



# Panasonic SDR H-100 HDD Replacement

The HDD is where the memory is stored for the camcorder. Without this the videos and pictures that are taken cannot be saved.

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## TOOLS:

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

## Step 1 — Remove Bottom Screws



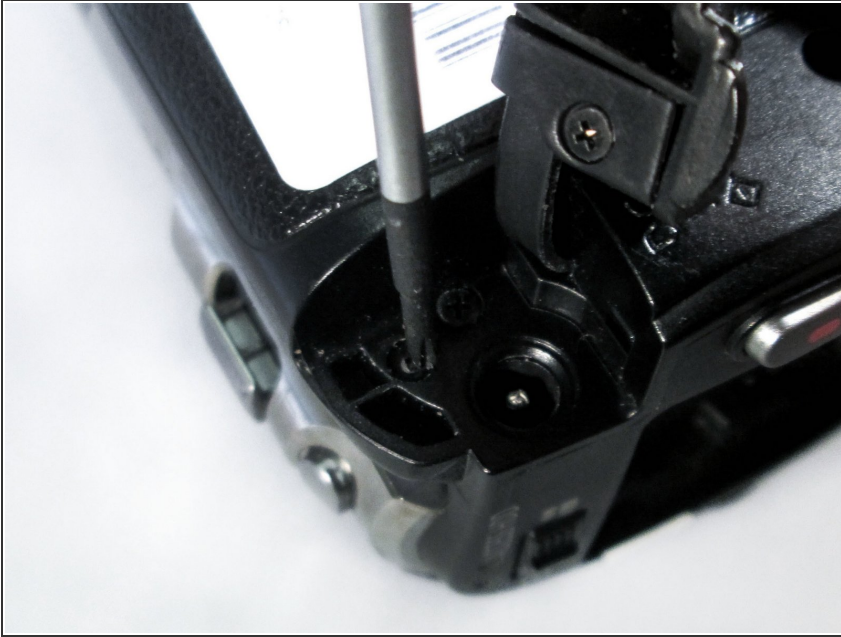
- Unscrew the four 4 mm screws on the bottom of the camcorder.
- ⓘ The screws are two different colors: three black, one silver.

## Step 2 — Remove Side Screws



- Unscrew the three 6 mm screws on the handstrap-side of the camcorder.

### Step 3 — Remove DC Input Terminal Screws



- Pull the charging port (DC input terminal) cover back and remove the 4 mm screw located next to the input terminal.

### Step 4 — Remove LCD Monitor Screws



- Unscrew the two black 4 mm screws underneath the LCD Monitor.
  - ❗ One screw is located by the hinge of the LCD Monitor. The second is close to the upper-back corner of the camcorder body.

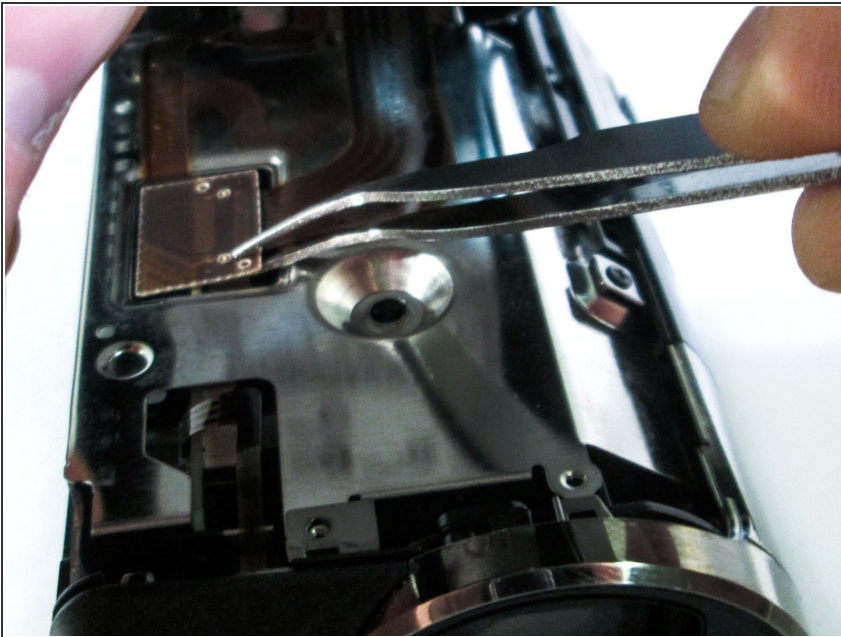
## Step 5 — Detach Casing from Body



- Pull the casing under the hand strap directly outward until casing detaches from camcorder

 Detach gently so the ribbon cable is not damaged!

## Step 6 — Detach Ribbon Cable from Body



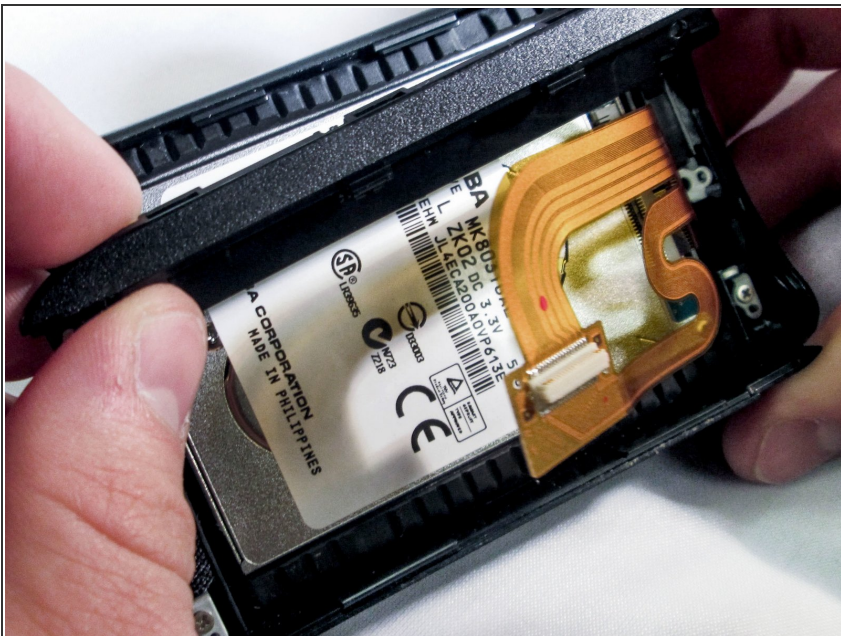
- Use tweezers to grab the ribbon cable at the connection point and slowly lift up until the connection is separated.
- ⓘ This point connects the HDD to the motherboard.

## Step 7 — HDD



- On the casing with the HDD, unscrew the two silver 4 mm screws on the upper interior.

## Step 8



- Pull the plastic black brace where the screws were attached gently with your hand to gain access to the HDD.
- ⓘ The black brace will be able to come apart from the camcorder.

## Step 9



- Pry under the HDD gently with a plastic opening tool, and the HDD should easily come out of the casing.

## Step 10



- The HDD is now out (The HDD is ready to be replaced).

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