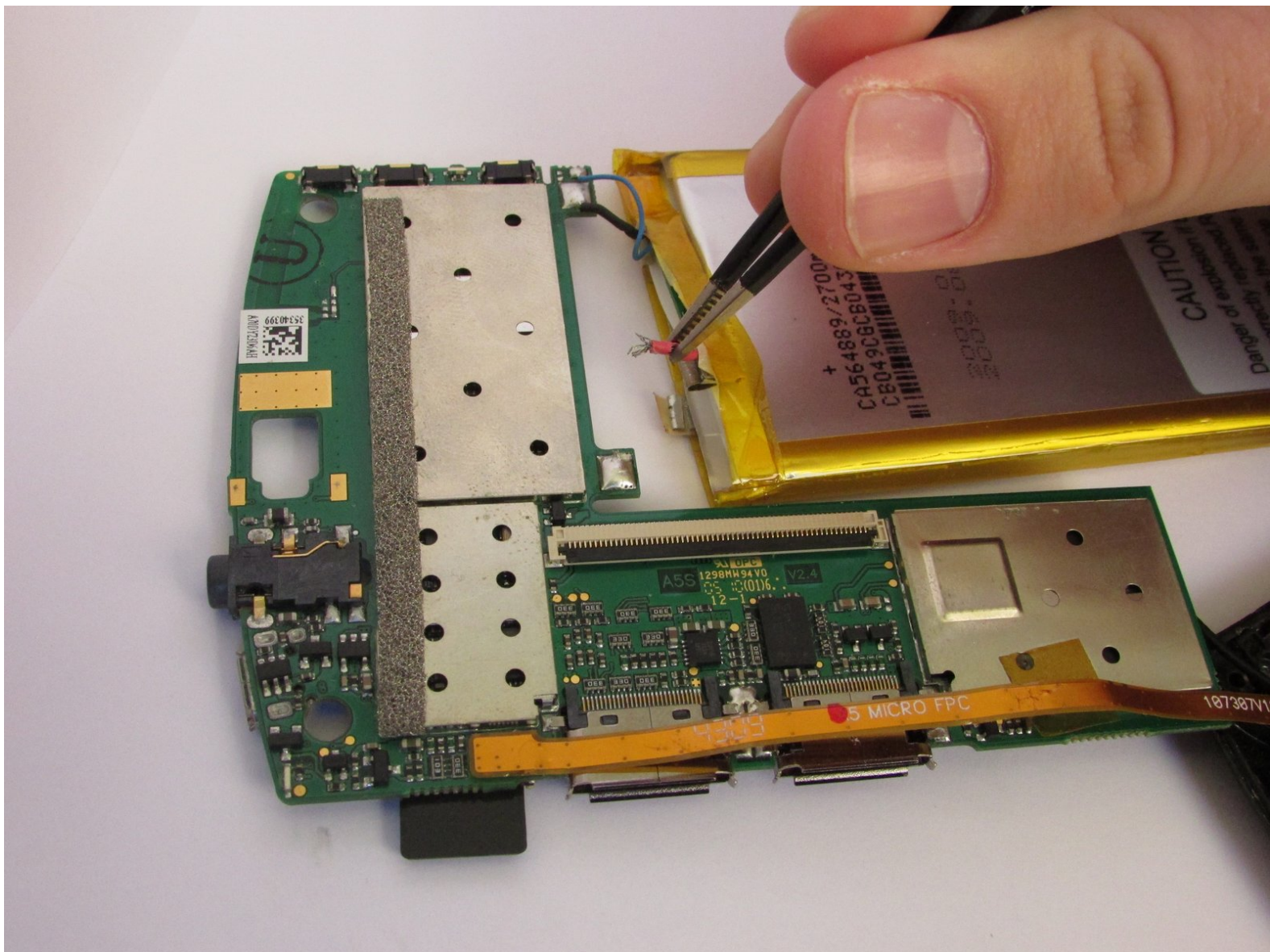# Archos 5 Battery Replacement

General battery problems with your Archos 5? This guide should help you out!

