



# Sony Ericsson Z500a Keypad Replacement

How to replace a Sony Ericsson Z500a keypad.

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## INTRODUCTION

This guide shows how to remove the phone keypad.

### TOOLS:

- [T6 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)

## Step 1 — Keypad



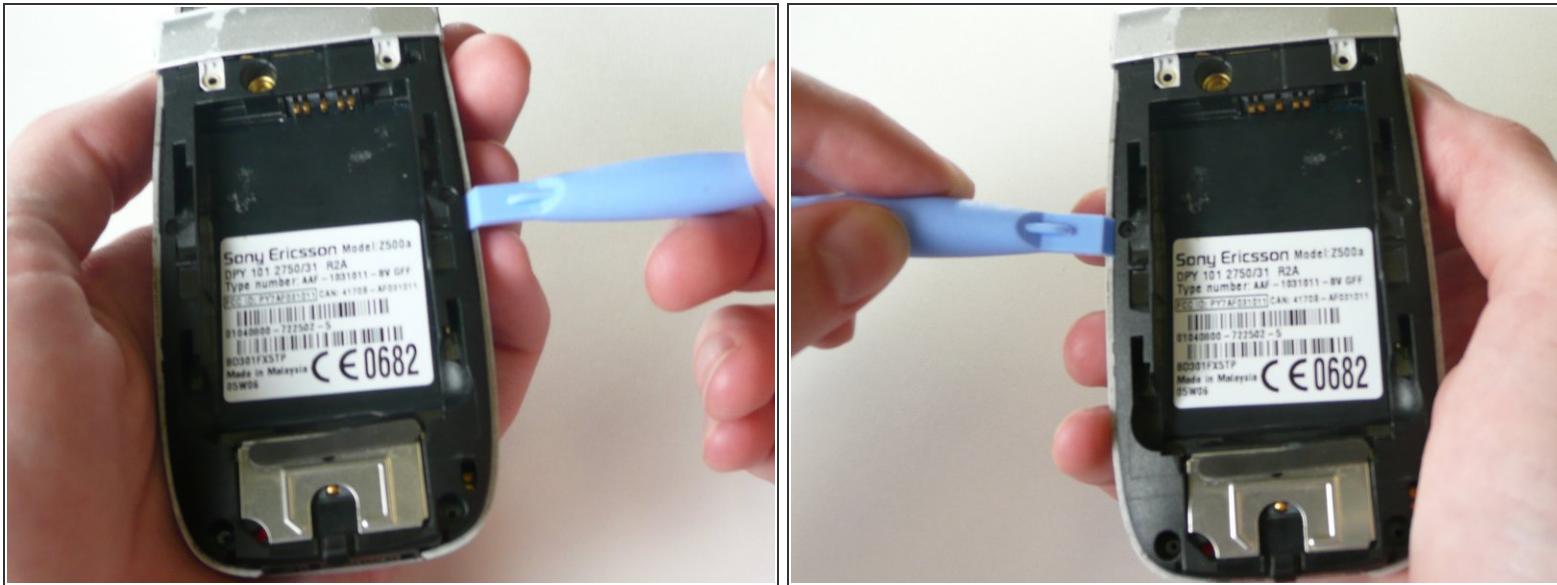
- Remove the back cover and the battery.

## Step 2



- Remove the 4 screws using a T6 precision screwdriver.
- Flip open the phone, and keep the back cover facing you.

## Step 3



- Take the plastic opening tool and run it between the phone case and phone body to loosen the key pad while the phone is open.
- ① There are 2 clamps that lock it to the phone case (1 on each side).

## Step 4



- Flip the phone over and lift straight up on the key pad to remove it.

**⚠** Be sure to hold the phone flat (parallel to the table), because there are loose parts that may fall out.

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