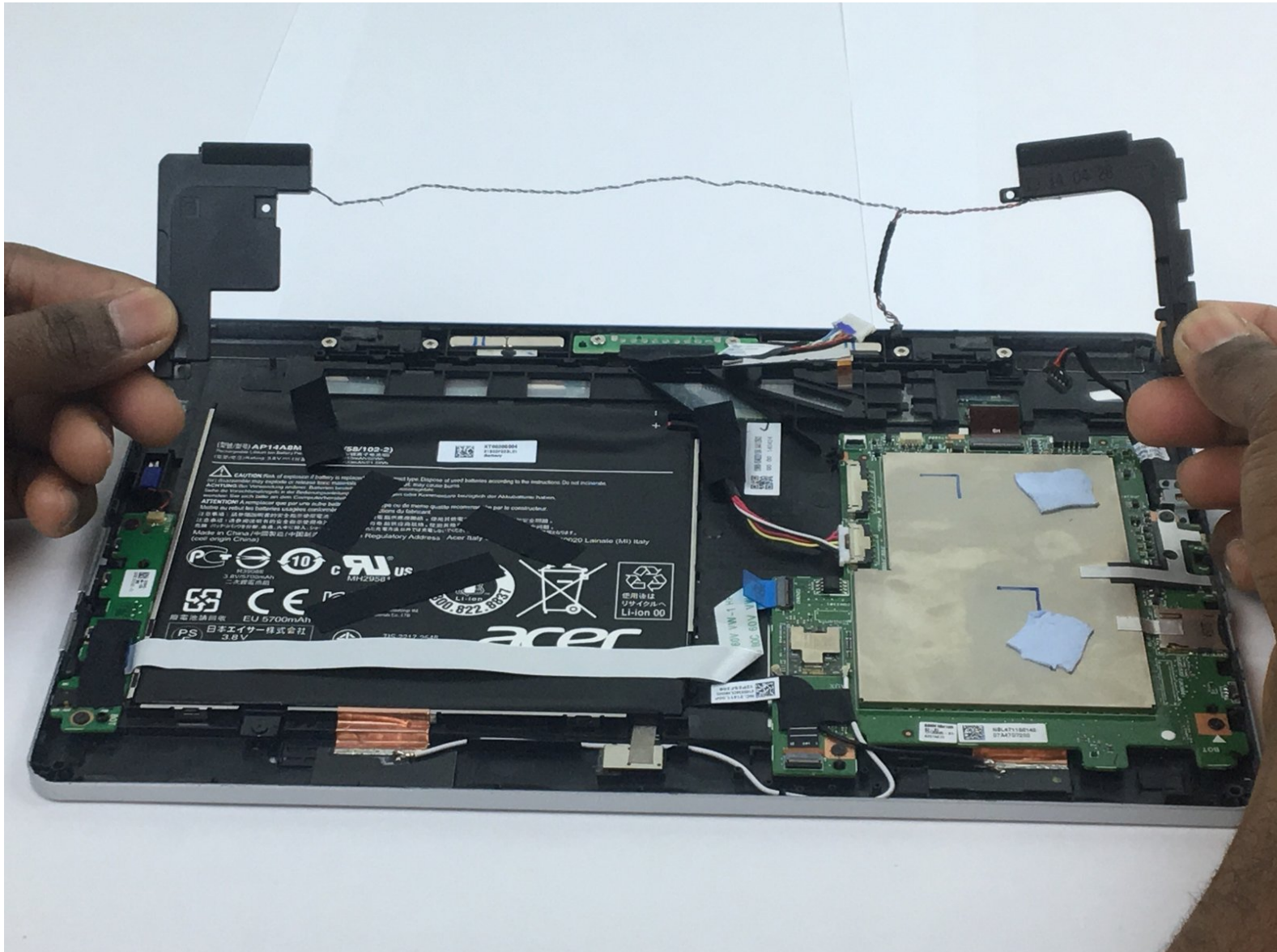




Acer Aspire Switch 10 SW5-011-18R3 Speakers Replacement

Use this guide to replace the speakers on your Acer Aspire Switch 10 SW5-011-18R3

