

Razer Kraken 7.1 Chroma Speaker Casing Replacement

This guide will provide the steps to replace a cracked speaker casing. This part of the headset is plastic and could be damaged by a fall.

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INTRODUCTION

Before accessing the speaker casing, you need to remove the ear cushion. The casing of the speaker could be damaged by dropping the headset, but can easily be replaced by following the steps provided. The wires will have to be <u>soldered</u> during the reassembly process.

TOOLS:

- Wire Stripping/Crimping Tool (1)
- Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)
- Soldering Iron (1)
- Spudger (1)

Step 1 — Ear Cushion



• Grab the ear cushion between your thumb and forefinger.

Step 2



 Pull the ear cushion away from the speaker by sliding down to release the cushion from the plastic covering.

Step 3



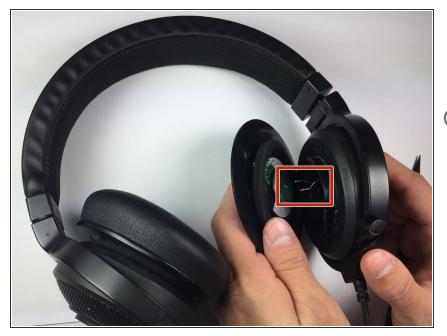
 Continue sliding downwards around all edges of the ear cushion until the cushion is fully removed.

Step 4 — Speaker



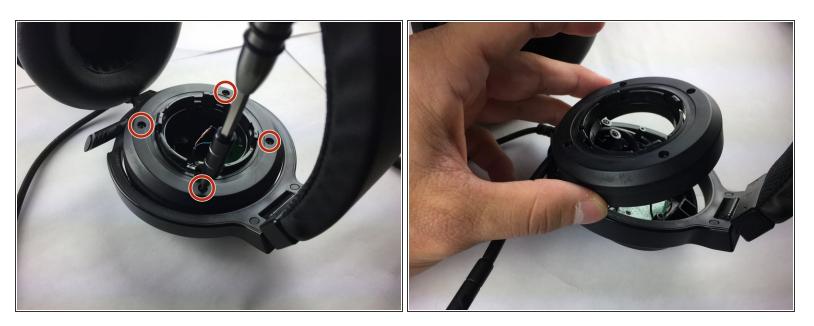
- Use the broad edge of the plastic spudger and a lot of force to pop off the speaker from the headset.
- (i) Insert the plastic spudger in between the speaker and the headset directly in line with one of the exposed screws of the headset casing, since that is where the four clamps that hold the speaker to the headset are located. These clamps are not visible until after speaker removal.
- (i) Make sure to insert the spudger in between the foam buffer-ring and the headset casing instead of in between the speaker and the foam buffer-ring.
- (i) Reassembly may be tricky, there is one clamp smaller than others, so you have to align it correctly.

Step 5



- Cut both wires connecting the speaker to the headset by using a wire stripper or pair of scissors.
- *Cut as close as possible to the connections on the speaker circuit board.*

Step 6 — Speaker Casing



- Use the Phillips #00 screwdriver to remove all four 9mm screws.
- Rotate the screwdriver counterclockwise when removing each screw.

Step 7



- Pull the casing upwards to remove it from the headset.
- (i) If you are removing the casing on the side of the microphone, slide the casing towards you along the length of the microphone until the casing is completely removed.

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