

# X252\_X380\_MG380 Hybrid Matintenance Manual







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# **Chapter 1 Overview**

#### 1.1 Introduction

This manual is prepared for distributors to maintain or repair X252 \ X380 \ MG380 Hybrid. Briefly,

- Chapter 1 is the introduction of contents, safety and operating environment
- Chapter 2, we have diagrams to show the part number for every part in different sections.
- Chapter 3, introduction for electrical system
- Chapter 4, introduction to show you how to replace parts
- Chapter 5, deals with the laser system for laser tube \ beam & opitcal alignment.
- Chapter 6, an instruction to show you how to upgrade firmwar
- Chapter 7, trouble shooting & system diagnostics
- Chapter 8, basic maintenance
- Chapter 9, Q&A

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#### 1.2 Safety

#### 1.2.1 The Safety Interlock System

The laser system is equipped with a safety interlock system utilizing magnetic sensors on the top and side access doors, laser-activation and door LED lights on the control panel. The magnetic sensors will deactivate the laser when either door is opened. At this time, the "door" LED light found on the control panel will illuminate, indicating an open or improperly closed door. When the laser is in operation, the "laser" LED will illuminate to inform the operator that the laser is activated. If at any time, any of the access doors are open and the "laser" LED is illuminated, **IMMEDIATELY** unplugs the laser system and contact GCC technical support for service instructions.



- DO NOT operate the laser system if any component of the safety system is malfunctioning.
- DO NOT attempt to remove or modify any component of the safety interlock system.

#### 1.2.2 Product Label

This label is located at the right-back side of machine. All the product information such as Serial Number, Model Numbers, Laser Power and Electric power can be found here. Before requiring any tech support, always provide service person the information on this label.

#### 1.2.3 Safety Measures

**LASER RADIATION WARNING:** Exposure to laser radiation may result in physical burns and severe eye damage. Proper use and regular maintenance of this machine is important to the

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safety of all people in the immediate area.

Prior to operation, carefully read and familiarize yourself with the warning labels located on both your laser system and in this manual.

Never leave the machine unattended during the laser cutting process. The laser may ignite combustible materials. A well-maintained fire extinguisher and operational smoke or fire detector should be kept in the vicinity of the machine

Resulting debris from laser cutting are very dangerous and may cause fire hazard.

Caution—Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.

DO NOT leave debris and scraps inside laser machine after job finished. Must keep machine clean after job finished.



SmartGUARD™ is an optional fire detection alarm system developed by GCC. Contact your local GCC authorized distributor for more details for having this safety option installed onto your system.

Always wear safety goggles when the laser system is in operation. Reflective materials such as mirrors, enameled brass and anodized aluminum may partially-reflect some of the invisible laser radiation. Severe eye damage may occur if appropriate safety goggles are not worn.



Each LaserPro laser machine is shipped with a single pair of safety goggles. If additional safety goggles are required, please contact GCC directly or an authorized GCC distributor. If you wish to purchase one on your own, please make sure the safety goggles meet these requirements:

9000-11000nm OD5+

**Visible Light Transmission: 92.9%** 

Connect the machine to a properly grounded power outlet. Ensure the voltage of the power source is identical to the voltage of the machine.

Do not open the laser access panel when the machine is plugged in.

Do not attempt to modify or disassemble the laser module.

Do not attempt to remove or modify any component of the machine's laser interlock safety system. Ensure the immediate work area of the machine is well-ventilated. Odors, vapors, and dust are byproducts generated during the laser cutting process. An exhaust system, vacuum cutting box, and honeycomb table are recommended. Please contact GCC or your local GCC distributor for more information.

Do not laser heat-sensitive surfaces or materials that may generate toxic fumes, such as PVC and Teflon

Regularly clean and maintain your machine according to our cleaning and maintenance instructions. Doing so will ensure a machine that will operate effectively and safely over a long period of time.

#### 1.2.4 Operating Environment

Please follow the guidelines when considering a suitable location to set the LaserPro X252RX × X380RX × MG380 Hybrid. Improper work environments may lead to operational malfunction and/or unsafe working conditions. The LaserPro X252RX × X380RX × MG380 Hybrid should be placed

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and operated in a standard office-type environment.

Avoid environments where the machine is exposed to high levels of dust, temperature (temperatures exceeding 30°C or 85°F) or humidity (humidity exceeding 70% or where the ambient temperature is near the dew point).

Avoid small, enclosed areas with poor ventilation.

Avoid areas with high levels of noise and electrical noise.

Select a location that is large enough to accommodate the laser machine, an exhaust system, a computer and a work or storage table.

Select a location in which the ambient temperature remains between 15°C and 30°C (60°F to 85°F).

Select a location in which there is a short, direct path to the fume exhaust system.

Set the laser machine on a floor surface that is completely even.

Make sure your smoke or fire detection system in the immediate area is functioning.

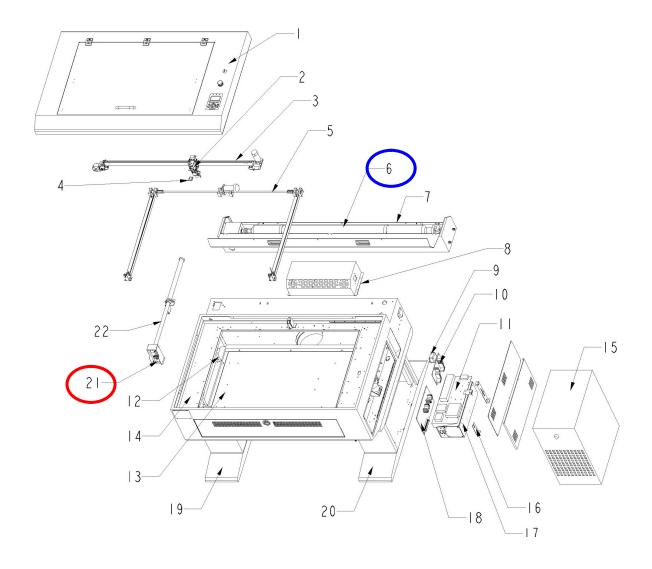


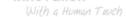
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# **Chapter 2 Mechanical System**

#### 2.1 Overall

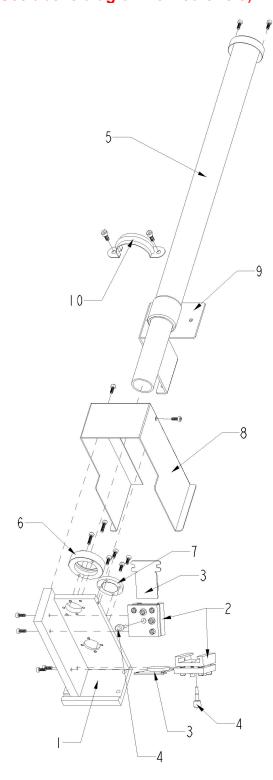






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No.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description	Remark
1	290065260G	29006150G	29006150G	Top Cover Assembly	
2	290066910G	29005771G	29005771G	Lens Carriage Assembly	
3	290065030G	29006159G	29006159G	X Axis Assembly	
4	290069590G	290069590G	290069590G	Mercury 2" Lens Assembly	
5	29004375G	29004901G	29004901G	Y Axis Assembly	
6	N/A	290065320G	N/A	100S Laser Unit Assembly	For X380LS-100W
6	290102840G	290102840G	290102840G	100Y Laser Unit Assembly	For X380RX-100W
6	290066630G	N/A	N/A	New Reci 80W laser tube	
7	290065000G	29006160G	290081270G	Laser Case Assembly	
8	N/A	24403678G	24403678G	Lower Induced Draft Box	
9	21800007G	21800007G	21800007G	EMI Filter YE10T1L2	
10	29001488G	29001813G	29001813G	Power Board	
11	N/A	29005745G	29005745G	100S Electric Devices Fixture Assembly	
12	29006276G	29005057G	29005057G	Z Axis Assembly	
13	22801939G	22802920G	22802920G	Engraving Platform	
14	290065040G	20200257G	20200257G	Frame of Main Body And Front Door Assembly	
15	29005925G	29005925G	29005925G	Water Cooler (KW-4PTS 4000btu)	
16	N/A	24403560G	24403560G	Fixture for Power	
17	24500091G	24500081G	24500081G	High voltage power supply	
18	290068170G	29005838G	29005838G	Main board	
19	N/A	24403556G	24403556G	Left Stand	
20	N/A	24403796G	24403796G	Right Stand	
21	N/A	29006153G	29006153G	Front Prism Assembly	
22	N/A	29004168G	29004168G	N-4_Dust-Proof Tube Assembly	

# 2.2. Front Prism Assembly for X380 and 380 Hybrid (29006153G\_ See above diagram for red circle) and Dust-Proof Tube Assembly



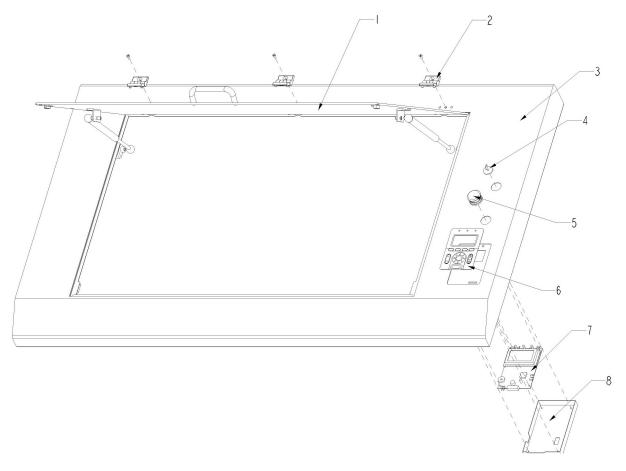


No.	Parts No. for X380 MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	29006153G	Front Prism Assembly
2	20200110G	Prism Mount Assembly
3	29004329G	1" Mirror Holder Assembly
4	22800914G	Mirror Screw
5	29004168G	N-4_Dust-Proof Tube Assembly
6	22802184G	F201 Under Aeroseal Fixed Stand
7	29005970G	Collimator Assembly
8	24403801G	Front Prism Assembly
9	24403804G	Support for Dust-Proof Pipe
10	23300321G	1.5" piece





# 2.3 Top Cover

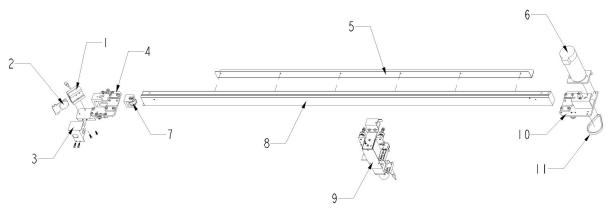


No.		Part No.		Description
INO.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	29003833G	29005122G	29005122G	Window Assembly
2	26500166G	26500166G	26500166G	Window Hinge
3	244040360G	24403795G	24403795G	New External Frame on Steady Seat
4	257000970G	25700094G	25700094G	Key Switch
5	25700095G	25700035G	25700035G	Emergency Switch
6	23400020G	23400020G	23400020G	Control Panel Sticker
7	290068430G	29005274G	29005274G	Key Board Assembly
8	24400995G	24400995G	24400995G	Key Board Dust Proof Cover





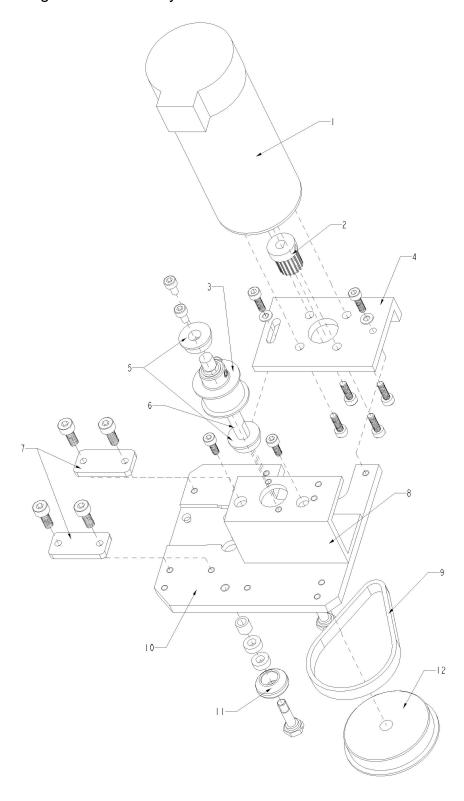
# 2.4 X-axis assembly



No.		Part No.	Description	
INO.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	20200262G	20200262G	20200262G	Prism Mount Assembly
2	290069520G	29006373G	29006373G	1" Mirror Holder Assembly
3	290069520G	290069520G	290069520G	X Axis Mirror Cover
4	290065020G	29006149G	29006149G	X Axis Left Block
5	24400137G	24403709G	24403709G	Fixing Plate for Pipes
6	29001140G	29001140G	29001140G	X Motor Assembly
7	29001139G	29001139G	29001139G	X Axis Pulley
8	22800641G	22802226G	22802226G	X Axis Rail
9	290066910G	29005771G	29005771G	Lens Carriage Assembly
10	29004908G	29004908G	29004908G	X Axis Right Block
11	20600126G	20600126G	20600126G	X Motor Belt



# 2.5 X-axis right block assembly



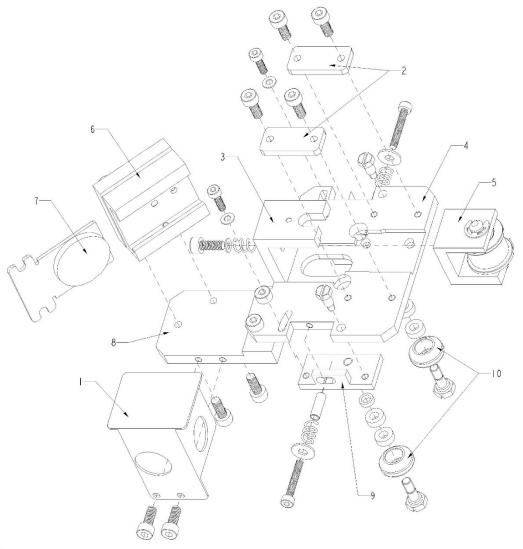


No.	Parts No. for	Description
	X252_X380_MG380 Hybrid	
1	23100013G	X Motor 500 Count
2	21700009G	X Motor Pulley
3	22802696G	X Axis Belt Pulley
4	22800140G	X Motor Bracket
5	20700027G	Bearing
6	22800619G	X Axis Shaft
7	24100262G	Belt Retainer-B
8	22800141G	X Axis Shaft Bracket
9	20600126G	X Motor Belt
10	22800615G	X Axis Right Base
11	29001105G	A Roller
12	22802697G	Big X Axis Belt Pulley





# 2.6 X-axis Left Block Assembly

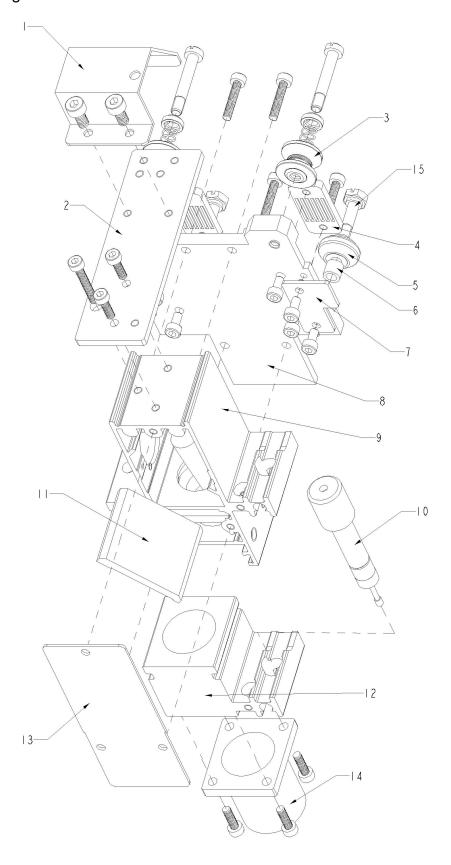


		Part No.		
No.	X252	X380	MG380	Description
	AZJZ	7300	Hybrid	
1	24402436G	24402436G	24402436G	X Axis Mirror Cover
2	24100262G	24100262G	24100262G	Belt Retainer-B
3	22800652G	22800652G	22800652G	X Axis Idle Pulley Bracket
4	22800614G	22800614G	22800614G	X Axis Left Base
5	29001139G	29001139G	29001139G	X Axis Idle Pulley
6	20200262G	20200262G	20200262G	Prism Mount
7	290069520G	29006373G	29006373G	1" Mirror Holder Assembly
8	22802219G	22802219G	22802219G	Mirror Bracket for X Axis
9	22800616G	22800616G	22800616G	A Roller Bracket(Front)
10	29001105G	29001105G	29001105G	A Roller





