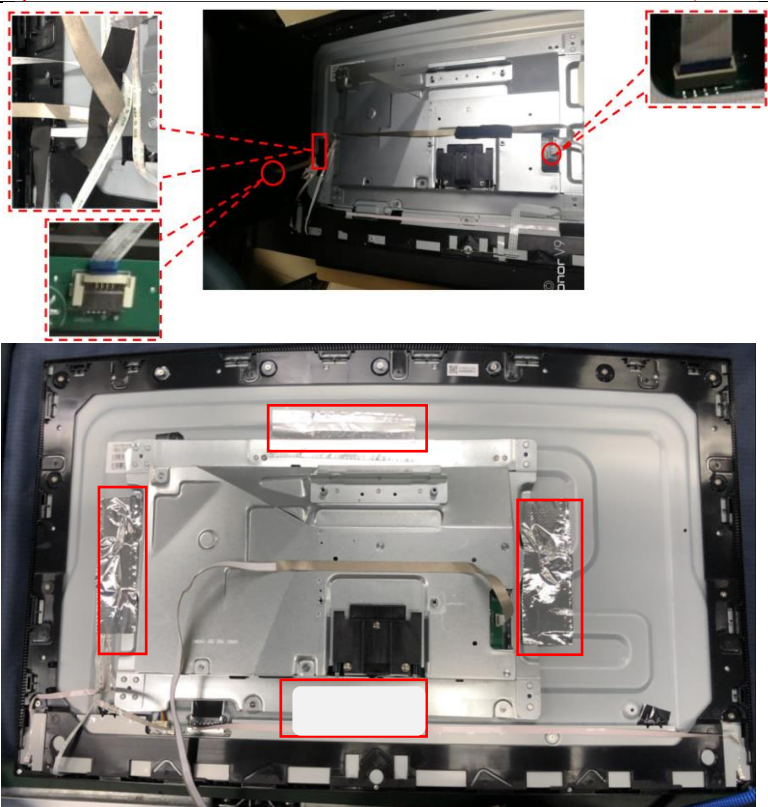
- Screwdriver (Phillip-head, Hexagonal head)
- Penknife

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>Put the MNT the curve cushion. Push the button to remove the stand-base assy.</p>
<p>S3.Remove the REAR COVER</p>		<p>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 bezel and rear cover follow the arrows in sequence, then you can take out rear cover.</p>

