



# G2 F00TSWITCH UPGRADE MANUAL

The GigRig Ltd G2 Footswitch Upgrade Manual, July 2025



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# 1. INSTALLATION GUIDE

# Disassembly & Footswitch Rail Replacement

# 1. Remove the Hex Bolts:

Using a 2.5mm Hex/Allen key or bit, unscrew all of the black hex bolts on G2. This will release the Top Board, Back Board, and Front Edge Plate.

# 2. Remove the Old Footswitch Rails:

To replace the footswitch rails, begin by unscrewing the nuts from each individual footswitch. Once the nuts are removed, slide the old rails out from the circuit board and the metal plate beneath.

#### 3. Install the New Optokick Switches:

When installing the new Optokick switches, ensure the cables are securely seated in their sockets. Fold the rail cables as shown in the diagram to maintain proper routing.

# 4. Position the New Rails:

- o Place the new top and bottom rails through the holes in the metal top plate.
- The ribbon cable connector should be positioned between loops 8 & 9 for the top row of switches, and between loops 6 & 7 for the bottom row.

# Important:

Make sure the rails are positioned correctly. If not, the footswitches will operate in the wrong order.





This makes it clear while highlighting the need for careful handling. Let me know if you'd like any further adjustments!





# Reassemble the Top Board:

- Place the top board carefully on top of the footswitches and spacers.
- Replace the washer and nut on each footswitch.
- Note: Some of the holes may be tight, so you may need to apply gentle pressure to push the footswitches through the holes.
- Tighten the nuts securely to ensure everything is firmly in place.

# Secure the Rail Cables:

Clip all rail cables into the provided clip on the metal frame.

Note: Older models may not include the clip on the frame, so please check if it's present





#### Connect the Rail Cables:

- The rail cable for Footswitches 1–7 should clip into the bottom rail cable slot on the motherboard (circled in yellow).
- The rail cable for Footswitches 8–14 should clip into the top rail cable slot on the motherboard (circled in red).

# Attach the Top Board Cable:

• Clip the top board cable into the designated slot on the motherboard (circled in blue)



# 2. REASSEMBLING G2

**Please Note:** These footswitches are compatible with all G2 models. However, depending on your backboard version, there may be minimal space between the backboard circuit and the new OptoKick Rail.

To prevent any pins from touching, we recommend using a small pair of snips to trim or clip any long points from the backboard's ribbon cable socket (as circled below).

#### Reattach the Backboard:

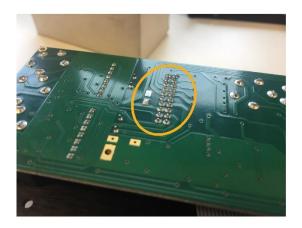
- Begin by reattaching the backboard to the base of the G2 using the hex bolts.
- Ensure that all ribbon cables, especially the Motherboard to Backboard cable, are kept clear of the back plate. Trapping the cables can cause damage and affect the operation of the G2.

#### Reattach the Front Plate:

Next, reattach the front plate to the G2 Top board using the hex bolts.

# Final Assembly:

- Carefully align the two sections of the G2 together.
- Replace the remaining hex bolts and tighten them securely to complete the reassembly.







#### 3. WARRANTY

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- Unauthorized modification or improper storage
- Lightning or natural disasters

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# Compliance:

- RoHS Compliant
- Compliant with EN 60950
- Power supply approved for USA and EU regulations (see separate instructions)

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Warnings:

For indoor use only. Keep away from water and children

