Replacing Creative Zen X-Fi Speaker

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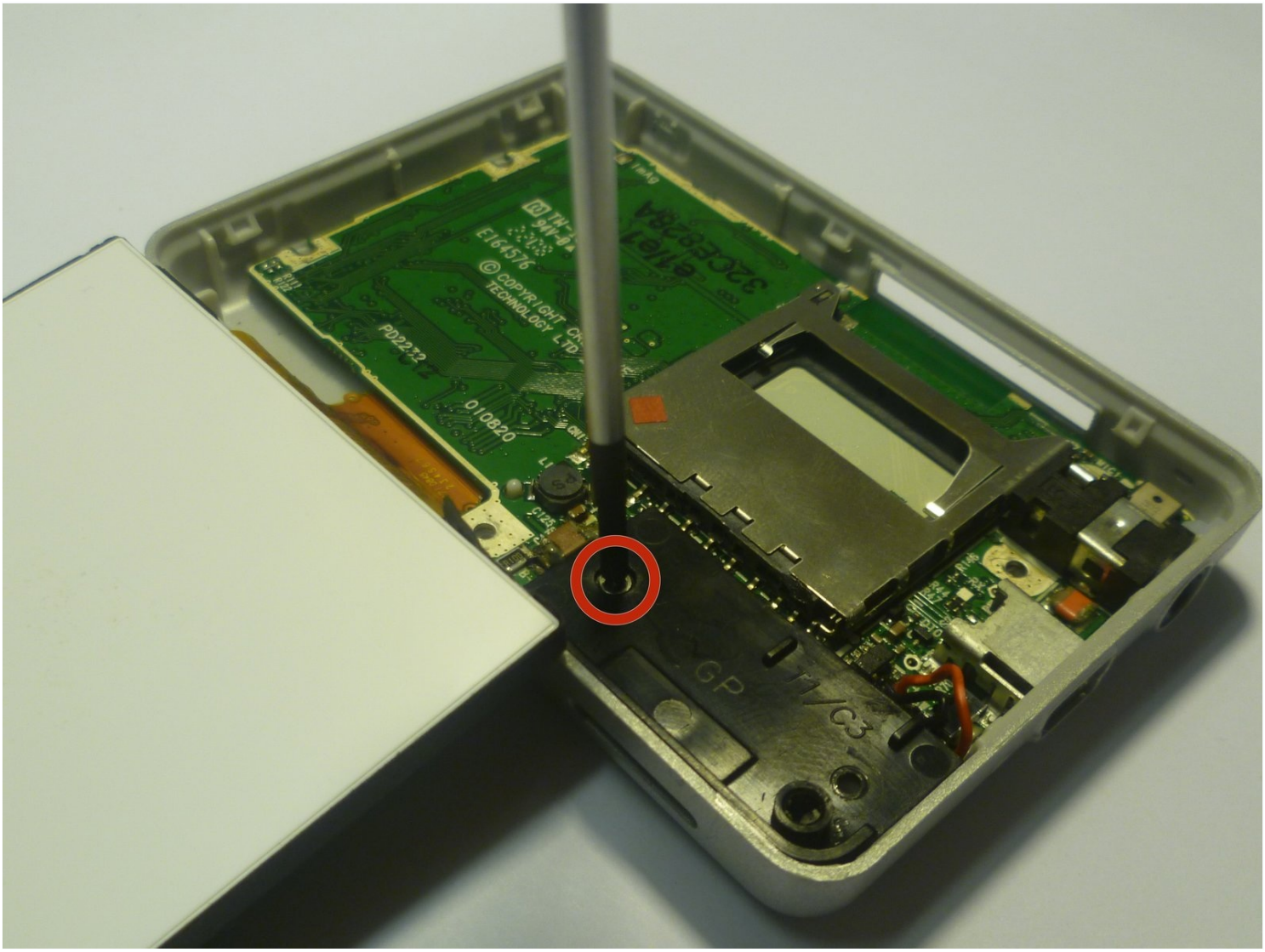


INTRODUCTION

The speaker is an output component that plays sound.

