



# Skullcandy Air Raid Buttons Replacement

Replace your buttons to ensure you can still keep control of this rugged device.

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# INTRODUCTION

This disassembly includes the button panel and button motherboard.



## TOOLS:

- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
  - [T6 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Rubber Cover



- Starting with the corners, gently pull the rubber cover off of the device.

## Step 2 — Handle



- Using the T-6 hexagonal screwdriver, unscrew the four 10mm #6 hex screws on the right side of the device.
- Remove the handle from the device.

### Step 3 — Front Plate



- Unscrew the two screws on the left side of the device using the phillips #00 screwdriver.
  - One 5mm Phillips screw.
  - One 8mm Phillips screw.

### Step 4



- Gently pull the sides of the front plate outwards from the device.
- Pull up on the front plate to remove it from the device.



## Step 5 — Control Buttons



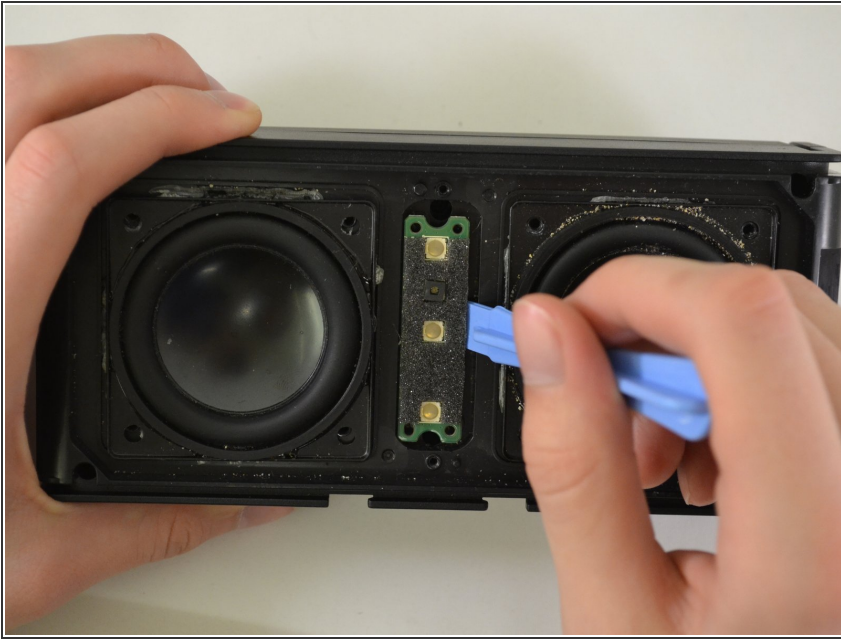
- Using a Phillips #00 Precision Screwdriver, unscrew two 6 mm screws from the middle of the panel, specifically above and below the volume buttons.
- Lift the button panel.

## Step 6 — Button Motherboard



- Using a Phillips #00 Precision Screwdriver, unscrew two 6 mm screws from the button motherboard.

## Step 7



- Using a plastic opening tool, pry up on the button motherboard to detach it from the device.
- ❗ The button motherboard is connected to a ribbon cable inside the device.

## Step 8 — Ribbon Cable



- First, pull on the black attachment to disconnect it from the metal piece.
- Release the cable from the back of the motherboard.
- ❗ The black attachment is a part of the connector, not the blue ribbon cable. It will not disconnect from the motherboard.

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