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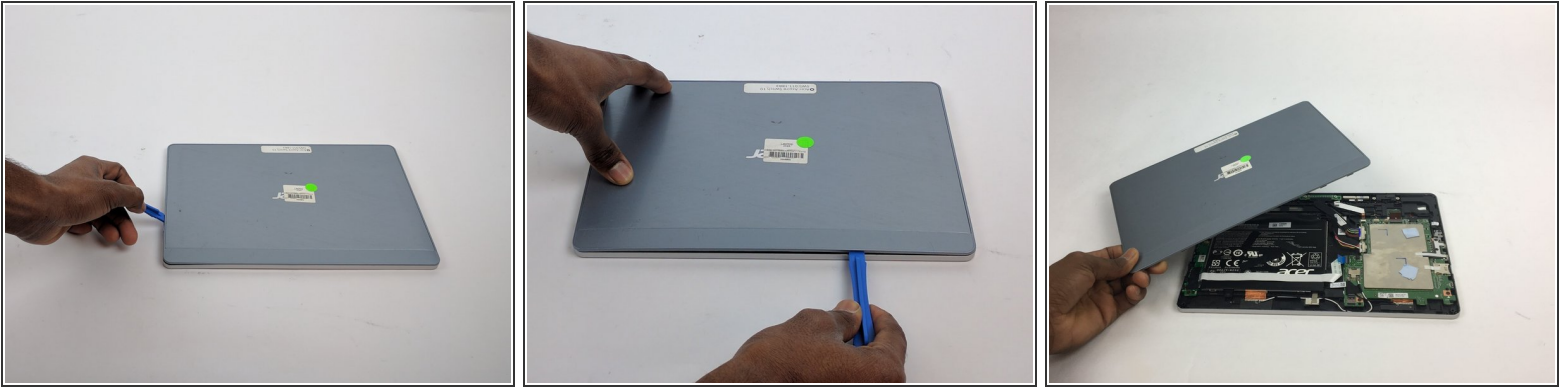
INTRODUCTION

It's not a common problem, but should your speakers start to malfunction or stop working they'll need to be replaced. This guide will walk you through removing the speakers from the device.

TOOLS:

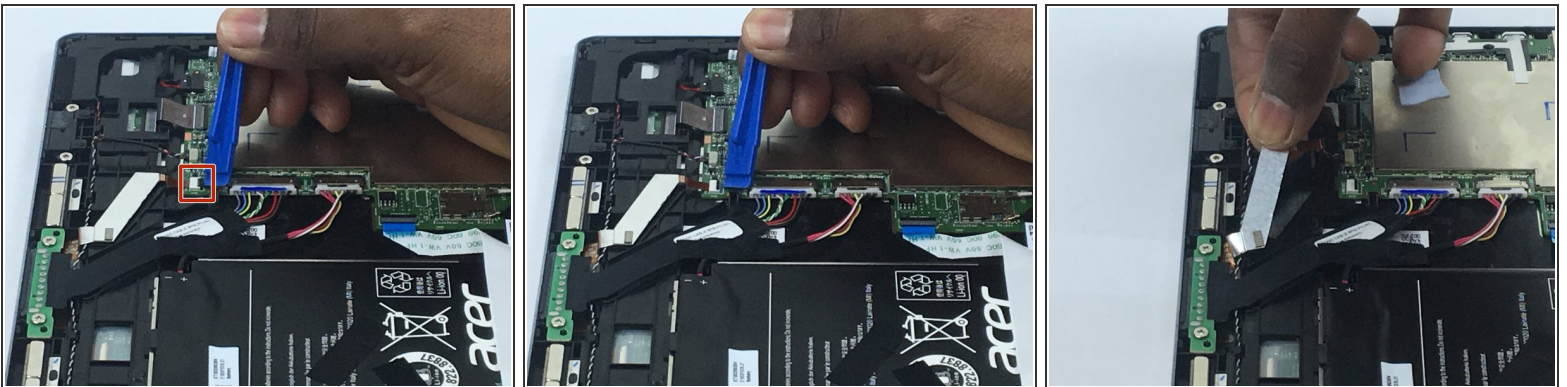
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Step 1 — Speakers