TOOLS:

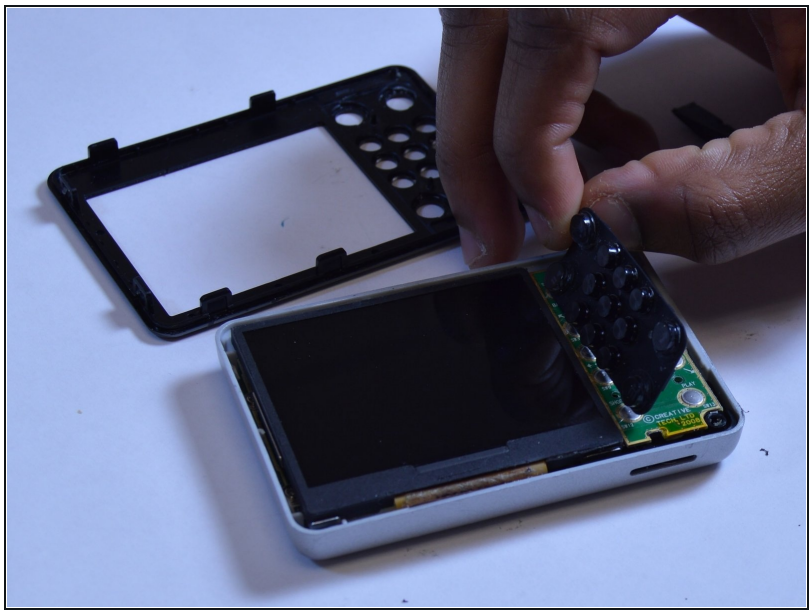
Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)
Spudger (1)
Tweezers (1)

Step 1 — Detaching Front Case

- Using a spudger, wedge the tip between the front and back case to pry them apart.

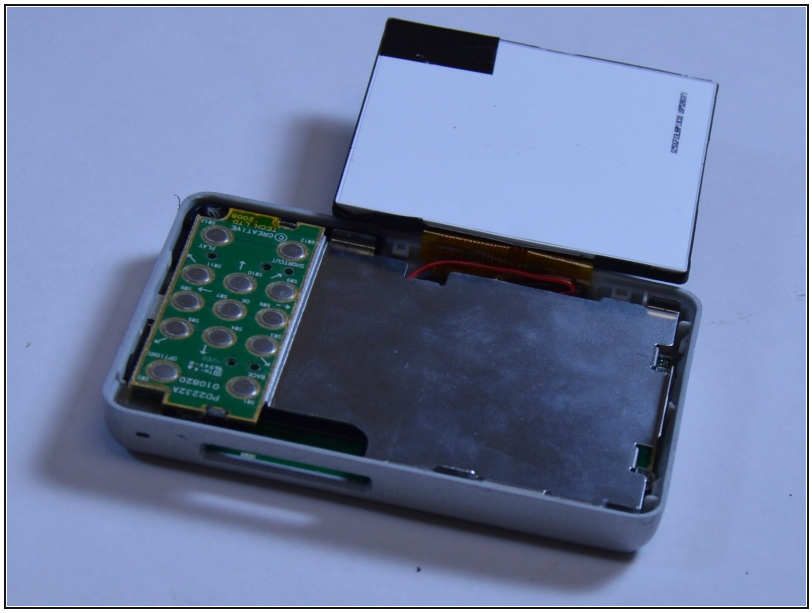
Be careful to not apply excessive force since there are six fasteners on the screen's side that holds the cases firmly together.

Step 2 — Rubber Button Cover



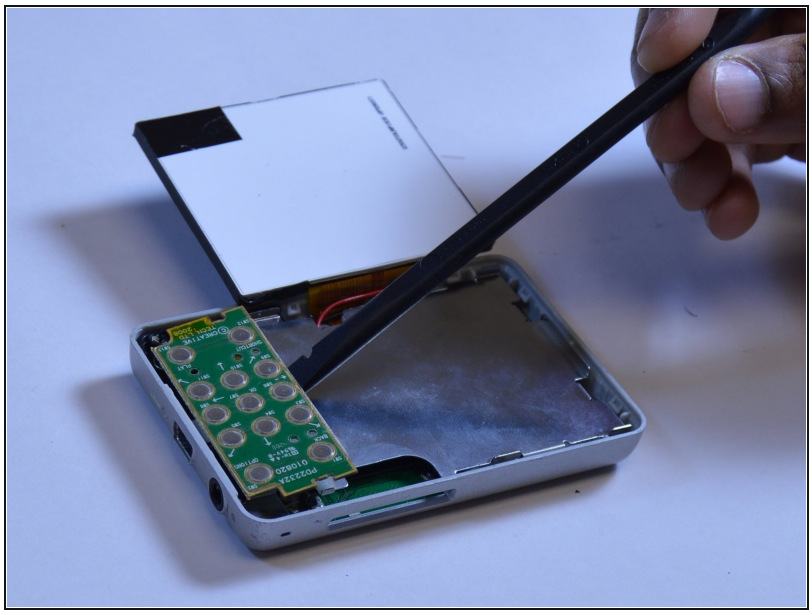
- The black rubber button pad can be removed by simply picking it up.

