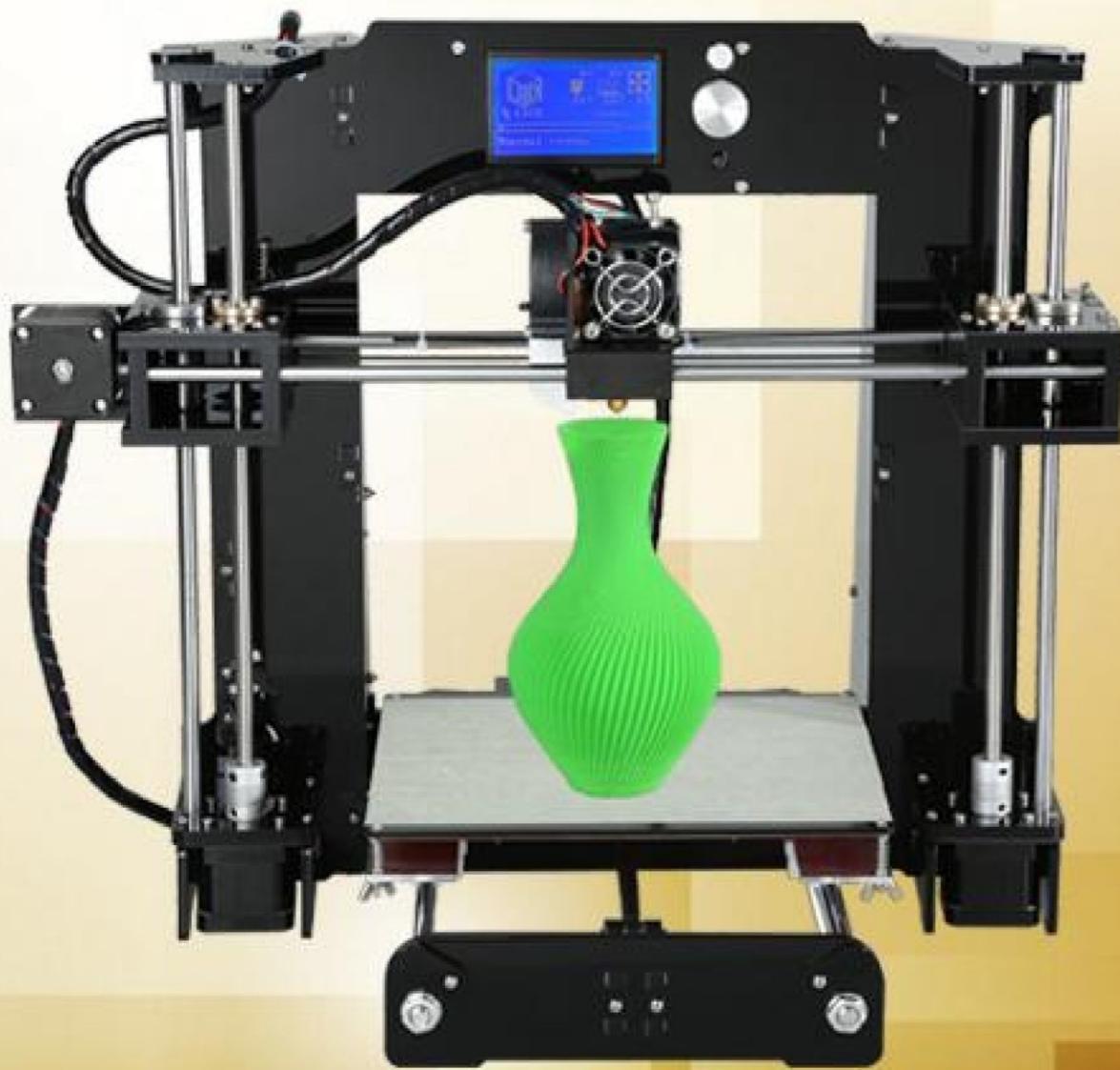


Operation Instruction

Model:A6



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INTRODUCTION

A6 FDM 3D printer can print CAD 3D printer model to real . A6 uses Acrylic to build its frame while it uses linear bearings , belts and threaded rods to build X , Y , Z axis .

It enables A6 to print steadily with no vibration .

Note:

1. All statement included in this Instructions have been checked carefully , if any typographical errors or misunderstanding , we have the final interpretation .
2. No notification if any update .

A. Security Considerations

To avoid danger when using 3D printer , please pay attention to precautions below .



Danger

During Operation , the maximum temeprature of nozzle can be 260 ℃ while hotbed can be 100 ℃ . For your safety , during printing or cooling down , do not touch the nozzle , hotbed and models under printing . Power works at 110V/220V 50HZ AC and supply ground needed . Do not use other power supply , or it may cause components damage , fire or electric shock . And we take no responsibility for this .



Warning

We suggest wering protective goggles when removing auxiliary support materials . Some filaments will emit slight irritant gases , so we suggest to use 3D printer in a ventilated environment .

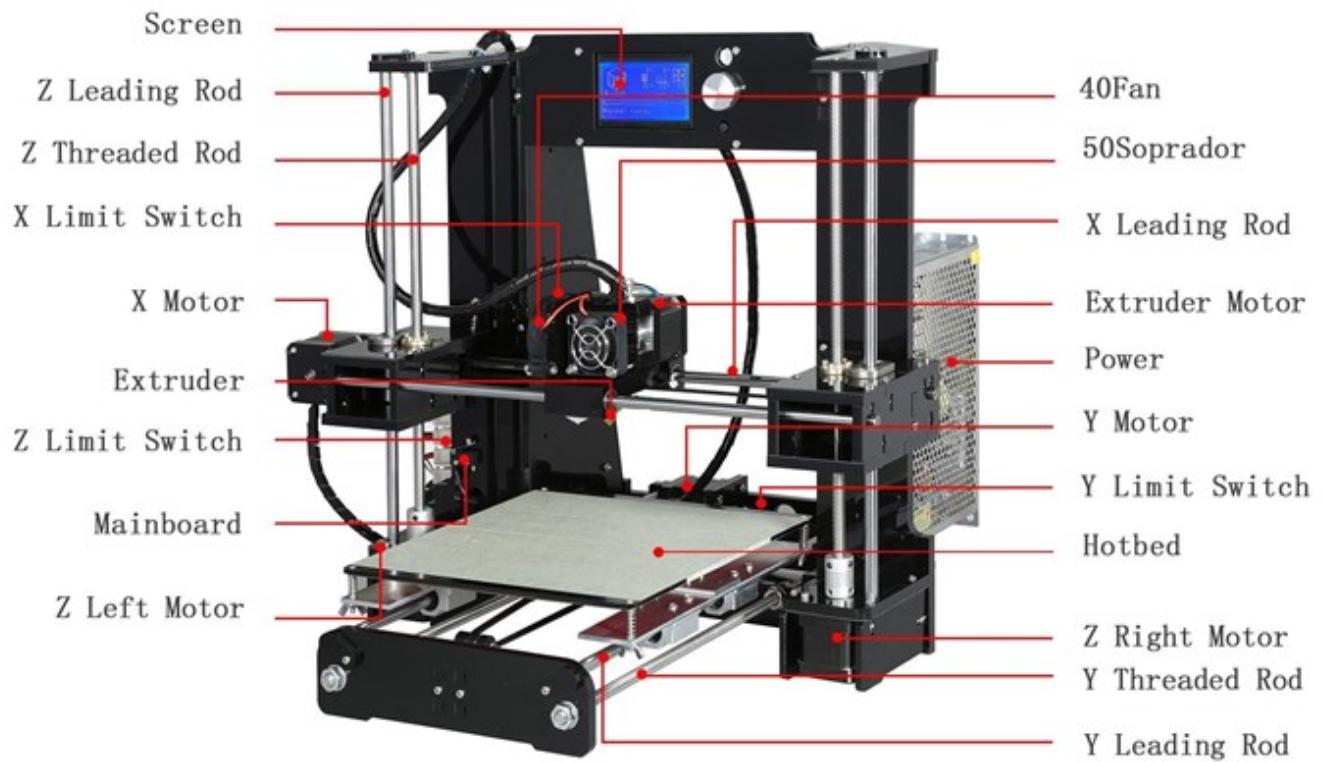
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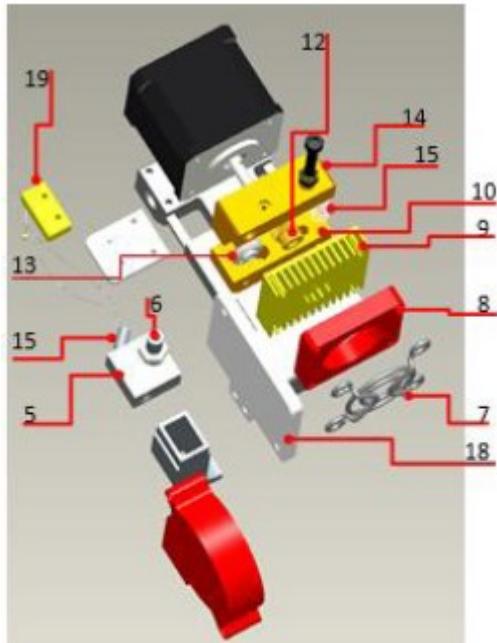
B. Product Details

1.Specifications

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Model: A6 | Nozzle diameter: 0.4mm |
| Layer thickness: 0.1-0.3mm | Machine size: 480*400*400mm |
| Printing speed: 10-120mm/s | Machine weight: 7.6KG |
| X Y axis position accuracy: 0.012mm | Packing size: 510mm*490mm*172mm |
| Z axis position accuracy: 0.004m | Gross weight: 9.5KG |
| Printing material: ABS,PLA | Build size: 220*220*240mm |
| Material tendency: PLA | LCD screen: 12864 LCD |
| Filament diameter : 1.75mm | Offline printing: TF CARD |
| Software language: Multi-Language | File format: STL、G-Code、OBJ |
| Function of support: automatically | OS: windows(linux、mac) |
| Software: Cura | Working condition: 10-30℃, Humidity 20-50% |

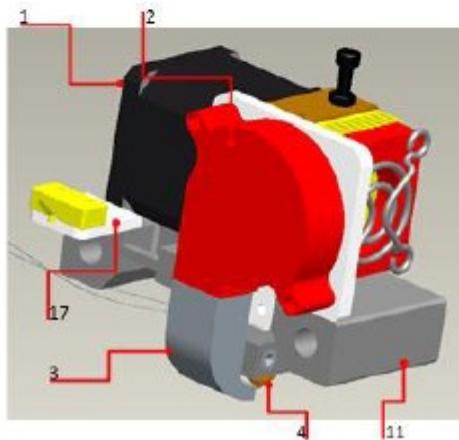
2.Machine parts





3.Exploded drawing

| NO | Part Name | Quantity |
|----|---------------------|----------|
| 1 | Extruder Motor | 1 |
| 2 | Blower | 1 |
| 3 | Wind Mouth | 1 |
| 4 | Nozzle(0.4mm) | 1 |
| 5 | Heating Block | 1 |
| 6 | Throat | 1 |
| 7 | Fan Cover | 1 |
| 8 | Fan | 1 |
| 9 | Heat Sink | 1 |
| 10 | Extruder Seat | 1 |
| 11 | Bend Parts | 1 |
| 12 | Brass Wheel | 1 |
| 13 | U-Bearing | 1 |
| 14 | Briquetting | 1 |
| 15 | Spring | 1 |
| 16 | Heating Pipe | 1 |
| 17 | Limited Switch Seat | 1 |
| 18 | Blower Seat | 1 |
| 19 | Limited Switch | 1 |



4.Tool List

Anet 3D Printer A6 assembly parts list

| Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY | Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY |
|------|-----------------|---|---|-----|------|-----------------|--|------------------------------|-----|
| 1-1 | 1300100050 |  | Main support plate | 1 | 2-1 | 1700200016 |  | Mainboard | 1 |
| 1-2 | 1300100064 |  | Side support plate | 2 | 2-2 | 1700200017 |  | 12864 LCD Screen | 1 |
| 1-3 | 1300100045 |  | Back plate | 1 | 2-3 | 1700100001 |  | Hot bed fixed aluminum plate | 1 |
| 1-4 | 1300100049 |  | Front plate | 1 | 2-4 | 1700200001 |  | 220mm*220mm*3mm Hot bed | 1 |
| 1-5 | 1300100046 |  | Filament support plate | 2 | 2-5 | 1101900001 |  | Plastic nippers | 1 |
| 1-6 | 1300100047 |  | Filament support plate connecting plate | 1 | 2-6 | 1101900008 |  | 5mm*160mm Screwdriver | 1 |

| Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY | Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY |
|--------|-----------------|--|--|-----|-------|--|--|--|-----|
| 1-7 | 1300100057 |  | Mainboard baffle | 1 | 2-7 | 1700200020 |  | Three parts below in this bag | 1 |
| 2-23 | 1700100017 |  | Guide rod 418mm 2pcs Guide rod 380mm 2pcs Guide rod 340mm 2pcs | 6 | 2-7-1 | 1202100006 |  | Wire 65CM | 1 |
| 2-24 | 1700100018 |  | T type lead screw M8*318mm 2pcs Threaded rod M8*400mm 2pcs Threaded rod M8*150mm 1pcs | 5 | 2-7-2 | 1700200013 1700200014 1700200019 |  | Z axis Limit switch A 20CM Y axis Limit switch B 50CM X axis Limit switch C 90CM | 3 |
| 2-25 | 1700100019 |  | Screw bag include below screws | | 2-7-3 | 1300400003 1300400004 |  | Pillar washer M3*7 4pcs Pillar washer M3*15 4pcs | 8 |
| 2-25-1 | 1700100020 |  | M3*18 Spacer 42pcs | | 2-8 | 1700100013 |  | Three parts below in this bag | 1 |
| 2-25-2 | 1700100021 |  | M3 Nut 52pcs | 1 | 2-8-1 | 1101900010 |  | 3mm*130mm Screwdriver | 1 |
| 2-25-3 | 1700100022 |  | M8 Nut 14pcs M8 Spacer 12pcs | 1 | 2-8-2 | 1101900004 1101900006 1101900005 1101900007 |  | Hex wrench M1.5 Hex wrench M2 Hex wrench M2.5 Hex wrench M3 | 4 |

| Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY | Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY |
|--------|-----------------|---|---|-----|--------|-----------------|---|---------------------------------|-----|
| 2-25-4 | 1700100023 |  | M4*8 screw 16pcs M4*14 screw 4pcs | 1 | 2-8-3 | 1101900002 |  | Open spanner | 1 |
| 2-25-5 | 1700100024 |  | M3*30 screw 12pcs | 1 | 2-9 | 1700200005 |  | 5015 Air blower | 1 |
| 2-25-6 | 1700100025 |  | M3*12 screw 19pcs | 1 | 2-10 | 1700200027 |  | Power line of hot bed | 1 |
| 2-25-7 | 1700100026 |  | M2*12 screw 6pcs M3wing nut 4pcs Spring 4pcs | 1 | 2-11 | 1700300009 |  | Five parts below in this bag | 1 |
| 2-25-8 | 1700100027 |  | M3*6 screw 2pcs M3*10 screw 2pcs M3*25 screw 2pcs | 1 | 2-11-1 | 1300100005 |  | Y axis belt fixation clamp | 4 |
| 3-1 | 1700300007 |  | Left Z axis nut support | 1 | 2-11-2 | 1300100010 |  | Guide rod back up plate | 8 |
| 3-2 | 1700300008 |  | Right Z axis nut support | 1 | 2-11-3 | 1300100007 |  | Y axis Limit switch fixed plate | 1 |

| Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY | Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY |
|------|-----------------|--|------------------------------|-----|--------|--------------------------|--|---------------------------------|-----|
| 3-3 | 1700100028 |  | Extruder | 1 | 2-11-4 | 1300100042 |  | Y axis motor support | 1 |
| 3-4 | 1700200008 |  | X axis motor | 1 | 2-11-5 | 1300100040 |  | X axis Limit switch fixed plate | 1 |
| 3-5 | 1700200009 |  | Y axis motor | 1 | 2-12 | 1300100044 |  | Z axis motor support Plate | 4 |
| 3-6 | 1700200010 |  | Z axis motor | 2 | 2-13 | 1300100048 |  | Screen baffle plate | 1 |
| 3-7 | 1700300001 |  | 1.7M Belt | 1 | 2-14 | 1300100039 |  | 5015 Air blower fixed plate | 1 |
| 3-8 | 1202200007 |  | 1.5M wire | 1 | 2-15 | 1300100063 |  | Z axis motor fixed plate | 2 |
| 3-9 | 1300500005 |  | Four parts below in this bag | 1 | 2-16 | 1300100065 1300100056 |  | Support plate lock plate | 2 |

| Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY | Item | Material number | Picture | Name | QTY |
|-------|-----------------|---|-------------------|-----|------|-----------------|---|---|-----|
| 3-9-1 | 1300500001 |  | 4.5M Winding pipe | 1 | 2-17 | 1300100041 |  | Y axis motor fixed plate | 1 |
| 3-9-2 | 1300900001 |  | Belting | 10 | 2-18 | 1700300010 |  | Y axis belt bearing support | 1 |
| 3-9-3 | 1300400006 |  | R clip | 3 | 2-19 | 1300300002 |  | Wind mouth | 1 |
| 3-9-4 | 1300400005 |  | Locating piece | 2 | 2-20 | |  | 1.5M Power line | 1 |
| 3-10 | 1101300008 |  | Linear bearing | 4 | 2-21 | 1700200018 |  | 16GB TF card and card reader | 1 |
| 3-11 | 1200100002 |  | Power Supply | 1 | 2-22 | 1202100031 |  | X Motor line 40CM Y Motor line 40CM Left Z Motor line 40CM Right Z Motor line 90CM Extruder Motor line 90CM | 5 |

C. Cura Software

1. Installation of Cura14.07 a:

Where can I find the software?

- 1) TF card with shipment; 2) download from Internet; b:

Installation process

- 1) From TF card with shipment

Insert TF card and open the file

1.1 File location in the TF card

1) Insert SD card, open the file

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|--------------------------|-------------------|-----|----|
| Installation Instruction | 2016/7/7 星期四 ... | 文件夹 | |
| Print Model STL | 2016/6/22 星期三 ... | 文件夹 | |
| Software | 2016/7/7 星期四 ... | 文件夹 | |
| Test file GCODE | 2016/6/22 星期三 ... | 文件夹 | |
| Tool List&other pictures | 2016/7/7 星期四 ... | 文件夹 | |

