

Z-axis Screw Greasing

How to grease the z-axis screw on the Ultimakers 2+ and 3

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Introduction

This guide demonstrates the steps to grease the z-axis screw of the Ultimaker 2+ or 3.

Reference: Lubricate the Ultimaker 2+ lead screw of the Z motor

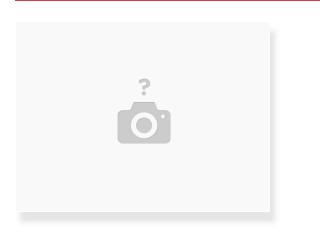
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Step 1 — Lower Build Plate



- If the build plate is already lowered, continue to the next step
- If not, in the Ultimaker menu on the printer
 - Select "Maintenance"
 - Select "Advanced"
 - Select "Lower build plate"

Step 2 — Add Grease

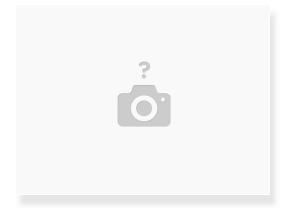


• Apply a small amount of grease to the Z-screw

A Don't apply grease to the smooth Z-rods

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Step 3 — Spread Grease Along Screw



- In the same menu as earlier, use "Raise build plate" and "Lower build plate" to spread the grease
 - Wipe away any excess grease

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