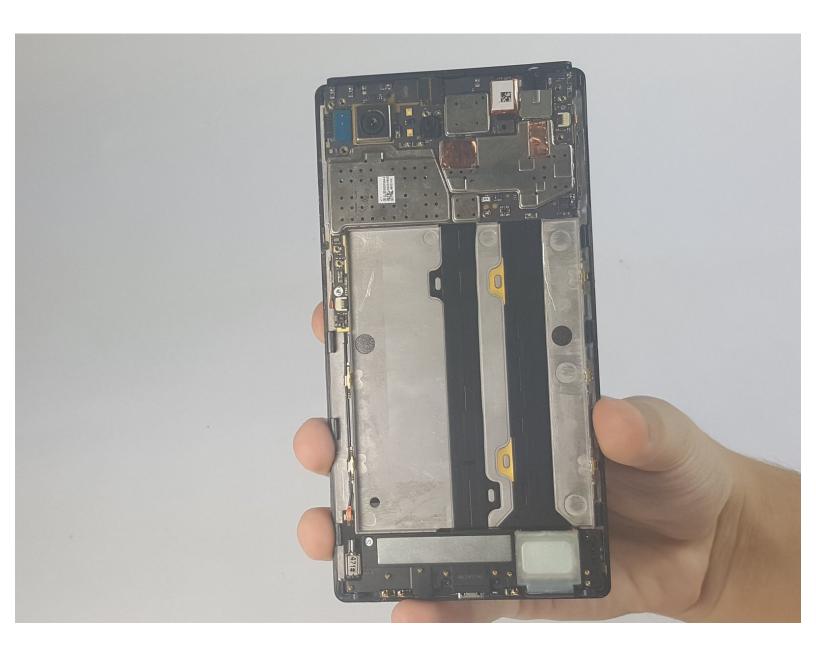


Lenovo Vibe Z2 Pro Motherboard Replacement

This guide will demonstrate how to replace the motherboard of your device.

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INTRODUCTION

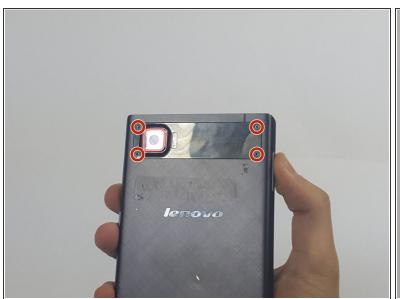
If your phone no longer powers on after replacing the battery, your motherboard might be defective. Learn how to replace it in this guide.



TOOLS:

- Spudger (1)
- Metal Spudger (1)
- T4 Torx Screwdriver (1)
- Phillips #000 Screwdriver (1)
- Tweezers (1)

Step 1 — Lenovo Vibe **Z2** Pro Backplate Disassembly





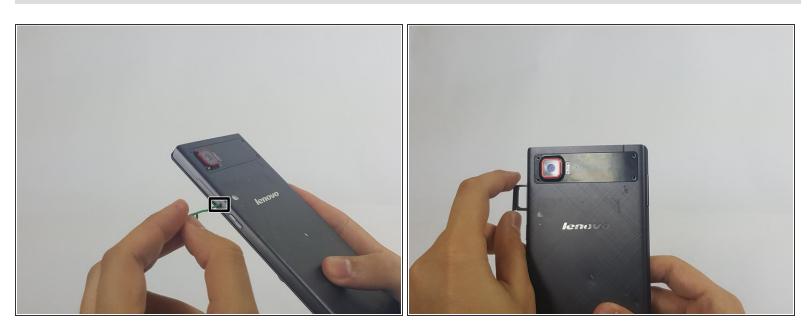
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Remove the 4.9 mm torx head screws located on the camera plate on the back of the phone

Step 2

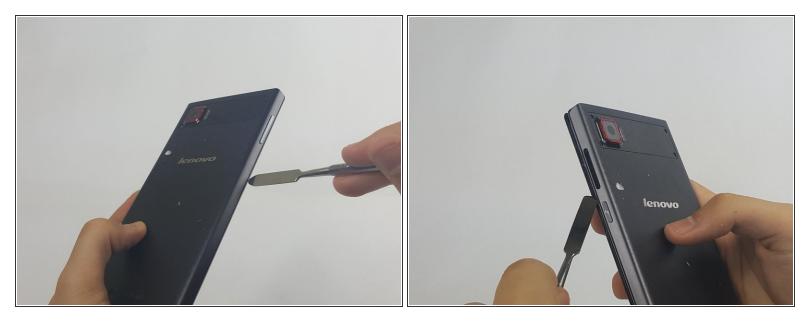


 Remove the 3.65 mm Torx head screws at the bottom of the phone.