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|--------------------|------------------|-----|----|
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| Cura 14.07 | 2016/7/7 星期四 ... | 文件夹 | |
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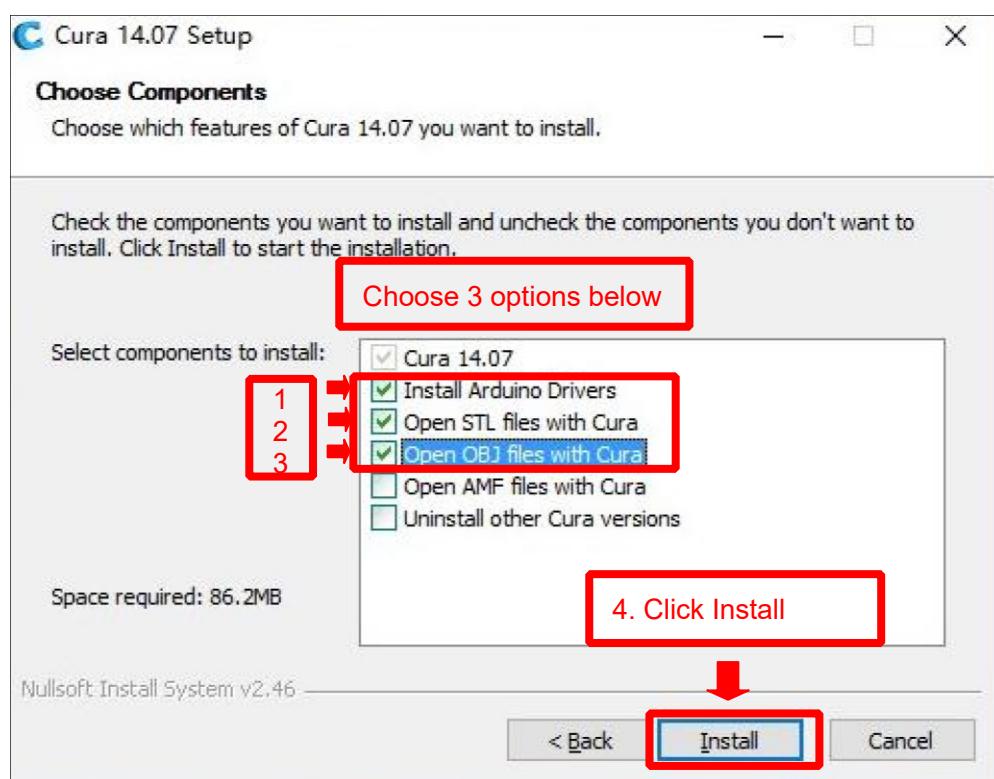
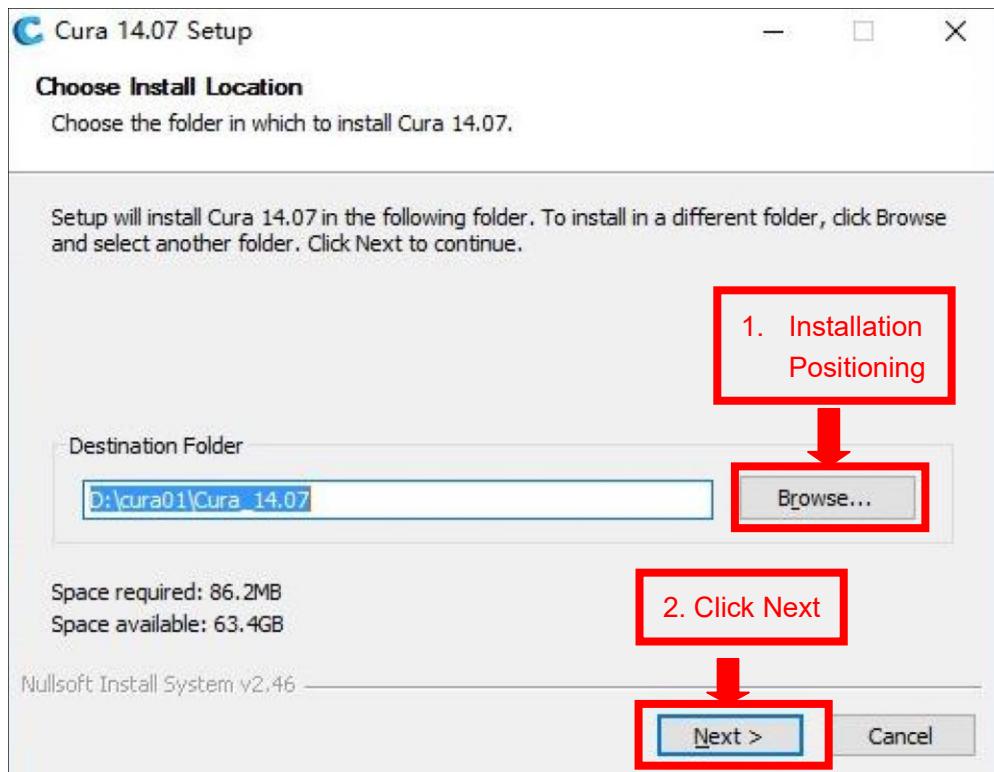
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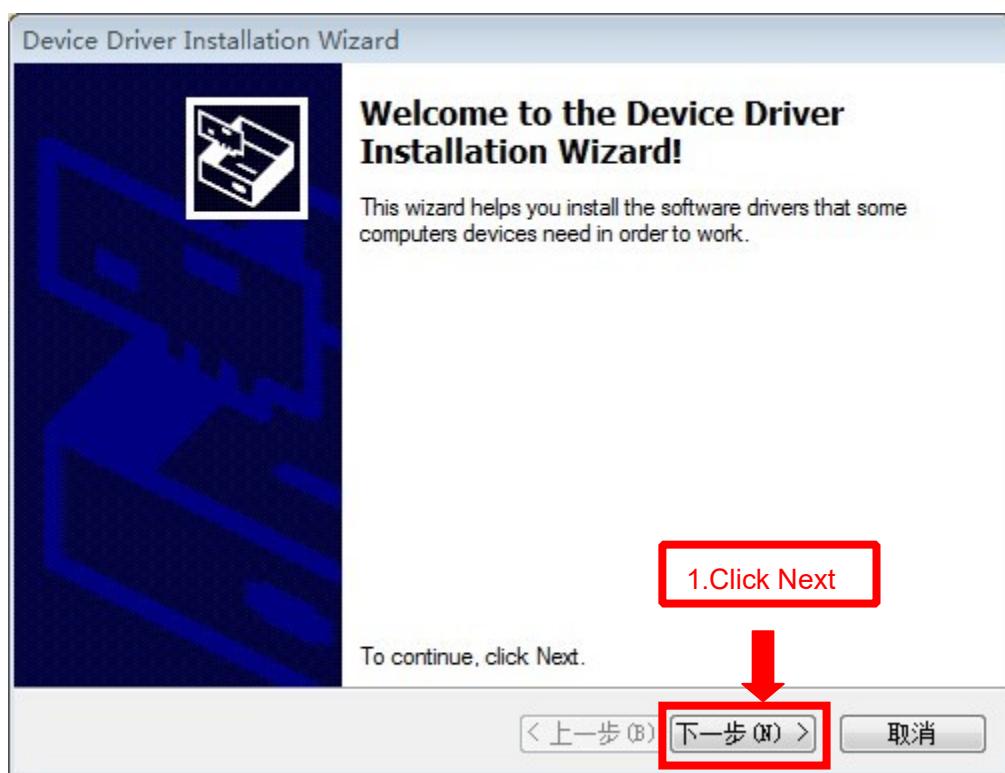
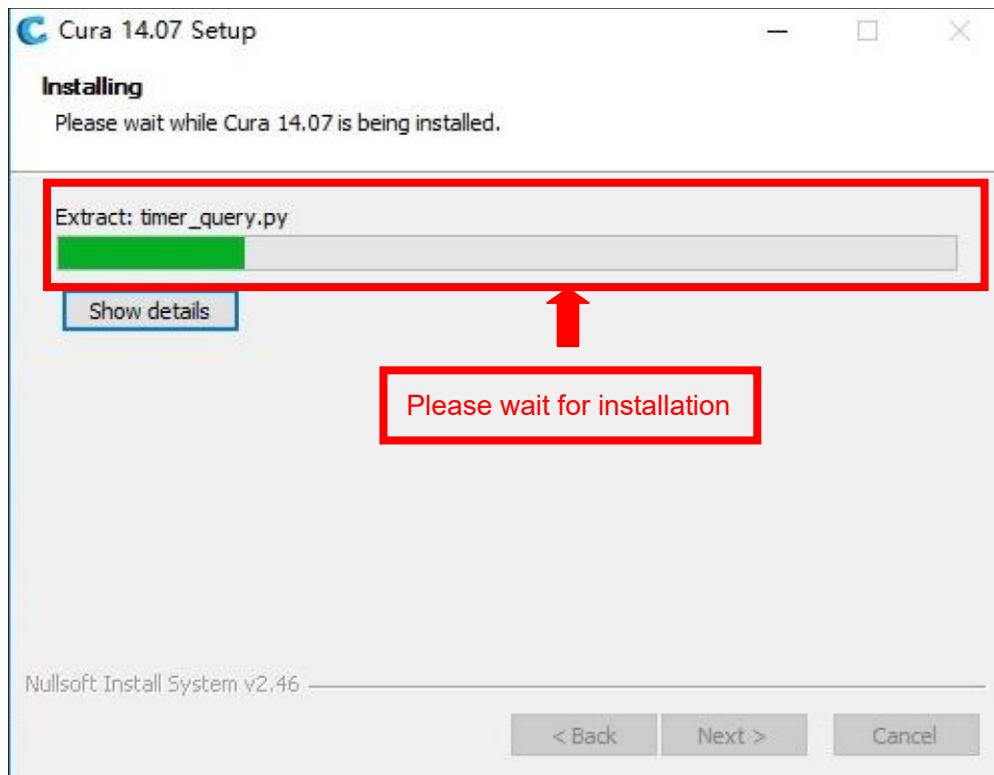
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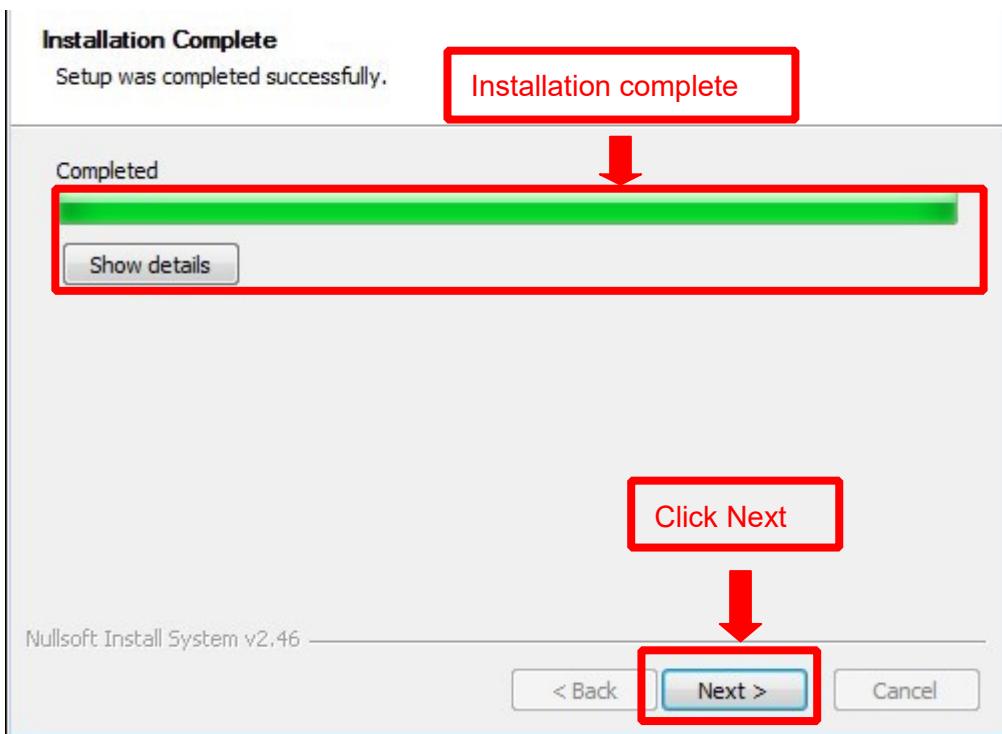
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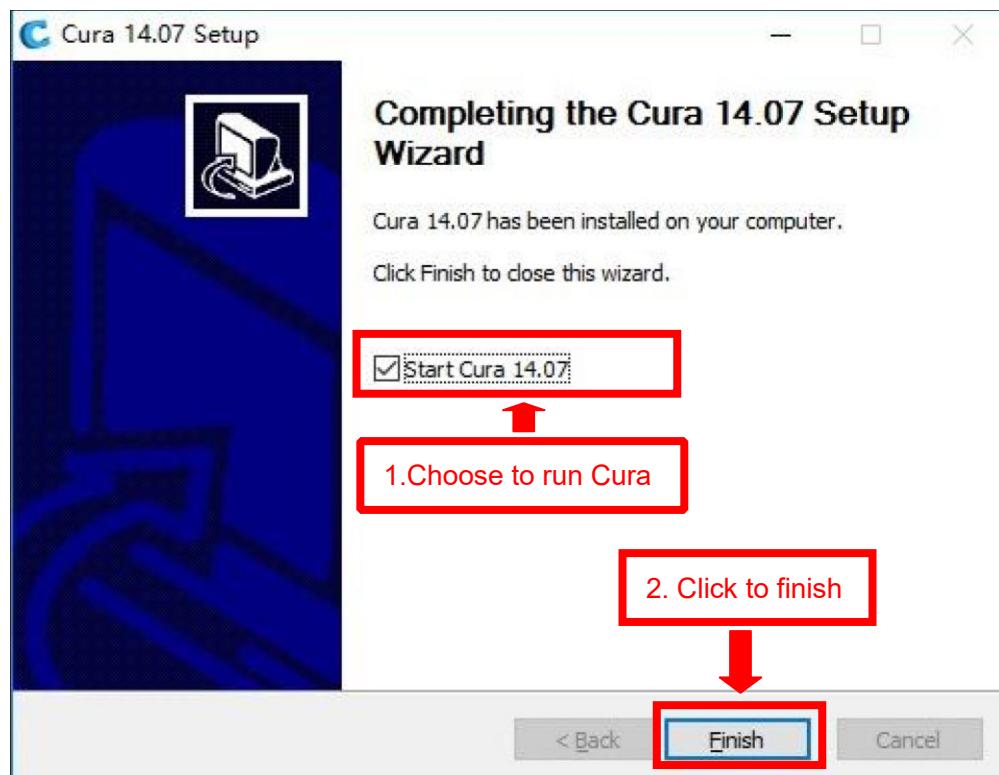
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| Version: 12.12 | Release date: 12/24/12 |
| Version: 12.11 | Release date: 11/12/12 |
| Version: 12.10 | Release date: 11/8/12 |

b. Software Installation Process









Select your machine

What kind of machine do you have:

- Ultimaker2
- Ultimaker Original
- Printrbot

Other (Ex: RepRap, MakerBot)

1. Choose other to customize

The collection of anonymous usage information helps with the continued improvement of Cura.
This does NOT submit your models online nor gathers any privacy related information.

Submit anonymous usage information:

2. Choose this option

For full details see: <http://wiki.ultimaker.com/Cura:stats>

3. Click Next

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Next >

Cancel

Other machine information

The following pre-defined machine profiles are available

Note that these profiles are not guaranteed to give good results,
or work at all. Extra tweaks might be required.

If you find issues with the predefined profiles,
or want an extra profile.

Please report it at the [github issue tracker](#).

- BFB
- DeltaBot
- MakerBotReplicator
- Mendel
- Prusa Mendel i3
- punchtec Connect XL

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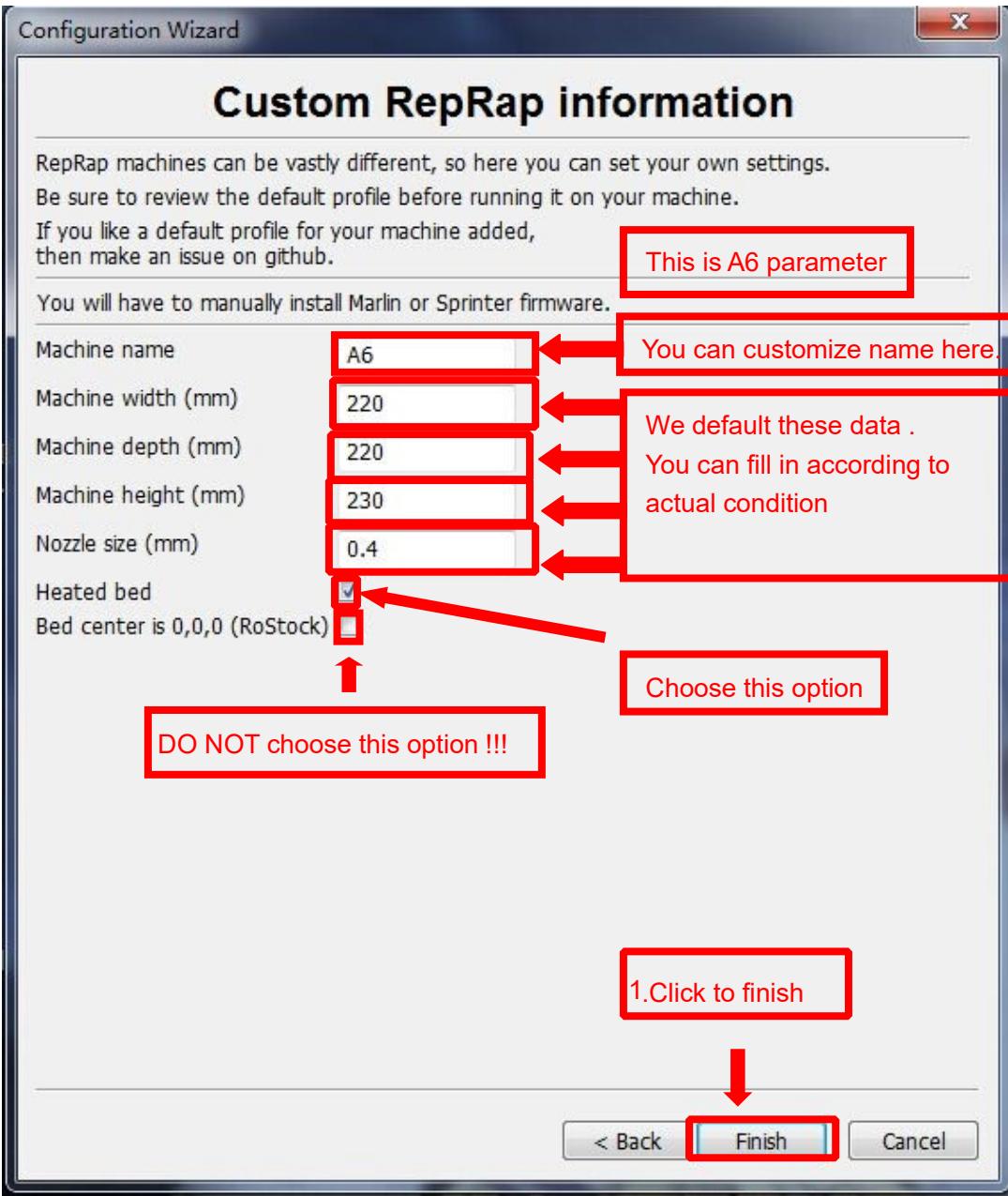
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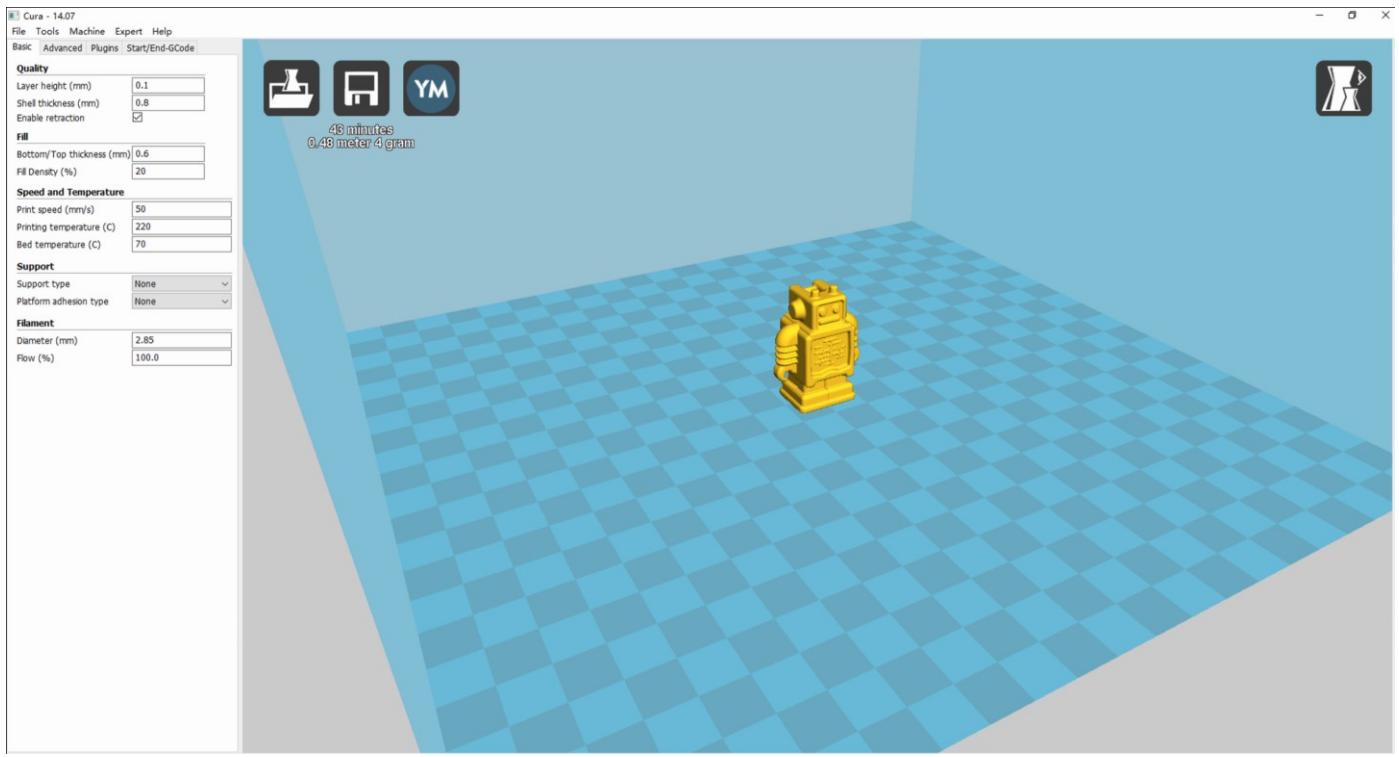
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Cancel





Now you have finished the installation. Next , enter Cura .

2. Cura Setting

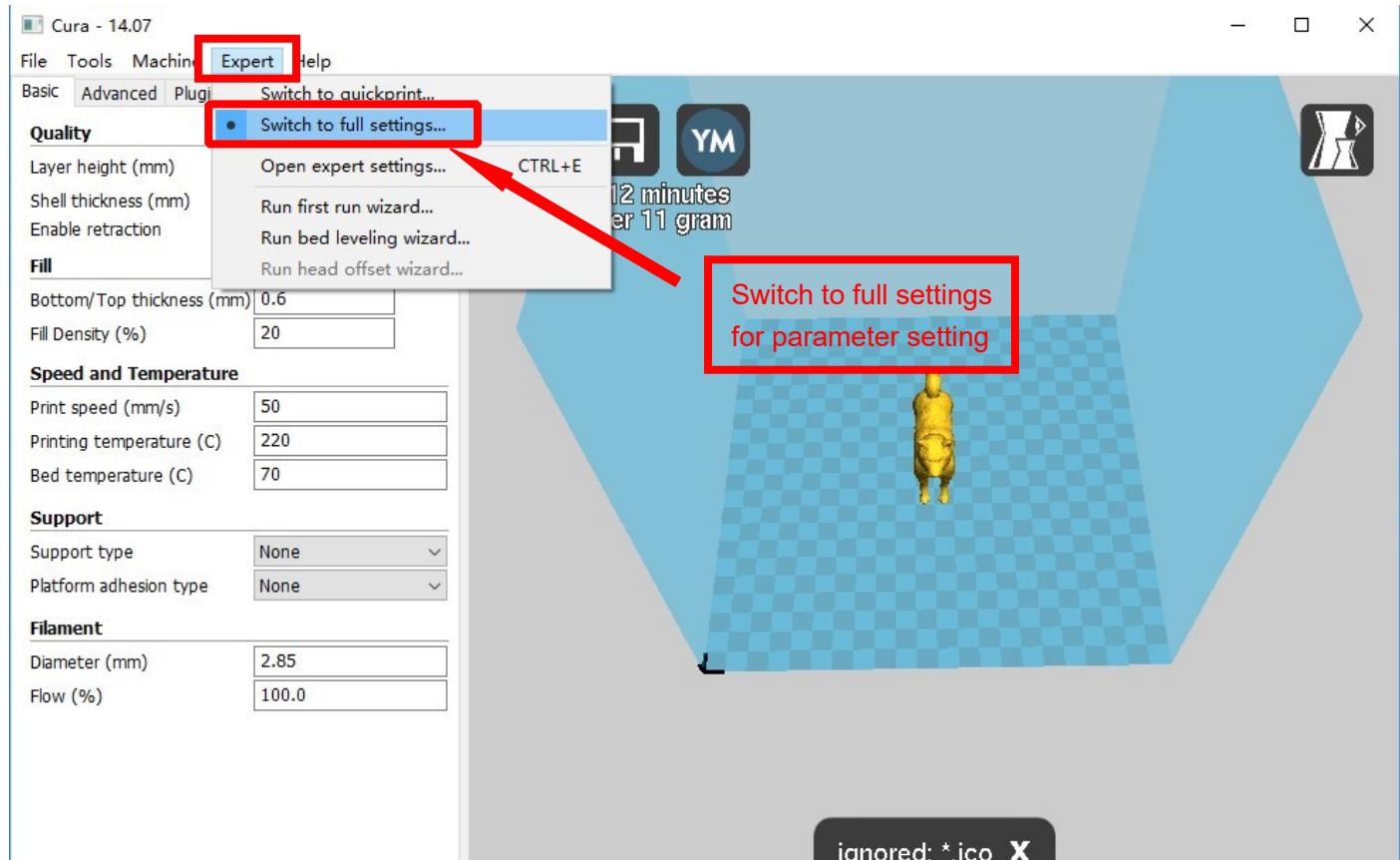
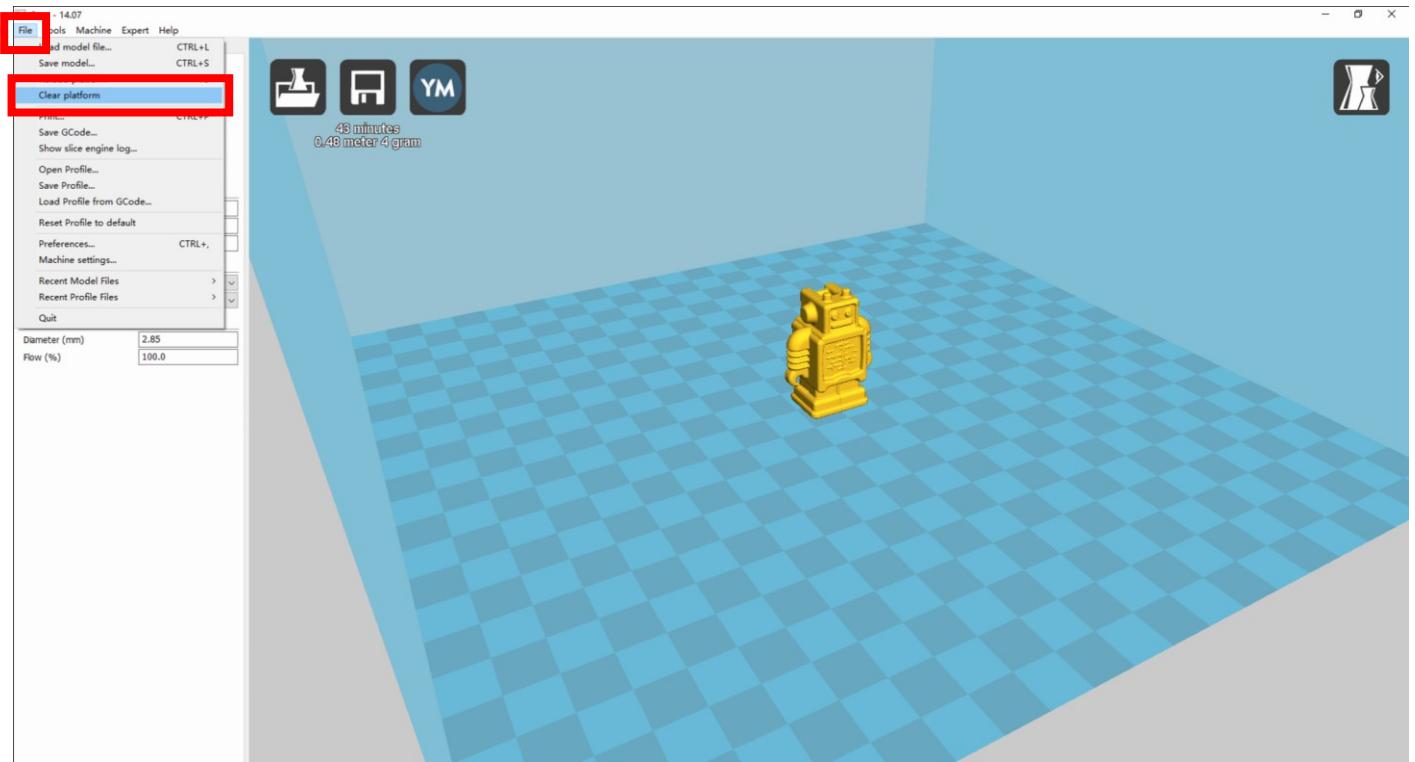
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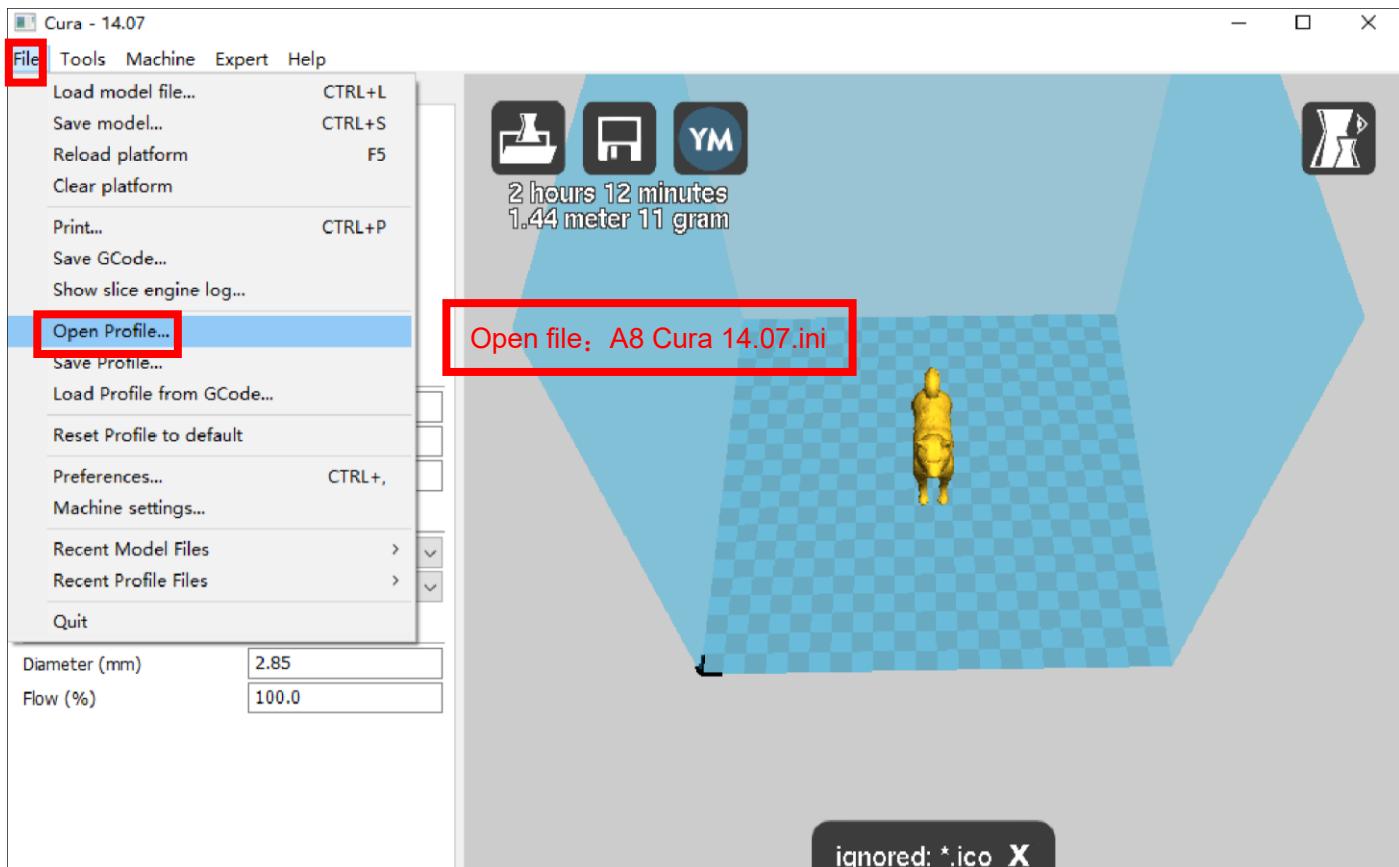
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1.Move mouse to dog ,right click, click “delete object”.