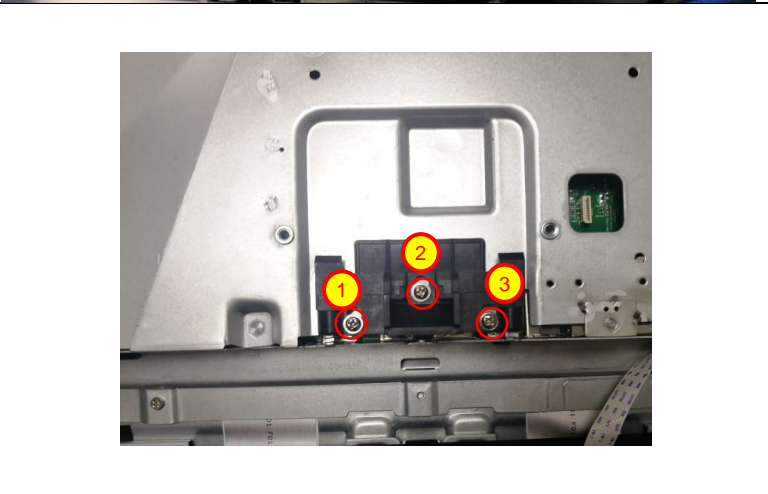


S4. Tear off the tapes and disconnect the connectors



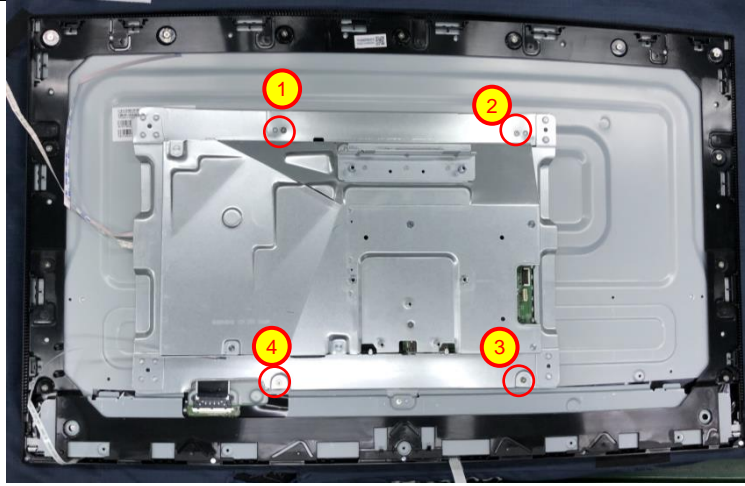
Tear off 4 pieces of aluminum foil and 3 pieces of tapes.
Disconnect the cables from the connectors.

S5. Remove the latch



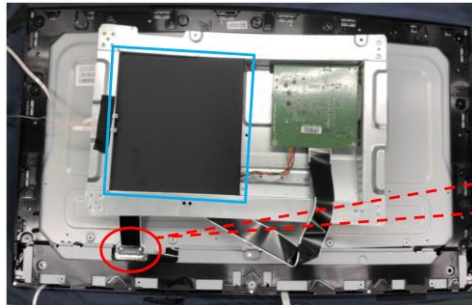
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 3 screws for unlocking the latch.
(No.1~3 Screw size=D3x6, Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)

S6. Remove the main board and power board



Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 6 screws for unlocking the main frame
(No.1~4 screw size=M3x4, Torque: 3±0.5kgf.cm)