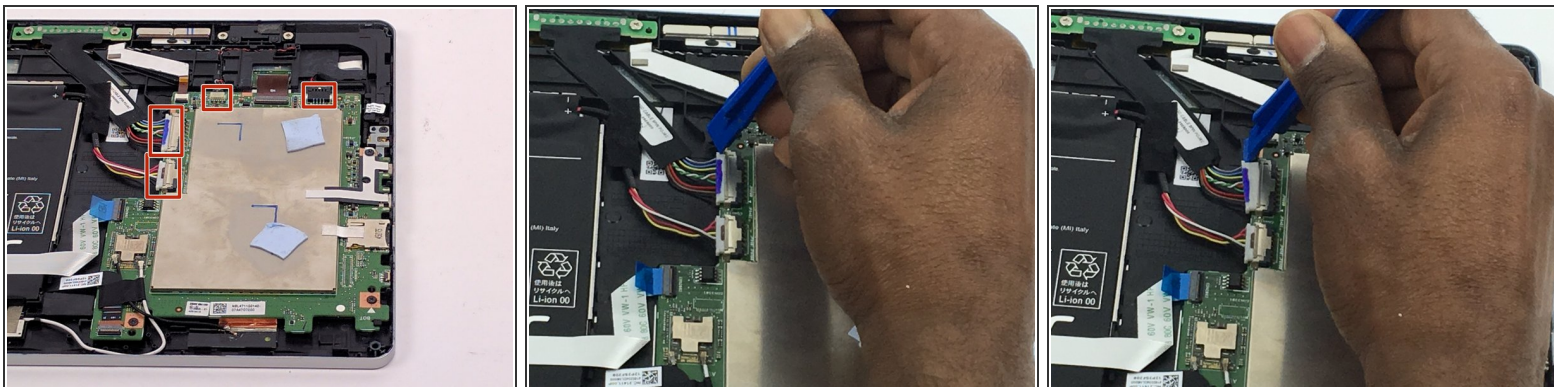
- Wedge your plastic opening tool into the crevice between the volume button and casing to create space.
- Slide the plastic opening tool along this crevice to pry apart the backing of the tablet.

Step 2



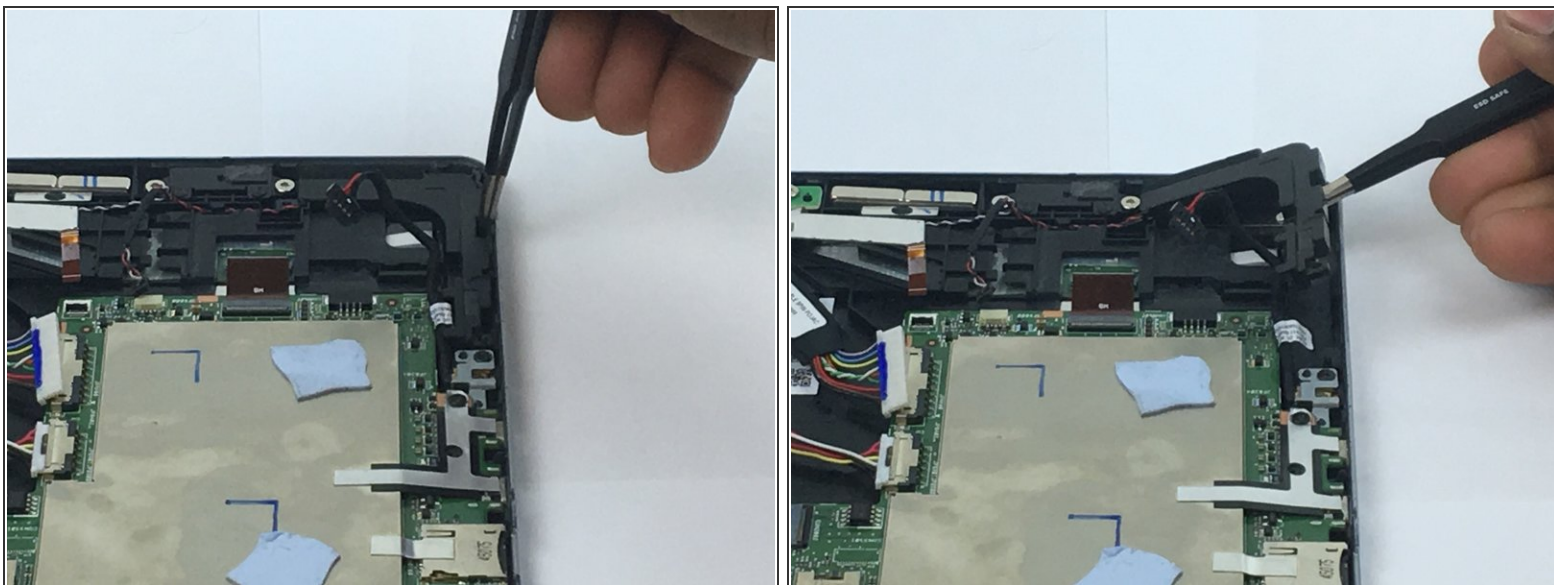
- There is one zero insertion force connector that needs to be removed.
- Use your plastic opening tool to flip up the black clip that secures the ribbon cable to the motherboard.
- Once the clip is flipped up, the ribbon cable will be safe to remove.