# 2.7 Lens carriage







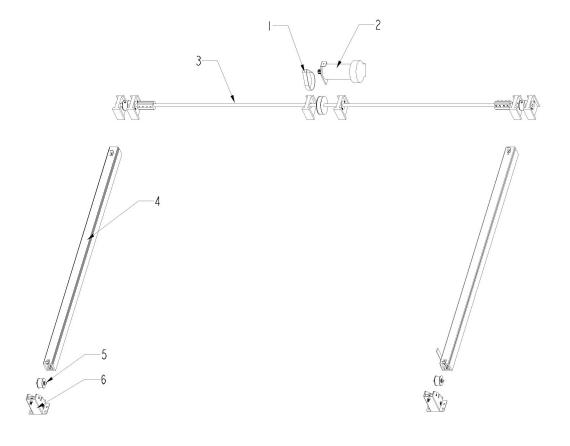
		Part No.		
No.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	24400583G	24400574G	24400574G	Cover for Carriage PCB
2	228032530G	22802921G	22802921G	Lens Carriage Assist Base
3	29001112G	29001112G	29001112G	DU Roller Assembly
4	24100277G	24100277G	24100277G	Belt Retainer
5	29001105G	29001105G	29001105G	Small Roller Assembly
6	22800066G	22800066G	22800066G	Spacer
7	29000254G	29000254G	29000254G	X Axis Flag
8	22800645G	22800645G	22800645G	Carriage Bracket
9	22800273G	22800273G	22800273G	Lens Carriage Chassis
10	29001108G	29005976G	29005976G	Auto focus Pin Assembly
11	290069500G	29001107G	29001107G	1" Carriage Mirror
12	N/A	22802997G	22802997G	Fixture for Air Nozzle
13	24400577G	24400577G	24400577G	Front Cover
14	22800630G	22802996G	22802996G	Air Nozzle
15	22800063G	22800063G	22800063G	Small Roller Screw





## 2.8 Y-axis assembly

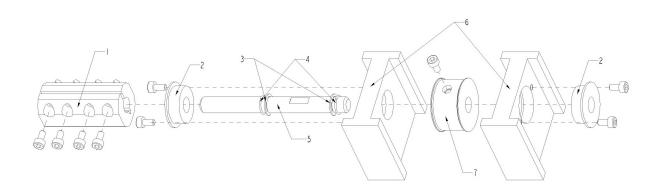




		Part No.		
No.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	20600016G	20600076G	20600076G	Y Motor Belt
2	29004372G	29004905G	29004905G	Y Motor Assembly
3	29001131G	29004902G	29004902G	Y Axis Synchronizer Assembly
4	22800144G	22802227G	22802227G	Y Axis Rail
5	29001133G	29001133G	29001133G	Y Axis Idle Pulley
6	29001132G	29001132G	29001132G	Y Axis Idle Pulley Fixture



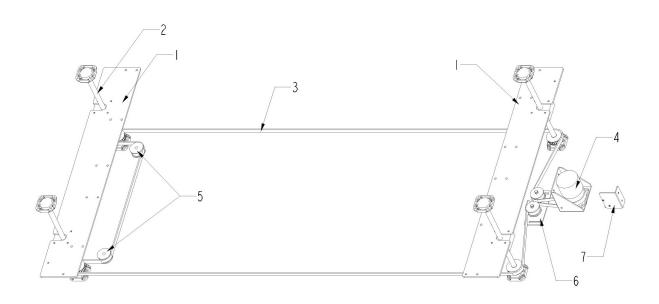
# 2.9 Y-axis transmit assembly for X380 and X380 Hybrid



No.	Part No for X380_MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	22800935G	8mm Coupling
2	20700052G	Bearing
3	24900010G	E-shape Retaining Ring
4	25500048G	Wire Ring φ8
5	22802222G	Y Axis Pulley Shaft
6	22802220G	Y Transmit Shaft Seat
7	22802287G	Small Gear _Small Pulley

2.10. Z-platform

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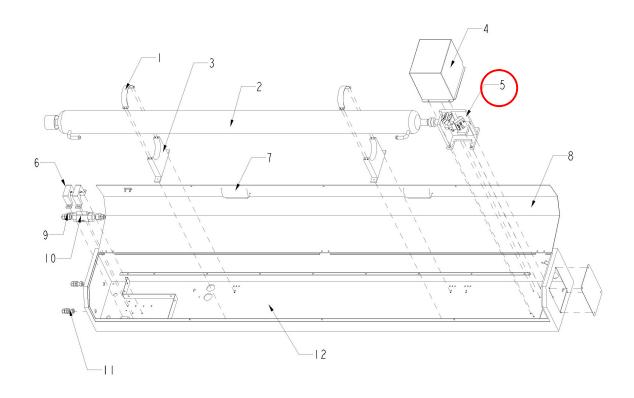


No.	Part No.			Description
INO.	X252	X380	MG380 Hybrid	Description
1	29000205G	N/A	N/A	Screw Bar Assembly_Left
1	29000206G	N/A	N/A	Screw Bar Assembly_Right
1	N/A	29005058G	29005058G	Screw Bar Assembly
2	22801022G	22801022G	22801022G	Lead Screw Bar
3	20600024G	20600027G	20600027G	Z Axis Belt
4	29004491G	29005784G	29005784G	Z Motor Assembly
5	22800084G	22800084G	22800084G	Idle Pulley
6	N/A	29002521G	29002521G	Z Axis Idle Wheel Seat Assembly
7	N/A	29005124G	29005124G	Z Axis Down Limit Switch Assembly



# 2.11 Laser unit for X380 only

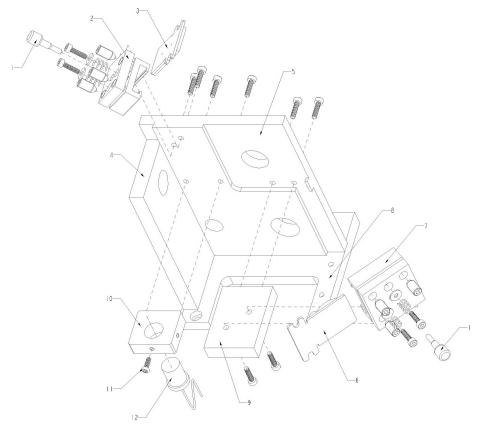




No.	Part No.	Description
1	24403515G	Glass Laser Tube Fixed Plate
2	29005706G	100S Laser Unit Assembly
3	22803081G	Glass Laser Tube Holder
4	24403802G	Back Prism Dust-Proof Cover
5	29006152G	Back Prism Assembly
6	22802976G	Flow Switch Mount
7	23300387G	Plastic Embedded Pulls
8	24403516G	Glass Laser Tube Cover
9	23300347G	CB10-04 φ10mm*1/2"T _ water flow sensor screw
10	25700052G	Water Flow Sensor
11	23300346G	Partition Connect (UCB.φ10mm) _Copper screw connector
12	24403797G	Case for Laser



# 2.12. Back Prism Assembly for X380 only (29006152G\_ See above diagram for red circle)

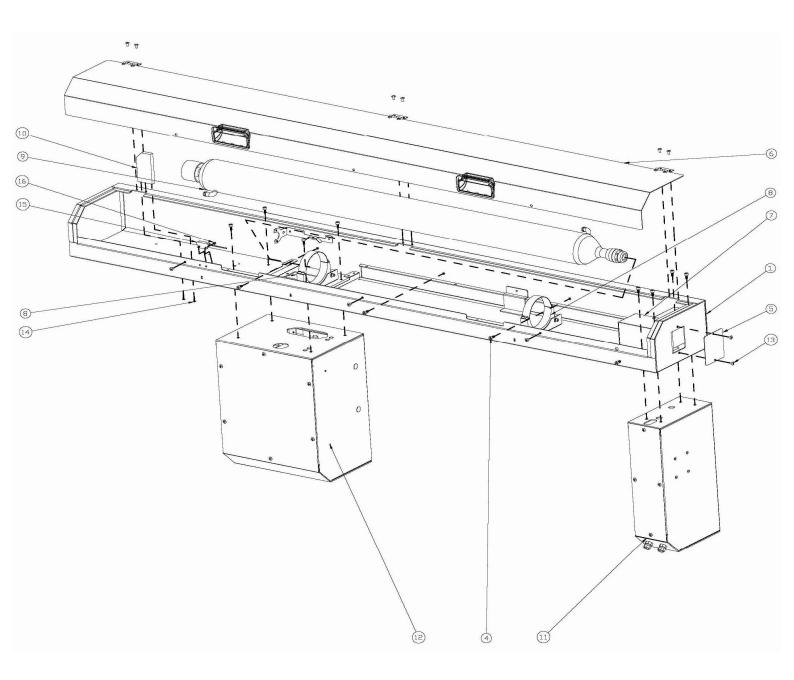


No.	Part No.	Description
1	22800914G	Mirror Screw
2	20200185G	Prism Mounts Assembly
3	29001109G	Red Beam Mirror Assembly
4	22803076G	Prism Mounts Holder -2
5	22803075G	Prism Mounts Holder -1
6	29004329G	1" Mirror Holder Assembly
7	20200110G	Prism Mount
8	22802924G	Prism Mounts Holder -3
9	22803077G	Prism Mounts Holder -4
10	22802886G	Red Light Holder
11	25200127G	Pan Head Machine Screw(M3*8L)
12	23600028G	Laser Diode Module



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No.	Part No.	Description
1	244040370G	Case for Laser
2	26500245G	25mm Snap bushing (SB-2530)
3	23301151G	SNAP BUSHING (0813C)
4	25200274G	Socket head set screw.(M5*10L)
5	244040410G	Metal Box Side Cover
*6	290065070G	Metal box cover Assembly
*7	290065090G	Back Prism Assembly
*8	290065080G	tuning bracket (Laser tube)
9	22900066G	Reci glass laser tube-V2-1150-80W
10	228032000G	Position Block
*11	290065060G	Left Pillar Unit Assembly
*12	290065120G	Right Pillar Unit Assembly (80R)
13	25200385G	Truss head machine screw(M4*8)
14	25200144G	Truss head machine screw(M3*10L).
15	25700015G	Magnetic Switch
16	23500013G	Nut(M3xt2.4xS5.5)



# 2.14 Laser unit for X252

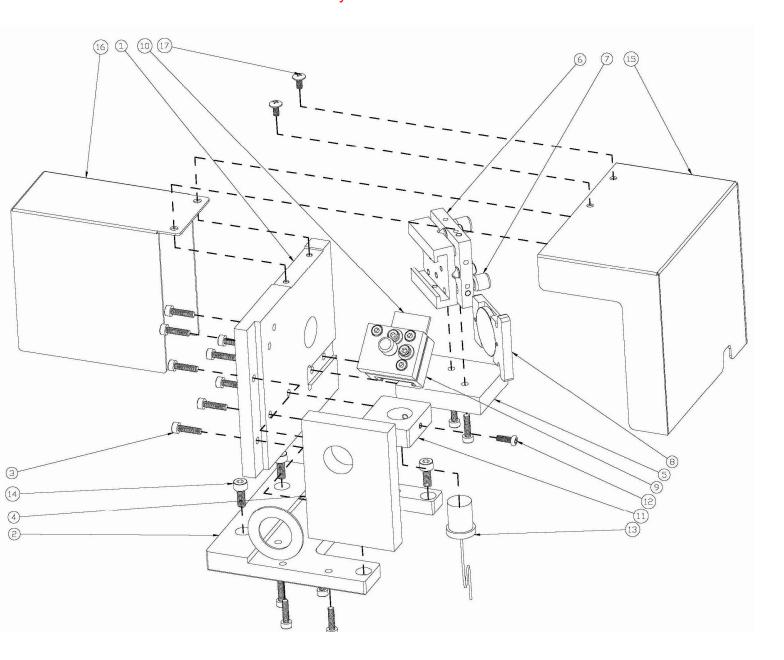




No.	Part No.	Description
*6	290065070G	Metal box cover Assembly
1	244040400G	Cover for Laser Tube Case
2	24400991G	plank hinge
3	23300387G	Plastic Embedded Pulls
4	25200385G	Truss head machine screw(M4*8)
5	22000045G	Magnet MC-12
6	23500013G	Nut(M3xt2.4xS5.5)



## 2.15 Laser unit for X252 290065090G Back Prism Assembly



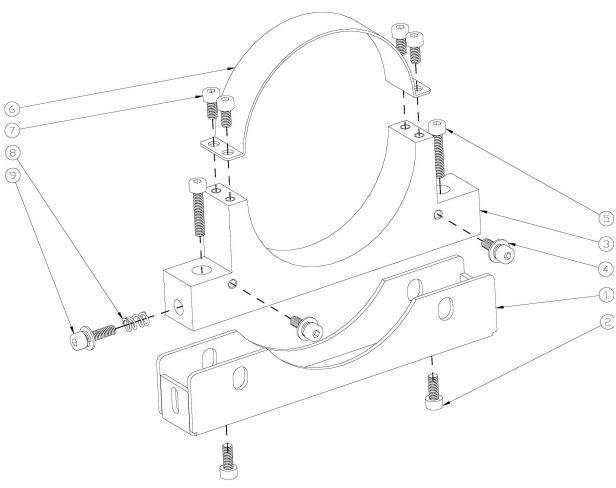




No.	Part No.	Description
*7	290065090G	Back Prism Assembly
1	228032010G	Prism Mounts Holder -1
2	22802924G	prism mounts holder -3
3	25200138G	Socket head set screw.(M3*10L sus+coating)
4	228032020G	Prism Mounts Holder -2
5	228032030G	Prism Mounts Holder -3
6	20200262G	Prism Mount
7	22800914G	mirror pin
8	290069520G	1" Mirror holder assembly
9	20200185G	prism mounts Assembly
10	29001109G	Red Beam Mirror Assembly
11	22802886G	red light holder
12	25200127G	Pan head machine screw(M3*8L)
13	290065010G	Red Pointer Assembly
14	25200205G	Socket head set screw.(M4*10L)
15	244040460G	Prism Dust Cover
16	244040470G	Optical Dust Cover
17	25200144G	Truss head machine screw(M3*10L).

#### 2.16 Laser unit for X252

# 290065080G tuning bracket (Laser tube)



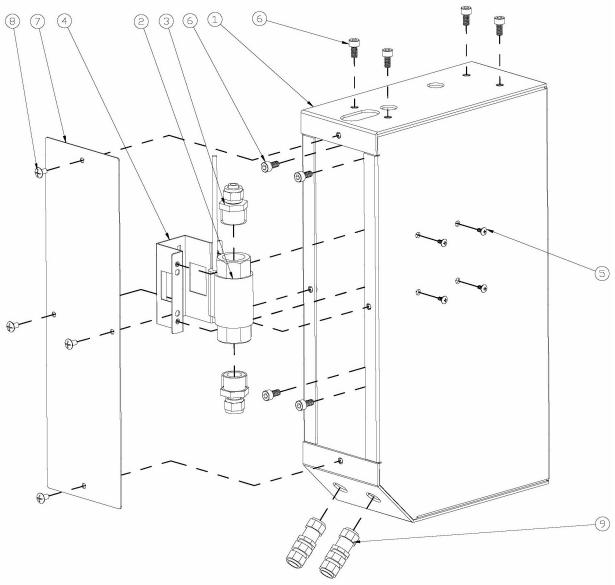
No.	Part No.	Description
*8	290065080G	tuning bracket (Laser tube)
1	244040480G	Prism Base
2	25200205G	Socket head set screw.(M4*10L)
3	228032040G	Glass Laser Tube Holder
4	25200212G	HexagonalSocketHead including spring♭ washer.
5	25200240G	Socket head set screw.(M*20L)
6	24403515G	glass laser tube fixed plate
7	25200191G	Socket head set screw.(M4*8L)sus
8	25500023G	Spring
9	25200228G	HexagonalSocketHead including spring♭ washer.



