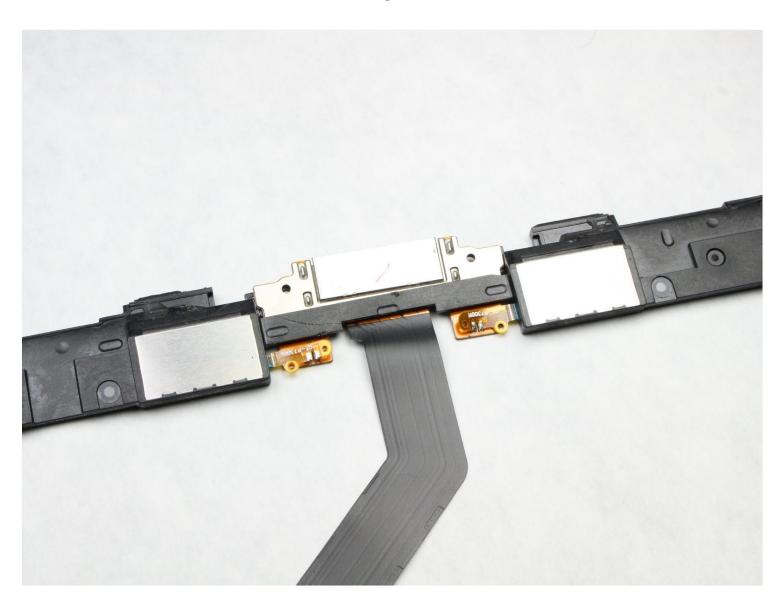


# Samsung Galaxy Tab 8.9 Speaker(s) Replacement

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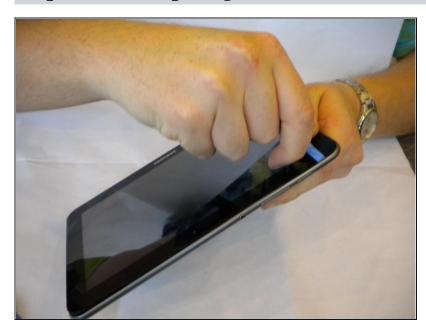
#### **INTRODUCTION**

This guide will walk you through the process of replacing distorted or broken speakers on a Samsung Galaxy Tab 8.9.

## TOOLS:

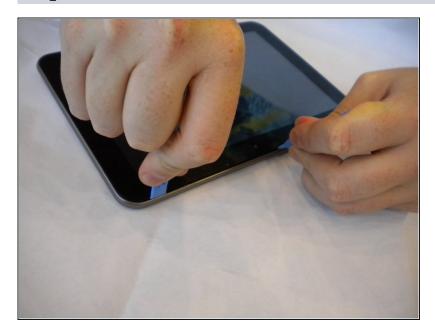
iFixit Opening Tool (2) Lead-Free Solder (1) Portable Soldering Iron (1) Desoldering Braid (1)

#### Step 1 — Insert Opening tool



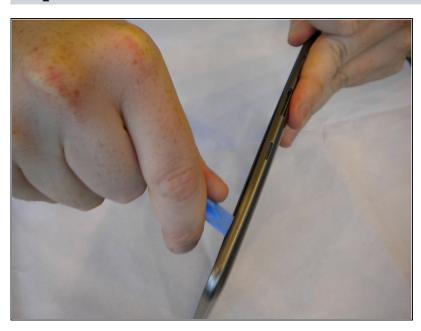
 Insert a plastic opening tool between the back cover and screen of the Samsung Galaxy Tab 8.9 (as indicated in the photograph).

#### Step 2 — Insert second tool



 Insert a second plastic opening tool 6 cm (~2.4 inches) away from the first tool.

## Step 3

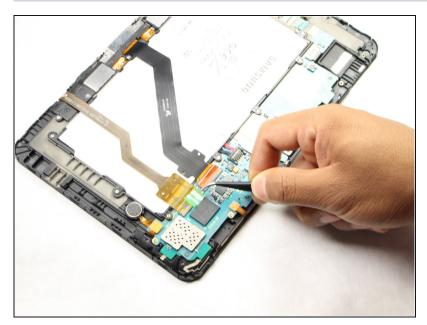


 Slide the second plastic opening tool along the edge of the device to separate the back cover.

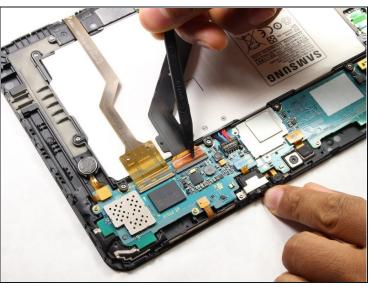


• Using your hands, remove the back cover.

## Step 5 — Charging Port



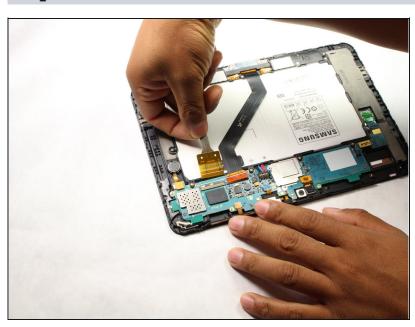
 Using tweezers, peel away the green tape located on top of the two flexible ribbon cables.





- Insert a spudger under the orange tab.
- Pry open the tab to disconnect the black flexible ribbon cable from the motherboard.

# Step 7

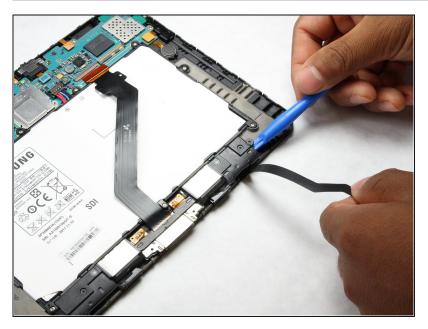


 Slide out the yellow flexible ribbon cable to disconnect it from the motherboard.

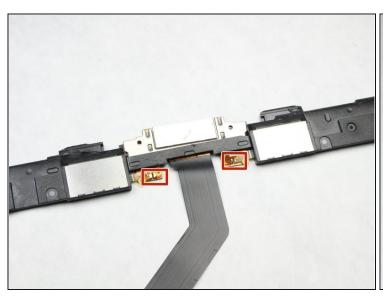


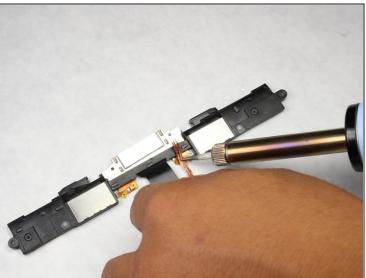
• Using a Phillips #00 screwdriver, unscrew the 4 screws (3mm) that are holding the charger port and speaker support.

# Step 9



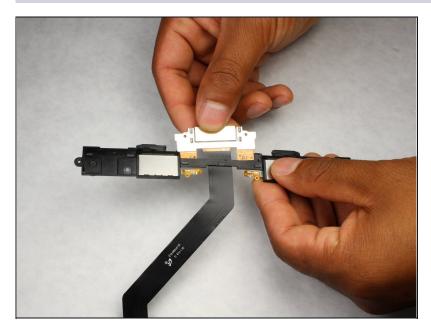
• Insert opening tool to pry support from the housing.





• Desolder the two connections to separate the speakers from the charger port.

# Step 11



 Separate charging port from speaker assembly.

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