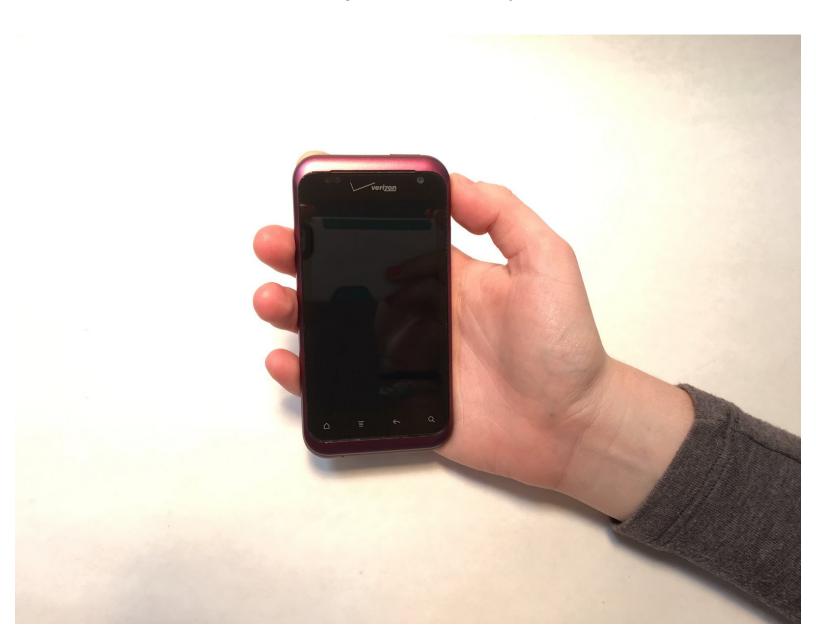


HTC Rhyme charging port Replacement

This guide will show you how to replace the...

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to replace the charging port of the HTC Rhyme.



TOOLS:

- Tweezers (1)
- iFixit Opening Tool (1)
- Spudger (1)
- 64 Bit Driver Kit (1)
- Soldering Workstation (1)

Step 1 — Charging Port

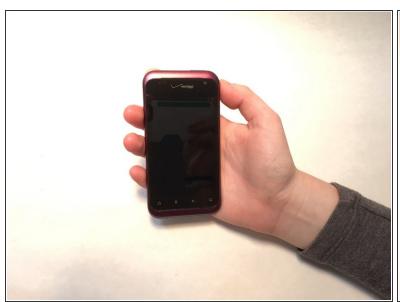
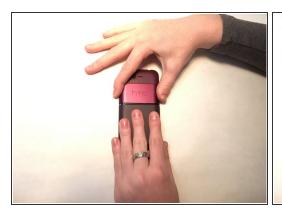
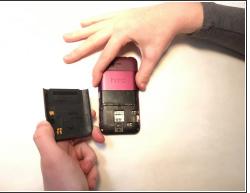




Image of the front and back of the HTC Rhyme.

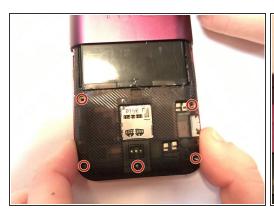
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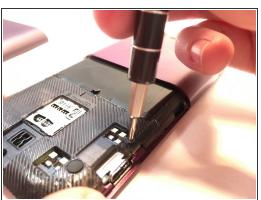




Remove the back cover by pulling down on the lower half.

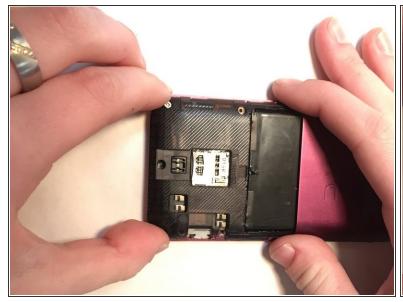


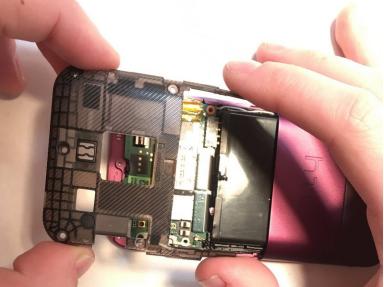




Use a T5 to remove the five highlighted screws in the image.

