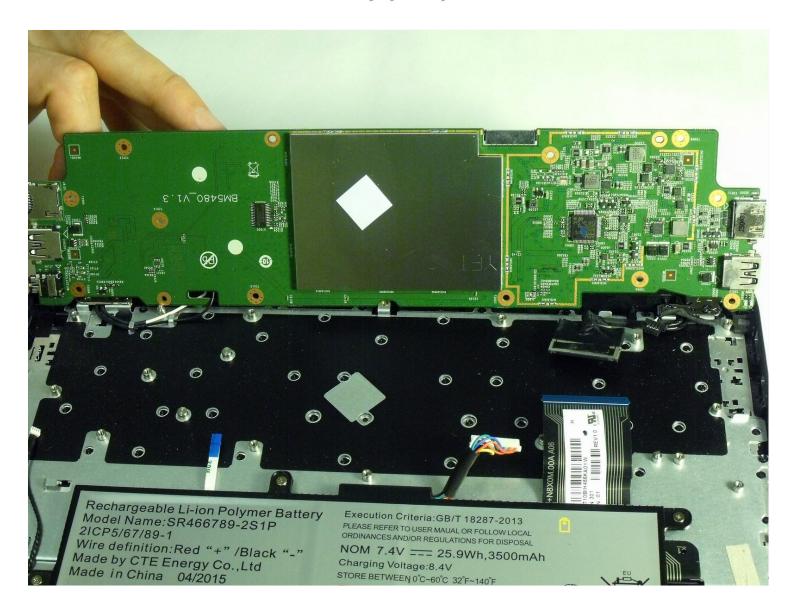


Poin2 Chromebook 11 Motherboard Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

Motherboards can be damaged when there is injury to the device or even during a power surge. When either occurs, this often results in a computer that will not power on or respond. This guide shows how to replace a defective motherboard in a Poin2 Chromebook 11.

TOOLS:

Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1) iFixit Opening Tool (1) Spudger (1) Phillips #000 Screwdriver (1) Tweezers (1)

Step 1 — Motherboard





- Power down the Poin2 Chrombook 11 and disconnect the power adapter.
- Close the Chromebook and position it with the base facing up.
- Use a #0 Phillips screwdriver to unscrew the ten 7mm screws that hold the base to the rest of the frame
- i Poin2 Chromebook 11 does not have screws under its rubber feet at the base.







- Insert a 1cm-wide plastic opening tool between the base and top frame.
- (i) Applying pressure up and down with the tool may be necessary. When you hear a "click," this indicates the separation of the frame.
- Pry (up and down) around the entire border of the Chromebook to separate.
- Use your hands to gently lift the base away from the frame.

Step 3







- Unplug the white 8-wire battery connector using a spudger to push the two L-shaped clips out of the socket.
- (i) The connector is a tight fit and requires careful pressure for release.





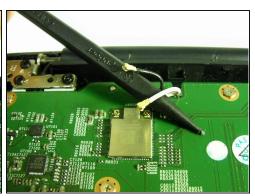


- Use a spudger (or fingertips) to flip up the plastic clamps that hold down the two ribbon cables connected to the motherboard.
- Pull the cables from their sockets.

Step 5







- Disconnect the coaxial connectors from the motherboard using <u>tweezers</u> (or a spudger) to "snap" off the connectors from their sockets.
- To reinstall, hold the connectors in place and gently press them straight down. The connectors will "snap" back in place.





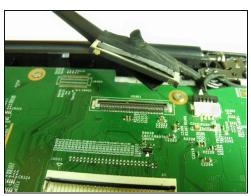


- Disconnect the speaker and charging port cables by pulling the connectors out of their sockets.
- *(i)* The connectors may require a spudger to help with release from the sockets.

Step 7







Disconnect the LCD screen connector from the motherboard using a spudger.



• Use a #000 Phillips screwdriver and remove the twelve 4mm screws that hold the motherboard.

Step 9



 Use a plastic opening tool and pry around the edges of the motherboard to release.



• Lift and remove the motherboard away from the frame.

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