Step 3 — Button Input Chip Part 1



- Flip the LCD screen off the midsection plate to gain access to the space around the input button chip.

Step 4 — Button Input Chip



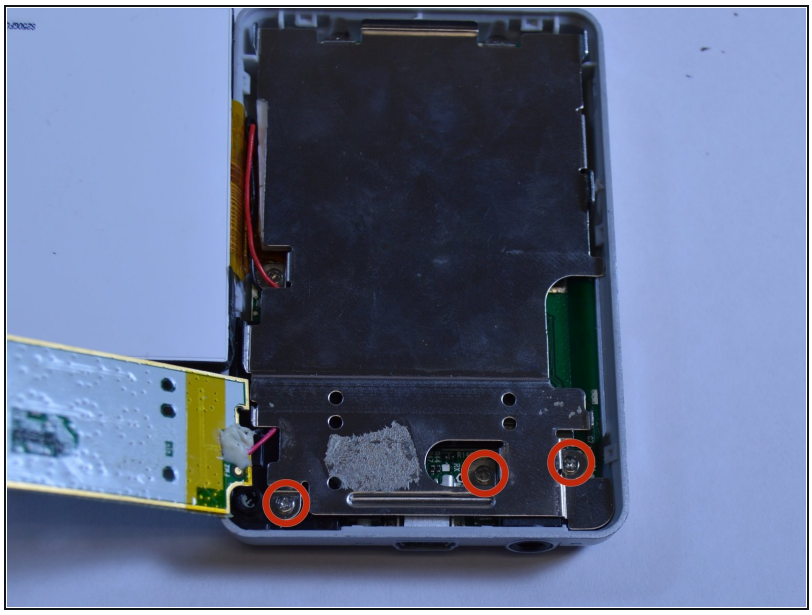
- Using a spudger, pry off the button input chip from the mid-section of the device. To gain best leverage, start at the bottom right corner and level your way up the side of the chip.

ⓘ Be aware that the button input chip is glued to the mid-section, so some extra force may be required.

Step 5 — Access Midsection Plate

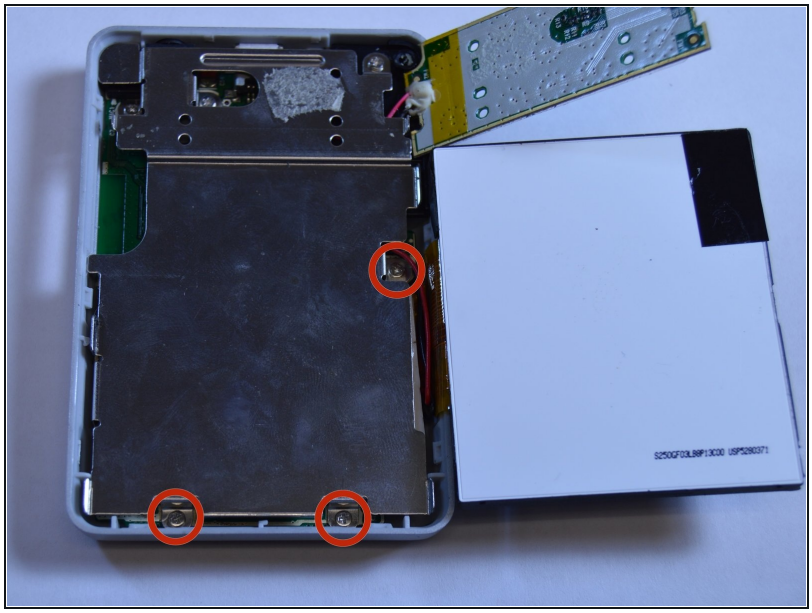
- Lift open the LCD screen and button input chip to access the entire midsection plate.