Disconnect the FFC cable

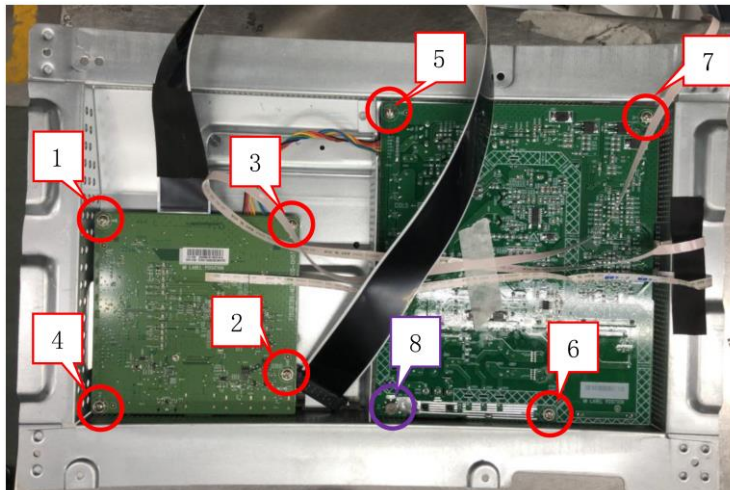


Remove the mylar and connector

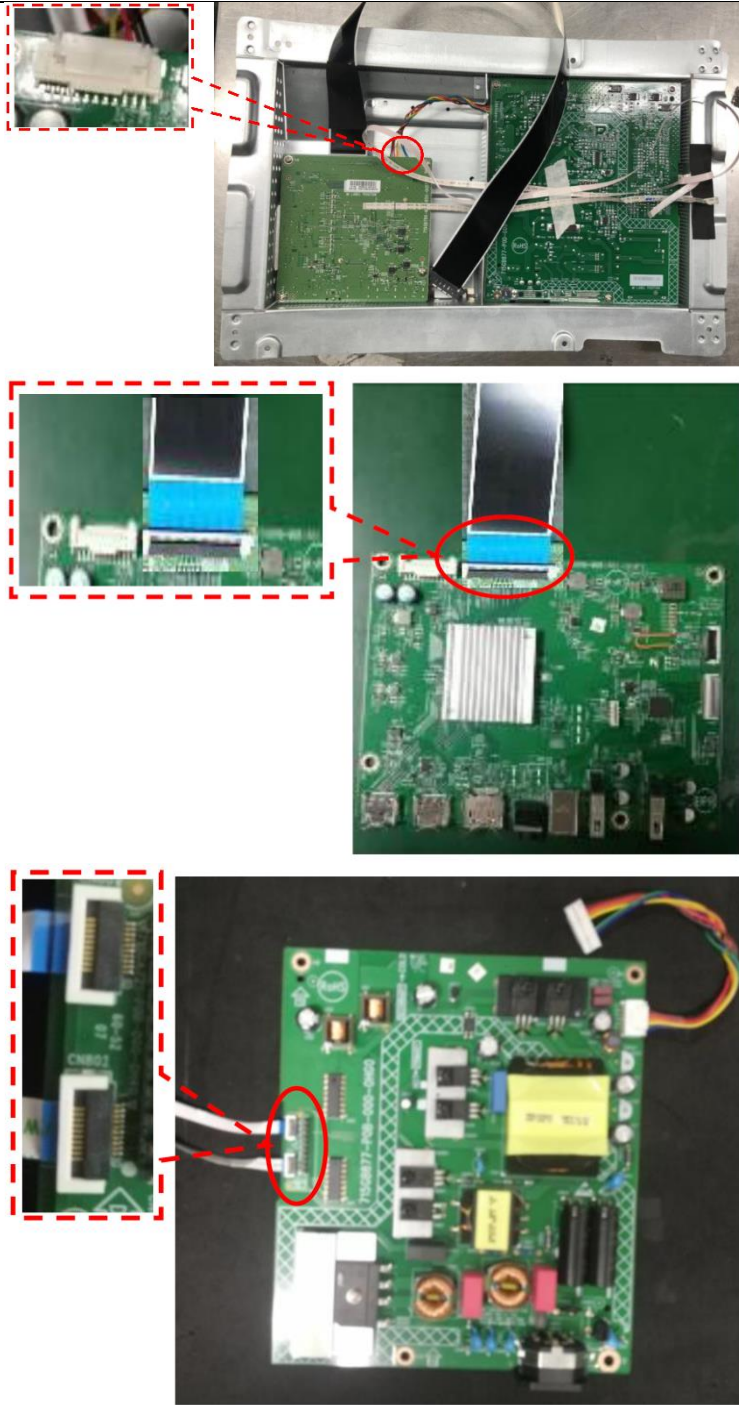


Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 8 screws for unlocking the Main board, Power board
(No.1~7 screw size=D3x6, Torque=6±1kgfcm)

