

# Nintendo Wii Outer Case Replacement

Use this guide to remove the white plastic...

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

Use this guide to remove the white plastic outer case protecting the Wii's innards. Removing the outer case requires a Tri-wing screwdriver.

# 🖌 TOOLS:

Metal Spudger (1) Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1) Tri-point Y1 Screwdriver (1) Tweezers (1)

## PARTS:

Nintendo Wii GameCube Port Covers (1) Nintendo Wii CMOS Battery Door (1)

#### Step 1 — Faceplate



• Use a metal spudger to remove the white plastic screw covers stuck to the lower case near the front of the Wii.



• Remove the two 8.3 mm Tri-Point screws hidden under the covers you just removed.

# Step 3



• Remove the single 5.9 mm Phillips screw under the controller port door nearest the faceplate.

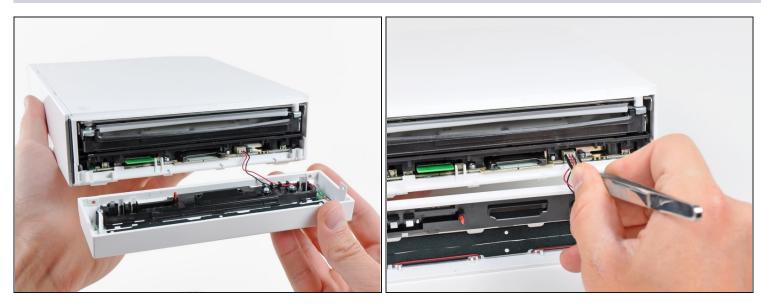


• Use a metal spudger to remove the rubber foot stuck to the side of the Wii near the DVD drive opening.

# Step 5



 Remove the single 5.9 mm
Phillips screw hidden under the foot you just removed.



- Carefully pull the faceplate away from the front of the Wii.
- Use a pair of <u>tweezers</u> to disconnect the LED cable's plastic connector from the motherboard.
- Remove the faceplate.

#### Step 7 — Outer Case



- Open the controller port cover until it is perpendicular to the black controller port bezel.
- Pull the controller port cover straight up to release it from the outer case.
- (i) Repeat this procedure for the memory card port cover.



- Remove the two remaining 4.1 mm Phillips screws along the top edge of the black plastic controller port bezel.
- Lift the bezel from the long edge furthest away from the controller ports and remove it from the Wii.



Step 9

Remove the two 5 mm Phillips screws above the controller ports.



• Use a metal spudger to remove the three highlighted screw covers stuck to the side of the Wii.

## Step 11



- Remove the following screws:
  - Two 5 mm Phillips screws
  - One 8.2 mm Tri-Point screw



• Use a metal spudger to remove the two rubber feet stuck to the bottom face of the Wii near the rear ports.

## Step 13



- Remove the two 8.2 mm Tri-Point screws hidden under the feet you just removed.
  - ② You may use a 4 mm hex driver to extend your bit into the recesses and reach the screws.



• Lift the outer case straight up off the body of the Wii.

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