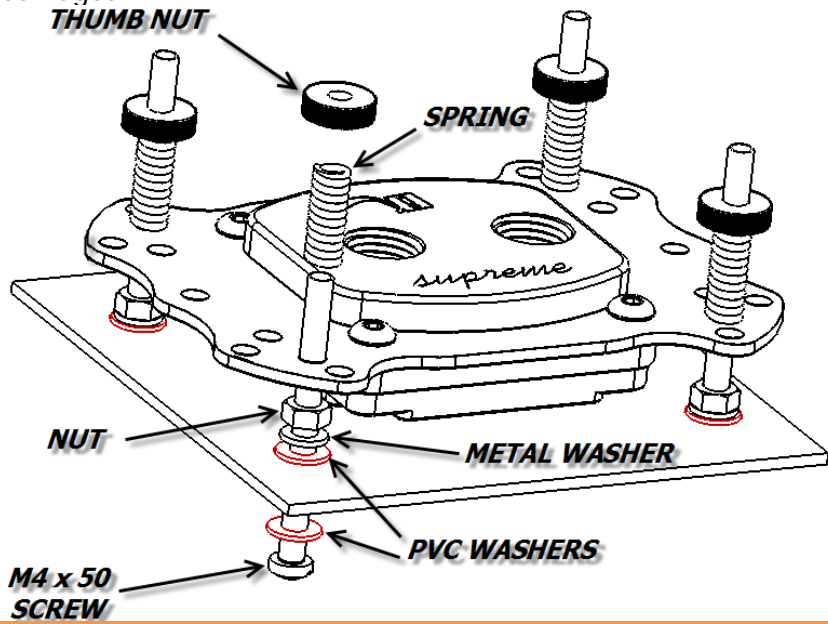


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The barb hose fittings require only a small amount of force to screw them in; otherwise the high flow fittings might break. These fittings do not need to be tightened with much force because the liquid seal is made using o-rings.

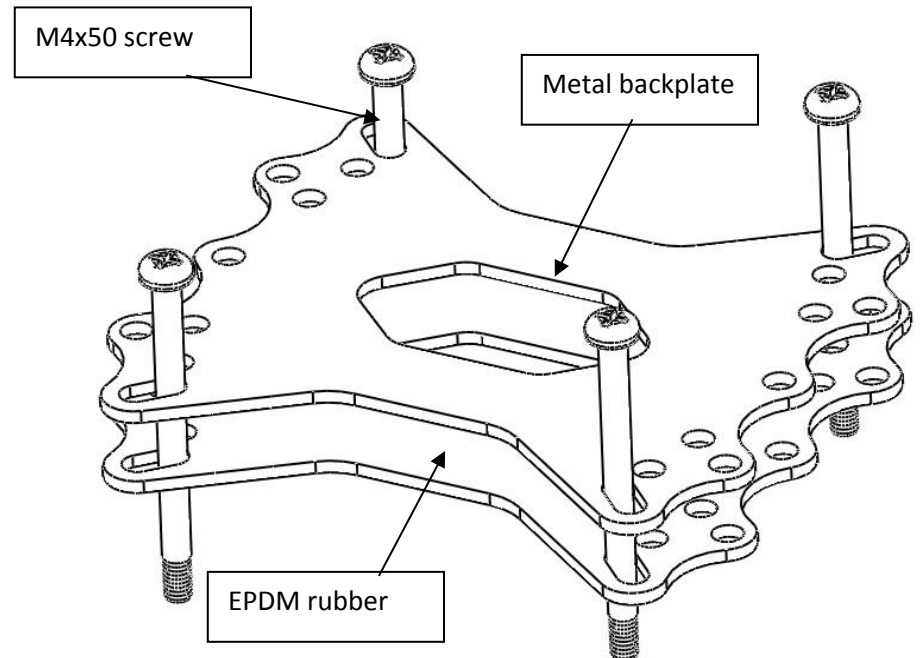
STEP 1: GENERAL INFORMATION

EKWB recommends the use of enclosed retention UNIVERSAL backplate. When having it installed, you can use higher mounting force. Therefore you can compress springs more than without retention back plate. With retention back plate you will achieve better temperatures on your CPU. If you don't have installed retention back plate, please be very careful when tightening thumb nuts due to motherboards PCB bending. If it bends too much motherboard might get damaged.



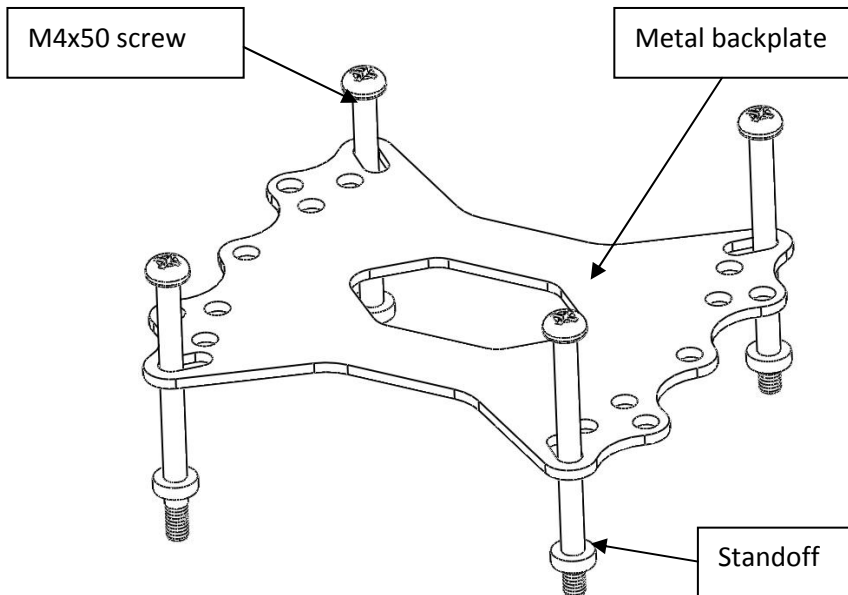
STEP 2: ATTACHING BACKPLATE for Intel 775 Socket

When using motherboard with Intel 775 socket, insert screws at positions as shown bellow. EPDM rubber is used as insulator, therefore it must be used underneath the metal backplate.