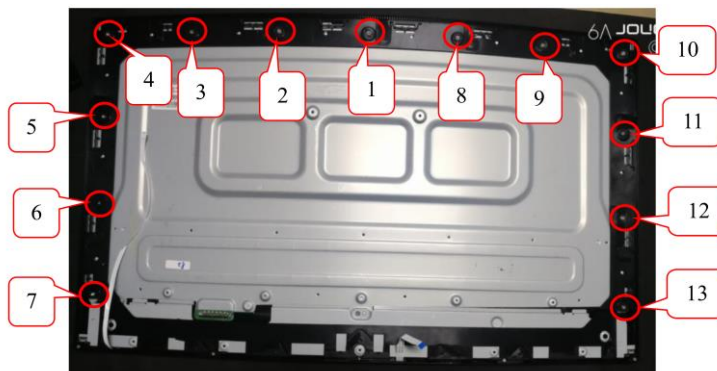
No.8 screw size=M6x4, Torque=6±1kgfcm



Disconnect the connectors

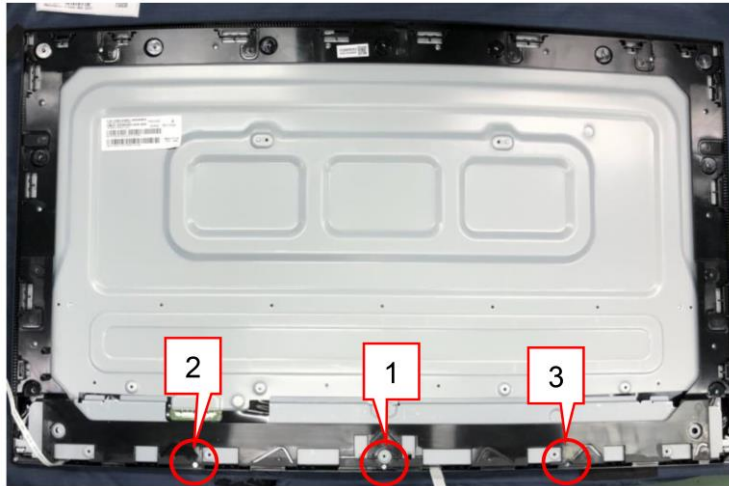


S7. Remove the Panel and middle frame



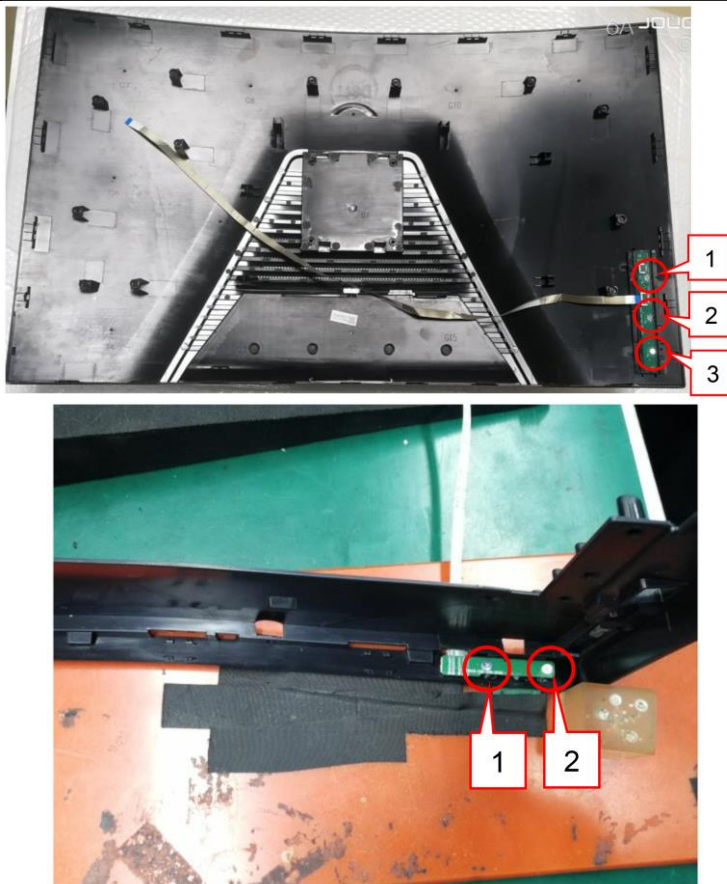
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 14 screws for unlocking the middle frame (No.1~13 screw size=M3x4, Torque=3±0.5kgfxcm)

**S8.Remove the
DECO_BEZEL**



Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 5 screws to remove the DECO_BEZEL.
(No.1~3 screw size=M2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)