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will help you replace the battery in your Archos 5 tablet. Although this repair is pretty lengthy, don't be discouraged. You *can* do this yourself!
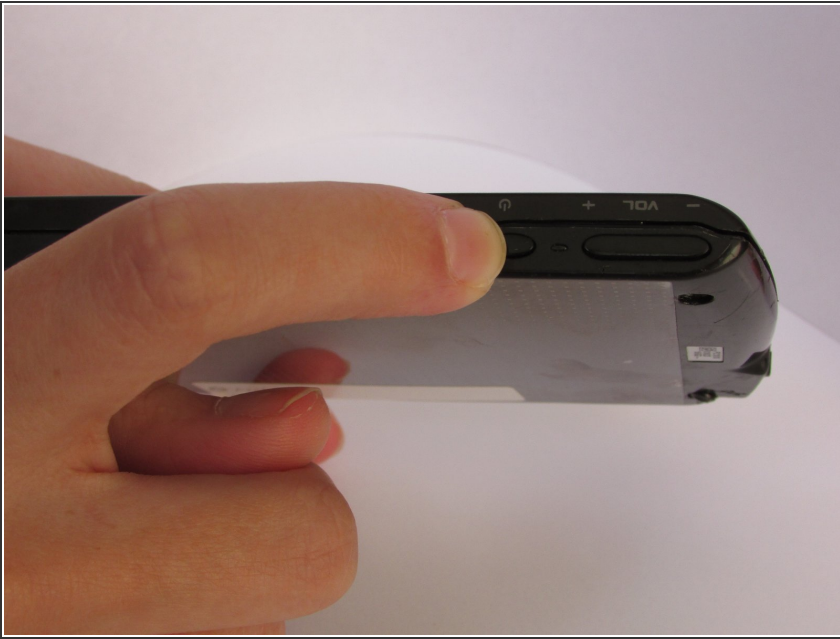
TOOLS:

- iFixit Opening Tools (1)
- Phillips #000 Screwdriver (1)
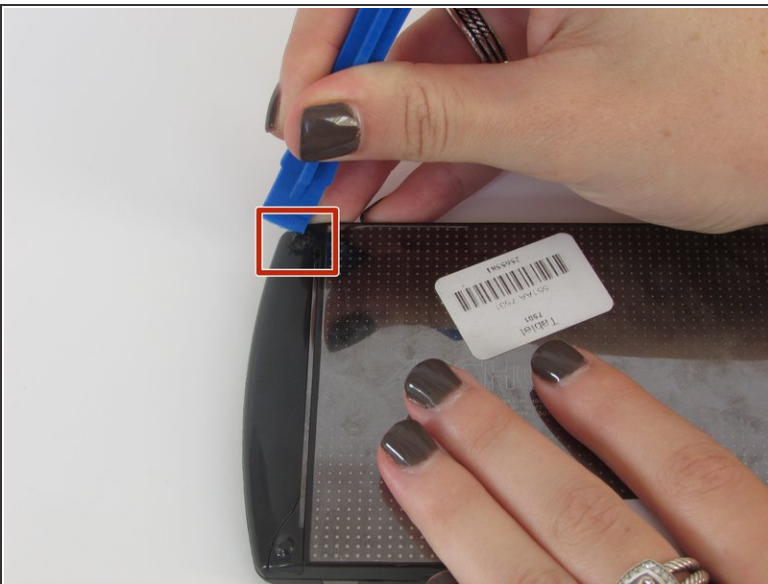- Soldering Iron (1)
- Tweezers (1)
- Spudger (1)

PARTS:

- Archos 5 battery (1)

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Step 1 — Battery

⚠️ Please be sure that your device is powered off before attempting any repairs.