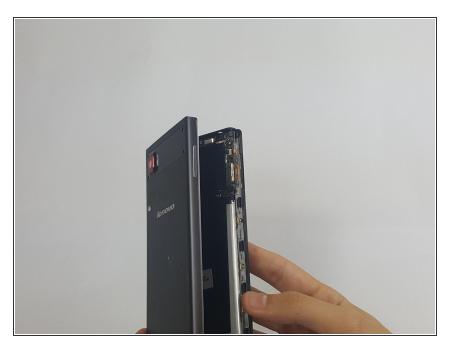


Remove the SIM card tray by pushing a pin into the hole on the side of the phone.

Step 4

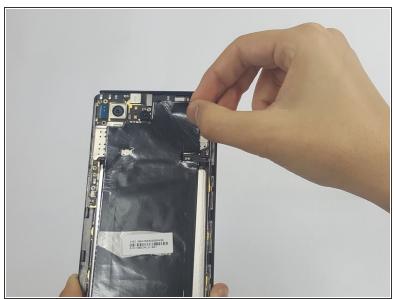


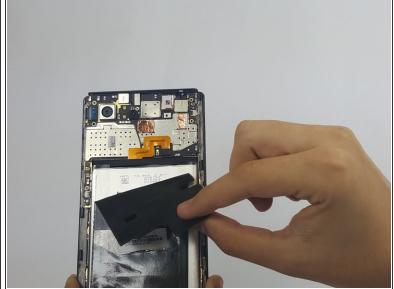
Push the Spudger along the gap between the phone and the backplate to separate them.



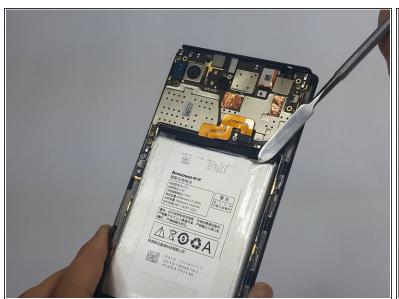
 Carefully pull the backplate away from the phone.

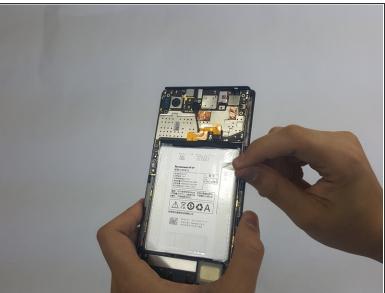
Step 6 — Battery





Peel away protective the film using your hands.

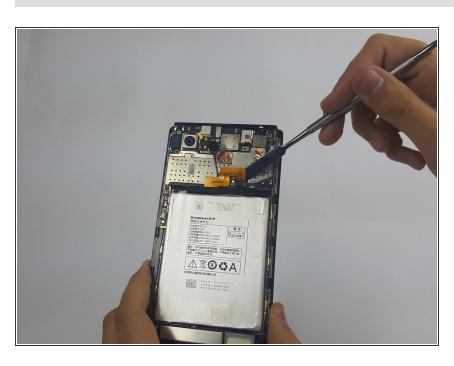




Remove any adhesive strips holding the battery in place gently using a fingernail or spudger.

The regular black nylon spudger should be used whenever possible, especially around batteries.

Step 8



 Disconnect the orange battery ribbon cable by gently lifting with a spudger.







- Insert a fingernail or spudger into either side of the battery and lift upward.
- Remove the battery from phone.

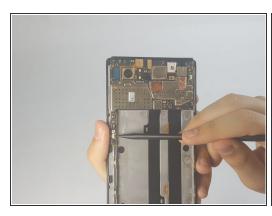
Step 10 — Motherboard

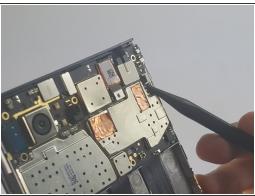


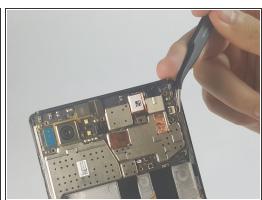




• Remove the 3.15mm Phillips Head #000 screws from motherboard.