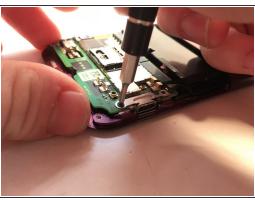
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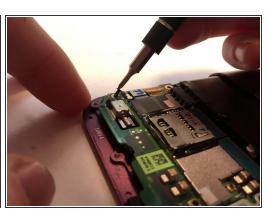




Once the screws are removed, slide the back cover off of the phone.

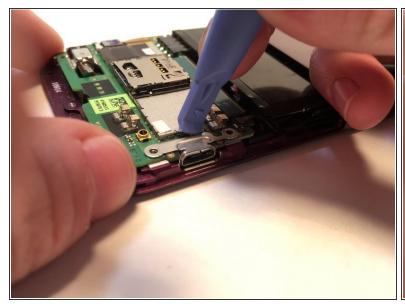


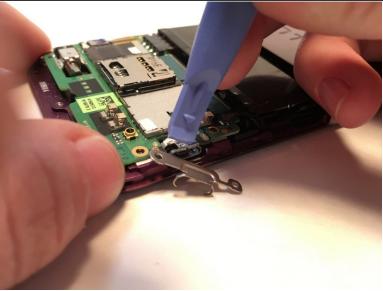




Remove the two screws highlighted in the image with a Phillips screwdriver.

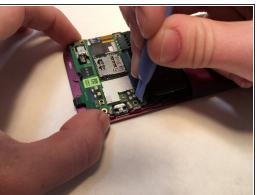
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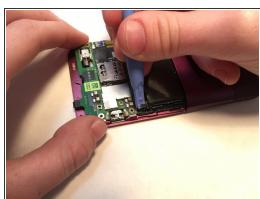




Push off the small silver piece resting above the charging port.

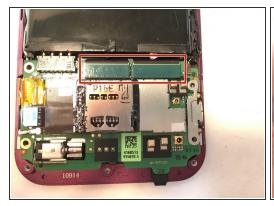




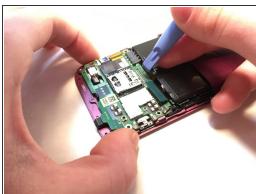


Disconnect the black cable on the upper right side of the motherboard.

Step 8

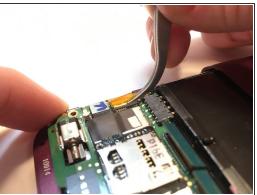


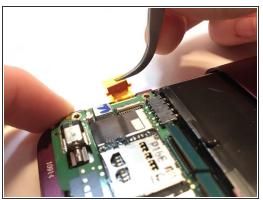




• Disconnect the green cables in the upper center section of the motherboard.

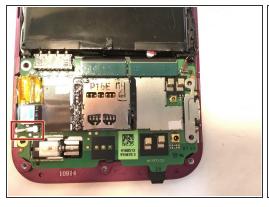


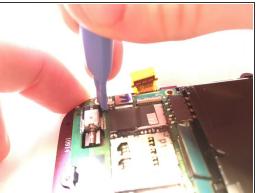


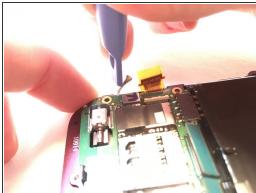


- Disconnect the yellow cable by gently pulling on it with tweezers.
- When assembling, use your fingers to reconnect the wire.

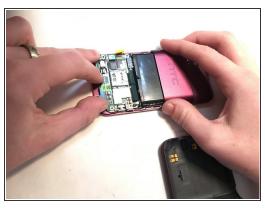
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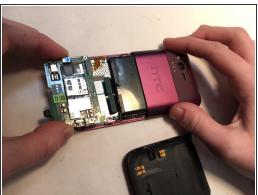






• Disconnect the white cord on the lower left side of the motherboard.



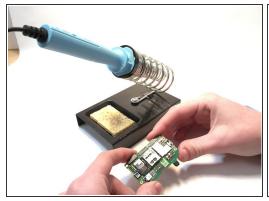




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Gently remove the motherboard with your hand.

Step 12

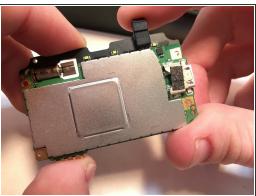


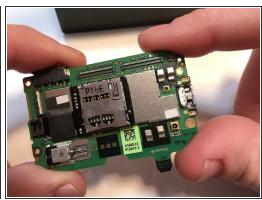




- Desolder and remove the charging port on the motherboard.
- Solder a new charging port onto the pads where the previous charging port had been.







• Follow steps 11 through 1, to put the phone back together.

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