



Abu Garcia Bait-Caster Reel Disassembly

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INTRODUCTION

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TOOLS:

- [10mm Wrench](#) (1)
- [Small Phillips Head Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Flathead 3/32" or 2.5 mm Screwdriver](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [Abu Garcia Reel Oil](#) (1)
- [Abu Garcia Reel Grease](#) (1)

Step 1 — Step 1



- Use a small Phillips or flathead screwdriver to remove the screw highlighted in red.
- After screw is removed, remove the black cover highlighted in yellow.

Step 2 — Step 2



- Remove 10MM nut, highlighted in orange, on handle with a 10MM nut driver.
- Once nut is removed, then simple pull handle off.

Step 3 — Step 3



- Remove the side plate that is highlighted in blue.
- **Be careful not loose inner yoke springs, as they may fall out.**

Step 4 — Step 4



- Using a small Phillips or flathead screwdriver, remove the small screws that are highlighted in red.
- Once screws are removed, simply pull off side plate in order to access the inner gears.

Step 5 — Step 5



- After small screws are removed, twist each knob until they come off being careful not to lose these pieces.

Step 6 — Step 6



- Once cover is released from reel, apply the Abu Garcia lube to the gears highlighted in orange.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.