ⓘ Please be aware that any further steps could possibly void the warranty of your Archos 5.
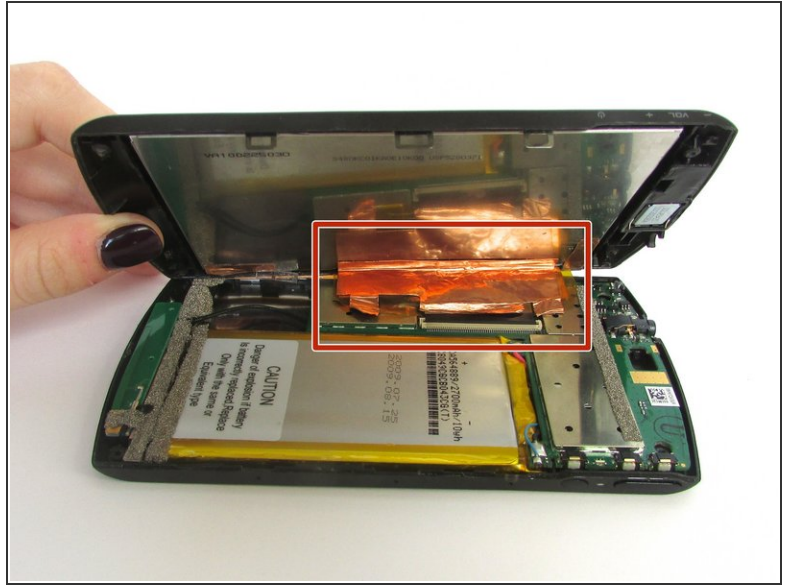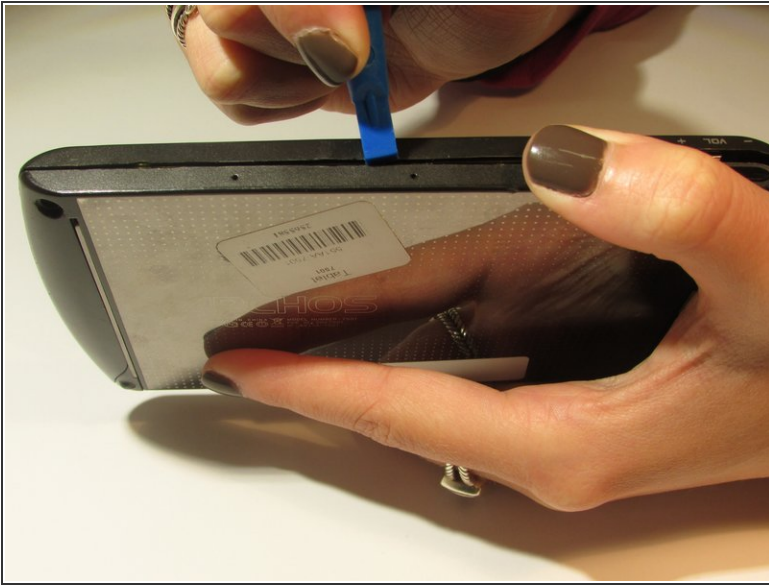
Step 2

- Use the plastic opening tool to take off 3 black sticky pads that cover the screws.

- Use the screwdriver(PH000) to remove the screws located under the pads.

ⓘ Lift the stand in order to get to the fourth screw.

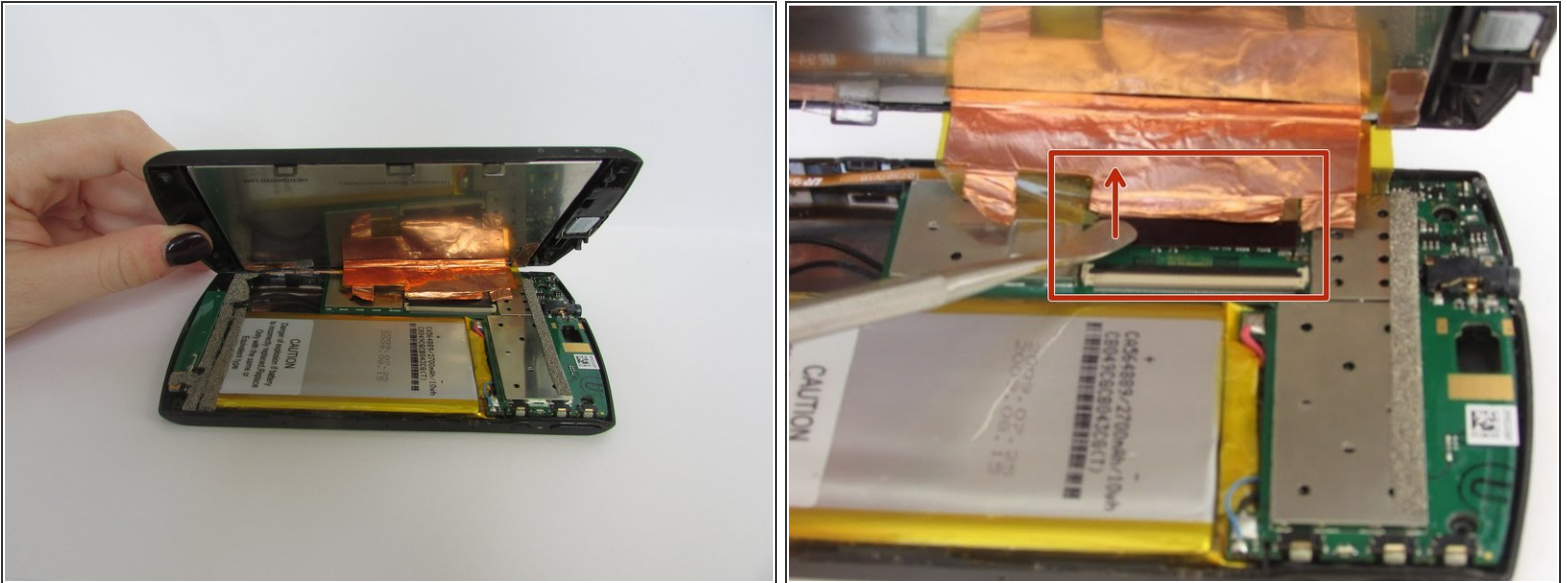This document was generated on 2020-11-14 02:41:11 AM (MST).

