THICC films
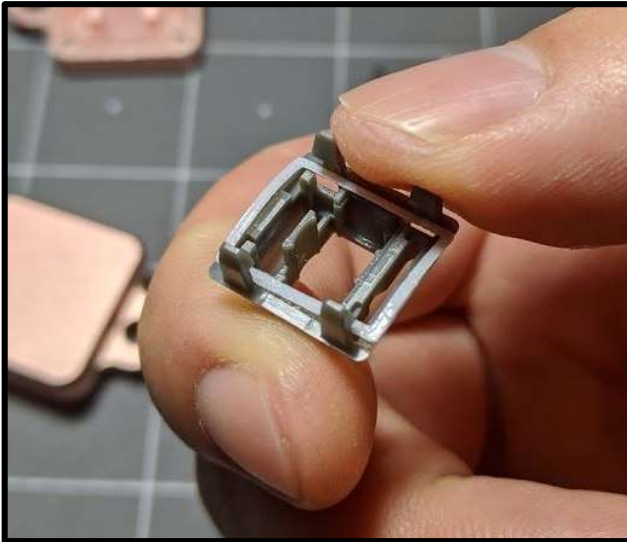
Please be **gentle** with the films as they are very thin layers of PLA plastic. PLA is pretty durable and likely won't break, but may deform if installed incorrectly. However, even if deformed, it should still work properly. I've included extra films in your order in case any are/get damaged. You also have a 14-day (from date of receipt) money back guarantee, so if you're not satisfied for whatever reason, simply contact me and mail it back and I will refund you.
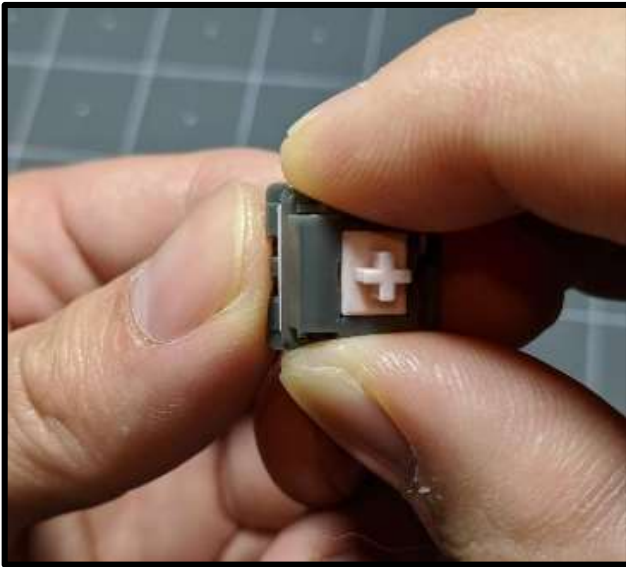
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Place the film on the housing top past the housing clips (should sort of "snap" into place).
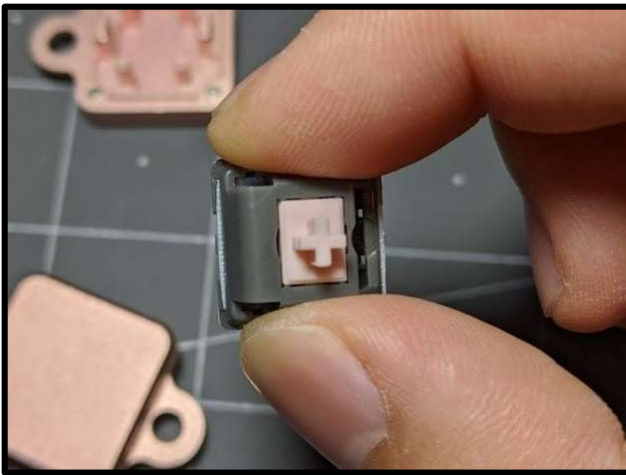
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Place the housing top on the housing bottom and and place your thumb and index fingers on the east/west sides of the housing top and the north/south sides of the housing bottom as shown.