Step 6 — Unscrew below Button Chip



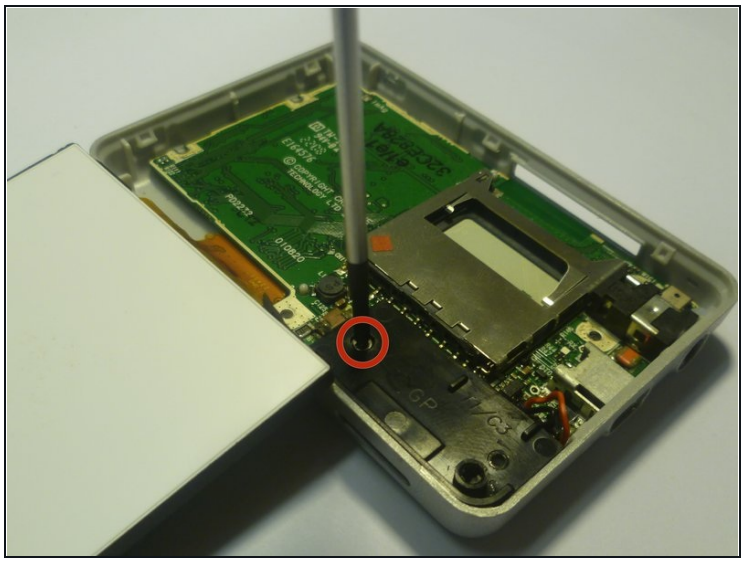
- Use a Phillips Head screwdriver to unscrew the three 3/16 inch screws that were underneath the button input chip.

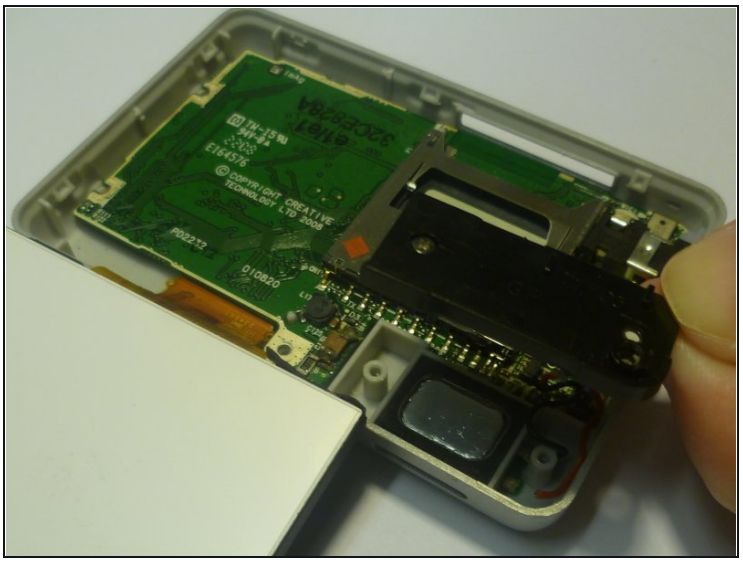
Step 7 — Unscrew below LCD Screen



- Use a Phillips Head screwdriver to unscrew the three 3/16 inch screws that were underneath the LCD screen.

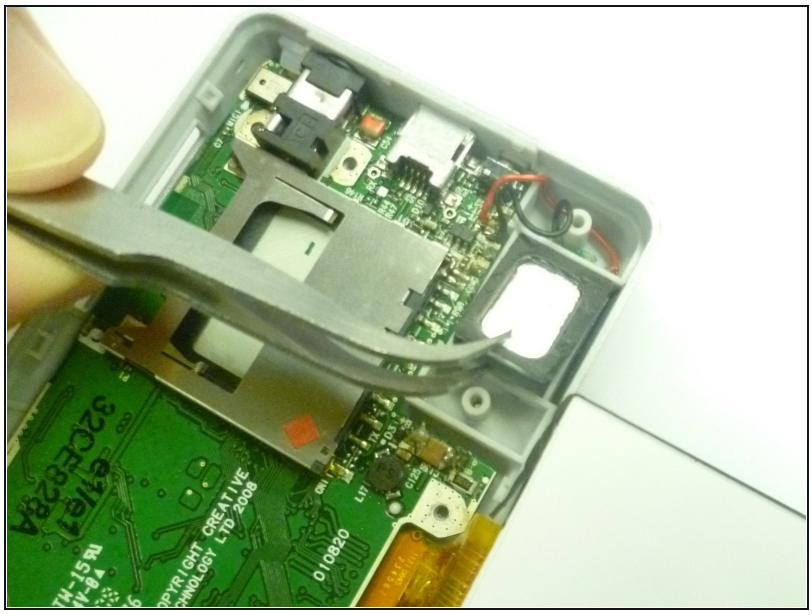
Step 8 — Unscrew Speaker's Cover





- Use a Phillips Head screwdriver to unscrew the 3/16 inch screw that attaches the speaker's cover the the back case.
- Once unscrewed, pick up the case and put it to the side.

Step 9 — Removing the Speaker



- With the speaker exposed, use a pair of tweezers to lift the speaker out of the slot.

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