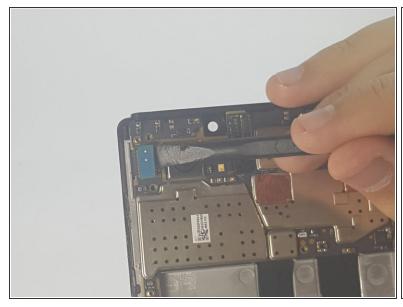






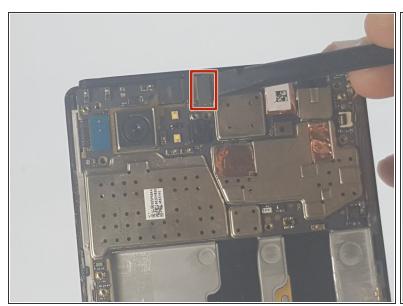
 Disconnect the two ribbon cables by gently lifting on the black hinges and pulling away with tweezers

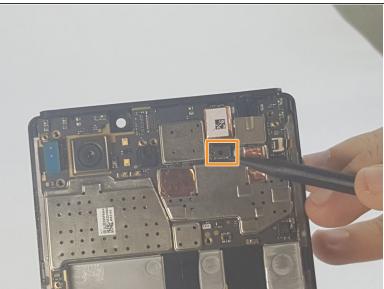
Step 12





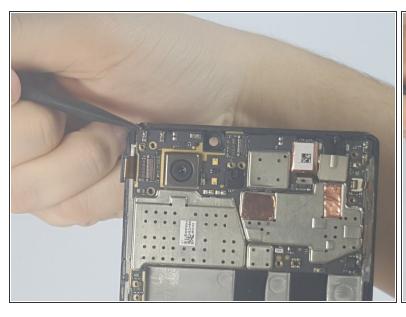
Gently disconnect the rear-camera connector

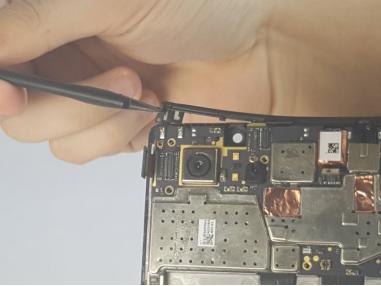




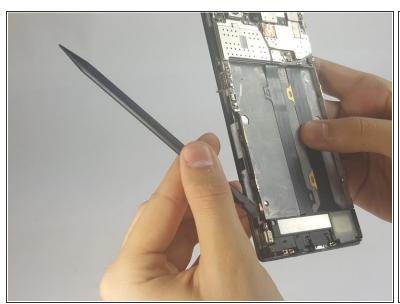
- Gently remove the front-facing camera by gently lifting on the connector tab.
- Remove the other connector by gently lifting with a spudger.

Step 14





Pry off the plastic brace along the top edge of the phone

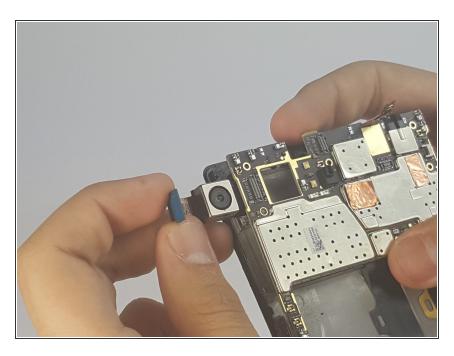




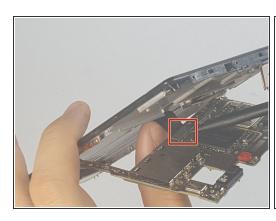
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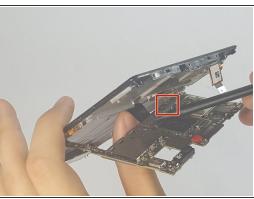
Remove the antenna connected to the bottom piece of the screen plate

Step 16



- Gently lift the motherboard off the frame
- Pull the camera out from behind the motherboard







- Using a spudger, disconnect the charging port assembly cable and the screen connection cable.
- Remove the motherboard completely.

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