Step 3

- Carefully pry open all 4 sides of the Archos 5 using the plastic opening tool.

- Once all sides of the device are pried open, gently open the device .

⚠ Be careful not to tear the foil which connects the LCD screen to the motherboard!

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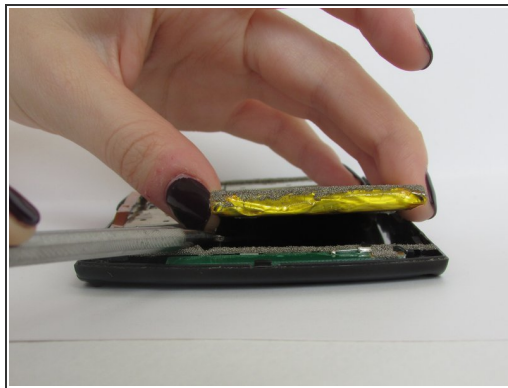© iFixit — CC BY-NC-SA

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Step 4

- Once you have opened your device, fold the screen away from the battery.

⚠️ Metal spudgers can puncture an unprotected battery, potentially causing a fire. When working with electronics, it's important to choose a tool that's ESD-safe to avoid accidental damage to the device. The regular black nylon spudger or a plastic opening tool should be used whenever possible.

- Unplug the touch pad from the motherboard. Do this by applying pressure on the thin black piece(attached at the bottom of the metallic foil) Press the **plastic spudger** against the thin black piece and release it.

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Step 5

- Separate the grey tape by using **a plastic spudger**. The tape is holding the battery in place.
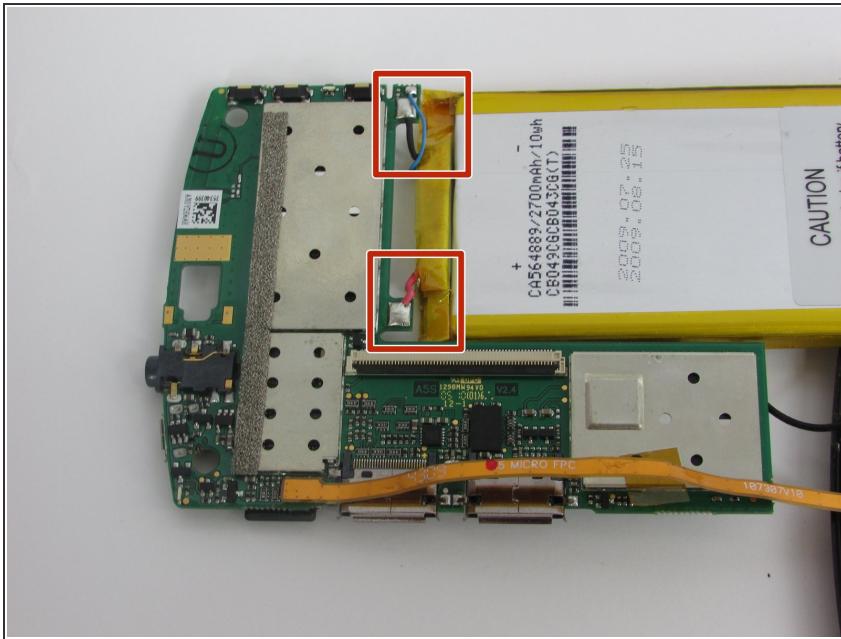
Step 6

- Now begin to remove the battery by prying it away with the **plastic spudger**. Please note that the battery is glued to the device.