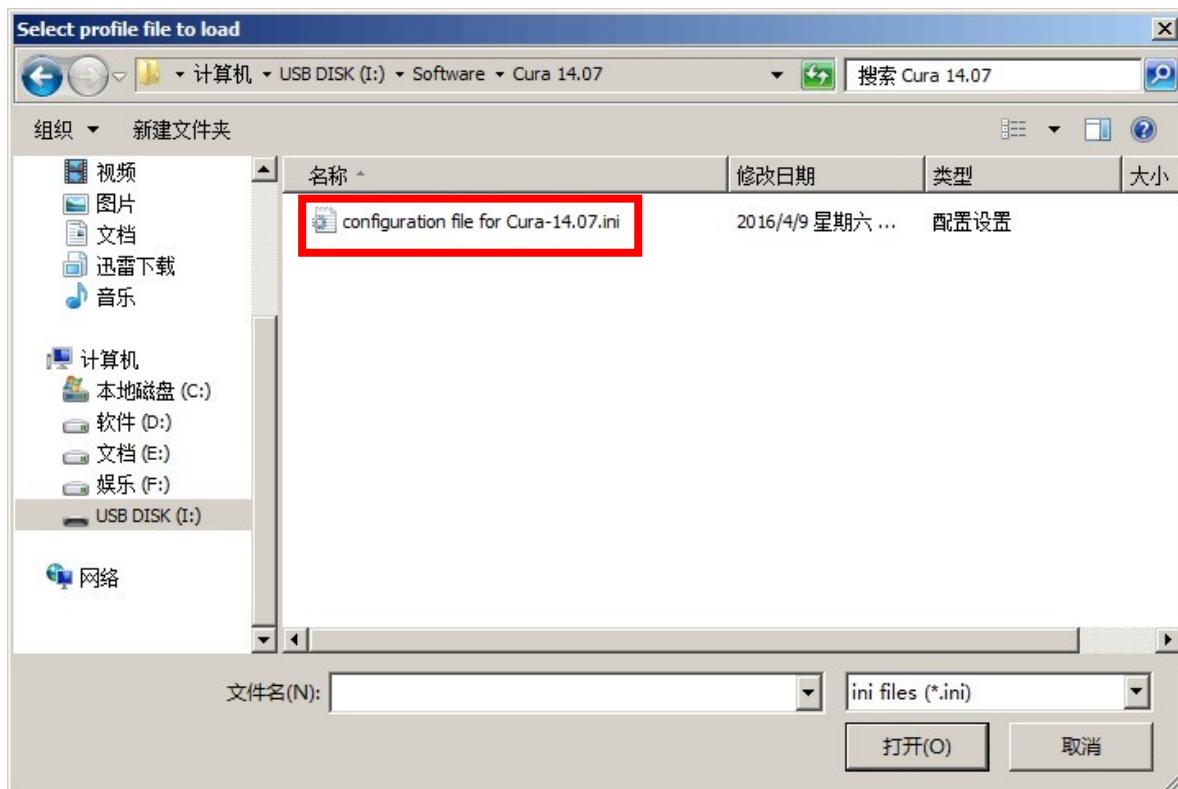
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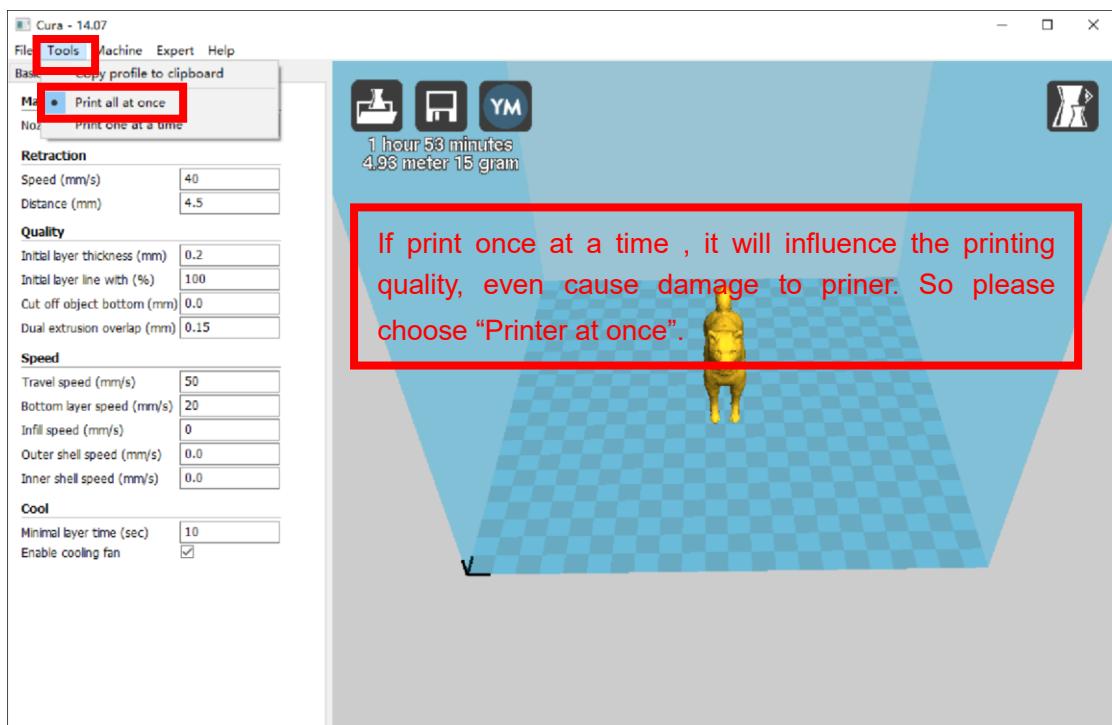
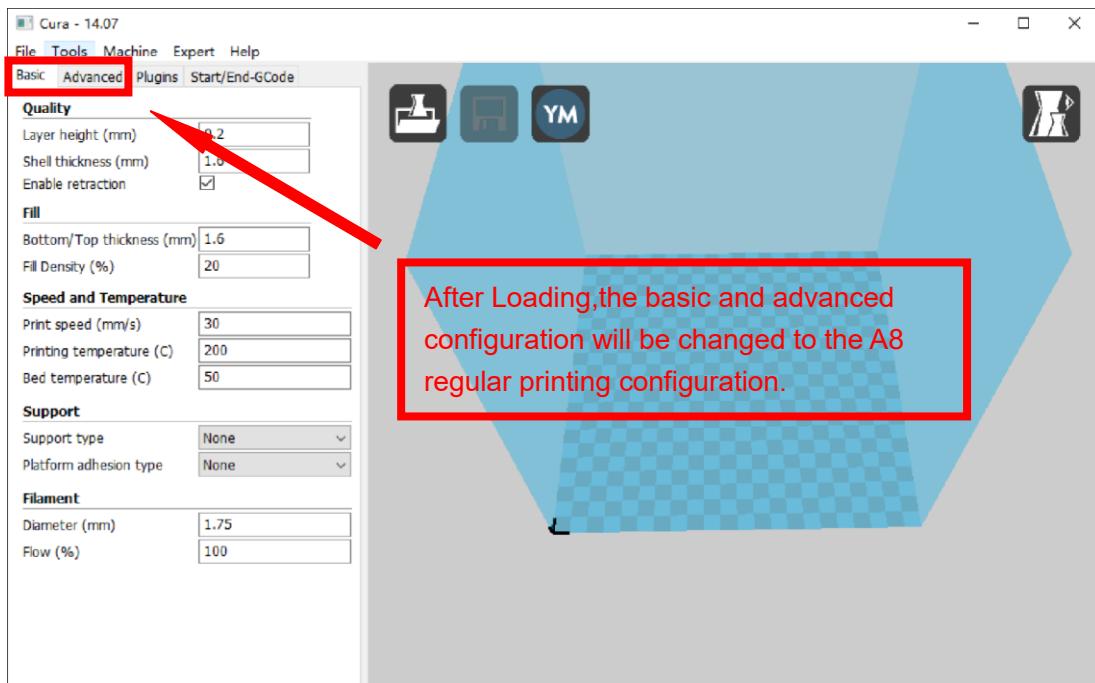




Position of configuration file: Computer/TF card)/ configuration file for cura -14.07

(suggestion :keep this file copy to your computer)





2.3 Layer height settings

Cura - 14.07

File Tools Machine Expert Help

Basic Advanced Plugins Start/End-GCode

Quality

Layer height (mm) (highlighted)

Shell thickness (mm)

Enable retraction

Fill

Bottom/Top thickness (mm)

Fill Density (%)

Speed and Temperature

Print speed (mm/s)

Printing temperature (C)

Bed temperature (C)

Support

Support type

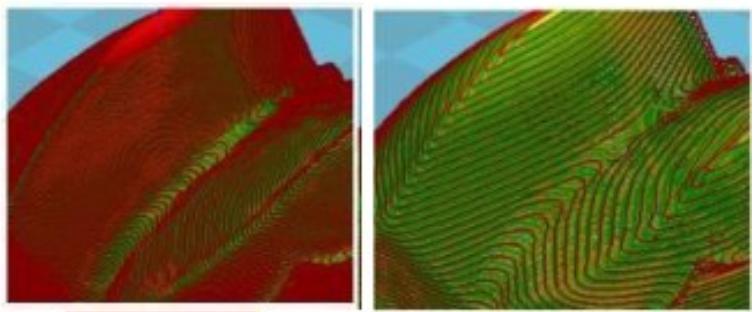
Platform adhesion type

Filament

Diameter (mm)

Flow (%)

Layer height : 0.1mm cost long time but have the best printing precision. 0.2mm cost half time compared to 0.1mm , but have general printing precision. 0.3 cost less time with not good precision. It defaults 0.2mm.



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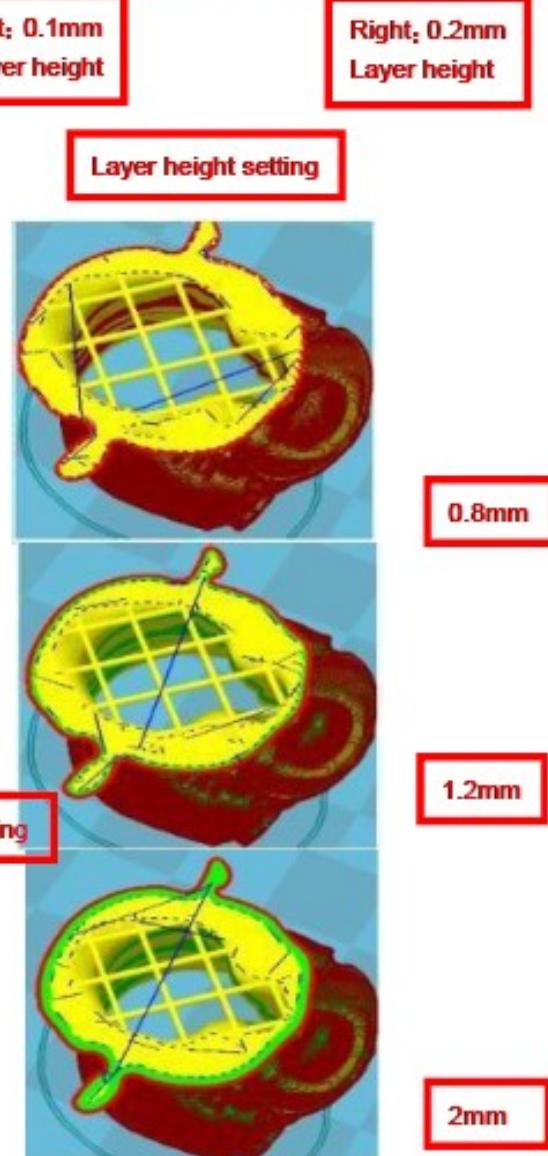
Diameter (mm)

Flow (%)

Shell thickness setting

0.8mm is too thin for shell, 2mm shell costs more time , 1.2mm is relatively better. Please use the integer mutiple of nozzle diameter.

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Quality

Layer height (mm)

0.2

Shell thickness (mm)

1.2

Enable retraction

**Fill**

Bottom/Top thickness (mm)

1.2

Fill Density (%)

20

Speed and Temperature

Print speed (mm/s)

30

Printing temperature (C)

200

Bed temperature (C)

50

Support

Support type

None

Platform adhesion type

None

Filament

Diameter (mm)

1.75

Flow (%)

100

Enable retraction to avoid filaments leakage when nozzles move in empty area



The Blue line is
the leak filament

Enable retraction

Quality

Layer height (mm)

0.2

Shell thickness (mm)

1.2

Enable retraction

**Fill**

Bottom/Top thickness (mm)

1.2

Fill Density (%)

20

Speed and Temperature

Print speed (mm/s)

30

Printing temperature (C)

200

Bed temperature (C)

50

Support

Support type

None

Platform adhesion type

None

Filament

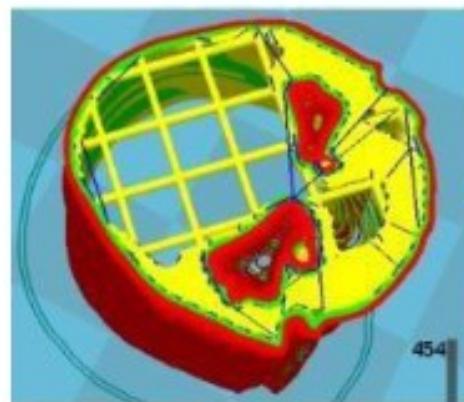
Diameter (mm)

1.75

Flow (%)

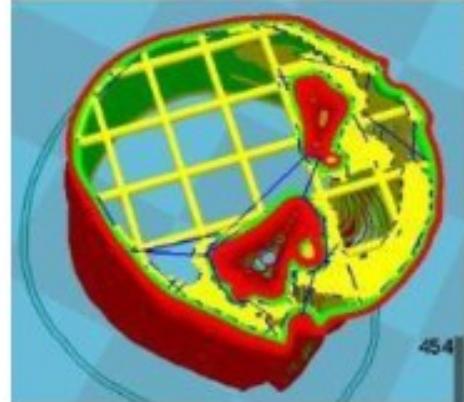
100

When fill density is less than 20%, it's easy for 0.6mm thickness to cause hollow on the top. 1.2mm normally won't have this issue.



Bottom/Top thickness: 1.2mm

Under the same
fill density



Bottom/Top thickness: 0.6mm

Bottom/Top thickness setting

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File Tools Machine Expert Help

Basic Advanced Plugins Start/End-GCode

Quality

Layer height (mm) 0.2
Shell thickness (mm) 1.2
Enable retraction

Fill

Bottom/Top thickness (mm) 1.2
Fill Density (%) 20

Speed and Temperature

Print speed (mm/s) 30
Printing temperature (C) 200
Bed temperature (C) 50

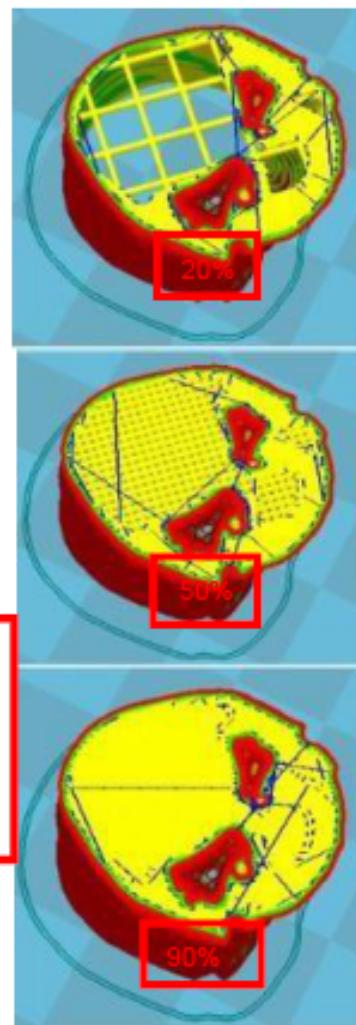
Support

Support type None
Platform adhesion type None

Filament

Diameter (mm) 1.75
Flow (%) 100

Fill Density Setting



Fill Density: If strength requirement is not so high , set 10% is ok.
Please improve fill density when strength requirement gets higher.
Printing time will go up as well.

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File Tools Machine Expert Help

Basic Advanced Plugins Start/End-GCode

Quality

Layer height (mm) 0.2
Shell thickness (mm) 1.2
Enable retraction

Fill

Bottom/Top thickness (mm) 1.2
Fill Density (%) 20

Speed and Temperature

Print speed (mm/s) 30
Printing temperature (C) 200
Bed temperature (C) 50

Support

Support type None
Platform adhesion type None

Filament

Diameter (mm) 1.75
Flow (%) 100

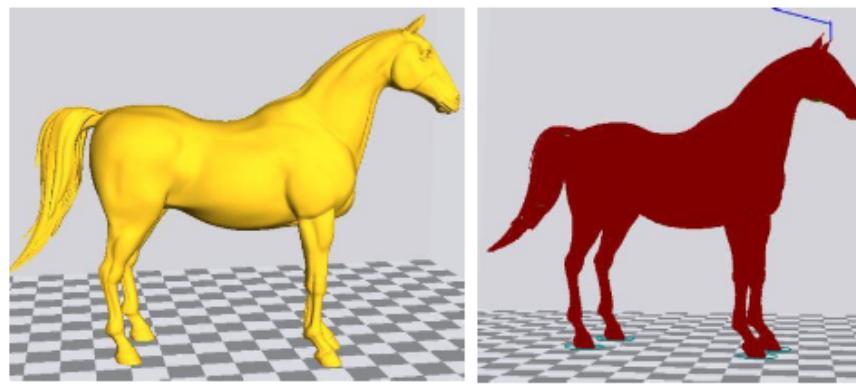
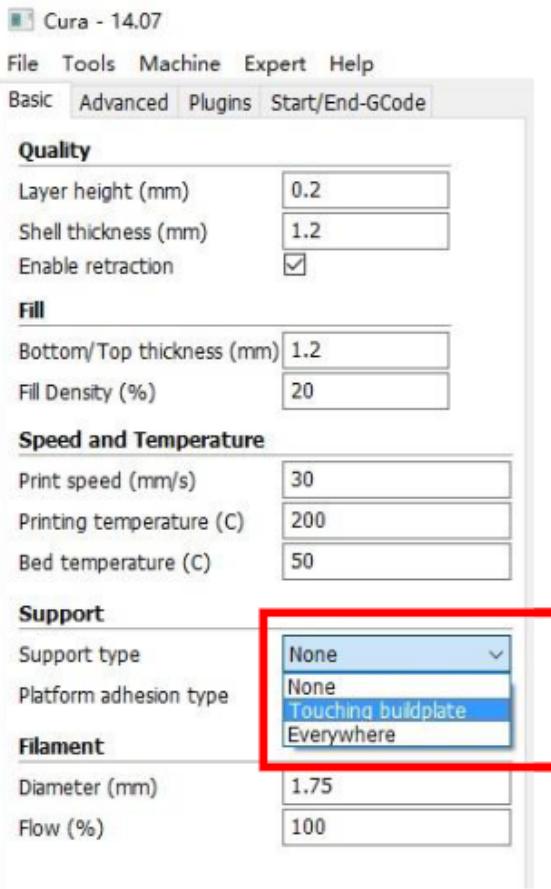
Printing Speed setting

This is default speed. If other settings aren't changed, it prints more accurately while the printing process takes more time.
High printing speed takes less time while it cannot print accurately , making the model have bad quality.
Normally 40-60 print speed is suitable for printing.