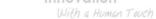


# 2.17 Laser unit for X252

# 290065060G Left Pillar Unit Assembly

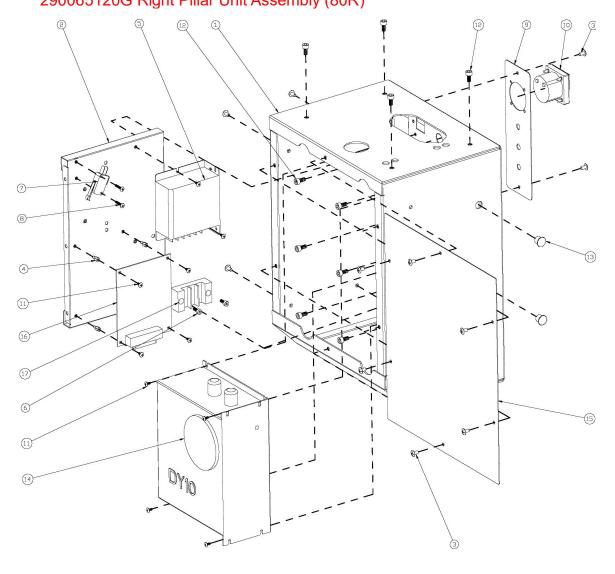


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No.	Part No.	Description	
*11	290065060G	Left Pillar Unit Assembly	
1	244040380G	Left Side of The Pillar	
2	25700052G	Flow Sensor (LFS-050SVS5-PVNO)	
3	23300347G	CB10-04 φ10mm*1/2"T (NO3-C4010)	
4	244040490G	Water Sensor Holder	
5	25200144G	Truss head machine screw(M3*10L).	
6	25200274G	Socket head set screw.(M5*10L)	
7	244040420G	Left Pillar Cover	
8	25200385G	Truss head machine screw(M4*8)	
9	23300346G	partition connect UCB.φ10mm (N10-C10)	





# 2.18 Laser unit for X252 290065120G Right Pillar Unit Assembly (80R)



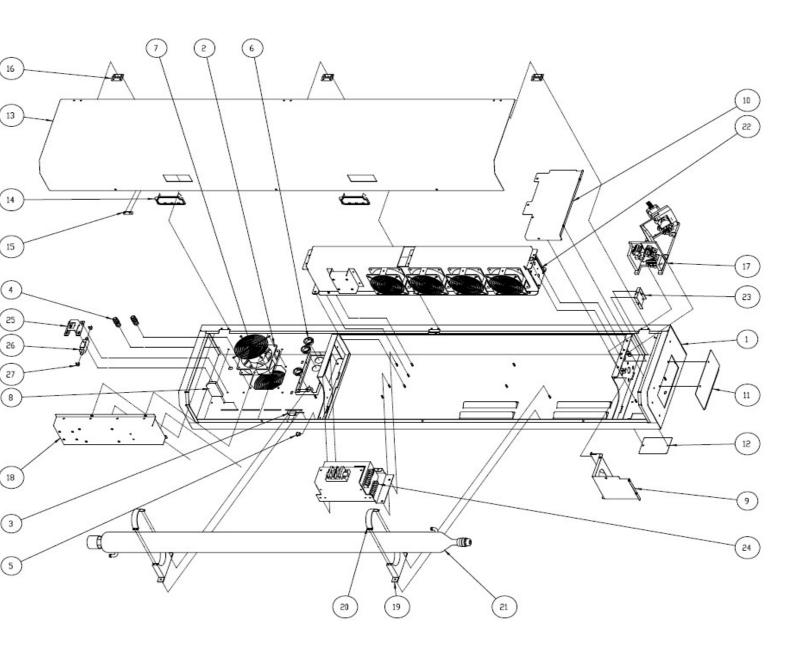


No.	Part No.	Description
*12	290065120G	Right Pillar Unit Assembly (80R)
1	244040390G	Right Side of The Pillar
2	244040450G	Control Floor
3	25200385G	Truss head machine screw(M4*8)
4	22000094G	Hex Screw M3*6
5	24500087G	Power Supply (RS-35-12)
6	25200205G	Socket head set screw.(M4*10L)
7	25700002G	Lever Switch (VM3-04N-80S-U3 (390))
8	25200017G	Truss head machine screw(M3*15L).black
9	244040440G	Indicator Panel
10	22000426G	CURRENT GAUGE 0~50mA (DE-430 D.C.50mA)
11	25200115G	Truss head machine screw(M3*6L SUS).
12	25200274G	Socket head set screw.(M5*10L)
13	23301255G	Cover(M-11)
14	24500091G	Reci High Voltage Power Supply (DY-10)
15	244040430G	Right Pillar Cover
16	29006036G	High voltage control board module for CDGRI & Reci
17	21100236G	MOLDED TERMINAL (GD40-25A-3P)





# 2.19 Laser unit for MG380 Hybrid only(290081270G)





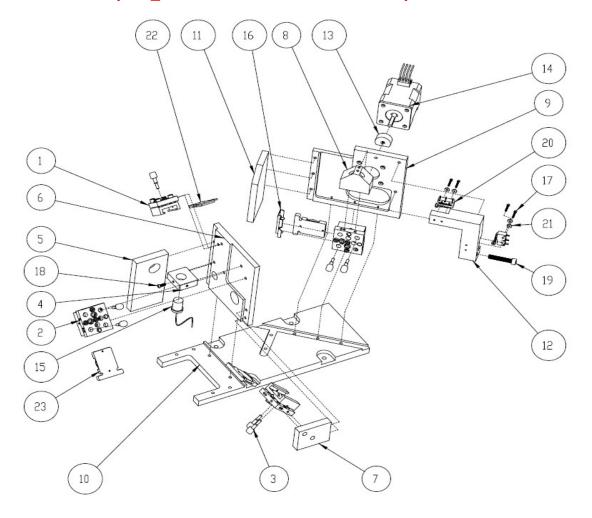


No.	Part No.	Description
1	244047480G	Laser case
2	22200024G	FAN DC12V (AD1212HB-51(N)LF)
3	25700015G	Magnetic Switch
4	23300346G	partition connect UCB.φ10mm (N10-C10)
5	23301151G	SNAP BUSHING (0813C)
6	26500245G	25mm Snap bushing (SB-2530)
7	22000106G	Fan finger guard 12cm(008170)(G12B8-4HA)(S109-8)
8	228032000G	Position Block
9	244047560G	Front bulkhead
10	244047550G	Partition plate
11	244047570G	Side cover
12	244047580G	Bottom cover
13	244047490G	Adapter Box
14	23300387G	Plastic Embedded Pulls
15	25700015G	Magnetic Switch
16	24400991G	plank hinge
*17	290081310G	Back Prism Assembly
*18	290081350G	Control Box Assembly
19	22802888G	glass laser tube holder
20	24403515G	glass laser tube fixed plate
21	290065310G	Reci glass laser tube-Z4-1400-100W
*22	290081360G	25W Laser tube Assembly
23	244047540G	Ray base
*24	290081390G	25W Power supply Assembly
25	244040491G	Water Sensor Holder
26	257001010G	Flow Sensor (SK-1010CL)
27	233013330G	Hose Clamp (HP-10D)



#### 2.20 Laser unit for

# X380 Hybrid\_290081310G Back Prism Assembly

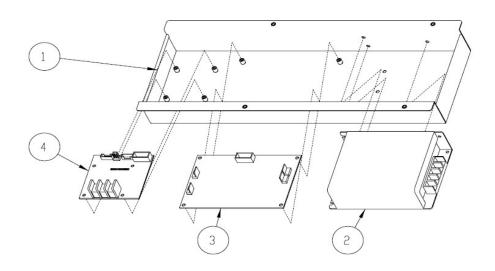




No.	Part No.	Description
1	20200262G	Prism Mount
2	202003240G	Prism Mounts Assembly
3	22800914G	mirror pin
4	22802886G	red light holder
5	22802925G	prism mounts holder -2
6	22802926G	prism mounts holder -1
7	22803003G	prism mounts holder -4
8	228036170G	Ray base
9	228036180G	Motor bracket
10	228036200G	Prism mounts holder
11	228036210G	Bracket Mount
12	228036220G	Limit holder
13	228036690G	Damper Block
14	23100039G	step motor 17HS5005-26B
15	23600028G	Laser Diode module
16	244047590G	Press board
17	25200073G	Socket head set screw.(M2*12L)
18	25200127G	Pan head machine screw(M3*8L)
19	25200377G	Socket head set screw (M5*30)
20	25700008G	Level Limited Switch
21	26000020G	Flat washer. (d2xD6xt0.7) SUS
22	29001109G	Red Beam Mirror Assembly
23	290076790G	1" Mirror holder assembly

#### 2.21 Laser unit for

# MG80 Hybrid\_290081350G Control Box Assembly

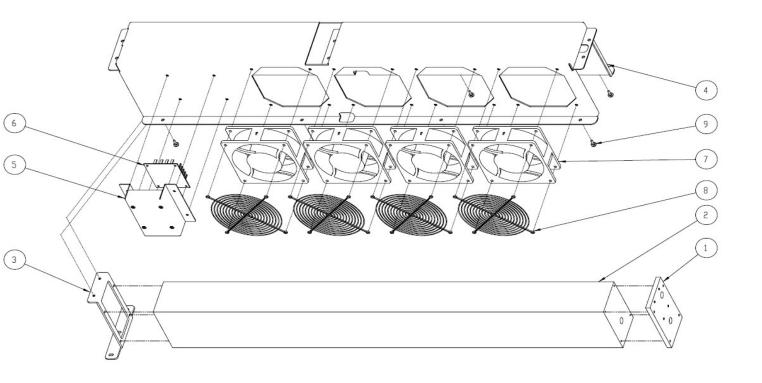


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No.	Part No.	Description		
1	244047500G	Adapter Box		
2	24500071G	Auto Switch Power Supply(RS-75-24) - Vogue		
3	JULIUNANALILA	Laser Roll to Roll Control Board Set(with roll to roll installation program)		
4	290068300G	Roll to Roll Transfer PCB Set		



### 2.22 Laser unit for

### MG380 Hybrid\_290081360G 25W Laser tube Assembly



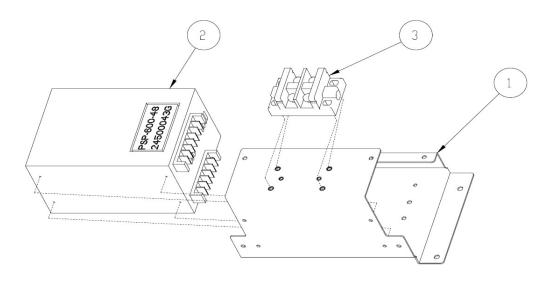
### Parts List:

No.	Part No.	Description
1	228036190G	Laser front bracket
2	22900002G	Synrad 25W Laser Tube
3	244047510G	Laser fixture board
4	244047520G	Heat Sink Cover
5	244042400G	Adapter cover
6	29005059G	DC12V POWER MODULE
7	22200024G	FAN DC12V (AD1212HB-51(N)LF)
8	22000106G	Fan finger guard 12cm(008170)(G12B8-4HA)(S109-8)
9	26500210G	Rubber Foot TNF-1



### 2.23 Laser unit for

### MG380 Hybrid\_290081390G 25W Power supply Assembly



### Parts List:

No.	Part No.	Description
1	244047530G	Power fixed board
2	24500043G	Power Supply (PSP-600-30GCN)
3	21100345G	60A TERMINAL 2PIN(GGD50-60A-2P)



### **Chapter 3 Electrical System**

### 3.1 Power System

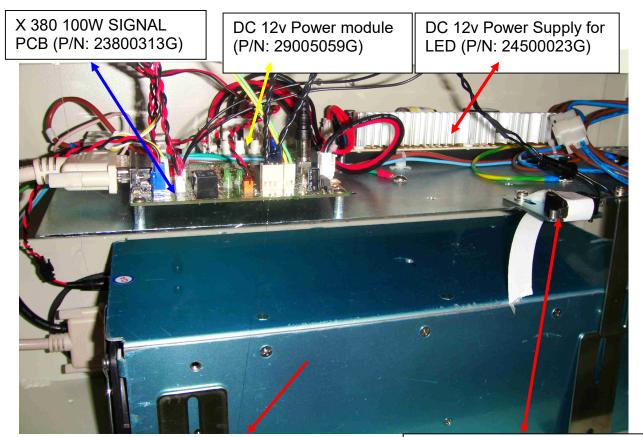
Power supply for main board (5v/40v part number: 29001813G)



EMI filter: P/N; 21800007G







High voltage power supply

80W (P/N: 245001060G)100W (P/N: 245001080G)

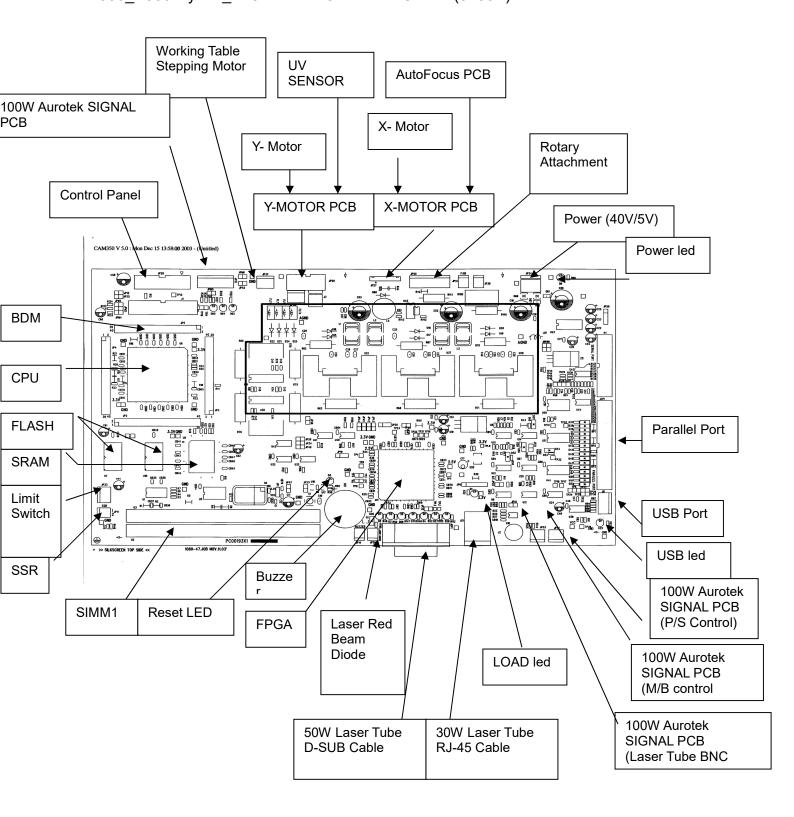
Back Door Sensor(is also level switch): P/N; 25700002G. When back door is open, the high voltage power supply will be turn off. For safety reason.





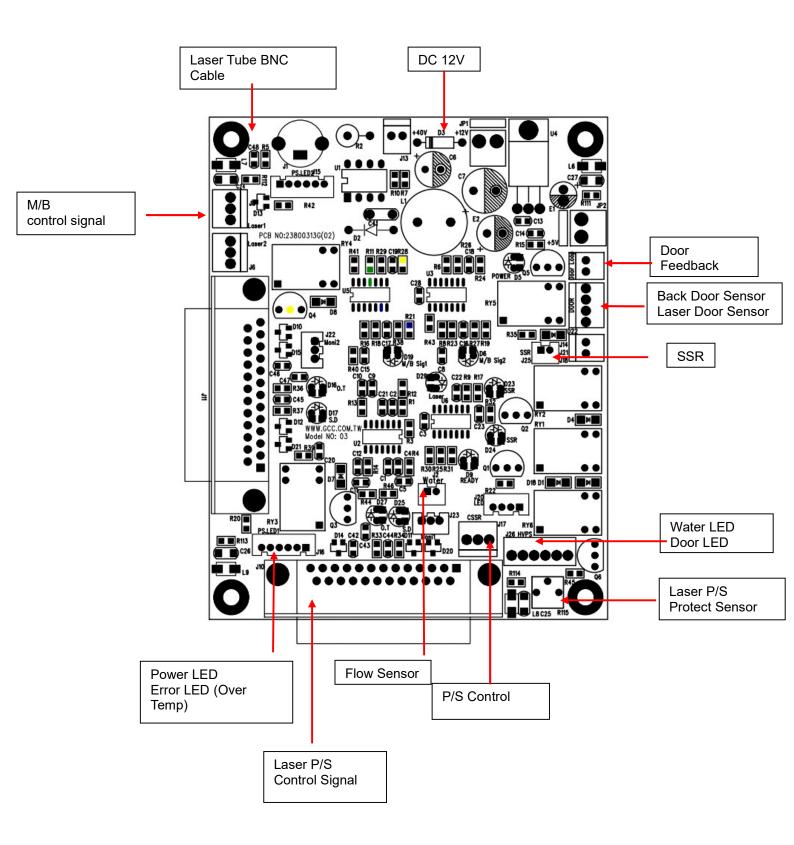
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X380\_X380 Hybrid\_X252 MAINBOARD DIAGRAM (5206E)





X 380 100W SIGNAL PCB (23800313G) DIAGRAM

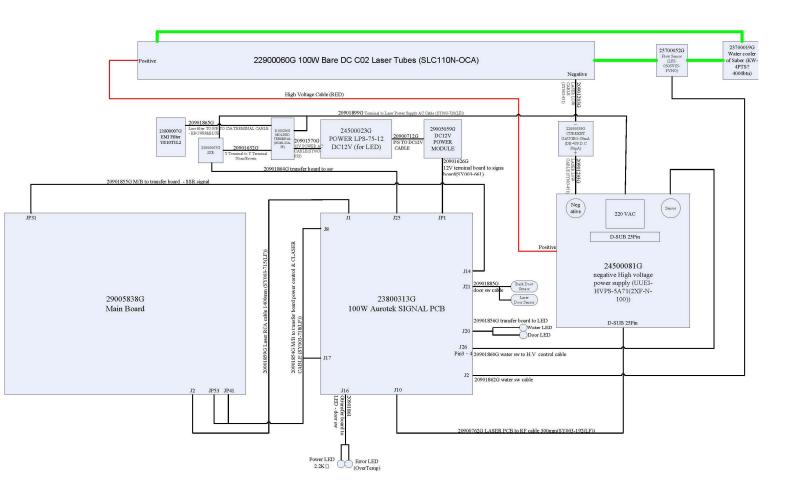




System Diagram for X380 LS

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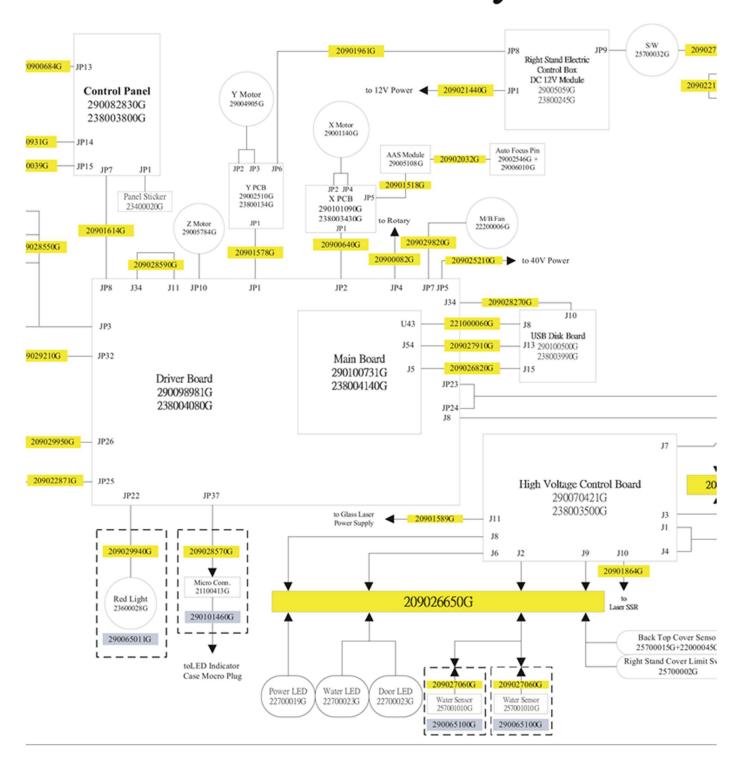
System Diagram for X380LS





