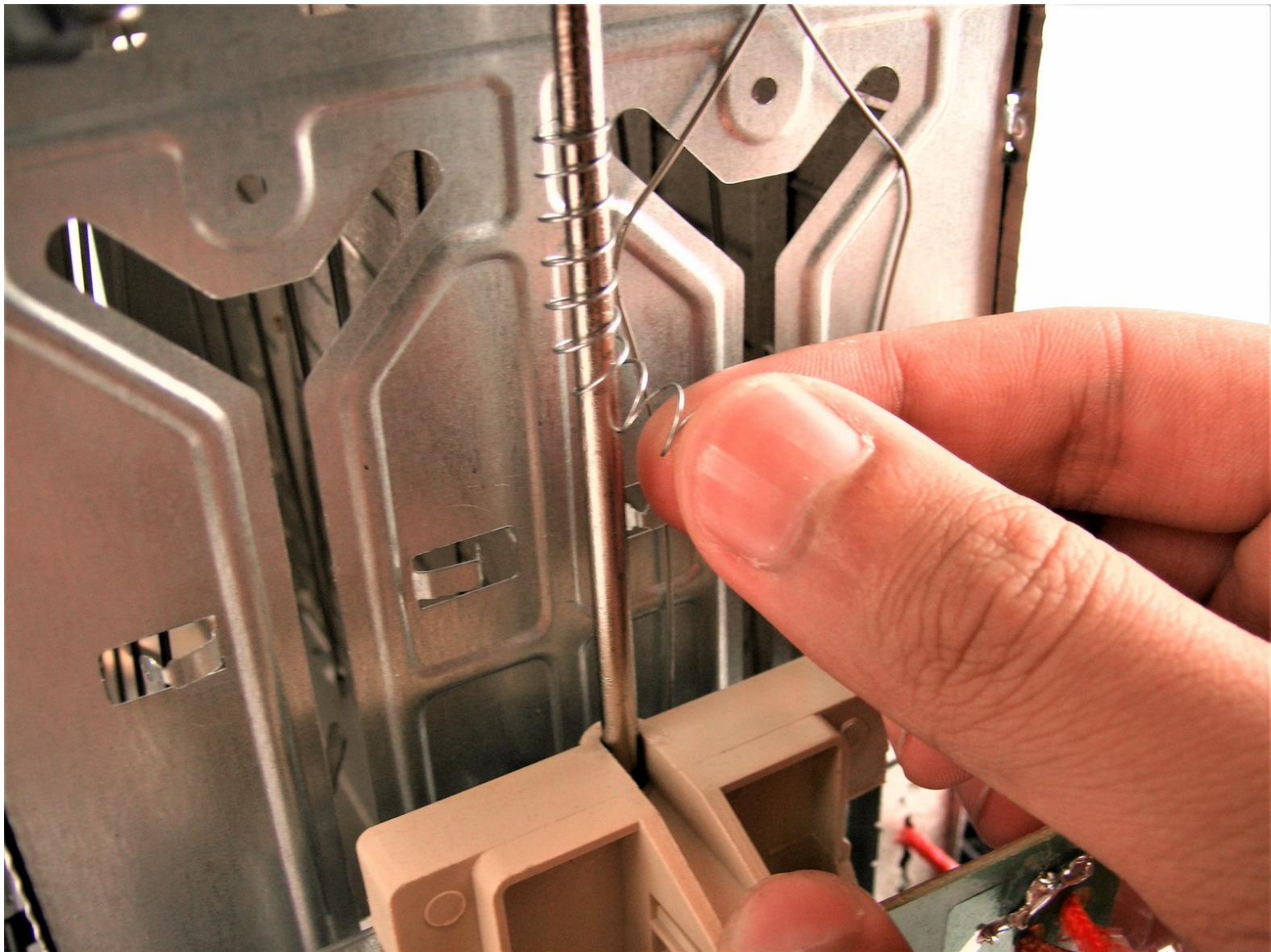




# Black and Decker TR1278B Lever Catch-Spring Replacement

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# INTRODUCTION

Black and Decker TR1278B toaster lever catch-spring replacement guide.



