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# How to Replace a Gas Cooktop on ILVE Nostalgie & Professional Plus Ranges



## Replacing the Cooktop:

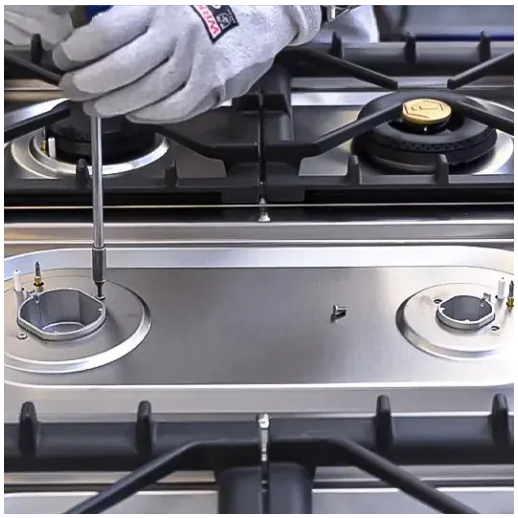
Replacing the gas cooktop frame on your ILVE Nostalgie or Professional Plus range is a precise but straightforward task. Whether you're performing a repair or upgrading to a new frame, this guide walks you through each step to ensure a safe and proper installation. Ideal for technicians or skilled homeowners, this tutorial helps you handle internal frame replacement with confidence.

## Tools Required:

- Phillips Head Screwdriver
- Torx T10 Screwdriver
- New ILVE Cooktop Frame
- Sponge Gasket (if needed)

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## Step 1: Remove Burners and Grates

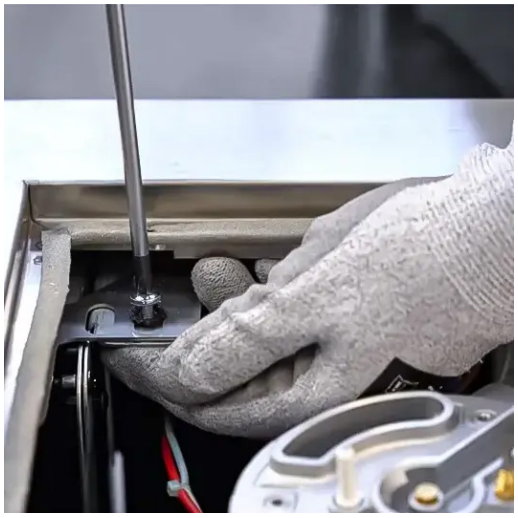
Take off the burner caps and grates from the surface of the cooktop.

## Step 2: Unscrew the Drip Tray

Using a Phillips and T10 Torx screwdriver, remove the screws holding the drip tray.

## Step 3: Remove the Frame Screws

Document the existing cable positions for accurate reassembly later.



## Step 4: Lift and Slide Out the Frame

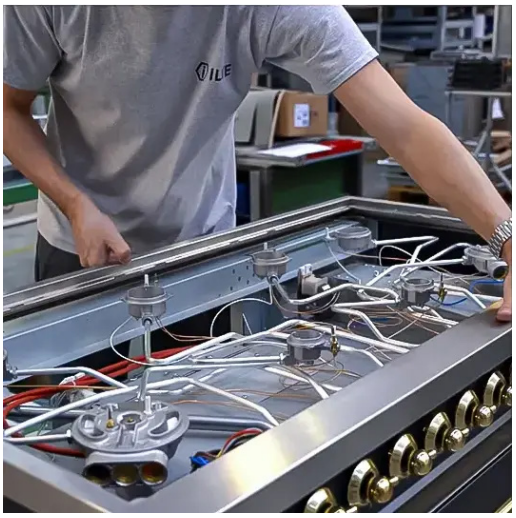
Carefully lift the old frame from the rear and slide it out of the unit.

## Step 5: Fit the New Frame Into Place.

Align the new frame and position it securely in the designated slot.

## Step 6: Set Proper Frame Extension

Ensure the top extends exactly 15mm beyond the frame for a proper fit.



## Step 7: Tighten the Front Screws

Secure the front of the frame with screws.

## Step 8: Secure the Rear Screws

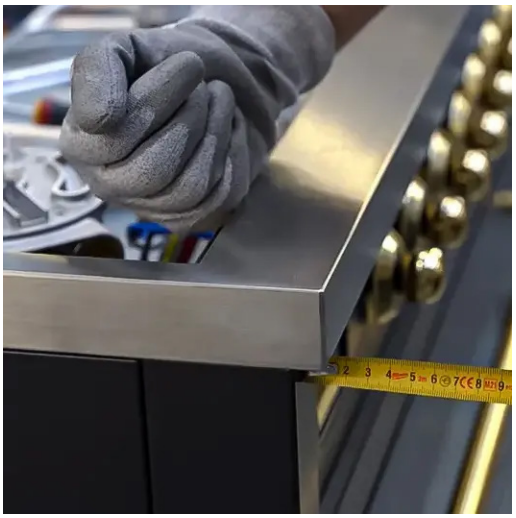
Fasten the rear section to stabilize the frame.

## Step 9: Transfer the Slats

Move any internal slats or supports from the old frame to the new one.

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## Step 10: Place the Sponge Gasket

Apply a new sponge gasket around the cooktop if necessary.

## Step 11: Reinstall the Drip Tray

Secure the drip tray back into place using the same screws.

## Step 12: Replace the Burners and Grates

Reinstall all burner components and place the grates back on top.

## Final Recommendations

- Refer to the full ILVE Installation Manual for clearance requirements and connection guidelines.
- Always hire a licensed professional for gas and electrical installations.
- Register your ILVE Range online to activate your warranty and receive product support.

Need further assistance? Visit us.ilve.com or contact our support team.