Pringting Temperature

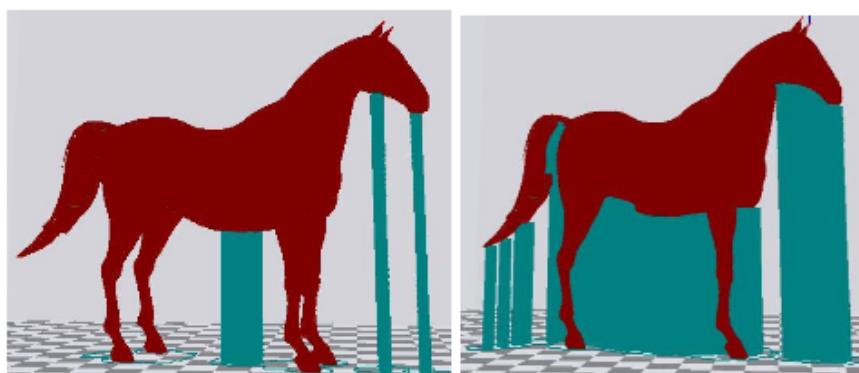
PLA filament temperature setting: nozzle: 190-210 °C hotbed: 40-60°C

ABS filament temperature setting: nozzle: 230-250°C hotbed: 60-90°C



Original Model

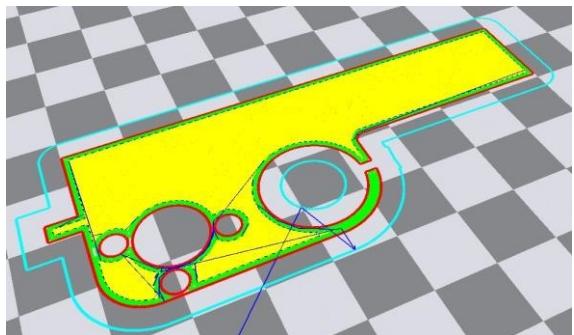
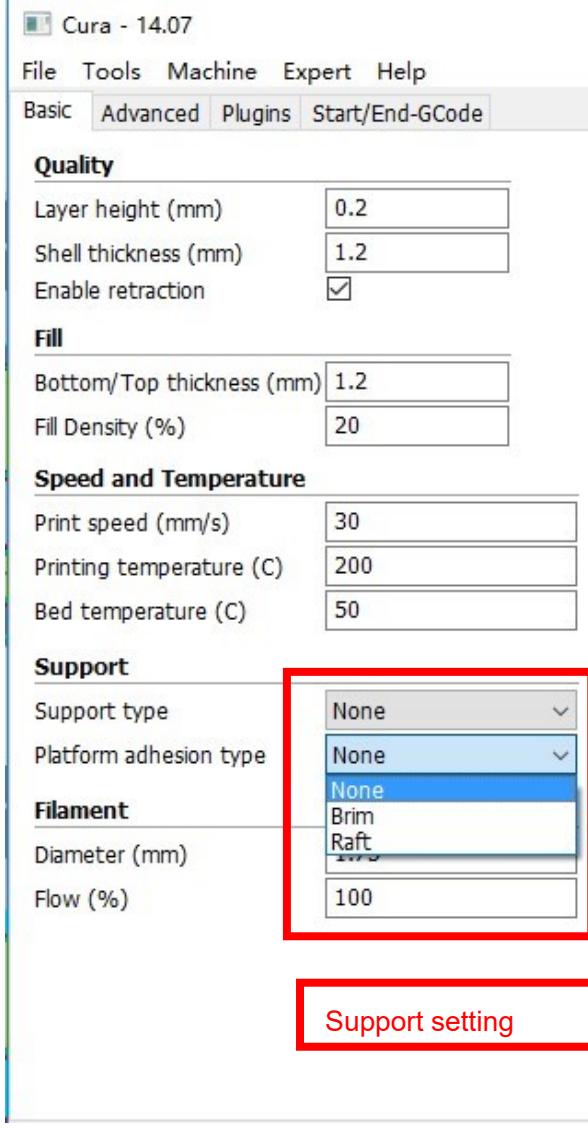
Support type: None



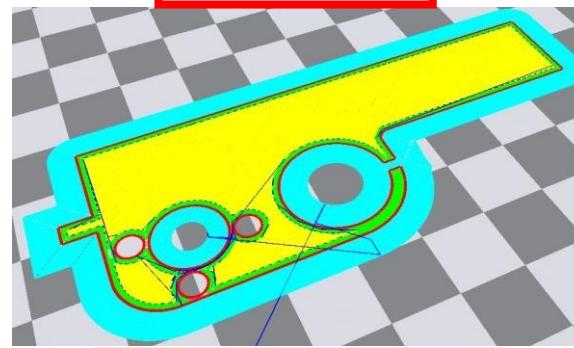
Support type: Touching

Support type: Everywhere

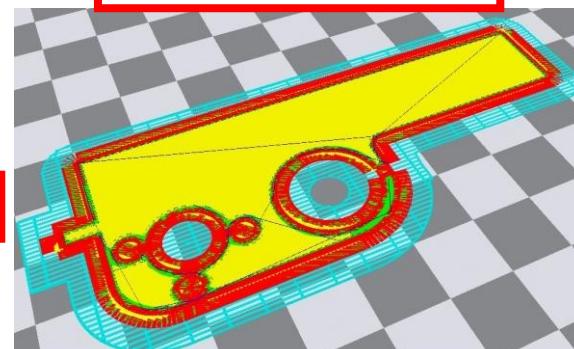
Attention: Normally we add support to complex model or model with vacant parts. It may have influence on the surface if you choose everywhere. You'd better circle around the model and try to avoid unnecessary support.



None: no support

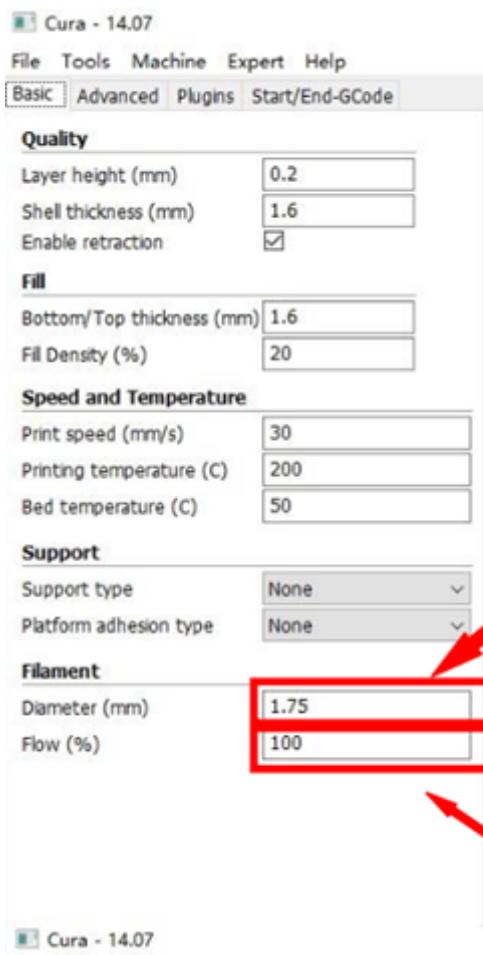


Brim: Touch with the edge



Raft: Totally touch with the bottom

Attention: please choose None if the printing platform is ready and the high temperature adhesive tape is good. Please choose Brim when the model is small . Choosing Raft makes it difficult to separate model from the platform

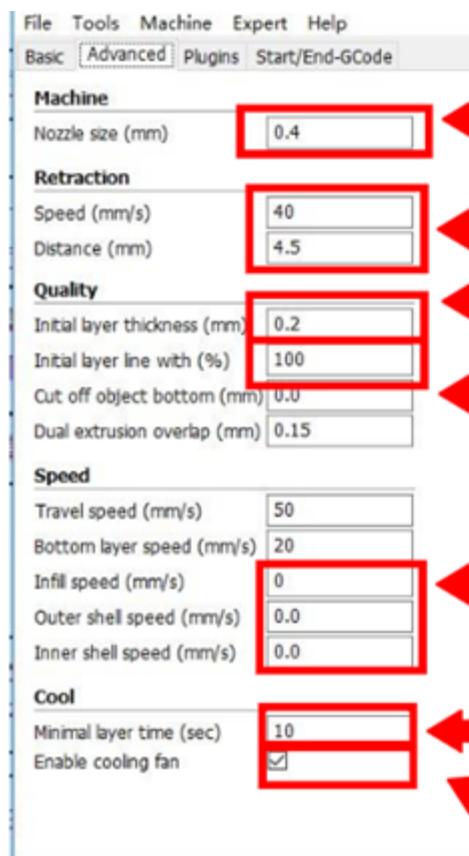


Attention: A6 use 1.75mm filament

Attention:

Flow is proportion of filament , we suggest to use 100
Increasing flow & decrease diameter has the similar effect.

Model surface gets many bumps when flow is too big;model frame gets flimsy if flow is too small.



We suggest not to change it , A6 default 0.4mm

We suggest not to change it , or use the date in the picture

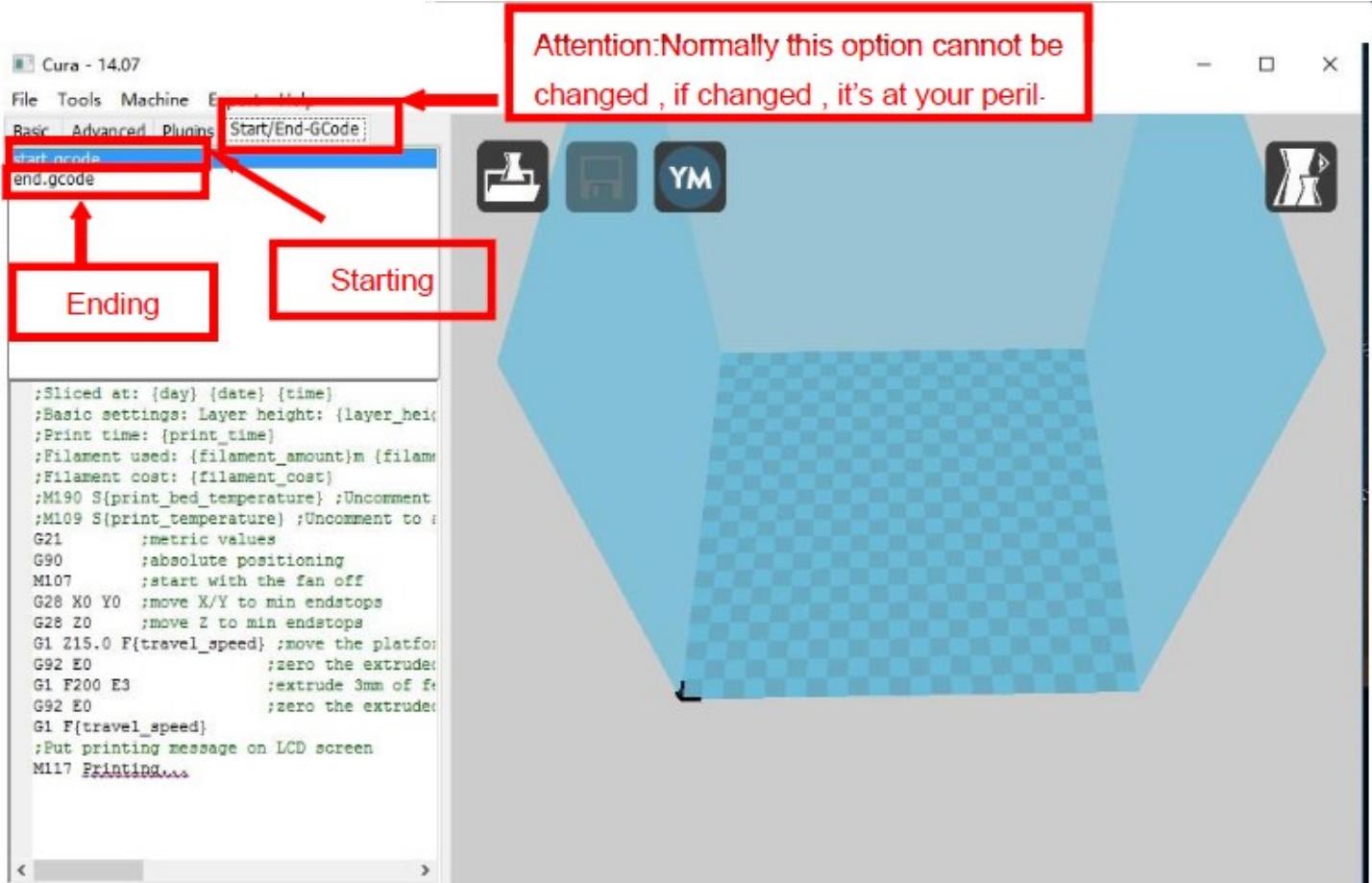
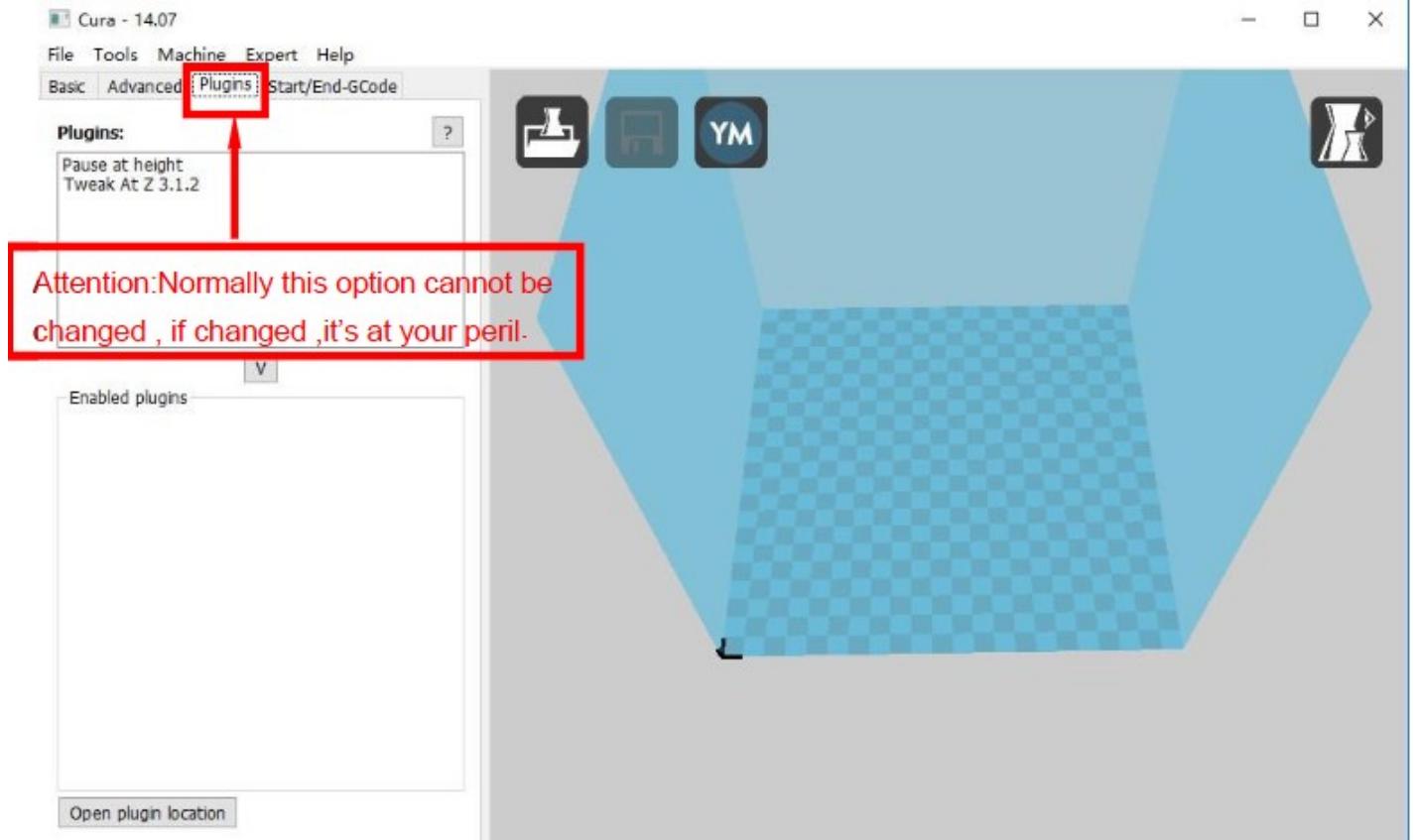
We suggest 0.2mm to avoid initial layer tilt,0.3mm is more easy to seperate from the platform.

Initial layer line proportion

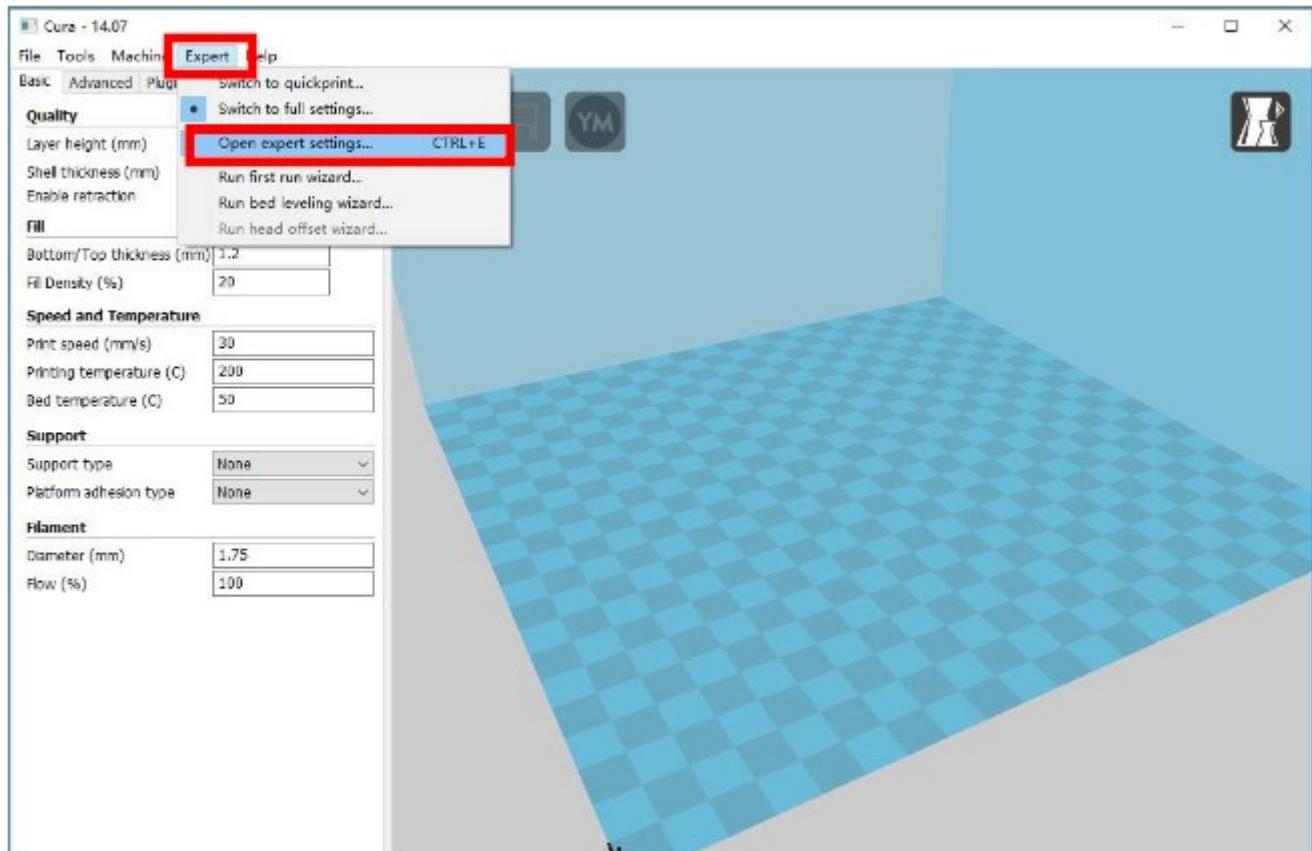
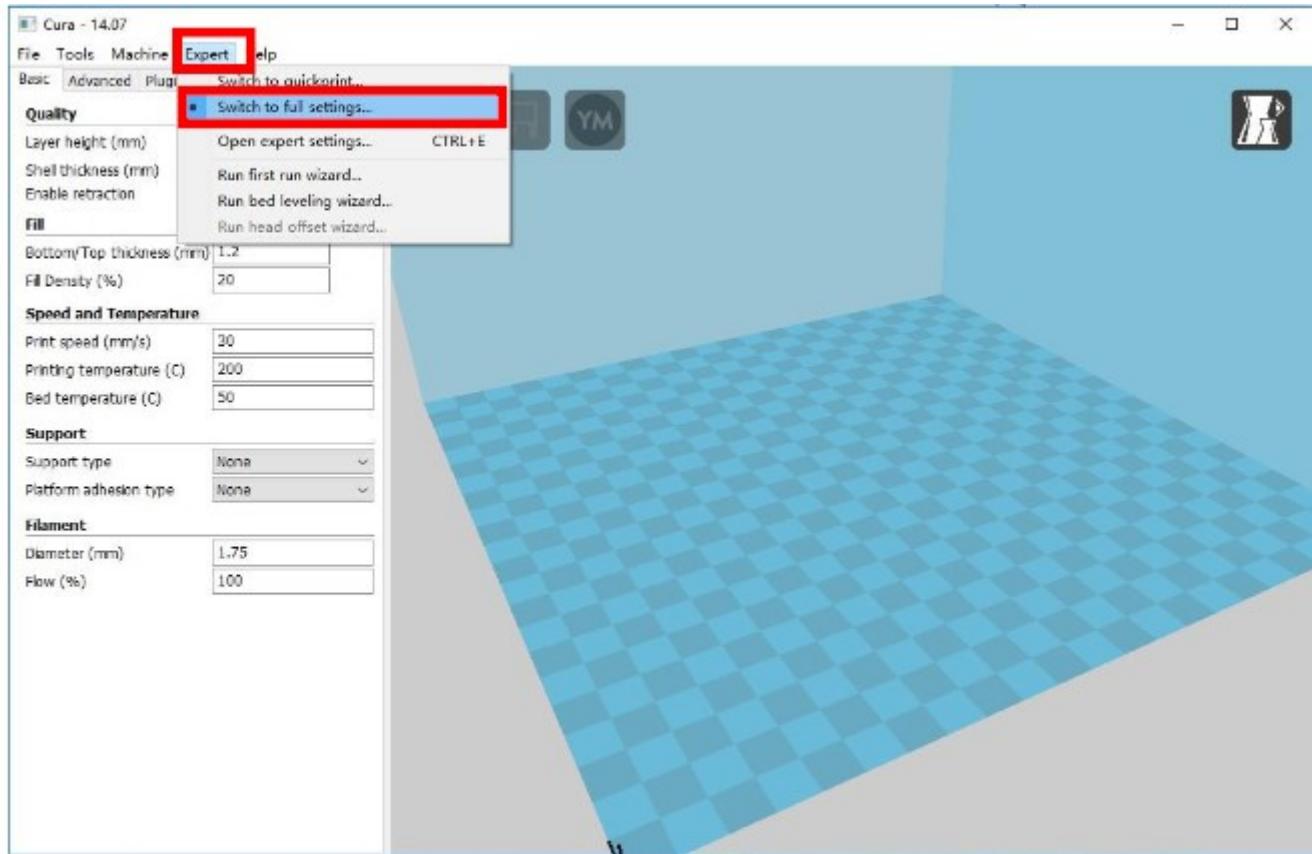
"0" means using default speed

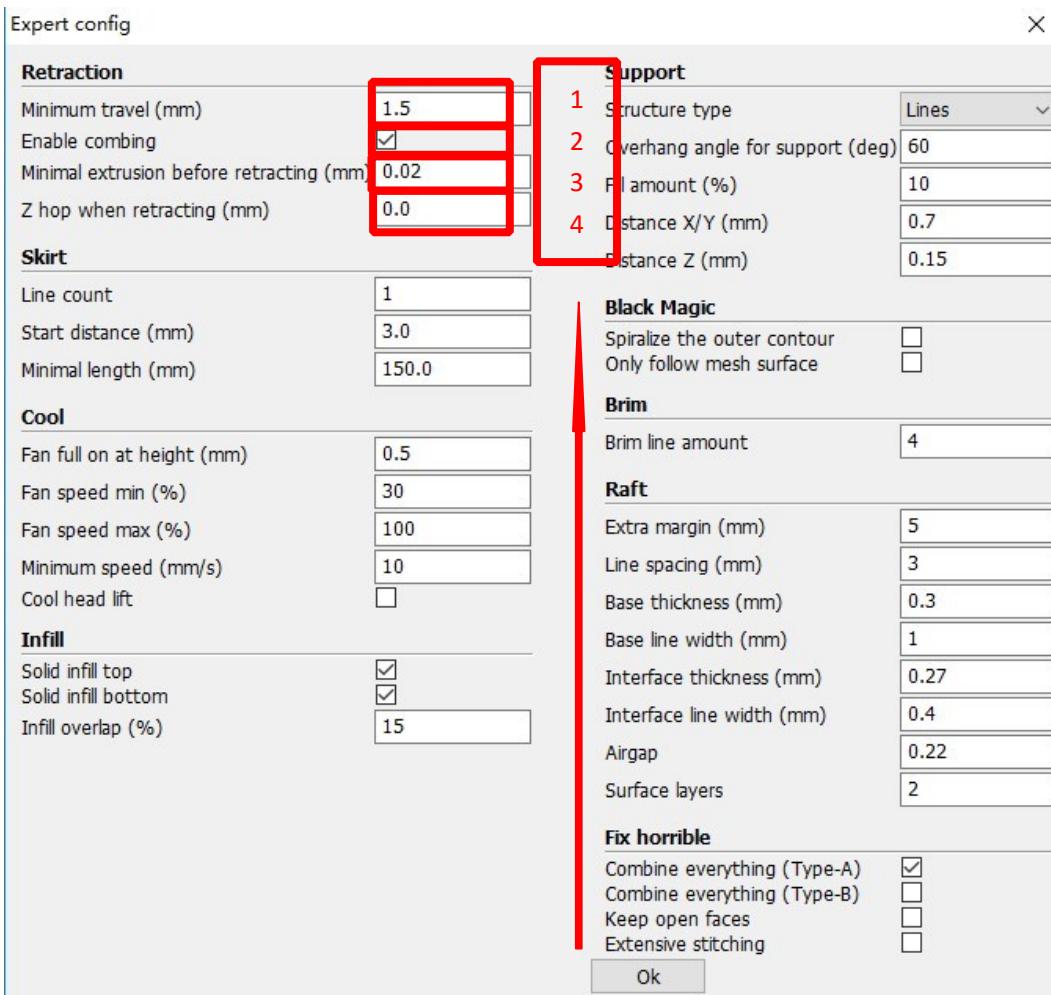
Min printing time for each layer. When the time is less than 10 , it prints slower. It's better to decrease time when printing thin and long models.

