

Remove fuser assembly

CAUTION

If the printer was recently operating, verify that the fuser assembly has sufficiently cooled before handling.

Step 1 Remove the following assemblies:

- Remove the toner cartridge. See “Toner cartridge removal and replacement” on page 96.
- If installed, remove tray 3. See “Remove tray 3” on page 97.
- Remove the cassette from tray 2. See “Remove the cassette from tray 2” on page 97.
- Remove the DIMM cover. See “Remove DIMM cover” on page 99.
- Remove the rear cover. See “Remove rear cover” on page 100.

Step 2 Remove the two screws (callout 1) that secure the reverse guide to the fuser assembly and lift the guide off.

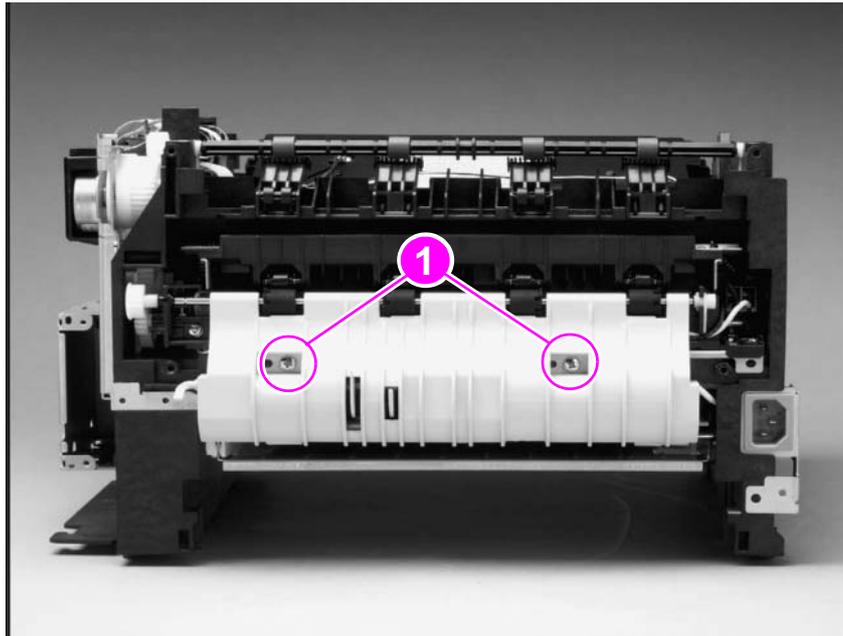


Figure 81. Fuser assembly (under the reverse guide)

CAUTION

When replacing the reverse guide, use the two screws (callout 1) removed in step 2. These screws allow the cover to expand and contract when the fuser assembly heats up or cools down.

Step 3 Unplug the two-pin, three-pin, and five-pin wire harness connectors (callout 1).

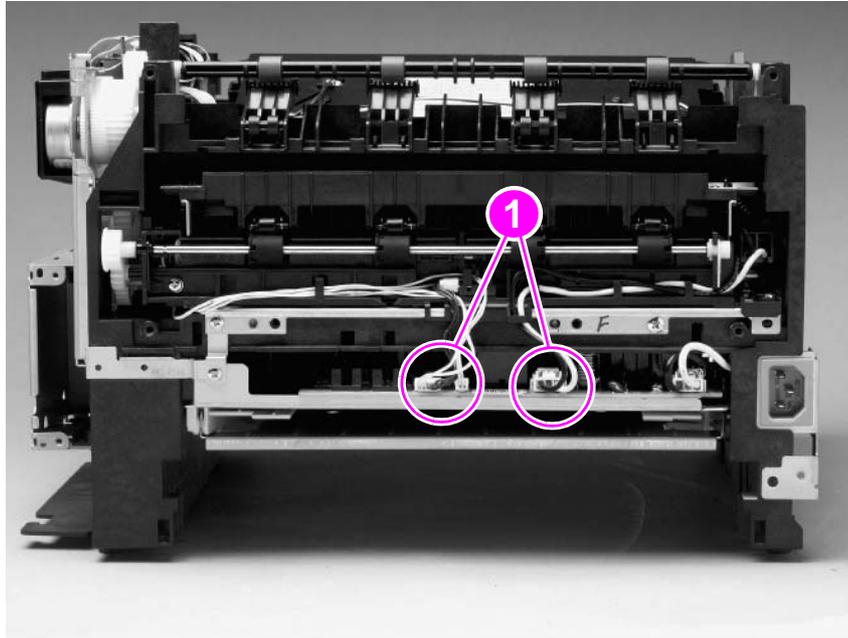


Figure 82. Unplug wire harness connectors

Step 4 Remove one grounding screw (callout 1) that secures the fuser assembly to the printer.

