



HTC Desire V Vibration Motor Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

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TOOLS:

- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
- [Spudger](#) (1)
- [T5 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Tweezers](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [HTC Desire V Vibration Motor](#) (1)

Step 1 — Battery



- Gently pry back cover away from phone.

i If you are having difficulty you may need to use a Spudger or plastic opener.

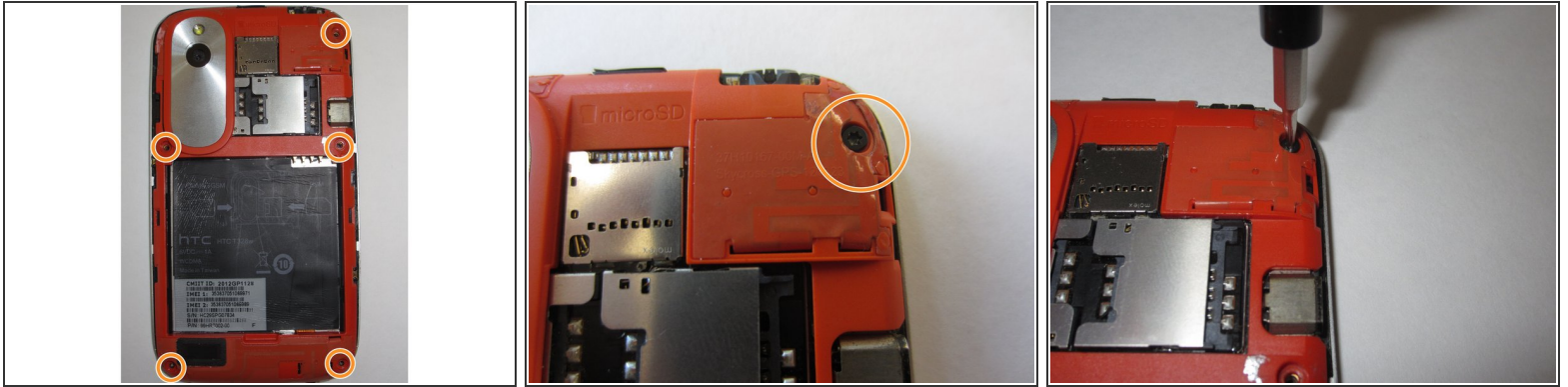
Step 2



- Lever the battery out from the bottom end first.

! Do not bend or puncture the battery.

Step 3 — Midframe



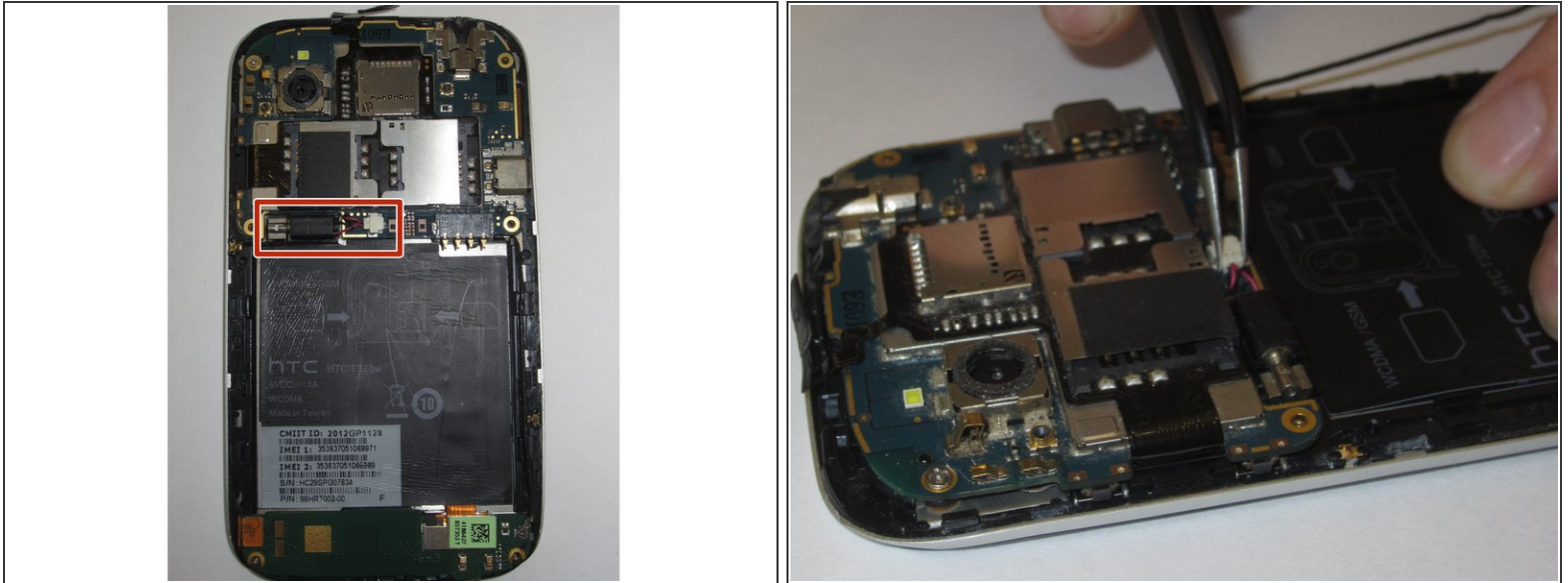
- Use a Torx T5 screwdriver to unscrew and remove five 3.0 mm screws from the rear frame.