We suggest not choose this when printing ABS.

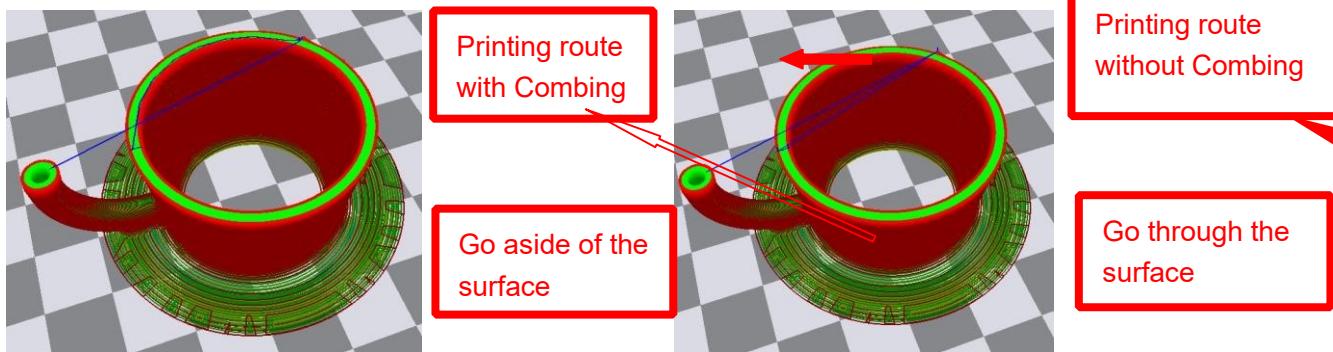


3.Expert Setting





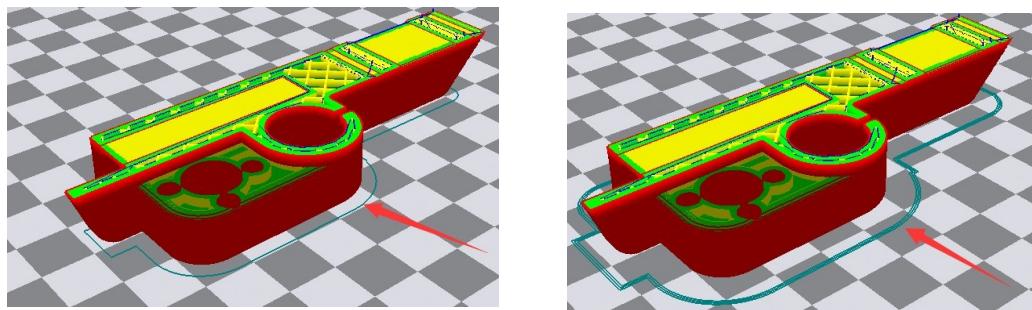
1. The minimum length before retraction . Used to avoid frequent retraction. No need to change.
2. Enable Combing: Digital for surface quality , the nozzle will try not to go through surface , that's why Cura is better than Slic3r.
3. Minimum extrusion length , to avoid frequent extrusion.
4. The height extruder rise in the retraction . If you need to set this option , 2mm is suitable .



Expert config

| | |
|--|--|
| Retraction | Support |
| Minimum travel (mm) <input type="text" value="1.5"/> | Structure type <input type="text" value="Lines"/> |
| Enable combing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Overhang angle for support (deg) <input type="text" value="60"/> |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) <input type="text" value="0.02"/> | Fill amount (%) <input type="text" value="10"/> |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) <input type="text" value="0.0"/> | Distance X/Y (mm) <input type="text" value="0.7"/> |
| Skirt | |
| Line count <input type="text" value="1"/> | Distance Z (mm) <input type="text" value="0.15"/> |
| Start distance (mm) <input type="text" value="3.0"/> | Black Magic |
| Minimal length (mm) <input type="text" value="150.0"/> | Spiralize the outer contour <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cool | |
| Fan full on at height (mm) <input type="text" value="0.5"/> | Only follow mesh surface <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fan speed min (%) <input type="text" value="30"/> | |
| Fan speed max (%) <input type="text" value="100"/> | |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) <input type="text" value="10"/> | |
| Cool head lift <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Infill | |
| Solid infill top <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Extra margin (mm) <input type="text" value="5"/> |
| Solid infill bottom <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Line spacing (mm) <input type="text" value="3"/> |
| Infill overlap (%) <input type="text" value="15"/> | Base thickness (mm) <input type="text" value="0.3"/> |
| | Base line width (mm) <input type="text" value="1"/> |
| | Interface thickness (mm) <input type="text" value="0.27"/> |
| | Interface line width (mm) <input type="text" value="0.4"/> |
| | Airgap <input type="text" value="0.22"/> |
| | Surface layers <input type="text" value="2"/> |
| Brim | |
| Brim line amount <input type="text" value="4"/> | |
| Raft | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| Fix horrible | |
| Combine everything (Type-A) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Keep open faces <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Combine everything (Type-B) <input type="checkbox"/> | Extensive stitching <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ok | |

Skirt is to avoid extruder unfilled before printing , and it appears only when platform attachment type is None. Normally “1” is ok . Change it to “0” when your model reaches the maximum size , or the printing size will be too big.



Peripheral line quantity: 1
Start distance: 3

Peripheral line quantity: 1
Start distance: 3

Expert config

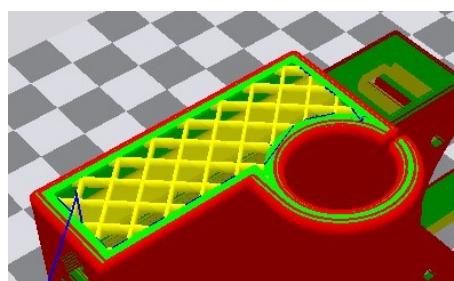
| | |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Retraction | Support |
| Minimum travel (mm) | Structure type |
| Enable combing | Lines |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | Overhang angle for support (deg) |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | Fill amount (%) |
| Skirt | Distance X/Y (mm) |
| Line count | Distance Z (mm) |
| Start distance (mm) | |
| Minimal length (mm) | |
| Cool | Black Magic |
| Fan full on at height (mm) | Spiralize the outer contour |
| Fan speed min (%) | Only follow mesh surface |
| Fan speed max (%) | Brim |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | Brim line amount |
| Cool head lift | |
| Infill | Raft |
| Solid infill top | Extra margin (mm) |
| Solid infill bottom | Line spacing (mm) |
| Infill overlap (%) | Base thickness (mm) |
| | Base line width (mm) |
| | Interface thickness (mm) |
| | Interface line width (mm) |
| | Airgap |
| | Surface layers |
| | Fix horrible |
| | Combine everything (Type-A) |
| | Combine everything (Type-B) |
| | Keep open faces |
| | Extensive stitching |
| | Ok |

1. To ensure the attachment of model to platform , fan won't start at the beginning.
- 2-4. Fan speed min & max : If they are not equal , the soft ware will choose a suitable speed during them.
5. Condition to choose cool head lift : When it's printing with the minimum speed but still cannot reach the minimum time , you need to choose cool head lift . But it may cause filament leak.

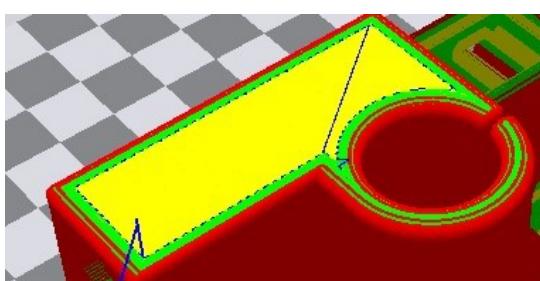
Expert config X

| | |
|--|--|
| Retraction | |
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 |
| Skirt | |
| Line count | 1 |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 |
| Cool | |
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Infill | |
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 |
| Support | |
| Structure type | Lines ▼ |
| Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Distance Z (mm) | 0.15 |
| Black Magic | |
| Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Brim | |
| Brim line amount | 4 |
| Raft | |
| Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| Airgap | 0.22 |
| Surface layers | 2 |
| Fix horrible | |
| Combine everything (Type-A) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Combine everything (Type-B) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Keep open faces | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extensive stitching | <input type="checkbox"/> |

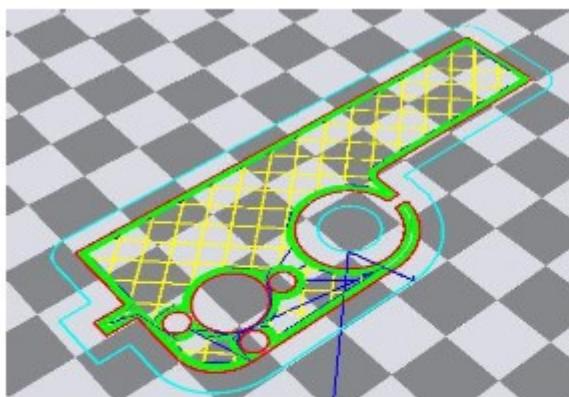
Ok



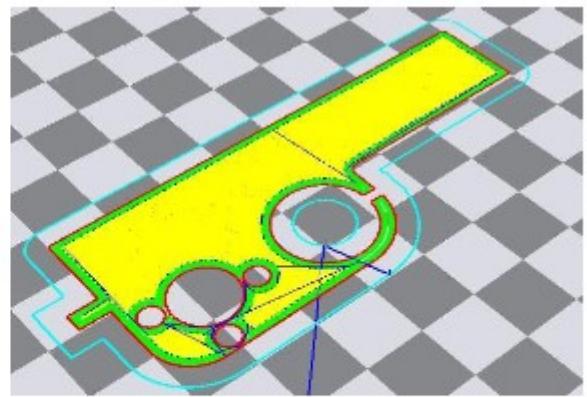
No solid infill top



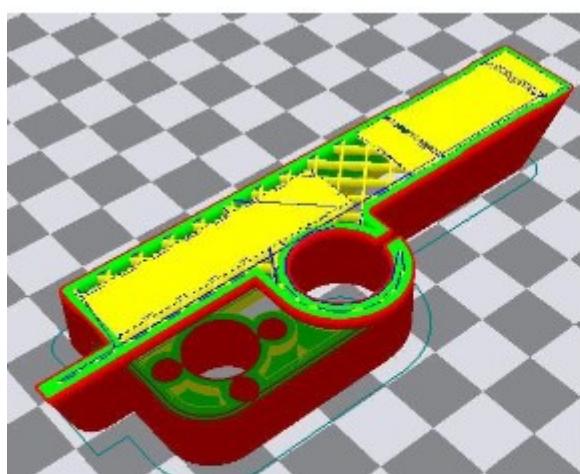
With solid infill top



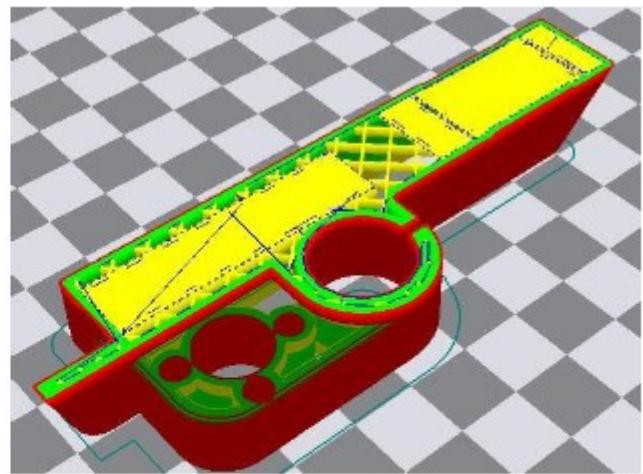
No solid infill bottom



With solid infill bottom



Infill overlap: 20



Infill overlap: 40

Expert config

Retraction

| | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 |

Skirt

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Line count | 1 |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 |

Cool

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Infill

| | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 |

Support

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Structure type | Lines |
| Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Distance Z (mm) | 0.15 |

Black Magic

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Brim

| | |
|------------------|---|
| Brim line amount | 4 |
|------------------|---|

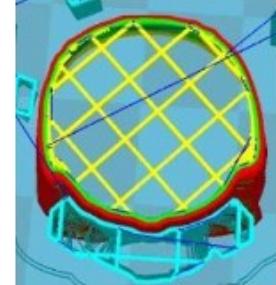
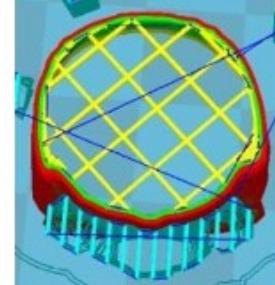
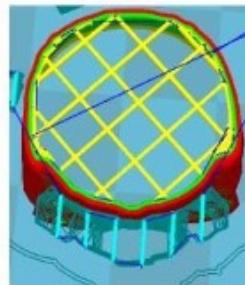
Raft

| | |
|---------------------------|------|
| Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| Airgap | 0.22 |
| Surface layers | 2 |

Fix horrible

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Combine everything (Type-A) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Combine everything (Type-B) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Keep open faces | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extensive stitching | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Ok



Structure types: lines
Infill covertap: 15
Distance X/Y: 0.7

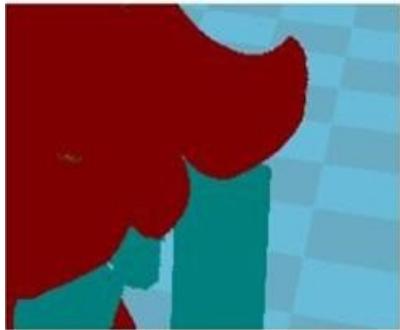
Structure types: lines
Infill covertap: 30
Distance X/Y: 0.7

Structure types: grids
Infill covertap: 15
Distance X/Y: 0.7

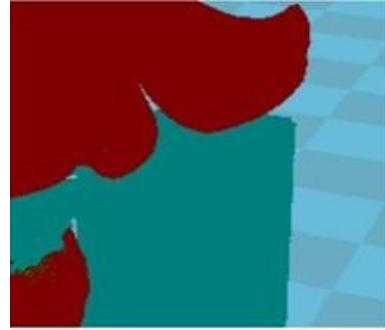
These above are examples , you can set these options according to actual requirements. The biggest progress Cura has made is the kinds of support structure types , making it easier to seperate from the model.

Expert config

| | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Retraction | | Support | |
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 | Structure type | Lines |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 | Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 | Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Skirt | | Distance Z (mm) | 0.15 |
| Line count | 1 | Black Magic | |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 | Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 | Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cool | | Brim | |
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 | Brim line amount | 4 |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 | Raft | |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 | Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 | Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> | Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| Infill | | Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 | Airgap | 0.22 |
| | | Surface layers | 2 |
| Fix horrible | | | |
| Combine everything (Type-A) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Combine everything (Type-B) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Keep open faces <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Extensive stitching <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Ok | | | |



60°



45°



30°

It's difficult to separate if the distance between support and the supported place is too close; The surface will be influenced if the distance is too far.
Different angle will generate different support , you can try the examples we provide above which will have different effect.

Expert config

X

Retraction

| | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 |

Skirt

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Line count | 1 |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 |

Cool

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Infill

| | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 |

Support

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Structure type | Lines |
| Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Distance Z (mm) | 0.15 |

Black Magic

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Brim

| | |
|------------------|---|
| Brim line amount | 4 |
|------------------|---|

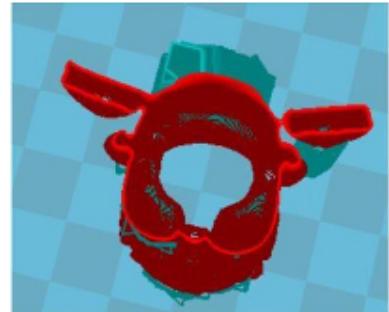
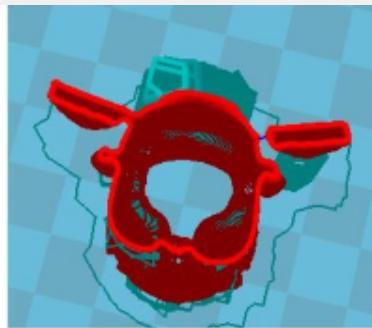
Raft

| | |
|---------------------------|------|
| Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| Airgap | 0.22 |
| Surface layers | 2 |

Fix horrible

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Combine everything (Type-A) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Combine everything (Type-B) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Keep open faces | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Extensive stitching | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Ok



When choosing "Spiralize the outer contour" : Z axis rises while X,Y axis moves , and only a hollow bottom and a single layer of surface.

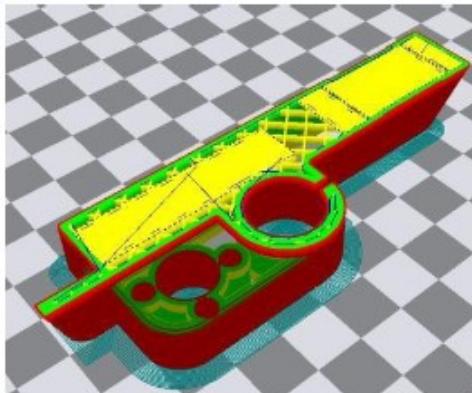
When choosing "Only follow mesh surface" : The nozzle prints along the surface.

Attention: The software defaults not open the option above , you'd better not turn it on .

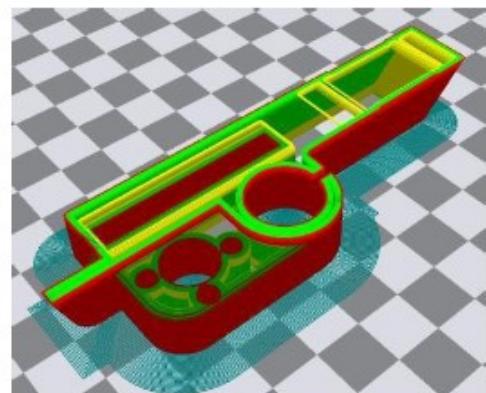
Expert config

X

| | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Retraction | | Support | |
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 | Structure type | Lines <input type="button" value="▼"/> |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 | Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 | Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Skirt | | Distance Z (mm) | |
| Line count | 1 | 0.15 | |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 | | |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 | | |
| Cool | | Black Magic | |
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 | Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 | Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 | | |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 | Brim | |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> | Brim line amount | 4 <input type="button" value="▼"/> |
| Infill | | Raft | |
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 | Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| | | Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| | | Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| | | Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| | | Airgap | 0.22 |
| | | Surface layers | 2 |
| Fix horrible | | | |
| | | Combine everything (Type-A) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| | | Combine everything (Type-B) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | | Keep open faces | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | | Extensive stitching | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="button" value="Ok"/> | | | |



Brim line amount: 10



Brim line amount: 20

Guidance to use Brim if needed: Expert → Expert Settings → Support → Support Types → Brim.
The images above are only for reference , please set the parameter according to actual requirement.

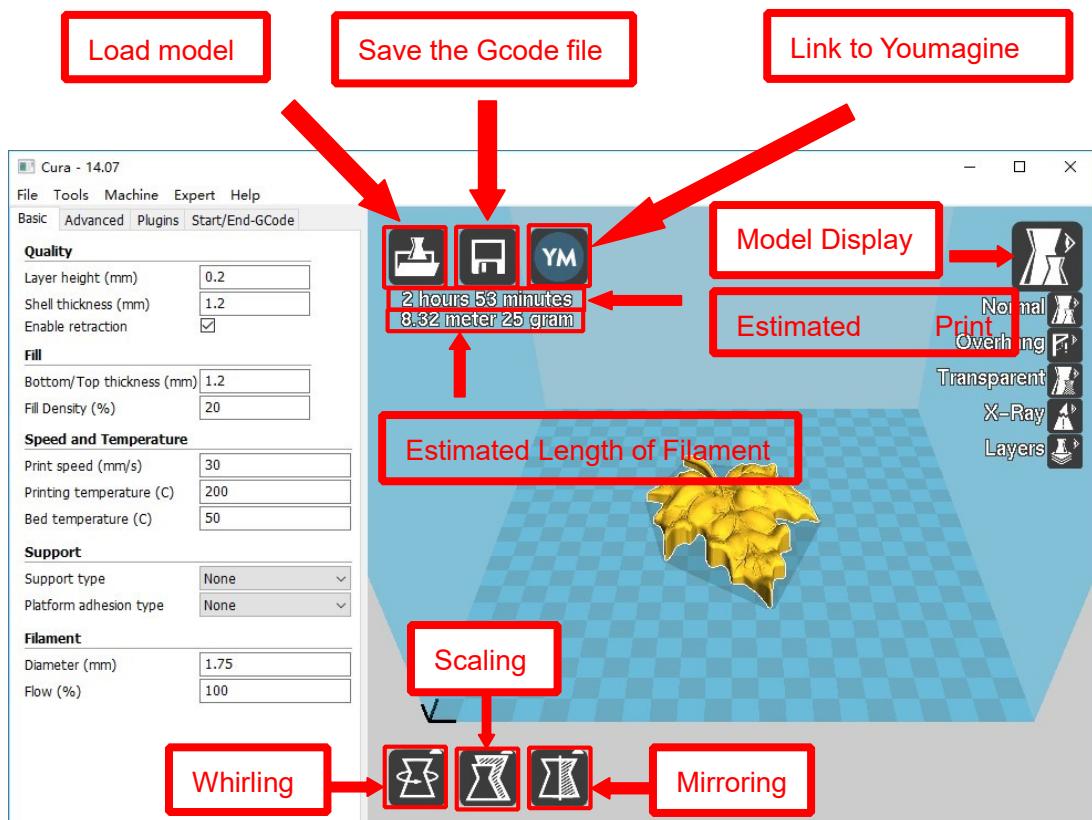
Expert config X

| | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Retraction | | Support | |
| Minimum travel (mm) | 1.5 | Structure type | Lines ▼ |
| Enable combing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Overhang angle for support (deg) | 60 |
| Minimal extrusion before retracting (mm) | 0.02 | Fill amount (%) | 10 |
| Z hop when retracting (mm) | 0.0 | Distance X/Y (mm) | 0.7 |
| Skirt | | Distance Z (mm) | 0.15 |
| Line count | 1 | Black Magic | |
| Start distance (mm) | 3.0 | Spiralize the outer contour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Minimal length (mm) | 150.0 | Only follow mesh surface | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cool | | Brim | |
| Fan full on at height (mm) | 0.5 | Brim line amount | 4 |
| Fan speed min (%) | 30 | Raft | |
| Fan speed max (%) | 100 | Extra margin (mm) | 5 |
| Minimum speed (mm/s) | 10 | Line spacing (mm) | 3 |
| Cool head lift | <input type="checkbox"/> | Base thickness (mm) | 0.3 |
| Infill | | Base line width (mm) | 1 |
| Solid infill top | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Interface thickness (mm) | 0.27 |
| Solid infill bottom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Interface line width (mm) | 0.4 |
| Infill overlap (%) | 15 | Airgap | 0.22 |
| | | Surface layers | 2 |
| Fix horrible | | | |
| Combine everything (Type-A) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Combine everything (Type-B) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Keep open faces <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Extensive stitching <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |

Ok

Guidance to use Raft if needed: Expert → Expert Settings → Support → Support Types → Raft.