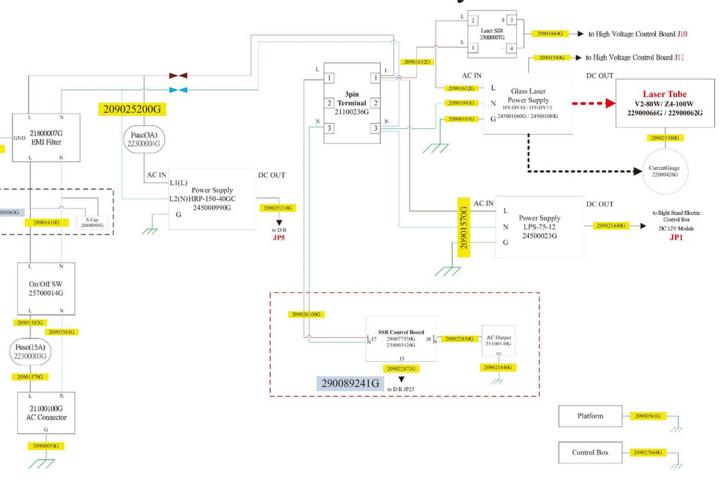
System Diagram for X380RX (5272V2 Mainboard)

# X380RX EE System



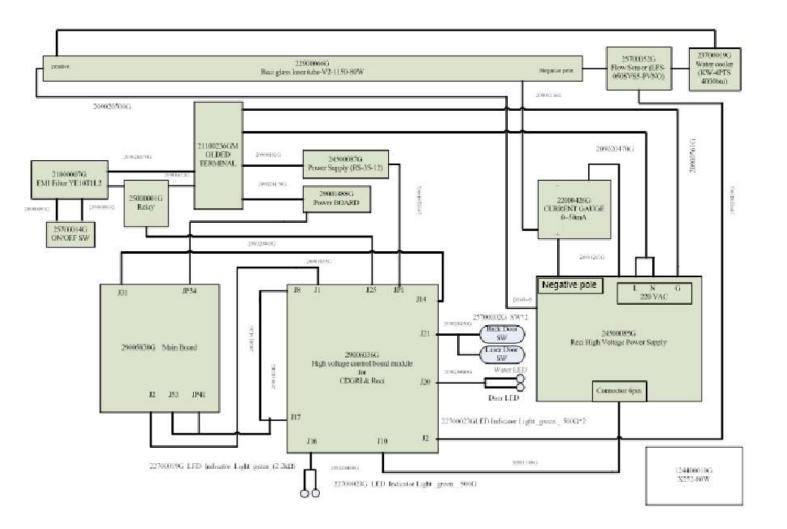


# X380RX AC Power System



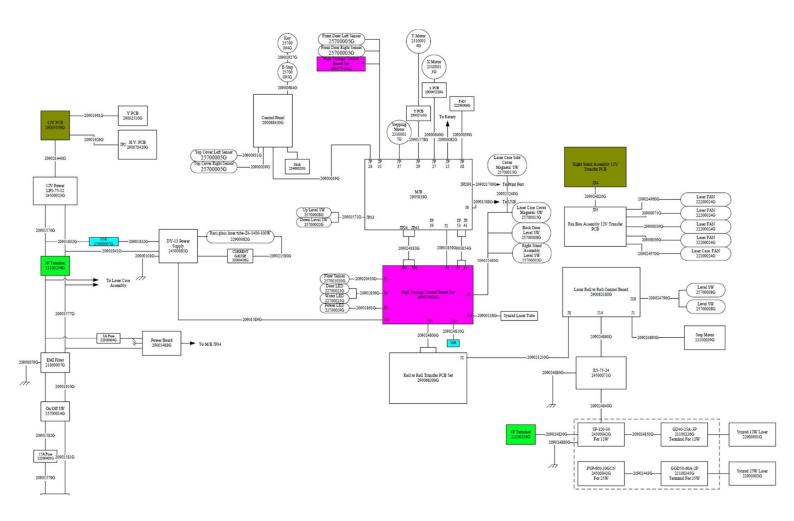


• System Diagram for X252 (5206e Mainboard)



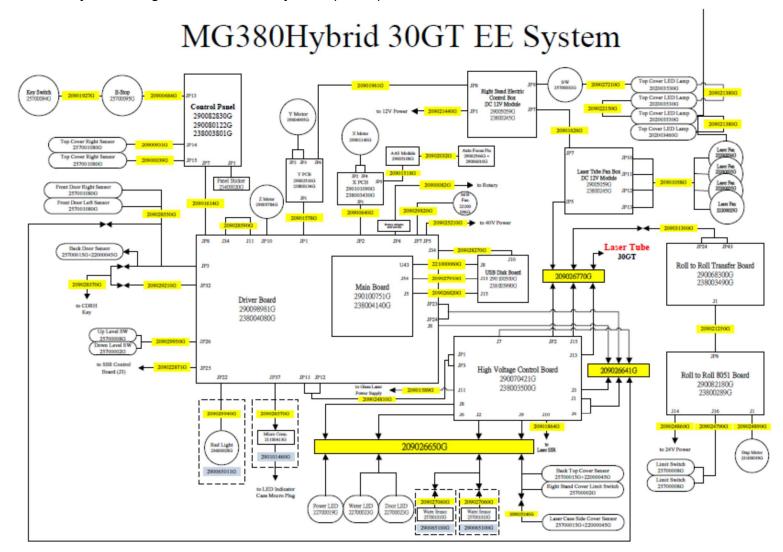


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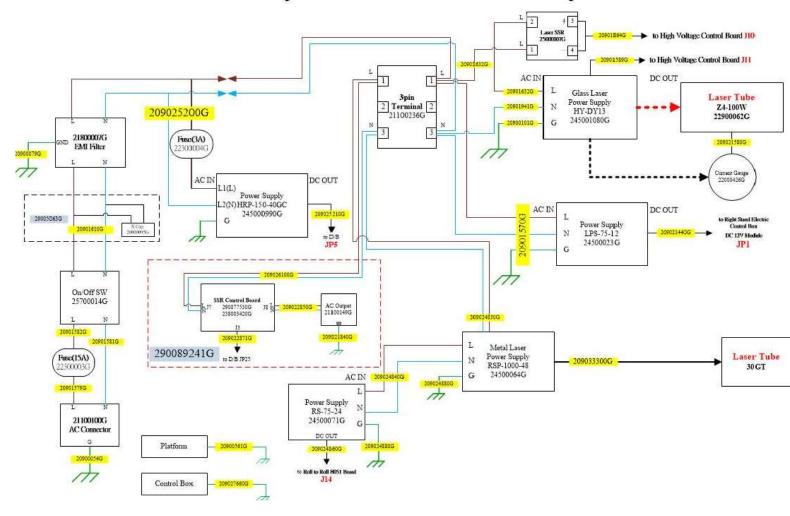


System Diagram for MG380 Hybriad (30GT) – 5272V3 M/B





## MG380Hybrid 30GT AC Power System



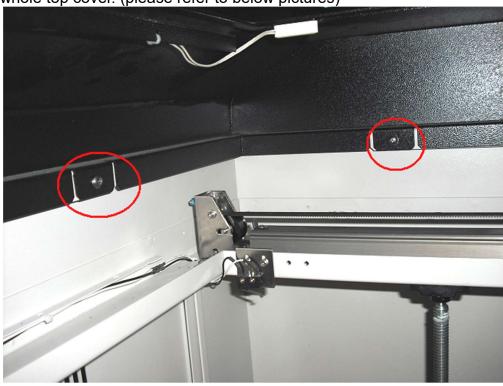


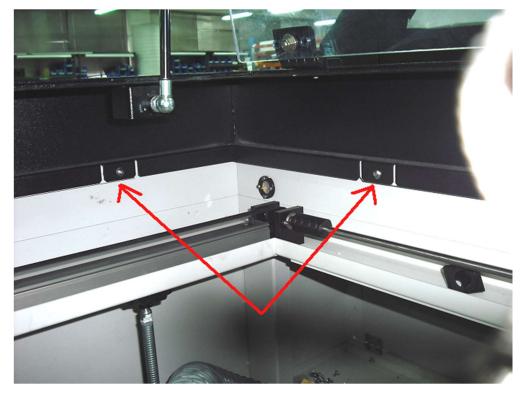
### **Chapter 4 Components Replacement**

4.1 X252 & X380 Control Panel Changing process

1. Open the top window, and loosen eight screws inside, then you can remove the

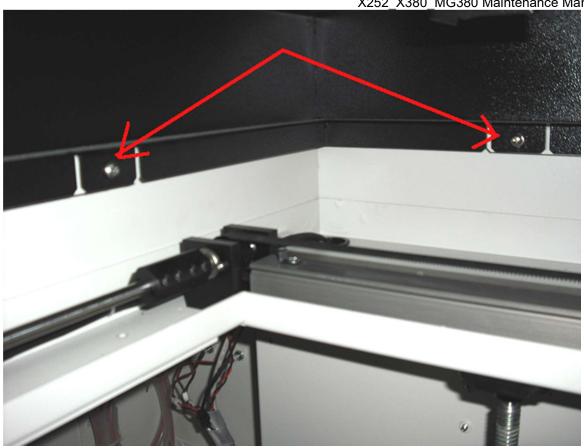
whole top cover. (please refer to below pictures)

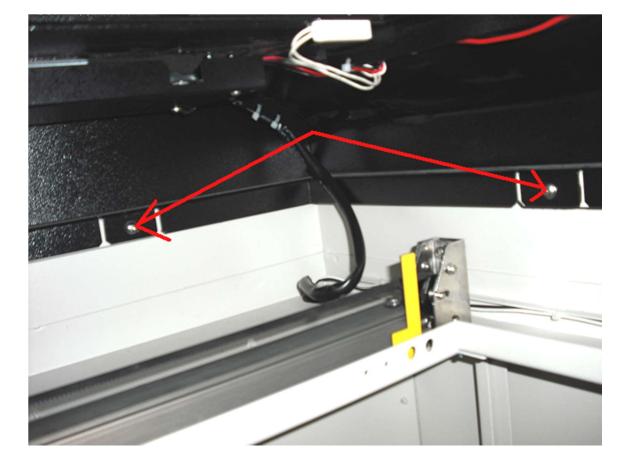










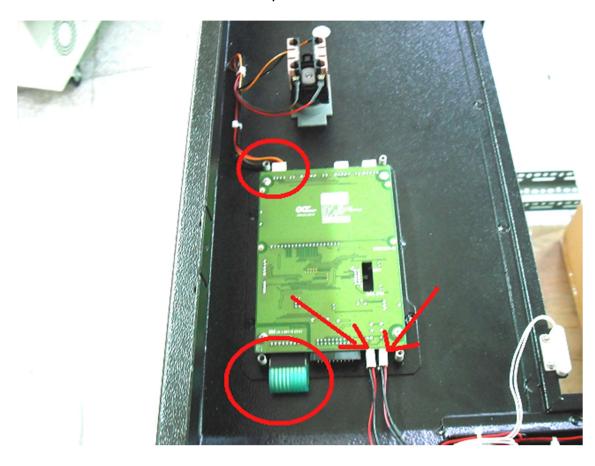


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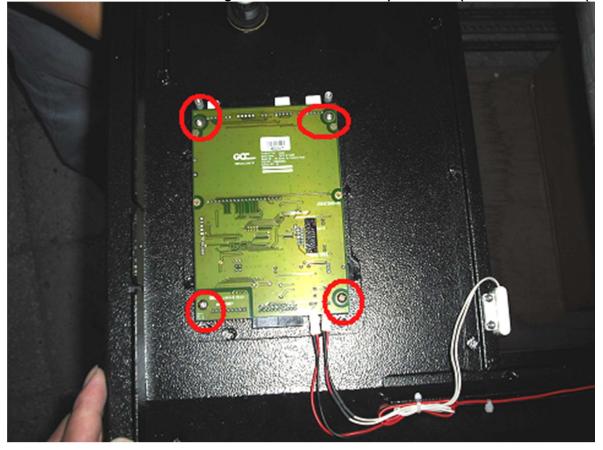


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2. Disconnect circles cables show in below picture



3. Loosen four screws for the fixing of Control Panel and you can replace the Control panel







### 4.2 X252 & X380 Power board changing process

1. Dismount six screws on the side panel (see red arrows below)



2. Disconnect the AC cable (see picture below)



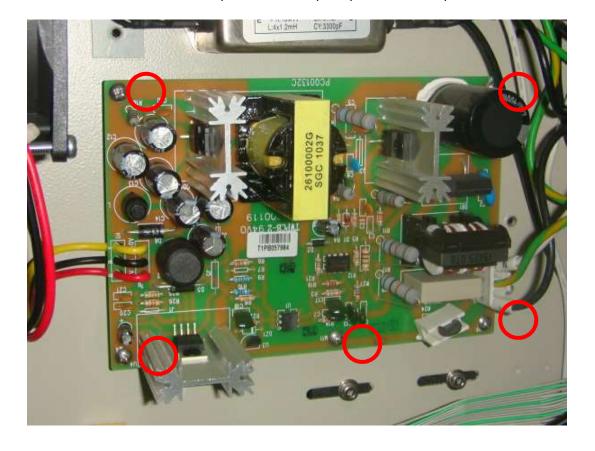




3. Disconnect the DC cable (see picture below)



4. Loosen five screws to remove the power board (see picture below)



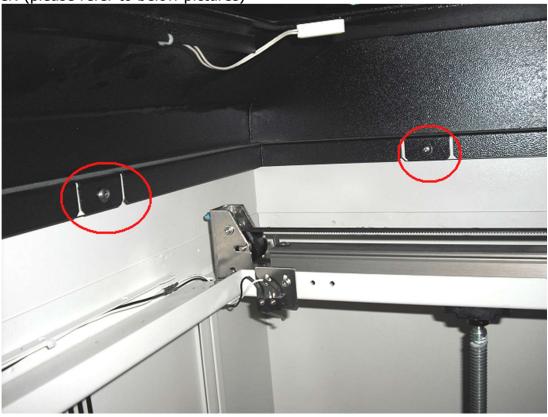


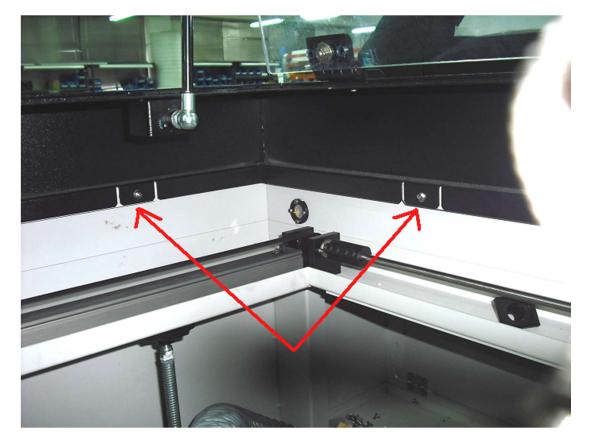


4.3 X252 & X380 X motor & auto focus cable changing process

. Open the top window, and loosen eight screws inside, then you can remove the whole top

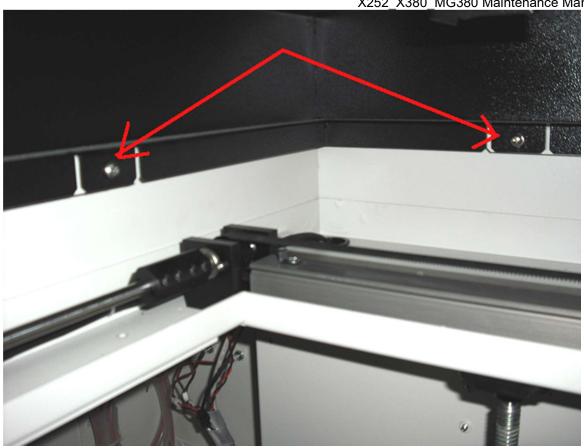
cover. (please refer to below pictures)

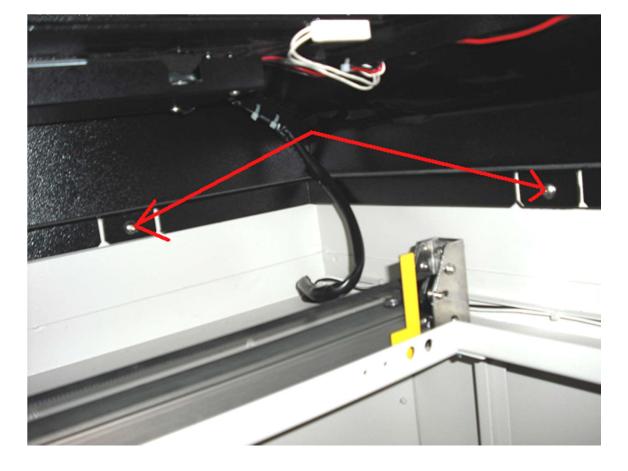










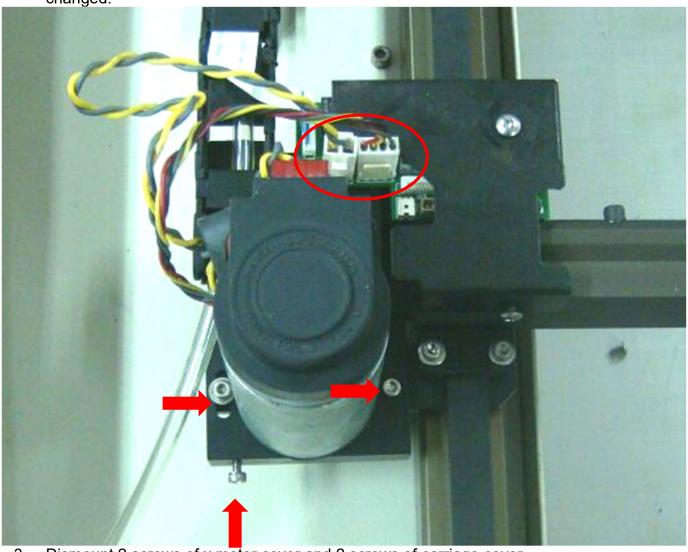


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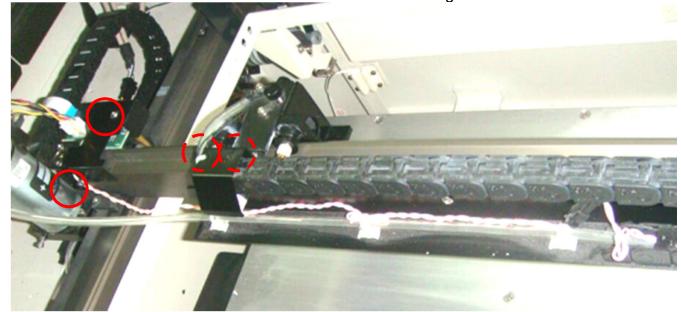


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2. Dismount 3 screws of x motor (red arrow below) and the x motor cable be removed and changed.