## TOOLS:

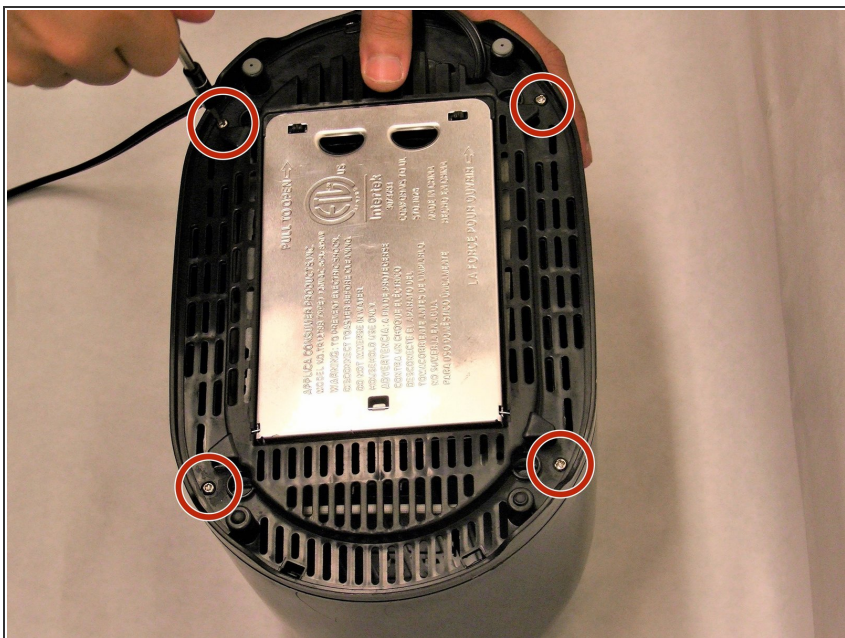
- [Phillips #2 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
  - [Tweezers](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Top Cover



- ❗ Unplug the toaster before disassembly.
- Remove the carriage lever by pulling it away from the toaster.

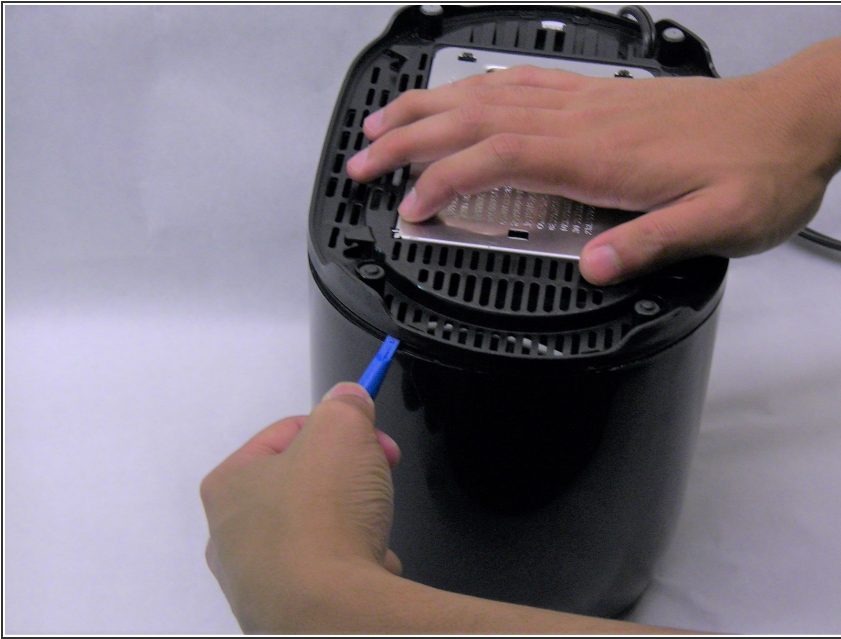
## Step 2



- ❗ Toaster will be turned upside down. Clear crumb tray or work over a paper towel.
- Turn the toaster upside down.
- Unscrew all four 4mm screws on the bottom using a Phillip's head #2 (PH2) screwdriver.