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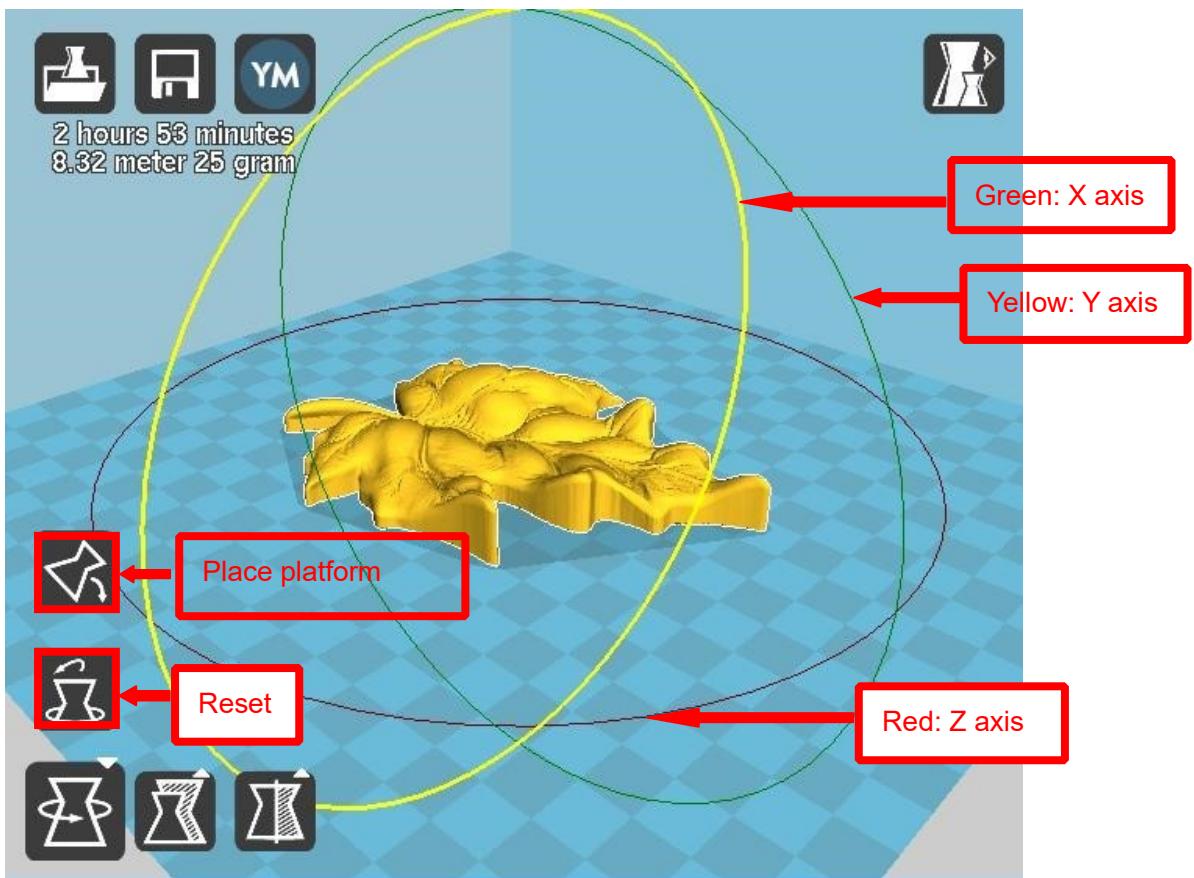
Left click the model and you will see the icon of “whirling, scaling, mirroring.

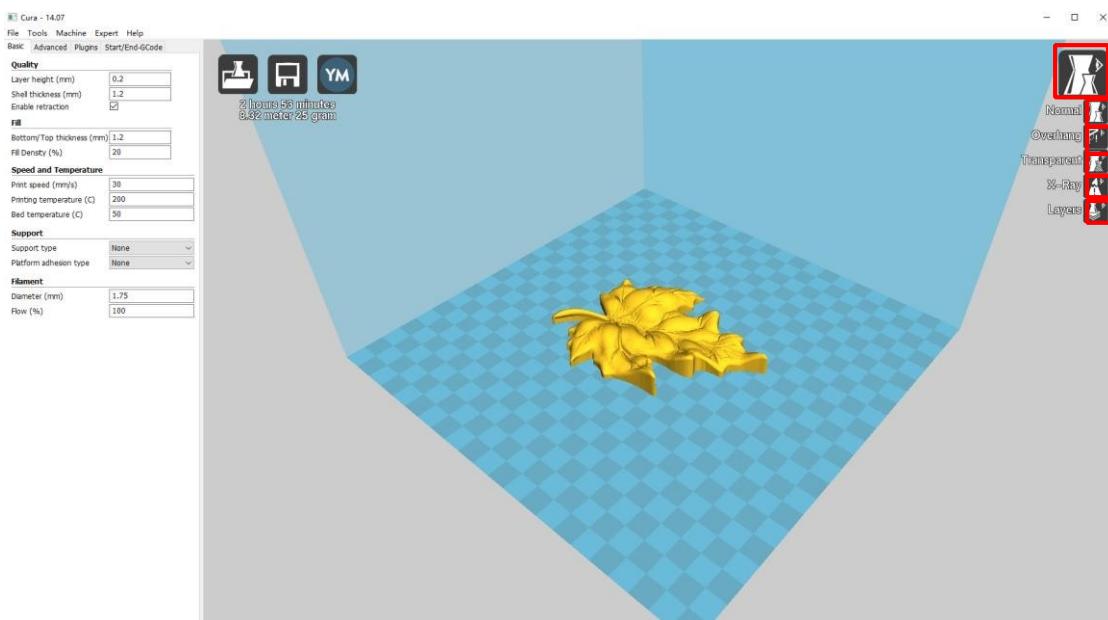
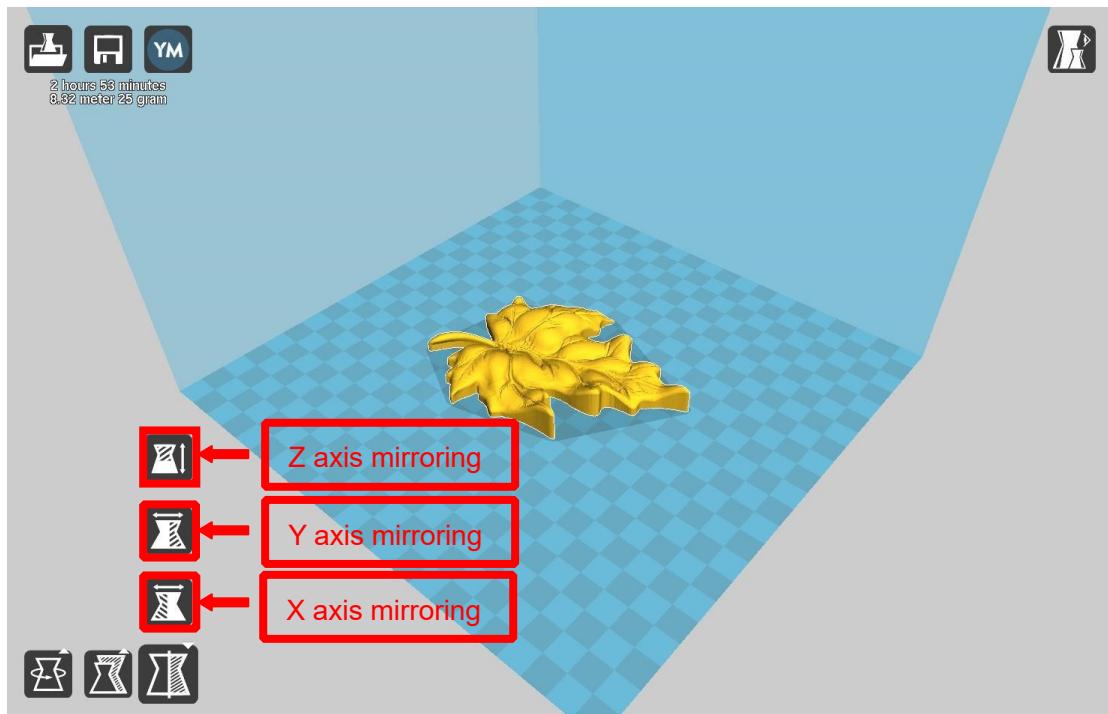
Left click to select model and move → move model.

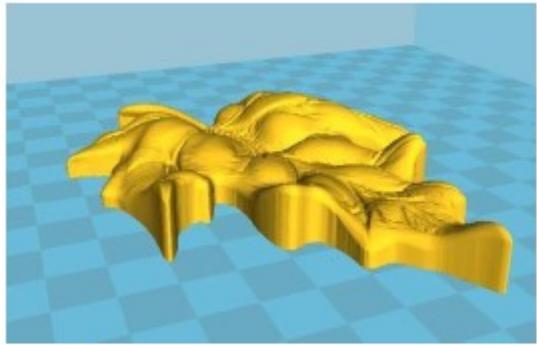
Slide mouse wheel → scaling.

Right click to select model and move → whirling.

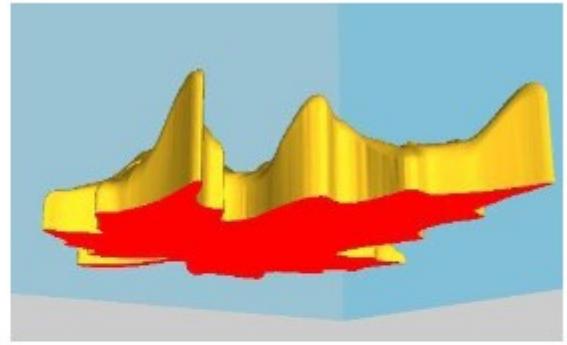
Shift + right click platform and move → move platform



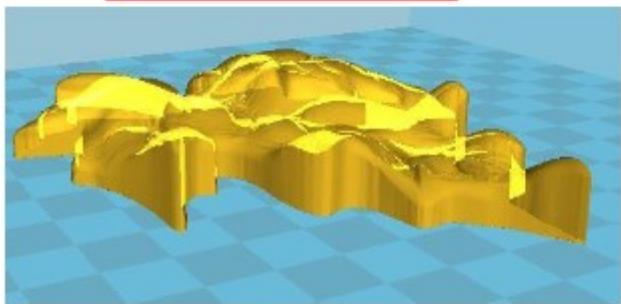




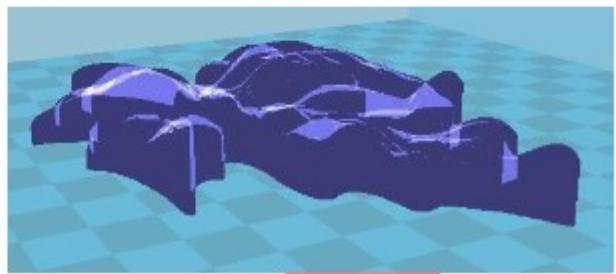
Normal: Most used.



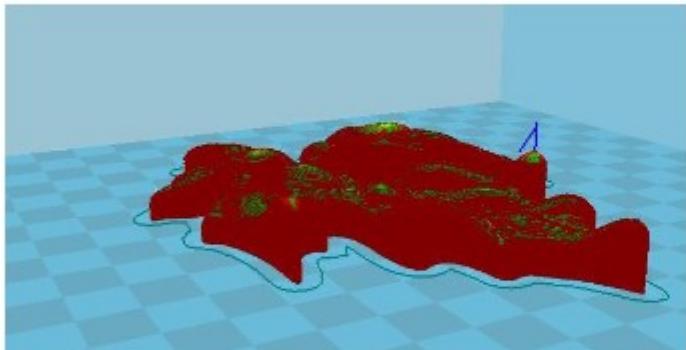
Overhang: Used to see the vacant part.



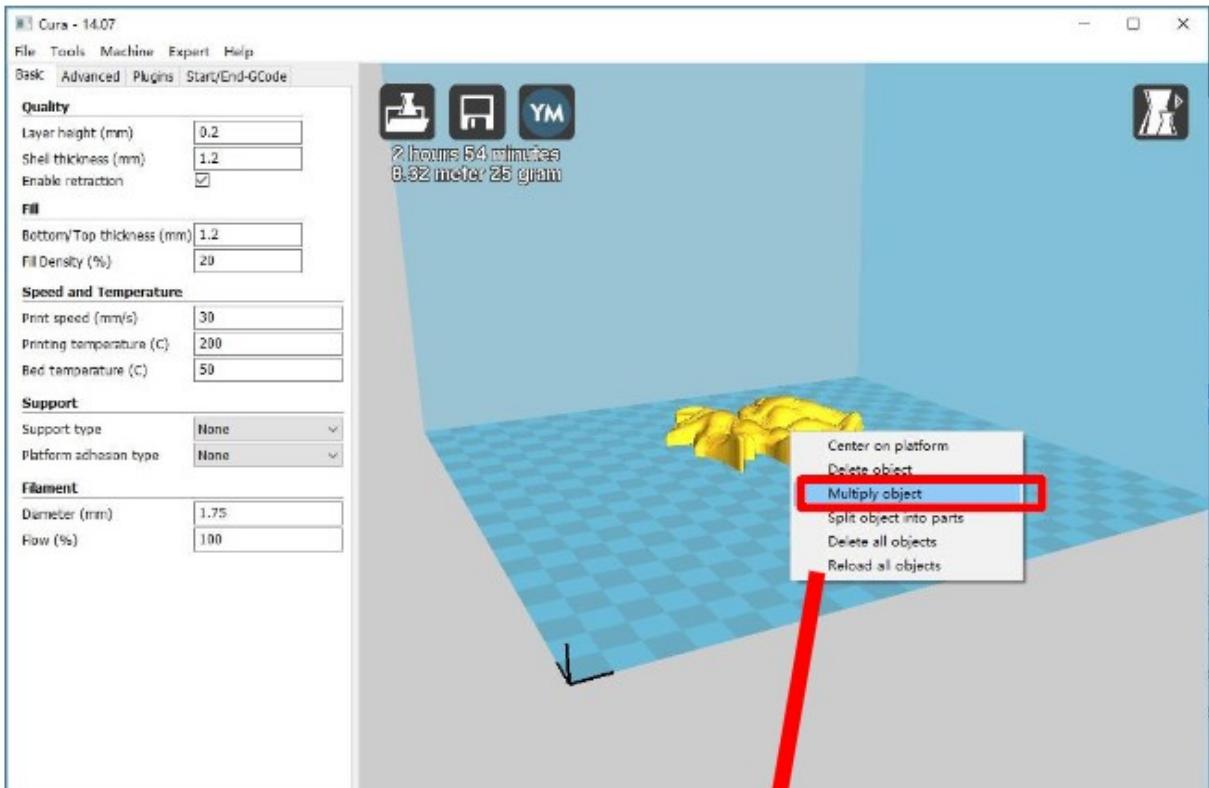
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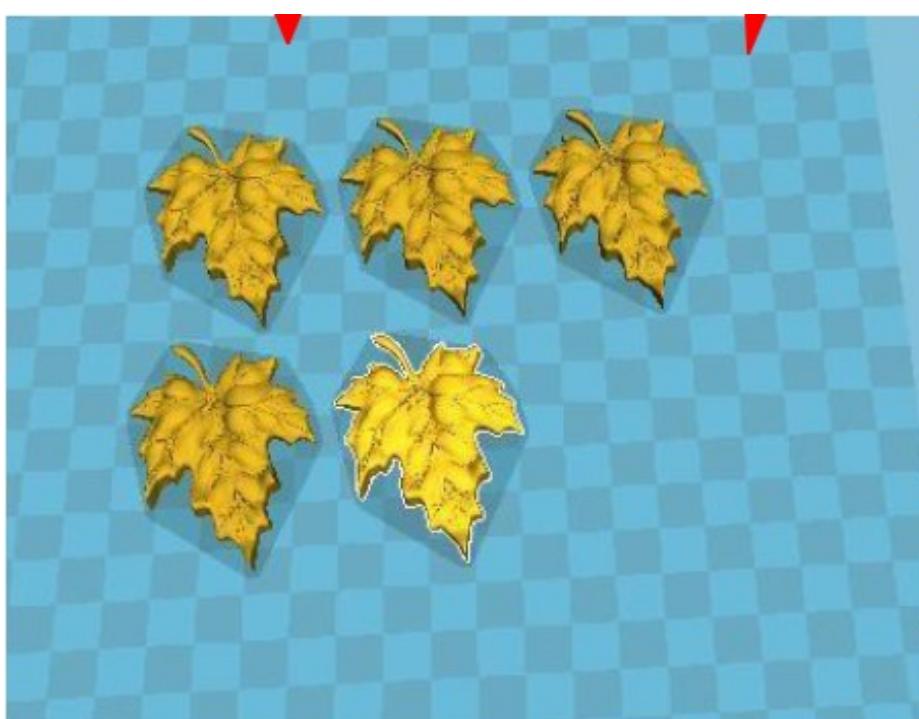
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Layers: Used to simulate the effect of each layer and the path.



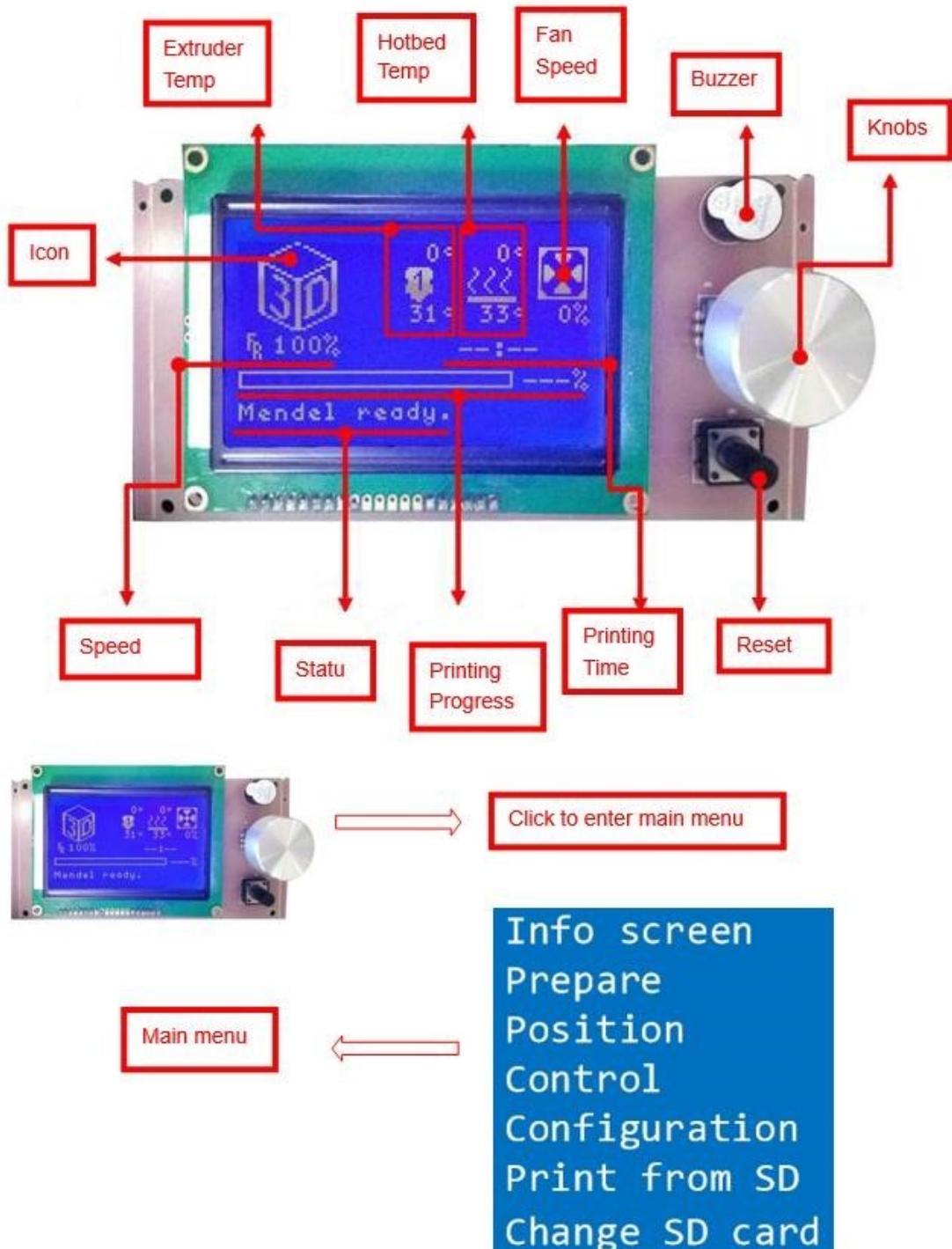
Right click model → Left click "Multiply object" → Example: copy 4 model

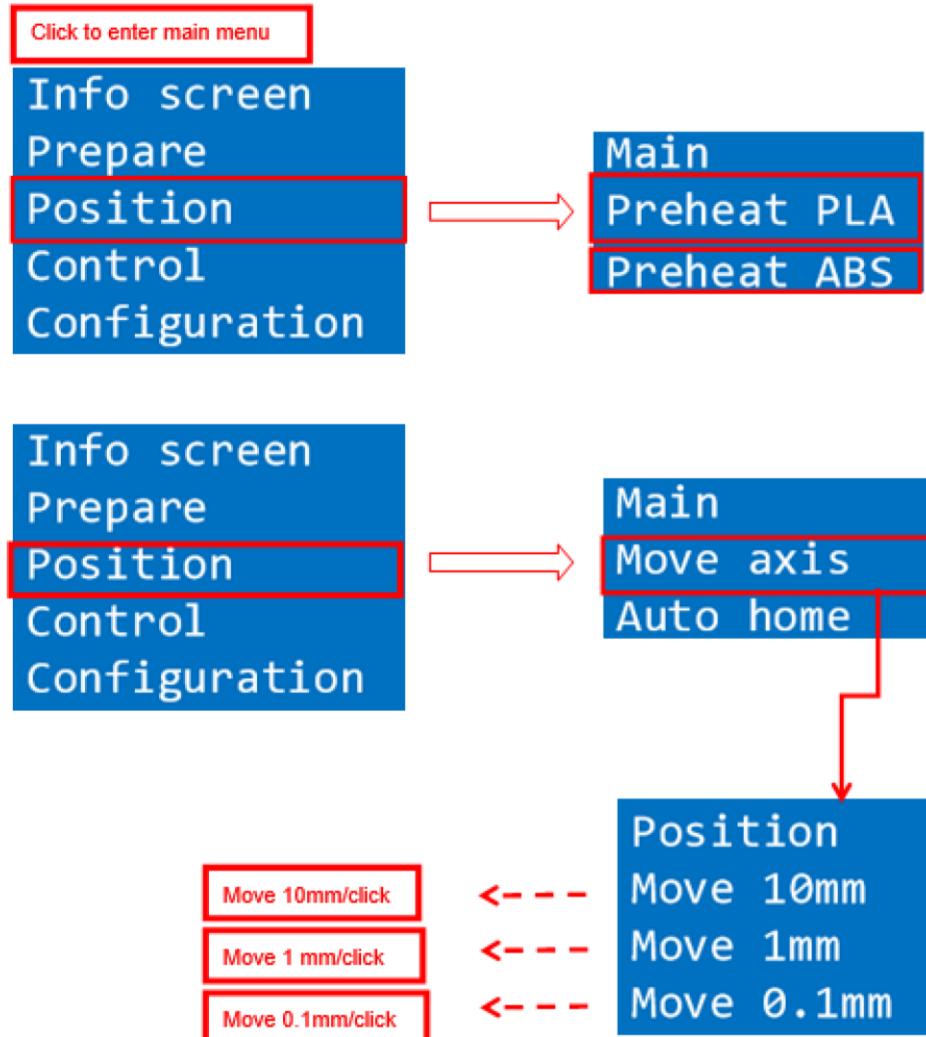


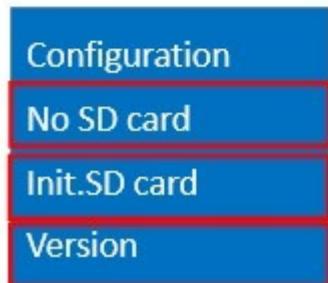
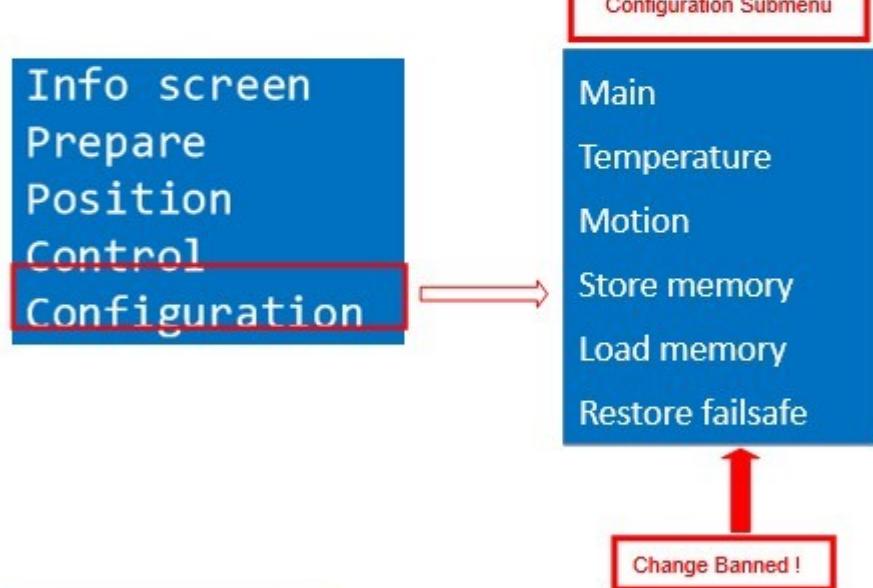
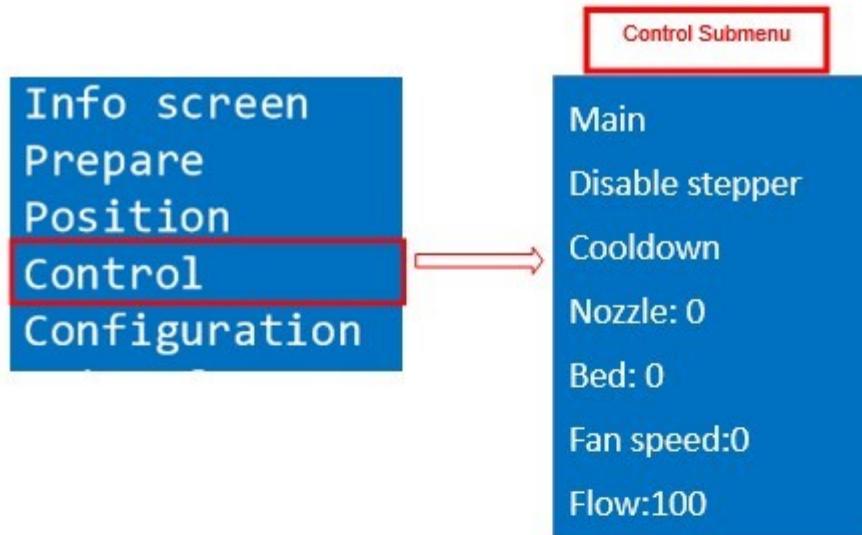
Attention: You can try other functions by yourself.