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Push the switch down while using your fingers to align the films as you go down. For reference, you should only see a small sliver of film past the housing top when you go down for perfect alignment.
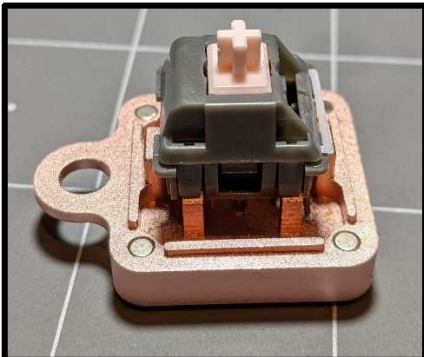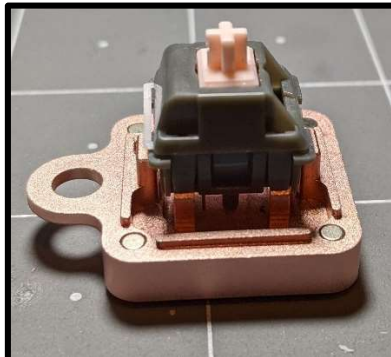
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Perfect!

Notes

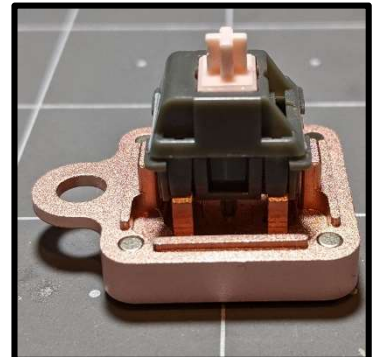A proper installation should have the film sitting flush or have an even amount of exposed film on both the north and south sides of the switch. If the film is sitting out too much one way or the other, simply open the switch and realign (no need to take the housing top off, just detach the clip from the bottom housing). See below on fitting guidelines.

Film too far south, readjust

Film too far north, readjust

Perfect!

FAQ

I'm having issues aligning the film properly.
Be sure to use your thumb and index finger to guide the film in position while snapping on the housing top. If the film is off-center after the snap, open the switch, but do not take off the top housing. Then, re-adjust the film with your fingers and snap the top housing back down.

My film seems like it's missing a little bit of material, is it okay to use?
Sometimes printing artifacts appear on the films. If you encounter any films such as these, they're usually fine to use. Sometimes they might have an extra thick bit of plastic on it; go ahead and toss it. I've included a number of extra films for cases like this.

What are these little hairs on the films?
There may be very fine "hairs" on some of the films which are completely normal and is a by-product of 3D printing. The hairs will often chain together multiple films. Simply rip the hairs off with your fingers, and be careful not to rip the film itself.

The legs on the top housing top don't seem to close all the way.
This is normal for some switches with ***THICC*** films (and even resized films in certain switches). The switch will function as normal and will not be damaged from this. Just be very careful inserting the switch into the plate (see next FAQ below).

I can't seem to get my switch into the plate.
The tolerance of each film can vary slightly. Sometimes the film will be too thick in a certain area causing the switch top housing legs to not fully snap in. To fix this try the methods below:
- Opening and realigning the film
- Checking the film for any printing artifacts that may cause it to sit higher than others
- Opening and turning the film upside-down on either its X, Y, and/or Z axis
- Put the switch in a key slot without brass laterally next to it (such as the enter or spacebar keys)
- Swap the film for another film

If you're using resized film on **Creams**, **Yoks**, or **Invyrs**, you'll have to be careful inserting your switches or you may break the housing clips. You'll need to approach the insertion at a certain angle to be able to get it to snap in properly.

Which side is the right side up?
Doesn't matter! Use any side you like; results should be the same. You may want to flip it and adjust if there are issues with the fitting.