3. Dismount 2 screws of x motor cover and 2 screws of carriage cover.

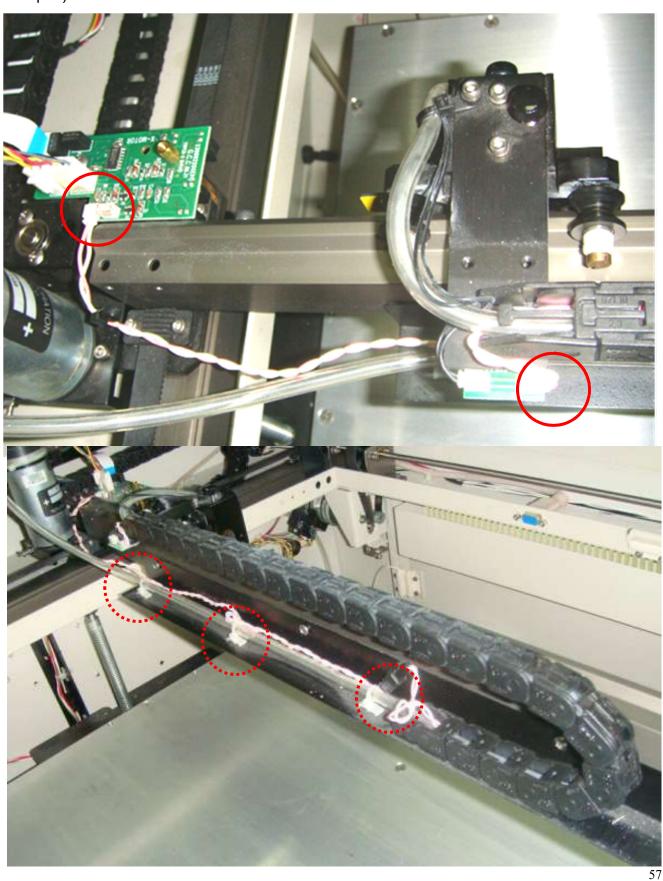


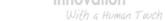




For changing auto focus cable, first remove the auto focus cable from x motor pcb (see red circle below).

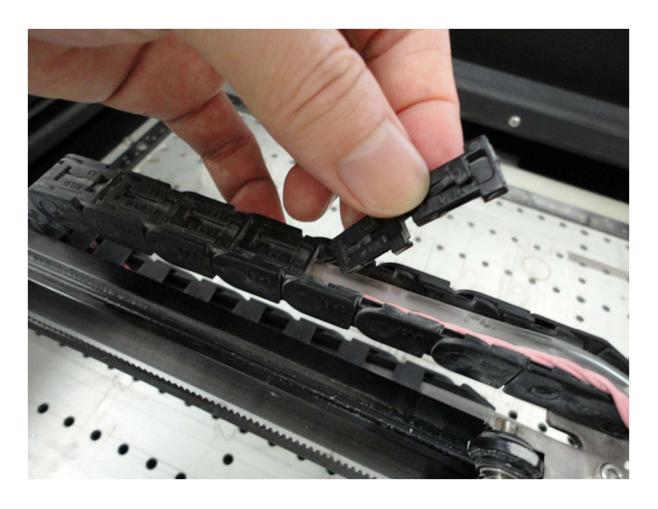
On lens carriage side, remove the auto focus cable also (it is tight, so use tweezers will be helpful).

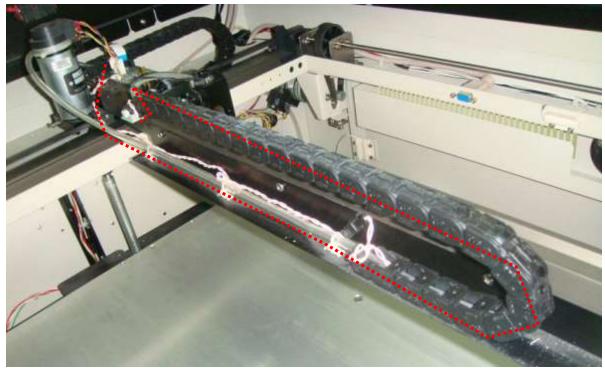






### 5. Pull out some joint will be easier to change auto focus cable.





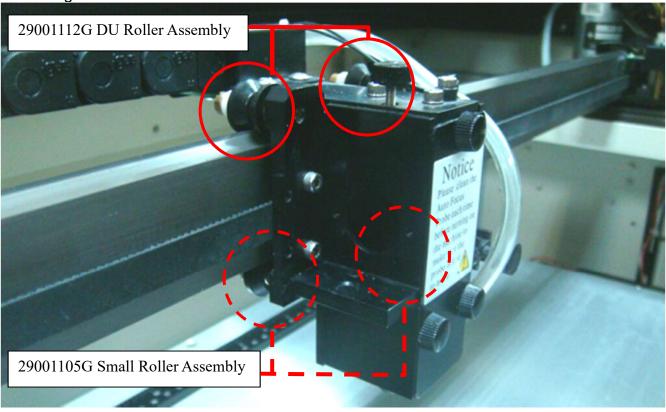
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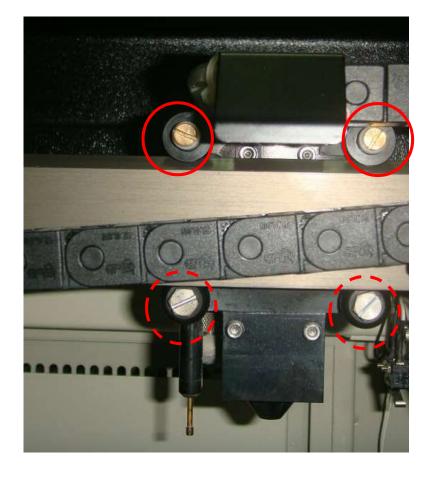
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### 4.4 Changing the X rollers

1. To change rollers as shown below.



2. Unscrew the following screws to remove the small roller and DU roller.



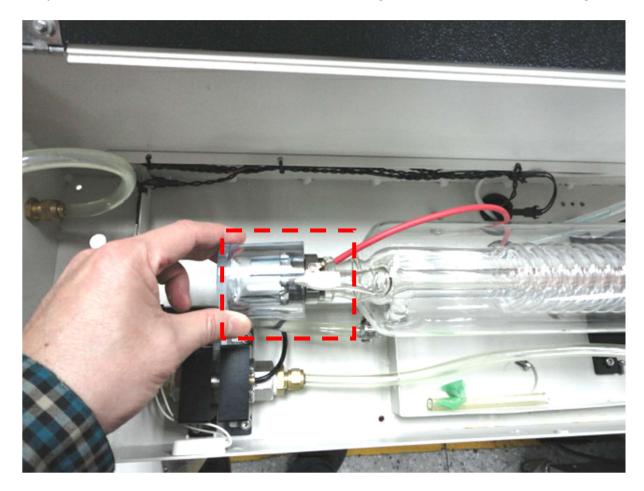




4.5 X252 & X380 Reci 80/100w laser tube replacement process

X252 & X380 & MG380 Hybrid laser tube is glass tube and the DC power is high voltage, so the first thing is to turn off machine power before changing laser tube.

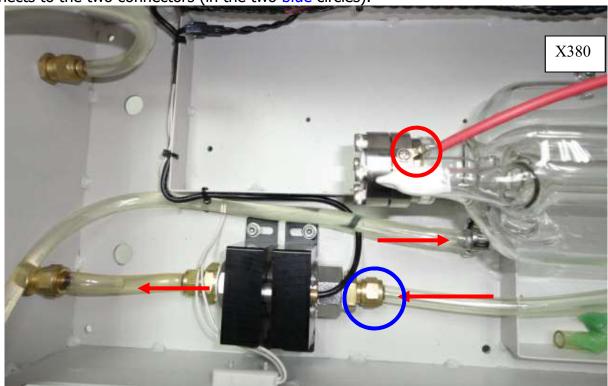
1. Open the laser tube cover and then remove the glass cover from the back of glass tube.

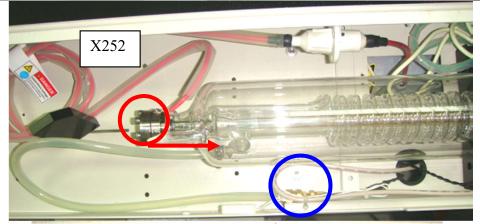


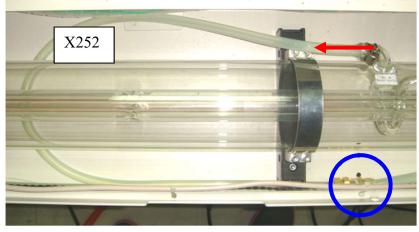




2. Remove the high voltage red positive wire (+) from the back side of laser tube (remove the screw in the red circle below). And remove the water pipe. From the picture below, the red arrow shows the direction of water flow. When GCC send new glass tube, the new glass tube will come with the new water pipe (already connected to new glass tube), so the new pipe connects to the two connectors (in the two blue circles).

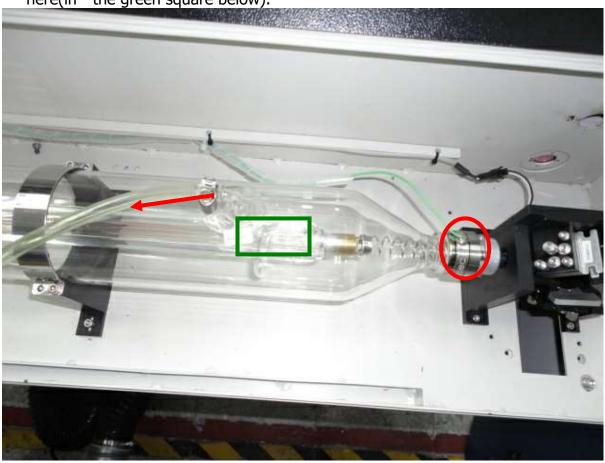




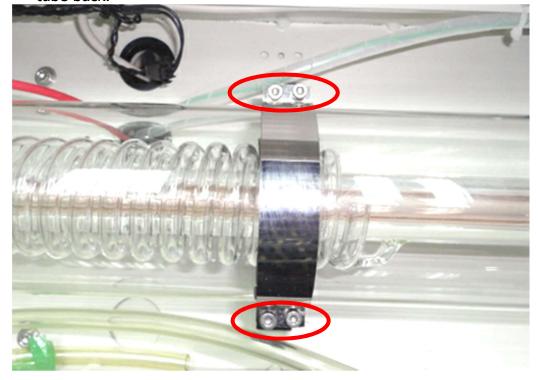




2. On the front side of laser tube, the green negative wire (-) needs to remove. The red arrow shows the water flow direction. There is a sticker shows that the water out from here(in the green square below).



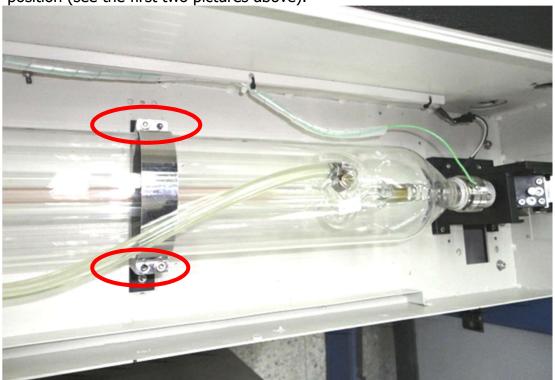
3. Then remove the tube holder screws. There are 4 screws on the back and 4 screws on the front. See red circles below. The laser tube now can be removed and change a new tube back.







\*\*\* Then tighten all the tube holder screws and then connect the red positive wire (+) and 5. green negative wire(-) to its position. Then connect the water pipe to its correct water flow position (see the first two pictures above).





### **Chapter 5** Laser System

### 5.1 How to measure the power output of a laser tube?

In order to measure the power output of a laser tube, we need to use a power meter (12170001G) that will measure the heat generated and convert it to a power reading. The best place to measure the laser output power is at the immediate output of the laser tube (before to mirror 1).





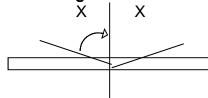


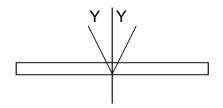
### 5.2 How does the laser beam travel to the working area?

The laser beam generated by the laser source is reflected and guided by 4 optical lenses on to the working area. Therefore the proper adjustment and maintenance of them are crucial.

#### 5.2.1 Optical Alignment

#### **Understanding Reflection.**





Light enters at an angle and leaves at an angle. If light enters at an angle X, it will leave at an angle X. If light enters at an angle Y, it will leave at an angle Y.

#### 5.2.2 Basic Beam Alignment

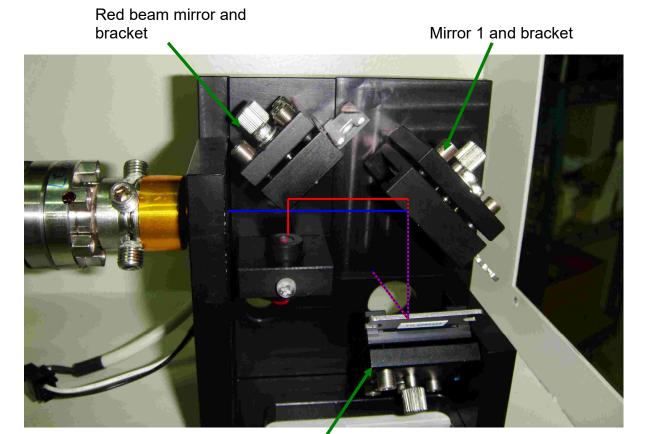
The laser beam is guided to the top of the working area by using 4 reflective mirrors. Therefore, these mirror adjustments are crucial to the proper functioning of the machine. If the laser beam is not aligned correctly, the beam path will be shifted or tilted and both rastering and vectoring quality will be affected.

Step 1: Unscrew cover of laser tube. Turn on the machine and enter the hidden diagnostic menu by holding down the Autofocus keys while turning on the machine. Select test laser source. Set laser power to about 5%. Remove the dust cover of Mirror 1. Since the red beam mirror, mirror 1 and mirror 2 are all close to each other, the red beam and laser tube will be close together. So just put a piece of masking tape on mirror 3 cover hole and make sure the laser beam and red beam pass through the hole of mirror 1 bracket and the hole of machine chassis.

