Xbox 360 Bottom Vent Replacement

Bottom vent replacement.

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INTRODUCTION

Use this guide to remove the gray plastic lower vent from your Xbox 360.

🔧 **TOOLS:**

- Spudger (1)
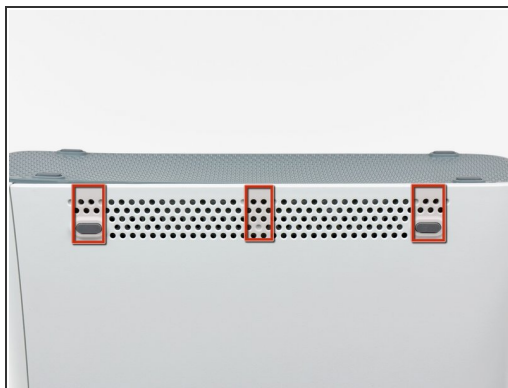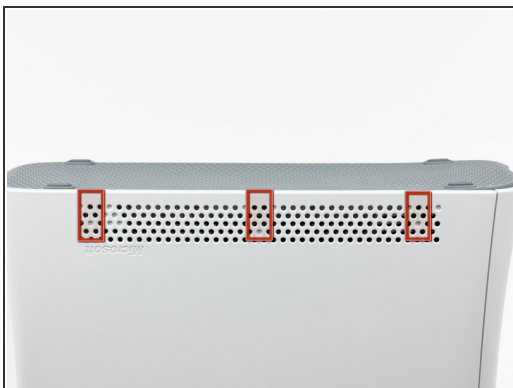- Xbox 360 Opening Tool (1)

⚙ **PARTS:**

- Xbox 360 Bottom Vent (1)

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Step 1 — Bottom Vent

📌 Stand the console vertically with the bottom edge facing up.

ⓘ *Throughout the following opening procedure, the finger of an [Xbox 360 opening tool](#) can be used in place of a spudger.*

● Insert the flat end of a spudger or the edge of an Xbox 360 opening tool into the small gap at the front edge of the bottom vent.

● Pry the front edge of the bottom vent away from the faceplate.

Step 2

ⓘ In the next few steps, you will use the tip of a spudger or the finger of an Xbox 360 opening tool to release the clips along the left and right sides of the bottom vent. Their locations are highlighted in red.

ⓘ You will insert the tool into the holes molded into the white plastic side case pieces.

Step 3

- To release the clips, work from the front edge of the bottom vent.

- While slightly lifting the front edge of the bottom vent, use the tip of a spudger to push the clips closest to the front of the bottom vent towards the inside of the console.

Step 4

- Repeat the same process to release the two center clips on the bottom vent.

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Step 5

- Use the tip of your spudger to release the clips on the bottom vent nearest the back of the Xbox.

Step 6

- Remove the bottom vent from the 360.

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

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