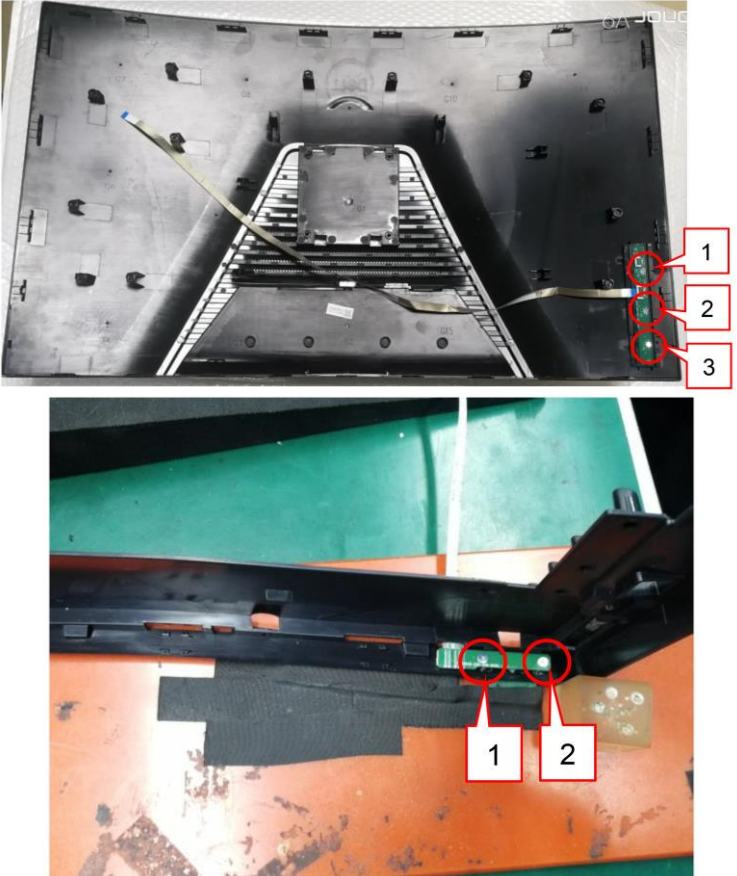
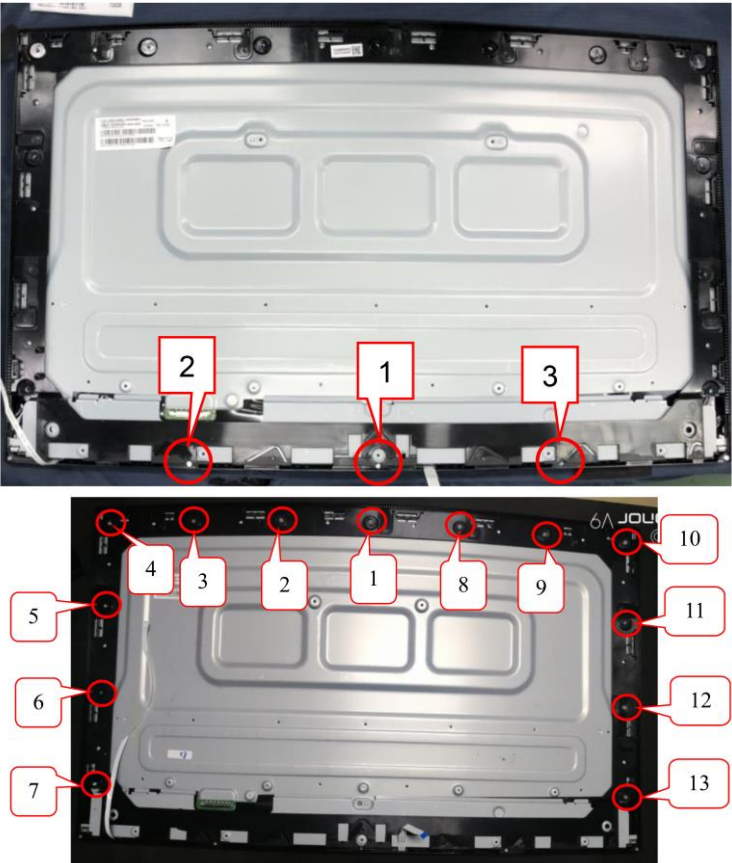
**S9. Remove the
Key board**

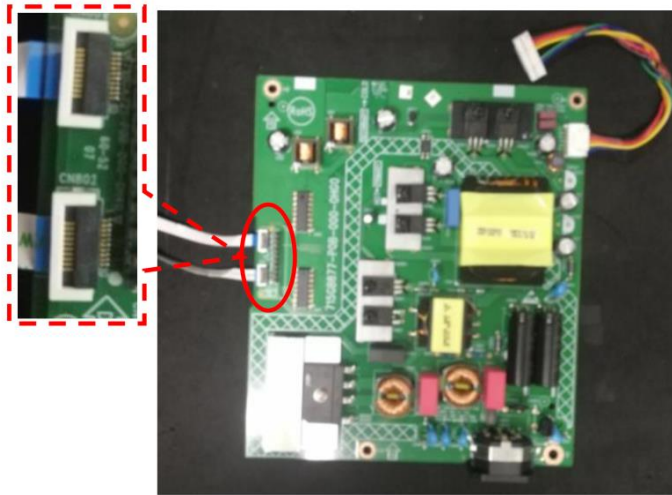


Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 3 screws for unlocking the key board
(No.1~3 screw size=M2.5x2, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)