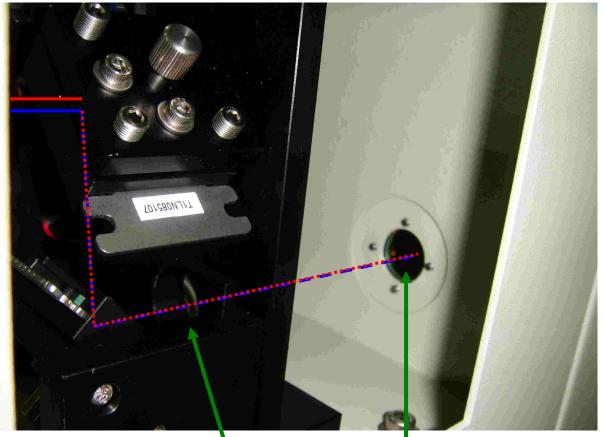




For X380 and X252 the mirror 1 and red beam mirror location are below:



Mirror 2 and bracket



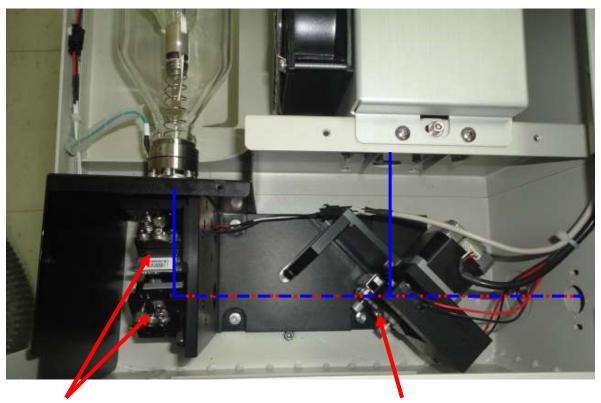
Hole of mirror 1 bracket

Hole of machine chassis



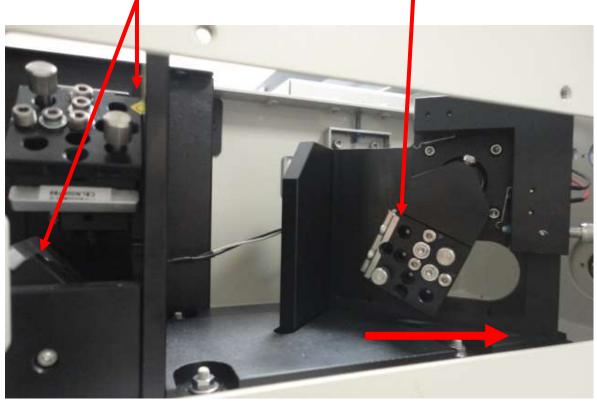


For MG380 Hybrid, the mirror 1 and red beam mirror location are below:



Glass tube mirror 1 and red beam mirror

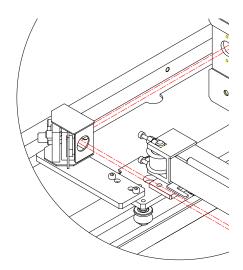
Synrad 25w tube mirror 1



For alignment, Synrad 25w metal tube mirror 1 need to move to the end of right side and then tune



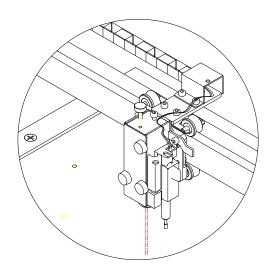
Step 2: Place a masking tape on the opening before Mirror 3. Move the rail along the Y-axis so that Mirror 3 is close to Mirror 2. Fire the laser and see if the laser beam goes through the center of the circle. Then move the rail so that Mirror 3 is to the far end of Mirror 2. Fire the laser and see if it leaves a mark at the same location when it was close to Mirror 2. Adjust Mirror 2 repeatedly so that the burnt mark is at the center and on top of one another when Mirror 3 is both close and far from Mirror 2.

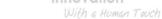


Step 3: Place a masking tape on the opening before Mirror 4. Move the pen carriage to the upper left corner of the working area. Fire the laser and adjust Mirror 3 so the laser beam passes through the center of the opening. Move the pen carriage to the upper right end of the working table. Fire the laser and adjust Mirror 3 so the laser beam passes through the center of the opening. The laser should pass through the same spot when the pen carriage is positioned at upper left and upper right. Do the same for the bottom left corner and bottom right corner.

Place a masking tape over the nozzle opening. Position the pen carriage at one of the 4 corners of the working area. Fire the laser and adjust Mirror 1 so the laser passes through the center of the nozzle opening. Repeat for all 4 corners of the working area. After adjusting Mirror 1, you may have to re-adjust Mirror 2 and Mirror 3 as well.

If the laser beam passes through the center of the nozzle opening at all 4 corners, then the laser beam should have been aligned properly. Cut four 20x20 mm squares at the four corners of the working area to double check that the edges of the square are not slanted







Step 4: When glass tube and Synrad 25w metal tube beam alignment is not match (for example: top left corner are same, but down right corner has gap), then can tune Synrad laser tube bracket screws to fix it.

Normally, the top and down will be OK, the only need to tune is left and right. To move the laser bracket to right side, first loosen left screw and then tighten right screw to PULL laser tube bracket to right side.

To move the laser bracket to left side, first loosen right screw and then tighten left screw to PULL laser tube bracket to left side.



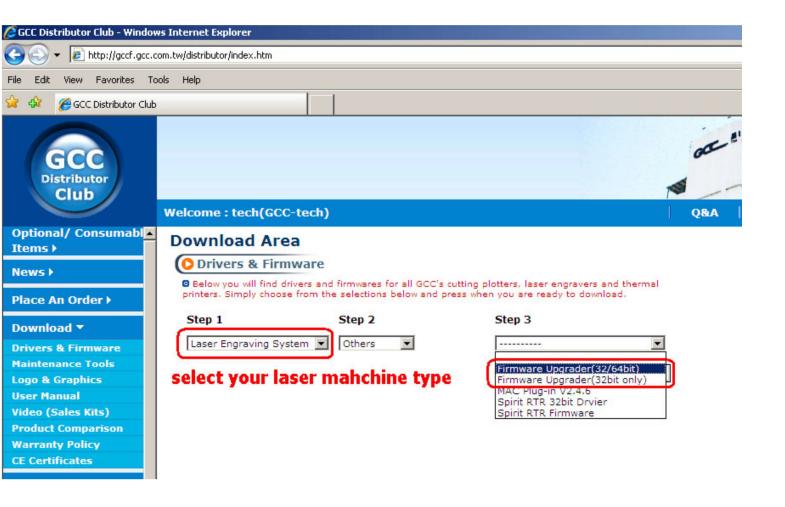


# **Chapter 6 Software**

6.1 How to upgrade firmware

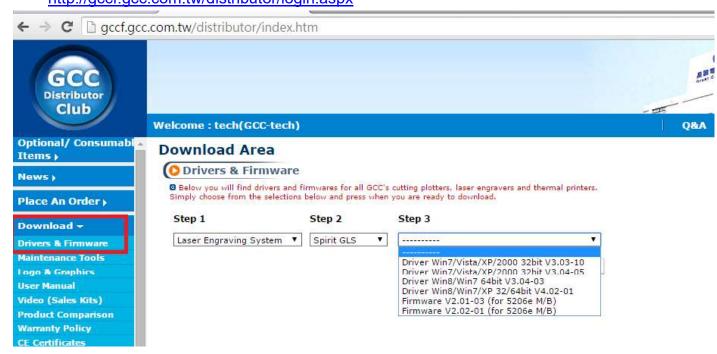
GCC machines require a firmware uploader program to upload the firmware of machine through USB/Parallel port.

6.1.1 The Firmware Uploader can be downloaded from GCC Distributor Club website : http://gccf.gcc.com.tw/distributor/login.aspx





6.1.2. Firmware can be downloaded from GCC Distributor Club http://gccf.gcc.com.tw/distributor/login.aspx



6.1.3. Check the version of firmware installed on the machine and the mainboard type first.

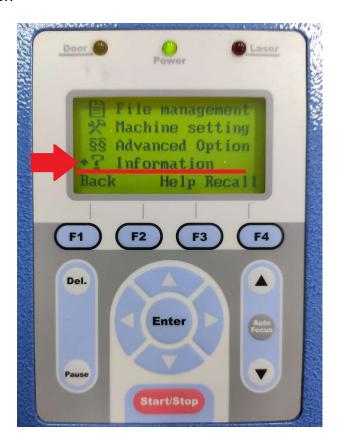
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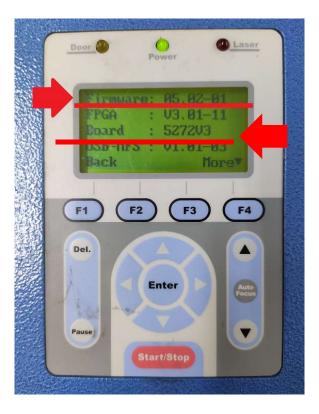
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#### b. Select "Information"



c. Press "Down" arrow key to enter the information page, the firmware version and mainboard type will show.







#### 6.1.4 For older machines:

For machines with 5272V1 mainboard equipped which have older firmware installed(\*1), and all machines with 5206E mainboard equipped, please follow below step 1  $\sim$  step 5 to finish the firmware upgrade.

\*1 Refer to this firmware version dividing line chart to judge if the firmware in your machine is an older version.

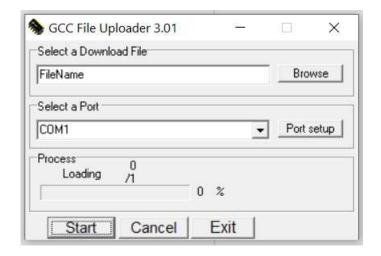
Model	Firmware version dividing line
Spirit	3.03-09
Spirit LS	3.03-04
Spirit GLS	3.03-04
X252RX	1.02-08
X380RX	1.03-01
S290LS	3.02-05
VenusII	1.03-06
C180II	1.03-07
Mercury III	3.03-02
MG380Hybrid	1.03-06

**Step1.** Refer to below chart, turn on the machine with pressing and holding the corresponding button, the machine will be boot in transfer mode using the communication port according to the button you press when turning on the machine.

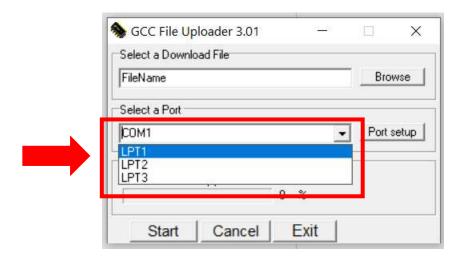
Model	Parallel port	Common USB	GCC USB
LaserPro,Mercury I, Mercury II,	Resume key +	N/A	N/A
Venus series	Power ON		
Explorer, ExplorerII, Spirit,	F2 key + power on	F1 key + power on	F3 key + power on
Spirit GE, Spirit_GX, Spirit LS,			
Spirit GLS, GAIA, GAIAII,			
MercuryIII, S290, S290LS,			
X252RX, X380RX/LS,			
X500RX/LS, X500III, C180II,			
FMC280, T500			
C180	A/F key + power	UP key + power	Down key + power on
	on	on	



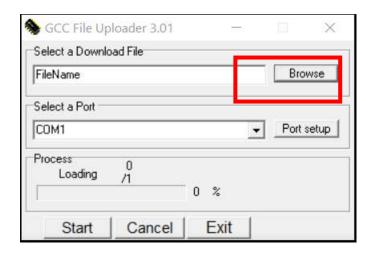
Step 2. Connect the USB / LPT cable between PC and Laser machine then run firmware uploader

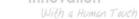


**Step 3.** Pull down the dropdown list of "Select a port", select the port you want to use to upload the firmware (according to what you did on Step 1)



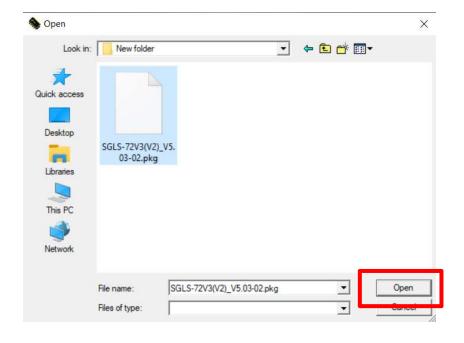
**Step 4**. Press the button "Browse" and select the firmware file you want to upload.

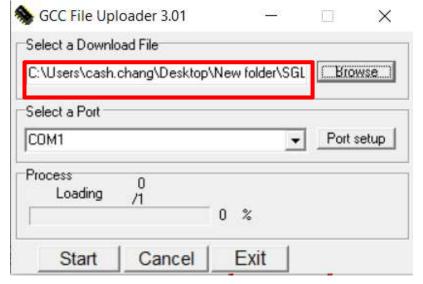






# Press "Open" to select the firmware file





Firmware file is selected.

**Step 5.** Press the "Start" button, the upgrading process will start, wait until the process is done, the machine will reboot automatically.



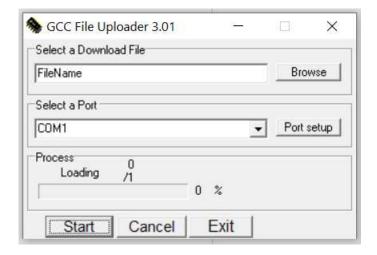
## 6.1.5 **For new version machines** (only USB is supported)

For machines with 5272V1 mainboard equipped which have new firmware installed (refer to the dividing line chart at 6.1.4), and machines with 5272V2 \ 5272V3 mainboard equipped, please follow below step 1 ~ step 5 to finish the firmware upgrade.

**Step .1** Press and hold "F1" and turn on the machine, machine will be boot in "USB Print support" mode.

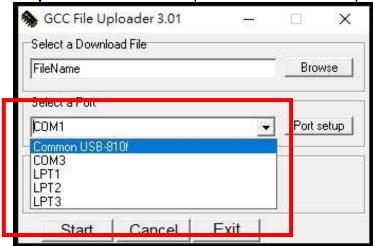


Step .2 Connect the USB cable between PC and Laser machine then run firmware uploader

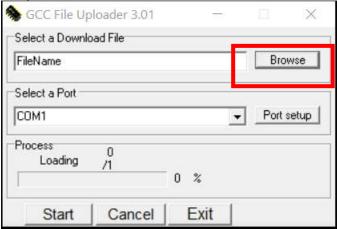




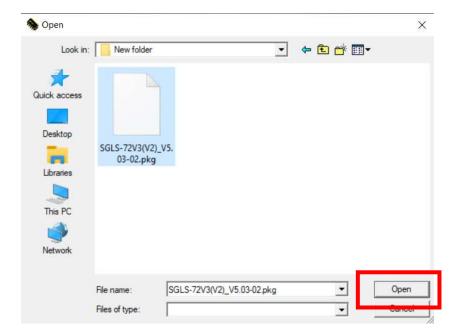
Step 3. Pull down the dropdown list of "Select a port", select "Common USB-XXXX"



**Step 4**. Press the button "Browse" and select the firmware file you want to upload.

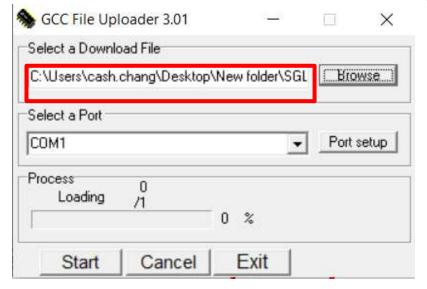


Press "Open" to select the firmware file





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Firmware file is selected.

Step 5. Press the "Start" button, the upgrading process will start, wait until the process is done, the machine will reboot automatically.

6.2. How to set the proper USB mode on GCC Laser Machine and printer port setting of windows system?

(For older machine only, refer to 6.1.4)

# Step 1 Check loader version installed on the machine

Press and hold "F4" on Control Panel then turn on the machine, if below page appears, the loader installed on the machine is the new loader, if the control panel shows nothing, the loader is an old loader.