D. Printing Operation

1. Display Introduction





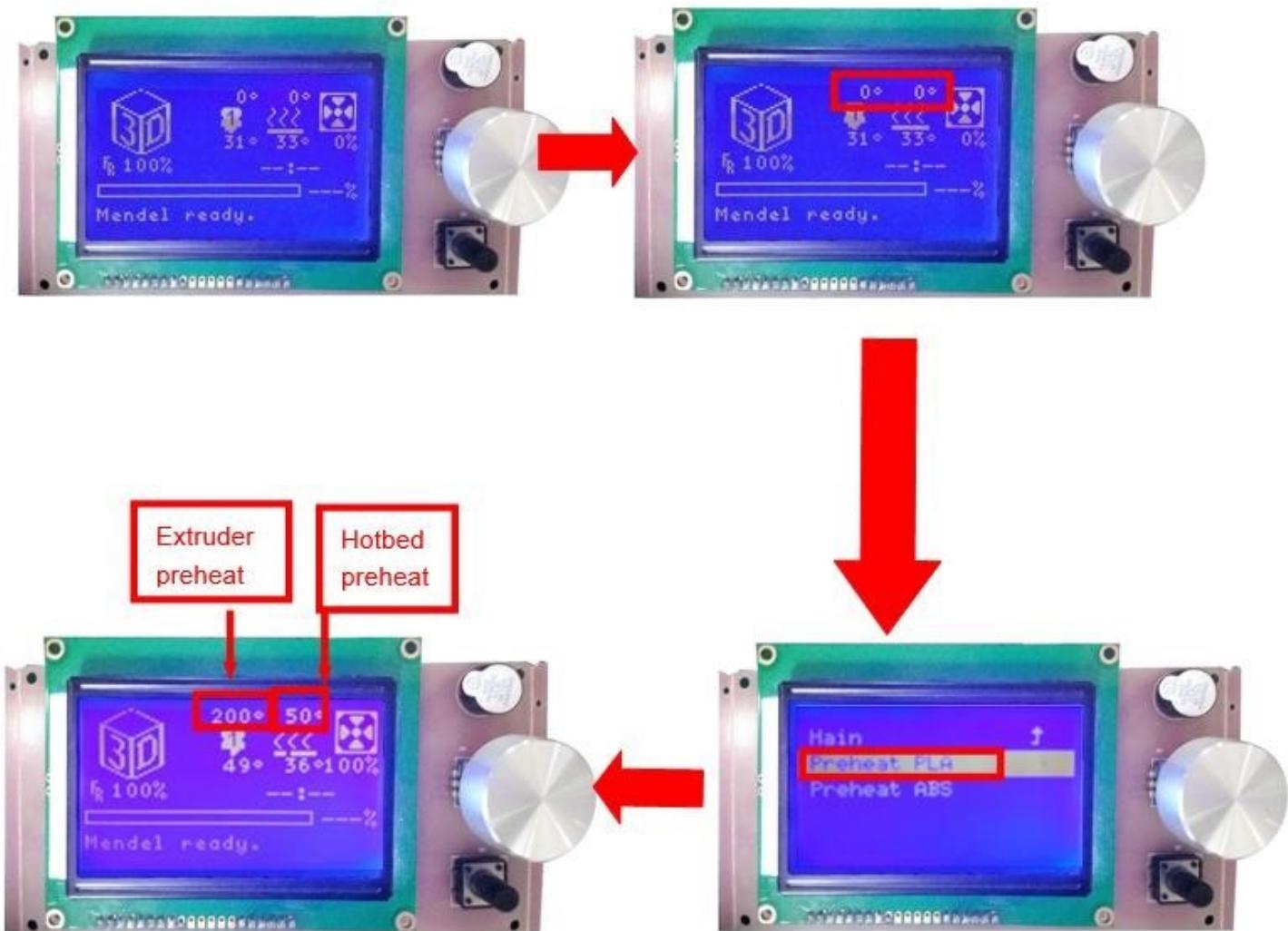


2.Filament Feeding

2.1 Set Preheat

Attention: Before filament installation, we need to preheat. Use PLA as example .

Press Knobs → Prepare → Preheat PAL → Start preheating

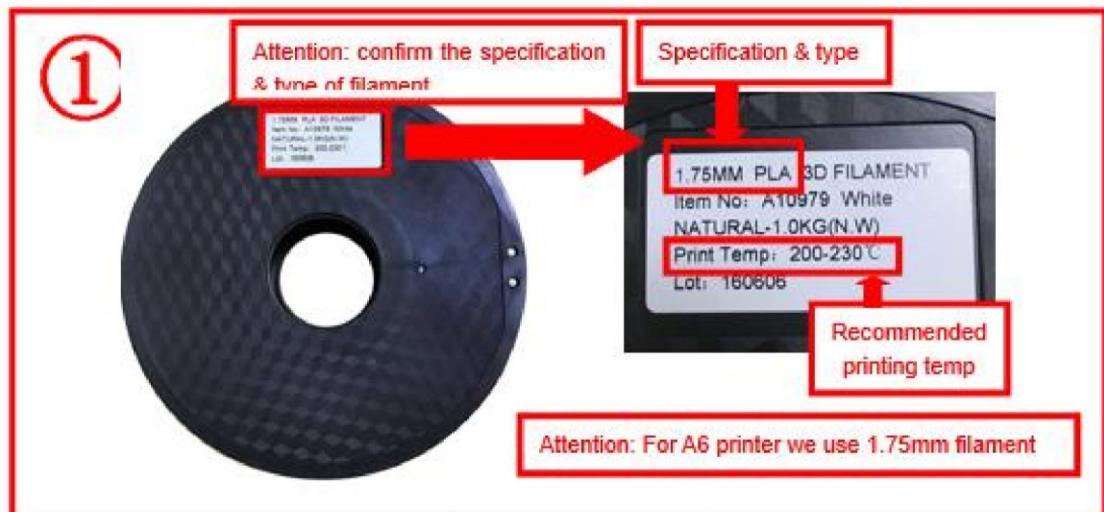


Attention: Please choose "Preheat ABS" if you want to print with ABS

2.2 Filament Installation

Attention: only when extruder temp reaches 200°C can we put filament in the printer.

Confirm Extruder Temp has reached 190°C → 1 roll PLA → Stroke the filament head straight → Press extruder screw. Meanwhile ,hold the white wind mouth → Meanwhile, stick filament into the extruder quickly until filament goes out from the nozzle → Filament installation succeed



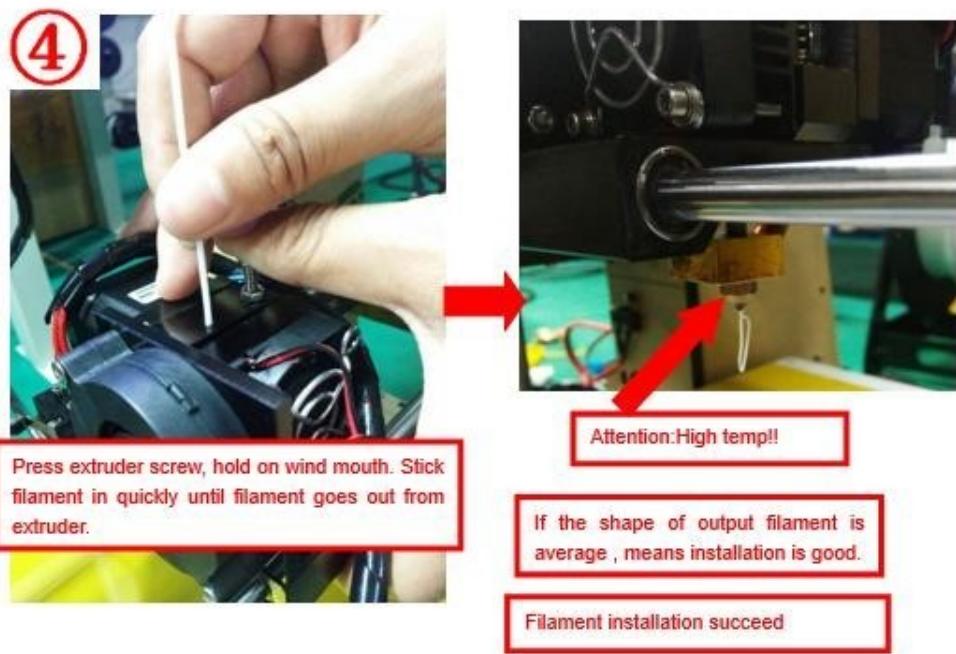
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Attention: Install filament only when temp reaches 190°C

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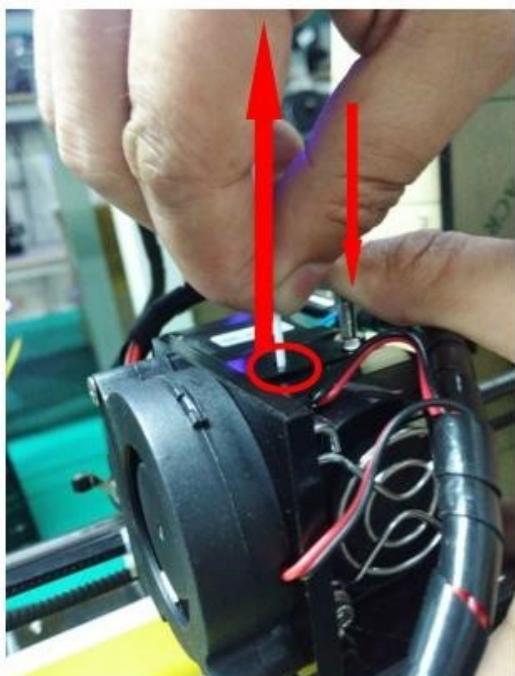
Stroke the filament head straight → Press extruder screw. Meanwhile ,hold the white wind mouth → Meanwhile, install filament into the extruder quickly until filament liquid goes out from the nozzle





2.3 Pull out filament

When Change filament/Long-term not in use of printer , you need to pull out filament.

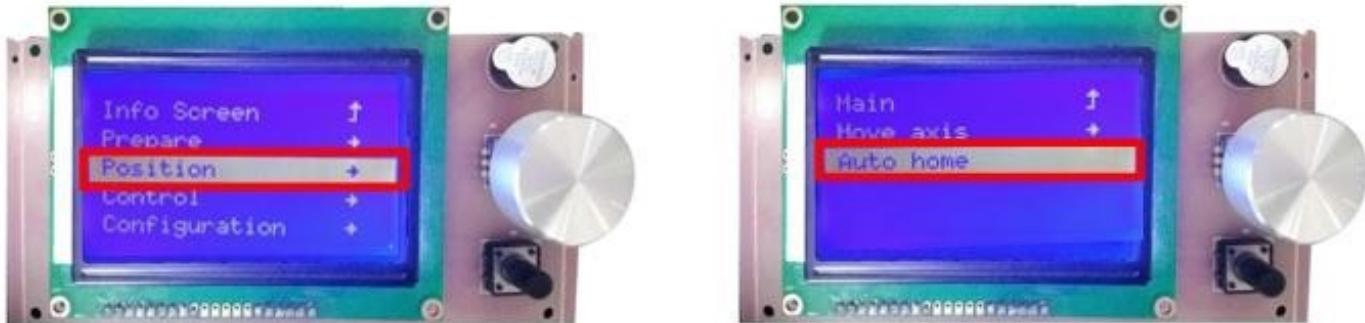


Use PLA as example
 1. Preheat extruder to 190°C
 2. Press extruder screw, hold wind mouth.
 Meanwhile, stick filament down for a few length, then pull out with average speed.

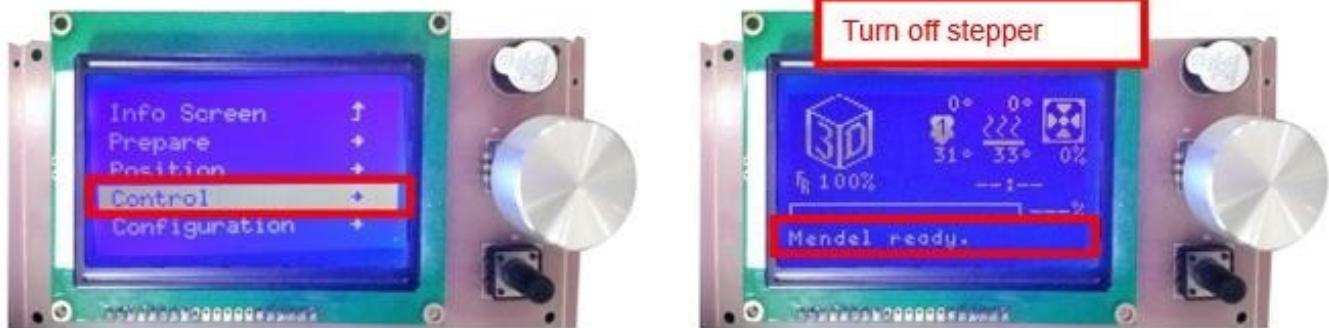
Precautions:

1. Do not stick down for long length in order to avoid failure of pulling out. Replace filament timely.
2. Please confirm you have preheated the extruder to 190°C. Do not pull out before 190°C , or it will cause irreparable damage.

3.Platform Adjustment

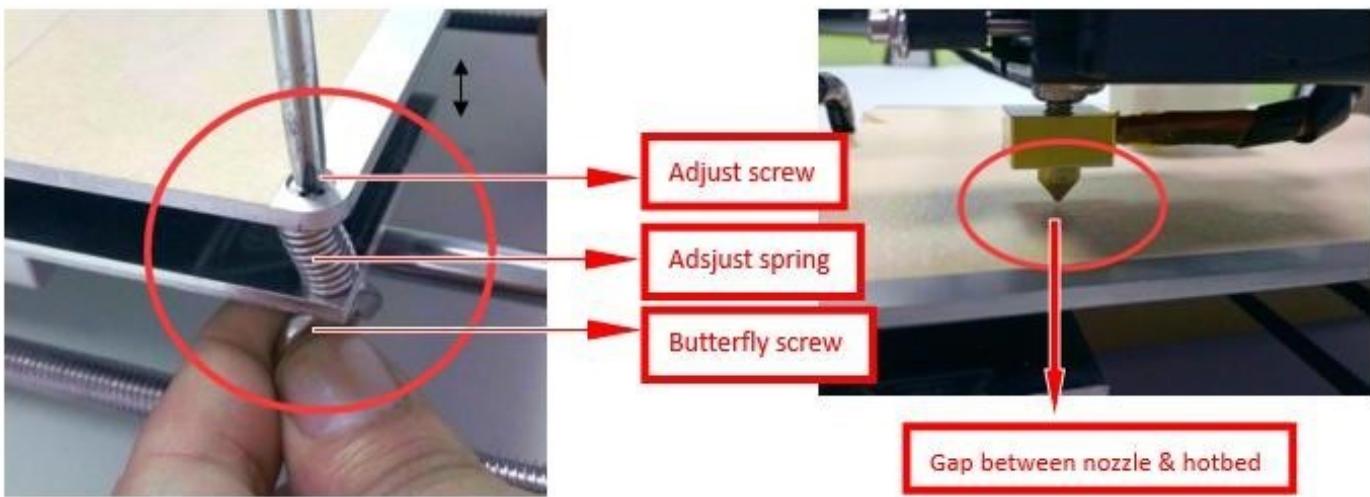


1. Choose "Position" → "Auto home" , printer will move to limited switch until it stops.



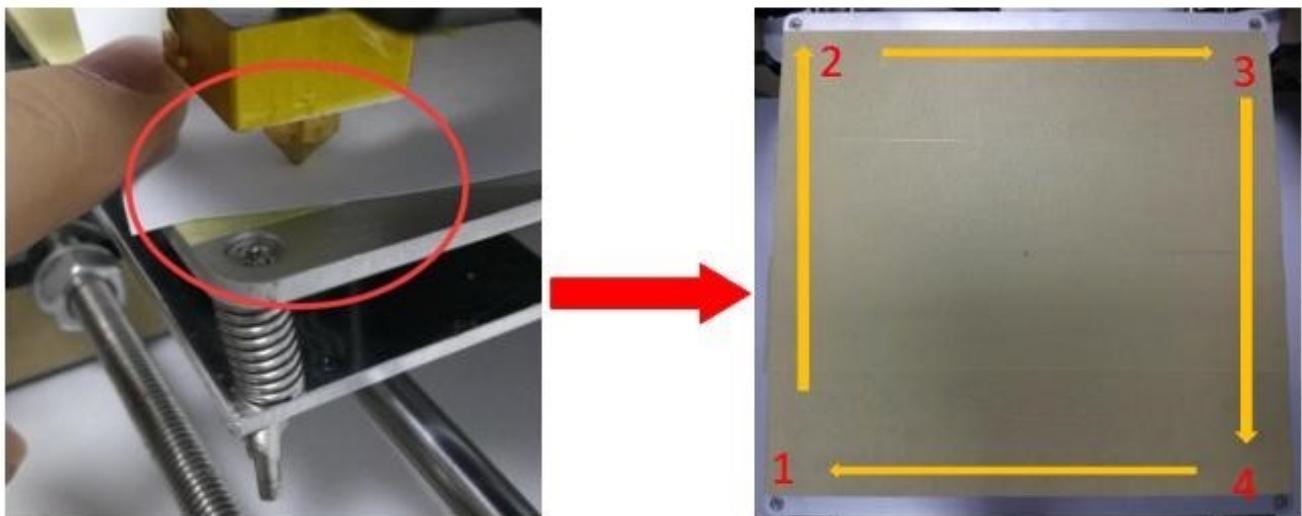
2. Turn off stepper motor: based on step 1 , enter "Quick settings" → "Disable stepper"

3. Please manually move nozzle to platform and check the gap between nozzle and platform.



4. When the gap is more than 2mm, you need to adjust the height of Z limited switch.

Example: When the gap is 12mm , you need to adjust limited switch down by 10mm.The rest 2mm can adjust by spring on the hotbed.



After adjustment of springs, reset printer and close stepper motor to test. Use A4 paper to test the gap.

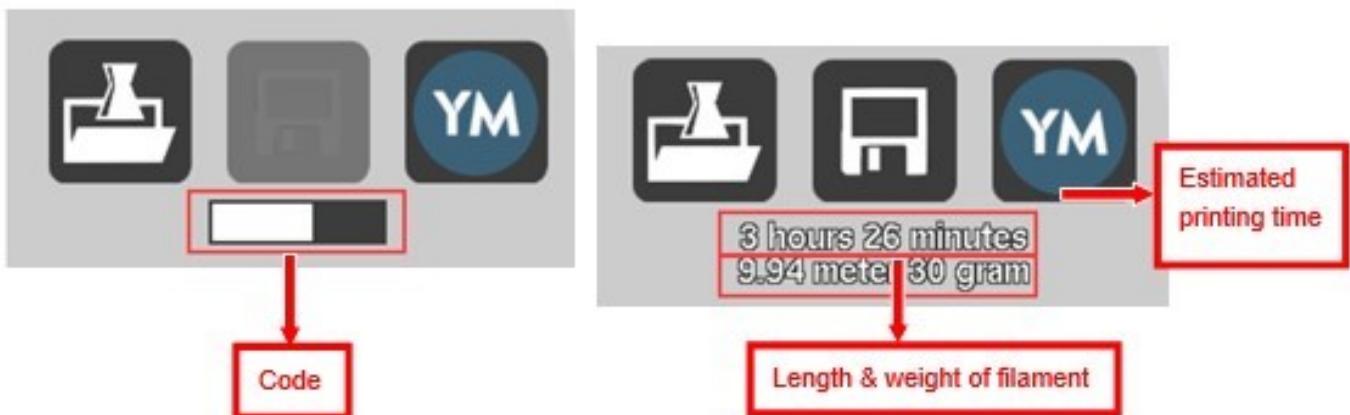
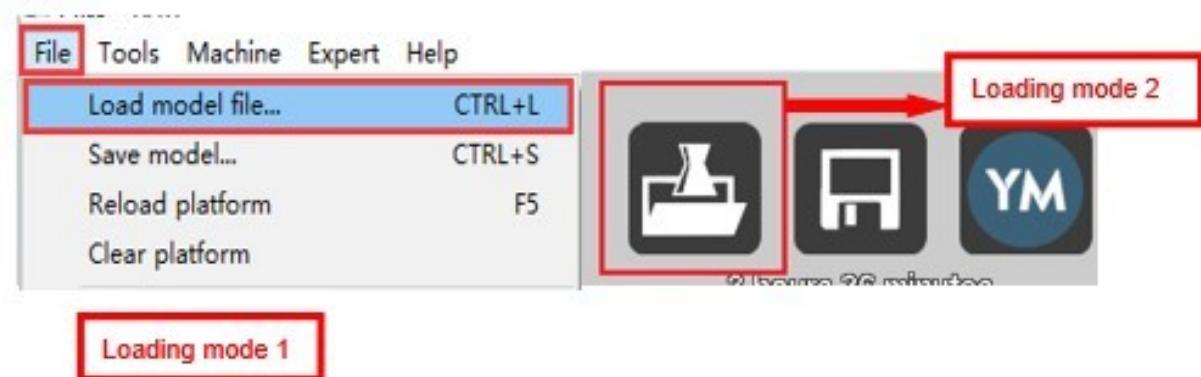
Tips: When you are familiar with the printer with time going by, we can adjust while it's printing. It's because the printing speed is slow at the beginning so that there's enough time for adjustment. Meanwhile, the printing effect will be better.