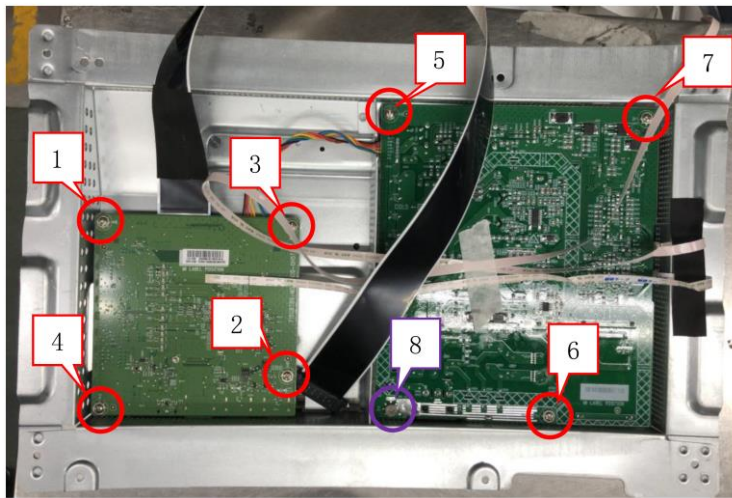
Use a Philips-head screwdriver to remove 2 screws for unlocking the key board
(No.1~2 screw size=M2.5x2, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)

3.2 Assembly Procedures:

Step	Figure	Remark
<p>S1.Assemble the KEY BOARD</p>		<p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 3 screws for tighten the key board (No.1~3 screw size=M2.5x2, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)</p> <p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 2 screws for tighten the key board (No.1~2 screw size=M2.5x2, Torque=0.9±0.4kgf.cm)</p>
<p>S2. Assemble the DECO_BEZEL and middle frame</p>		<p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 3 screws to assembly the DECO_BEZEL. (No.1~3 screw size=M2x2.5, Torque=1±0.2kgf.cm)</p> <p>Lock the 13 screws to assembly the middle frame (No.1~13 screw size=M3x4, Torque=3±0.5kgfxcm)</p>

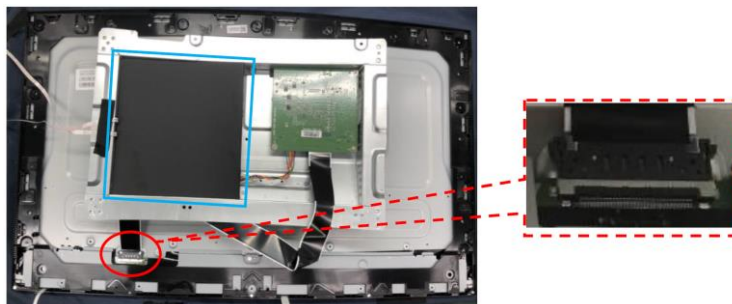


Connect the connectors

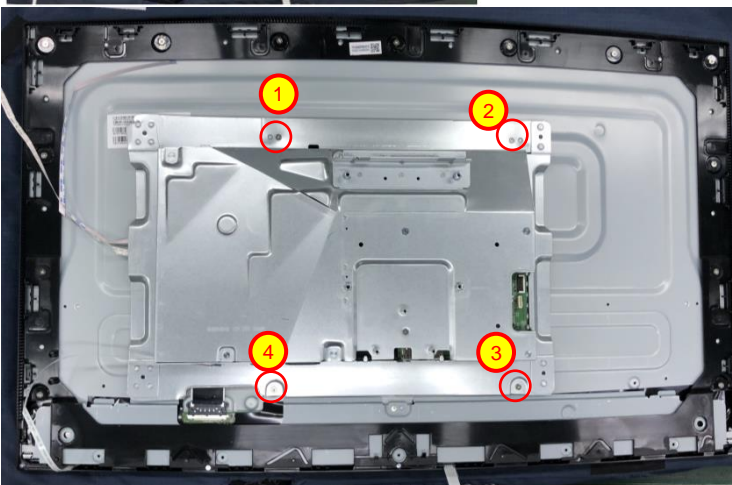


Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 8 screws for locking the Main board, Power board
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No.8 screw size=M6x4, Torque=6±1kgfcm)