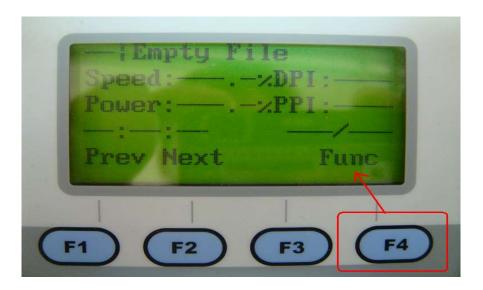


**Step 2** Set the proper USB mode on both the machine and printer port setting of windows system according to following table :

Laser series	Loader	Windows XP/Windows Vista/Windows 7		
Laser series	version	32 bit	64 bit	
Spirit/LS/C180	New	GCC USB or Common USB mode	Common USB mode	
	Old	GCC USB mode	X	
SGX/GLS	New	GCC USB or Common USB mode	Common USB mode	
	Old	GCC USB mode	X	
Mercury		Parallel	X	
Mercury II/III	New	GCC USB or Common	Common USB mode	
Wercury II/III	Old	USB mode	Common OSB mode	
S290/S290LS	New	GCC USB or Common	Common USB mode	
3290/3290L3	Old	USB mode	Common USB mode	
X252/X380/X500	New	GCC USB or Common	Common USB mode	
A252/A360/A500	Old	USB mode	Common OSB mode	
Gaia/Gaia II	New	GCC USB or Common	Common USB mode	
Gala/Gala II	Old	USB mode	Common Cob mode	

# Machine setting

I. Press F4 button on control panel home page to enter Function page

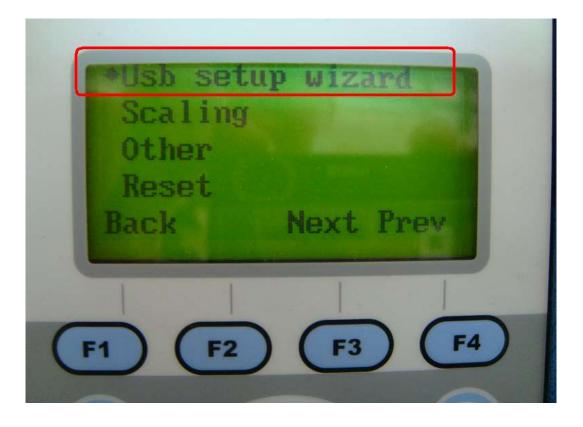




# II. Select "Machine setting"



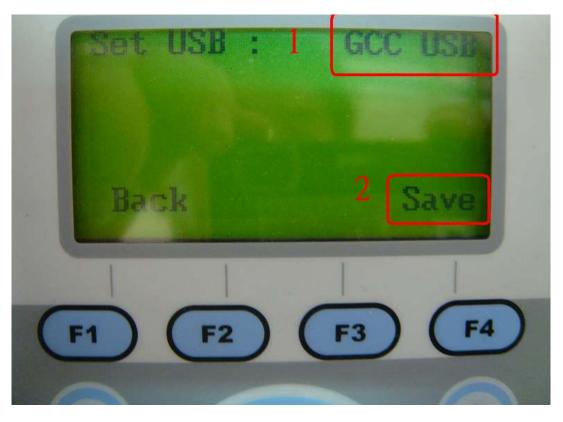
# III. Select "Usb setup wizard"



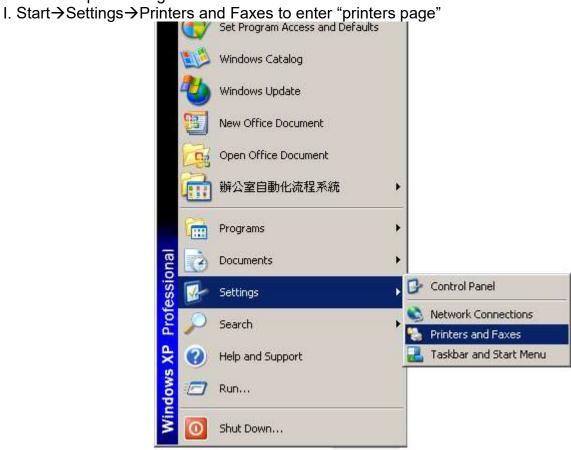




III. Choice the USB mode you want to use and save it.

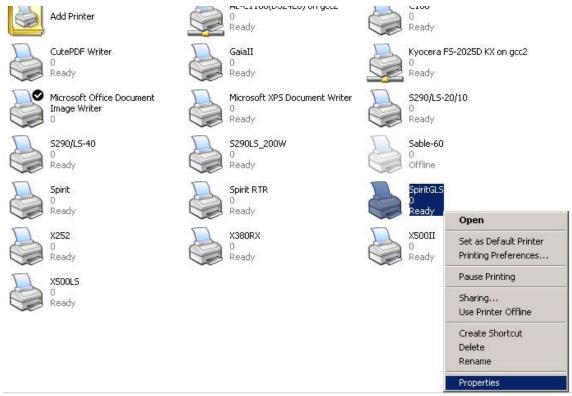


Printer port setting

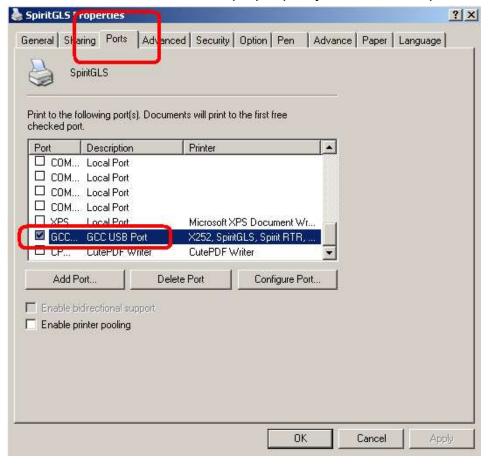




# II. Right click on the printer you want to set the port and select "Properties"



III. Turn to "Port" tab, select the proper port you want to set (in this case, it's GCC USB)





# **Chapter 7 Trouble Shooting & Diagnostic**

# 7.1 Firmware Error Message

Message	Laser Tube Error Laser tube is overheat press any key to stop
	V30 laser tube responses the over-temp signal for a period of time, and firmware recognizes the laser tube is over temperature.
	Check the temperature is down to normal level, turn off the machine, wait for the laser tube be cooled.

	Invalid file, check output file or reset command mode. press any key to stop
Cause	PCL command error
Solution	Check the output file command

_	WARNING! SmartGUARD fire alarm system is activated, please reboot machine
Cause	Flame detected by SmartGUARD
Solution	Reboot the machine

	WARNING! Emergency stop is activated, please free the emergency stop to continue next job
Cause	Emergency stop is activated
Solution	Release the emergency stop button

	Please install the Auto Focus pin first before performing the auto focusing or focus tuning	
Cause	Auto Focus pin is not installed	
Solution	Check if the autofocus pin is installed	

Message	HPGL Command Error Command: Address: Please press any key to
	stop
Cause	HPGL command of printing file is not defined.
Solution	Check the HPGL command



Message	Wo	rking table has reached the limit, please lower the table.
Cause	1.	Platform reach the top limit
	2.	Platform reach the bottom limit
	3.	Certain object touches the limit switch
	4.	Limit switch malfunction
Solution	1.	UP/Down platform to avoid the limit level
	2.	Remove the objects which touch the limit switch
	3.	Replace the limit switch

Message	PCL Command Error Command: Address: Please press any key to
	stop
cause	PCL command of printing file is not defined.
Solution	Check the PCL command

Message	Error! Please make sure the work piece or carriage within work area
Cause	The design object is out of working area
Solution	Verification: 1. Check if the size of design exceed the working area defined. 2. Check if the design is in the default working page. 3. Check the position mode
	Solution::  1. Place the object in the default page of driver 2. Select proper position mode.

Message	Language Error Please upload properlanguage pack.
Cause	While using multi-language, precise language file is not imported.
Solution	Import correct language pack file.

Message	No Language Data Please upload proper language data first
Cause	While using multi-language, precise language file is not imported.
Solution	Import correct language pack file.



Message	SmartMEMORY is full.Please remove some file
Cause	SmartMEMORY buffer is full
Solution	Delete files in SmartMEMORY

Message	SmartMEMORY is not dectected. Please check the device
Cause	SmartMEMORY is not installed
Solution	Install the SmartMemory

Message	X motor malfunction For service please contact your local distributor
Cause	X motor is abnormal
	Verification:  1. Check if the cable connections of X motor are correct  2. Check if there were any abnormal sounds from X motor  Solution: Re-install the motor cable.

Message	Y motor malfunction For service please contact your local distributor
Cause	Y motor is abnormal
Solution	Verification: 1. Check if the cable connections of Y motor are correct 2. Check if there were any abnormal sounds from Y motor Solution: Re-install the motor cable.

Message	Z motor malfunction For service please contact your local distributor
Cause	Z motor is abnormal
Solution	Verification:  1. Check if the cable connections of Z motor are correct  2. Check if there were any abnormal sounds from Z motor  Solution:  1. Re-install the motor cable  2. Adjust the speed of table moving



Message	Laser Warming Up Please Wait
Cause	Laser tube is warming up
Solution	Wait for the laser tube warm up
Message	Please install the Auto Focus pin first before performing Please press any key to stop
Cause	Auto Focus pin is abnormal
Solution	Check Auto Focus pin
Message	CCD Error! Move carriage to first mark or reset CCD Thank you
Cause	CCD didn't recognize the object successfully
Solution	Do the recognition again.
Message	CCD Offset Error Please change your media or confirm CCD focus distance
Cause	The pattern is too close to the boundary and the carriage goes out of the boundary after the recognition is finished.
Solution	Move the pattern to the center of the table
Message	WARNING!The CCD unitis not detected. Press Back to leave CCD offset mode.
Cause	CCD is not installed
Solution	Install the CCD
Message	WARNING! No CCD Please remove include CCD command file
Cause	CCD is not installed
Solution	Install the CCD



Message	Door is Open; Please Close Door and press BACK to operate
Cause	Top cover is opened while a job is running
Solution	Verification:
	1. Check if the top cover is opened
	2. Check if the Door sensor worked fine
	Solution:
	1. Close the top cover
	2. Replace Door sensor

	WARNING! Laser Head Temp. over ; please close machine and check Laser Head
Cause	Fibre laser tube over temperature
Solution	Check if the temperature of tube is really too high

Message	Error Code : please wait
Cause	Error code responsed by Fiber laser
Solution	Check the definition of the Code.

Message	Fail to locate registration mark. Align red beam to the first mark
Cause	The first registration mark can't be recognized
Solution	Move the red beam to the first mark and do the recognition again.

	Object is out of bound. Please place object within the valid working area.
Cause	The pattern is too close to the boundary
Solution	Place the pattern to the proper position

	Auto Focus disabled Please use the and keys to move the working table
Cause	Auto focus function is disable , please up/down the table manually
Solution	Check Auto focus function



_	WARNING! Machine ; Initialization error Please free the emergency stop then restart the machine
Cause	Emergency stop button is pressed while the machine is booting
Solution	Release the Emergency stop button

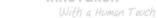
Message	Permit Expired!!
Cause	Time locker date is expired
Solution	Check the expiration of time locker.

Message	Invalid Timer
Cause	Time locker's effective time is different from firmware internal time.
Solution	Confirm the effective time in Time Locker.

Message	Drive Not Found!!
Cause	USB storage dose not plug.
Solution	Confirm if USB storage is plugged or try to replug again.

Message	No Valid File!!
	File name is Chinese version or there is no prn and/or plt file mode under the folder.
	Change file name to be English or check if there is prn and/or plt file mode under the folder.

	USB drive error. GCCcertified USB drive models w/FAT 16/32 format is required
Cause	Format is not FAT16 or FAT32
Solution	Confirm the format of USB storage.





#### 7.2 Hidden Diagnostics

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To enter the hidden Diagnostics menu, hold down the Autofocus button and turn on the machine.

There are 11 tests under the hidden diagnostics menu.

# 1. LCM Key Test

LCM Key test will test the functionality of the keys on the keypad.

#### 2. LCM Interface Test

LCM Interface test will display a series of different shapes on the LCM to allow user to detect any malfunction on the display unit.

# 3. Parallel port test

Parallel port test checks that the parallel port is functional by asking the user to send a file through the parallel port.

### 4. Serial port test

Serial port test checks that the serial port is functional by asking the user to send a file through the serial port. (The serial port is for diagnostic purposes only. Please do not use.)

#### 5. USB test

USB port test checks that the USB port is functional by asking the user to send a file through the USB port.

#### DRAM test

DRAM test checks the functionality of the DRAM.

## 7. Laser test

Laser test allow you to fire the laser tube at a selected laser power. (This is also the utility that you use to perform beam alignment.)

#### 8. X motor test

X motor test checks that the X motor is functional by asking user to use the keys on the control panel to move the pen carriage along the X axle.

## 9. Y motor test

Y motor test checks that the Y motor is functional by asking user to use the keys on the control panel to move the pen carriage along the Y axle.

# 10. Z motor test

Z motor test checks that the Z motor is functional by asking user to use the keys on the





control panel to move the platform up and down the Z axle.

## 11. Hard Stop test

Hard Stop test checks that the X and Y sensors are functional by asking the user to manually move the pen carriage towards the X and Y sensor flags

#### 7.3 LED status:

On side of machine, there are three LED. When the machine is running normally, all these LED are On (and the color is green). If any of these LED is Off, that mean that part is defective or loosen.



#### 7.4 Setting tickle pulse on machines equipped with Synrad laser sources.

By nature, Synrad laser sources require a tickle pulse to keep the laser ready for firing. The tickle pulse signal required depends on the individual laser tube. The usual setting is at 5k, however, it may be required to adjust the tickle pulse rate. If the laser is too weak, we can set it to 7k and if the laser is bleeding, then we can set it to 3k.

Hold the "down arrow key" when turning on the machine until "Laser Tube Model Number" shows on the display. Wait till the lens carriage comes to a stop. Press the Enter key to get to the Model Number selection page. Select the corresponding laser tube model from this page. Press F4 and then the Start/Stop key to save and restart the machine.





7.5 When turns on machine, control panel shows "X motor malfunction" (see picture below) and machine cannot finish initialization.



#### Diagnostic process:

Every GCC laser x/y table machine will have initialization process when machine turns on. Machine will first rotate x motor and let the lens carriage move to right side and touch the x axis sensor on x motor pcb. Then the whole x axis rail move to front side (y axis) and touch the y axis sensor on x motor pcb. And then the lens carriage will move to top-left corner (origin position) and finish initialization process. When machine cannot finish initialization process and shows "X motor malfunction", there are four parts could be the reason: X motor, main board, x motor pcb and x motor flat cable.

The logic is that main board needs to control x motor and get the feedback signal from x motor and x motor pcb. When main board cannot do these, these four parts are the related parts.

Situation 1: When lens carriage does not move at all and already shows "X motor malfunction", that means the x motor is defective or main board (x motor chip) is defective or x motor flat cable is broken somewhere or does not connect well.

Situation 2: When lens carriage can move to right side but it stops there and shows "X motor malfunction". The most possible part is x motor pcb (the x axis sensor is defective). The next possible part is x motor flat cable (broken somewhere and cause the signal cannot send back to main board).



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7.6 , For some (older) MG380 machines, sometimes that laser cannot fire or missing fire during a job. Especially when doing engraving and cutting in one job. One of the reason is the mirror shutter (the first mirror for metal tube) is not moving to correct position or it keeps moving up and down. This symptom needs to replace some newer parts. The parts replace process is below:

1. Remove these 3 screws:



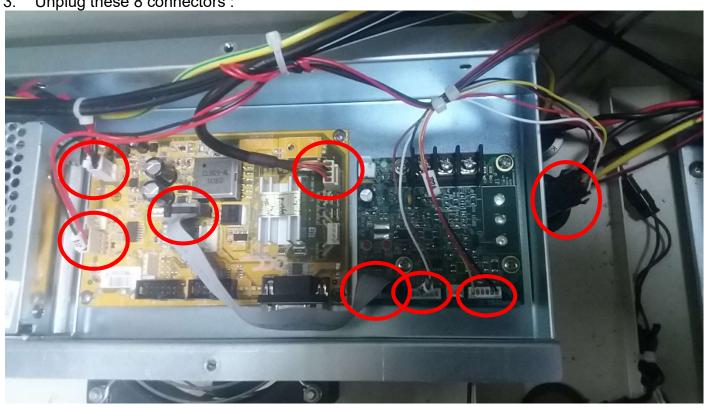
2. Remove these 4 screws:



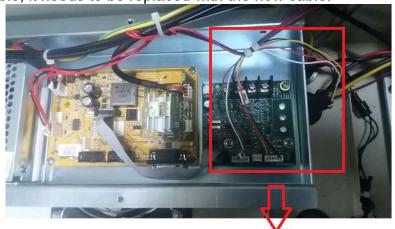


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Unplug these 8 connectors:



Remove this cable, it needs to be replaced with the new cable. 4.



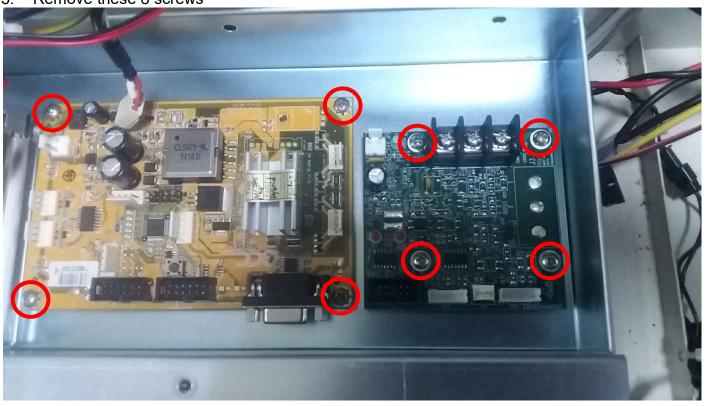


This cable needs to be replaced with the new one.



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# 5. Remove these 8 screws



Replace these two PCBA with the new ones:



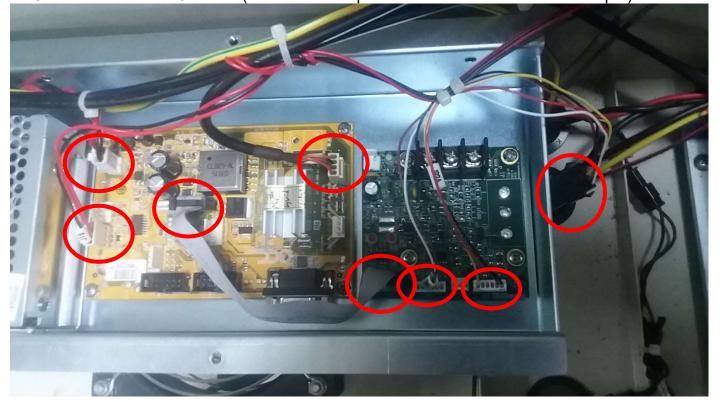


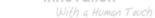
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# 6. Fasten these 8 screws



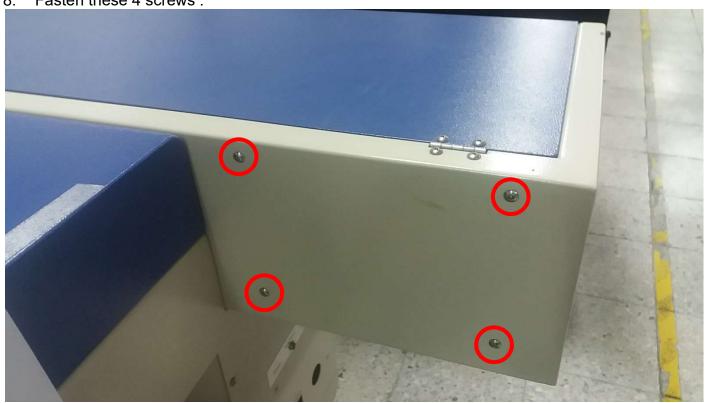
7. Connect back those 8 cables (remember to replace the cable with new one in step 4):







8. Fasten these 4 screws:



# 9. Fasten these 3 screws:





# **Charper 8 Basic Maintenance**

Keeping your LaserPro X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid clean and well maintained will ensure quality output, consistent reliability, and extended product life. Smoke, dust or residue build-up inside the laser system or the mechanical components can cause a reduction in the laser power, irregularities in the motion system, reduced product life cycle, and a host of other avoidable problems. This section will cover how to perform regular maintenance on the X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid's worktable, motion system, mirrors, and focal lens.