Step 4



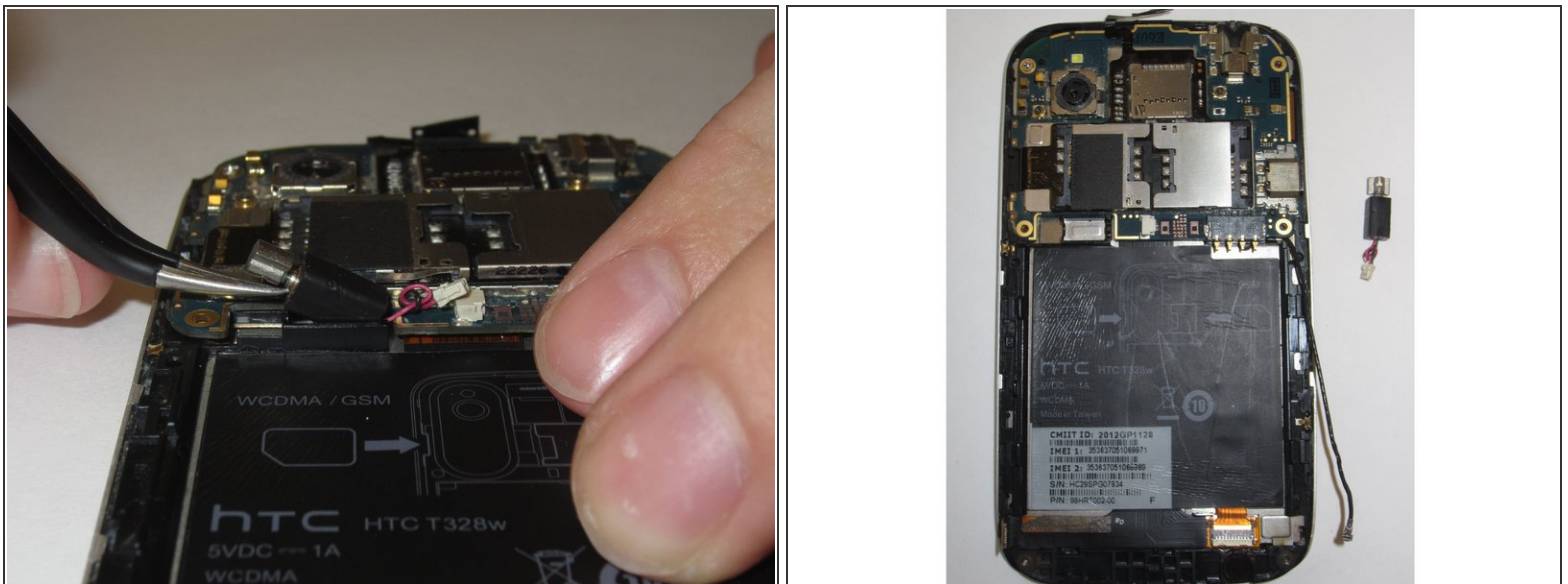
- Use an opening tool or a spudger to gently remove the rear frame.

Step 5 — Vibration Motor



- Unplug the vibration motor shown from the white plug on the motherboard.
- You will probably need tweezers to do this.

Step 6



- Gently remove the motor from its housing in the phone's chassis.
- The easiest way to do this is to lever the motor out by its rotating end using the tweezers.

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