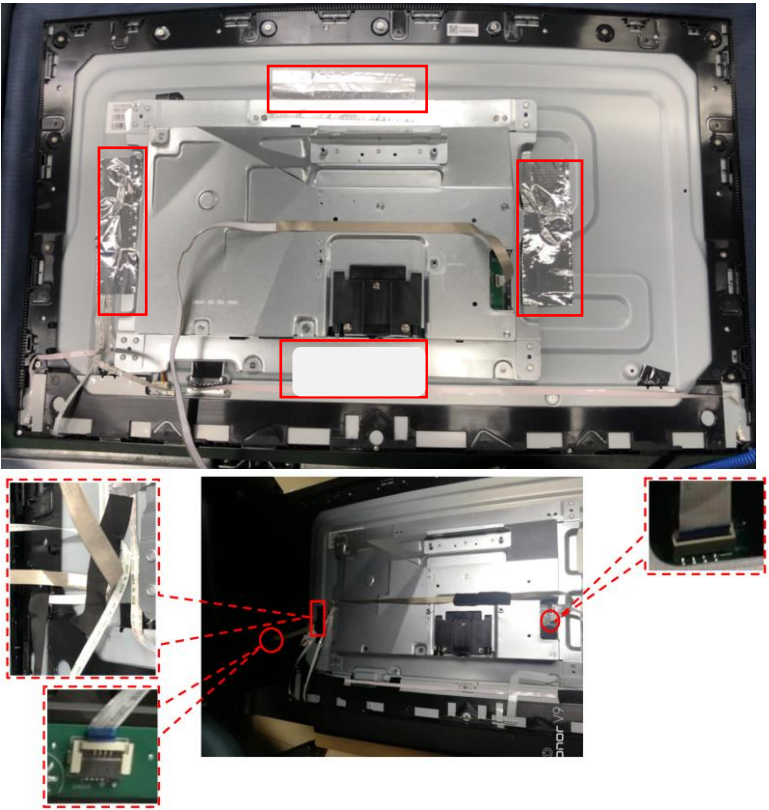



Paste the mylar
 Connect the FFC cable



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

S3.Assemble the main board and power board

<p>S4. Assembly the latch</p>		<p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to lock 3 screws to unlocking the latch. (No.1~3 Screw size=D3x6, Torque: 6±1kgf.cm)</p>
<p>S5. Connect the connectors and paste the tapes</p>		<p>Paste 4 pieces of aluminum foil and 3 pieces of tapes.</p> <p>Connect the connectors.</p>
<p>S6.Assembly the REAR COVER</p>		<p>Use a Philips-head screwdriver to Lock 4 screws for tighten mechanisms. (No.1~4 screw size=M4x10; Torque: 12±2kgf.cm)</p>

S7.Assembly the Stand



4. Trouble shooting instructions

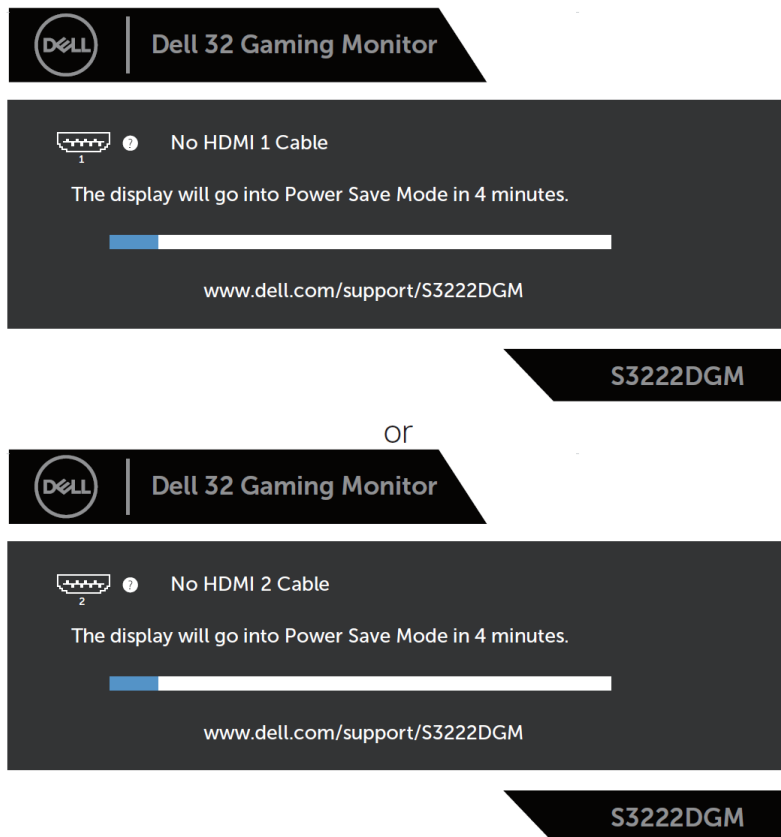
⚠ WARNING: Before you begin any of the procedures in this section, follow the [Safety instructions](#).