### Step 3



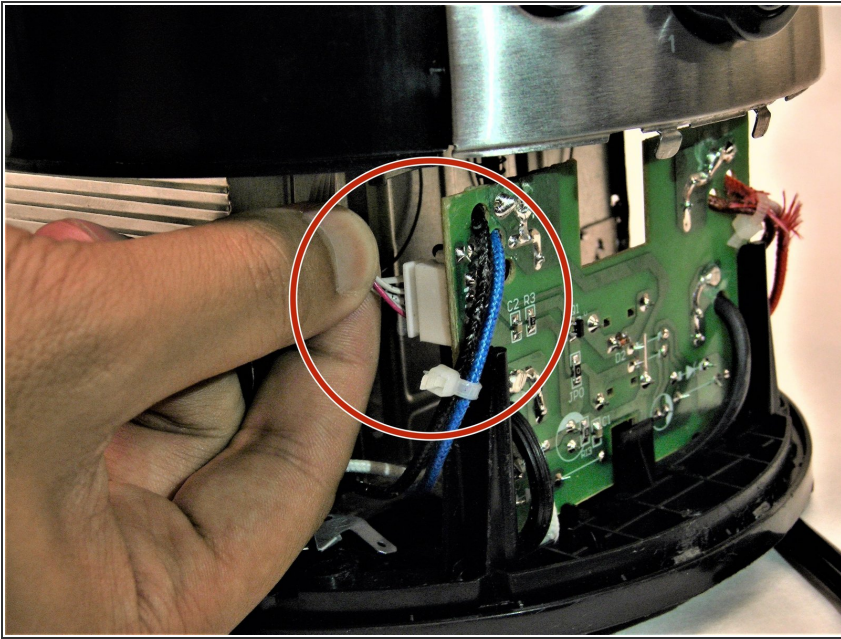
- Detach the bottom from the front cover using the plastic opening tool.

### Step 4



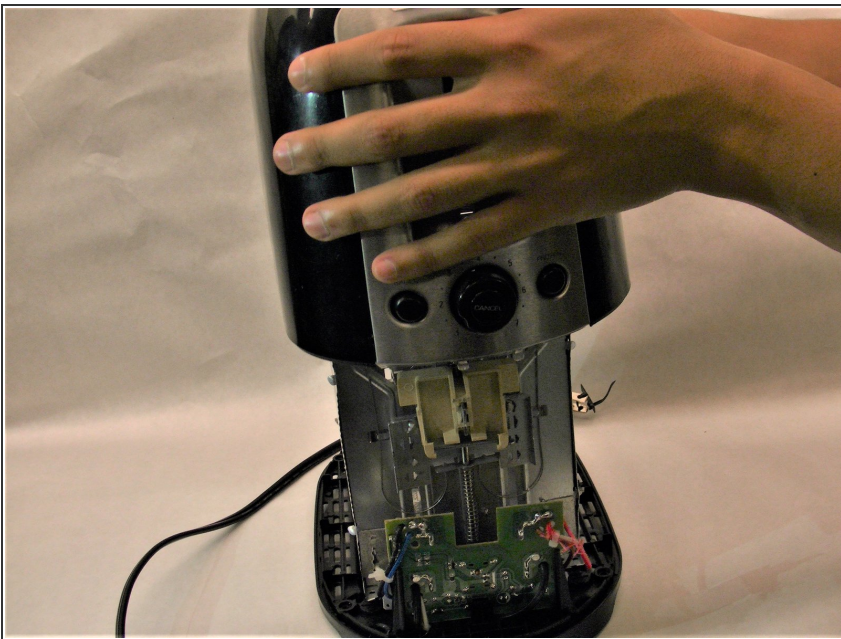
- Turn the toaster right side up.
- ⚠ Support the bottom. The ribbon cable that connects the toaster to the front cover can be damaged.
- Lift the front cover.
- ⚠ Lift carefully. Again the ribbon cable can be damaged.

## Step 5



- Detach the bundled cable connector from the toaster by carefully pulling it away from the circuit board.