4. Printing

1) TF Card Offline Printing

a. Loading mode

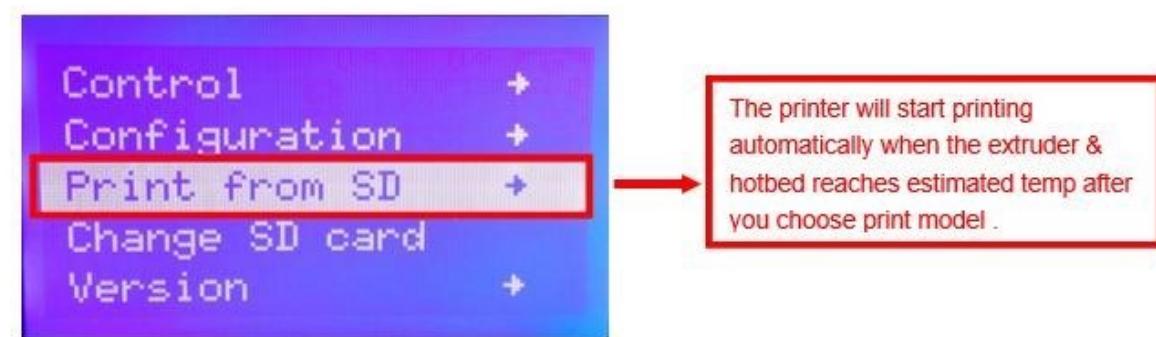
Cura supports STL file & G-code file.



b. Code Saving

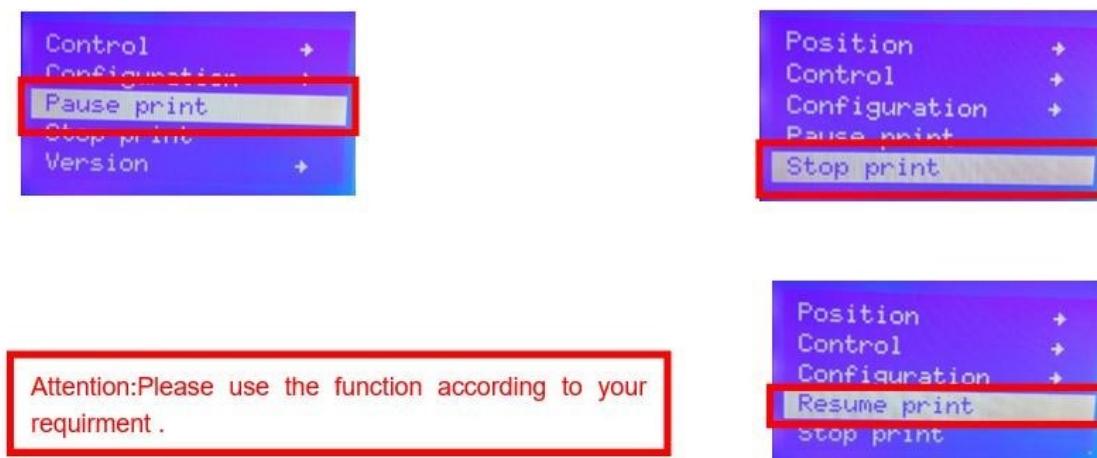


Copy file to TF card . Then connect TF card to printer, click reset. Picture below shows the location of print file , there are 2 methods to find print file.



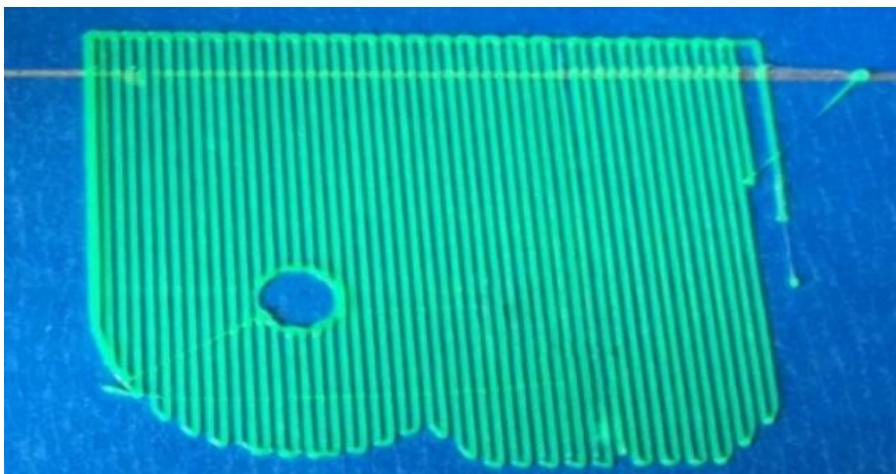
c. Introduction of Stop print , Pause print , Continue Print:

Only when the printer is printing can we use Stop print, Pause print, Continue Print.

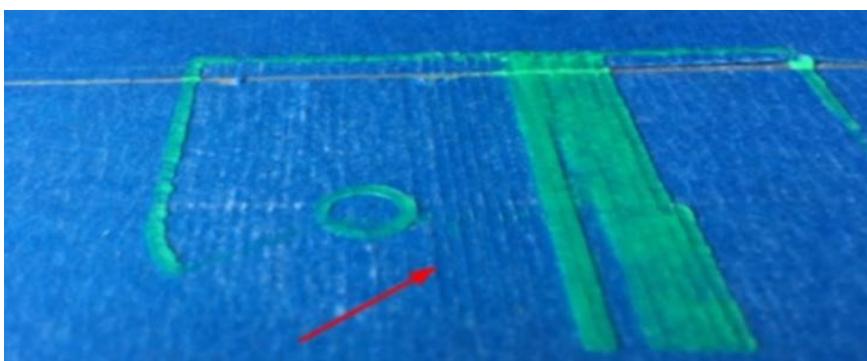


d.Judgment of the gap between nozzle and platform.

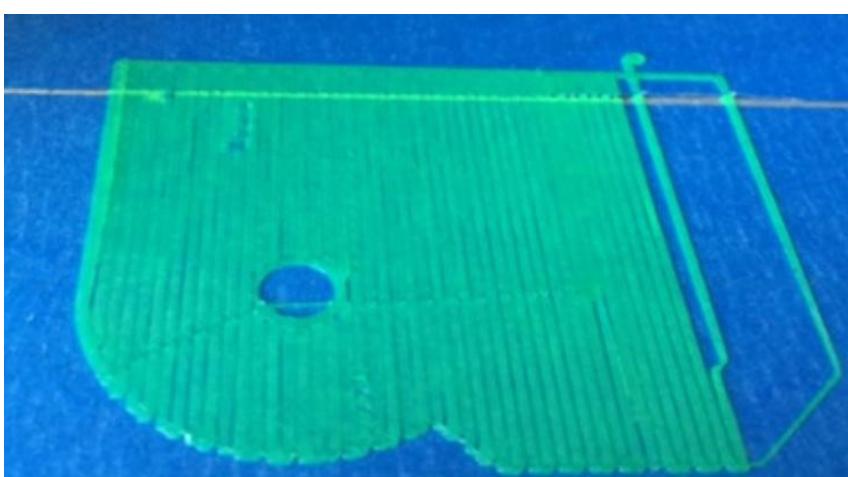
1. Too big gap: The printed model is uneven, curled with gap. It means the gap is too big for filament to reach the platform, making the printing effect so bad.



2. Too close gap: The printed model edge has irregular projections. It means the gap is too close to print normally. Sometimes it even cannot output filament



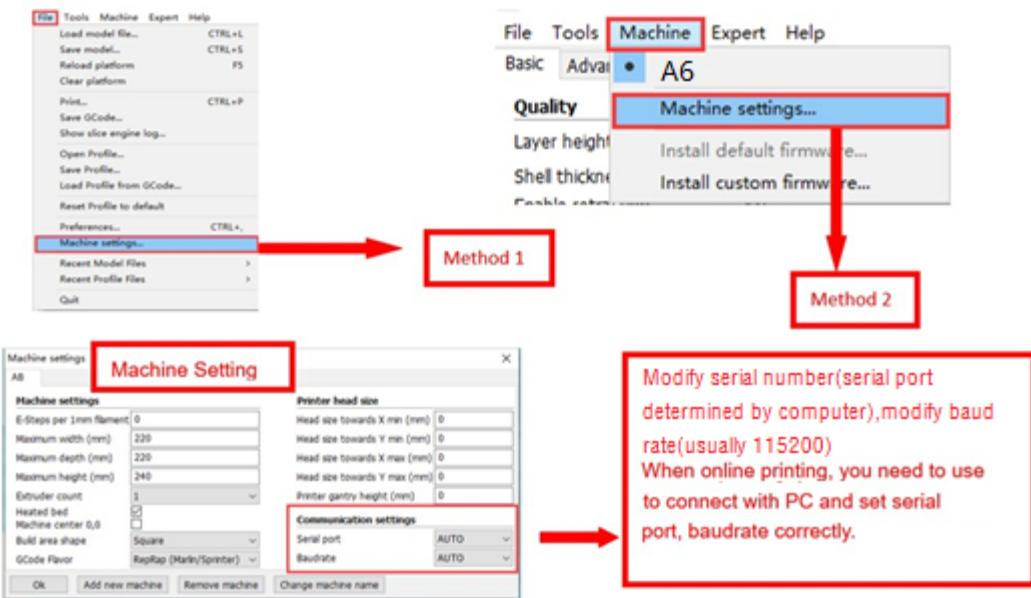
3. Appropriate distance: Printed model flat with no gap, no glitches. It means the distance is appropriate to print



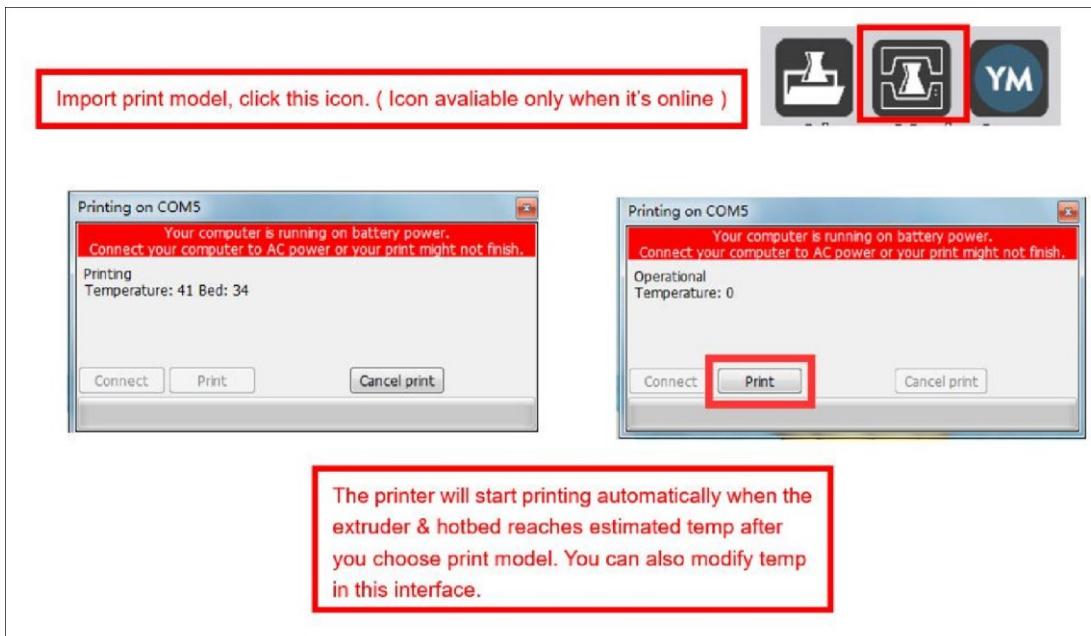
Wait to print complete after gap adjustment.

2) Online Printing

a. Machine settings (Use to connect to PC)



b. Online Prinnting

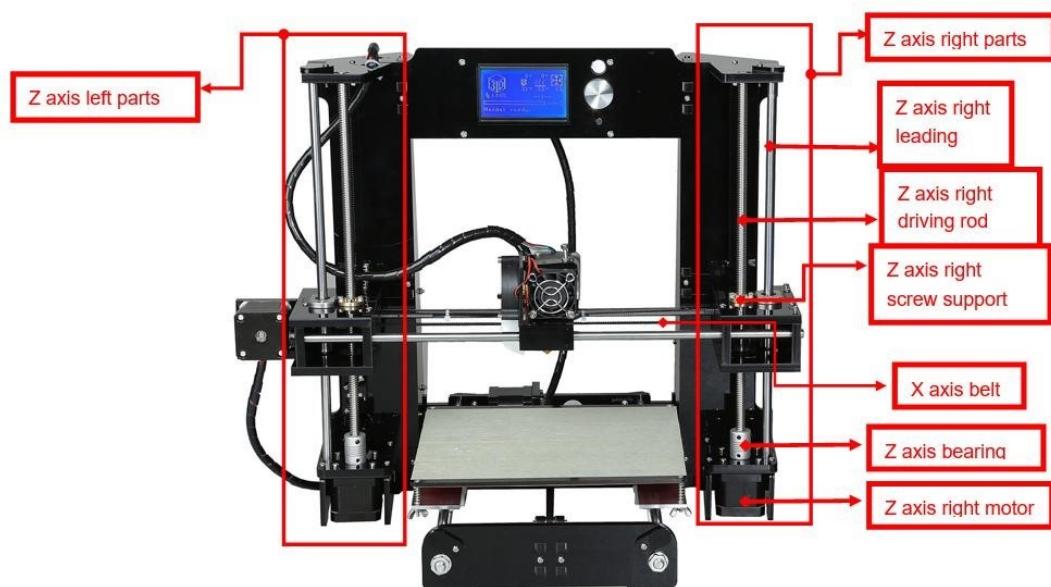


E. FAQ

1. Z Axis Adjustment

During installation, we need to test moving parts:

1.

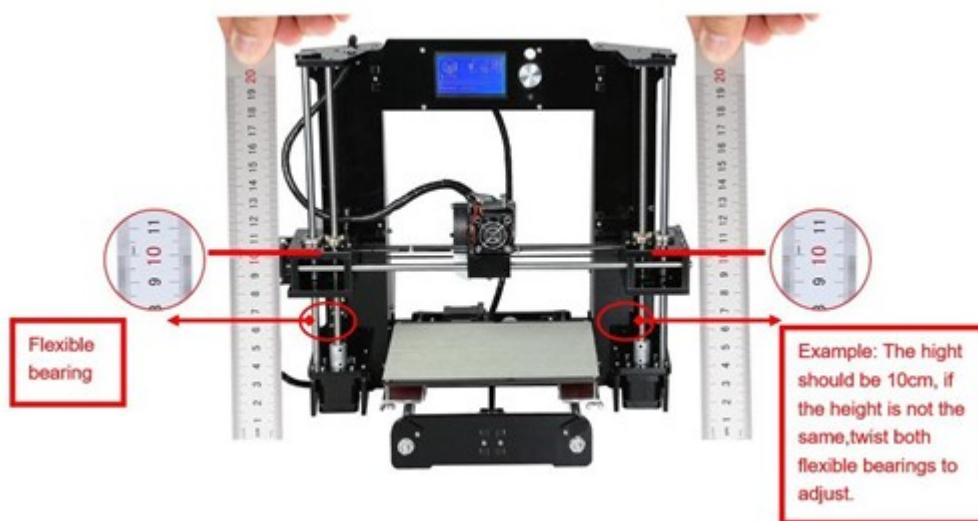


Use right Z axis for reference as shown above.

Reasons for Z axis's not smooth movement:

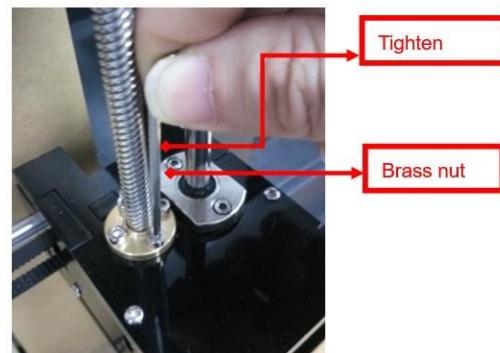
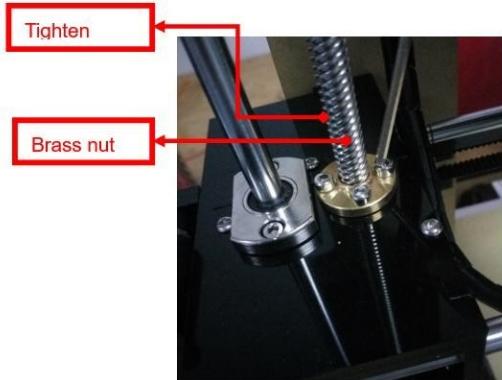
1. The height of both Z axis screw support is apparently different.
2. Large deviation of leading rod and motor rod's concentricity.
3. X belt is too tight.

Preparation: Before Z axis moving adjustment, please confirm the height of both Z axis screw support is the same. (Keep the same height of two white parts)



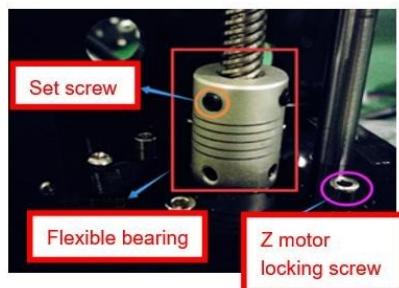
2. Ajust concentricity

- 1. Click to adjust Z axis to move (Position → Z pos.Fast → +/-) . If it cannot move smoothly, you need to adjust the unsmooth side's screw support. Try to keep them at the same height.
- 2. We can also tight/loose the Z motor screw according to requirments. This is to correct the deviation in the first time installation. Please take steps as follows to lock screws,

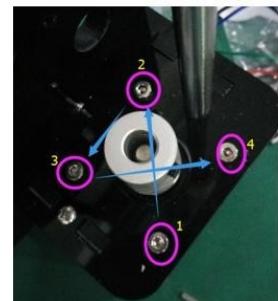


Z axis left screw support

Z axis right screw support



Z motor & Flexible bearing



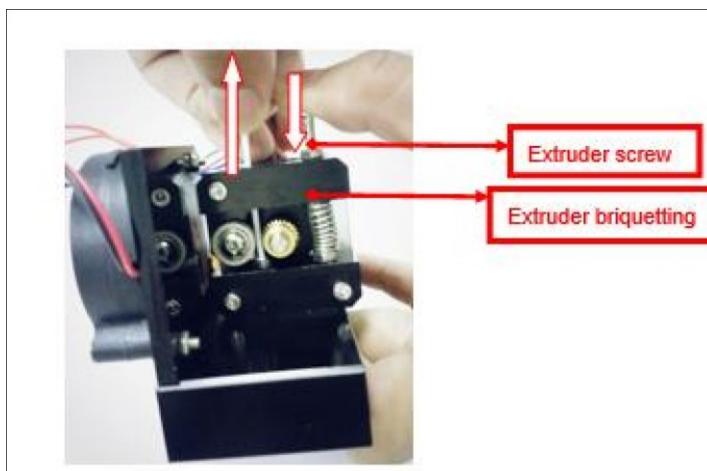
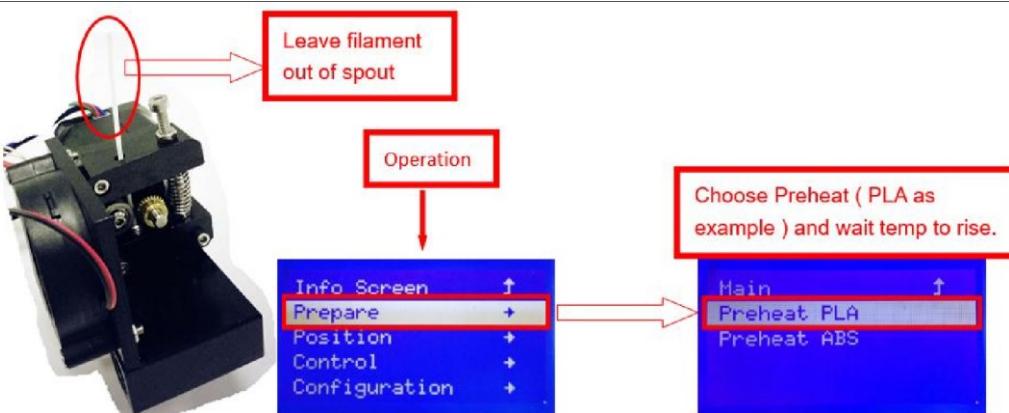
Z motor screw locking sequence

1. Nozzle blocking

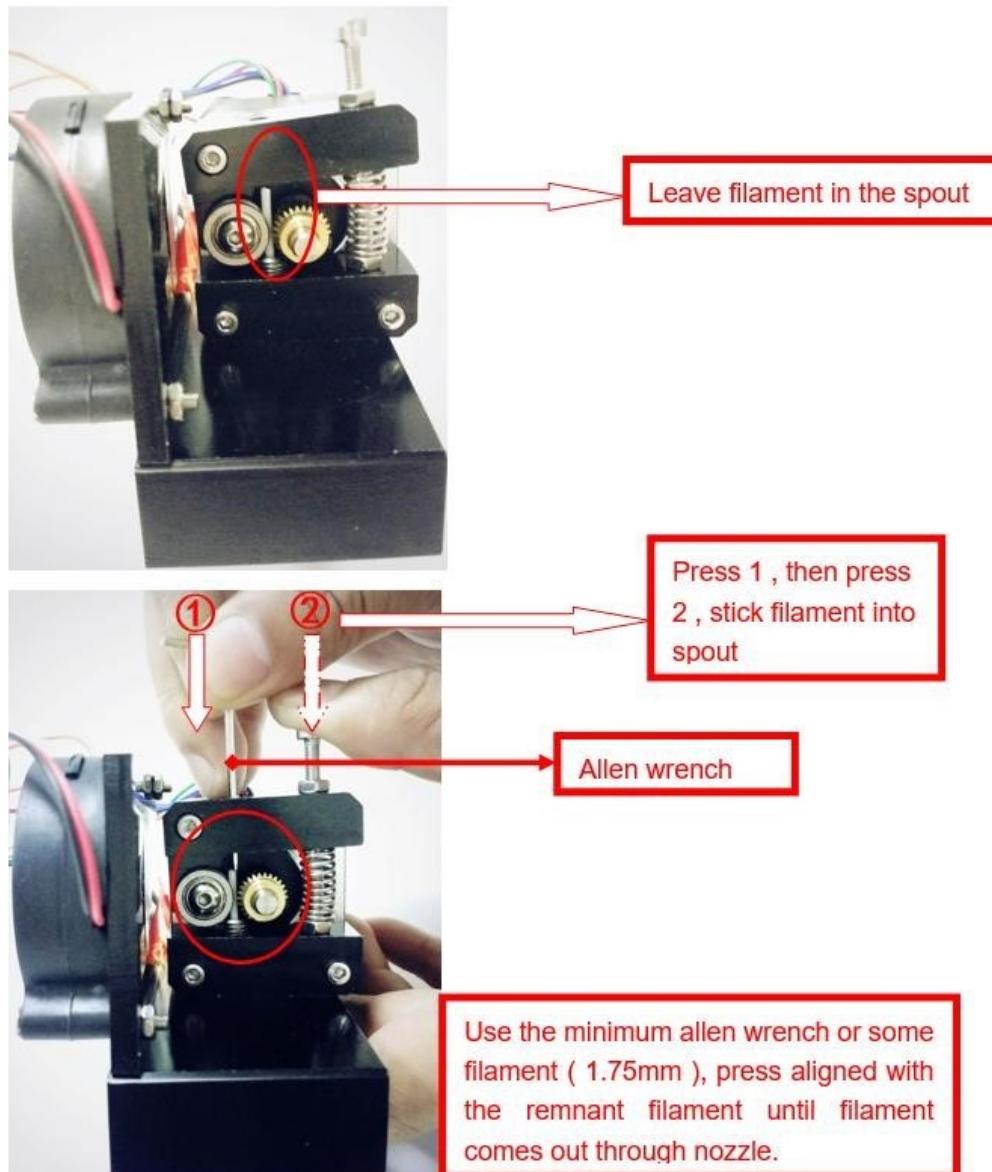
Tips: We have removed fan to show obviously. Please consider movement according



A. Only a little filament left in the nozzle and difficult to take out:



B. Filament full filled in spout



3.FAQ

| No. | Symptom | Reason | Method |
|-----|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 1 | Print model dislocation | Synchronous wheel/belt loose. | Tighten set screws or fasten belt |
| 2 | Glitch with the print model | Too high temp or slicing problem. | Extruder temp is too high and retracting speed & distanse is too small |
| 3 | Foamy print model | Low temp or not smooth filament entering. | Rise extruder temp or check if brass nut and bearing is good. Replace a nozzle if methods above can't solve the problem. |
| 4 | Printer model is warped | Hotbed level isn't well adjusted. | Adjust hotbed |
| 5 | Unavaliable G-code tramsformation | Wrong setting/wrong save path | Choose right machine type and change the right path |
| 6 | Software installation failed | Different OS | Reset OS |
| 7 | Unusual temp | Broken temp sensor | Change a new one |

4. Maintenance

Important maintenance tips:

1. maintenance of X,Y,Z axis: Add some lubricants on the rods to reduce friction when the machine works noisy and a little bit shake.
2. Please refer to the USER MANUAL before printing, do preparation of hot bed adjustment first.
3. When finished printing, the filament should keep sealing, avoid moisture.
4. Preheat the extruder at the beginning of 2 nd time printing, let extruder auto-push filament for a while.
5. Machine should do some regular maintenance, drop some lubricating oil on thread rod, polished rod and bearings to avoid fatigue wear.
6. Do not let the fan and air-condition blow to the hot bed when printing.
7. Keep the working condition at “Temp:10-30℃, Humidity:20-70%”.

5. Maintenance Service Provision

1. This product executes regulations of “Product Warranty Card”.
2. Please contact supplier or customer service if the product have any problems . Do not repair it by yourself, otherwise you need to bear all the consequences.