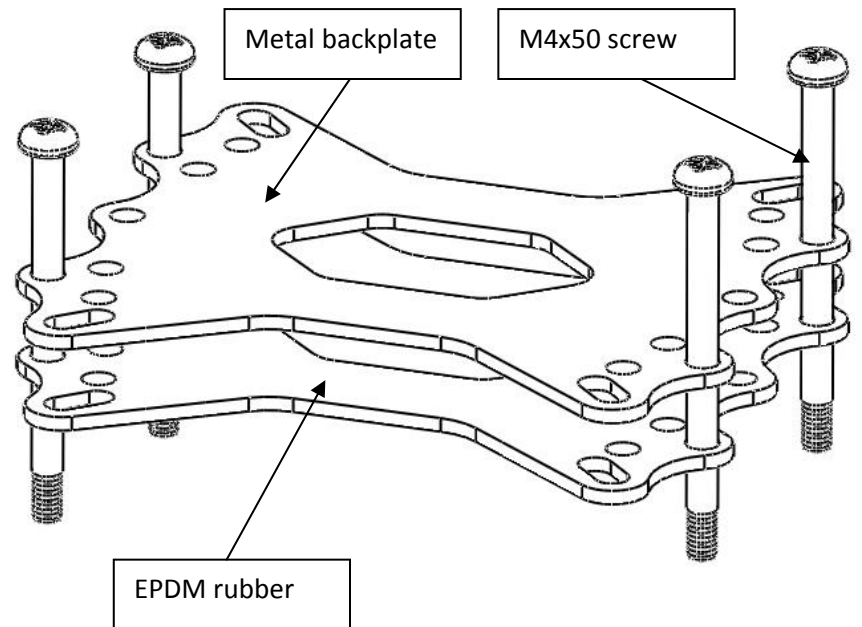
STEP 3: ATTACHING BACKPLATE for Intel 1366 Socket

When using motherboard with Intel 1336 socket, insert screws at positions as shown bellow. EPDM rubber is used as insulator, therefore it must be used underneath the metal backplate. Standoffs are used to prevent possible overtightening of screws and causing potential damage to PCB.



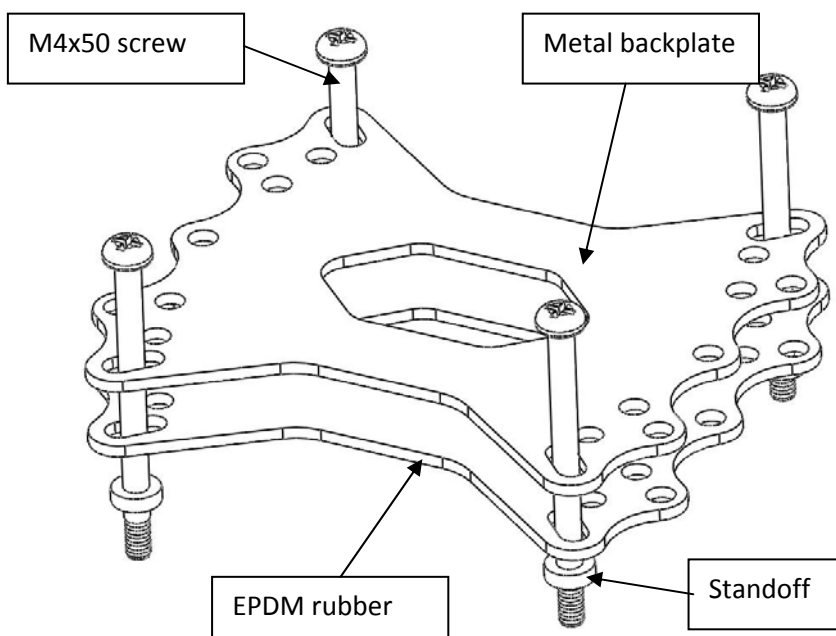
STEP 4: ATTACHING BACKPLATE for AM2, AM2+ and AM3 Socket

When using motherboard with AM2 and AM3 socket, insert screws at positions as shown bellow. EPDM rubber is used as insulator, therefore it must be used underneath the metal backplate.



STEP 5: ATTACHING BACKPLATE for Intel 1156 Socket

When using motherboard with Intel 1156 socket, insert screws at positions as shown bellow. Standoffs are used to prevent possible overtightening of screws and causing potential damage to PCB.



IMPORTANT DISCLOSURES

VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE: Once the installation is completed, it is a recommended practice to test the cooling circuit for leaks prior to powering up the computer. We recommend a 24 hour leak test prior to powering up the computer. Do not test the water block using city water pressure. This will rupture the top of the housing and render the block unusable (and will void your warranty).

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