

Opening Tapco Link Series device

In this guide, you will remove the enclosure of the Tapco Link.usb device.

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INTRODUCTION

How to open your Link.usb Audio Interface device despite no visible screws.



TOOLS:

- Phillips #1 Screwdriver (1)
- Heavy-Duty Spudger (1)

Step 1 — Introduction



 Put the device in front of you, with the knob labels the right side up

Step 2 — Revealing Screws





- Pry the rubber off the top of the device
- All the rubber
- Use your fingernails, then pull with your bare hands. Do no use a heat gun or prying tool as they will damage the adhesive.
- 5 screw holes will appear. Leave them alone for now.

Step 3



- Look at the side of the device with the metal stand
- Take a heat gun to the two small foam pads
- You only need to pry off the halves on the top plastic shell
- Put scraps of glossy paper on the foam pads to prevent them from sticking on again
- Alternatively, if you do not mind sacrificing aesthetics, you may slice the foam pads down the middle as in the picture.

Step 4



Now remove the 5 Philips screws on top

Step 5



- Simply lift off the top
- No clips anywhere

Step 6



- You could now lift out the whole innards
- They are not attached to the bottom shell
- No, the mess of glue is how it left the factory

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.