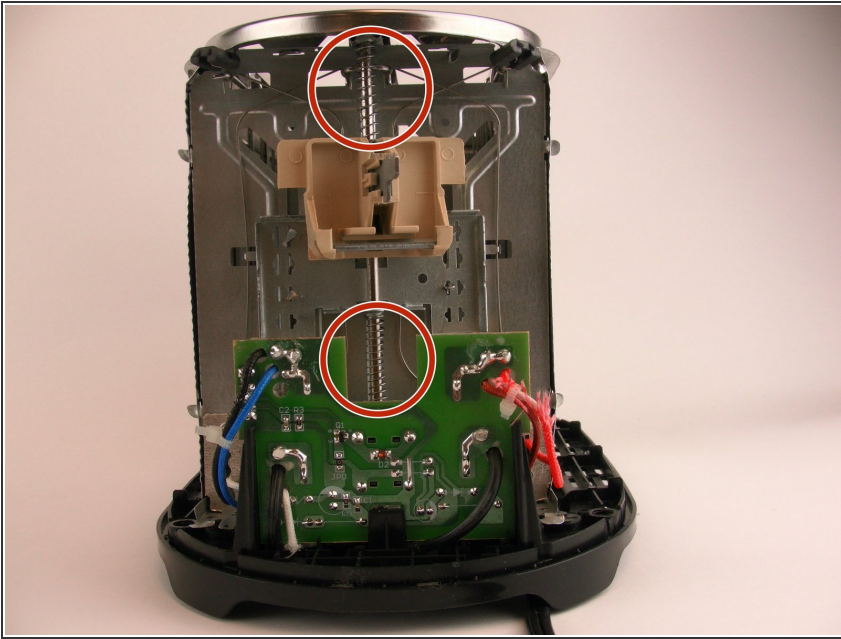
## Step 6 — Lever Catch Spring



- Lift the top cover up and remove it from the toaster.



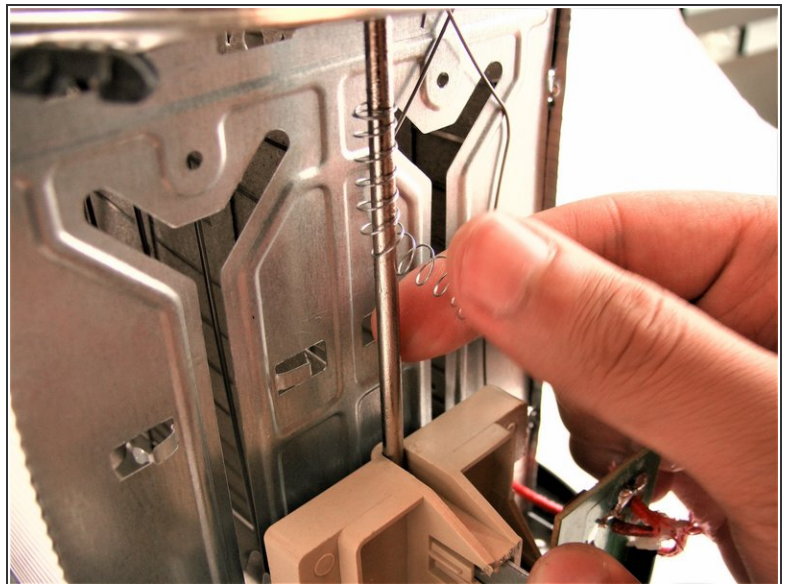
## Step 7



- Locate the springs.

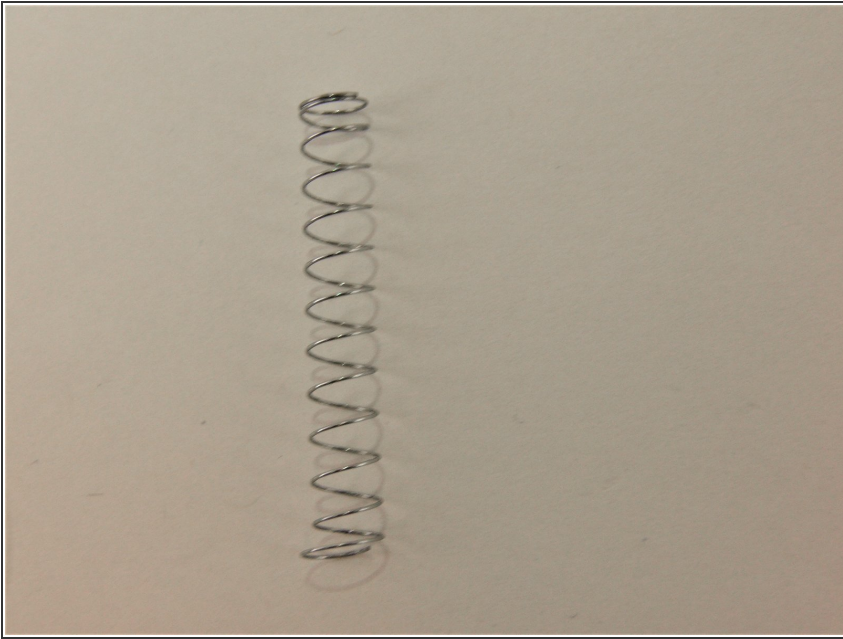
**i** There is a top spring and bottom spring.

## Step 8



- Use needle nose tweezers to free one end of the spring.
- Turn the spring until it is completely free.

## Step 9



- Remove spring for replacement.
- Repeat steps for bottom spring.

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