

Sony NWZ-E473 Screen Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

When removing the screen, you may want to use gloves so that no glass shards cut your hands.

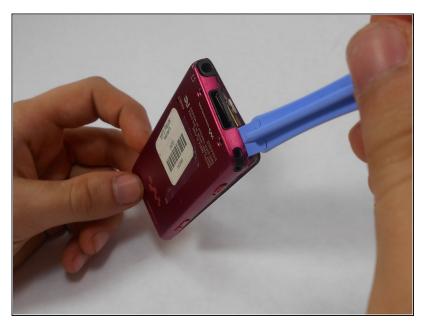
TOOLS:

Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1) iFixit Opening Tool (1) Tweezers (1) Spudger (1)

Step 1 — Back Panel



 Use a Phillips #00 screwdriver to unscrew the two 5 mm screws located on the bottom of the back of the device.

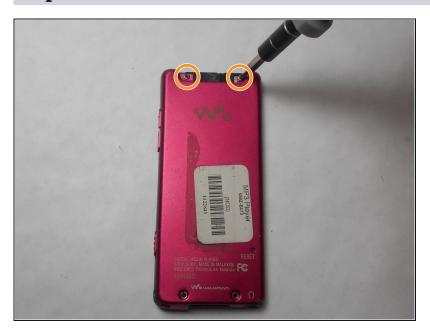


 Use a plastic opening tool to loosen the bottom portion of device.

Step 3



 Use a plastic opening tool to loosen the top panel of the device.



 Use a Phillips #00 screwdriver to remove the two 3 mm screws located on the portion under the top panel of the device.

Step 5







Remove the back plate from the device.

Step 6 — Screen

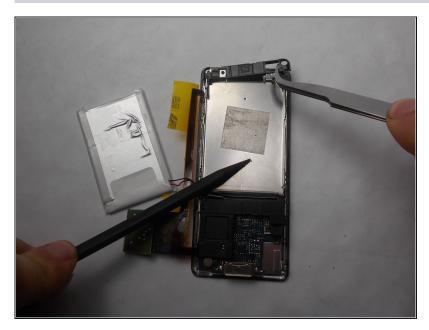


 Use a nylon spudger or tweezers to remove the plastic USB cover.

Step 7



 Use a Phillips #00 screwdriver to unscrew two 2 mm screws located on the top corners of the device.



 Use a nylon spudger or tweezers to remove the plastic protective plate at the top of device.

Step 9



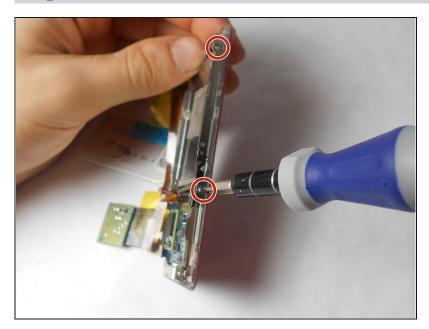


 Remove the plastic protective frame located over the motherboard with tweezers and a spudger.

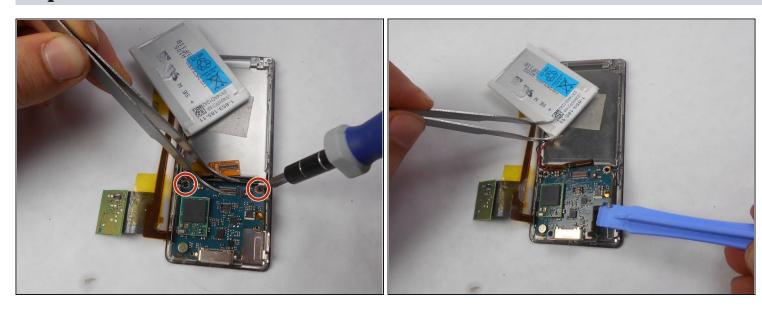


 Remove screen connection from motherboard using tweezers and spudger.

Step 11

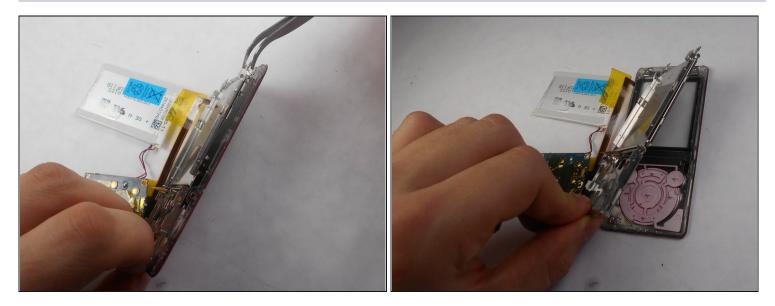


 Use a Phillips #00 screwdriver to remove two 3 mm screws at the bottom sides and two 1 mm screws at top sides of the device.

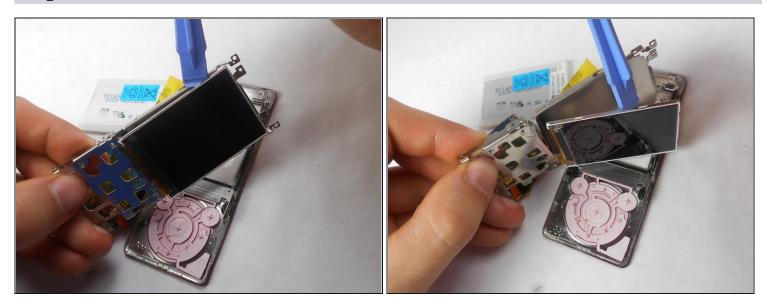


• Use a Phillips #00 screwdriver to unscrew two 2 mm screws, and remove the motherboard from the device with tweezers and a plastic opening tool.

Step 13



• Disconnect the metal shielding plate from the front panel with tweezers or a plastic opening tool.



• Use a plastic opening tool to remove the screen from metal back plate.

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