The frequency of the cleaning schedule will depend on number of variables such as the types of material you work with, the immediate work environment, the frequency of use, the quality of the exhaust system, etc.

# **A** WARNING

- Electrical Shock may occur if you do not turn off and unplug the X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid before cleaning.
- Damage may occur to the system if you do not turn off and unplug the X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid before cleaning.
- Always turn off and unplug the X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid before cleaning!

# 8.1Suggested Cleaning and Maintenance Supplies

Cleaning / Maintenance Tool	Special notes
Soap Solution or All-Purpose Cleaner	
Paper Towels	
Cotton Cloth	
Denatured Alcohol	DO NOT use alcohol on any painted surface,
	plastic, or the laser system!
Acetone	ONLY to be used on the working table
Vacuum Cleaner with a Flexible Nozzle	Only to be used in and around the worktable and
	motion system
Light Grade Machine Oil	
Cotton Swabs	Supplied
Lens Cleaner	1pc supplied; suggest search locally*
Lint Free Lens Tissue	Supplied
#2 Phillips Screwdriver	
Allen Wrench .050"	

<sup>\*</sup>The recommended lens cleaner is Eclipse Cleaning System Solution from Photographic Solutions or HPLC grade Methanol. Search "Eclipse Cleaning System Solution" on Amazon or eBay to get the solution locally. http://www.amazon.com/Photographic-Solutions-ECDCS-Cleaning-Solution/dp/B0000AUR1I







**Eclipse Cleaning System Solution** 

- 8.2 Maintaining the Worktable and Motion System
- 8.2.1 Accessing the Worktable and Motion System

Remove the screws of the top of the machine and lift the top off.

- 8.2.2 Cleaning the Worktable and Motion System
- 8.2.2.1 Cleaning the Worktable and Motion System

Clean the working table and the motion system on a weekly basis through the following steps:

- 1) Turn the power off and unplug the X252RX & X380RX before cleaning.
- 2) Use a vacuum cleaner with a flexible nozzle to remove dust and debris from the worktable and motion system.
- 3) Apply small amounts of all-purpose cleaner, alcohol, or acetone to a paper or cotton towel to clean the working table.
- 4) Apply a soap solution, all-purpose cleaner, or alcohol to a paper or cotton towel to wipe down the rails of the motion system.
- 5) Wait for all cleaning residue to dry completely before plugging in and operating the X252RX & X380RX.



- Never pour or spray alcohol or acetone directly to the working table.
- Oil, alcohol and acetone can cause fires or smoke build-up if improperly used.



Please clean the AutoFocus pin each time after completing the engraved job to make sure the AutoFocus pin is free to move.



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#### 8.2.2.2 Lubrication of the X / Y Rails

In order to keep the motion system running smoothly, the X / Y rails of the motion system will need lubrication on a weekly basis. Use a small amount of light grade machine grease to a paper or cotton towel and apply to the rails.



- Always clean and lubricate the rails after working with materials that produce lots of debris (such as wood).
- Too much oil applied to the X / Y rails will accelerate the build up of debris.

## 8.3 Cleaning the Optics System

# 8.3.1 Removing the Mirrors

We recommend you check the mirrors once or twice a week to see if they require cleaning. If any debris or smoke residue is present, use the following steps to clean them.



• It is highly recommended you remove, clean and replace each mirror one at a time!

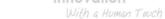
The following section will detail how to access and remove each of the four mirrors found on the LaserPro X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid for cleaning.

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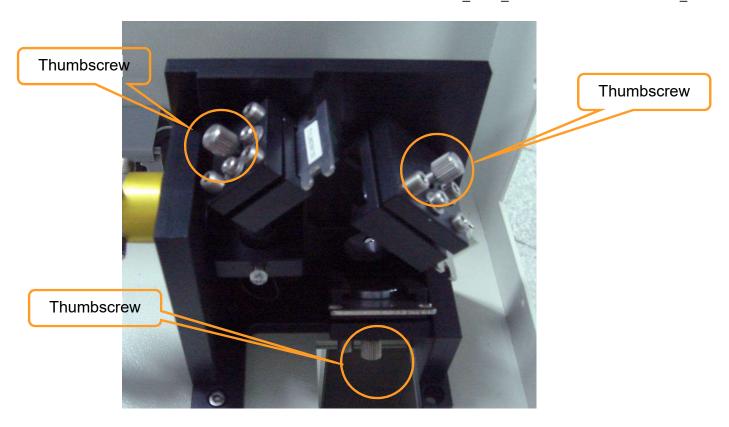
#### Mirror 1

This mirror is located inside the laser cabinet of the LaserPro X252RX \ X380RX \ MG380 Hybrid

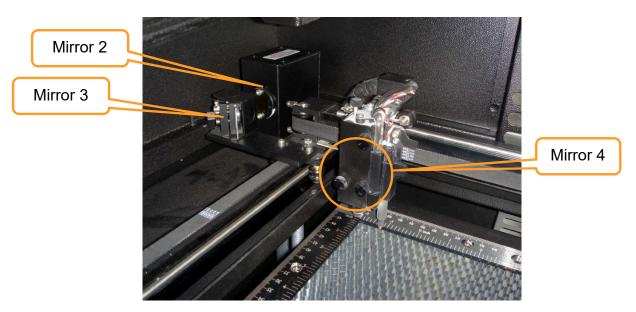
- 1) Use a #2 Phillips Screwdriver to open the rear laser cabinet of the LaserPro X252RX & X380RX.
- 2) Loosen the thumbscrew and remove the dust cover securing the mirror. (As shown in the picture below).
- 3) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 4) Re-install the mirror after cleaning.
- 5) Tighten the thumbscrew.
- 6) Replace and secure the outer access panel.







Mirror 2, 3, 4
These mirrors are located in the worktable area of the LaserPro X252RX & X380RX.



#### Mirror 2

- 1) Unscrew and remove the black dust cover covering mirror 2.
- 2) Unscrew the thumbscrew holding mirror 2 in place.
- 3) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 4) Re-install mirror 2 after cleaning.
- 5) Tighten the thumbscrew.
- 6) Replace and secure the black dust cover.

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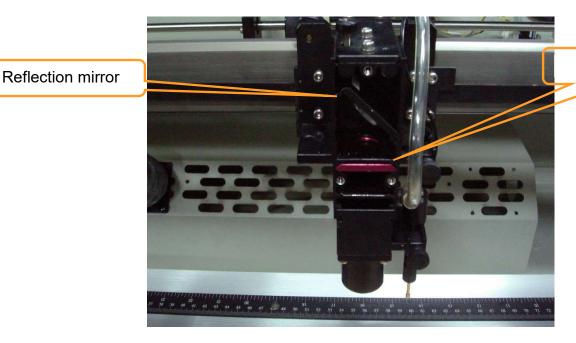


#### Mirror 3

- 1) Unscrew the thumbscrew holding mirror 3 in place.
- 2) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 3) Re-install mirror 3 after cleaning.
- 4) Tighten the thumbscrew.

#### Mirror 4

- 1) Unscrew the three thumbscrews (front face of the laser head) securing the laser carriage panel and remove the laser carriage panel to reveal mirror 4 and the focal lens.
- 2) Loosen the top thumbscrew to remove mirror 4 (as shown in the picture below).



Focus lens

- 3) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 4) Re-install mirror 4 after cleaning.
- 5) Tighten the top thumbscrew.
- 6) Reinstall the laser carriage panel and tighten the three thumbscrews.



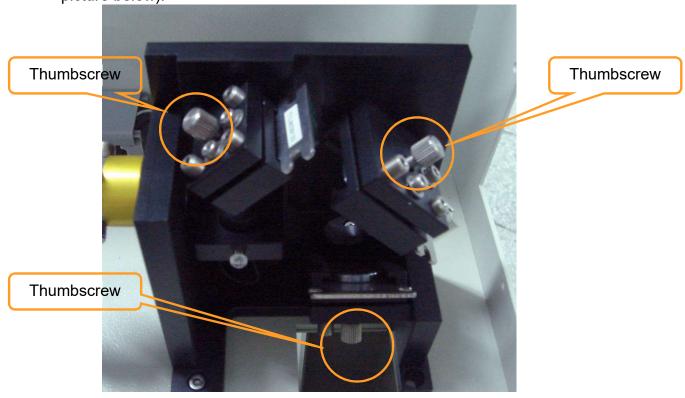
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# MG380 Hybrid

#### Mirror 1

This mirror is located inside the laser cabinet of the LaserPro MG380Hybrid.

- 1) Use a #2 Phillips Screwdriver to open the rear laser cabinet of the LaserPro MG380Hybrid.
- 2) Loosen the thumbscrew and remove the dust cover securing the mirror. (As shown in the picture below).



- 3) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 4) Re-install the mirror after cleaning.
- 5) Tighten the thumbscrew.
- 6) Replace and secure the outer access panel.

# Mirror 2, 3

These mirrors are located in the worktable area of the LaserPro MG380Hybrid.



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### Mirror 2

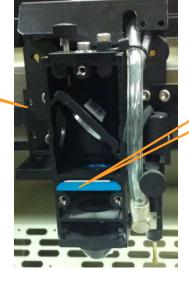
- 1) Unscrew the thumbscrew holding mirror 2 in place.
- 2) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 3) Re-install mirror 2 after cleaning.
- 4) Tighten the thumbscrew.

#### Mirror 3

5) Unscrew the three thumbscrews (front face of the laser head) securing the laser carriage panel and remove the laser carriage panel to reveal mirror 4 and the focal lens.

6) Loosen the top thumbscrew to remove mirror 3 (as shown in the picture below).

Reflection mirror



Focus lens

- 7) Clean the lens in the proper manner.
- 8) Re-install mirror 3 after cleaning.
- 9) Tighten the top thumbscrew.
- 10) Reinstall the laser carriage panel and tighten the three thumbscrews.

#### 8.3.2 Cleaning the Mirrors

After you have removed each mirror, you will want to inspect each mirror for scratches, smoke residue, or debris. If any residue or debris is present, use the following steps to clean the mirror.

- 1) Hold the mirror with the reflective side up, without touching the reflective side of the mirror (DO NOT apply any finger pressure or any other cleaning solutions to the mirror surface).
- 2) Drape a new sheet of lens tissue over the mirror.
- 3) Apply a few drops of lens cleaner on the tissue covered mirror (apply enough so that the tissue absorbs just enough to cover the mirror surface).
- 4) Pull the tissue across the mirror in only one direction.
- 5) Repeat the cleaning processes if the mirror is not completely clean after the first attempt.
- 6) Make sure that the mirror is completely dry before reinstalling it.







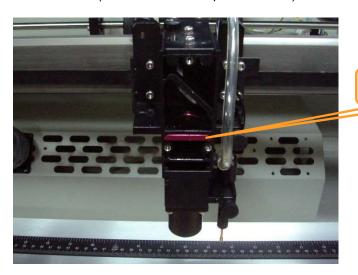


# **A**CAUTION

• If the center of the mirror is scratched, contact your LaserPro X252RX & X380RX dealer for a replacement.

# 8.3.3 Removing and Cleaning the Focal Lens

- 1) Unscrew the three thumbscrews (front face of the laser head) securing the laser carriage panel and remove the laser carriage panel to reveal the focal lens.
- 2) Carefully pull out the focal lens (as indicated in the picture below).



Focus lens

- Clean the focal lens with a cotton swab and lens cleaner solution. Be sure to clean both sides
  of the focal lens (DO NOT apply any finger pressure or other cleaning solutions to the lens
  surface).
- 4) After cleaning, use a cotton swab to gently dry the focal lens and lens cover.



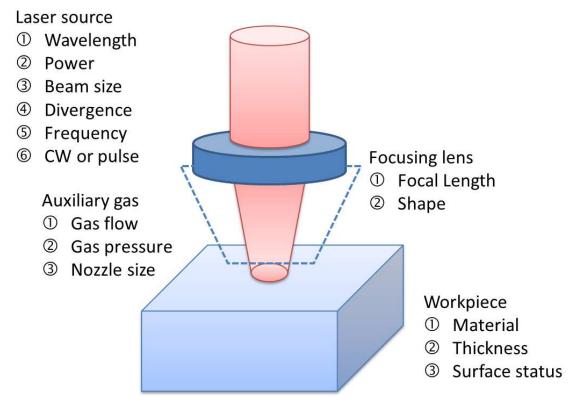


# **Chapter 9 Q&A**

9.1 For laser machines, what factors affect cutting throughput?

Explain: many factors will affect cutting throughput. See "Laser Processing Variables" image below.

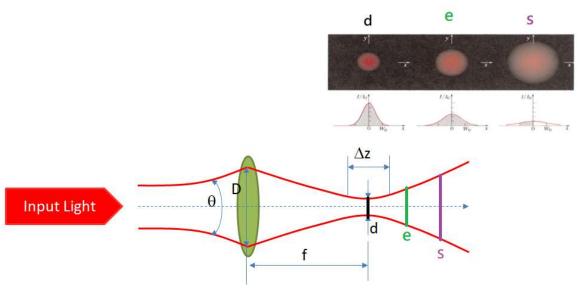
# Laser Processing Variables



For laser machine users, the major factor that user can control is focusing distance. The correct focusing point will have highest power density. If the focusing point is not on the correct focus point, the power density will be lower and the laser beam will be bigger. See "Laser Optics (Focusing lens)" image below: The correct focus point is the position of "d" (the black text and black line below). When the focus distance move to the position of "e" (the green text and green line below), the power density will be lower and the beam size will be bigger. If the focus distance move more to the position of "s" (the purple text and purple line below), the power density will be even lower and the beam size will be much bigger.

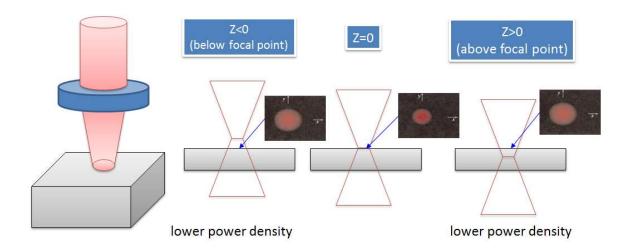


# Laser Optics (Focusing lens)



From the following picture, right focusing position will provide the maximum power density for laser cutting.

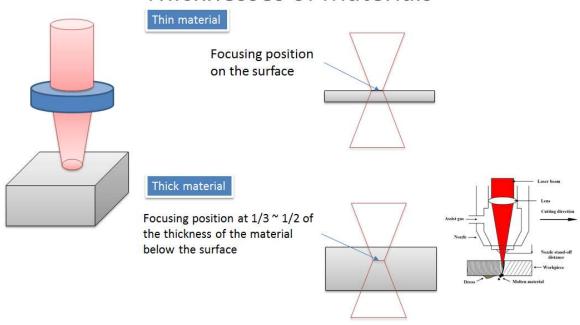
# **Different Focusing Positions**



About different thicknesses of materials, it needs to take different focusing positions for cutting. In general, focusing position is right on the surface for the thin materials. However, in order to get the better cutting quality for thick materials, adjusting the focusing position to  $1/3\sim1/2$  of thickness of the material below the surface makes the material cover with high power density range during cutting processing and it makes the better cutting quality.

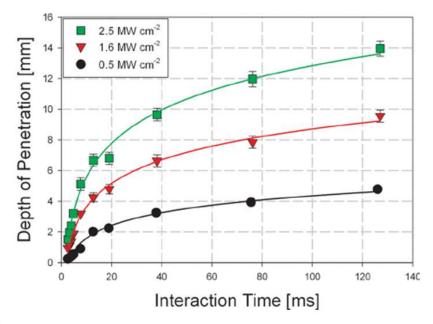


# Different Focusing Positions for Different Thicknesses of Materials



For the relationship of cutting throughput and the power density, there is a lot of information we can find from Internet. One of the good examples is the "Laser-Material Interaction" image below:

# Laser-Material Interaction



Ref: https://www.researchgate.net/figure/Depth-of-penetration-as-a-function-of-power-density-and-interaction-time-for-a-beam\_fig3\_252017073



9.2 When cutting thick material (10mm acrylic for example), why the cutting edge is slant?

Explain: The problem is that the laser beam path does not pass through the center of focus lens. It's conventional to see some slant in the thick material cutting because of the mechanical accuracy and the lens focuses in then out. Please refer to the diagram below. If the Slant is very serious, please refer to "Optical Alignment" in the maintenance manual to improve the situation.

