



Household and kitchen items

Weighing scales, microwave ovens, sewing machines, steam irons, table lamps, toasters, vacuum cleaners etc.

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INTRODUCTION

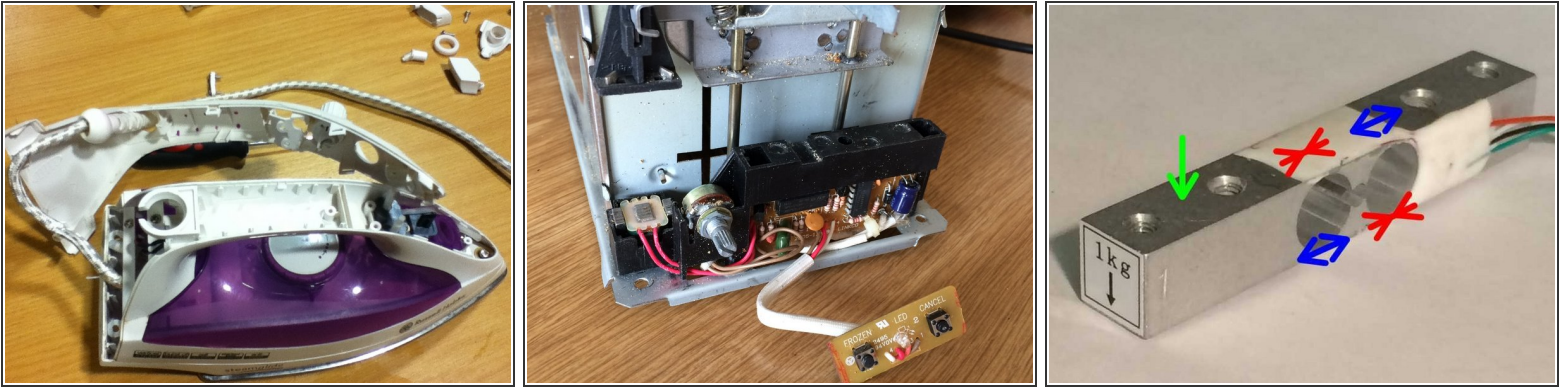
From toasters to table lamps, sewing machines to steam irons, vacuum cleaners to weighing scales, kitchen and domestic items are amongst the commonest items we encounter at our Restart Parties. And here's some of what we've learned.



TOOLS:

- [Multimeter](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Miscellaneous household and kitchen items



- A wide variety of household and kitchen items turn up at our Restart Parties. Here's what we've learned about them.
 - [Vacuum cleaners](#) - can be a messy job, especially if the owner didn't realise you have to empty the bag occasionally!
 - [Table lamps](#) - quite often an easy fix and people just love it when you fix one they've had for years.
 - [Sewing machines](#) - a popular page, and if you're more used to electronic gadgets an easy way to extend your range.
 - [Digital weighing scales](#) - usually pretty reliable, but faced with one, would you know how it works?
 - [Toasters](#) - if yours is toast then maybe you can fix it.
 - [Steam irons](#) - when the water gets where it shouldn't then it there may not be much you can do, but first let's get inside the thing!
 - [Microwave ovens](#) - handle with care - this page contains important safety warnings.

On reassembling your device, award yourself a gold star if you run out of screws at the same time as you run out of holes to put them in.