- Be careful when prying the battery away from the device. Wiggle the **plastic spudger** under the battery if necessary to loosen the glue.
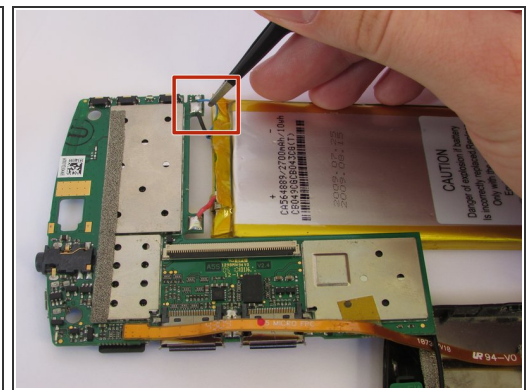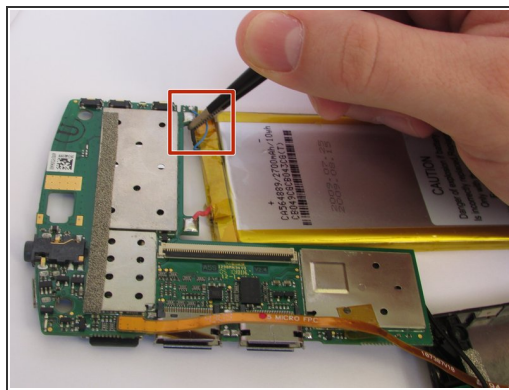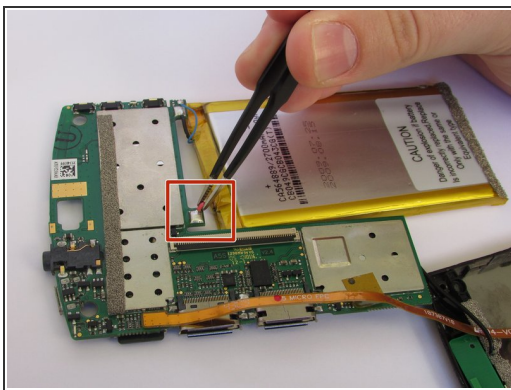
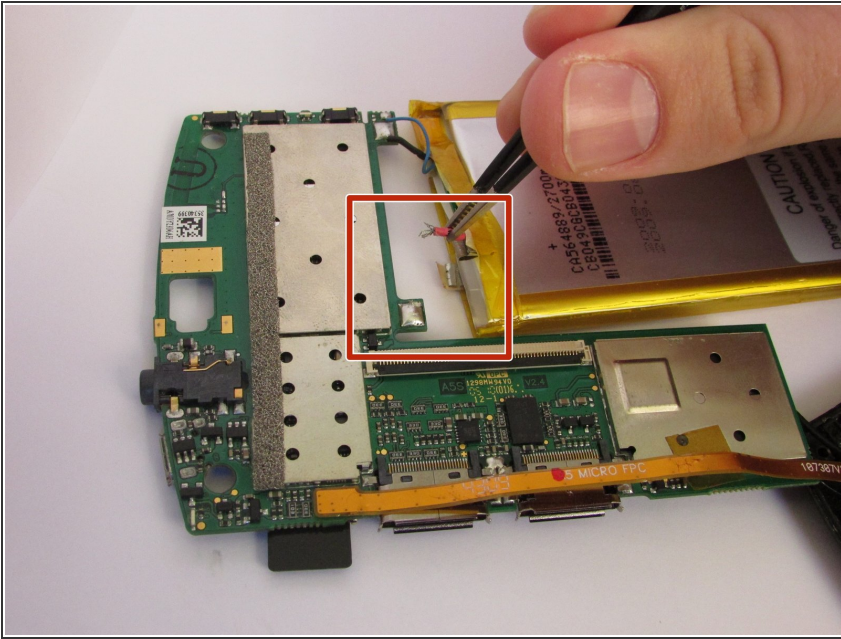This document was generated on 2020-11-14 02:41:11 AM (MST).

Step 7

- Locate 3 wires(red, blue and black) that connect the motherboard and the battery.

Step 8

- After locating the wires (red, blue, and black) firmly pull the wires using tweezers and release them from the motherboard.

- Continue to does this to the remaining two wires.

Step 9

- Once the wires have all been released remove the battery from the device and replace with a new battery. To reattach the new battery wires please refer to this guide on [How To Solder](#)

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