Step 3



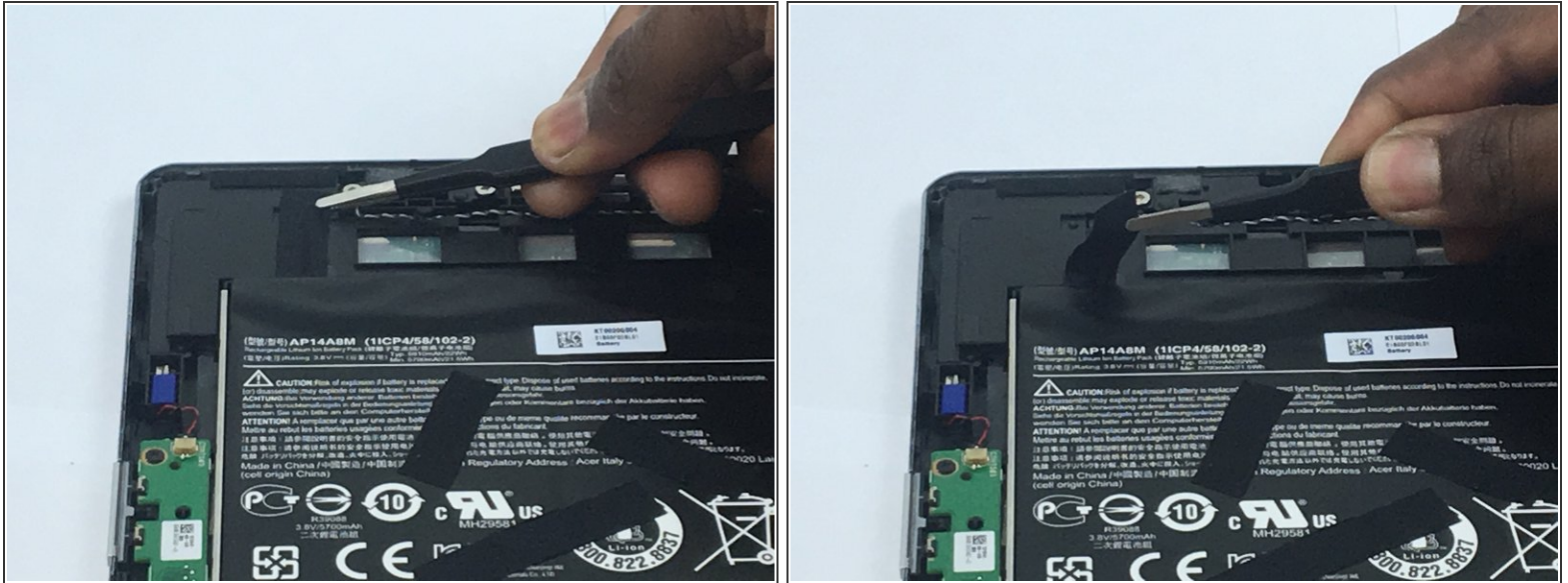
- To remove the four bundled cable connectors, push against the edges of the connector to loosen it up.
- Pull the cable away from the connector.