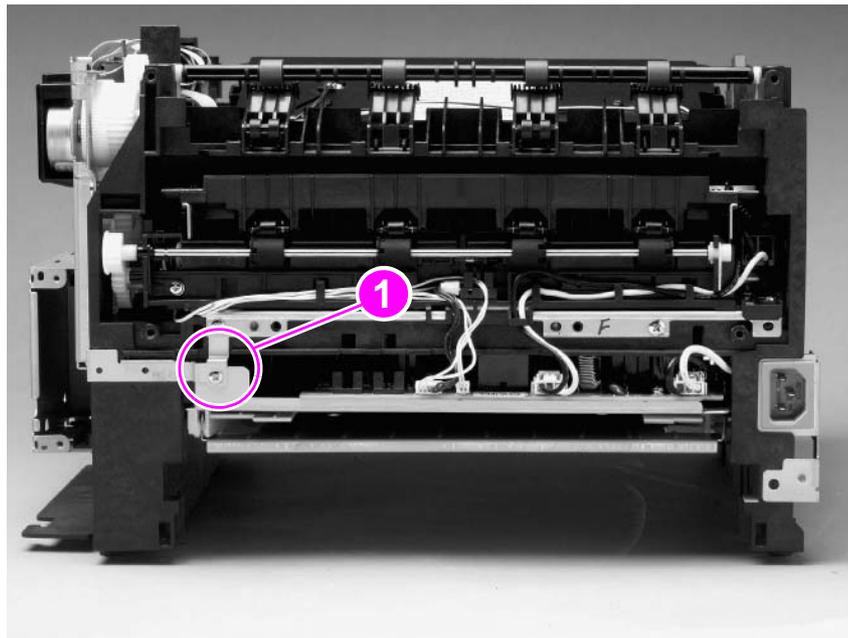


Figure 83. Remove mounting screws

Step 5 Pull the fuser assembly from the printer.

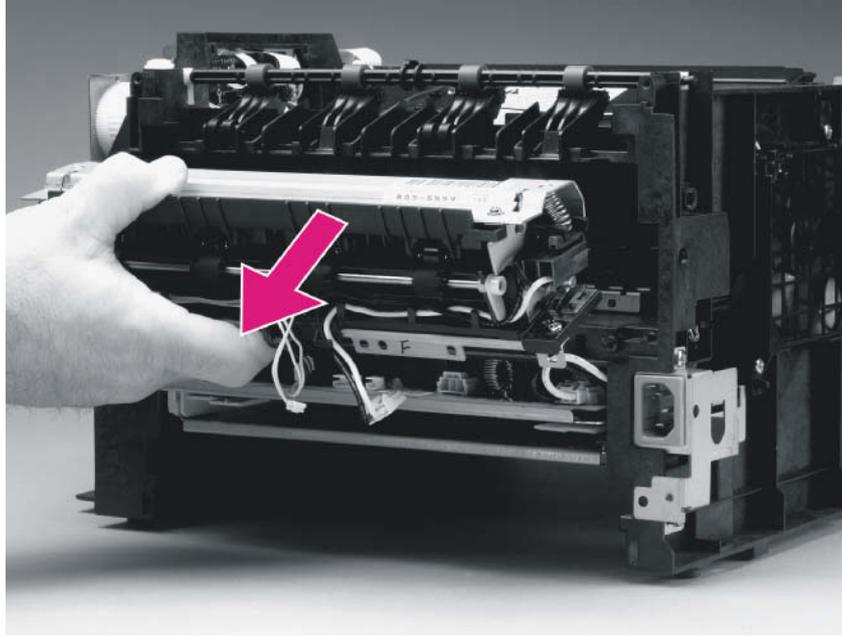


Figure 84. Remove fuser assembly

Note

When replacing the fuser assembly, use the guide pins (located near the mounting screw-holes) to correctly align it.