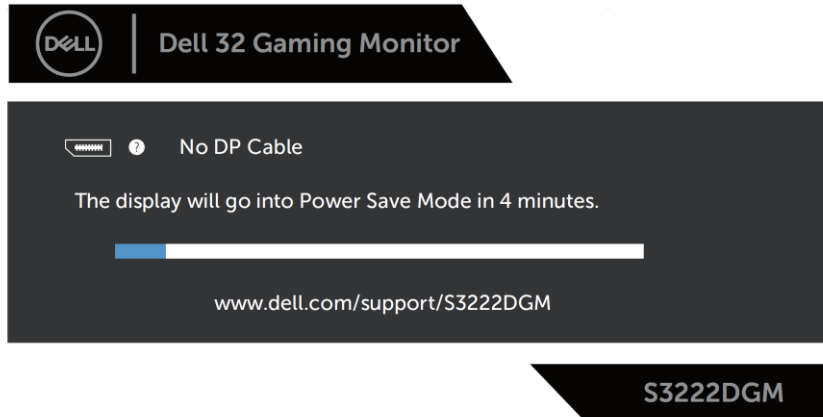
Self-Test

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.

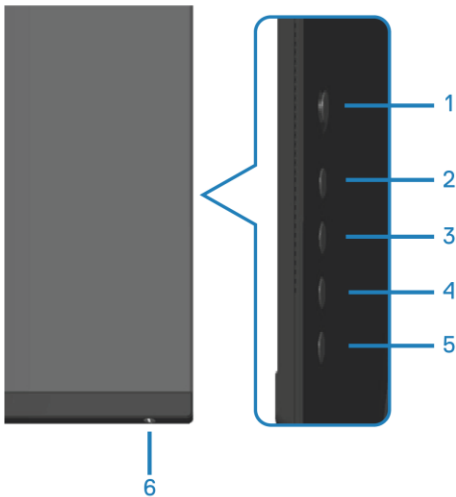
4. Turn Off your monitor and reconnect the video cable; then turn on your computer and the monitor.

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.

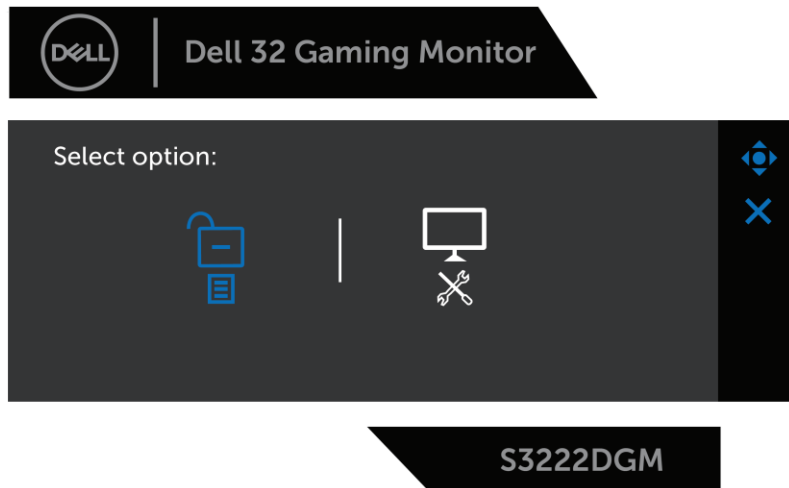
NOTE: You can run the built-in diagnostics only when the video cable is unplugged and the monitor is in self-test mode.




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 button 5 for four seconds to enter the OSD lock/unlock menu.





4. Move the joystick to highlight the Diagnostic icon  icon to run the built-in diagnostics.
5. Carefully inspect the screen for abnormalities.
6. Press the joystick to change the test patterns.
7. Repeat step 5 and 6 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 joystick right direction 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.

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.

Wrong Color	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change the Color Setting Mode in the Color Settings OSD to Graphics or Video depending on the application. • 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 YPbPr 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 Fast, Super Fast, MPRT 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 button 5 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.