



Samsung Admire Motherboard Replacement

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TOOLS:

- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Back Cover



- To open the back cover of the phone, use your fingernail or plastic opening tool under the slit to pull the cover up.

Step 2 — Remove Battery



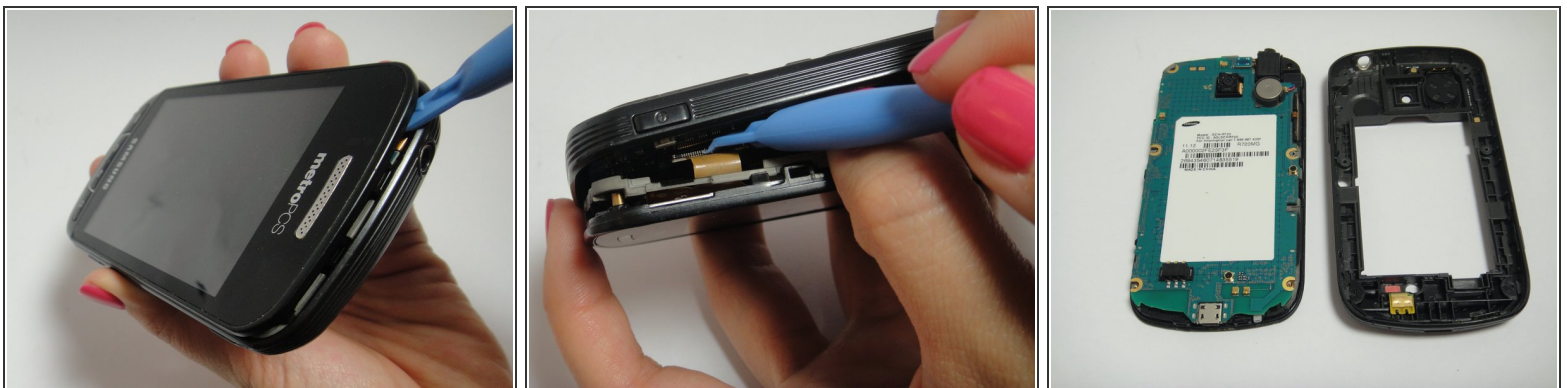
- Carefully remove the battery by placing your fingernail underneath the hole and pull out the battery.
- Your hands should not be wet.

Step 3 — Remove the screws



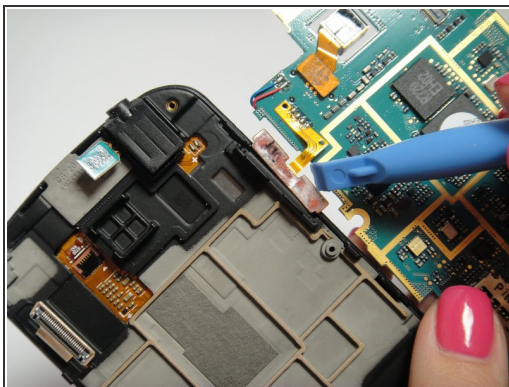
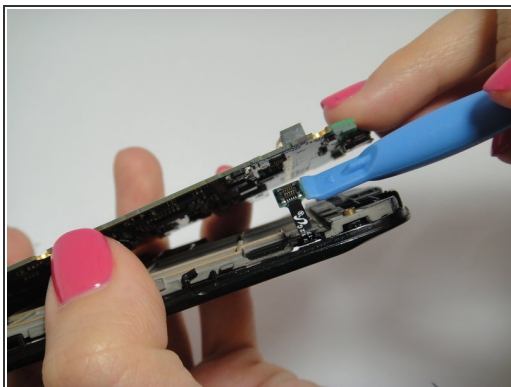
- Use the Phillips #00 Precision Screwdriver to remove the six screws in the back of the phone.
- Be careful not to lose the screws, so place them on a magnetic mat.

Step 4 — Inside back cover



- Use the Plastic Opening tools to remove the inside back cover.
- Place the Plastic Opening tools on the outside rim of the inside back cover.
- Carefully lift the cover and circle around the rim to open the inside back cover completely.
- Carefully disconnect ribbon cables and slowly lift the inside back cover to remove it.

Step 5 — Motherboard



- Lift the motherboard slowly.
- Carefully disconnect the volume button away from the motherboard.
- Disconnect the two ribbon cables from the back of the motherboard.
- Remove the motherboard completely from the phone

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