Step 4



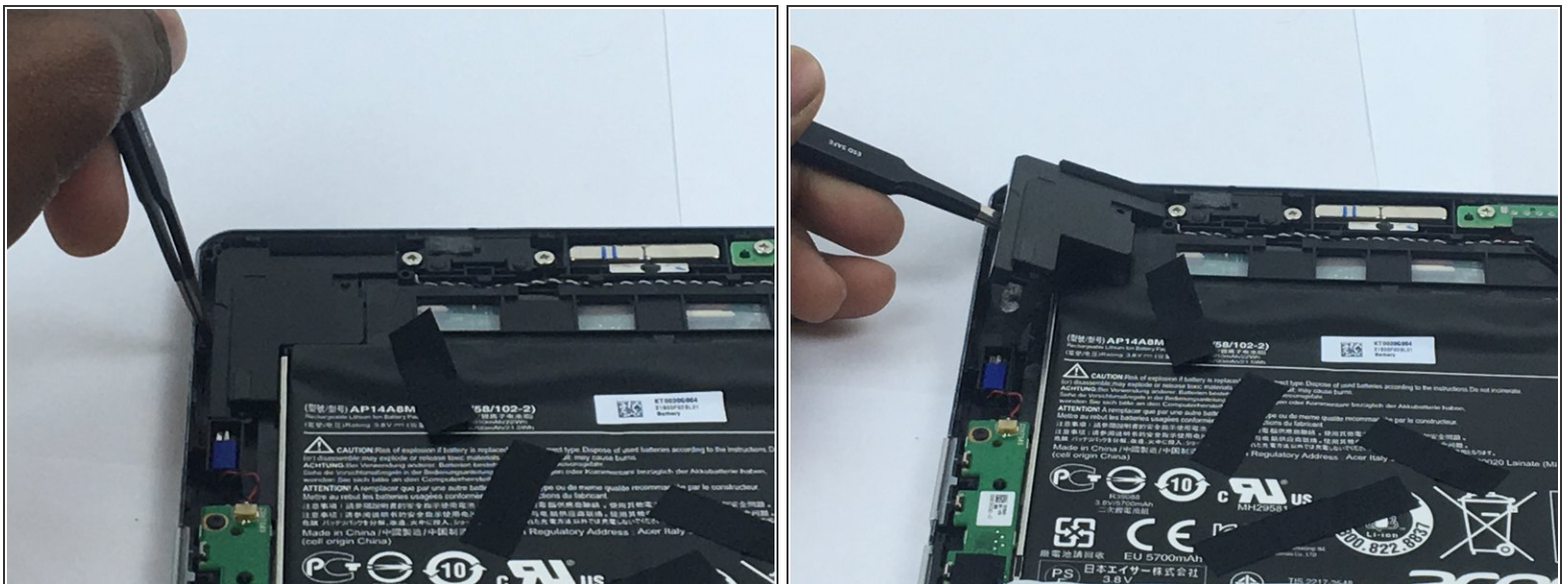
- Use a pair of tweezers to gently pull up the speaker closest to the motherboard.

Step 5



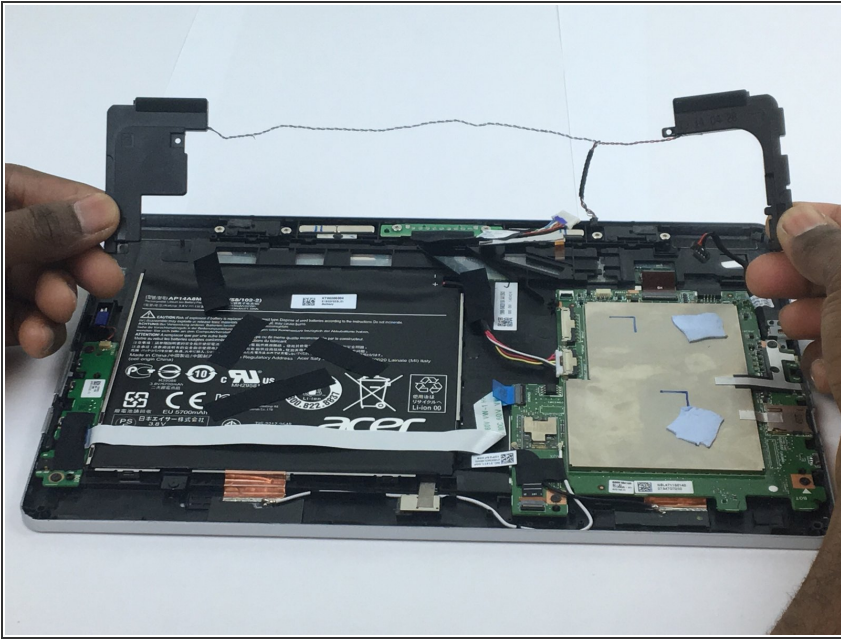
- Remove any tape that may be holding down the speakers or wires in place.

Step 6



- Use tweezers to gently pull up the second speaker.

Step 7



- Remove and replace the speakers.

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